

ZONTA ON THE ROCKS

ZONTA CLUB OF ROCKHAMPTON INC.

P O Box 323 Rockhampton 4700.

Club No. 1054 - Charter 05.08.83.

AREA 4 - DISTRICT 24.

ISSUE 7 – JULY 2002.

NOTICES.

If you are *unable to attend* the dinner meeting, please advise **Kay Rixon** on **Ph 4926 3822** by **10 am** on the **Monday** before the meeting.

Failure to apologize will incur payment of \$22.00.

ZONTA



INTERNATIONAL

**Area 4 Workshop-
Maryborough-
March 29 – 30
2003.**



Please remember to update your anti-virus software regularly.

President's Message:

Berenice, Margaret and myself recently attended the annual awards ceremonies at Central Queensland University. Once again it was a rewarding experience to meet motivated young women who had achieved at a very high level. At the Engineering and Physical Systems Award Ceremony it was wonderful to witness a significant number of young women as the recipients of major awards – it was almost a female take-over of this predominantly male area. To add to the sense of 'domination', the chair for the evening was Professor Elizabeth Taylor (Dean of the Faculty) and a female lecturer received the award for best teaching practice. We are hopeful that Majella Connolly will be available as our guest at the September meeting.

At the Faculty of Arts Health and Sciences Award Ceremony, six out of the seven recipients of awards in the School of Biological and Environmental Sciences were female, one of these being the recipient of our Zonta Encouragement Award, Helen Gallehawk. Also four out of four of the recipients in the School of Chemical and Biomedical Sciences were also female. The Faculty medalist was female and from the School of Biological and Environmental Sciences. We are hopeful of contacting our Encouragement Award winner, Helen Gallehawk, to attend the September meeting.



advancing the status of women worldwide

Not long now until the Rocky Swap. Have you cleaned out those cupboards (again!!!). We will finalise the roster etc at our "at home" meeting at Claire's next week. This year all stallholders are required to pay the entrance fee to the grounds, so please be prepared when you arrive at the gate.

Regards

Trish Collins

President

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Inspired by the Challenge of Change.**


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MEETINGS.
Board:
 6.30pm:
 2nd Tuesday
 of the month
 Venue:
 Tropical Wanderer
 Resort.
Dinner:
 6.00 pm for
 6.30pm
 3rd Tuesday
 of the month
 Venue:
 Tropical Wanderer
 Resort.

Committee Meetings.
Membership C&O/Program:
 Venue:
 Tropical Wanderer
 Resort
 5.30 pm—
 2nd Tuesday
 of the month.

Finance and Fundraising:
 Venue:
 Tropical Wanderer
 Resort
 5.30 pm—
 2nd Tuesday
 of the month.

Status of Women:
 Venue:
 Tropical Wanderer
 Resort
 5.30pm—
 2nd Tuesday
 of the month.

Calendar: 

JULY:

09 Committee Meetings
Board Meeting

13 Red Cross Aft. Tea – 1.30pm

16 Dinner Meeting
(Clair’s Residence)

28 Tree Planting – 9.30 am
(Gas Works Flat)

AUGUST:

02-03 Rotary Swap

13 Committee Meetings
Board Meeting

20 Dinner meeting

Special United Nations Observances and Other Significant Days.

July:
 11 World Population Day

Dinner Raffle.

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

July: Mary
 August: Lynne M
 September: Jacki
 October: Clair



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

Board 2002-2003

President: Trish Collins

Senior Vice President: Berenice Payne

Junior Vice President: Jan Fenning

Minutes Secretary; Elizabeth Acton

Correspondence Secretary: Margaret Anderton

Treasurer: Valda Fitzgerald

2 yr Directors: Clair Martin
Margaret Olive

1 yr Directors: Mary Lawrie
Glenys Conrade

**To all Area 4 Zontians-
From Desirae Kirby**

It has been my privilege to serve as your Area Four Director for the past two years. During this time I have met many wonderful Zontians and made new friends. I will be continuing in the AD role until the end of August, when new Area Director, Anne Swindells, returns from overseas.

Happy tenth birthday and thank you to the Zonta Club of Gladstone who recently celebrated ten years of service to the Gladstone community.

I will be visiting the Zonta Club of Fraser Coast in late June to induct their new Board.


Please contact me
if you have any queries.

Regards
Desirae.

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.

Happy Birthday
 01 Anna T
 08 Norma
 18 Glenys C
 23 Kay



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President Trish Collins welcomes new member Chieko Klerkx to the club after the installation ceremony.

Important Days to Remember:

- 13 July: **Red Cross Afternoon Tea:**
St Mary's Hall - Knob Street
12.30pm
(Selling tickets etc)
- 20 July **Breast Cushion Working Bee:**
at Margaret Olive's place – 1.30pm
- 28 July **Tree Planting:**
Gas Works Flats – 9.30am
- 02-03 August **Rotary Swap:**
Walter Pearce Pavilion
Show grounds.

6 June 2002

Plan No: 0035754

Zonta Club of Rockhampton
C/- Mrs. L Macfarlane
PO Box 323
ROCKHAMPTON OLD 4700

This letter was accompanied by a certificate for 15 years of Sponsorship and a letter from our sponsored child.

**15 YEARS OF SPONSORSHIP WITH PLAN
-WHAT A MEMORABLE ACHIEVEMENT-**

Dear Sponsors

Congratulations and thank you. Your commitment to the children of the developing world is truly inspiring. Your dedicated support during all this time is quite exceptional and deeply appreciated.

We wish to recognize your achievement by asking you to accept the enclosed Certificate of Appreciation. We hope you will be happy to display the certificate in a prominent place as a visible symbol to others of your commitment to the work of Plan with poor children and their communities.

On behalf of all at Plan Australia, I wish to reiterate my thanks and admiration for your achievement. The length of time you have been with us really makes you seem like a member of our family a life member, we hope.

Yours sincerely
Ian Wishart.
National Executive Director.

A reminder about raffle prizes.

Please check the list of names for raffle prizes.

We need your prize
ahead of time to coordinate.

If you have missed your turn
please bring your raffle prize regardless.

Computer course for Zontians.

A computer course comprising six sessions
from Wednesday the 14th August
from 1pm to 3pm

at COIN
Cnr East and Fitzroy Streets (pink building)
(East Street entrance)
has been organized.

***Please contact Norma
on 4927 7259 by the 16 July (or before)
if you wish to attend.***

Those starting the course
need to make a commitment
to finish the course.



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A message from Area Director – Anne Swindells.

Dear Fellow Zontians of Area 4

I am just writing this short note to you to introduce myself and to let you know the latest Zonta news. My name is Anne Swindells and for the next biennium I have the privilege of working for you as Area 4 Director. I am a charter member of the Zonta Club of Maryborough. I am looking forward to meeting lots of fellow Zontians and visiting our clubs but unfortunately I will not be able to start this process until September as I am leaving on the weekend to visit my son who is a Rotary Exchange student in Finland.

During the time I am away Desirae has kindly agreed to continue in the role so if you have any problems or concerns please contact her. I did attend the first Board meeting in Brisbane and listed below are some important points dates and information for you to consider.

District Directory- to enable the district governor to compile an accurate District Directory please send the following information to her Name of President and Treasurer of your club, your meeting date place and time and your club's address for correspondence.

Annual Dues- By now these should have been sent to Zonta international and to our district treasurer Evelyn Whittaker. They should be accompanied by the appropriate forms (found in the Zonta manual or on the District 24 website) It is urgent that these are forwarded along with accurate membership numbers to Ros Kinder

Area 4 Directory- Desirae has kindly undertaken this project so please forward to her the details of all board members and committee chairs to her asap

Zonta Rose Cards- These are still available for purchase. Cost is \$6 and the cards may be ordered on the website.

Hon Zon Badges - These badges are an initiative of District 24. They are round red pins with the words Hon Zon on them and they are not only for our husbands or partners but for those people who give generously to Zonta but are not members of Zonta. They cost \$6 and can be ordered from Ros Kinder or on the District Website

Zonta District 24 website- I am not at all computer literate but this website is very user friendly and I encourage all of you to have a look. Your club may wish to create a club page or post notices of upcoming events for all of us to read about.

Area 4 workshop- I realize this is very early notice but if I tell you now that the Area workshop will be held in Maryborough on the weekend of March 29 and 30 2003 you can pencil it into your diaries and hopefully a lot of you will be able to make it. We are already planning a great workshop but if you have any ideas please forward them to me so we can include them and conduct a workshop that is useful to you all.

District Project- The board of District 24 is looking for a project that the whole district can take on and one that will enhance Zonta's community profile. If anyone has any ideas please email them to me so I can take your suggestions to the next board meeting on August24.

I realize I've given you lots of info in this my first letter to you. I hope I haven't overwhelmed you and if I have please let me know. Please follow up though on paying your fees if you haven't already done so. Finally just some info on how to contact me

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I hope you all have a wonderful and successful year. See you when I get home. Bye for now.

Anne