



**WENTWORTH POINT PROBUS CLUB**  
**February Bulletin**  
**2024**

**Monday 19th February 11.00am - Pulse Room 1.**

**Happy New Year !**



**GUEST SPEAKER**

**KEN MORONEY AO, APM**

Ex NSW Police Commissioner. His topic is Crime and Antisocial Behaviour.



Ken Moroney, was the NSW Commissioner of Police from 2002 to 2007. He has a remarkable track record of 42 years in the Police Force. Ken has been frequently commended and awarded for his outstanding leadership abilities. With around 20,000 personnel, the NSW Police Force is one of the largest in the world.



Since his retirement from the Police Force in 2007, Ken has founded Nemesis and has continued to share his expertise and experience in a number of fields.

## Committee Members March 2023 – March 2024

President	Peter Logan
Vice President	Rowline Brown, Peter Purser
Secretary	Alison Ross- Smith
Treasurer	Nancye Purser

## Club Service Officers March 2023 – March 2024

Membership Officer	Alison Ross-Smith
Guest Speaker Co-Ordinators	Robyn Watts, Des McEvoy
Outings & Events Co-Ordinators	Robyn Watts, Peter Purser
Community Co-Ordinator	Denise McManus
Supper & Kitchen Roster	Marilyn King, Coral Starr
Newsletter Coordinator	Anne Smith
Apologies	Alison Ross-Smith <a href="mailto:alison_ross-smith@hotmail.com">alison_ross-smith@hotmail.com</a>



**Keen to meet members, then join us for a cup of coffee or tea prior to our meetings or organise a group to have lunch afterwards. Our local cafes and restaurants ask that you make a booking.**

## Annual General Meeting Nominations Received

**Monday MARCH 19<sup>th</sup>**

We have received the following nominations for positions please consider standing as a committee member or an assistant.

All positions will be vacated at our AGM in March.

If possible, we ask for all nominations to be in at the February meeting.

Voting will occur at the AGM on 19<sup>th</sup> March.

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Outings & Events Co-Ordinators	Peter Purser & Paul Woodley
Welfare Officer	Denise McManus
Kitchen Co-ordinator	Marilyn King, & Coral Star
Newsletter Coordinator	

## Membership Fees

You may wish to pay your annual membership fees \$50 pp using online banking or cash or cheque at our meeting in February or March.

Bank Details

Acc. Name Wentworth Point Probus Club

BSB 032-326

A/C 160019

Always ensure you record your name and purpose when using online banking.

## LOOKING FORWARD – our first outing for 2024

### Visit the Western Sydney Airport, known as the Nancy-Bird Walton Airport



Visitors Centre

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February,  
Fully booked.**

**Nancy Bird Walton, AO, OBE**  
16 October 1915 – 13 January 2009

Nancy-Bird was a pioneering Australian aviator, known as "The Angel of the Outback", and the founder and patron of the Australian Women Pilots' Association. In the 1930s, at the age of 19 to become the youngest Australian woman to gain a pilot's licence.

While touring country town, Nancy met Reverend Stanley Drummond. He wanted her to help set up a flying medical service in outback NSW. In 1935, she was hired to operate the service, named the Royal Far West Children's Health Scheme.

Her very own Gipsy Moth was used as an air ambulance.



**WHAT WILL IT REALLY LOOK LIKE ?**

# BIRTHDAYS

## JANUARY

## BIRTH STONE GARNET

Ken Loughhead  
Joe Nelson  
Trish Georgeson  
Marion Griffith



## FEBRUARY

## BIRTH STONE AMETHYST

Mary Eastman  
Graham Griffiths  
Kaye Johnston  
Jan Pethybridge  
Shelagh Poray  
Geoff Strong  
Anne Smith



## MARCH

## BIRTH STONE AQUAMARINE

Chris Greef  
Erica McLean  
Des McEvoy  
Phil Mulhearn  
John Murray  
Rae O'Keefe  
Robyn Watts  
Albert Watts  
Jill Spooner  
John Spooner  
Sally Yeo



**THE YEAR OF THE DRAGON COMES WITH SOME STRICT ADVICE.**

A t i m e t o w e a r y e l l o w a n d b l u e , t r y t o a v o i d d e j e



**HAPPY LUNA NEW YEAR**