



Denmark River Probud News

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Hello all,

As you all know by now, this week saw the world celebrate Temporary Insanity Day. However did you know that Friday was also Chocolate Mint Day? In deference to your figures I deliberately waited until after the event to bring to mind this mouth watering indulgence.



Fran's Coffee Morning was at the Bibbulmun café. A pleasant hour or so watching the world go by. A couple of late comers to the group were Wally and Harry!

The next coffee event will be at **10.00am Tuesday 15th March at Mrs Jones Cafe.** Why don't you take a bit of time out to sit and enjoy some pleasant company and a good old natter with friends?



Australia Day was an event filled day. The day began very early for some. They arrived down at the Park by 07.00 to ensure that everyone else would have a place to sit when they arrived for breakfast.

Many then went on to enjoy lunch with family and friends.

Sunset saw members of both Probud Clubs meet on Carol and Adrian Birdseye's lawn for sundowners and delicious nibbles.



The weather was good for the walk from Lights Beach to Madfish Bay, on Feb 2nd. We are invited to join The Denmark Probud Club walking group on the first Tuesday of each month. BYO drink and morning tea



Wow Cruise is on 24th February. For those wishing to car pool please meet at the Shire Community Car Pool parking area at 12.50pm to be ready to leave by 1.00pm.



Tree Elle visit is on 16th March 11.00am. \$15 to be paid by 02/03/2016

Cheers Carmel - Media

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PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Another month has passed and it is my last one as President of your Probud Club.

We had a great Australia Day Breakfast and well done to the Shire and Volunteers.

Looking forward to the WOW Cruise this month and it should be great.

Betty and Bob Hay were our guest speakers last meeting and they told and showed us of their interesting life in Papua New Guinea. Many thanks to them as Betty had not been well.

Thank you to all the people for the plates of food. We had a delicious array of food, as usual. Thank you every one.

I would like to thank our hard working committee for all their efforts throughout the year, and you the members for being part of the club.

As I will be presenting a Presidents Report at the AGM meeting I will not waffle on too much.

I wish the incoming committee the very best for our next year and hope to see all at the AGM.

Kaye - President.

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NEXT MEETING

AGM

2nd March 2016
10h00
Denmark Country Club

Speaker
Chris Probert
Volunteer Fire Fighter





Our speaker for the February meeting was announced as Betty Hay, retired bush pilot, nurse and missionary in Papua New Guinea. In the event Betty had not been well for the week but nevertheless

arrived for her talk on the arm of husband of 62 years, Bob. Betty had written out her talk to accompany a slide show and Bob manfully took over the task of delivering the speech, artfully adjusting the words from autobiography to biography.

Hearing about Betty's life from when she was a 3 year old helping a sick mother, through an astonishing series of qualifications acquired back to back, one could understand why she showed up in spite of her ill health. Betty is clearly a woman of immense determination.

At nine Betty suffered from Rheumatic fever, the repercussions of which dogged her all her life but in spite of family resistance to her taking on such an onerous life path, she led the life she wanted to - becoming a nurse; a missionary in Papua New Guinea and a pilot to boot, so she could get about.

Betty married Bob in 1954. He had trained as an engineer and had similarly felt a calling to church and missionary work. The life they led in remote areas of Papua New Guinea called on their myriad of resources. Betty hit on the idea of feeding ground peanuts to tiny wizened little children who looked near death. A slide taken a couple of months later showed smiling roly-poly cherubs. Teeth were extracted and lumber punctures performed with a runner taking 2 days to get to civilization with the sample. Crocodile bites were stitched and grafted.

The slides were very varied and many showed the amazing tribal costumes from various areas. Betty had bought along a piece of the traditional tapa cloth made from pounded bark with exquisite designs.

What a formidable team they are even well into their eighties. As the talk got underway, Betty felt sufficiently recovered to make interjections and Bob ploughed on regardless. It was a fascinating talk from two fascinating individuals which was much enjoyed.

Betty's autobiography is "November Papa Mike: nurse, pilot & missionary"

This link is to a review that appeared in the Denmark Bulletin.

http://denmarknow.com.au/blog/Arts_and_Entertainment/post/jolly-good-read-by-golly

1 ½ cups cooked white rice
1 cup of cooked wild rice
1/3 cup currents
1/3 cup dried apricots, soaked in water 15 mins, then drain & chop
80g slithered almonds
½ cup vegetable oil
½ tsp cumin seeds
1 ½ tsps coriander
Approx ¾ cup spring onions green leaves only
Squeeze of Lemon juice
Squeeze of fresh orange juice and grated zest
Black cracked pepper

METHOD

MIX ALL INGREDIENTS TOGETHER IN A BOWL, COVER AND REFRIGERATE OVERNIGHT IF POSSIBLE.

Add more orange juice if required to taste.

You can add more apricots and almonds if you wish.

ENJOY.

Members are requested to submit their favourite recipe for publication or are welcome to request recipes for foods they have enjoyed.



Upcoming Birthdays:

February:

20th Glenice Smith
25th Ken Richards

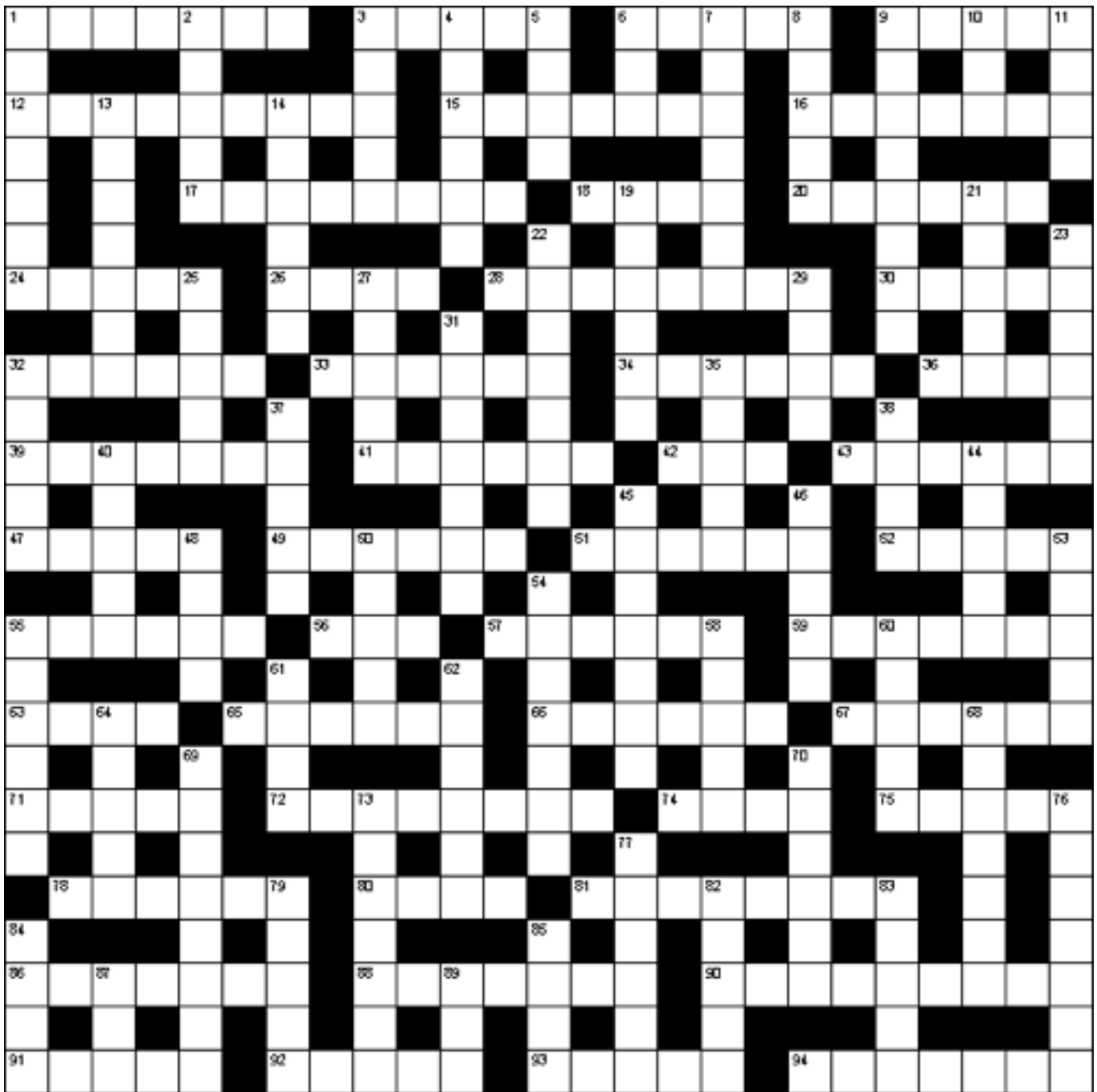
March:

19th Stuart Hoskins
19th Wendy Wildman



Probus Walk 02 Feb 2016

Ken Smith, Neville Thorn, Stuart Hoskins,
Rosemary Thorn, Chris Lendrum.
Bill Dessauer



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| 1. Number (7) | 34. Potion (6) | 66. Measly (6) |
| 3. Lariat (5) | 36. Yield (4) | 67. Breath in (6) |
| 6. Small mallet (5) | 39. Irritated (7) | 71. Relating to one of the bones in the forearm(5) |
| 9. Woodland deity (5) | 41. Fraudulence (6) | 72. Compliant (8) |
| 12. Large spider (9) | 42. Crafty (3) | 74. Item of footwear (4) |
| 15. Household implement (7) | 43. Bombastic (6) | 75. Irrational motive (5) |
| 16. Fruit (7) | 47. Prank (5) | 78. Allow (6) |
| 17. Stress (8) | 49. Forthright (6) | 80. Greek letter (4) |
| 18. Notion (4) | 51. Eerie (6) | 81. Pupils (8) |
| 20. Subjects (6) | 52. Sailing vessel (5) | 86. Arms (7) |
| 24. Frighten (5) | 55. Canny (6) | 88. Graceful (7) |
| 26. Uncommon (4) | 56. Perform (3) | 90. Stubborn (9) |
| 28. Evocative (8) | 57. Colony of rabbits (6) | 91. Fragment (5) |
| 30. Happen (5) | 59. Bane (7) | 92. Tripod (5) |
| 32. Ripe (6) | 63. Serene (4) | 93. Recess (5) |
| 33. Season (6) | 65. Dialect (6) | 94. Thin (7) |

Down

- 1. Countries (7)
- 2. Scope (5)
- 3. South American animal (5)
- 4. Unintelligent (6)
- 5. Portent (4)
- 6. Fuel (3)
- 7. Small settlement (7)
- 8. Jumped (5)
- 9. Arachnid with a sting in the tail (8)
- 10. Beverage (3)
- 11. State of public disorder (4)
- 13. Defensive wall (7)
- 14. Referee (6)
- 19. Ill-fated (6)
- 21. Hoard (5)
- 22. Flightless bird (7)
- 23. Ally (6)
- 25. Before time (5)

- 27. Quick (5)
- 29. Group of three musicians (4)
- 31. Lap (7)
- 32. Intended (5)
- 35. Ice hut (5)
- 37. Decree (5)
- 38. Ado (4)
- 40. Callow (5)
- 44. Twelve dozen (5)
- 45. Glitter (7)
- 46. Doglike mammal (5)
- 48. Part of a castle or fortress (4)
- 50. Mother-of-pearl (5)
- 53. Out of fashion (5)
- 54. Rearing (7)
- 55. Desert plant (6)
- 58. Compass direction (5)

- 60. Musical note (5)
- 61. Reverberation (4)
- 62. Severe (6)
- 64. Spear (5)
- 68. Memory loss (7)
- 69. Musical instrument (8)
- 70. Court game (6)
- 73. Flags (7)
- 76. Non-professional (7)
- 77. Unchanging (6)
- 79. One of the senses (5)
- 82. Type of bee (5)
- 83. Grab (5)
- 84. Exchange (4)
- 85. Sew (4)
- 87. Simian (3)
- 89. Snakelike fish (3)

