

Probus Neutral Bay Guest Speaker – Tues. 13th MAY 2025

Steve Liebmann OAM – Renowned TV presenter, Journalist and Radio broadcaster.



"The Ramblings of an Ageing Broadcast Journalist".

Introduction: During his award-winning career, Steve Liebmann interviewed presidents, prime ministers, royalty and the world's leading entertainers and sporting stars. As one of Australia's top journalists, he won wide respect for his fairness, impartiality and objectiveness.

Born in Cooma, he relocated to Canberra in 1962 and worked at [radio 2CA](#), then [2UE](#) in Sydney, where he became director of news and public affairs at the station. In 1976, he left to join [2SM](#).

In his first venture into TV he became the host of [Seven's 11AM program](#), as well as anchoring the station's Sydney evening news. He hosted the [Willesee program](#) on several occasions.

He joined the Nine Network in 1981, becoming the inaugural co-host of the national breakfast show [Today](#), alongside Sue Kellaway. In 1986, he joined the Ten Network to anchor [Eyewitness News](#), alongside Geraldine Doogue.

In 1990 He rejoined [Today](#) and remained at the Nine Network until 2005, resigning due to illness. Subsequently, he presented [Ten Weekend News](#) in Sydney during 2006 and hosted [Crime Investigation Australia](#) on Foxtel, focusing on infamous Australian crimes.

In Dec 2009, he replaced Steve Price as [Morning Show](#) host on 2UE, but resigned in Nov. 2010.

As a journalist Steve wrote articles for [The Bulletin](#) and [Men In Vogue](#).

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Our Guest Speaker: **Steve Liebmann OAM.** Born in Cooma in 1944 he attended Monaro High School. He became a journalist in Cooma on Radio 2XL while still at that school. This was the start of an outstanding career which earned him several journalistic awards, including the "News Presenter of the Year" from the Aust. Commercial Radio Industry and the Penguin Award for Special Recognition for Contribution to News. In 2023 he was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia for his contribution to broadcasting.

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On a personal basis, Steve has lived in Mosman since 1979, though recently moved he still lives in the area. He confesses to still being a news junkie. He loves playing tennis and still plays in a serious breakfast competition 3-4 times per week in Naremburn.

His Presentation: Steve Liebmann has honoured us by accepting our invitation. He will draw on his life via 'the Ramblings of an Ageing Broadcast Journalist'.

