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> AREA INC MEMBER OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL EMPOWERING WOMEN

> THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY



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30th Anniversary Charter Lunch

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Dear Zontians

The 25th November is the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women. Zonta International President Sonia Hönig Schough says "Violence against women is a worldwide pandemic – it crosses every social class, every religion, race and ethnicity. At least one out of every three women worldwide has experienced violence during her lifetime. We in Zonta International cannot accept this – we need to use all our energy to eradicate violence against women locally and internationally through service and advocacy." To this end, on Friday, 24th November our members will be raising awareness of the International Day with a display outside Beaudesert Mitre 10. This year, thanks to Sue and Bob Topping and the Wongaburra Men's Shed we will have our Orange Woman as part of our display. They are representative of all those women who have experienced violence in their lives.

By this time, some of you may have already had a turn at selling tickets in the Gourmet Goodies raffle. I know that Jane and I will be heading out to Woollies next week and always hopeful of selling more than we did last year. The big day at the Beaudesert Markets is coming up very quickly too. I have bought containers to put my goodies in for sale but not yet actually done any cooking.

I heard that the excursion to Boonah was a great success. I was sorry to miss it, as I like the shops and cafés in Boonah. Once again, we will have a full agenda at our monthly meeting. Planning for end of year and Christmas activities will be high on the list, so I hope you can all attend.

Looking forward to seeing you all on Tuesday, 21st November.

Yours in Zonta

Anne

Next Dinner Meeting Tuesday 21 November 2017 at

Beaudesert R.S.L at 6:30 pm

Please let Pam know if you can't be at the meeting otherwise you will have to pay for the meal.

Also let her know if you have a guest and of course, you can bring someone whenever you would like.

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Guest Speaker

Our guest speaker for this month is Lisa Leary. Lisa is a travel agent and a friend of Carolyn Shirley. Lisa will speak to us about travel and hopefully point us in the right direction for great travel opportunities!



Christmas is coming ...

You would have all received an email asking for volunteers to decorate our sponsored tree in Beaudesert on Sunday 26 November, I believe this will be on the agenda at the Tuesday meeting.



Let's find each other at Everyday's on **Thursday 30 November** at 10:00am