



# THE PROBUS CLUB OF KELLYVILLE & HILLS INC.

Incorporated in NSW – Incorporation No. 1800778

Month: April 2020

## Message from the President



Hello Fellow Probus Members.

We are still in isolation and it looks like it might be a few more months before we can meet again.

Your committee has been trying to keep in contact with members, but still have a few more members to phone.

We have been unable to plan any events until we are given the green light by the Health Authorities. Although, we have one event which has been tentatively booked for the end of August, Barefoot Bowls at The Hills Club, Baulkham Hills, but this will depend on social distancing rules.

Alternative meeting venues are still being considered, but regrettably nothing can be done until premises reopen.

A couple of members were on the Ruby Princess. Unfortunately, they contracted the virus, but are on the improve. We wish them a speedy recovery.

A number of members have been using the time in isolation to update their computer skills and fitness. Zoom and Houseparty seem to be popular with some members to keep in contact with family and friends.

If you have found any other good ideas for keeping in contact, let us know.

Other members have been doing some serious walking to keep fit, but I believe there may be a coffee shop somewhere on their walk for a take away coffee. Keep safe, stay healthy and keep connected with friends.

Faye

## A suggestion from our President

Perhaps members would like to send photos of an activity they are enjoying during isolation that could be included in the newsletter.

The Editor looks forward to all contributions to the Newsletter, especially activities and photos, and would like to thank all who have contributed to date for their assistance and support.

## Active Retirees Magazine

Members will find the current issue of the Active Retirees Magazine on our website [www.pckh.org.au/publications](http://www.pckh.org.au/publications), also on the [Probus South Pacific](http://www.probus.org.au) site under this [LINK](#).



Kevin and Rosie practicing self-isolation.

There are photos of previous Probus outings to enjoy.

[LINK](#) to our Facebook page.

### A belated Happy 80<sup>th</sup> Tony Myatt



### Memberships

To fill the available vacancies, prospective members are welcome to attend future meetings which are held at 10am on the second Thursday of each month. We currently have 102 members.

This is Tony's special 80th birthday cake that was made for 20th April. I have made it several times in the past - it wins prizes at shows. Problem is, it disappears very quickly. *Susie Myatt*

Members can refer their friends to our [website](#) to see that we have an active group.

*Congratulations on your past wins Susie.*

### Probus Kellyville & Hills have a Facebook page

If you belong to Facebook, pop along and join other members for a chat. It's a Private Group, but all you have to do is request to join. If you are shy, join all the same, pop in and just 'listen' for a while until you are comfortable participating.

*Stay home  
Stay active  
Stay healthy*

## Baking Challenge

The following creation initiated the Challenge!



Brian Driver's Pork Sausage Rolls. First effort too.



Lorna Dossor  
"My dinner tonight. Duck breast with rocket, roasted beetroot, walnut and feta Salad."



Lynelle Dytor  
"Just out of the oven. My Whole Orange and White Chocolate Cake."

## Impossible Pie

Recently baked by Owen Sharpe.



"We sliced the pie for afternoon tea ... love it!"

## Impossible Pie

*(Compliments of Kerri Harding)*

- 4 eggs
- 2 cups milk
- 1/2 cup plain flour
- 4 tablespoons (58 gms) butter
- 1 cup coconut
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

### Method

Place all dry ingredients in a bowl.  
Melt the butter and add to dry ingredients.  
Beat the eggs and milk together and add to the other ingredients.  
Pour into a greased pie plate.



Bake in a moderate oven for 1 hour or until golden brown.  
There are other Impossible Pie variations just waiting for the next Probus budding baker to surprise his family with. Please share a photo with your Probus friends!



Barb Gurney's Red Thai Curry

Kevin Carey – An engineer's nightmare.



*Track Changing Mechanism | Japanese Railroads | Osaka Monorail | JR pass*

**Sound advice from Sue Miller.**

Something everyone should know.  
I was told I just needed to wear gloves and a mask to the supermarket, but when I got there, everyone else was wearing clothes. Very embarrassing!

Thank you, Sue.



He is 94 and she is 91.

Kevin Carey thought we could brush up on our dance routines – good exercise.

~There's no place like home ~

Please stay safe until we meet again.

## Events / Trips coming up

Many already on the website:

[pckh.org.au](http://pckh.org.au)

Walking Group meets 9.30am each Wednesday at Bernie Mullane Sports Complex. **Cancelled until further notice.**

Book Group meets 10.30am, 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month at the Castle Hill Tavern. **Cancelled until further notice.**

**Unfortunately, the Melbourne Cup Cruise has been cancelled.**

**Tentative date: end of August.**

Barefoot Bowls at The Hills Club, Baulkham Hills.

## PCKH Website

Our [website](#) includes a [calendar](#) to show the dates of upcoming events including monthly meetings and planned events. Whilst future events will be highlighted at monthly meetings, from time to time event organisers will email members of upcoming events, to which members are requested to respond to the organiser.

## Feedback

Thank you for reading this newsletter. We welcome your comments / feedback both on this newsletter and suggestions for the future.

Kindly provide your articles and photos for inclusion in our May Newsletter via this [LINK](#).

## Your Committee

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