



The Beacon



Newsletter of the Brighton PROBUS Club

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Hello everyone. I am writing this after clearing snow again. However, I do feel the golf season creeping up slowly. I think I will focus on that.

I have a few things to comment on and to ask of members in this edition. As you know we have a new Treasurer, Jim Kovacs. I would like to welcome him to the management committee and of course thank Bob Brearley for his work on our behalf.

Also, Rose Ellery has asked me to remind the person who borrowed her Joke bag a little while back that she would love to have it back. If you borrowed it or know where it is please contact Rose. She can't remember who because she was busy with a party at the time.

Now to what our club needs...

We need someone to step up as a future Vice President. The earlier the better since the sooner a candidate gets in place, the easier a transition will be in September. If you have been thinking about it, please do it now.

We also need a new co-chair for the social committee, as Joyce Hubel is stepping away from the role. A very important job, and we need someone to fill it.

Finally, we need someone to coordinate the golf program this season. Courses have been contacted and booked, so it is not at all a difficult task. Please come forward and let an MC member know.

Regards,

Ian

P.S... Doing nothing is hard... You never know when you are done!

PROBUS SOCIAL NEWS

Wednesday, March 25, 2020 – Social day with games etc.



Wednesday, April 8, 2020 - Anniversary meeting. A special day incurring no extra expense.

Sunday, May 3, 2020 – Dinner Theatre with bus to see musical “Honky Tonk Angels”* at the Best Western, Cobourg. Time 7:00pm, Cost \$85 per person. Twenty seats available on mini coach – we will be asking for a show of hands and a sign up sheet will be available at today's meeting.

**More info about this show on Community Events page and at the meeting.*

July 2020 – Pot Luck picnic in Proctor Park.

PROGRAM

TODAY - Wednesday, February 26, 2020

Professor Mark Rector - “Oh Canada! Our Home And Inventive Land”.

Wednesday, March 11, 2020 – Sean Mallen - "Falling for London - A Cautionary Tale" (*A hilarious, touching and globe-trotting look inside the life of a foreign correspondent*).

BRIGHTON PROBUS INTEREST GROUPS

Bid Euchre

Marilyn Cowbrough 613-475-1566
Every 2nd and 4th Monday at 1:30pm at *The Beacon*.

The Golden Girls

Betty McGill-Down 613-475-0999
1st Wednesday of each month at 2:00-4:00pm.

Scrabble Club (*New members welcome*)

*Shirley Coveney** 613-475-9219
1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month.
*until further notice.

Bridge Group

Shirley Coveney 613-475-9219
Play is 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month from 1:00-4:00pm at the Brighton Public Library.
New couples or singles are welcome.

Single Diners* (*New members welcome. Must be single and a member of the Brighton PROBUS Club.*)

Please contact *Helen Anthony* 613-475-1304 or *Marion McIlveen* 613-475-2202 if you are interested in joining the group for a social time and a meal.

Please note that if you do not attend at least one outing in six months we will no longer call you. Exception: sickness or extended vacation.

5-Pin Bowling

Cheryl Langevin 613-475-9967
1st and 3rd Thursday every month at 1:30pm at Presqu'ile Lanes – please show up at 1:15pm. Cost \$11 and shoe rental \$2.
Hold the date April 27, 2020 for the annual bowling tournament.



Bowlers Dave, Linda, Cheryl, Louise, Paul, Janice, Bob and Marilyn enjoyed Glow Bowling in Cobourg. Thanks to Joan Stainton for the gift card.

Brighton Digital Archives

If you missed the presentation on Wednesday, February 12, you might like to check out their collections at:

<http://vitacollections.ca/brightonarchives>

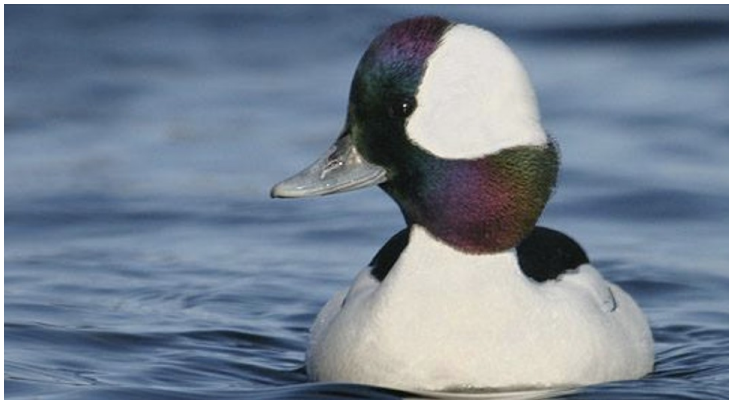
Honky Tonk Angels is a foot-stompin' musical about three women from diverse backgrounds who follow their dreams and meet on a Greyhound bus bound for Nashville, where they form a country girl group — Tammy Wynette's "Stand by Your Man," Loretta Lynn's "Coal Miner's Daughter" and Dolly Parton's "9 to 5" are just some of the hits threaded into this story. Complete with country band this show is going to take the Best Western by storm!

COMMUNITY EVENTS

If you have a community event that you wish to be announced at PROBUS meetings, please contact Dot ahead of time at 475-3000.

FOR LOCAL EVENTS, CHECK OUT:



<https://www.brightontoday.ca/brighton-local-events>



Presqu'ile Waterfowl Weekend

March 21 @ 8:30 AM - March 22 @ 5:30 PM

March 2020

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1	2	3 Scrabble 2pm	4 <i>Golden Girls</i> 2:00-4:00pm	5 5-pin Bowling 1:15pm	6	7
8	9 Bid Euchre 1:30pm	10	11 PROBUS General Meeting 10:00am <i>Sean Mallen - "Falling for London - A Cautionary Tale"</i>	12 Bridge 1:00-4:00pm	13	14
15	16 Scrabble on the 17 th 		18	19 5-pin Bowling 1:15pm	20	21
22	23 Bid Euchre 1:30pm	24	25 PROBUS General Meeting 10:00am <i>Games Day</i>	26 Bridge 1:00-4:00pm	27	28
29	30	31				