



# The PROBUS Club of Guelph and District

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## DECEMBER 2019 Newsletter

THERE IS NO GENERAL MEETING on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

Come out to...

**A CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON SERVED AT CUTTEN FIELDS**

With music by Keith Conrad's "Easy Listening Combo"


Cash Bar at 11:30 a.m. Served Meal at 12:15 p.m.

Cost is \$42 per person

Reservations can still be made by contacting Kathy Stephens at 519-829-9622 or [kathyrobertstephens@gmail.com](mailto:kathyrobertstephens@gmail.com)

GREETERS: Josie Abel & Betty Raaflaub

\*\*Meetings of the PROBUS Club of Guelph and District are "scent-free".  
Please respect our members who may have allergies or sensitivities.



With deep sadness we report the passing of Peggy Willoughby on November 8, 2019.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Peggy's family. A celebration of Peggy's life will be held at Harcourt Memorial United Church at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, December 20, 2019.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to support Hospice Wellington.

### PROGRAMMES

**DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup> CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON** – Those who chose the salmon menu option will pick up a white tag with Salmon (in red letters) from a committee member and place the tag at their place setting.

**JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup> SPEAKER: RICHARD MOCCIA** – “Aquaculture: The ‘Blue Revolution’ - A Game Changer in the World’s Seafood Supply”. The world’s population is consuming seafood at the highest per capita rates ever. But where does it all come from? Richard, who is a Professor, Aquatic and Fisheries Science and Director, Aquaculture Centre at the University of Guelph, will enlighten us during his presentation.

**NOVEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup> SPEAKER: JOE TERSIGNI** - “An Exclusive Club – The National Leadership Awards Program at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School”. Joe described the awards program that has placed Lourdes on the national stage for its recognition of exceptional leaders in this country - politicians, athletes, educators, aboriginal leaders, entertainers, activists,

and business leaders. Each of them offered inspiration on goal setting and achievement.

### **NEWS FROM THE ACTIVITIES' COMMITTEE**

- The trip to **THE BEAUTY OF CHRISTMAS** in Niagara was a wonderful event!!!

- **The Gathering** will resume again **Tuesday, January 21, 2020** at Arbor Trails.

- Please contact Shirley Ann Holmes or Barbara Moldenhauer regarding various Interest Groups.

### **COMING UP-----**

- You won't want to miss visiting a new local business! Tour the **SPRING MILL DISTILLERY**, Arthur Street, Guelph on **Thursday, January 23, 2020, 3 to 5p.m.** Cost is \$12. Please register and pay online (<https://www.probusguelph.ca/>) or contact Provan Wylie ([pawlyie@gmail.com](mailto:pawlyie@gmail.com)).



You can also speak with Shirley Ann or Barbara at the Christmas Luncheon next week.

- Our **Spring 2020 Major Trip** – Stratford Festival's "**CHICAGO!**" on **Thursday, May 21, 2020**. Tour will include travel by luxury coach, ticket for the show, and dinner at The Parlour Vintage Inn! Hope you will mark your calendars now. More details will follow in January!

### **MEMBERSHIP**

The membership currently stands at 182.



Photo from the November 13<sup>th</sup> meeting

.....new Probiants

L to R: Bruce Donaldson, Marg Donaldson, Maria Pena, Jane Peaire, John Theis

### THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

*We wish you and your family a...*



**President: John Theis; Vice-President: Donna Sunter; Second Vice-President: Stu McCannell; Past-President: Anne Bradley; Treasurer: Judy Carrick; Secretary: Beth Harris; Membership Chair: Heather Brighton; House Committee: Marg Powell; Programme Committee Chair: Kathy Stephens; Activities Committee Co-Chairs: Shirley Ann Holmes & Barb Moldenhauer; Speaker Support Committee Chair: David Churchill; December Newsletter Editor: Heli Kich**