

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.

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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.



INTERNATIONAL

Convention 2002:
Gothenburg
Sweden
28 June—04 July



President's Message:

Time for Reflection

As the 2001-2002 Zonta year draws to a close it is time for us all to reflect on our achievements as a club and our contribution as individuals within the club. My president's report, to be presented at the AGM, will provide a reflection of our club achievements. To ensure we remain focused and strong as a club, I believe, it is essential to examine our collective contributions to the year's success. Between now and the planning meeting in June I would like to challenge all members with some personal reflection. To assist your reflection, consider the following benefits and responsibilities of being a Zontian (as outlined in the *Manual of Procedures*).

Member Benefits: Zonta membership provides the opportunity to:

- Meet interesting, involved professionals who seek to help women reach their potential;



advancing the status of women worldwide

- Work together towards common goals, i.e., the objectives of Zonta;
 - Socialize and network locally, nationally and internationally with business and professional people working in many different fields;
 - Experience the warmth of international fellowship;
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**Building Zonta in the 21st Century –
Inspired by the Challenge of Change.**

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MEETINGS.

Board:

5.30pm:
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:



MAY:

- 14 Committee Meetings
Board Meeting
- 21 Dinner Meeting
(Annual General Meeting)

JUNE:

- 04 Committee Meetings
Board Meeting
- 12 High Tea
- 18 Dinner Meeting

**Special United Nations Observances
and Other Significant Days.**

May:

- 28 Women's Health Day

June:

- 05 World Environment Day

**Change of meeting time for June
Committee and Board Meetings.**

The High Tea will be held on
Wednesday
12 June 2002.

Committee and Board Meetings
were previously scheduled for
Tuesday 11 June

To alleviate the problem of so much
happening in the same week

**the Committee and Board Meetings
have been rescheduled for
Tuesday 04 June**

Please note this in your diary.

**Annual General Meeting &
Election of Officers**

- The Annual General Meeting will be held in May of each year for the purpose of election of officers, receiving the Reports of President and other Officers, Reports of Chairs of Committees and for other business that may arise.
- There will be a hand over meeting of the outgoing and incoming Board prior to the June Meeting.
- The elected Officers will assume their roles on 01 June each year.
- Confirmation of the venue for monthly dinner meeting will take place at the Annual General Meeting.



Dinner Raffle.

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

- May: Valda
- June: Lynne F
- July: Mary
- August: Lynne

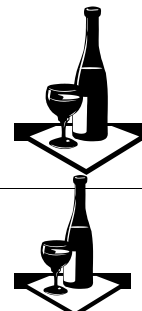


Please give your raffle prize
to Elizabeth to co-ordinate.

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
Jacki
(14 May)



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- Accept leadership roles that promote personal growth and self-confidence in a friendly, supportive atmosphere'
- Participate actively in committees, meetings and interesting discussions.

Member Responsibilities:

- Attend club and relevant committee meetings;
- Pay all dues, fees and assessments promptly;
- Be familiar with club bylaws and parliamentary procedure;
- Participate actively in meetings and deliberations and accept majority decisions;
- Accept leadership roles and give time, talent and enthusiasm to the organization;
- Identify and suggest prospective new members;
- Attend area meetings/workshops, district conferences and international conventions, if possible;
- Support the programs of the Zonta International Foundation.

How many can you tick? Cognisant of the busy lives we all lead there may not be too many ticks but you may identify ways in which you can add value to the work of the club in the coming year. I look forward to our combined reflections at the June planning meeting.

Trish Collins
President.

12 STEPS TO BECOMING A ZONTIAN

(Dianne Leggo, Int Chairman, Organisation and Extension)

- ✧ **Become familiar with your own Committee.**
- ✧ **Attend all meetings**
- ✧ **Offer your opinions and ideas**
- ✧ **Listen attentively** to all reports – they concern YOU
- ✧ **Never say NO** to a delegated task because you think you can't. You will grow personally as you take on new assignments.
- ✧ **Do it now!** Be reliable!
- ✧ **Read, read, read!** Newsletters, minutes, Zontian magazines.
- ✧ **Share your talents and expertise.** Don't be modest. We don't know what you can do till you tell us.
- ✧ **Nurture new members** and look after guests.
- ✧ **Be a member of Zonta International** – visit other clubs; attend Workshops, Conference or Convention.
- ✧ **Communicate, communicate, communicate!** Don't give other people extra work and frustration because you put off that phone call or report.
- ✧ **Loyalty** – remember club officers come and go, Zonta ideals and work goes on forever. Bide your time patiently and remain loyal to the ideals of your Committee, your Club and Zonta International.

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- HIGH TEA -

When: Wednesday 12th June 2002

Where: Tropical Wanderer Resort Poolside

Time: 5.30 pm – 7.30 pm



THE HIGH TEA, WHICH WILL BE HELD IN SHOW WEEK IS GETTING CLOSER SO PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD AND START TO ORGANIZE A GROUP OF YOUR FRIENDS TO ATTEND. PROCEEDS WILL GO TO THE WOMEN'S SHELTER WHICH IS A VERY WORTHY CAUSE.

If you see somebody without a smile - give them one of yours.

The best things in life are not things.

Don't chase your dreams - catch them.

Character is doing the right thing when nobody is looking.

What do we live for, if not to make life less difficult for each other.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT.

Shrink the earth's population to a village of precisely 100 people, with all the existing human ratios remaining the same, and it would look something like this...

There would be:

57 Asians, 21 Europeans,
14 from the Western hemisphere, (both North and South),
and 8 Africans.

52 would be female, 48 would be male
70 would be non-white, 30 would be white
70 would be non-Christian, 30 would be Christian
89 would be heterosexual, 11 would be homosexual
6 people would possess 59% of the entire world's wealth,
and all 6 would be from the United States
80 would live in substandard housing
70 would be unable to read
50 would suffer from malnutrition
1 would be near death
1 would be near birth
1 would have a college education
and 1 would own a computer.