

ZONTA ON THE ROCKS.



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Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide

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If you are
unable to attend
the dinner meeting,
please advise
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by 10 am
on the Monday
before the meeting.
Failure to
apologize will
incur payment
of \$25.00.



Area Meeting
2011
Maryborough

District Conference
2011
Brisbane

From the President:

.Dear Zontians,

Bravo Bravissimo!

My heartfelt congratulations and thanks to all our Zontians. What a wonderful afternoon the Garden Party was and what a wonderful response from all our members.

We had an abundant and delicious variety of food to offer our guests and with the help of everybody present, the afternoon flowed smoothly.

Our particular thanks go to Chris and Joe for hosting the day. The setting was perfect and we appreciate their generosity and hard work.

Thanks also to the ad hoc committee meeting and working for months before hand to organize this. Everything came together very well. I'm sure we're going to be happy with Valda's final figures. Well done everybody.

It was very interesting at the August meeting to hear Trish's talk on

Convention in San Antonio. Trish has the happy ability to entertain as well as inform us. Thank you, Trish.

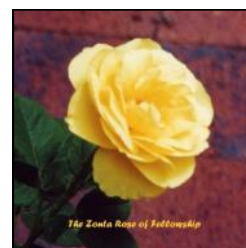
Well, what's next? There will be a book exchange at the September meeting. Please bring along whatever you can spare. The Zonta Sales will be on 5, 6, 7th November in the shop near Anna's surgery with a High Tea possibly on 24th November.

We have good news from Jan's grant application. We now have \$3,890.00 to spend on a lap top and data projector. Congratulations, Jan.

Remember that old adage about the devil and idle hands? I think we Zontians should be feeling very virtuous.

Sincerely,

Margaret



As of June 2010, Zonta International has
31,000 members in 1,200 clubs in 66 countries.

Notices:

MEETINGS.

Board Meeting:

6.30pm:
2nd Tuesday
of the month
Venue:
Rockhampton Plaza
Hotel.

Club Meeting:

6.00 pm for 6.30pm
3rd Tuesday
of the month
Venue:
Rockhampton Plaza
Hotel.

Committee Meetings.

OMC:

Venue:
Rockhampton Plaza
Hotel
5.30 pm—
2nd Tuesday
of the month.

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Venue:
Rockhampton Plaza
Hotel.
5.30 pm—
2nd Tuesday
of the month.

Service:

Venue:
Rockhampton Plaza
Hotel.
5.30pm—
2nd Tuesday
of the month.

Calendar:

September:

14 Committee/Board Meetings
21 Dinner Meeting

October:

12 Committee/Board Meetings
19 Dinner Meeting

**Special United Nations Observances
and Other Significant Days.**

September:

08 International Literacy Day
*Third Tuesday September—
International Day of Peace. Opening
Day for regular sessions for the UN
General Assembly*

“Wherever there is a human being
there is an opportunity for kindness”
Seneca—Roman Philosopher

Dinner Raffle.

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

September	Norma W
October	Elizabeth A
November	Margaret A
December	Wendy C

Please give your
raffle prize to Elizabeth
to co-ordinate.



September

05	Trish Collins
12	Chris Putman
24	Margaret Anderton
27	Noela Walls
28	Carry Lee



Installation of New Member Janet Young



President Margaret Anderton, new member Janet Young
and OMC Chair Meredith Sutherland

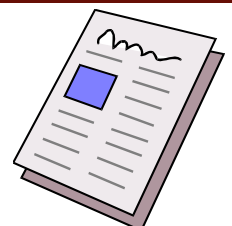
**If you would like to contribute to your Newsletter
please forward articles to Berenice Payne**

either by

Fax: 4922 3315 or

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Deadline: First Tuesday of the month.



Let's view the very successful Garden Party through the lens.

(Photos by Berenice and Elizabeth.)





Thank you to Jan and Elizabeth for this colourful report from Convention.

***Postcard from San Antonio Texas
60th Zonta International Convention***



Vicki was the Australian and Jan, Trisk & Elizabeth were there

Trisk was installed as District 22 Governor

There were Zontians from many countries in attendance



The African Zontians looked spectacular – even the token male



There were also South Americans & Europeans as well as Queenslanders!

There were lots of Japanese Zontians in attendance. They were very excited about the first Japanese Zontian being elected as a Director on the ZJ Board



District 22 was also well represented



Jan enjoyed speaking to Caroline Richards, an Australian & past Amelia Earhart Fellow who gave an inspiring presentation at the Convention. Also pictured is Judith Trevan – Hawke, Area 3 Director.



The evening at Knibbe Ranch showed us Texan culture



Must sees around San Antonio



The Alamo



Cactus



Local wildlife



Local eateries

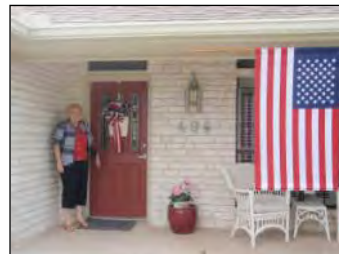


The Riverwalk – the convention hotel was located conveniently in this area

Western culture



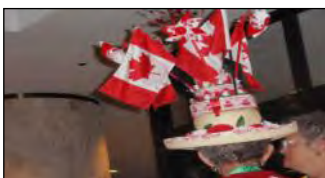
**The locals are very patriotic about the fourth of July
American Independence Day**



Everyone wears red, white & blue – some even the flag!

Houses too.

Some people from over the border showed their own patriotism!!



**65,000 delegates are arriving for the International AA Convention, so we
must be on our way**



**So, it's time to start thinking about your trip to Torino Italy, the destination
of the 61st Zonta International Convention in 2012, the home of the shroud
of Turin & much, much more. It's sure to be great fun!!**





PAST PRESIDENT ROBYN DONOVAN – PROFILE

Personal and Work History:

I spent my early life in far north Queensland; and, after leaving school, trained as a teacher and worked in schools in Brisbane and Rockhampton.

I married Paul, and we enjoyed living in the Dingo district while our three girls were in primary school. During those years I did some supply teaching mainly in Blackwater, Dingo and Daringa.

After moving into Rockhampton in 1995, I worked for the Department of Primary Industries where I taught primary producers how to use computers for cash record keeping. I did further study and am now an Educational Developer at CQUniversity.

Family History: I was born in Cloncurry, in the far north-west of Queensland. My early childhood was spent in small towns and I boarded at Lourdes Hill in Brisbane for my high school. I have a sister who lives in Blackall and coincidentally we both have three girls.

Why Central Queensland: Even though I was born in Cloncurry, in the far north west of Qld, I could claim a local connection. My father spent some of his early life in Rockhampton and my Grandmother and Great-grandmother both lived in Rockhampton. I love living in Rockhampton as we have all the city conveniences without the traffic and other inconveniences.

Personal Talents: I enjoy singing and playing the piano.

Personal passionate hobbies: I enjoy cooking, rowing, reading and catching up with family and friends. Lately I am developing an interest in gardening - mainly because we now have a compost tumbler.

Why Zonta: I joined Zonta because it is an organization of passionate people who work together to meet the needs of women.



*Don't forget the Book Exchange
for the September Dinner Meeting.*



Zontian of the Month

Chris Putman.



It will not surprise you to read that Chris is the Zontian of the month.

Chris has been a decided asset to our club since she joined Zonta in 2003. She is very active in the Service/Status of Women committee with fresh ideas and a willing commitment in executing them. Chris was Correspondence Secretary and a Director on the Board and is always a cheerful participant in fundraising and working bees.

I think we would agree that her tour de force (so far) was in hosting and planning the August Garden Party. This involved a huge amount of work in preparing her very attractive house and gardens and also in co-ordinating the food and entertainment for the day.

The club would like to thank Chris's husband Joe for his generosity in being willing to share their house and for all his work in preparation. We will name Joe "Hon. Zon." of the month.

This was a very successful afternoon for the club and we do thank you both.

Zonta maintains a presence in countries marked in Gold.



District 22

- A Queensland Australia
- B Northern Rivers Inc.
New South Wales Australia

