

# ZONTA ON THE ROCKS

## ZONTA CLUB OF ROCKHAMPTON INC.

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AREA 4 - DISTRICT 24.

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### NOTICES.

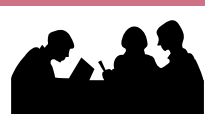
If you are  
unable to attend  
the dinner meeting,  
please advise  
**Anna Tempest**  
Ph 4928 7880 (W)  
Ph 4928 7125 (H)  
by 10 am  
on the Monday  
before the meeting.

Failure to  
apologize will  
incur payment  
of \$25.00.



Area 4 Workshop:  
20-21 May 2006  
Emerald

International  
Convention:  
24 – 29 June  
2006  
Melbourne



Zonta Club of Rockhampton  
Member of Zonta International

*Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide*

### *President's Message:*

Dear Fellow Zontians

Our International Women's Day Committee (headed by Trish) has been working well with the organisation of our Breakfast and Living Treasure Award. The breakfast will now be held at the Leichhardt. We will be able to invite more guests, because we have a venue that can accommodate larger numbers, so please bring all your friends along and make this an event to remember. Please consider nominating worthy candidates for the Living Treasure Award. There must be many women who work (in their own private ways) towards creating a better community.

The outstanding applicants for the Young Women in Public Affairs Award are to meet with some of our Status of Women

Committee members prior to our next dinner meeting. It was great to have seven applications this year, and it is great to be able to meet four young women who have so much potential.

Norma, Elizabeth and Jan are about to undertake a journey of a lifetime. We will be thinking of you and wish you all the best.

Looking forward to seeing everyone (except the holiday makers) at our committee meetings on 14 February, and our dinner meeting on 21 February.

Yours in Zonta,  
Glenys .



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### Zonta International seeks to:

- provide service globally and locally;
- improve the legal, political, economic, health, educational and professional status of women;
- work for the advancement of understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of executives in business and the professions;
- promote justice and universal respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms;
- be united internationally to foster high ethical standards, implement service programs, and provide mutual support and fellowship for members who serve their communities, their nations and the universe.

**Zonta on the Rocks – Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide**

**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:**



**FEBRUARY:**

14 Committee meetings/  
Board Meeting

21 Dinner Meeting  
Area Director Visit

**MARCH:**

08 International Women’s Day  
Breakfast – Leichhardt Hotel  
Zonta Rose Day

14 Committee meetings/  
Board Meeting

21 Dinner Meeting

*Special United Nations Observances  
and Other Significant Days.*  
**March:**  
 21 International Day for the  
Elimination of Racial  
Discrimination


**"If we all did the things  
we are capable of doing,  
we would literally astound ourselves."  
Thomas Edison**

**Dinner Raffle.**

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

February	Marie K
March	Jan L
April	Mary L
May	Jacki M

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



**From the  
Rockhampton Club By-Laws  
Re Convention.**

- All Club members will be encouraged to attend Conventions, Conferences and Workshops applicable to Zonta.
- Delegates and alternate delegates will be nominated by the Club.
- Delegates will give a report to the Club at the next dinner meeting.
- Financial assistance will be given to the appointed delegate in the form of a subsidy for registration with the limit being \$200.
- Profits from ‘At Home’ dinner meetings will be quarantined, one for Administration and one for the Delegates Fund.

**From the  
Rockhampton Club By-Laws  
re Area Director Visit**

- During each term of office the Rockhampton Zonta Club will extend a formal invitation to the Area Director to a regular meeting of the Club.
- The Area Director will be treated as an honoured guest and the Club will be responsible for accommodation and meal arrangements.
- The Area Director will be seated to the right of the Presiding Officer.
- The formal introduction by the President will include the qualifications of the Area Director and her responsibilities within Zonta.
- There will be no other guest speaker at this meeting.
- A vote of thanks to the Area Director will follow the address.

**If you would like to contribute to your Newsletter  
please forward articles to Berenice Payne  
either by  
Fax: 4921 3441 or Email to  
berenice.a.payne@bigpond.com**

**Deadline: First Tuesday of the month.**

**Mark Your Calendar.**

2006 - Area 4 Workshop  
20-21 May Emerald

2006 - International Convention.  
24 – 29 June: Melbourne.



## Committees January 2006.

**President:** Glenys Conrade

### *Status of Women/Service/Amelia Earhart*

#### **Chris Putman (Chair)**

Meg Berryman  
Jacki Manning  
Margaret Anderton  
Mary Lawrie  
Robyn Donovan  
Norma Davies (Leave of Absence)  
Jan Landsberg  
Trish Power  
Carol Weekes  
Teresa Moore

### *Program/OMC/PR & Communication/ Newsletter/UN*

#### **Norma West (Chair)**

Wendy Christie  
Elizabeth Acton  
Jan Fenning (Leave of Absence)  
Trish Collins  
Valda Fitzgerald  
Berenice Payne (Newsletter/Archives)

### *Finance & Fundraising*

#### **Anna Tempest (Chair)**

Veronica Rickard  
Chieko Klerkx (on transfer)  
Diane Humphreys  
Diane Williams  
Margaret Olive  
Marie Keating  
Suzanne McTier Browne  
Kay Rixon (Leave of Absence)  
Meredith Sutherland

#### **Club Committees:**

*Zonta clubs have committees in order to implement projects and achieve goals.*

*Members are encouraged to serve on committees and share their expertise and skills.*

*Committees are formed to assist the effective functioning of the club.*

*It is recommended that each member be invited to join a committee in order to get involved and share expertise and skills.*

### **COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### **Responsibilities of the Club Committee Chairman**

- Establish the goals for the committee in cooperation with the club president and board
- Report to the board and the club as required about progress
- Report to the district committee chairman as required and copy the club president
- Schedule regular meetings, with adequate notice of details, to committee members and the president and prepare an agenda
- Give each member of the committee some responsibility and encourage each member to contribute ideas and suggestions
- Adhere to the approved committee budget
- Work with other committees and the board to prepare a club calendar of events and meetings.

#### **Responsibilities of the Committee Member**

- Attend committee meetings and participate in committee discussions and decisions
- Accept assignments and responsibilities
- Support committee projects and decisions.

*The Zonta International bylaws require clubs to establish the following committees:*

#### THE MANDATORY (STANDING) COMMITTEES

- **Status of Women Service Committee**
- **Organization, Membership and Classification Committee**
- **Public Relations and Communications Committee**
- **United Nations Committee**
- **Finance Committee**

**Nominating Committee, elected,**

***Please refer to your Zonta Manual for information about individual Committees.***

***Please consider attending Convention this year, as it is a great opportunity when it is held in our own country.***

***It is planned that Rockhampton Zontians will stay at Melbourne Short Stay Apartments. All information required is in the Zontian Magazine and on the ZI Website.***

# The 58th International Convention "International Understanding, Justice & Peace"

## INVITATION

### Invitation Message

As Convention Chairman and on behalf of International President, Mary Ellen Bittner, I invite you to join us for Convention 2006. The Convention Committee is working hard to create a professional, challenging, yet relaxing experience that provides you with the opportunity to share in Zonta fellowship, conduct the business of the organisation, and be inspired to continue our work together to advance the status of women worldwide.

Melbourne is a vibrant, friendly city. Come and enjoy the sparkling ambience of the Southbank river sidewalk close to the Melbourne Exhibition Centre, gourmet restaurants, shops, hotels and entertainment.

As you know, the business of the Convention is to acknowledge the achievements of the last few years, to elect our international office bearers and to hear the plans and directions for the coming biennium. Every Zontian can be fully involved in the Convention. We invite you to bring your business card to the featured luncheon, to submit a club entry to the photographic exhibition and contribute your ideas to the workshops and business sessions.

In addition we will have outstanding speakers who will inspire you as we focus on our mission.

For Zontians, family and friends, the trip to Australia will be an experience of a lifetime. Zontians from Australia and New Zealand look forward to welcoming you.

***Naomi Arnold***  
***Convention Chairman***



## DESTINATION INFORMATION

### Melbourne Exhibition & Convention Centre

The Melbourne Exhibition & Convention Centre is conveniently located in the heart of the city within walking distance of the city hotels and is well serviced by public transport.

The Melbourne Exhibition & Convention Centre is a consistent winner of many prestigious national and international awards

for excellence and has been named the inaugural "Best Congress Centre of the Year" for 2000 by the Association Internationale des Palais de Congres (AIPC) in the areas of Building, Technical Equipment, Exhibition Area, Project Management, Catering and Overall Impression.



Visit the Official Convention Web site to learn more and to register for Convention. <http://www.zonta2006.com/>