



The Beacon



Newsletter of the Brighton PROBUS Club

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As most of you know, the Brighton PROBUS Club entered a team of “ancient mariners” in the Dragon Boat races Saturday. We “sallied forth” (actually we came a bit lower in the standings than fourth) but acquitted ourselves well, losing a couple of hard fought races by hundreds of a second. To honour this battle against crews decades younger, I offer the following

When will their glory fade?

O the wild chase they made.

Their gallant show: pristine...

Honour the row they made!

Honour the whole Brigade,

Noble, brave eighteen (plus a couple of ringers).

Apologies to Alfred, Lord Tennyson.

Continuing in a nautical theme, our Social Committee, led by Phyllis Allison (as Bill recuperates) ran a flawless trip to Peterborough for a memorable boat cruise through the canal and up and over the lift lock. Nothing like a cruise ship displacing in excess of 100 tons being navigated into a steel bathtub and lifted 20 meters using nothing but the weight of water.

Next up is the annual picnic at *Timberhouse* Wednesday, July 13th. Bill and his committee have organized an outstanding afternoon featuring hot dogs, hamburgers etc., and entertainment, all for a pittance - \$10 per person (one of the last great bargains). If you have not signed up, be aware that time is running out. Get your tickets at the meeting this Wednesday.

Speaking of time, the term of your current executive is rapidly approaching its conclusion. There are still openings for you to volunteer to help guide the Club through the next exciting year. Ian Douglas will be available to you at the Wednesday meeting with details of the functions of the various committees. Come onboard. Help us have another banner year.

Ken



PROBUS SOCIAL NEWS

Wednesday, July 13, 2016 - Annual Picnic at Timberhouse – 2:00-6:00pm. \$10 per person includes BBQ supper and an afternoon of fun and games, including card games, bocceball, scrabble, bridge and dominoes. Swimming pool available. *Last chance today to get your ticket!*

Sunday, August 14, 2016 – *Mama Mia* at The Capitol Theatre, Port Hope with lunch at the Railside Restaurant. \$55 per person. Tickets are still available.

September, 2016 – Applefest Parade

October, 2016 – *Car Rally*

November 18, 2016 – Loyalist Lunch \$20.00 per person (50 tickets reserved)

November 25, 2016 – Loyalist Lunch \$20.00 per person (25 tickets reserved)

PROGRAM

TODAY
Wednesday, June 22, 2016
Adaptive Sailing

Wednesday, July 27, 2016 – Hiking the Pilgrim Trails with member Joan Selwood

BRIGHTON PROBUS INTEREST GROUPS

Bid Euchre

Please note that Bid Euchre will resume in September.

The Golden Girls

Play will resume on Wednesday, September 7, 2016.!

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.

A NUMBER OF VOLUNTEER
POSITIONS ARE STILL AVAILABLE
FOR THE 2016/17 YEAR. PLEASE
CONSIDER HELPING OUT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
TALK TO IAN, KEN OR SHEILA.
THANK YOU!

MORE HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!

ATTACHED PLEASE FIND MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM FOR 2016/17

COMMUNITY EVENTS

If you have a community event that you wish to be announced at PROBUS meetings, please contact Rose ahead of time at 475-2665.


Concerts in the Park 2016	
Wednesdays in July & August	
6:30 – 8:30pm	
July 6	Cruisin' (50s & 60s Rock & Roll)
July 13	The Whaley Boys (Bluegrass)
July 27	Brighton Citizen's Band
August 3	Ian Roy (Hits of 50s 60s 70s)
August 10	Gord Magee & The Blue Sky Fliers (Country/Irish & Bluegrass)
August 24	Fiddle Earth (Folk, Celtic & Country)
August 31	Tune Your Ride (Bicycle powered music)



Salem Heritage United Church
Strawberry Supper
Wednesday, June 22, 2016
Continuous sittings 5-7pm
Adults \$13 or 2 for \$25
Ages 6-12 \$5
Call Gwen 475-0105



July 2016

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
						
3	4	5	6	7 Golf 10:00am Salt Creek Links	8	9
10	11	12	13 Annual Picnic Timberhouse 2-6pm	14 Golf 10:00am Shelter Valley Pines	15	16
17	18	19	20 Golf 10:00am Pine Ridge	21 Management Meeting 9:30am	22	23
24/31	25	26	27 PROBUS General Meeting 10:00am Pilgrim Trails with Joan Selwood	28 Golf 10:00am Warkworth GC	29	30