

# **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:**

**October 6th 2011, 12:00 PM**

Calgary Elks Lodge and Golf Club  
2502 6<sup>th</sup> 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) Sid opened the meeting at approximately 12:00PM.
- 2) Sid 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 were no new members inducted at this meeting.

## **Other Business**

- We switched this meeting from a scheduled business meeting to a regular meeting as a directors meeting was not held prior to this luncheon and with only one director present, a proper business meeting could not be held. The Business meeting will be held on October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011.
- Our next social is the Pool Tournament set for September 29<sup>th</sup> 2011 at Riverstone Pub, corner of 14<sup>th</sup> St and Northmount Dr NW. If you did not pay Mike at lunch, please bring \$15.00 per person to the social. We will plan to start the Pool Tournament at 7PM.
- 50 / 50 winner: Michael Setters

Our Mini Speaker today was Chris Alves. Providing a handout, Chris was able to enlighten us on the current market trends and why they happen. Great talk!

Our Craft Talk today was given by Dr. Paul Semadeni. Along with handouts, Paul showed off some of the tools of his trade and with his humor, enlightened us to how he does business with a focus on his clients needs. He customizes each treatment for his clients. Great talk by Dr. Paul.

## Present

Members present for the September 22nd meeting where:

Irvin Adler, Chris Alves, Mike Dowling, Meher Gadamsetti, Al Gibson, Sid Helischauer, Michelle Johnston, Ralph Jorgensen, Adam Kilmury, Mira Laprell, Veralin Phillips-Michael, Dr. Paul Semadeni, Michael Setters, Keith Traptow, Peter Whalley

GUEST: Mark Stables, VP of Business Development with Premiere Van Lines.

## Leads and Thank-you's

### Thank-You's

To:	From:	For:
Sid Helischauer	Veralin Phillips-Michael	Gift Certificates
Mira Laprell	Taylor Signs	House Sign
Netty Palmer	Veralin Phillips-Michael	New Business
Rena St Clair	Veralin Phillips-Michael	Quote on Business
Irvin Adler	Ralph Jorgensen	Excellent Legal Work
Mike Dowling	Vera Lynn Phillips-Michael	Referral
Ralph Jorgensen	Al Gibson	Gas Plus contact

### **Leads:**

Al Gibson	Ralph Jorgensen	Gas Plus contact
Michelle's Flowers	Sid Helischauer	Flowers for funeral

## New Categories to be Filled

Handyman, Caterer, Promotional Products, Marketing Consultant, Stager, Promotional Products to name a few.

## Existing Categories

Accounting Services	Carpet Cleaning	Chocolate Manufacture	
Computer Specialist	Chiropractor	Financial Planner	
Florist	General Insurance	Construction	
Lawyer	Mortgage Broker	Print Broker	
Realtor	Photographer	Travel	
Agent	Web Design	Environmental Air	Point
Of Sale Software			
Sign Printer	Memorials	Wellness Sales	
Condo Maintenance			

## 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 on 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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### **Probus Club of Calgary Calgary's Networking Club BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2011**

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Vice President	Al Gibson
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Membership	Paul Semadeni
Social	Netty Palmer
Leads & Thank You's	Michelle Johnston

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Our website can be viewed at:

[www.probusclubcalgary.org](http://www.probusclubcalgary.org)