## THE PROBUS CLUB OF CHRISTCHURCH



# **Club Meeting Minutes**

**Location:** Christchurch Harbour Hotel, Waterford Suite

**Date:** Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2023

**Time:** 10.45am

#### 1. The President welcomed the members.

**2. Ed Abley was to be inducted.** He sends his apologies' as he has just had a cataract operation.

### 3. Welfare Report.

CP

Cliff gave the members an update on members' health.

Cliff has received a very nice letter from Annie Smith, thanking Probus for the offer of Associate member but has declined saying it was more Richard's club.

Pam Marshall has breathing problems hence Davis Marshall is unable to attend.

Keith Ades has damaged his good hand but is now recovering.

John Wright is having respite care.

Mike Penn has a new girlfriend but complains at having to share her.

#### 4. Members Photographs published.

Roy has produced all the members photographs on an A4 photographic sheet folded in half. On this sheet is also printed the Password for the website. So as not to leave any lying around Members were asked to collect one from Maurice.

Roy was thanked for his efforts and achievement as it was a lot of work. **MD** 

## 5. Social Secretaries Report

KR/KP

Tour of Regent Centre - Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July It was very interesting. Enjoyed by all.

#### **Future Events:**

- a) Wilverly Plain in the new Forest picnic at 12.00pm on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August
- b) Lunch in The Globe Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September Flyer to be sent out soon.
- President's weekend Away, Warners, Bembridge, IOW.
  6<sup>th</sup> October to 9<sup>th</sup> October.
- d) Quiz night The Masonic Lodge Mudeford, Saturday 21st October
- e) Coffee Morning at Stewarts, Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November
- f) Christmas lunch the Lord Bute has been booked for Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December,

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- g) Coffee Morning The Cliffhanger Thursday 18th January 2024
- h) The Presidents Lunch The Lord Bute Thursday 22nd February 2024
- i) Skittles The Conservative Club, New Milton Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2024
  Note our AGM will be Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024

## 6. Spare Copies of Bio's available

GG

Graeme informed members that spare bio's were available. To be picked up from a side table.

## 7. Dining Secretary Report

DB

A greater choice of vegetables has been added.

#### **Mains**

- 1. Chicken Breast with potatoes and mushrooms
- 2. poached fillet of Sea Bream with potatoes and vegetables
- 3. Pork fillet with Roquefort cheese sauce.
- 4. Slow cooked Celeriac, herb crust, crushed potatoes, peas, warm tartare sauce.

#### **Desserts**

- 1. Summer pudding with clotted cream
- 2. Fruit Salad (No Grapefruit)
- 3. Ice Cream

#### 8. A.O.B.

## 9. Next Meeting

Location: Christchurch Harbour Hotel, Waterford Suite

Date: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023

## **10. Speaker:** 11.00 – 12.00

Name: Kevin Patience

Topic: The Man Who Never Was

Steward: Les Denmead Vote of Thanks: John Jordan