



AUGUST 2018

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hello everyone,

It was great to see the names new members on the Bunnings Roster, leading groups and taking a role in organising events. I thank each of you. Working as a team on club activities is a great way to get to know other members and become more familiar with aspects of the club's workings.



Thank you to the members who are taking Zonta to the Reef Festival, it's a terrific way of raising our presence within the community, as is the banner on Shingly Hill, providing a presence at the Running Festival and so forth. If we want people to support our projects and buy tickets to our events, then we need to let them know who we are.

St Cath's Z Club recently held their second annual trivia night. A group of our members took two tables at the event, enjoyed a good night and supported these students as they raised money for their own community projects. To assist their fund raising, we also provided prizes for the event.

Our twentieth birthday committee has been formed and our first meeting is coming up soon - celebrations for our birthday will be part of International Women's Day 2019, so it'll be a big year. IWD venue is being considered and speaker has been booked, in a wedding town like ours it's important to beat the brides to our preferred venue.

I'm sure you will agree that we all enjoy supporting our local community and get a real buzz when one of "our girls" makes a success of her studies, as well though many of us see the world as our community.

When we fundraise, one third of the proceeds goes to Zonta International for on the ground projects that profoundly change women's circumstances. Zonta's commitment to International Projects typifies this world community concept.

The International Convention in Yokohama has brought direction for the next two years. Zonta's Biennial Goals 2018-2020 were presented and approved; they are –

Let us learn Madagascar... which we've already heard a little about-an integrated program for adolescent girls-\$10000 to UNICEF USA.

Eid bi Eid (Hand in Hand) A program to improve the resilience and empowerment of Syrian refugee and vulnerable Jordanian women (\$100000) and

Ending child marriage. A program to accelerate global action with that initiative Zonta has committed funding \$20000 to UNICEF USA. You will hear more about each of these projects as the year goes by. I'm sure we are all happy to support these wonderful programs. Zonta has strong connections with UNICEF and with the United Nations, these strong connections increase our opportunities to assist and champion underprivileged women with no voice of their own enormously. Have a great month,

Cath



Reef Festival





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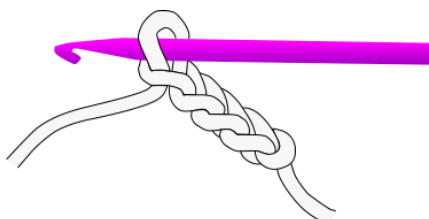
11 have gone to the Nursing home.

6 to Meals on Wheels

5 to the Hospital

2 to Endeavour

A Big thankyou to all the volunteers



MEMBERSHIP

Firstly, I want to welcome Alicia, whom we induced at the July General Meeting. Her induction has brought our numbers to 38.

I hope you all enjoyed guessing the bride at last month's meeting. We had several brides wanting to put their photo's in at the last minute so will run it again in a couple of months. If you are interested start looking for your photo's now.

The Christmas Party committee have been busy organising the event. Mark the date 24th November in your diaries.

We had several books donated last month to our library, which will be available for borrowing this month. Check them out and borrow one, it is very easy just put your name and the book you wish to borrow on the list. We do ask for the book to be returned the following meeting. Christine will be with the books if you have any questions.

Lauren and I will bring the remaining Zonta shirts for purchase along to the next meeting so check them out if you are interested.

Judy Brown, Membership Director



SERVICE

SERVICE REPORT:

Bunnings Roster for August

Calling for a few more volunteers for the upcoming fundraising BBQs at Bunnings.

If you can fill any of the later shifts still free, please let Carol know on 0409519338 or carol@pcweld.com

	Saturday August 25th		Saturday September 1st
Coordinator	Carol Bolton to Set up And pack up	Coordinator	Carol Bolton
8:00- 10:00	Carol Bolton	8:00- 10:00	Carol Bolton
	Dianne Trueman		Pam Harrison

	Lauren Haak		Alicia Palmer
10:00-12:00	Betty Whitehorn	10:00-12:00	Christine Mayne
	Helen Ward		Amanda Walter
	Judy Brown		Carol Lindsay
12:00-2:00	Claire	12:00-2:00	Laura Morrison
2:00 - 4pm	Carol Bolton	2:00- 4pm	Carol Bolton

Bowen Cup Race Day

Saturday 13th October 2018

Enjoy the Bowen Cup Race atmosphere trackside and from a Marquee where all the action, glamour and entertainment comes to you.

Zonta Trackside Marquee \$130 per person

- Bus transport from Cannonvale to Bowen
- Admission to Racecourse
- Prime Private Marquee
- 5-hour beverage package – beer, wine and soft drinks
- Chicken and Champagne Lunch
- Close proximity for Fashions on the Field Competition
- Marquee opens 12pm
- Prizes for Best Dressed and Best Fascinator/Hat

Bus pick up

- TAFE Cannonvale 10:20 am
- Centro Cannonvale 10:30 am
- Leaving Bowen Race track 5:30 pm

This is a fundraising event for

Zonta Marquee tickets must be confirmed and paid for by Thursday September 20th. Contact Carol on 0409519338 or carol@pcweld.com



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MEMBER PROFILE

DIANE TRUEMAN

Hi everyone. I would like to introduce myself.

I am a widow with one son who is married, I have two fantastic grandchildren, Francesca and Jackson.

I was born in Geelong, Victoria and lived there most of my life. I trained as a Nurse in 1971 and have worked in all areas throughout my nursing career. I'm also a trainer and assessor as well.

I joined the Australian Navy Cadets in 1988 and have been a Commanding Officer of TS Barwon in Geelong. This is a fantastic organisation for our youth. I'm still in the Cadet System in a different role but rewarding.

I moved to Queensland with my son and family in September 2017, enjoying the lifestyle.



August:

- 11th – Betty Whitehorn
- 25th – Laura Morrison
- 25th – Sandii Hansen
- 28th – Alicia Palmer

September:

- 6th – Wendy Downes
- 16th – Annie Lloyd-Lewis
- 18th – Janice Lake

EMAIL ETIQUETTE: (zontaclub7@Whitsundays1)



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Date Claimers

General Meeting VMR 6pm for 6.30pm \$25 per head for all attending 16th Aug
Blanket Club last Monday of each month Laura's House 8 Palm Drive
Book Club contact Kerry Kenyon last Wednesday of every month
Bunnings SAT 25th Aug & Sat 1st Sept
Bowen Race Day 13th Sept

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