PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER

MINUTES

Type of Meeting	General Meeting No 91
Date / Time / Venue of	24 th September 1991 at 9.32 am at Avoca Beach Surf Club
Meeting	
Present	53 members and 4 visitors were welcomed by President John.
Apologies	13
Correspondence	Letter to Shirley Lester thanking her for her assistance to Past
	President David over the years.
Minutes of the Last	Were read, approved and signed. There were no matters arising.
Meeting	

Reports / General Business

President's Report – President John stated that he attended the Saratoga Probus Club's meeting and President Harry Highland (Saratoga) is seeking methods of how each Probus Club can be of assistance to each other.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer Arthur reported a balance of \$1,972.85, and also advised that for our club Tax File No. 089 550 447 has been obtained.

Speaker Convenor – Probian Ed advised that today in lieu of Anton Timp, Peter Forbes would be our speaker. There is no other change in the program

Membership Officer – Probian George reported 53 members present being 76% of total membership. Four visitors were also present.

Apologies – Probians B. Pike, G. Maxwell, J. Wasserman, J. Standsfield, W. White, S. Hannaford, E. Morris, S. Yeend, A. Jones, B. Dunlop, T. Mulcahy, R. Savage, A. Watson.

Social Convenor – Past President David advised that owing to a later Cup start members should congregate at Vice President Gordon's home at 12 noon. Cost per person \$5.00. On October 8th BYO picnic at Phegans Park. Meet at 11 am.

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Welfare – Probian Len advised that Probian Alf Jones has had by-pass surgery and is progressing. Probian Ken Gosby thanked Welfare Officer Len and members for the attention and kindness during his illness. Past President Alan expressed similar sentiments.

Historian – Past President David thanked Probian Lerryn for the photographs taken at our Annual Luncheon.

Profile – Probian John Horton told of his early life in Portsmouth and of his schooling and apprenticeship in Portsmouth Naval Dockyard before becoming an engineer. His interest in soccer was as a player and referee. He migrated to Australia in 1972 as a Tech Ed teacher, retired in 1987 and moved to the Central Coast in 1989.

Lucky Door Prize – won by Probian John Dunn.

Guest Speaker – After the morning tea break President John introduced our guest speaker Peter Forbes, who gave us a revealing insight into the workings of the State Emergency Services. Many were surprised at the dedication of these people who give their time without pay. After numerous questions President John presented Peter with a Probus spoon as a reminder of his visit to Kincumber Probus Club.