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A NEW PROBUS CLUB IS BEING PLANNED

The PROBUS Clubs of Uxbridge and Port Perry are bursting with over 600 members combined! So we're joining forces to start a new North Durham PROBUS club. Come to our Information Meeting to learn more about us.

PROBUS is a volunteer-based, non-profit, non-political fellowship organization with over 4,000 clubs worldwide for retired and semi-retired people. Our only agenda is to have fun, make new friends, and enjoy each other's company.

PROBUS Clubs have awesome speakers and a wide range of social events, travel and interest groups. It's an ideal environment to meet people while enjoying your favourite activities and the stimulation of social contact.

We are planning an information meeting:

Thursday, April 11, at 10 am
Hope Church, 14480 Old Simcoe Rd., Port Perry.

COME AND BRING A FRIEND !!

WHAT IS PROBUS?

PROBUS clubs are non-profit, non-political, non-sectarian, and non-fundraising fellowship clubs for retirees and semi-retirees aged 55 and over. Almost 60 years ago PROBUS started with one club in Britain with retired members of the local Rotary, and the number of clubs has since grown to over 4,000 worldwide. Canada alone has 250 clubs with over 35,000 members including 10 clubs in Durham Region alone! And if you travel, you can find local contacts in PROBUS clubs throughout Canada and other countries to make your visit more memorable.

Most PROBUS clubs are known for their low annual fees and operate entirely by volunteers. They have monthly meetings with wonderful speakers on a variety of subjects, along with a fun break time for mingling and enjoying a free beverage and tasty treat. The social activities range from visits to local venues like theatre, galleries, gardens, ballgames, restaurants, and attractions, to day trips and overnight stays, to places farther afield and even international travel opportunities and cruises. And then there's the many interest groups where you can join other members having similar interests in activities like hikes, cards, wine tasting, lunch & dinner groups, book clubs, etc.

As people move into and through their senior years, the enjoyment of friendships, social activities, lifelong learning and staying active become increasingly important in maintaining both mental and physical wellbeing. This is where PROBUS excels by offering all those opportunities for its members. To get an idea of all the opportunities for fun and fellowship that PROBUS clubs offer, check out the websites of the **Uxbridge PROBUS Club** www.uxbridgeprobus.com and the **Port Perry PROBUS Club** www.portperryprobus.com or email us at northdurhamprobus@gmail.com

There are already PROBUS clubs in Uxbridge and Port Perry with over 600 members between them. But with membership interest in those two clubs being so high over the last several years and not enough space in their meeting venues, they have had waiting lists each year for people to join. As a result, Port Perry PROBUS and Uxbridge PROBUS Clubs are jointly sponsoring a new North Durham Club in this area.

To learn about this opportunity and to get in on the ground floor of a new club, there's an information meeting, open to all the public, that will be held on:

APRIL 11th at 10:00 AM in Hope Church at 14480 Old Simcoe Road, Port Perry.