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MONTHLY NEWSMAGAZINE
FOR MEMBERS OF THE
ESCARPMENT PROBUS CLUB
MILTON, ONTARIO, CANADA



SUMMER - A RAINBOW OF MUSKOKA CHAIRS AWAIT YOUR PLEASURE

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Joanne Millichamp
President

Probians navigate to fun and excitement

We had a beautiful sunny day for our first Car Rally /Mystery Tour on June 6th. Thirteen cars started at the Sports Centre and were sent off in 3-minute intervals to follow a picturesque 3-hour route throughout Halton Region. There was a scavenger hunt component to the rally and participants also had to search their memory banks for answers to quizzes about 50's and 60's music and TV shows and movies. A few cars got lost, but that was all part of the fun. The rally ended at Lowville Golf Club where we had an enjoyable lunch and awarded prizes. Many thanks to all who participated and to our volunteers, Richard and Diane Armand, Jeanne Reid and Anne Marie Stockley from our Club and Wayne and Judy Pike and Doug and Sharon Shields from the Oakville Probus Club.

Keep reading the Forum for future activities planned for our Club. 

Probus activities are certainly varied and interesting

By Liz Read - Activities Chair

In the last month, we've gone cycling along the Grand River and driving in a car rally on the back roads of the Halton region. These two events were arranged on the initiative of Probus members who came up with an idea, presented it to the management committee and received the necessary support to make their ideas successful. Any member with an interest and enthusiasm to organize an activity is welcome to bring it forward to our Escarpment Probus activity committee.

The Activities Committee has just added an excursion for Saturday, September 27, The Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony's production *Cirque Mechanics* features a concert of popular orchestral works along with an 18-foot high moving machine with aerialists, acrobats and

contortionists. There will be a car pool sign up sheet for people willing to drive to the concert.

On Wednesday, July 16, we are going on a tour of the Old Credit Brewing Company at 6 Queen St. W. followed by lunch at Snug Harbour. Participants will need to confirm their attendance by email with me by July 12. The brewery tour is free and each person is responsible for paying for their lunch at the restaurant.

Don't forget that the speaker at our August Escarpment Probus meeting will follow-up a week later with an opportunity to use Nordic walking poles around the Mill Pond in Milton.

There are also the Rock Chapel mini putt with lunch, the Ragtime Tea and the musical, *Footloose*, to look forward to in the early fall.

As always, the Calendar of Events are on the last page of this newsmagazine. 

SPECIAL NOTICE FOR JULY ONLY
ESCARPMENT PROBUS CLUB - Will meet ONE WEEK EARLY on 9th JULY at 9:30am



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If you know someone who you feel would be interested in joining the Escarpment PROBUS Club please forward this Newsmagazine with our compliments.



FORUM

ESCARPMENT PROBUS CLUB NEWSMAGAZINE
This PROBUS Club is open to both ladies and gentlemen members
Published monthly and emailed in PDF format to all the members of
The Escarpment PROBUS Club - Members without email may pick up their copy at the meeting

Annual Membership is \$45 per person - One time only fee of \$20 for your name badge
Meetings are held on every third Wednesday in the month at 9:30am
At The Milton Sports Centre, 605 Santa Maria Boulevard, Milton, Ontario, L9T 6J5

FORUM Deadlines
Articles and pictures for publication should be received no later than seven days after the regular meeting.
Stories and articles may be emailed to the Editor or submitted to any member of the Management Committee.
Escarpment PROBUS Club reserves the right to refuse, edit or change any copy or pictures submitted.



Our July Speaker

Timothy Starr

Aging is something we cannot stop-but we can prepare for it. From the experience of organizing international conferences for seniors, Timothy Starr gives a presentation that is both humorous and practical on accepting the aging experience.

He formerly taught psychology at Heritage College and now gives leadership to 450 seniors at a large church. [F](#)

Our August Speaker

Come learn about "The Smarter Way to walk"

Ginger Quinn is a Distributor and Master Instructor for Nordixx Pole Walking Canada and Co-Owner of GTA Home Health Care. Born and raised in Montreal, she is fluent in both official languages and received her B.A. in History at McGill University.

Following a thirty-year sales career in the food service industry handling such giants as Tim Horton's and McDonald's, Ginger decided to take her business savvy, passion and commitment into finding solutions for the Health Care Industry. She strongly believes that the key to independence and staying in your home is Mobility.

Ginger Quinn



Ginger is making it her business to educate Canadians on the health and wellness benefits of the "Smarter Way to Walk", Nordic Walking!

Ginger is married to the love of her life Doug Wells, has two sons Devin and Dyson, two Boxers Mischief and Merlot and a recently inherited Fat Kitty named Arthur. [F](#)

“

I just recently had my Visa card stolen. Now it's everywhere I want to be.

”

Scott Wood

PROBUS grape-nuts WINE TASTING CLUB

By Michael Hooker - *Convenor*

Twenty-three "Escarpment Winers" met early in June – in two groups – to taste and critique some wines. Martin and Norma Capper hosted the first, tasting Italian wines, and Megs Shellard hosted the second, with German wines. A confession: Martin also popped in a "ringer" from his own collection, an Argentine red, not available through LCBO. Not to be outdone, Megs had her own "ringer" – her homemade Gewurtztraminer. And, blow me down, both of these were voted Best Wine of the night by their respective groups!

We will meet once a month, on the first Monday and Thursday of the month, at 7:00 pm. The makeup of each group will change every month, so we are able to meet and taste with all group members.

Interested? Contact Michael Hooker, mhooker10@bell.net , phone: 905 878 8953.

For all the details, please see Page 11. [F](#)



RBG tour a blooming success

By Gloria Pennycook - *Convener*

On June 11, eighteen avid gardeners went for a lunch and tour of the Royal Botanical Gardens. While the forecast was one of thunder storms, the garden gods looked kindly upon us and brought sunshine!

We went to the RBC Centre where some people saw the Mediterranean indoor garden, then on to Laking Gardens where we were delighted with amazing irises even though the garden was under renovation. Some peonies were still in bloom and the local snapping turtle made an appearance too.

Finally we went to Hendrie Garden to see the many roses, not quite in bloom, then onto an interesting medicinal garden.

We are lucky to have such a beautiful botanical garden so close to us. If interested in more information, please see www.rbga.ca.

The next meeting of the Garden Club takes place on July 16. We will visit Crawford's Garden Centre in Milton and hopefully get all of our gardening questions answered.

If anyone else is interested in joining the Garden Club, please email me at gpennycook@icloud.com. 🇺🇸

Happy gardening!



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I told my doctor I broke my leg in two places. He told me to quit going to those places.

”

Henny Youngman

*Please return . . .
... your name tags to the Membership table at the conclusion of each Probus meeting.
Thank you*

Bob Milne's Ragtime Tea

Join us as we enjoy one of the world's greatest performers of the Rag Time and Boogie-Woogie piano styles. You will NOT be disappointed!

Bob Milne's natural ability to hear and play music goes back to his early childhood. He makes the statement, "I knew how to play a piano long before I ever started. Just push down the notes you hear and the instrument will play itself. Can't everyone do this?" He considers either looking at music or practicing to be "cheating."

Playing in concert halls since 1991, Mr. Milne plays worldwide every year. A comment often heard following one of his performances is, "unbelievable"!



*Saturday 18 October at 2:30pm
Seat quota now filled, wait list only*

NOSH @ NIGHT

By Lorrette Shermet - Hostess

On Friday evening May 23rd from 5.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. 17 people gathered at Lorrette and Pete's place for the monthly Nosh @ Night. As two couples were away the invite was extended to Joanne and Ron Millichamp, who gladly accepted and joined us for the evening.

Everyone had a great time gathered in two rooms, the living room and kitchen.

There was quite an assortment of different hors d'ouvres and pastries. It has been almost six months since this group started, meeting monthly, everyone is so relaxed and comfortable in each other's company.

The next Nosh @ Night was at Gloria and Bob's house on June 27th in Campbellville. 



CIRQUE MECHANICS

Join us and experience a theatrical circus spectacle. Described by Spectacle Magazine as "the greatest contribution to the Canadian Circus since Cirque de Soleil." This modern twist on the circus caravan is complete with original music, theatrical costumes and lighting. Innovative mechanics, amazing acrobatics and classical music unite with Cirque Mechanics. Witness the Gantry Bike, an eighteen-foot high, moving machine that brilliantly showcases aerialists, acrobats and contortionists.

Cirque Mechanics draws inspiration from modern circus and mechanical wonders. While other cirque shows mask the mechanics behind the circus, Cirque Mechanics showcases the relationship between performer and machine.

Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony's concert - Cirque Mechanics

Saturday, September 27 at 2:30 pm.

Tickets are \$47 and money is due by August Probus meeting



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A cynic is a man who, when he smells flowers, looks around for a coffin.

”

H. L. Mencken

We like to know who you are!

Please wear your Probus Pin at all external Probus events



Escarpment Probus Club 2014 Summer Picnic in Lowville Park



The sun smiled on the first annual Escarpment Picnic

By Jeanne Reid - Social Chair

It was a wonderful day at Lowville Park for our first annual picnic in a beautiful setting with lots of good food and drink.

There were 73 happy picnic-goers. Many participated in Bocce Ball, Cliff's Mush Ball (ladies winner - Ellen Crawford / men's winner - Bob Findlay), Ron's Ladder Golf and Sandra's Scavenger Hunt. With lots of prizes and draws, everyone went home happy.

Picnics are fun and entertaining. It was a great day to socialize with fellow Escarpment Probus members. 🇺🇸



“
Housework can't
kill you, but why
take a chance?

”

Phyllis Diller

Many thanks to the organizers

By Joanne Millichamp - President

Congratulations and thanks to Jeanne Reid and her team of Christy Babcock, Lorrette Sheramat and Sandra Bashford for organizing a most enjoyable picnic at Lowville Park.

The setting was pretty and we guessed right with the weather.

There were many fun activities, the food was delicious and everyone had a great time. 🇺🇸

Controversial topics tabled for discussion

By Paul Crawford - *Convenor*

The First Edition Book Club met at Anne Deoni's place on June 8 to discuss "Sarah's Key". The book was enthusiastically received by everyone.

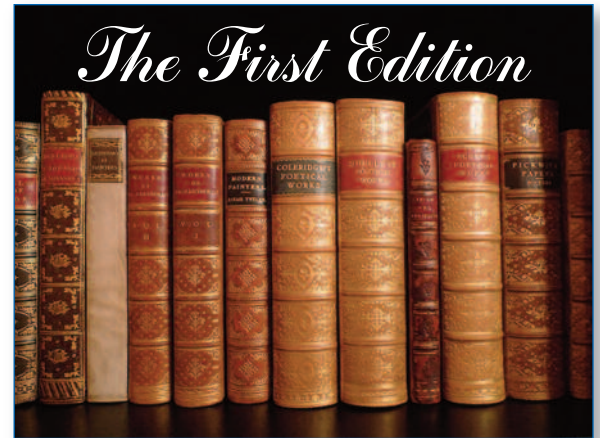
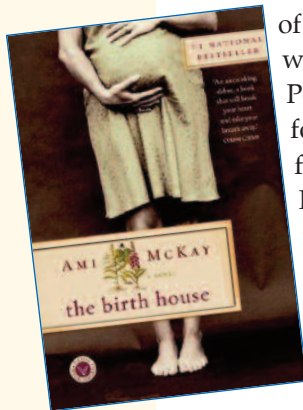
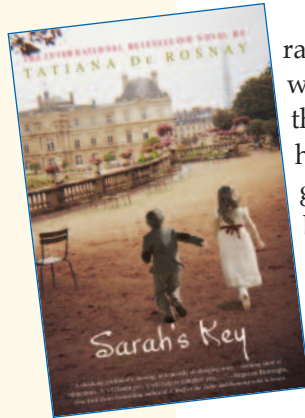
The discussion centered on issues of racism, trauma, loss of safety in the world. Also, the French amnesia about their role in the Second World War and a host of other issues both personal and general raised by our reaction to the book.

There was some interest in going to see the movie, based on the book, that was recently made. This book led to discussions of many other books set at the same time such as "The Boy in the Striped Pajamas", "The Diary of Anne Frank" and "Suite Francaise".

There was sharing of personal stories of families which were affected by the war. Two members of the group had Polish ancestors who were moved forcibly from Poland to Siberia then found their way to African countries. Interesting that they are now in Milton in the same book club.

Our next meeting is on Monday, September 8 at 1:00pm at Liz Read's home. We are reading The Birth House by Ami McKay.

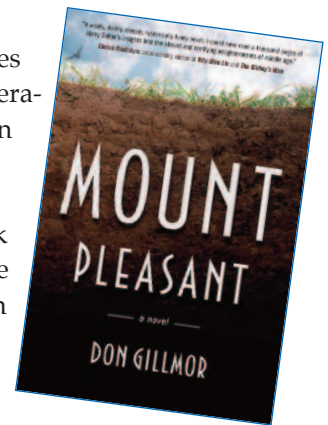
At the meeting, Penny mentioned that



the library was having a meeting that night called "The Dewey Divas and Dudes Present: Our Favourite Books". It was a great evening expanding our cultural horizons in which publishing representatives present books for consideration for book clubs. Seven of us attended.

At the event the library unveiled the book chosen for One Book One Milton. This is a program where all Miltonians are encouraged to read the same book and have discussions about it.

The book is called "Mount Pleasant" by Don Gillmor. The seven of us took copies on loan and will be glad to discuss it with any Probus member. You do not need to be in a book club to borrow the book. The library has 70 copies so go get one! 📖



Welcome . . .



. . . the newest members of the Escarpment PROBUS Club, please make our new friends welcome. They are:
Beverly Moreland
Jack Moreland
Helen McCart
Christine Godfrey
Chris Wallhouse and
Ellen Wallhouse



Ladies Golf



By Megs Shellard - *Convenor*

To date, we have had 2 dates cancelled, 2 dates when only 3 people showed and 2 dates which were cancelled when I had to cancel 1 due to a medical appointment and the other one when no one was available.

Although originally 12 people signed up, I have only had responses from 6 people in total and I get the feeling that the others are not really interested.

Therefore, as I have not received the responses anticipated, I am withdrawing my efforts to set up game times. 🇺🇸

Just how smart are you?

Answers at the bottom of this page.

1. Johnny's mother had three children. The first child was named April and the second child was named May.

What was the third child's name?

2. There is a clerk at the Butcher Shop who is five feet ten inches tall and wears size 13 sneakers.

What does he weigh?

3. Before Mt. Everest was discovered, what was the highest mountain in the world?

4. How much dirt is in a hole that measures two feet by three feet by four feet?

5. What word in the English language is always spelled incorrectly?

6. Billy was born on December 28th, yet his birthday is always in the summer.

How is this possible?

6. Billy lives in the southern hemisphere

5. Answer is the word "incorrectly"

4. There is no dirt in the hole

discovered yet

3. Mount Everest is the answer because Everest wasn't

2. Answer is: He weighs Meat

1. The third child's name is Johnny

Beijing Hotel Brochure translated as only they can - possible but not probable



A tourist went to Beijing recently and was given this brochure by the hotel. Obviously, it has been translated directly, word for word from Mandarin to English.

Getting there: Our representative will make you wait at the airport. The bus to the hotel runs along the lakeshore. Soon you will feel pleasure in passing water. You will know that you are getting near the hotel, because you will go round the bend. The manager will await you in the entrance hall. He always tries to have intercourse with all new guests.

The Hotel: This is a family hotel, so children are very welcome. We, of course, are always pleased to accept adultery. Highly skilled nurses are available in the evenings to put down your children. Guests are invited to conjugate in the bar and expose themselves to others. But please note that ladies are not allowed to have babies in the bar. We organize social games, so no guest is ever left alone to play with them self.

The Restaurant: Our menus have been carefully chosen to be ordinary and unexciting. At dinner, our quartet will circulate from table to table, and fiddle with you.

Your Room: Every room has excellent facilities for your private parts. In winter, every room is on heat. Each room has a balcony offering views of outstanding obscenity!

Bed: Your bed has been made in accordance with local tradition. If you have any other ideas please ring for the chambermaid. Please take advantage of her. She will be very pleased to squash your shirts, blouses and underwear. If asked, she will also squeeze your trousers.

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I drink to make other people interesting

”

George Nathan

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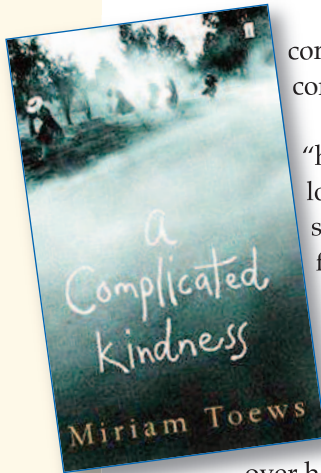


The Sequel

BOOK CLUB

By Fay MacDonald - *Convenor*

Recently we had the pleasure of meeting at Desiree Woon's home. The book we were reviewing was called *Complicated Kindness* by Miriam Toews.



The book is about a young girl coming of age in a Mennonite community in Manitoba.

Naomi's story begins with "half of our family, the better-looking half, is missing." You soon learn that they started with four but two left.

Her struggle with growing up in a town with no way out and the strength the "Mouth" as she calls the head of their Mennonite community has over her and her questioning beliefs.

What happened to the other two people in her family? Why did they leave? Where did they go?

This book brought out many side discussions on religion and our personal experiences along with how things have evolved or not. The

importance of remembering that it is individual people that make up a church and community and that some practices or beliefs are left up to that individual's interpretation and not necessarily what they originally meant to be.

For the most part we all found it difficult to finish. The writing was good but the story...not so much. Would we recommend it...not really.

Our next meeting will be at Chris Strachan's home on July 16th, 1 week later due to Probus meeting 1 week earlier. The books being reviewed are "Reader's Choice!" We can't wait to see what each of us will recommend! 

All Members please take note

By Joanne Millichamp
President

We shall shortly be distributing a
Member List to all of our members.

The purpose of the Member List is fellowship and it is not to be given to anyone outside our Escarpment Club, nor is it to be used for any commercial purposes.

If you would NOT like your name/address/email/phone number to appear on this list, please notify the Membership Chair in writing at jtschirhart@bell.net otherwise, all information will appear.

Come out and enjoy a round

By Ron Millichamp
Program Chair

Our Club's golf group is up and running, excuse the pun, hitting them long and...oh well...not so straight. We play every 2nd Thursday starting at 9a.m. at the Burlington Springs Golf and Country Club. New members are welcome. Contact Ron Millichamp at ronmillichamp@hotmail.com for further information. 



PROBUS
grape
-nuts
WINE TASTING CLUB

“Ringers” steal the show at blind tasting

By Michael Hooker - *Convenor*

Here are the results of our June blind tastings:

Monday 2nd June

Host: Martin and Norma Capper

13 Oenophiles

Theme: Italian Wines

(plus a “ringer” from Martin’s collection)

Whites:

Gabbiano Pinot Grigio	\$12.95	No 3
Masi Soave Classico	\$15.00	No 5
Bosio Moscato D’Asti	\$15.95	No 2

Reds:

Illuminato Riparosso		
Montepulciano d’Abruzzo	\$14.70	No 4
Ruffino Aziano ChiantiClassico	\$17.95	No 6

The wild card was a 2012 Epitome Malbec not available from the LCBO but from a vineyard in Argentina owned by a friend of Martin’s. This was ranked the No 1 wine by a good margin!

Thursday 5th June

Host: Megs Shellard

10 Oenophiles

Theme: German Wines

Whites:

Liebraumilch Drathen Qualitatswein	\$9.95	No2
Pinot Gris Trocken Vulkanfelsen KOE	\$15.95	No 6
Gewurztraminer - German type-		
Megs’ home brew via Carafe (priceless)		No 1!!!!
Riesling Spatlese Dhron Hofberger	\$21.95	No 3

Reds:

Villa Wolf Pinot Noir Pfalz	\$14.95	No 5
Peter Steger Edition Baden Pinot Noir	\$15.95	No 4



What did I learn from this:

- Wine tasting is a lot of fun.
- Opinions certainly differ widely (which makes it more interesting)
- There’s a lot that I personally still need to learn about tasting wines
- German whites are a lot better than German reds (generally).
- Megs Shellard makes good wine
- I’m not satisfied with the scoring sheet we used (each of the five characteristics used to evaluate the wine is given equal weight), so I’m going to check around to see if I can come up with a better one. If any of you have anything you think is better, would you please send it to me.

Our next tastings will be:

Thursday 3rd July.

Hosts: Rosalind and Alan Jordan.

Monday 7th July.

Hosts: Michelle and Jim Tschirhart. 

“

Have you noticed that anyone driving slower than you is an idiot and anyone driving faster than you is a maniac?

”

George Carlin


Never underestimate the taste of home made

By Megs Shellard - *Hostess*

Ten tasters arrived at my home for our first wine tasting following the original get together. I had chosen Germany as my wine producing country, only to discover that there are not many red wines produced there.

However, I did manage to provide 2 red Pinot Noir from 2 different wineries. This meant that I had 4 white wines and chose a Liefraumilch, a Pinot Gris, a Reisling, which is the most common German wine sold here, together with a Gewurtstramina.

I was amazed that the best wine chosen by most people was the Gewurtstramina which happened to be one of my own stock. I think that this just goes to show that homemade wines can have as good a taste as those from the Liquor Store.

We had a good choice of cheese and crackers and our evening finished off with coffee and a small slice of key lime pie. All in all it was a very good evening to start our regular monthly meetings. 



FOOTLOOSE THE MUSICAL

**Planning now for October
At the St. Jacobs Country Playhouse**

One of the most explosive movie musicals in recent memory bursts onto the St. Jacobs stage with exhilarating results.

A young rebel moves to a small middle-American town where dance is forbidden and encourages all young people to defy the strict edict of local pastor and call for a rock 'n roll party.

The St. Jacobs Country Playhouse is conveniently located in the heart of St. Jacobs Country. A converted Cidery and Winery, this 400-seat theatre retains the turn-of-the-century masonry and heavy timber character associated with the traditional Mennonite lifestyle.

B.Y.O.C! (Bring Your Own Cup)

*If you love your cup
and the environment,
show it!*



*Please bring your cup,
flagon, mug, demitasse,
beaker or tankard - anything
but a vase - to the next
Escarpment Probus meeting
and help us do our bit
to make the world a
little greener.*

V VICTORY DANCE

Something to look forward to
we are planning to
attend a dinner and
**Swing Out to
Victory Dance**

at the
Hamilton Airplane Museum
November 8 - 2014
Watch for more details

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OR 905-875-0859



Come see
Colm Wilkinson
live in Milton

**Broadway,
Christmas
and
Beyond**

Colm Wilkinson will be performing in
concert at the

Milton Centre for the Arts
on
December 5th 2014

Tickets are \$47 each
Contact Barbara Alderson at
frazzled@xplornet.com.

Come out and enjoy lunch with your new friends...

By Catherine Parr - Convenor

Following our July 9th meeting, we have reservations on the patio (indoors if raining) at the lovely Crosswinds Golf Club, 6621 Guelph Line, R.R. #2, Milton. We have a delightful fixed menu to choose from:

Crosswind's Specialties:

Asian Chicken

Grilled chicken, julienne carrot, red pepper, toasted sesame seeds and wonton crisps with ginger-soy dressing \$12

Penne Rustico

A crowd favourite. Italian sausage, peppers and onions in a hearty tomato-herb sauce \$15



Lunch Bunch Banter

Burgers and Sandwiches

Served with fries, kettle chips or veggies and dip. Substitute Garden Salad or Caesar Salad \$2
Beer Battered O-Rings \$3. Load it up! Add Caramelized Onions \$1 Bacon \$2

Crispy Fish Tacos

A duo of soft flour tortillas with southern style crispy Haddock filets, lettuce and caper tartar sauce \$13

Hole-in-One

Veggie or Sirloin Burger

Best burger toppings in the world. Goat cheese, roasted red pepper and pesto aioli.

\$10 Veggie Burger \$12 Sirloin Burger. 🇺🇸

“

If your parents never had children, chances are you won't either.

”

Dick Cavett



And the winner is!

Ursula Hardman was the lucky winner of the May Escarpment Probus 50/50 Draw.

Ursula took home \$115.50 for a \$5 investment. Many thanks to all those of you who played. 🇺🇸

The Escarpment Probus 50/50 Draw

takes place at every meeting.

Be sure to buy your tickets before the end of the break. The draw will be made before the speaker.

The amount won and the name of the winner will be announced at the meeting and in the following month's edition of the Forum.

Greeting Cards

If you know of a member who is ill, hospitalized or moving out of the area and not re-joining our club, please advise Lorrette Shermet at: lorrette@sympatico.ca or 905-878-1293.

A Loony gets you 1 ticket

A Tooney gets you 3 tickets

A Fiver gets you 8 tickets

Cheque us out!

Please remember to bring your cheque book to all the Probus meetings if you would like to sign-up for any of the activities.

Thank you.

Our intrepid Mr Starter, Ron Millichamp gives marching orders to all those assembled for the Escarpment 2014 Rally. There are 2 pennies in his hand (always has his 2 cents worth) for one of the brain-teasing puzzles which was to be completed before the end of the Tour.



On your marks, get set, RALLY!

By Alan Jordan - FORUM Editor

A perfect day found 13 cars and crews assembled excitedly for the start of the first Escarpment Probus Rally and Magical Mystery Tour.

After detailed instruction by our Rally Master, Ron Millichamp, we juggled into our starting positions ready for the checkered flag.

Dispatched at 3 minutes intervals, we soon found ourselves being closely followed, or following other Ralliers. No, they weren't cheating, they just happened to stop at the same places as us, garnering the same information.

The car behind us was not misled when I signaled left and then turned right!

We all came to a grinding halt on a hairpin bend climbing up the Escarpment road to Rattlesnake Point. A 40-foot school bus was attempting to complete a 3-point turn on a sharp bend with a full load of children. I hoped that it was the driver's first - and last - day.

The first checkpoint was found and the puzzle completed in good time. Still wondering about the Penny Quiz though!

With an intimate knowledge of the area, keen eyes, ability to think out of the box and my penchant for useless information (Pentheraphobia, fear of Mother-in-Laws?) we made a great team.

Missed a turn after some unexpected road works, did a U-Turn, then did another U-Turn after discovering that our wrong turn was right after all. Waived as another car passed us on the other side of the road with strange looks on their faces – "confusion to the enemy".

Our second leg checkpoint included another quiz and a real "pit stop".

Spotting the Probus blue and yellow balloons on



Our Treasurer, Martin, keeps his head down and nose to the grindstone.

the roadside indicated that we were at our final destination, our Holy Grail, the Lowville Golf Club. Being amongst the first to arrive we were able to relax with a brew after the exciting and exhausting day.

Many thanks to Ron and Joanne Millichamp, Judy and Wayne Pike, Doug Shields, Diane and Richard Armand and all the other volunteers whose hard work made this the spectacular and memorable day it was. **E**



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Don't forget the vast amount of organization that was involved behind the scenes, the judges are seen here determining just how lost we were

1 Judy and Wayne Pike (volunteers from Oakville Probus) tabulate the results

2 Doug Shields (Oakville Probus volunteer) advises Joanne on the names of the winning teams



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3 Joanne announces the winners

4 Diane and Richard Armand check the contents of the 'scavenger hunt' bags

5 Cliff Read shares his "love letter from a stranger" with the group

6 Ron and Ann DuPont are ready for the "off"

7 Cliff and Liz Read win the "Dress Alike" award



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At far right: The much sought-after Winner's Trophy accompanies the winners of this year's Rally

1 Alan and Rosalind Jordan with Chris and Ellen Wallhouse. Overall winners

2 Lorrette & Peter Shermat and Anna & Chris Strachan win the 'directionally challenged' award and receive a set of eye-glass wipes and a map of Halton

3 Paul & Ellen Crawford and Betty & Jim McConvey win the 50's/60's Music Quiz and win a box of 'Smarties' and a puzzle book

4 Barb Jones, Jack Moreland, Elinore Shannon & Bev Moreland win the TV/Movie Quiz and win a bag of popcorn and napkins

5 Ron & Ann DuPont Auriel Halliday & Don Evans win the Scavenger Hunt prize and are awarded pick-up wands for their future scavenging needs

6 Car #7 where are you? After opening their SOS/Panic Envelopes, Joan & Ursula Hardman and Christine Cormier win a box of SOS pads

7 Liz Read, Linda and Ken Green and Cliff Read win the Canadian Penny Quiz and are awarded a Canada visor and luggage tag each



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ESCARPMENT PROBUS CLUB - CALENDAR OF EVENTS

EVENT	DATE AND TIME	MEET AT	CONVENOR
JULY 2014			
Probus Executive Meeting	2 July, Wednesday - 7:00pm	The Millichamp's	
Thursday Wine Tasting	3 July, Thursday - 7:00pm	Rosalind Alan & Jordan	Michael Hooker
Monday Wine Tasting	7 July, Monday - 7:00pm	Michelle & Jim Tschirhart	Michael Hooker
ESCARPMENT PROBUS	9 July, Wednesday - 9:30am - THIS MONTH ONLY Milton Sports Centre		
Lunch Bunch	9 July, Wednesday - Noon	Crosswinds Golf Club	Catherine Parr
Probus Pin Seekers Golf Club	10 July, Thursday - 9:00am	Acton Golf Club	Ron Millichamp
Old Credit Brewing Tour	16 July, Wednesday - 10:00am	Old Credit Brewing Co.	Liz Read
Sequel Book Club	16 July, Wednesday - 10:00am	Chris Strachan's	Fay MacDonald
Gardening Club	16 July, Wednesday	Crawford's Garden Centre	Gloria Pennycook
DEADLINE Articles & Pictures	16 July, Wednesday	All material should be sent to alan@jordanar.com	
Track Walkers	Monday & Friday - 10:30am	Milton Sports Centre	TBD
Trail Walkers	Tuesday - 1:00pm	Various	Pat & Ron Flannagan
AUGUST 2014			
Probus Executive Meeting	13 August, Wednesday - 7:00pm		
ESCARPMENT PROBUS	20 August, Wednesday - 9:30am	Milton Sports Centre	
DEADLINE Articles & Pictures	27 August, Wednesday	All material should be sent to alan@jordanar.com	
Track Walkers	Monday & Friday - 10:30am	Milton Sports Centre	TBD
Trail Walkers	Tuesday - 1:00pm	Various	Pat & Ron Flannagan

Come out for some fun at the



on Wednesday September 10th

We'll start the mini putt at 10:00am
and golf until lunch at noon

The excursion cost of \$28 includes
golf • lunch • dessert • coffee • tax • tip

Contact Brenda Hicks at
bphicks@sympatico.ca for further details



Rock Chapel Golf Centre is a picturesque, public golf club that offers a full range of quality, affordable golfing activities in a family friendly, relaxed atmosphere. Their facility features a 9 hole executive golf course, full service driving range and a one of a kind, real grass miniature golf course.