PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER

MINUTES

Type of Meeting	General Meeting No 47
Date / Time / Venue of	19th January, 1988 at 10.00 am at Avoca Beach Bowling Club
Meeting	
Present	49 members and 2 visitors
Apologies	10
Correspondence	
Minutes of the Last	Were read, approved and signed. There were no matters arising.
Meeting	

Reports / General Business

Treasurer's Report – Probian Fred Leake reported a balance \$1,042.44.

Speaker Convenor – nil.

Social Organiser – Probian David Lester said that the next outing will be a picnic at Jenny Dixon Reserve Norah Head on Tuesday 9 February. He asked members to book for the visit to Sheringham's Nursery on 8th March as soon as possible. The May outing will be a tour of the historic sites of Parramatta, date TBA.

Welfare Officer – in Probian Henry Shoebridge's absence President Norm advised that Probian Harry Briggs is undergoing surgery at Prince Alfred Hospital and that Jack Pritchard's wife Lil was seriously ill. Both were wished a speedy recovery.

Membership Officer – Probian Alf Billett said attendance was 73%.

News Letter Editor – Past President Jim is due back for the February meeting.

Profile – Probian Alex Cochrane gave details of his life from Bathurst to Kincumber spent mainly in the service of State Rail.

Heads & Tails – this month's winner was Probian Alan Lucre.

Guest Speaker - Pierce Talbot gave an interesting and exciting talk on the Japanese Samurai Swords which he collects. He handed around several swords including one taken from a Japanese General at his surrender – Pierce's most prized possession.