

Partners & Family Group

Phone for Coffee and a Chat

After a talk from Newhaven Funerals, a discussion about the advertised Funeral Plans on TV showed a number of enlightened facts.

Funeral Insurance:

- Does NOT cover natural death in the first 12 months.
- If continuous payments are stopped – insurance is null and void even if payment has been for years.
- Insurance rates can increase with age.
- When payments stop their value is zero value.
- Funeral will be arranged by others

Newhaven funerals

- All moneys paid accumulate and earn interest.
- When payments reach the chosen ceiling there is no more to pay.
- Money is in a government audited trust account which is independent of the company.
- A Newhaven funeral fund is transferable to other family members.
- Newhaven is locally owned so all funds stay in Australia
- Funeral details are arranged by YOU.

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Gold Coast Prostate Cancer Support Groups



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Prostate Tweed City

A Prostate health & Prostate cancer support group
Meet the **FIRST** Friday of each month at
Tweed City Shopping Centre Tweed Heads NSW 2485.
Doors open at 9.45am for 10am meeting

NEXT MEETING
6th NOVEMBER, 2015

We look forward to meeting you at our next meeting.
Our December meeting will be on the 4th of Dec 2015.

We look forward to meeting and welcoming you.

WE will not be holding a meeting on the 1st of Jan 2016.

We always have the water boiling ready to make coffee or a cup of Tea,

Come along of a chat

Cheers Ross

Nerang Daytime Group

Meet the second Thursday of each month at
Nerang RSL Club
69 Nerang Street, Nerang (near Cinema)
10am for 10.30 am meeting

NEXT MEETING
12th NOVEMBER, 2015

All,

Last month we had Patrick Jones from Newhaven Funerals (one of the few Australian companies) as guest speaker. He was very informative explaining processes, pre planning, and pre-paid vs funeral insurance.

The pre-paid money goes into a separate trust account that can only be accessed by the beneficiaries.

Next meeting I was hoping to have the office of fair trading to talk about scams etc. Unfortunately, I have not heard back (it is an online request). If not, I will have 5 minute videos, and a catch up.

This week, we attended GCCC workplace event as requested by the organiser to create awareness to the GCCC workers. We had a good response from them.

Saturday, we attended the Parkwood Rotary "Bubble & bow tie" luncheon at their request. The event raises money for prostate and breast cancer research.

Our last talk there was beneficial to an attendee who was prompted to get tested.

I will also be asking for numbers attending in December so I can organise catering for finger food lunch in the room. Cost will be approx \$8 per person.

Hope to see you there.

John & Kerry.

Central Gold Coast Group

Meet the third Wednesday of each month at
Kurrawa Surf Club
Old Burleigh Road, Broadbeach
6pm

NEXT MEETING
18th NOVEMBER, 2015

15 members & partners attended our October meeting, and there were 8 apologies. 14 stayed on for an enjoyable meal and some socializing after the meeting.

Bruce opened the meeting with some general items, and Peter mentioned that Jorg had successfully raised some money for our Group through his employer. This will be applied to promoting our Group more widely in the public arena as well as allowing us to make further donations.

Our guest speakers were Prof. Pam Russell and her colleague, Dr Brian Tse, from the Australian Prostate Cancer Research Centre Qld, Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane. They gave a very interesting talk on the latest prostate imaging and reporting systems research developments. In particular, they spoke about the use of iron oxide and/or hyper-branched polymer nano particles to better highlight the PSMA (prostate specific membrane antigen) molecule in clinical imaging. The aim is to improve prostate cancer diagnosis and treatment by better targeting of the PSMA molecule and avoid some of the adverse side effects with the use of the nano particles.

Next month's guest speaker will be Dr Charles Chabert, a urological surgeon now located at Pindara Hospital.

We hope you can join us (with wives/partners) for another interesting and relaxed evening, and then join us for some socializing over a light meal at the end of the meeting. If you know of anyone with prostate cancer issues, invite them along.

Cheers, Bruce, Jeff & Peter