

## The Zonta Club of Wynnum Redland Inc.

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A member of Zonta District 22, Area 3

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# April 2017

Acting President—Ros Beveridge

April notes,

We had a fabulous March Mad Hatters Picnic at Deb Kellie's home on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March. She had found the banners in the archives boxes and it has been suggested we do these more regularly for members to catch up on a social level.

Deb and her husband did a fabulous job – feeding us some really beautiful nibbles, excellent main course and desert. They were very welcoming and we all had a great time.

Had our board meeting at Pat Lavelle's home and it was a lovely meal served by her as well. We discussed the topics – Having a Fashion Parade in June and touched on the issues for the IWD dinner for next year.

We will need to have a vote for a couple of the positions on the Board at this meeting but the nominating committee will fill you in on that.

We have had a few resignations, so we really need to try and recruit some more members, otherwise it makes it difficult to run fund-raising activities.

See you all on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> at Redlands RSL--- if you have any visitors or can't make it let Deb Kellie know by Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April.





## Our Next Meeting

Monday 10 April 2017, at the RSL Shore Street  
Cleveland, **Upstairs**, cost \$35.00, 6.00pm. **Any**

**apologies please direct to Deb Kellie Phone - 0418**

**889 489 email: [deb@jacarandachambers.com.au](mailto:deb@jacarandachambers.com.au)**

**Failure to apologise if unable to attend will incur full  
cost of the meal.**

## Birthdays in February

*Irene Henley*

*April 15th*



## April Dinner Meeting

See you all at the Dinner meeting on Monday April 10 – RSL upstairs private dining room. We have 5 guests joining us... (Su Marshall & Katrina Beutel – guest speakers; plus, potential new members Carmel Cricks, Virginia Tobias & Kerry Broodryk).

We have apologies from Zora, Di, Carol, Roslyn, Mary-Lou, Nicola. Each has been advised of options as regards our pending vote for Vice President position.

Please note that Zora has withdrawn her nomination as a director, so absent any candidates from the floor, a vote on “directors at large” (as advised in Deb J’s agenda email) will NOT be required.

As advised at the February meeting, Deb Kellie as Treasurer, will be emailing the financial statement to each of you in advance of the dinner meeting.

As at today, we have yet to receive renewals from 7 members. Assuming all 7 renew our present club membership stands at 22. Members MUST be financial to vote.

Kim Richards has withdrawn her nomination as VP, leaving two nominees for 2 positions – no need for a ballot, unless any nominations from the floor on April 10

Zora has withdrawn her nomination from director’s pool, which leaves us with a gap, which will be taken (hopefully) by Kim Richards.

### Guest Speaker – Su Marshall

Suzanne Marshall is a highly-experienced youth and community worker who holds a BA Honours Degree in Youth and Community work. She has been a professional practitioner both in the community sector and local government for 18 years.

She coordinated Torpoint Youth Project that operated within a high school in the UK for five years, primarily working with young people at risk of exclusion from school. Roles included;

- Facilitating Youth forums
- Delivering extra learning lessons for young people who could not learn in a traditional classroom environment
- Facilitating a weekly girl’s groups, boys group and anti-bullying club
- Outreach

She has also worked for many years with homeless young people, supporting them in accessing housing and delivering life skills workshops to enable them to sustain their tenancies.

She currently manages the volunteer team at Women’s Legal Service that support women and their children experiencing Domestic violence and family law issues

## Club Projects

### Relay for Life

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April from 2pm at Cleveland Showground for Relay for Life. Jo and Margaret will be there but we need more people, plus food to serve. Please speak to Jo or Margaret as to how you can help, either by helping serve on the day or by contributing baked goods or sandwiches.

### Breast Cushion Working Bee

We also must set a date for a breast cushion working bee, as Margaret has none left.

### Mental Health Unit Supplies

Soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, shampoo, conditioner, face washers are the things needed for the unit.

Mental Health is also holding a "socks & jocks" month so anyone who would like to donate women's socks and / or underpants that would be appreciated as well.

Please speak to Marilyn who will be collecting donations at the April Meeting.

## Member Profiles

**Your Name;** Judith Trevan-Hawke

**Which suburb do you live in and what do like about your area/house;** I've lived in Cleveland since 1994 when I married my husband Les Peters. Prior to marrying I had never lived anywhere for more than 7 years so I especially enjoy the connection to people and place due to longevity and familiarity. Regardless the surroundings are wonderfully relaxing and changeable, and there is a Zonta Club which serves the wider community!

**How do you spend your average day;** what's an average day? I maintained a paid work routine fulltime until 2002 then worked "free-lance" until 2012. In 2010, I was nominated to the Zonta International District 22 Board and progressed from Area Director to Lt Governor and District Governor from 2014 to 2016. My term of office happily came to a conclusion just as my domestic role required a fulltime carer for my husband. We now live a quieter life which is focussed at a regional level.

**When did you join Zonta and why;** A friend introduced me to the Brisbane Zonta Club in 1991. I remained for 18 months and then decided life had become too complicated and at that time I found costs of membership and monthly commitments were beyond my capacity so I resigned but later re-joined the Zonta Club of Wynnum Redland in 2002 when my life had become more stable! It's a long but frequent story for women. I have always been a supporter of 'Women's issues' and found that the specificity of Zonta's Goals and organisation suited my needs to support women both locally and internationally. Besides I have made some wonderful friends within the club, District and Internationally.

**What are your goals for the next 12 months;** I am currently the Chair for the District 22 Nominations committee and this is occupying much of my time until September 2017. I'm looking forward to re-engaging with my Zonta Club of Wynnum Redlands and becoming more involved and sharing the knowledge and experiences from the last 6 years.

I'm hoping I will become a happy and tolerant carer for my husband and manage all the family issues that crop up as we all mature and grandchildren provide happy moments and the occasional concern!

**Use three words to describe yourself;** oh help, it's easier to explore other people's perceptions!

As I grow older I appreciate the importance of liking yourself and not running away. You need to be happy with life and enjoy the challenge of living. So three words – happy challenges caring

**What is your favourite place for a holiday;** Where ever I find myself, from experience family times, the Kimberley, Canada and Alaska, the Sunshine Coast and Scenic Rim locally.

**Who would you like to sit next to at our next meeting and why;** Any member in the Club. I'm not good at initiating conversation with strangers which is why I enjoy 'having a role!' so I can talk about Zonta and what inspires others why they are interested in membership of Zonta International.

## **A Note from the Treasurer**

ABN has been reinstated following a request to so do from District 22 Treasurer. Anyone sending any email or other correspondence on behalf of club must ensure ABN is quoted in signature line

Deb

Treasurer

## Date Claimers

10 April Dinner Meeting RSL Club Cleveland

15 May 2017 Closing date for District Nominations for 2018/20

8-10 September 2017 District 22 Conference, Brisbane

29 June-3 July 2018 64th ZI Convention, Yokohama, Japan

## Zonta Club of Wynnum Redland Board

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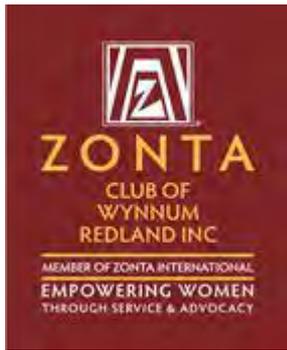
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**WHATEVER  
THE PROBLEM,  
BE PART OF  
THE SOLUTION.  
DON'T JUST SIT  
AROUND RAISING  
QUESTIONS AND  
POINTING OUT  
OBSTACLES.**

Tina Fey

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*fb/the idealist*

**What is the difference between**

**I like you &  
I love you**

**Beautifully answered by Buddha:**

**When you like a flower, you just pluck it. But  
when you love a flower, you water it daily..!**

**One who understand this, understands life...**

