

Probus Perth Social Events Report

July 2025



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Booking a Probus Event?

1. Send an email to the Social Events Team Member identified in this report for event(s) in which you wish to confirm your attendance.
2. Note the final date of sign-up.
3. Make your payment, confirming your participation by ETRANSFER to finance@probusperth.ca OR CHEQUE to *The Probus Club of Perth*
Box 20131, Shoppers Drug Mart, Perth, ON K7H 3M6
Be sure to **identify the event** for which you are paying.



4. Once your payment has been made, you are confirmed. Should a conflict arise, you are welcome to offer/sell your tickets to a friend. Please let the Social Events Member know of the change in order to maintain accurate records and offer a warm welcome.



Lunch and Locks

Wednesday, August 13
Meet for lunch at 12:00



The Lockmasters Taphouse
32 Beckwith Street South
Smith's Falls
(Parking in back behind the patio)



Walk and drive the locks starting at...
Detached Lockstation #31 with the
Sherzer Bascule Railway Bridge

Wander Victoria Park, watch the boats pass
Combined Lockstation #29A, the largest drop on the
Rideau 26 feet but no longer in service.

A short drive to Old Sly's Lock. #26 & 27. Named
for an early settler William Sly.

You may wish to bring a lawn chair!

Sign-up with Linda at bl.walker@sympatico.ca by
Tuesday, August 5th to ensure your reservation!

Welcome Back to Perth Probus 2025/26 Lunch:
Wednesday, September 3rd

North Folk Café

Seating for 25 is now complete. Thanks for the early sign-up at our May meeting.



Sue will confirm your attendance.

Gather

In the interest of accommodating our enthusiastic membership, we have established a second venue! We look forward to hosting 16 additional Perth Probians!! Sign-up with Sue at auntieotterdale@hotmail.com.



Back by popular demand... our second annual Probian Progressive Dinner in Perth!!

Perth Progressive Pub Fare

Wednesday, September 24th

Maximum 30 per group!

Early sign-up at last year's price of \$61/person!!

Time slot A: 5:00 – 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Time slot B: 6:00 – 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Choose 1 food item + 1 beverage from each of 3 restaurants.



Total number of participants anticipated: **50** with a paid sign-up by **September 15**.
20 people are currently on our list with 12 of these Probians confirmed as paid!

Two groups have been established and others may sign-up at read2read@outlook.com.

Slot 1: Currently 11 signed up

5 pm Maximilian Appetizers - 6 pm The Red Fox Pub Fare - 7 pm Tangled Garden Dessert

Slot 2: Currently 9 signed up.

6 pm Maximilian Appetizers - 7 pm The Red Fox Pub Fare - 8 pm Tangled Garden Dessert

Cost of \$61 including taxes and gratuities!

Send your E-transfer to finance@probusperth.ca at your earliest convenience!

All paid tickets can be picked up at our September 3rd Probus Meeting. Tickets for later orders will be distributed by Gail at Maximilian, your first venue.

5-5:45 OR 6-6:45



6-6:45 OR 7-7:45



7-7:45 OR 8-8:45



**Schnitzel Bites and Sausages OR
Homemade Perogies**

**Choice of Draft
OR Wine**

**Back by
request AND
maintaining
last year's
cost of \$61!!**

**Fish and Chips OR
Rueben and Chips OR
Hot Chicken Sandwich with Chips**
(Alternate menu items at an additional cost.)

**Choice of Draft
OR Wine**

**Sticky Toffee Pudding OR
Carrot Cake**

**Choice of Coffee
OR Tea
OR Somosa (add'l \$5)**

**Sign up with Gail at
read2read@outlook.com
and send your payment
to our Treasurers at
finance@probusperth.ca
(including "Perth
Progressive Pub Fare"
in the description box)
by our September 14th
deadline.
Maximum 60
participants!**

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The Vault Restaurant
5 pm

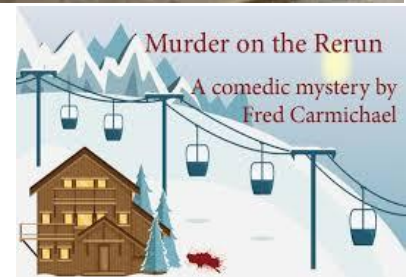
**Dinner and Theatre
An evening in
Smiths Falls**

Thurs, October 23



Station Theatre
7:15 pm

Sign-up with Linda at bl.walker@sympatico.ca by Monday, October 13th to make your reservation at The Vault and purchase your theatre ticket at just \$21! Maximum 20 participants.



"Murder on the Rerun"

Continued ...

'Murder on the Rerun' by Fred Carmichael

"Takes a different approach to mystery as a ghost tries to find out who murdered her in a witty, sophisticated, yet suspenseful look at the upper crust of Hollywood.

The curtain rises to find Jane, Oscar winning screen writer, dead at the bottom of the stairs in a Vermont ski lodge. Her four friends and husband are saying she fell, "I was pushed!" she says as her ghost rises.

Aided by Kitty, a rather wanton adviser from "up there", Jane is brought ahead to the present, three years after the murder, where the same group is gathered to figure out who killed her. The five suspects join together to keep the possible murder quiet for reasons of their own but their relationship bursts apart with their mutual distrust".



Looking ahead.....

Don't miss our Probus Christmas 2025 event!!

Tickets will be available at our September meeting.

Numbered tickets are assigned as payments are confirmed by our financial team. Payments can be made in person by cheque or ETRANSFER to finance@probusperth.ca.

When? Monday, December 8th, 2025

What time? 5:30-10 pm

Where? The Lions Club



How many can attend? A maximum of 100 Perth Probians can be accommodated for a fun-filled evening of comradery and dancing to

And the cost? We expect to sell out by November 29th or **while tickets last!** Delicious appetizers, turkey dinner buffet, lovely desserts, bar, dancing and many prizes for just **\$41/ticket!** Contact mnewby07@gmail.com if you miss the September sign-up!



**Mark your calendar!
Book early!!**

Your Special Events Team has locked in two events this summer:

- A Peterborough Trip July 29 and 30 is about to depart!
- Lunch and Locks on August 13th in Smiths Falls.

Both cool opportunities around Ontario's beautiful waterways.

We are looking forward to an exciting 2025/26 and hope you are pleased with this fall's offerings to date. We welcome your input and invite you to chat with us during social time at our Probus Meetings or to drop us a line recommending upcoming events!

Please remember to sign-up early and be sure to include your name as well as the name of each event for which you ETRANSFER funds or write a cheque. We appreciate your inclusion of details in this process.



The Perth Probus Club meets at the
Royal Canadian Legion Hall, 26 Beckwith Street,
on the first Wednesday of the month,
September through June.

President: Mary Kilgour

Further information on the club and contact details
for the other members of the Management Team can
be found at:

www.probusperth.ca/board.htm

Social Events Editor – Gail Read