



# The Beacon



## Newsletter of the Brighton Probus Club

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### President's Message

#### The Local Scene:

A copy of the approved, up-dated Bylaws accompanies your newsletter this month via e-mail or hard copy. Please file it in a safe place for future reference.

As per our usual format, only one General Membership meeting a month will be held during July and August. Dates for these meetings will be Wednesday, July 12, 2006 and Wednesday, August 9, 2006.

#### Special Proposal for Members:

Your club, The Probus Club of Brighton, offers opportunities for you to achieve experience, notoriety, satisfaction and accolades. These opportunities are of a high calibre at the Management Level, where on-the-job-training by experienced personnel will assist you to become knowledgeable in your chosen field.

Options at this point of time are: Vice President, Secretary, Membership Chair, Social Events Chair, Program Chair, Newsletter Editor/Publisher, House Chair, and Committee Associates.

Your Probus Club will become a vital and dynamic organization that will benefit all its members as you progress to the zenith of your chosen position.

Please indicate your intention to be an active participant to Bob McMurdy, 475-4756.

**YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU!**

#### Food for Thought: Just for You

Count your garden by the flowers,  
Never by the leaves that fall;  
Count your days by sunny hours  
Not remembering clouds at all.  
Count your nights by stars, not shadows,  
Count your life with smiles, not tears;  
And when your life has reached its autumn  
Count your age by friends, not years.

*(Author Unknown)*

Probus allows us the opportunity to have a multitude of "FRIENDS". Let's help Probus to remain that vital and dynamic club we enjoy!

*Bernie Rosebush*

## **Social Dates to mark in your Calendar:**

As Social Events Chairperson I would like to take this opportunity to thank Jean & Cy Peister for doing a terrific job of planning our trip to Ottawa. It was most enjoyable and everything went smoothly. Even the weather co-operated.

*Doreen King*

### **Friday, May 26, 2006**

#### **OUT-TO-LUNCH-BUNCH**

Enjoy lunch with other members at the Mill Restaurant, 990 Ontario Street at the corner of Elgin and Ontario in Cobourg (beside the golf course).

Meet you there at 12 noon.

Order from menu.

Sign-up sheet available at the May 24<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Contact: *Marg Henderson 475-5931*  
*Liz Hendry 475-8805*

### **Wednesday, May 31, 2006**

#### **GOLF**

Location: Shelter Valley Pines

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Cost: \$10.00 walking \$24.50  
riding (2 to a cart)

Lunch at the Club House.

Contact: *Keith Stainton 475-0496*

### **Wednesday, June 7, 2006**

#### **GOLF**

Location: Salt Creek Golf Club

Time: 9:50 a.m.

Cost: \$13.00 walking \$19.00  
riding (2 to a cart)

Lunch: \$6.00 per person BBQ

Contact: *Keith Stainton 475-0496*

### **Friday, June 9, 2006**

#### **DINNER AT THE CAT 'N' FIDDLE**

38 Covert Street, Cobourg.

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Show at Victoria Hall

Time: 8:00 p.m.

#### **SOLD OUT**

Contact: *Dorothy Miller 475-9503*

### **Wednesday, June 21, 2006**

#### **GOLF**

Location: Warkworth Golf Club

Time: 9:45 a.m.

Cost: \$20.00 walking \$35.00 riding  
(2 to a cart)

Lunch at the Club House

Contact: *Keith Stainton 475-0496*

### **Thursday, July 20, 2006**

#### **BRIGHTON PROBUS PICNIC**

Location: Proctor Park

Time: 3:00 p.m.

Come and have some fun and social time and of course good food.

Free to members (subsidized by Club).

Guests: \$10.00 .

Sign-up sheet available at May 21<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Contact: *Doreen King 475-4101*  
*Dave Farmes 475-3165*

### **Saturday, August 5, 2006**

#### **PETERBOROUGH BOAT CRUISE ON THE TRENT-SEVERN WATERWAY,**

Dinner and Festival of Lights Show featuring Michael Burgess.

Cost: \$81.00 per person.

Includes motor coach, cruise, dinner and show.

Note: Final payment for this event is due by the June 28<sup>th</sup> meeting.

#### **SOLD OUT**

Contact: *Dorothy Miller 613 475-9503*  
*Doreen King 613 475-4101*

### **Wednesday, September 20, 2006**

#### **ANNUAL CAR RALLY**

Please put this date on your calendar. Details and sign-up sheet will be available at a later date.

### **Sunday/Monday, September 24/25, 2006**

#### **GOLF WEEKEND**

Glen House Resort, Gananoque, Ontario

Cost: \$159.00 per person

Includes accommodation, 18 holes golf at Smugglers Glen, 1 breakfast and 1 dinner

Sign-up sheet available.

Contact: *Joan Stainton 475-0496*

**Thursday, September 28 – October 2**

**BUS TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY**

Probus Club of Ajax sponsored  
Includes: Transportation via Motor Coach  
with Tour Guide, Accommodation at La  
Quinta Hotel, 17W 32<sup>nd</sup> Street  
in Manhattan near Macy's and one meal on  
way home.  
Tour of New York and Central Park  
Night Cruise around Manhattan  
Time to shop and sightsee  
Opportunity to buy theatre tickets at half price  
Cost: Twin \$699.00 per person  
Triple \$609.00 per person  
Quad \$599.00 per person  
Single \$1179.00 per person

Required \$200.00 deposit at time of sign-up  
Contact: *Tom Rosebush 475-4712*

**CLUB INTEREST GROUPS**

**Bid Euchre**

Restarts this fall  
Corrie Nyenhuis 475-9622

**Bridge**

Restarts Wednesday, October 4, 2006  
Dolores Holm 475-4371

**Chapter One Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 10:00 a.m.  
Kate Cattell 475-1613

**Chapter Two Book Club**

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 10:00 a.m.  
Rosemary Kennedy 475-1741

**Golf**

Keith Stainton 475-0496

**Single Diners**

Ruth Bennett 475-5026

**Community Events:**

**Friday, May 26, 2006**

**SPAGHETTI DINNER**

Trinity-St. Andrew's United Church  
Cost: Adult \$10.00 – Children 10 and under \$5.00  
Time: 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Tickets at Church Office 613 475-1311

**Saturday, May 27, 2006**

**FRIENDS OF BRIGHTON PUBLIC LIBRARY  
MEET AND GREET GALA**

Brighton Public Library  
Time: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.  
Refreshments, entertainment for the children,  
Prizes  
Free

**SPEAKERS:**

**Wednesday, May 24, 2006**

Don Oakley – Croquet. Master – Maker  
and Teacher

**Wednesday, June 14, 2006**

Skye Morison  
Professional Design Educator and  
Textile Design Artist. Recently returned  
from India.

**Wednesday, June 28, 2006**

Marg Godawa  
Read Bound Program.

**NEW MEMBERS**

Doreen Goodfellow  
112 Lakehurst Street  
RR4, GB166  
475-1135

This now brings our membership up to  
154.

# June, 2006

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
				<b>1</b> Chapter 2 Bookclub 10:00 a.m.	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Chapter One Book Club 10:00 a.m.	<b>7</b> Golf 9:50 a.m.	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Dinner and Theatre 5:00 p.m.	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> General Meeting 10:00 a.m.	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Golf 9:45 a.m.	<b>22</b> Management Meeting 9:30 a.m.	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> General Meeting 10:00 a.m.	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	