



The PROBUS Reporter

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The PROBUS Club of Alliston

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President's Message

This is my final message as President; when I took on the Vice-President's role, I was a new PROBUS member and over the last two years it has given me a chance to get to know so many of our members. This has been a definite win for me.

We just finished another successful golf tournament and dinner at Bear Creek and once again my prayers to the weather gods paid off. Then it was off to Penetang to King's Wharf Theatre where there was a great turnout of members to see a fun show. Now I am digging out the Blue Jays shirts for our PROBUS day at the Ball Park to cheer on the Jays on their way to another World Series win we hope.

All this brings to mind the biggest thing that I have learned about our PROBUS club; we have an incredible group of volunteers who put in so much time behind the scenes to make our meetings and events successful. Without them the club could not function. To all of them I say thank you for all of the hard work.

Lastly, I want to thank all of the members for their kind words over the year. It has been a pleasure serving you.

Gerry Ross
President, PROBUS Club of Alliston

Golf and Dinner – Bear Creek Golf Club



A marvelous time was had by all! The day was a little warm but gorgeous. The course was in fantastic shape. The foursomes were fun and the fellowship at the gathering on the patio before and during dinner was thoroughly enjoyable, leading to a wonderful meal with excellent service!

Many thanks to our illustrious leader, Gerry Ross and his team for organizing such a wonderful event and our local business sponsors for the excellent prizes.



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Grease at the King's Wharf Theatre - Penetanguishene



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Old Spaghetti Factory and Blue Jays Trip



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Upcoming **PROBUS** Meetings

Our meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month
at 10:00 AM in the Nottawasaga Inn.

Next Meeting September 9th Lunch: Hot Stacks

Main Speakers

Sept 9	Tanya Shields	Downsizing & Is It Time to Move?
Oct 14	Kristy Cambell	Community Home Paramedics
Nov 11	TBD	SMH Foundation Update

Show & Tell Speakers

Sept 9	Alan Masters	Building YPRES WWI and WWII
Nov 11	Allyn Willard	D-Day Video (75 th Anniversary)

Upcoming Events

Reminder **that Rogers & Hammerstein's "A Grand Night for Singing"** at the Aurora Theatre will be Sunday, September 21 at 1:30 pm. You can register on the events page and pay by e-transfer to probuscluballiston@gmail.com or register and pay at the September meeting. Cost is \$20.70 ea if you pay by cheque or e-transfer and \$21 by cash. We cannot do change.

[Click here for the flyer.](#)

Announcements

It's PROBUS membership renewal time. The membership dues of \$60/person are due September 1st. You can bring your cheque (preferred) or exact cash to the September meeting or the October meeting if you can't attend in September or you can e-transfer to probuscluballiston@gmail.com.

Please do not drop off your cheque during September as neither Sheila or I will be home.



If you have decided not to renew, please send us an email to probuscluballiston@gmail.com and we wish you well.

The PROBUS Reporter may be a few days later next month because the editor will be away on holiday.

Important Links



PROBUS Club of Alliston Website



PROBUS Canada Newsletter



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2024/2025 Management Committee

President	Gerry Ross
Vice President	Claire Albright
Past President	Ruby Thomas
Secretary	Jo-Anne Hunt
Treasurer	Ruby Thomas
Membership Coordinator	Mary Willard
AV Team	Allyn Willard, Peter Krol, Ron Wise
Communications/Webmaster	Mary Willard
Events & Excursions	Linda Hostrawser-Ball, Joan Fellows, Wendy Masters, Judy Temple, Mary Willard
Luncheons	Midge Faccioli, Bev Hughes
Meeting Coordinator	Dave Randell
Membership	Mary Willard, Sheila Garriock
Photographer	Bev Hughes
PROBUS Reporter	Allyn Willard
Share the Wealth	Diane Haynes, Barb Murney
Show & Tell	Roger Setka, Roy Snipe
Speakers Committee	Pat Thompson, Judy Pretty, Sharron Smith
Sunshine and Clouds	Sue Waterman
Zoom Master	Allyn Willard

If you have moved or changed your email or phone number, please notify Mary Willard at probuscluballiston@gmail.com so that we can keep our records up to date.

If you have pictures or stories you would like to share with your friends at PROBUS, please email to Allyn Willard at: allynwillard@rogers.com