THE PROBUS CLUB OF CHRISTCHURCH



Club Meeting Minutes

Location: Christchurch Harbour Hotel, Waterford Suite

Date: Tuesday 5th December 2023

Time: 10.45am

1. The President welcomed the members.

- **2. Ken Anderton to be inducted into membership** (did not turn up, arrived for the lunch so was not inducted)
- 3. John Davies was inducted into membership today. John gave a short summary of his life.

4. Mike Harrold

Is our Steward from today and going forward.

5. Welfare Report.

CP

Cliff also informed us Pat long's daughter had died and has sent condolences.

Chris Mosley's grandson has died. Chris thanked everyone for their concern and sympathy.

Chris Taylor has now been moved to Highcliffe Nursing Home, Stuart Road. Chris is of sound mind but has many physical difficulties.

Anyone can visit him and would be most welcome.

6. Social Secretaries Report

KR/KP

Coffee Morning at Stewarts, Thursday 23rd November 2023. A good social event well attended.

Future Events:

- a) Christmas lunch The Miramar Hotel has been booked for Wednesday 13th December 2023, Booked for 60 people on 6 tables of ten.
 - The Diamond Divas have been booked for the Christmas Lunch.
- b) Coffee Morning The Cliffhanger Thursday 18th January 2024
- c) The Presidents Lunch The Lord Bute Thursday 22nd February 2024 will change from just selecting from the menu on the day to our normal procedure of selecting the menu choices beforehand.
- d) Skittles The Conservative Club, New Milton Thursday 21st March 2024 Note our AGM will be Tuesday 5th March 2024.

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7. Treasurer's Report

We are on target set by our Independent Examiner to be 10% of turnover to approximately £2700.00. The fee set by the Hotel will increase by 50p to £24.50. The fee charged to the members would increase to £28.00. The subs to increase to £20.00. All increases to be from March 2024 (AGM).

8. Dining Secretary Report

CP

37 dining today reduced to 36, table seating by the number of characters. In your common name.

Mains

- 1. Chicken Breast with potatoes and mushrooms
- 2. Poached fillet of Sea Bream with potatoes and vegetables
- 3. Christmas lunch, slices of turkey and all the trimmings.
- 4. Mushroom and lentil nut roast with all the trimmings (V)

Desserts

- 1. Christmas Pudding with brandy custard
- 2. Fruit Salad (No Grapefruit)
- 3. Ice Cream

9. A.O.B.

10. Next Meeting

Location: Christchurch Harbour Hotel, Waterford Suite

Date: Tuesday 2nd January 2024

11. Speaker: 11.00 – 12.00

Name: Ken Fowler

Topic: The Yodare Sailing Challenge

Steward: Mike Harrold
Vote of Thanks: David Sutcliffe