

Probus Club of Calgary

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Probus Club is a group of enthusiastic, concerned business associates, striving to develop positive business relationships that will benefit all members.

NEXT MEETING:

May 19th 2011, 12:00 PM

Calgary Elks Lodge and Golf Club
2502 6th St. N.E.

FEES: Prospective members attending under an available category will attend their first meeting free of charge. Visitors who are not prospective members - \$26.00

- 1) Al our VP opened the meeting at approximately 12:10PM.
- 2) Al reviewed the procedure of passing the card box around the room with the first go around being for the purpose of each member checking their own card supply and adding additional cards if required. It is also an opportunity for guests to place cards in the back of the box. The second go around is for everyone present to take out cards from members to help in the promotion of each others business.

New Member Inductions and Application For Membership

There where no new members inducted at this meeting.

Other Business

The 50/50 winner for Mat 5th was Irvin.

Al spoke briefly regarding the following topics:

SAIT Dinner reminder

Trade Show wrap up

Reviewed directors notes from meeting

Web site update, thanks to Netty's lead on this

Club membership drive- we need to put in some effort to make this successful

Quarterly dues are due

Leads and Thank Yous

BBQ at the Jorgensens on July 24th 2011

Our mini speaker for May 5th was Irvin Adler, Irvin gave us a talk on the importance of having a WILL. Information was left as a handout.

Our craft talk for May 5th was by David West. David gave us a great talk on web sites for your business and how to drive potential clients to you to your web site. An excellent talk.

Greeter for May 19th is Mike Dowling

Mini Speaker for May 19th is Mike Dowling

Guest Speaker for May 19th is Carol Rosdobutko of Sandler Training

Let's do our best to bring a guest.

Present

Members present for the May 5th meeting where

Irvin Adler, Chris Alves, Barbara Forester, Al Gibson, Richard Hook, Netty Palmer, Veralin Phillips-Michael, Michael Setters, Dr Paul Semadeni, Keith Traptow, David West, Peter Whalley and Michael Youden

GUEST: No Guests

Leads and Thank-you's combined for both meetings, April 7th

Thank-You's

To:

From:

For:

Ralph Jorgensen

Netty Palmer

Lead

Meher Gadamsetti

Al Gibson

Referral to Alex re Quick Books

Leads:

Michael Campbell

Veralin Phillips-Michael

Royal Trust Company

Michael Dowling

Veralin Phillips-Michael

Royal Trust Company

Michael Youden

Veralin Phillips-Michael

Royal Trust Company

Michael Youden

Veralin Philips-Michael

Dominion of Canada

New Categories to be Filled

Handyman, Caterer, Travel Agent, Promotional Products to name a few.

Existing Categories

Accounting Services
Chiropractor
Computer Specialist
Florist
Marketing Consultant
Mortgage Broker
Photographer
Sign Printer

Business Coach
Chocolate Manufacture
Evaluator
General Insurance
Mass Communications
Print Broker
Promotional Products

CarpetCleaning
Organizer / Stager
Financial Planner
Construction
Lawyer
Realtor
Web Design

NEW MEMBERS:

Be sure to bring your business associates to the next open meeting and show them the advantages of belonging to the Club. If you have contacts that you would like to have invited to a meeting, pass their name and telephone number to the Membership Director, and he will follow up all leads.

**Remember, if someone you recommend joins Probus
you will receive a \$50 gift certificate from Probus to use as dues on Social Events.**

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Social	Netty Palmer
Leads & Thank You's	Michelle Johnston

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Our website can be viewed at:
www.probusclubcalgary.org