Newsletter April 2023

Zonta Club of Redcliffe Inc.

Next General Meeting: Monday April 24

Please note:

1. A change to the protocol for indicating attendance at the General Meeting.

It will be assumed members are attending the General Meeting unless they respond by email with a "No" response to Jenny by no later than 4pm Thursday April 20 as the venue want final numbers by Friday morning.

Venue: The Komo, 96 Marine Parade, Redcliffe

Zoom option also available, please advise Marie.

Payment Information: \$5.00 payment by Internet Transfer by April 20

and email Sammy to confirm.

Zonta Club of Redcliffe Admin.

BSB: 633-000 Acc. No: 140820887

Please remember to put your name in the reference field and a brief

description of what the payment is for.

ZONTA CLUB OF REDCLIFFE INC MEMBER OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL EMPOWERING WOMEN THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

ABN: 64820813003

Dates to remember

April 11

Board Meeting on a Tuesday due to Easter Monday

April 24

General Meeting

April 29

QRL DV Game

Presidents Report – Jenny Osborne

Hi Everyone,

Easter has come and gone. I hope you did not eat too many Easter Eggs.

Since our last newsletter, 5 of us attended the D22 Area 1 meeting at the Caboolture Hub. There were 65 attendees at the meeting, representing the 11 clubs in our area. We ran a small stall endeavouring to sell some hand sanitizer, soup bowl holders and water bottle holders. We made \$60 on the day towards Birthing Kits. Lyn Agnew the D22 Governor, Petra Ladwig the D22 Lieutenant Governor, Anne Beulah ZI Foundation Ambassador and Jane Reid ZI Congress Brisbane 2024 were in attendance at the meeting. There was robust discussion during the day and we all left feeling that it was a worthwhile exercise. I encourage all members to attend these meetings to get to know other club's members and learn more about Zonta International.

Marie has arranged for us to attend the Dolphin QRL game on April 29th at Kayo Stadium. We will require assistance from 3:15PM for the Colt's game followed by the A Grade game at 5pm. We will erect our orange tent and hand-outs to support our "Say No to Domestic Violence" campaign. Please wear your Orange DV Tee-

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shirts for free entrance to the stadium. Thank-you Marie for your ongoing work with the QRL. Marie is trying to have a larger presence for Zonta next year.

Please contact Colleen on Colleencc@bigpond.com if you are willing to hold a position on the Redcliffe Zonta Board for the next year, or if you are keen to find out more about the Board.

Bunnings Rothwell has contacted Zonta Redcliffe inviting us to man a stall (Mainly Information/Membership) at the Mother's Day Event they are holding on Saturday 13th May. I have expressed our interest in participating at this stage.

Sue and Willemina held a membership day at Bluewater Square on 8th March. We will be manning further membership tables at Mango Hill Marketplace on the 3rd, 8th, 16th and 25th May. Please contact Sue or Willemina to assist on any of these days. This will also raise awareness of Zonta when we will be campaigning for dockets to be placed in our Zonta Redcliffe box at Mango Hill Marketplace during May. We can raise between \$500 to \$2000 just by encouraging shoppers to support Zonta by entering their shopping dockets in our Zonta Box. Don't forget to shop at Mango Hill during May and also encourage your family and friends to support our cause.

Don't forget that our Giggle Trivia night is coming up on 27/5/23 at the Scarborough Bowls Club. Invite your family, friends and neighbours along for a fun night.

We will also be inviting our husbands/partners along to the General Meeting in May. We have discussed this at our meeting and believe that it is a good idea so that husbands/partners meet each other on a social basis and not only when they are working to assist us in Zonta Fund-raising.

Thanks everyone. We are trying to encourage more members to join our club. Any ideas, please bring them along to our General Meeting.

A reminder that the yearly subscriptions are due.

Regards

Jenny Osborne

President 2022 - 2024

News from the Committees

MEMBERSHIP

Zonta club of Redcliffe has been provided an opportunity at the Mango Hill Marketplace on various days during the month of May 2023. This is an excellent opportunity to raise our profile in the community and we look forward to club members joining us on the appointed days. A plan will be sent out to enable members to choose their day/time. We envisage being there, on the appointed days, only between 9am and midday, or for as long as the member/s present are able to stay. As soon as the dates we have selected are approved we will ensure the details are circulated to members. It is also an opportunity for the Club to gain funding of \$500 or more as people attending the marketplace can place receipts in the box for our club.

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The 2023 Membership Information Night is scheduled for Monday 15 May at 6pm at The Komo, level 1. Again, volunteers from our membership will be sought to assist with this night.

ADVOCACY

Support us in our campaign against Domestic Violence at the Redcliffe Dolphins game. Come to the Redcliffe Dolphins home game on April 29th at the Kayo Stadium, Klingner Rd & Ashmole Rd, Redcliffe QLD 4020. Game starts at 5pm, be early and wear the Zonta Orange T-Shirt. Further details provided below.

There is the Candle Lighting Ceremony – please see details below.

SERVICE AND FUNDRAISING

Trivia Night 27 May 2023 - We will be trying a new strategy for garnering donations and prizes by emailing businesses for our upcoming trivia night. This year the Trivia night will follow along the same lines as last year with people being able to purchase meals from the bistro before we begin and there will be tables of 8 with BYO nibbles.

Fashion Parade - The fashion parade planned for August/September Planning is underway after our original date and plans did not come to fruition.

QRL Domestic Violence Game 29 April 2023 – your support is needed

The Domestic Violence Awareness match is on 29 April 2023. Please support our club and attend this day. Wear your Orange Zonta Says No Shirt and it is free to get in the gate.

Helpers will be needed to set up, man the stall, form a Guard of Honour and help pack up as well. Please let Marie know what you can help with.

Please encourage family and friends to attend as well, we have some spare pre used shirts to lend to family and friends, not all sizes. If they have an Orange shirts ask them to please wear them. I need to know how many are attending to let the Leagues club know how many will be attending.

After speaking with QRL headquarters it is very promising for a dedicated Orange Round next year. We have been working towards this for over eight years now. Other Zonta Clubs are also being encouraged to attend (especially if they live in areas that have teams in the QRL), so that they can prepare themselves for next year.

There are two games on April 29th, The Colts - kick off at 3.15pm and the (Seniors) Host plus Cup, kick off at 5pm. I would like the participants in the Guard of Honour to assemble about 30 mins before each Kick off.

Please see the flyer below and the email from Marie with the flyers attached to share across your social media.

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The Zonta Club of Recliffe Inc. invites you to join us to form a Guard of Honour

Please wear your Orange Shirt

QRL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MATCH

WHERE: Kayo Stadium TIME: Colts: 3.15pm Kickoff Seniors: 5pm Kickoff

ADDRESS: Ashmole Rd. Redcliffe WHEN: Saturday 29th April 2023



Fundraising for Birthing Kits

We now have a fundraising page for the Zonta Club of Redcliffe Inc. please share and promote it whenever you can. There is a QR code that can be printed and used at different events.

https://www.mycause.com.au/page/311236/zonta-club-of-redcliffe-inc-birthing-kit-assembly-day

We are aiming to assemble 1000+ kits this year, meaning we are working hard to raise funds. Take a look at our site.

Annual Subscription fees are due

A friendly reminder that Annual subscription fees are now due for the period 1 June 2023 to 31 May 2024

Please see the email from Lee sent on the 11 April 2023.

District Conference Mackay - Save the date

SAVE THE DATE: Friday 8 September to Sunday 10 September 2023 for the ZONTA INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 22 CONFERENCE.

The Conference Theme is "Build a Better World" and it is being held at the Mackay Entertainment and Convention Centre (MECC).

More details to come on the Zonta International District 22 Website.

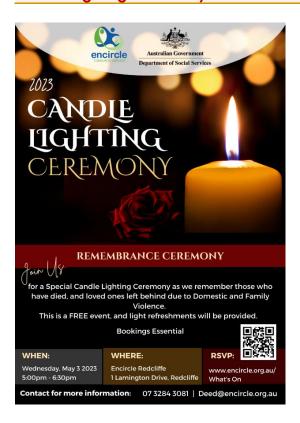
Area 1 Newsletter – key points

The D22 Area 1 meeting was held at the Caboolture Hub on Saturday March 18th 2023 and was hosted by Zonta Brisbane Inc. It was attended by 65 Zontians with representatives from each of the 11 clubs in the Area.

Nominations for D22 Board and Chairs of Committee positions. Nominations are open and it would be good for all clubs to think seriously about nominations for positions. All positions are open and involvement at the district level gives a greater understanding of Zonta International as well as the work that is being done across D22.

Australian Caucus. Quite exciting news, work is underway to create an Australian Caucus so that there may be more effective lobbying by Australian Zontians at a Federal level.

Candle Lighting Ceremony



"Culture is the best of the values that we as human beings cherish. What we need to challenge are the traditions and practices that have developed over time that are harmful to girls and women and which do not represent our values. Traditions were made by people; they can be changed by people." Graça Machel, Co-founder and



Champion of Girls Not Brides, and a member of The Elders

Birthdays



Wishing all members celebrating a birthday in April, a very happy day.

Future Dates

13 April	Coffee Catch Up – Salt Shop & Cafe
24 April	Zonta General Meeting at The Komo
29 April	QRL DV Game at Kayo Stadium
8 May	Board Meeting
15 May	Zonta Information Evening at The Komo
22 May	Zonta General Meeting at The Komo
27 May	Giggle Trivia
May	Coffee Catch Up
June	Coffee Catch Up
12 June	Board Meeting
16 July	Jetty2Jetty
Aug/Sept	Fashion Parade
8-10 September	District Conference - Mackay
20 October	Moreton Bay says No to Violence March
21 November	DV Breakfast - Komo
9 December	Flag Raising Ceremony

Please feel free to send Dawn Morris any interesting photos, information or short stories for inclusion in the newsletter.

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