



Zonta Club of Caboolture Inc Charter Date: August 3, 1993 District 22 ... Area 1 Club Number 1428

April 2013

President: Patricia Clunes 0410 617 825 Treasurer: Pam Berkett 07 5498 5556 Secretary: Glenda Moor - 3385 6160

Newsletter Editor: Patricia Clunes- 0410 617 825

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Thank you to my wonderful board members who have attended meeting throughout the past two years and to those who have offered to host these meetings.

To all members of our club thank you for participating in fundraising and fellowship functions that the fundraising and membership committees have put forward and to the wonderful members who gift wrap without your help this event couldn't raise funds for our club to spend.

Dairy Dates:

Changeover Dinner Satruday 18 May Scott Damiens on the Lake, Caboolture... Please let us know ASAP if you are attending. We need a minimum of 30 and husbands/partners/friends are more than welcome.

District Conference on 27/28 September.

President Patricia

BOARD BLOG

The board recommends that \$100 sponsorship be given to the Longman Youth Leadership Forum for a female school student to attending from 4 - 5 May. This is a two (2) day intensive program for high school students.

Four (4) cheques sent to Banksia Students are still to be presented for payment. All school were contacted by the President asking if they can remind the student that the cheque needs to be banked/cashed. Deception Bay Flexi

Learning Centre decided not to present the student with the cheque as they felt that giving her the cheque would be like awarding her for bad behaviour!!!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE TREASURER!!!

Treasurer's report should have been received by now.

The cost per member for our dinner meetings is \$30. The club charges us \$25 per meal with the other \$5.00 being for club expenses ie guest speakers dinner, guest speakers gift, stamps etc

If you miss a meeting regardless of apology, you need to pay \$5.00 at the next meeting you attend.

If you are <u>unable</u> to attend a meeting please give <u>Patricia</u> a telephone call on 5498 6066 or 0410 617 825. If she <u>doesn't hear from you by midday Monday PRIOR</u> to the meeting she will presume that you are attending. If you then unable to attend after this time you will be liable for the cost of the meal - \$30.00.

We are charged for 20 meals <u>regardless</u> of how many attend our dinner meetings

Treasurer, Pam B



MAY BIRTHDAYS

Robyn



Carole Tomvald Chairman



MEMBERSHIP

Get well card sent to Ann wishing her a speedy recovery after recent knee surgery.

No member birthday's in April.

Sara to pass on to the membership committee safety cards for the Nov. "Zonta says No" project.

New members Cheryl and Val, when requirement completed to be inducted by Sandra, with new Board sanction, at the June Meeting. Mentors to be approached and appointed to assist the new members.

Leaflet "12 steps to becoming a Zontian" to be included in the material given to new members at their induction. Will also be available for current Zontians

Cairns revised leaflet to be completed by Cecil for inclusion in the fashion show handouts.

We are celebrating the Zonta Club of Caboolture's 20th birthday on the actual day and month that the Club was chartered by Zonta International - Saturday 03 August 2013.

The themed luncheon is the Roaring Twenties. Therefore each Zontian is reminded to get into the Charleston swing by calling upon your female Flapper personality and preparing your outfit with whatever makes you roar - fringing, feathers, tassels, handkerchief hemlines, hipline dresses, long beads, beaded/fringed shawls, sequinned or feathered headbands, Cloche hats, long cigarette holders, bobbed hair and much, much more.

Don't forget your spouse or partner or friend too! Pin-striped suits, tuxedos, large hats, Fedora hats, spats, two-toned shoes, cigars and suspenders are just some of the items that the slick looking males in the 1920's wore.

Let your creativity shine through! No Prohibitions!

Members being asked to let Sandra know if they are able to attend. More information will be available as it comes to hand from the proprietors at "Place 2b".

Club survey to be given to members has been collated and with some revision will be available to the membership in July and is formatted as per Marion de Forest Classification Manual quide lines.

Chris Ellis Chairman

Advocacy Report

<u>Afripads</u>

Discussed Action for the Afripad project. How to best to involve the club, community, possibly schools? Lorraine and Robyn to present, liaise and coordinate the action on this and to involve other committee members as they are needed for implementing this project.

<u>Zonta says no</u> Safety cards to be distributed in the 16 days to Activism against Gender Violence.

Discussed community site for demonstration possibly Centenary Park on the 25th Violence Against Women Day. Centenary Park because of its visibility from roadway.

Include different cultures, show of flags, orange ribbons etc.

To be collated and discussed at the meeting

Brochure for community: Robyn has been in contact with an Artist friend who has agreed to do a charcoal drawing of a back view silhouette of a woman to be the focal point of the visual display.

Presentations at various venues Libraries, Council etc of successful, local and other Zonta projects and Zonta interests.

All projects will take a little time to prepare and ideas are welcome.

Chris to coordinate information and ideas and the project plan.

Prepared by the Membership Committee



Fundraising is an extremely important part of any non profit organisation and the committee are to be congratulated for surviving yet another year with myself as Chair. The fruits of their labour has enabled our Club to increase our net proceeds by almost 19% over the 2012 figures. What a fantastic achievement.

Some of the events held during the year included:-

- Giftwrapping at the Morayfield Shopping Centre
- > The sale of Entertainment Books
- > Fashion Parade
- > The sale of glowies and highlighters
- > Theatre events
- > Estee Lauder Shopping day
- Bunnings BBQs

We also managed to organise our annual IWD luncheon in about 6 weeks due to the planned joint event with two other clubs being cancelled without our knowledge. The attendance at this lunch is the highest we have had and all feedback was positive. A special thanks goes to Sue Droughton who was able to secure our guest speaker at such short notice.

Publicity is paramount in the success of any event we hold and Glenda is to be commended for creating such wonderful flyers that entice people to attend and for the Certificates of Appreciation that duly follow.

The Fundraising Committee extends its most sincere thanks to all club members, family, friends and community supporters who, with your ongoing support and attendance at these functions, will continue to make the Zonta Club of Caboolture a reputable and valued service provider in our Community.

Sara Allard Chairman



Sue Droughton has been busy at the local radio station promoting our activities and talking about Zonta as a whole.

Glenda Moor Chairman

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS REPORT

The revised constitution will be put to the club at the meeting for voting.

Sandra Cooke Chairman

UNITED NATIONS REPORT

Lorraine Samaraweera Chairman

Hostess List Zonta for 2012- 2013

If you aren't coming to the meeting can you please telephone the next person on the list and ask if they could be the hostess.

| March | Sara Allard |
|-------|-----------------|
| April | Sandra Cooke |
| May | Coffee and Cake |
| June | Joanne Bakker |