

Reading and District Probus Club



May 2025

Web-site Address – www.probusclub-reading.org.uk

We give a very warm welcome to all the ladies and guests who will be joining us for lunch this month. Our speaker on this occasion will be Alan Fitzgerald who will give a talk about "The Hidden Rivers of London".

LUNCH ARRANGEMENTS (Tuesday 10th June)

Invitations to the Ladies' Lunch have already been circulated and you were required to advise the Secretary by Saturday 31st May latest (or preferably earlier), **whether you intend to attend or not**, together with the names of your guest(s) and the menu choices selected for each member of your party. You may be required to make a no-show payment if you have not advised the Secetary by the cut-off date.

UPCOMING SPEAKER ARRANGEMENTS

15 July 2025 "Open Table Talk"

12 August 2025 Nick Wells "Fun Quiz"

9 September 2025 Michael Humphries Wells Reminiscenes of a Amateur Organist"
14 October 2025 Film show / Discussion "The Antikythera Mechanism"

4th TUESDAY CLUB" LUNCH (June 23rd)

Come along and enjoy the company and chat at our next "4th Tuesday Club". We normally start to gather around 12 noon at Mapledurham Golf Club. Bring along a friend or your wife.

BIRTHDAYS THIS MONTH

We have a bumper crop of birthdays this month. Francis Brown, Denis Page and Siraj Vora will be celebrating their birth.

REGALIA & CLUB SALES

If any member wishes to purchase a tie or any other item, please contact Russell King.

Reading & District Probus Club – Committee Members

President: Peter Higginson Vice President: Russell King Past President: Colin Hatcher Secretary: David Laird Treasurer: Siraj Vora Speaker Secretary: Vacant Almoner: Russell King Press Secretary: Vacant Supplies Officer: Russell King Committee Member: Francis Brown

THIS MONTH'S HUMOUR



Advice for the Gardener

Grow PEAS of mind, LETTUCE be thankful, SQUASH selfishness,

TURNIP to help your neighbour, and always make THYME for loved ones.

- "Every time I take my dog to the park, the ducks bite him I think it's because he's pure bread"
- "I finally realized why they call me a grown-up I groan every time I get up"
- "I was asked if alcoholics run in my family? I said no, but they do stumble around and break things"
- "Today I started a new job as a lift operator It's ok but it has its ups and downs"
- "My only plan for today is to get my new glasses Then I'll see what happens"
- "You really should try archery with a blindfold on You really don't know what you're missing"
- "What do you call two men holding up Drapes at the window Curt and Rod".
- "Here's a good tip for you Never throw your false teeth at your car You might denture bodywork"
- "Jamaican Hairstyle Day Is Tomorrow I'm Dreading It"

- "When I was younger, I thought about trying archery but soon realized there were too many drawbacks"
- "When my wife told me to stop impersonating a flamingo I had to put my foot down"
- "I have a lot of unemployment jokes Sadly, none of them work"
- "The invention of the shovel was ground breaking -But it was the invention of the broom that truly swept the nation"
- "I almost applied for a job with the search and rescue team Apparently They're always looking for someone"
- "NASA is launching a satellite to say sorry to the aliens They're calling it the Apollo G"
- "I once dated a young lady with five legs Her knickers fitted her like a glove"
- "Every morning I take my cow on a long walk through the local vineyard Yes fella's I herd it through the grapevine"
- "My wife once told me I have a face like the back end of a boat - I didn't reply - I just gave her a stern look"
- "I once worked at a bakery to get by I kneaded the dough"
- "I scared off a polar bear with a frying pan. I've no idea where he got it from"

IMPORTANT NEWS RELEASE

Senior Citizens are the Nation's leading carriers of **AIDS** !!!

Hearing **AIDS**, Band **AIDS**, Walking **AIDS**, Medical **AIDS**,

Government **AIDS**, and most of all Monetary **AIDS** for their Children and Grand Children.

The Golden Years have come at last.

I cannot see, I cannot pee,
I cannot chew, I cannot screw,
My memory shrinks, my hearing stinks,
No sense of smell, I look like hell,
My body's drooping, got trouble pooping.

So, the Golden Years have come at last ????? Well, the Golden Years can kiss my!!!!