



## **Linlithgow & Bo'ness Probus Club**

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Minutes of Meeting held on: 16<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at Linlithgow Rose Club

WELCOME: President George Bird welcomed all the members.

#### **APOLOGIES:**

Lyn Aitken; Margaret Cameron; John Carswell; Bill Duncan; Dora Kelly; Jim Kelly; Julie Laurie; Donald Macdonald; Duncan McCuish; David Olwa; Garry Withnell;

#### **ALMONERS REPORT**

None

#### **MATTERS ARISING**

##### Gala Day Arches

We have been invited to carry out the Gala Day Arch judging again this year. We have done it for the last 2 years and have honed our expertise. We are looking for half a dozen or so people prepared to devote the early evening of Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June to travelling round Linlithgow identifying the best places. Anyone prepared to do this, please let Jim Hannan know on 0784 374 5216

##### Summer Outing.

The bus is nearly full. David Elliot advised the cost would be £12.00 per head. Please bring the cash to the next meeting or make a payment direct to the bank, Ref: BURRELL Details of the Bank account given below.

##### Subs

There are still a few people who haven't paid their subs. Please bring £20 to the next meeting or make payment direct to the Bank Account, Ref SUBS

##### Christmas Lunch 2025

It was agreed that as the Rose Club were unable to accommodate us on our preferred date, Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2025, Stuart will confirm our provisional booking at Linlithgow Golf Club for that date.

##### Christmas Lunch 2026

Planning ahead, it was agreed that the Rose Club should be booked for Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2026

### Games Day

The members then proceeded to take part in the annual Games Day, organised by George Wilson. Much good natured bantering took place with some unsuspected stars appearing, showing signs of a mis-spent youth.

At the end, George (Bird) presented George (Wilson) with a suitable token of the club's gratitude.

### NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April when Ian Wallace, Preceptor of Torphichen, will educate us on the history of the building and its connection with the Knights of St John.

Chris Collen  
Secretary  
16/04/2025

### **Bank details**

- **Sort code: 801737 Bank of Scotland**
- **Account No. 00231008 LIN&BONESS PROBUS CB TR**