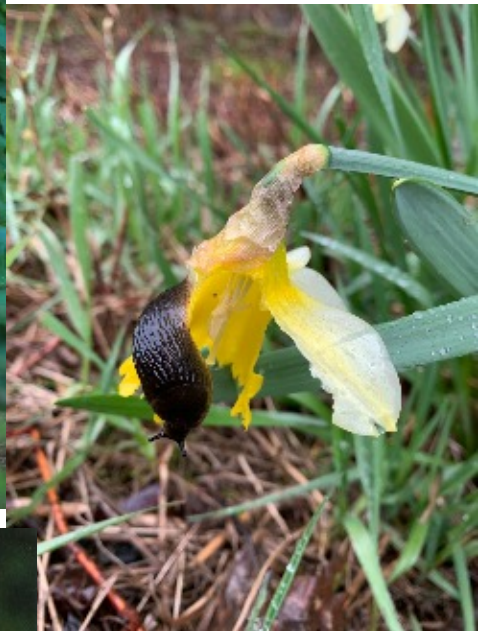




PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

At this month's meeting, the subject was wildlife photography. After watching the lesson by Joel Sartore, we shared photos that we had taken of wildlife. Below are three of the best.

If you are interested in joining this club, contact Bruce Ellis



He was stuck with his debt, he could not budge it.

Police were summoned to a local day-care center where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.



WALKING GROUP

The Monday weekly walks have continued despite some rain. Melanie plans to alternate between the easy Air Park loop one week, with a different location the following week. If you want to add your name to the notice list, please e-mail Melanie

Gordon Hutton

Some of you may be unaware that one of our members, Gordon Hutton, has for the last 15 years been the Financial Manager for Probus Canada, the national organization to which our club belongs.

Recently, Gordon retired from that position, and Probus Canada presented him with a plaque to thank him for his service. Congratulations, Gordon!



PUB CLUB NEWS

After the April Probus Orca meeting we went to the Avenue Bistro. They were well prepared for our visit and we were well looked after. The Avenue management have always been very accommodating and friendly. They are definitely on our list for repeat visits in the cold weather months.



In May I hope to return to the Church Street Taphouse. It is handy to the Legion and has a good variety of drinks and food. I had been hoping for warmer weather so we could go to venues that have outdoor seating. Up until now I have chosen venues with indoor seating. Hopefully June will be more amenable to outdoor venues.

Watch for my notice for our May venue next week. Do not reply before you get the May invitation. I was very pleased that I had been given adequate notice from those who were unable to attend. The venues always appreciate receiving accurate information regarding the number of expected guests, as they have to arrange adequate seating and staffing for the event.

Howard



CROQUET

Gordie March, is interested in establishing a Croquet group within the club this summer. If you are interested in joining or just want more information please contact Gordie



So sad, but we have come to the end of our bowling season.

There have been 9 diehards attending each month and I would like to thank them so very much for keeping this fun activity going over the past few months.

April's event was full of exciting scores from our "elite" bowlers (Jill Ackerman – 456; Georgia McLellan – 440; Mike Wilson – 430). However there was some fine bowling being offered by the rest of the players.

The laughter and encouragement throughout these games has been electric.

We aim to start up again in September. Hope more of our Orca friends will sign up and try this out.

Here are the details for May's event:

DATE: WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2022

TIME: 1:00 PM (please arrive by 12:45 pm)

PLACE: CODES COUNTRY LANES
(307 – 6th Street, Courtenay)

COST: \$13.85 per person – **CASH ONLY**

NOTE: MASKS WILL NOT BE REQUIRED THIS TIME
Sanitizer is available on site

- Marie Knowles

