

**GUEST SPEAKER:** Pat Sheehan from Fred's Van

Fred's Van is named after Frederic Ozanam who started St Vincent de Paul Society in Paris in 1833 to help the poor.

Gawler was the first country van to operate. Each Thursday evening, between 6 & 7pm, meals are served to people at Pioneer Park. The aim is to provide nutritious food and friendship to people in need. They provide enough helpers to actually serve the food as if the people are guests in their home. This also helps prevent friction.

The food is now prepared at the Recreation Centre and drivers make sure that everything required is on board.

Donations come from schools, Gawler South Bakery, Cheesecake Shop, plus others. McDonalds supply a container with ice & cordial. Some food is purchased.

There are 4 teams of 7 volunteers, enough to have time to chat to people & gauge needs. Books & some items like beanies & scarves are put out for people to take.

Catering is difficult to judge as numbers can vary between around 10 to 30. Sometimes people take an extra meal for people unable to get there. Excess food can be given to people in need who visit Vinnie's shop on Friday.

Gen Dowling gave a vote of thanks and presented Pat with money donated by members.

**NEXT MEETING**

**Monday 16th December at Gawler Arms 12 fo 12:30**

Christmas Lunch

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The Ladies Probus Club  
of Gawler Inc.

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**Meeting Number 425**

# THE LADIES PROBUS CLUB OF GAWLER INC

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## Attendance

37

## Apologies

2

## Meeting No: 425

**November 18th 2019**

**Visitors : 3**

Beryl welcomed 37 members & 3 visitors to our meeting. It was decided that anticipated visits to the Lavender Farm & Wholers high tea would be left until next year.

A discussion, about whether to continue with afternoon teas at Café Nova or lunches at the Southern Hotel , was held. The consensus was to alternate monthly between afternoon tea and a lunch and maybe vary where we hold the afternoon tea (maybe Vadoulis's)

Final payment for Christmas lunch should have been paid to Bev Manning. New member , Wendy Costello, was introduced by Carmel & inducted into the club by Beryl. Welcome Wendy.

Christmas lunch will be held at The Gawler Arms on Monday 16th December 12 for 12:30. Committee members please bring a \$10 gift for raffle.

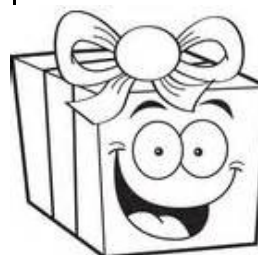


## COMING EVENTS

**Christmas Lunch** Gawler Arms on 16th December 12 for 12:30

## BIRTHDAYS IN

Birthday wishes are extended to these ladies.



Shirley Secomb 17th

Jenny Schutz 20th

Julie Andelovic 21st

**LIAISON:** We send our best wishes to the following ladies and hope they are soon recovered

-Eileen Boswell in hospital

-Maryann MacCrae still in hospital

-Ann Cleaver goes into hospital on 16th December for hip replacement

-Fay Buckby in Southern Cross Home Prospect



## COFFEE AFTERNOON

No coffee afternoon this month

## TREASURER'S CORNER



At the end of October  
the balance was  
\$1383-91