ZONTA ON THE ROCKS

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NOTICES.

If you are unable to attend the dinner meeting,

please advise

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by 10 amon the Mondaybefore the meeting.

Failure to apologize will incur payment of \$25.00.





International Convention: 28 June – 03 July 2008: Rotterdam



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Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide

Fellow Zontians

With Jan away it is my opportunity to not only be editor of the newsletter this month but also provide an update on what has been happening over the past month.

June/July signals holiday time and travel for many of our members so no doubt our meetings this coming month may be a little light on members. If you are available please attend and enjoy the company of those "holding the fort". Hopefully we will have a quorum for our board and club meetings in order to facilitate any decisions needed.

While there is not a lot to report at this stage there are plenty of behind the scenes activities happening with the planning of various upcoming events; namely the combined luncheon with the Rockhampton Regional Council.

Can I also remind members to update any change of details on the ZI website. This can be done by clicking on 'update my profile' on the ZI website. To register on the International website please use your membership number (it appears on your Zontian magazine). As Jan noted last month "On checking the Rockhampton Club details on the website I noticed that only about half of our members had website registration. I'd urge members to register and use the website as it contains a lot of useful information.

Jan also reminded us that we are at the start of a new Zonta biennium, which means that new goals and projects will be announced at the ZI Convention. These new goals and projects will drive what our club, and other clubs, will be doing in the coming year. Once we are aware of these new goals and projects our own club planning can be aligned more effectively and strategically.

We can leave the interpretation of the conference outcomes to our five intrepid travellers - Trish, Berenice, Norma, Elizabeth and Jan who are currently enjoying the wonders of Rotterdam and other wonderful destinations in Europe and the UK. As I haven't heard from any of the travellers, I guess the shops, the conversations and the meeting up with other delegates are keeping them very busy.

'Til next time Teresa



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MEETINGS.

Board:

6.30pm:

2nd Tuesday

of the month

Venue:

Rockhampton Plaza

Hotel.

Dinner:

6.00 pm for 6.30pm

3rd Tuesday

of the month

Venue:

Rockhampton Plaza

Hotel.

Committee

Meetings.

OMC/PR/UN

Program:

Venue:

Rockhampton Plaza

Hotel

5.30 pm-

2nd Tuesday

of the month.

Finance and Fundraising:

Venue:

Rockhampton Plaza

Hotel.

5.30 pm—

2nd Tuesday

of the month.

Status of Women:

Venue:

Rockhampton Plaza

Hotel.

5.30pm—

2nd Tuesday

of the month.

Calendar:

July:



Committee Meetings/

Board Meeting

21 Dinner Meeting

August:

12 Committee Meetings/ Board Meeting

19 At home Dinner Meeting

Special United Nations Observances and Other Significant Days.

"Patience is the companion of wisdom" St. Augustine

Dinner Raffle.

The supply of gifts for the Dinner Raffle follows the listing in the Members Directory.

July Teresa M August Berenice P September Chris P October Anna T

Please give your raffle prize to

Elizabeth to co-ordinate.



If you would like to contribute to your Newsletter please email articles to Teresa Moore t.moore@cqu.edu.au

Deadline: First Tuesday of the month.

Looking through various websites I came across the following recipe:

Asparagus crumbed with parmesan on bocconcini salad

Ingredients:

250 g fresh asparagus spears

1/2 cup flour

1 egg, lightly beaten

1/2 cup shredded Parmesan cheese

1/2 cup breadcrumbs

4 roma tomatoes, quartered 100 g bocconcini cheese (milk cherries), halved (see Notes)

1 cup fresh basil leaves

2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar pepper, to taste

Parmesan crumbed asparagus on bocconcini salad

Method:

- 1. Coat asparagus in flour, dip in egg and coat in combined breadcrumbs and Parmesan cheese, press lightly.
- 2. Place asparagus on a lined oven tray and bake at 200°C for 8 to 10 minutes or until parmesan cheese is golden and crisp.
- 3. Combine tomatoes, bocconcini cheese and basil and drizzle with vinegar. Arrange salad onto serving plates, top with crumbed asparagus and season to taste.

Bocconcini cheese is a fresh stretched curd cheese formed into little domes referred to as cherries. The cherries are sold immersed in a mild brine solution. Bocconcini has a delicate flavour and provides an interesting texture rather similar to al dente pasta. It is used to carry other flavours such as fresh herbs and olive oil in salads. When heated, as on top of pizzas, it melts into appetising creamy-coloured pools.

Happy Birthday July

01 Anna

08 Norma

18 Glenys

August No birthdays



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Fact Sheet: Being Violent

What is Violence?

Violence is any sort of behaviour that hurts someone or makes them feel afraid. There are different types of violence including:

- Emotional This is often unrecognised and can be very hurtful. Some forms of emotional violence are making threats, speaking in a way that is frightening, putting you down, and emotional blackmail.
 - · Economic Having money and being able to make decisions about

It is one means of being independent. If someone is controlling your money, keeping you financially dependent, or making you ask for money unreasonably, then this is a form of violence.

- Social This may happen in conjunction with other forms. If someone is insulting you or teasing you in front of other people, keeping you isolated from family and friends, controlling what you do and where you go, then they are being violent and you may need to take some action.
- Spiritual This violence is about not allowing you to have your own opinions about religion, cultural beliefs, and values.

Violence is NOT OK and nobody should have to put up with it. Being angry, confused or frustrated are all normal emotions and there are many non-violent ways that they can be expressed. If you are having trouble managing your anger you may want to check out the anger fact sheet.

What Triggers Violence?

People may be violent for a range of reasons including:

- · Being angry, frustrated, or sad.
- · Enforcing control over somebody.
- · Having a history of violence in the family which may lead to it being an accepted way of handling situations.
- Being short tempered which may lead to you reacting to a situation with a violent action.

Drugs. Alcohol and Violence

Using drugs and alcohol increases the likelihood of acting in a violent way. If you are finding that you are being violent while drinking or taking drugs you may want to look at ways to better manage your drug and alcohol intake. A drug and alcohol worker, a counsellor, or youth worker may be able to help you do this. Check out the Finding Help section for more information on how they can help you.

Some Ways to Stop Being Violent

Deciding to do something about violence is a big step and it takes a lot of courage to admit you have to change your behaviour. The following are some suggestions that may help.

- Look at What Makes you Violent: To stop violence it may be useful to make a list of the things that trigger your violent behaviour. It may be a person, a situation, a mood, or drugs and alcohol. By knowing what triggers your violent behaviour you may be able to start to avoid these things or try to work out ways to deal with the situation.
- Ask Yourself: Who is affected by your violent behaviour? Does it hurt anyone physically or emotionally? Do you want to have safe and secure relationships, or do you want people to be scared of you? These questions may help you see the negative effects your violent behaviour can have on yourself and those who are close to you.
- Talk to Someone: Stopping violent behaviour is not always easy and having someone to support you may be helpful. You don't have to do it by yourself. A counsellor or youth worker may be helpful in looking for ways to help with your violent behaviour.

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