

ZONTA International



MARCH 1979.

NEWSLETTER NO. 7

ZONTA CLUB OF BRISBANE NORTH
P. O. Box 368 NORTH BRISBANE. 4000

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

1979 MARCH 12	MONTHLY MEETING, UNITED SERVICE CLUB. 7.0 PM FOR 7.30.
APRIL 5-8	DISTRICT XVI CONVENTION, MELBOURNE HILTON, EAST MELBOURNE.
APRIL 11	COMBINED CHARTER DINNER, BRISBANE NORTH AND BRISBANE SOUTH CLUBS, MELBOURNE HOTEL. 7.0 PM FOR 7.30.
1980 JULY 13-17	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, WASHINGTON, D.C., USA.
1982 JULY 11-14	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
1984	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SYDNEY.

NEWS IN BRIEF: You will note from the first diary entry that the venue of the March meeting is now moved to the United Service Club. Difficulties have arisen in the catering area at B.G.G.S. At the Board Meeting on March 5 Judith Hancock and Carmel Byrne offered to investigate respectively 29 Murray Street and the Zebra in George Street. That big decision on our permanent home is becoming urgent. Let us decide soon.

TREASURER'S NOTE: Annual subscriptions for the 1979-80 year are due as at March 1st 1979. Subscription amount is \$25.00. If members will bring their subscriptions to the meeting on Monday, March 12th it will assist the Treasury to meet its International and Divisional dues payable March 15th. Those unable to attend the meeting should forward their subscriptions to the Treasurer c/-P.O. Box No. address as shown in letterhead at top of this newsletter.

MELBOURNE CONVENTION: There are a number of resolutions and recommendations to be put forward at the convention about which our delegate and alternate must be informed as to the club's thinking if they are to vote in good conscience. To help you form your own view before the meeting, copies of these are enclosed.

CHARTER DINNER: Invitations to our official guests are already out. You will **receive yours** at the club meeting on March 12. Subscription for the dinner - \$14.00 for yourself, or \$28.00 if you are bringing a guest - is due by March 31. Those who do not attend the March dinner will receive their invitations in the mail. You will note the request to R.S.V.P. by March 31. It is essential to have the guest list complete by that date for catering purposes.

ENCLOSURES:

Agenda for March 12 meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting

Resolutions for Melbourne Convention

Recommendations from Sydney Club for amendment to certain By-Laws.

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THIS IS AN EMERGENCY NEWSLETTER ONLY, OWING TO
PRESSURES OF PREPARATION FOR MELBOURNE CONFERENCE AND
OUR CHARTER DINNER ON APRIL 11.

THE ONLY IMPORTANT THING WORTH MENTIONING AT THIS STAGE
IS FOR EVERYBODY TO ADVISE PATRICE DREWE AT ONCE WHAT THEY ARE
DOING ABOUT THE CHARTER DINNER, IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO.
MONEY MUST BE IN HAND BEFORE DATE OF DINNER TO AVOID
EMBARRASSING QUEUES OF MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT PAID HOLDING UP
PROCEEDINGS AT THE ENTRANCE.

PLEASE HELP THE COMMITTEE IN ITS EFFORTS TO MAKE THIS
A MEMORABLE OCCASION NOT ONLY FOR MEMBERS, BUT FOR ALL OUR
V.I.P.GUESTS TOO.

ENCLOSURE: MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING.

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Members are reminded that election of officers and directors of the Board must take place at the annual general meeting on June 11. Nominations are required for the following positions:

1. President
2. First Vice-President
3. Corresponding Secretary
4. Minutes Secretary
5. Treasurer
6. Two (2) Two-Year Directors
7. One (1) One-Year Director (to complete term of two-year director Ryl. Pierce who has resigned).

The only member not subject to election is Mary Mahoney who has the second year to serve of her Two-Year Director's term.

N.B. The President must be elected from the existing Board. (Article VII Section II).

All financial members of the Club including present office holders are eligible for election.

NOMINATIONS SHOULD BE PRESENTED IN THE FOLLOWING FORM AND SIGNED BY THE NOMINEE (THESE NOMINATIONS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO NOMINATING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, JOCELYN GRANT-TAYLOR, 550 LUTWYCHE ROAD, LUTWYCHE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BEFORE FRIDAY MAY 4 IN TIME FOR LIST TO BE PRESENTED TO BOARD THE FOLLOWING WEEK.)

I HEREBY NOMINATE.....

FOR THE POSITION OF.....

ZONTA CLUB OF BRISBANE NORTH FOR 1979 ELECTIONS

SIGNED.....NOMINATOR

SECONDED..... SECONDER

.....NOMINEE

Minutes for meeting of Zonta Club of Brisbane North at Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. 9/4/79.

Apologies: Robyn Banks, Jennifer Blocksidge, Pamela Bray, Janet Conrad, Jocelyn Grant-Taylor, Pat McLeod, Shirley McLeod, Lorraine Martin, Jennifer Pixley, Dianne Perrott, Lyn Thomason, Fay Walker, Joan Webster, Del Whelan, June Halliday, Joan Sparksman, Judy Winston-Smith.

President Grace Fryer took the chair.

Meeting began with discussion on preparations for Charter Dinner on April 11.

Referring to Article 7 of Club By-laws, which suggests that large clubs should have Nominating Committee of five, Helen Lahey moved, Judith Hancock seconded that five be elected from the floor. Results: Heather Waldron and Anne Marie Troutman were re-elected. Chris Christensen, Joan Sheridan and Jocelyn Grant-Taylor were elected. A ballot for chairman resulted in the election of Jocelyn Grant-Taylor. Nominating Committee was requested to report on nominations received to Board at May meeting. Nominations received to be published in May Newsletter.

Chairman called for a report on District XVI conference. Delegate Heather Waldron and alternate delegate Jean Sinclair informed meeting of successful resolution of Brisbane club for change to southern boundary of Area I. This would now run from the east coast, south of Grafton and Tenterfield, following shire boundaries west to Goondiwindi and linking up with Queensland-N.S.W. border to meet Area II.

Heather Waldron moved, Anne Marie Troutman seconded that the club now establish a Travel Fund to provide for future delegates to such gatherings. Heather Waldron informed members that District XVI total contributions to Zonta International projects were \$10,065 of which \$8235 was earmarked for Bogota slum clearance and \$1830 for the Amelia Earhart Foundation which this year had provided 22 scholarships each worth \$5000. Heather said that the International President-elect Shirley Schneider had issued a challenge to District XVI for the Christchurch conference in 1981 to reach the \$5000 mark for its Amelia Earhart Foundation subscription that year.

Heather referred to Z.I. Beard scheme for birthday parties to be held by all clubs throughout the world on November 8 this year to celebrate the 60th birthday of Zonta International. Heather referred to need for members to subscribe to The Zontian to become better informed members.

Anne Marie Troutman moved, Judy Miley seconded that a Wine-Tasting Evening with members providing supper be held in near future. Judith Hancock offered loan of school hall.

Treasurer's Report: Opening Balance \$651.00
 Payments: Z.I and Divisional Dues \$445.00
 Z.I. Columbia Project 50.00
 Amelia Earhart 50.00
 Travel Subsidies for delegates
 (\$50.00 ea.) 100.00
 Z.I. lapel badges (35) 82.00
 Petty Cash 25.00
 TOTAL PAYMENTS 752.00

Receipts: Subscriptions
 March Dinner
 Functions (mainly Charter Dinner)
 RECEIPTS TOTAL 2803.00

CLOSING BALANCE 2703.00

Treasurer reminded members that Brisbane North is the banker for the Charter Dinner and that budget for Charter Dinner suggests an overall loss of about \$200.00. Treasurer reminded members who had not paid subscriptions that these should be paid without more delay.

Minutes for meeting of Zonta Club of Brisbane North at Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. 9/4/79. Continued:

Moved by Treasurer, seconded by Barbara Newton that report be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Jean Sinclair, seconded by Mary Mahoney that Fay Silcock and Barbara Newton be handed club option forms for consideration by them and report back to future meeting.

Judy Miley moved, Anne Marie Troutman seconded that monthly meetings ^{fork tea} take similar format to tonight's (i.e. simply a club meeting without ~~formal dinner with light refreshment instead~~) with more formal function, such as a \$2.00 ~~fork dinner~~, to be held once a quarter. Motion carried.

It was decided therefore to change venue and date. MAY MEETING WILL NOW BE HELD TUESDAY, 8TH MAY WITH EXECUTIVE MEETING TO BE HELD AT 5PM SAME DAY TO BE FOLLOWED BY GENERAL MEETING AT 6 P.M. MEETINGS TO BE HELD AT BRISBANE GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Moved by Judy Miley, seconded by Barbara Newton that each member hold individual raffle in rotation, which would require a member to do this only once every three years.

Chairman read letter of resignation from Ryl Pierce who resigned from her two-year directorship owing to pressures of work and home duties. Moved by Mary Mahoney, seconded by Mercia Ferrier that secretary write letter accepting her resignation with regret.

Chairman formally closed meeting.

with fork tea and chessboard with more formal function

URGENT! JUNE 10 (SUNDAY) at 5 PM at B.G.G.S. is our wine and cheese
tasting, followed by supper. \$7.00. ARE YOU COMING? OF
COURSE YOU ARE! SEE PARAGRAPH BELOW.

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JUNE, 1979.

NEWSLETTER NO.10.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

1979 JUNE 11 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, UNITED SERVICE CLUB
(GREENHOUSE ROOM) FORK TEA. \$8.00 6.30 PM for 6.45 PM
1980 JULY 13-17 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, WASHINGTON, D.C., USA.
1981 DISTRICT XVI CONFERENCE, CHRISTCHURCH N.Z.
1982 JULY 11-14 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
1983 DISTRICT XVI CONFERENCE ???BRISBANE???
1984 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SYDNEY.

ACTION ACTION ACTION ACTION ACTION ACTION ACTION
IS WHAT WE WANT AND WHAT WE EXPECT AT OUR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING -
SO ROLL UP EVERYBODY! IT DEPENDS ON YOU WHAT SHAPE OUR CLUB WILL TAKE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING: As you will note from the Diary, this has been set down for the Greenhouse Room at the United Service Club. There will be further news at the AGM from the programme committee chairman on her exhaustive - and exhausting! - search for our permanent home.

DINNER APOLOGIES: Hospitality chairman Jocelyn Grant-Taylor must be informed by Friday June 8 at the latest. Ring her at 57-5774. PLEASE NOTE: Ring Jocelyn YOURSELF. Word-of-mouth has proved not reliable enough. People forget and before you know it you are landed with a late penalty fee.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE: From now on this committee, through newsletter will draw your attention to women who are making news. This month's names: Kathleen Marshall -veterinarian and caterer who came into the news as the Belle Vue Battler. Professor Betty watts got the chairmanship of the new Queensland Board of Teacher Education.

HELP! HELP! Isn't ANYBODY going to our wine and Cheese Tasting Evening at Brisbane Girls' Grammar School on Sunday night, starting at 5 p.m? You have probably decided to go, but neglected to advise Anne Marie Troutman or Judy Miley of the fact. This puts them in a frightful dilemma, trying to gauge the numbers for catering purposes. Have a heart, do, and ring Anne Marie 263 1047 or Judy 36 6233.

GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER: This will be distributed at the annual general meeting. Be sure to read it. It says some very nice things about our Charter Dinner which you will find a pleasant boost to the morale.

ANNUAL REPORTS: Just a smattering of these have come in. The deadline was June 1, so it is assumed that most committee chairmen are at a loss for words! Delegates to that memorable Area 1 workshop at the Gold Coast last year were advised that the sooner committees got together for meetings in each other's homes the quicker members became motivated and informed. If you are feeling vague about the role and function of your committee, just getting together to discuss this fact and/or studying the manual of procedure (everybody was given one) should help you take the next step, seek advice or put your own initiative to the test. You could come up with something exciting and challenging and really put Brisbane north on the map!

SEE YOU AT THE A.G.M.!

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ZONTA GROWS!: Helen Row advises that organisational dinner for the new Zonta Club for Ipswich to be known as Zonta Club of West Moreton Area is to be held on July 16 at 6.30 pm. for 7 at Ipswich Club, 14 Grey St., Ipswich. Brisbane North is invited to be represented by two members of its executive.

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NEWSLETTER NO.11

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2nd JULY, 1979.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

1979 JULY 9 MONTHLY MEETING, ZEBRA MOTEL, 103 GEORGE ST., CITY. 6.30PM for 6.45.
\$7.00.

1979 SEPT. 8 & 9 SPRING FAIR.

GREETINGS EVERYONE! As this is a new year as far as Brisbane North is concerned, and we now have a new executive as a result of elections at our A.G.M. on June 11, greetings all round are very much in order. Meet your newly elected executive - President: Judith Hancock; First Vice-President: Mercia Ferrier; Second Vice-President: June Halliday; Correspondence Secretary: Jean Sinclair; Minutes Secretary: Joan Sheridan; Treasurer: Helen Lahey. Two 2-year Directors were elected - Janet Conrad and Sandra Fisher. One 1-year Director was elected - Barbara Newton and Mary Mahoney continues for another year in her two-year directorship.

CLUB VENUE: At last we have our regular meeting place - the Zebra Motel, 103 George St., City. PLEASE NOTE. Ignore any No Parking sign you see on arrival. Programme Chairman Janet Conrad has been assured that this is only to keep out outsiders. Parking is definitely on for bona fide guests at motel. ALSO NOTE: Our dinner meeting is arranged for the 4th Floor. But if numbers are too small, it may be moved by management to another floor. So check board at entrance of Zebra.

SPRING FAIR: The Zonta Club of Brisbane North will be participating AS A CLUB at the Spring Fair to be held September 8 and 9 at Spring Hill from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on both days. Planning is now underway and all members are involved. The committee chairman June Halliday has held her first meeting and all members can expect to hear much more on this score very shortly.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS: Did you know that British PM Margaret Thatcher is a Zontian? So that's one Voice for Zonta, being heard throughout the world. Public Affairs Committee also commends to your notice Brisbane North member Fay Silcock, a strong voice in the media lately on behalf of battered children; those marvellous four air hostesses, who brought the Eagle Farm hi-jack to a peaceful conclusion last month. (Did you not see the ill-timed Larry Pickering cartoon, lampooning women pilots the same day?); Wanda Bieda, University of Queensland graduate goes to Peking on a two-year scholarship jointly funded by Australian and Chinese governments; Quentin Bryce came through loud and clear on media for leading study group investigating Wilston Youth Hostel, rights of children, etc. and her accusation that Australian Dads did not really like children!!

VOICE OF ZONTA: Status of Women Committees of both Brisbane and Brisbane North have been doing something about it getting heard by attending public meeting convened by the National Women's Advisory Council at the City Hall, Brisbane on June 25. Purpose was to explain NWAC's function as a channel of communication between women in community and the Government and to hear views and needs of women generally. Our Zonta reps. raised following issues: Married Women's right to work; need for Tax Concessions for Child Care Expenses incurred by Working Women; the detrimental effect that re-introduction of Tertiary Education Fees would have on women's access to employment opportunities. Brisbane North S of W committee chairperson Mercia Ferrier reports many excellent recommendations from large number of women attending to be channelled through to the Government by NWAC.

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NEWSLETTER NO. 12.

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AUGUST, 1979.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

1979	AUGUST 13	MONTHLY MEETING, ZEBRA MOTEL, 103 GEORGE ST. 7 PM FOR 7.30 PM
	SEPT. 8-9	SPRING FAIR (FROM 8AM TO 6PM BOTH DAYS).
1980	JULY 13-17	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, WASHINGTON, D.C. USA.
1981		DISTRICT XVI CONFERENCE, CHRISTCHURCH, NZ.
1982	JULY 11-14	INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
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1984		INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, SYDNEY.

TALKING POINTS: Something we are not going to be short of at next Monday's meeting! Some of them will be: Area Director nominees and our Club vote; the Ansett boycott; our first distribution of funds; attendance rules; the Spring Fair. All these subjects are current issues of our Club. So come prepared to make your contribution!

SPRING FAIR: June Halliday is at work on a roster, but she wants to give people a chance to choose their own shift to fit in with personal schedules. So please come to the meeting having thought about the time you want to work on Saturday and/or Sunday. Preferably both days, thank you. Workers will be required to work at the stall or in the kitchen at BGGs. People who can help shuttle supplies from Grammar down to the Fair in four-door cars or station sedans will be particularly useful. And if anybody can rope in energetic, helpful teenagers to carry things and run messages that would be lovely too. If everybody does their share, the work load will probably amount to a 2-hour shift. If there is any falling by the wayside it will mean of course that other people will have to take on extra shifts. We will also want big cartons and boxes for storage and carrying. Also trestle tables.

FOOD TRAYS FOR SPRING FAIR: The food preferably should be nothing requiring refrigeration. The trays should be delivered to Judith Hancock's house, 52 Gregory Terrace, within BGGs grounds on the Friday night. **ALL OTHER FOOD DONATIONS WELCOME:** This could include jams, bread rolls, Lebanese bread, Vienna bread, lettuce, cucumber and other salad things.

AREA OFFICER NOMINATIONS: Please find enclosed potted biographies of the three contenders for this office. Read carefully, and come to meeting prepared to discuss our vote for the Zontian who will be at the head of affairs in our District for the next two years.

ANSETT BOYCOTT: Mercia Ferrier, chairperson of the Status of Women committee draws your attention to enclosed material referring to Deborah Wardley's endeavours to become an airline pilot. The club has received a reply from Sir Reginald Ansett, through his general manager. President Judith Hancock will tell you more about this at the meeting.

DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS: The Service Committee has given to the Executive its recommendations for our first dispersal of funds. In accordance with Club regulations, these will be presented for your consideration and decision.

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NEWSLETTER NO. 15

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NORTH BRISBANE, 4000 DECEMBER, 1979.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

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DECEMBER 10

MONTHLY MEETING, ZEBRA MOTEL, 103 GEORGE ST., CITY.
7 PM FOR 7.30 PM. OUR CHRISTMAS MEETING. GUEST
SPEAKER: NONIE BLACK "GOURMET COOKING FOR
CHRISTMAS". FORMAL DINNER. \$9.00 A HEAD.

OH CHRISTMAS!!! Hope it hasn't started to get too hectic yet for all you Zontians because there is an awful lot of reading in our December Newsletter that requires interiorization (whether such a word is acceptable is beside the point!).

TOP PRIORITY NEWS: Enclosed please find a report from Membership & Classification chairman Heather Waldron which is self-explanatory. If there are no objections lodged within the next 10 days we can look forward to welcoming five new members to share our Christmas meeting with us.

ALSO TOP PRIORITY - YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT OPTIONS: Peter and Gay Clements have advised us of the best ways we can help spread Christmas cheer at the Youth Shelter. (1) They require 15 individual Christmas packs containing cigarettes, playing cards, socks, toothpaste, toothbrush, sultanas, nuts. Janet Conrad is organising the preparation of these. (2) Those who prefer to give money can donate towards the purchase of a ham on the bone and bring their donation to the December meeting. (3) Helen Lahey requires assistance with the preparation and donation of frozen casseroles. This will provide sustenance at the shelter over the Christmas period while the usual kitchen help is away. These frozen meals will be required a week before Christmas at the latest, and Helen Lahey is volunteering to collect the frozen meals from members. Please ring Helen (378 1884) with your offer.

AND NOW FOR THE GOOD NEWS!! OUR ZONTA BADGES HAVE ARRIVED! This is really great news after months of hassle by the Treasurer. It required a deal of negotiation and while the Ombudsman was enquiring into the affair, our badges went whizzing back to U.S. headquarters, who promptly whizzed them back by another route. So here they are. They will be handed out by the Treasurer at the December meeting, so line up for yours. They will cost \$2.75.

NOT SO GOOD NEWS: Jennifer Blocksidge is having a spell in hospital. Flowers and messages were sent to Jennifer on behalf of the club. Hope you are now feeling very much better Jennifer and we look forward to seeing you back with us before long. Maybe for Christmas?

MERCIA'S QUESTIONNAIRE: First vice-president Mercia Ferrier delighted with response by members to her questionnaire and thanks them for their kindly assistance in her research work. She would greatly appreciate it if those with questionnaires outstanding would return them, whether filled in or blank as soon as possible.

N.W.A.S. CONFERENCE: Our Status of Women Committee brings to your attention the forthcoming conference of the National Women's Advisory Council to be held on Saturday 15th December, 1979 at the Bardon Professional Development Centre. ALL ARE WELCOME. The conference will consider the Draft Plan of Action for the U.N. Decade for Women (1976-85) and recommendations will be put to the National Conference in Canberra in March, 1980 and from there to the United Nations Conference in Denmark in July, 1980. It is hoped as many Zontians as possible will be present to make contributions that will reflect

their interested and enlightened approach to the Draft Plan. You will remember that the N.W.A.C. was appointed by the Prime Minister, the Rt. Hon. Malcolm Fraser and the Commonwealth Government in July 1978 to advise the government on women's affairs. Any members wanting further information concerning the conference, please phone Mercia Ferrier (370 8004).

ATTENTION!! PLEASE DON'T FORGET OUR WINE RAFFLE: This will be drawn at the December meeting. All books must be in. This is ABSOLUTELY VITAL. Let's hope we do not have any dramas where somebody has to dash home for an outstanding book of tickets.

A CHALLENGE: This has come from the Zonta Club of Rotorua in New Zealand. These Zontians have challenged each club in District XVI to match its pledge of \$100 towards the Governor's suggestion of a special gift of \$5000 for the Amelia Earhart Fund to be handed in as our District's special gift at the Washington Convention in July next year. Obviously we have to respond and our A.E. Committee chairman Lyn Thomason is flexing her muscles as only a capable physiotherapist can!

WEST MORETON CHARTER DINNER: Our new neighbours, the Zonta Club of the West Moreton Area are holding their Charter Presentation Dinner on November 24. President Judith Hancock has asked Jean Sinclair to represent her at the dinner. Helen Lahey, Chris Christensen, Lyn Thomason and Anne Marie Troutman also are going. A telegram with good wishes from us all will be sent on the day.

CHILD CARE TAX DEDUCTION: The recommended plan of action is that members obtain copy of a draft letter with which to lobby the Treasurer, local MHR and any other women members of Parliament. Further, that they follow at the appropriate time, suggestions in the W.E.L. pamphlet. Copies of the draft letter and the pamphlet will be available at the December meeting. Members should claim the appropriate deductions and follow the matter through.

BORING NEWS DEPARTMENT: This will make everybody yawn except, hopefully, the two people who yet have to pay for their Zonta apron. Treasurer is ready and waiting for you to pay her the requisite \$3.00.

MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!!!

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PRESS RELEASE FROM: ZONTA CLUB OF BRISBANE NORTH
ZONTA CLUB OF BRISBANE SOUTH

Dr. Shirley Schneider will arrive in Brisbane on wednesday 11th April, 1979 to attend the joint Charter Presentation Ceremony of two new Zonta clubs in Brisbane.

It is believed this joint ceremony is a world first for Zonta International.

Dr. Schneider will be available to meet the Press at the Park royal Motel between 3 pm. and 5 pm on April 11.

Shirley Schneider is the president-elect of Zonta International, service organization of executive women in business and the professions. As a member of its executive committee, she is concerned with the direction of the international organization's programs and activities, which are supported and implemented by members of more than 750 Zonta clubs in 46 countries on six continents. She participates in Zonta conferences throughout the world and presents charters to new Zonta clubs.

Dr. Schneider is a dentist in private practice and a member of the Zonta Club of Springfield, Ohio. She was elected first vice president of Zonta International at its 1976 convention in Wiesbaden, Germany and president-elect in Denver, Colorado at the 1978 convention. She has also served as governor of Zonta's District V, which is composed of Zonta clubs in Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia.

As she plans the particular service emphasis for her 1980-1982 term of office, Dr. Schneider is primarily concerned with the promotion of Zonta's Amelia Earhart Fellowship Awards to women for graduate study and research in aerospace related sciences and engineering and Zonta's Colombia Urban Slum Project in cooperation with UNICEF, the building of health services and health education centres in the barrios of Bogota.

Dr. Schneider, a graduate of Wittenberg University and Northwestern University Dental School, is a member of the Mad River Dental Society, the Chicago Dental Society, the Ohio State Dental Association and the American Dental Association.

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