



35 Years of Service & Advocacy!

THE HIGHS OF 2017

We have had a great 35th year – this brief summary encapsulates it in review!

A typical evening at the office



Members hard at work over Dinner – August 2016 With guest Quandamooka elder , Aunty Joan Hendriks.

We celebrated our 35th Charter anniversary in September at Redlands Museum – the same venue we used when club member Judith Trevan-Hawke became D22 Governor in 2014!.



It was fantastic to have our District Governor and Acting Mayor in attendance for the celebration.. .

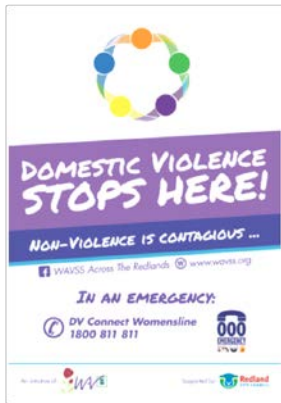


Charter members (Kath McNeilly OAM, Barbara Carter, Phyllis Pledger (pictured above), cut the cake (below)



Working together

May 2016 saw the Club work in partnership with Redland City Council, Soroptomist International Bayside, Working against Violence Support Services (WAVSS) and the Redlands Centre for Women in the "Not Now, Not Ever" campaign



SAY NO TO VIOLENCE

A great little video was created demonstrating the benefits of working together .. you can find it still on line at :https://youtu.be/hWUAa2cL3_A

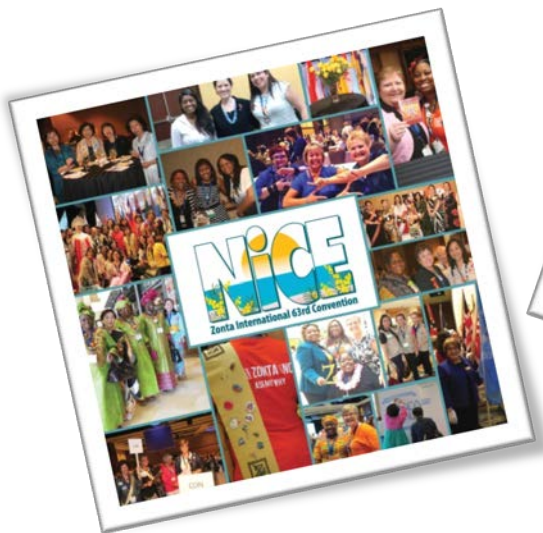
There were bus stop ads, toilet door ads, garbage truck ads, and stickers delivered across the catchment promoting the message of non-violence.

The bus stop ads are still around the region!

Linda-Ann Northey (WAVSS), Katrina Beutel (Redland Centre for Women, Deb Kellie (Zonta Club of Wynnum Redland and Eileen Mitchell (Soroptomist International Bayside)

This project was supported by a grant of \$1500 (to each entity involved) obtained from Queensland's Department of Communities, which the Club matched from fund-raising.

63rd Convention 2016



Our club was well represented at the 2016 Convention in Nice : Janet Mylne, Judith Trevan-Hawke & Deb Kellie attended as part of the D22 Contingent



Australian contingent with Past & Present International Presidents, and D22 District Governors



Pre-Convention tour around Poland organized by Zonta Club of Warsaw allowed for building relationships with Zontians

ADVOCACY



International Women's Day dinner

Joanne Verikios was the guest speaker at our Annual Dinner speaking to an audience of 105 guests on the challenges she has faced across her phenomenal career and the accomplishments since "breaking the mold".



Reaching out to Young Women

We are very pleased that the Cleveland State High School came along with a table of 10 Year 12 students to help celebrate International Women's Day. In the past, the school has had 3 winners in our Young Women In Public Affairs Award, but sadly this year no award was made.

FAST FACTS

\$7,725

Raised by the club in the year Jan 16 – Dec 16

\$2,575

Donated to Zonta International Foundation Rose Fund to support international projects



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Members as at April 2017

We said farewell through the year to Jan Forge, Kath McNeilly OAM, Barbara Carter, Phyllis Pledger, Katrina Beutel, Justine Kennedy, Gail O'Keeffe, Kathy Novacsek and Di Harmsworth

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact details for our new board for 2017

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Ros Beveridge (Treasurer)
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Our 2017-18 Board installed May 2017 (pictured above Kim Richards, Marilyn Smith, Deb Kellie, Deb Jackson, Ros Beveridge, Judith Trevan Hawke, Pat Lavelle, Ange Hill, Nicola Howard & Savannah Falzon (apology)

SERVICE

Reaching out to Support the Community

Our Club supported the annual Redlands Cancer Survivors "Relay for Life" with a fabulous afternoon tea. Pictured are Kim Richards, Margaret Finegan, Marilyn Smith, Ange Hill & Jo Heatt.



Reaching out to Support DV survivors

Once again we were able to donate both cash and Christmas hampers to the two domestic violence survivor refuges in the Wynnum Redlands area: Silky Oaks and Maybanke each received a cheque for \$1,000 following our annual Christmas dinner



Reaching out to young women

This year the club donated \$1500 to the Redland Centre for Women to run their "Girls Goal's" program for teenage girls.



LET HER DISCOVER HER POTENTIAL

#GIRLGOALS is an 'awakening' course for girls to help them identify key things about themselves. At its core this course helps participants to define their values and understand how they ultimately shape the most important parts of their life - their choices and decisions at school, home, in the community, and into the future. They'll learn about the impact of wellness; how to grow more resilience; how to have healthy relationships with friends, family and future partners and how goal setting plays an important part in their future success.

Along the way they'll also create some cool things like a wellness mandala, a vision board, a positive quotes board and more. If you want your daughter to challenge herself to be the best she can be than #GIRLGOALS could be just what you're looking for.

Topics covered:

- Valuing Ourselves
- Wellness Starts Within
- Growing Resilience
- Healthy Relationships
- Positivity



Upstairs, 27 Waterloo Street, Cleveland
Contact us to confirm program dates and to book

Small group

Interactive

Create fun things

Two groups:
Grade 7-9 &
Grade 10-12

5 week course:
2 hours a week
Small group numbers only
Confidentiality Assured



For more information or to sign up contact our bookings officer on bookings@redlandscentreforwomen.com, phone our office 07 3463 7097 or book online: www.redlandscentreforwomen.com www.facebook.com/redlandscentreforwomen

AREA CONFERENCE

Our club sent two delegates (Deb Kellie & Janet Mylne) to this year's Area 3 & 4 combined conference in Maleny...along with all our orange "Zollies" (thanks to Alex Hills Men's Shed!)



FELLOWSHIP & FUN

But it's not all hard work

One of the joys of Zonta is the opportunity to connect with like-minded women, whilst at the same time living up to the Zonta mission...



This year we partnered with the Redland Centre for Women and had some great fun fund raising..



Christmas in July Trivia Night (above) raised \$2500



No pressure, just a bush picnic..enjoyed by club members just before Cyclone Debbie's floods!