Zonta Club of Beaudesert Area Inc. Club # 1197 Po Box 174 Beaudesert QLD 4285





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# **DATE CLAIMERS**

#### **Friday 14 September**

2.00 Set up for High Tea

## Saturday 15 September

12.30 for members to High Tea

## Thursday 11 October

Nindooinbah Bull Sale

## Sunday 25 November

International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women

#### Saturday 1 December

Gourmet Goodies

#### **Sunday 9 December**

**Christmas Party** 

## **MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:**

Dear Zontians

The Show is over for another year and I expect we raised our usual decent amount of money. I appreciate those who were able to work there. It is a shame about the rain but it didn't bother me at all down by the sideshow gate.

Now it is Spring and we are all ready and willing to look to our next fundraiser, the Spring Fashion Parade and High Tea. The garden looks fabulous and I know our guests will feel comfortable and love the setting. The models are ready and looking forward to it, they came last year and know what fun it was.

Ellen, Michelle, Robin, Anne and I all went to the Zonta Club of Brisbane East's High Tea and Fashion Parade on the 26th. They had a big crowd and it was very successful. I know Anne managed to buy a couple of things from the clothing on sale.

On the 5th we worked with the Quilters again making Breast cushions and we made a record 203! It was a wonderful day when they decided to help us with this project.

Our new system at the RSL seemed to work quite well last meeting so we hope it lasts. Please order your meal before coming to the Committee meetings and those of us on the Board will order after that meeting. On the night we will pay a meeting fee of \$5.00 to Pam.

We have an enthusiastic (almost) new member in Anthea. She worked at the front gate at the show and that didn't seem to put her off! I hear she is baking brownies for the Spring Parade...yum. We are happy to add Anthea to our membership list

We recently had a little catch up with a former member, Sylvia Mellor and our recovering member, Susan Topping at the info centre. Susan seems to be coming along well especially with Bob looking after her so well.

A couple of our members are off travelling; Pennie is visiting her daughter Angela in Arnhem Land and Deirdre is flying off to Ireland to catch up with family.

Yours in Zonta

Denise

Sandy Venn Brown http://www.zontadistrict22.org Next Dinner Meeting Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2018

at

Beaudesert R.S.L at 6:30 pm

*nber* served for 7:30pm. We will then give Pam \$5.00 a meeting fee.





Let's meet for coffee ...

10:00am at Beaudesert Hotel on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September2018

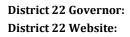
Remember we are ordering and paying for our

meals at the Bistro and asking that the meal be

Top: Wendy Pritchard (left) and Ellen Easter (right) from the Quilters with Denise and Margie from Zonta. Margaret Dennis is happily tossing the 203rd cushion in the air! Bottom: At Brisbane East's Fashion Parade and meeting with Sylvia Mellor and Susan Topping at the Info Centre.







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Area 3 Director:

One of the things our new District Board is hoping we will do as a club is have us all registered on the website. I know we have talked about this before but we are going to have a little session, possibly at next week's meeting to get everyone on it. At the moment only 7 of us are registered—we can do better!

Did you notice this in the District Governor's newsletter? It will be interesting to see how it works...

#### **Individual Membership**

International Convention body passed a resolution for a pilot "individual" membership category.

The intention is for people who wish to support the work of Zonta but cannot or do not want to become a member of a club can join Zonta International without paying Club or District dues. Work has begun to develop forms and to program the database to welcome these members.

More information will become available but if you know someone for whom this may be an option, let us know.



This is our Centenary logo and we will be using it in our publications for the next 12 months.

Carolyn, Nerolie and Marg D with some happy visitors to the show and Denise ready for the rain.







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