

Zonta Club of Brisbane South Newsletter

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NEXT DINNER MEETING
Wednesday, 12th November,
2014, 6pm fellowship
Brisbane Golf Club.

Apologies for Meeting by
5pm on Friday prior to
meeting to Bev Folliot
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The President's Report

The year is fast approaching to the Christmas season which is traditionally a time to be thinking about family and friends both here and overseas. Our mission as Zontians is to support other women who, for various reasons, will find themselves in less fortunate circumstances and who may be facing a much bleaker Christmas than ourselves.

Our service committee has done an outstanding job this past year having delivered 580 care packs to organisations that assist women in crisis. This year there were 12 recipient organisations of the packs which will help ease the crisis circumstances some women find themselves in. A very sincere thank you to members for their support of these organisations and in knowing that our work is appreciated by those in need. Don't stop collecting as the need just keeps growing.

On that note I am collating information on our support for domestic violence over the years to be used as part of a submission to the Qld Government Task Force on Domestic Violence. If any long term members can recall any seminars or programs we have done to address violence toward women or preventing it please email me by the 21st November.

Thanks to Layle and Bev our breast cushion project or making and delivery 35 cushions to Wesley and Mater Hospitals each month is on track.

The recent Zonta Fashion Showcase was an outstanding success. Over \$80,000 was raised with our club raising over \$8000 and 4th highest overall. The funds will be split one third to international and two thirds to Anglicare. A huge thankyou must go to Cath and Layle who spent many hours on the organising committee, Also thankyou to Dawn and Regina for selling raffle tickets on the day. We had 5 tables at the fashion parade and all who attended had a great time. We even had some winners on our tables!

Date Claimer is the planning day for 2015 on Sunday 30th November at Victoria's place.

Don't forget to bring an item of two for our Anglicare Xmas Hamper to the meeting on Wednesday.

I look forward to enjoying your company at the dinner meeting.

Leonie



Zonta International is a worldwide service organisation of executives in business and the professions working together to advance the status of women.

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www.zontabrisbanesouth.com.au
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Raffle Roster

Procedure

1. Purchase a gift up to the value of \$20.00 (choose something you would like).
2. Wrap the article.
3. At the meeting, organise the raffle tickets for sale.
4. The Guest Speaker may be asked to select the winning ticket.
5. If you are unable to attend the meeting, please ask another member to bring the raffle prize along.

November Leonie White

December

Zonta Diary – Date Claimers

2014

8 November	95 th Birthday of Zonta International
12 November	Dinner Meeting at Brisbane Golf Club
30 th November	Planning day at Victoria's place Sunnybank Hills.
10th December	Dinner Meeting at Brisbane Golf Club

2015

8 th March	Zonta Rose Day International Women's Day
21 March	Area Workshops for Areas 1 and 3 Brisbane East

Birthdays for November

November 7 th	Glenda McChesney-Clark
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United Nations Association of Australia – *upcoming events*

25 Nov 16 days of Activism – White ribbon day- International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

