

WENTWORTH POINT PROBUS CLUB July Bulletin 2023

Monday 17th July 11:00am - Pulse Room 1

Join us for a cake beforehand as someone is having a big birthday

GUEST SPEAKER

Graham Sims

Last year Graham gave an amazing talk about the German airmen who got lost in Western Australia. This time, his talk is on Bea Miles a colourful Sydney identity.

Bea Miles: An Aussie Free Spirit

From the mid 1920's until her death in 1973, Beatrice (Bea) Miles was Sydney's best known and unforgettable eccentric, wandering the streets of Sydney and, when she felt like it, the bane of taxi drivers, bus and tram drivers and conductors. She was a remarkable, intelligent woman of prodigious knowledge and memory but of volatile and erratic behaviour.

Graham recounts Bea's incredible story, including his personal encounters with her, and with unique input from her nearly 90-year-old niece, whom he met and interviewed.

Beatrice Miles
17 September 1902 Ashfield, Sydney, NSW
3 December 1973 (aged 71) Randwick, Sydney
Rookwood Cemetery
Australian
Abbotsleigh School
Bohemian rebel
William John Miles (father) Matthew Miles (great- nephew)



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OUTINGS PAYMENTS

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BIRTHDAYS

July

Connie Di Giulio	2/7
Stephen Collis	7/7
Peter Logan	13/7
Nadya Kapustin	22/7



NATIVE BIRTH FLOWER

Adenanthos (Adenanthos Silver Sensation)

August

Data Dana	1 /0
Brian Drew	1/8
Jill Collis	8/8
Bell Loughhead	12/8
Warwick Georgeson	13/8
Tom Murrie	13/8
Barry Tozer	31/8



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COMING UP

LES MISERABLES 29TH JULY fully booked MANLY SKIFF CLUB 17TH August SYDNEY MALE CHOIR 19TH August ART GALLERY EXTENSION 13th September DAVISTOWN RSL 18th October CRUISE Cruise to Hobart 15th November.





Are you in trouble?

CHRISTMAS IN JULY









T'IS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY



LAUGH HARDER



SING LOUDER



WHERE ARE YOU SANTA?



A GREAT TIME

