

## CHAPTER 3.

### PRESIDENT RAY GALLOWAY 2002 – 2003

President Kevin opened the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Club on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2002 at 9.30 a.m.

The Minutes of the 18<sup>th</sup> A.G.M. having been circulated previously were confirmed.

The President then presented his report for the past year.

The Treasurer presented his report.

The President then declared all positions vacant and the Public Officer William Bennett took the Chair. The Chairman read out the nominations for the Committee of Management for the forthcoming year and called for a motion to accept these. Moved by Henri Lausberg, seconded Martin Taylor and Carried.

The outgoing President was recalled to the Chair to induct Ray Galloway as President and presented him with his Chain, pin and name bar. The new President then inducted his Officers as listed at the end of this chapter. The appointments of William Bennett and Bert Patrick as Public Officer and Auditor respectively were announced and approved.

Past President and Treasurer were inducted and presented with their appropriate pins.

President Ray then addressed the meeting with his thoughts for the forthcoming year.

Special Business. It was moved, as previously announced, by the incoming Treasurer that the fees for the forthcoming year be increased to \$40. The motion was seconded by Harry Brennan and Carried.

President Ray and the Past President then cut the birthday cake.

The A.G.M. was closed at 10.15 a.m. and members took morning tea and socialised with the guests.

At 10.55 the President called the 213<sup>th</sup> General Meeting to order and welcomed the members, ladies and visitors. The visitors were Joan McClintock and Ivan Hanrahan from Mooroolbark Combined Probus Club, Betty D'Elton of Tudor Village, John Fairburn, Probus Club of Ringwood, Brenda Cawte, Lilydale Ladies Probus Club, Alistair McGregor (a Past member) from Narooma, Margaret Aitken, MOER and Clyde Aitken, Ringwood Men's Probus Club .

The Club mourned the death of Bill Warren, a Founder Member of the Club. A minute silence was observed.

It was agreed that the Club should cover the cost of 30 copies of "Probus News" for the forthcoming year.

Activities Reports.

Ray Sparkes said that the Yarra Tramboat trip was considered a great success.

Members have suggested that it be repeated one day. Ray thanked all who had helped him and wished the incoming trips organisers well for the coming year.

The President explained the confusion with tour companies over the planned Floriade trip. Panorama is now booked. Kevin Cant advised that the trip was fully booked and deposits are to be paid by the April meeting.

Keith McLennan advised

That there were vacancies for two units for the car trip to Mansfield.

Yarra Glen races 9<sup>th</sup> April.

Urban Walk to Prahran 22<sup>nd</sup> March.

Lake walk 26<sup>th</sup> April.

Christmas Lunch at the R.A.C.V. Healesville on 16<sup>th</sup> December.

MOER. Harry Brennan reported that there was nothing to report.

General Business.

A gold earring had been handed in at the March meeting.  
President Ray thanked all ladies for the plates provided for the morning tea.  
Members were reminded once again that monies for trips or fees must be given in envelopes marked with the members name, amount and what is being paid for.  
Certificates of Appreciation were presented to Kevin Robb, Alby Dowel and Ray Sparkes for their past contributions to the Club.  
Door Prize was won by Don Jones.

The 214<sup>th</sup> general meeting was opened by President Ray who welcomed members and ladies. There were no visitors on this occasion.

#### Activities Reports

Kevin Cant reported that the following trips have been put in train. Powerworks, Morwell on 23<sup>rd</sup> May, Geelong Wool Museum and Ford Discovery Centre on 27<sup>th</sup> June, Christmas in July on the 25<sup>th</sup> at Swinburne College and 22<sup>nd</sup> August lunch at the Manhattan. Kevin also advised that the itinerary for the Canberra trip had been finalised.

Doug Mackie gave a brief report on the Urban Walk(20 participants) and John Nunn did likewise on the Yarra Glen races.

Keith McLennan advised that the Lake Walk had to be postponed to the 17<sup>th</sup> May due to school activities. Keith had brought a basket of veggies and a vase of flowers to be raffled for funds for the new amplifier.

MOER Bill Molyneux reminded members of the picnic at Maroondah Reservoir on 29<sup>th</sup> April.

#### General Business

President Ray reminded members of the Trades Register and asked members to let Bruce Woodward know of tradesmen they can recommend.

Fees are now due.

The President reported on his recent trip to Norfolk Island and asked for a show of hands of those who might be interested in a club trip in the future. About 25 showed interest.

Secretary Lee asked members to collect the new membership list dated 13<sup>th</sup> March and also asked members to check that their contact details were up to date on the list at the door.

Door Prize won by Bert Patrick.

The speaker for the day, Sergeant Geoff Exton, was asked to draw the winners of the two raffles. Bill Molyneux won the veggies and Lois Husband the vase of flowers. The raffles raised \$110.

Geoff then went on to explain the role of the Major Collisions Investigation Unit and recounted some of his experiences that demonstrated that so many so-called "accidents" were almost always the result of contributory actions by those involved. His talk was cut short by being called to yet another "accident".

The May meeting was opened by President Ray who welcomed members, ladies and 5 visitors, Lindsay Duff, Keith & Meredith Quibell, John & Nancy Loutit.

The Almoner told members of the recent death of Mavis Lynch and asked members to stand for a minute in silence in her memory.

President Ray informed the meeting that a letter had been received from Clive Meaby advising that his brother Neville would no longer be able to attend meetings etc. His resignation was accepted.

#### Activities Reports.

Kevin Cant asked members to pay for the PowerWorks trip with a reminder that the coach will leave the Senior Cits at 9.00 a.m.

Members asked to put down their names for the Geelong trip on 27<sup>th</sup> July. Again the coach will leave the Senior Cits at 9.00 a.m. Also names being taken for Christmas in July.

Kevin asked members taking trips to ensure they check in before boarding the bus. Canberra payment is required at the August meeting.

Keith McLennan reminded all that the Lake Walk and BBQ would be on the 17<sup>th</sup> May. Graeme West gave a report on the Mansfield Car trip. It was his first and he thanked Keith and his team for a great trip. Lex Lillie endorsed Graeme's remarks and mentioned particularly the Cherry tree Glee Club for their performance.

MOER – Nothing to report except that 20 members and partners had attended the picnic day and it had been a good opportunity to meet members of other ProBus Clubs.

Keith & Evelyn McLennan and Jack & Aileen Coffey were asked to come forward where Alby Dowell thanked each of them for their ongoing contribution, time and effort for the Club. The President then presented Keith & Jack with a plaque as a token of appreciation.

General Business

Secretary Lee asked members to check that their entry in the contacts book was correct.

The Secretary reported on the contents of a document from ProBus Centre regarding the levels of insurance offered through Probus.

The door prize was won by Fred Pate.

President Ray thanked Kevin & Betty Izzard for dealing with morning tea in the absence of Keith Taylor.

The speaker for the day was Denise Garratt. Denise is the Director of Help for Wildlife. She spoke on the work of the organisation and told of the experiences of the volunteers and of the high degree of dedication and even personal risk involved.

The June meeting was opened by the President who welcomed members, ladies and 3 visitors Keith Quibell and John & Nancy Loutit.

Activities Reports.

Don Jones was asked to report on the trip to PowerWorks. Don said the day had been very enjoyable and the tour of the open cut mine impressive and educational. Kevin Cant apologised to members that the coach was late but hoped the tea in china cups plus fruit cake compensated.

Geelong tour. Places still available and money awaited.

Names being taken for Christmas in July and Manhattan lunches.

Keith McLennan advised that the Lake Walk attracted 28 members notwithstanding the poor weather.

The car trip for 2003 will be to Bendigo and staying at the Bendigo Budget Oval Motel from 28<sup>th</sup> April to 2<sup>nd</sup> May.

MOER Bill Molyneux reported on the information day where surveys were done. The results were not yet available.

He mentioned that the Spring lunch would be held at the Tatra Hut Restaurant on the 30<sup>th</sup> October and that tickets must be pre-purchased.

General Business.

The President advised that the Committee was investigating alternative arrangements for the P.A. System and asked for a show of hands of all those who use hearing aids.

A raffle would be held after morning tea.

The Secretary reminded members that the membership list is a confidential document and that care should be taken as to who may see it.

John Dineen won the door prize.

The raffle winners were William Bennett, Ray Galloway, Keith McLennan, Lex Lillie & Dorothy Cant. Dorothy declined to accept her prize of a rug which was then won by Ken Brooks.

Geoff Rowe, the speaker today, talked on the issues facing the management team of the Australian Track & Field Athletes. These included the difficulties of day to day life in the athletes village. He cited some of the idiosyncrasies of our athletes.

July saw the attendance of 49 members, 24 ladies and visitors Keith & Meredith Quibell, John & Nancy Loutit, Viv Watts & Lindsay Duff.

Resident Ray inducted Keith Quibell and John Loutit and welcomed Meredith and Nancy. Our new members both gave a brief resume of their careers, both as it happens, in Engineering.

Activities Report.

Doug Mackie gave a report back on the Geelong bus trip and said that he found the Wool Museum surprisingly interesting. This was followed by a visit to Smorgies where members were given an insight into some of the customs of the Muslim faith. Doug also advised that parking at Swinburne is difficult. He suggested a car pool to ease the problem.

Kevin Cant reminded members that payment for the Manhattan lunch, the Ventura Bus Depot trip and Canberra are now due. In relation to Canberra, members are asked to complete forms where they have special needs and sleeping arrangements. MOER. Nothing to report.

General Business.

Members are asked to ensure their emergency information forms were up to date. New forms are available if needed.

Two special anniversaries were noted for the month. First - Arthur Coster will be 93 on the 30<sup>th</sup>. Second - Ken & Heather Brooks celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

Door Prize was won by Bernie Burgi.

The speaker to-day received a special thankyou for coming at such short notice. Gabriella Byrne spoke of her experiences as a poker machine addict and her struggle to overcome this. She referred also to the effect on her family. She told of her attempt to establish a place where those in need could go for social support.

On the 8<sup>th</sup> August the President opened the 218<sup>th</sup> general meeting and welcomed 40 members and 28 ladies. There were no visitors.

Keith McLennan paid tribute to past members Jack Keefe (aged 98) and Jack Mackay (aged 90) both of whom had recently passed away. Henri Lausberg paid tribute to Arthur Allen who had also recently passed on. President Ray asked members to stand in silence for a few moments as a mark of respect.

Activities Report.

The Christmas in July lunch had been enjoyed even though the standard was not altogether satisfactory. Doug & Marion Mackie were thanked for organising the event.

Members were asked to put down their names for the Manhattan lunch on 22nd August, the Ventura trip on the 24<sup>th</sup> October & Werribee on the 25<sup>th</sup> November. There are two vacancies for Canberra. John Nunn is coordinating whilst Kevin is away.

MOER. Next meeting is next week so Bill can report in September.

General Business.

Secretary Lee has had advice from Probus Centre that it is necessary for the Management Committee to adopt new application and consent forms to comply with the provisions of the Privacy Act. Members will receive copies of the new forms with their news letter and were asked to return them as soon as possible.

Keith McLennan and David Watson were thanked for investigating the requirements for the new forms and Len Buckman for the new personal emergency forms.

Bert Walker proposed, seconded John Nunn, that surviving Foundation members be awarded a suitable badge to commemorate the Club's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Carried.

The President advised that the Committee is working on ideas to celebrate this milestone.

Lex Lillie drew the Door Prize on Lex Lillie's birthday and it was won by Lex Lillie. The speaker was Susan Lawrence who spoke on her research into the life of miners and their families on the Dolly's Creek Gold Fields. Susan held a little quiz for members asking them to guess her nationality. She revealed at the end of her talk that she was a Canadian. Several members had guessed correctly.

The Minutes of the 219<sup>th</sup> General Meeting are slightly confused as to the date on which the meeting was actually took place. It was either the 12<sup>th</sup> or 13<sup>th</sup>. For our purposes the date is really irrelevant when compared with the fellowship on whichever day it was. The President welcomed guests Sue Thomas, Alan & Josie Littler and Bob Holt.

Almoner Doug reported on the "sickies" and on the passing of Mary Hanson. Members stood to observe a few moments silence in her memory. Keith McLennan in a brief tribute to Mary, said that she was a gracious lady who, with Bert, had been on all the car trips and active in all Club activities.

Activities Reports.

John Nunn advised that all was in place for Canberra.

Members were told that the Ventura Bus Depot was oversubscribed and John Dineen said that those who paid first would be assured of a seat.

Places are still available for Werribee.

Christmas Lunch at the R.A.C.V. Healesville will be costing \$24 per head and must be paid at the December meeting at the latest.

The Yarra Glen Race Day will be 6<sup>th</sup> May 2003.

MOER. Nothing to report.

General Business.

It was recommended that members read the section "Management Matters" in Probus News as it often contains matters of importance to the running of our Club. Keith McLennan gave Notice of a Motion that he would move at the October meeting. "That the proposed Draft 2 be amended in accordance with advice from Probus Centre- South Pacific Inc as follows-

Rule 7(1)(1) fine that member an amount not to exceed \$500; or

**Delete**

Rule 4(14) ....The subscription shall include such capitation fee and insurance contribution as may be required by Probus Centre – South Pacific"

**Amend to**

....The subscription shall include such insurance and capitation fees and other contributions as may be required by Probus Centre – South Pacific Inc" Kevin Robb asked if the fact that the Club holds an ABN number had any implication on incorporation. The Secretary said that he would investigate the matter.

Door Prize – Winner Con Kleinsmit.

The September speaker was Lucas Drew. Lucas, a paramedic with both Ambulance Services Melbourne and St John Ambulance, told of his commitment and determination to go to East Timor to work for the U.N. He recounted the problems encountered with the U.N. bureaucracy. He also talked of his experience working as an ambulance officer in an environment where support was gained by good will and resources in scant supply.

50 Members, 36 Ladies and guests Connie White and Bob & Dorothy Holt were welcomed to the October meeting by President Ray.

Following up on the question at the September Meeting Secretary Lee advised members that there are no adverse implications for Incorporated Clubs that have an ABN Number. Enquiries with the ATO were continuing.

Activities Reports.

Notwithstanding the accommodation problems Kevin Cant advised that the Canberra trip had been enjoyable. Keith Quibell did the report-back and described, briefly the various activities.

Ventura Bus trip was fully booked and paid for with departure at 9.00 a.m.

Werribee had a couple of vacancies.

Keith McLennan reported that there were still vacancies for the 2003 Car Trip.

Lake Walk will be on 22<sup>nd</sup> November, Urban Walk to Moonee Ponds on 11<sup>th</sup> April 2003 .

MOER No report

As foreshadowed in the September Meeting Keith McLennan moved changes to the Rules. Seconded by Harry Brennan and Carried.

On a show of hands it was noted that there was no requirement for members each to receive a copy of the rules when approved by the Dept of Justice. It was suggested that a minimum number of copies be printed to be available to members on request.

General Business

The President reminded members that name badges should be worn at all official functions.

Secretary Lee thanked all who had returned contact forms and asked that all outstanding forms be give to him a.s.a.p

Members were reminded to sign the attendance register on arrival before each meeting.

A card was presented to Alf Morgan in recognition of his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. Alf thanked members.

Door Prize was won by Graeme West.

The raffle of golf balls raised \$77, the lucky winner was Stan Pickersgill

Barry Dempsey was the speaker for the day. Barry had experienced living in Calcutta. He spoke of the difficulties in learning to live in a very different culture and in a society that is generally considered to be under-privileged with few of the amenities and luxuries to which we are accustomed.

The President, Ray, opened the 221<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Club at 9.30 a.m. on the 14<sup>th</sup> November and welcomed members, ladies and visitors, Bob Holt, Harry Dray and John Auld.

Secretary Lee had confirmation from the ATO that there were no adverse implications regarding incorporated Clubs having an ABN.

Bert Milgate was called upon by the President to move that Rex Wyatt be inducted as a Life Member. Bert spoke of his various roles on the committee and support of the Club activities. Alby Dowell seconded the motion which was Carried. President Ray then presented Rex with a plaque, life member pin and name badge.

Keith McLennan then moved that Lex Lillie also be inducted as a Life Member and summarised Lex' contribution to the Club from its inception. Harry Brennan seconded the motion which was Carried

The President then presented Lex with his plaque, life member pin and name badge. He also thanked Peg and Connie for all their support of the Club.

Activities Reports

Laurie Bolton reported on the Ventura Bus Depots trip and commented on the impressive organisation involved in keeping a large fleet in good order and cleanliness.

Kevin Cant advised that there were still 14 vacancies for Werribee and is taking names for the February mystery trip.

Keith McLennan advised that the car trip is fully booked and asked participants to get busy with writing Limericks and for the Julie & Willie Competition.

With regard to the Christmas lunch Keith McLennan advised as follows- Drinks in the Lounge at Noon for lunch at 12.30.

Dress smart casual

Table Numbers will be called for the first course to avoid congestion.

Money to be given to Lex Lillie no later than the December meeting.

MOER. Harry Brennan reported that the 10<sup>th</sup> February 2003 would be his last as President. Annual picnic at Maroondah Dam on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2003 and Spring Luncheon on 29<sup>th</sup> October 2003.

General Business. William Bennett told members that Rotary cakes and puddings were available at a cost of \$11, one dollar of which goes to Club funds.

Kevin Robb won the door prize.

Sue Barkway gave an interesting and entertaining talk on living in Greenland when she was a young bride. Especially she spoke of the difficulties of obtaining supplies where everything had to be imported.

The last meeting for 2002 was held on the 12<sup>th</sup> December. The President welcomed 47 members, 34 Ladies and Bob Holt and John & June Auld as guests.

Bob Holt was inducted by President Ray. Bob apologised for the absence of his wife Dorothy saying that she was minding grandchildren. Bob thanked the Club for the honour of allowing him to become a member.

Almoner Doug asked members to stand for a minute to remember Peter Husband, who had fought long and hard in his last illness.

The Club accepted with regret the resignation of Jack Cockroft.

Activities Reports.

Kevin apologised that the time at Werribee Mansion had been reduced.

Members were advised that the food for the January BBQ is free to members with a \$10 for visitors. Members to bring own drinks, chairs tables etc.

He reminded members of the mystery tour in February and was taking names.

Lex Lillie advised that 96 will attending the lunch at the R.A.C.V.

MOER.

Bill Molyneux talked of the situation regarding ambulance cover when travelling interstate.

General Business.

The President advised that the Heritage Hotel offer would be raffled at the January meeting.

William Bennett asked that all cakes and puddings be collected to-day.

Beth Taylor has offered a plate to be raffled today.

Lex Lillie won the door prize again!!!

Fred Harding introduced the speaker, his daughter Lisa Mitteff. Lisa is a specialist palliative care nurse. She works with Eastern Region Palliative Care Services and was Joint Outstanding Nurse for the year 2001. She spoke of her experiences and explained the range of services offered and of some of the misconceptions about palliative care.

Lisa was asked to draw the winner of the raffle which was won by Lorraine Dineen.

The raffle raised \$163.

President Ray welcomed 54 members, 46 ladies and two visitors, Baden Chadwick and Bruce Wadeson to the meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2003.

Activities Reports.

Kevin gave details of the trip to Lorne on 27<sup>th</sup> March at a cost of \$35 per head.

Brian Walsh commented on the good meal, better company and a pleasant venue for the Christmas Lunch

MOER.

As so often, nothing to report.

General Business.

Secretary Lee reminded members that nominations for 2003/4 needed to be in his hands by no later than the 6<sup>th</sup> March.

John Nunn recommended concerts held at Cherry Tree Village.  
Martin Taylor won the door prize.  
As usual in January there was no Speaker due to the BBQ lunch.

President Ray's last full meeting took place on the 13<sup>th</sup> February when he welcomed 50 members, 36 Ladies and two visitors, namely John Auld and Janice Ashmore. The President inducted John Auld and welcomed him as a new member. John said he was looking forward to joining in Club activities.

Activities Reports.

Kevin reported that money for the mystery trip was still awaited from some of the 36 participants.

Lorne now has a waiting list.

David Watson indicated that the trips programme for 2003/4 was almost finalised and will be published after confirmation of some of the dates. The annual bus trip will be to Mount Gambier from the 20<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> October at a cost of \$440 p.c.. Deposits will be required at the June meeting.

The April activity will be lunch at the Manhattan on the 24<sup>th</sup>.

Keith McLennan reminded members that car trips are not "timed rallies" but rather sedate drive with no pressure and time to enjoy the scenery.

MOER.

Bill Molyneux reported that there was a meeting and AGM on 10<sup>th</sup> February at which Harry Brennan had stepped down from the President's role but will continue as the Club's delegate.

MOER activities include:

Picnic Day at Maroondah Dam – 31<sup>st</sup> March

Information Day in May.

Annual Lunch at R.A.C.V. Healesville on 29<sup>th</sup> October.

Notice Of Motion.

Secretary Lee gave notice of a Motion to be put at the March general meeting "that the Club adopt the following By-laws-

1. Membership

Membership shall be limited to sixty(60) active members not including life or honorary members.

2. Fees.

Shall be-

Joining fee - \$25.00

Annual Subscription - \$40.00.

3. Meetings.

(a) General meetings shall be held on the second Thursday of each month unless the committee of management agrees that circumstances deem otherwise.

(b) Committee meetings shall be held as determined by the President and agreed by the committee of management.

4. Rules.

A copy of the Rules of the club shall be made available to active or life members on request.

5. Amendments.

These By-laws may be amended at a general meeting of the Club, a quorum being present, by the affirmative vote of not less than three-quarters of the members present voting, notice of such proposed amendment having been published to all members at least 21 days before such meeting.

General Business.

Members asked to bring a plate to the March AGM.

The Club's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary will be celebrated with a lunch at the Kilsyth Club at a date to be advised..

William Bennett won the door prize.

The Speakers today were June Pickering of Ashmore & James Travel and Malcolm Reed of Young At Heart Holidays who both spoke on Norfolk Island which will be the subject of a Club Trip in May.

June kindly drew the raffle for two nights at the Heritage Hotel. This was won by Hugh Macaulay. The raffle raised \$110.

### 2002 – 2003 Office Bearers.

Office	Bearer
President	Ray Galloway
Vice President	Alby Dowel
Secretary	Lee Brooker
Treasurer	John Nunn
Committee	Keith Taylor
Committee	Laurie Bolton
Committee	Harry Brennan
Committee	David Watson
Activities	Kevin Cant/ Ted Brookes/ Doug Mackie/ James Ellis
Almoner	Doug Lewis
Speakers	Martin Taylor/ Les Wanstall
Newsletter	Len Buckman
Newsletter Distribution	Brian Walsh
Trips	Keith McLennan/ Lex Lilley/Jack Coffey/ Ray Galloway
Catering	Keith Taylor/ Kevin Izzard/ Ted Brookes
Public Officer	William Bennett
Auditor	Bert Patrick
Assistant Secretary	Bill Molyneux
Trades Register	Bruce Woodward
Club History	Bill Molyneux
Tea Roster	Alby Dowel
Welcoming Officer	Dennis Lawson/ David Watson/ John Dineen
MOER Delegate	Bill Molyneux
Public Officer	William Bennett
Auditor	Bert Patrick

### 2002 – 2003 Attendance.

Month.	Members.	Ladies.	Visitors.	Apologies.
March	50	33	8	18
April	52	37	0	14
May	51	39	5	7
June	51	31	3	16
July	49	24	6	23
August	40	28	0	28
September	43	20	4	28
October	50	36	3	18
November	48	39	3	13
December	47	3	3	18
January	54	46	2	10
February	50	36	2	12

### 2002 – 2003 Outings and Trips.

Date	Details
22 <sup>nd</sup> March	City Walk to Prahran
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Smorgasbord lunch at Manhattan.
9 <sup>th</sup> April	Yarra Glen Race Day
15 <sup>th</sup> to 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Mansfield.
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Lake Walk & BBQ
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Powerworks in Morwell
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Geelong Wool Museum & Ford Discovery Centre
25 <sup>th</sup> July	Christmas in July Lunch at Swinburne College of TAFE
22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Lunch at Manhattan
23 <sup>rd</sup> to 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Floriade at Canberra
24 <sup>th</sup> October	Visit to Ventura Bus Depot
22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Lillydale Lake Walk
25 <sup>th</sup> November	Visit to Werribee Mansion
16 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Lunch at R.A.C.V. Healesville
9 <sup>th</sup> January 2003	BBQ at Lillydale Lake
27 <sup>th</sup> February	Mystery Trip

### 2002 – 2003 Guest Speakers

Meeting Number.	Date.	Speaker.	Subject.
214	13 <sup>th</sup> April	Sergeant Geoff Exton	Role of Major Collisions Investigative Unit
215	9 <sup>th</sup> May	Denise Garratt	Efforts of volunteers of Help for Wildlife
216	13 <sup>th</sup> June	Geoff Rowe	Managing Australia's Track & Field Athletes
217	11 <sup>th</sup> July	Gabriella Byrne	Recovery from Poker Machine addiction
218	8 <sup>th</sup> August	Susan Lawrence	Life of Miners at Dolly's Creek Goldfields
219	12 <sup>th</sup> or 13 <sup>th</sup> August	Lucas Drew	Paramedic in East Timor and elsewhere
220	10 <sup>th</sup> October	Barry Dempsey	Living & Working in Calcutta
221	14 <sup>th</sup> November	Sue Barkway	Living in Greenland
222	12 <sup>th</sup> December	Lisa Mitteff	Palliative Care Nursing
223	13 <sup>th</sup> February	June Pickering & Malcolm Reed	Norfolk Island

### 2002 – 2003 New Members.

Date.	Member.	Partner.
11 <sup>th</sup> July	John Loutit	Nancy
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Keith Quibell	Meredith
12 <sup>th</sup> December	Bob Holt	Dorothy
13 <sup>th</sup> February	John Auld	June

### 2002 – 2003 Resignations.

Name	Position(s) Held	Dates of Membership
Jack Cockroft	Almoner, Treasurer, Vice President, President and Past President	13/04/1995 – 05/12/2002
Neville Meaby		13/04/1989 – 09/05/2002
Bert Hanson		08/08/1996 – 30/10/2002

### 2002 – 2003 Bereavements.

Name.	Position(s) Held.	Dates of Membership.
Jack Keefe (age 98)		14/02/1991 – 08/03/2001
Jack Mackay (age 90)	Treasurer	12/09/1985 – 10/02/2000.
Arthur Allen		12/02/1998 – 25/07/2002
Bill Warren	Foundation Member	02/06/1983 – 19/02/2002
Mavis Lynch		
Mary Hanson		
Peter Husband		25/05/2000 – 25/11/2002