

# Zonta Club of Redcliffe

## Next General Meeting: Monday July 26

The venue want final numbers by Friday morning so please ensure you provide a "Yes or No" response to Marie by no later than 4pm Thursday July 22 2021 please.

Numbers are particularly important for venues to comply with COVID-19 requirements.

**Venue:** The Komo, 96 Marine Parade, Redcliffe

Zoom option also available, please advise Marie.

**Guest Speaker:** Gabrielle Passlow, "Elder Abuse"

**Payment Information:** \$5.00 payment by Internet Transfer by 4pm Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021 and email to 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.

## Dates to remember

### July 18

Jetty -2 Jetty volunteers

### July 26

General Meeting 6.30pm

### July 31

Moreton Bay Food and wine festival volunteers

### August 9

Board Meeting

### August 17

Coffee catch up: Café Diversity, Redcliffe

### September 3

District 22 Conference Mackay

## Presidents Report – Marie Stewart

At our last Dinner Meeting, we trialled a new venue. The former Mon Komo has now been bought out by the same chain as The Belvedere, and after renovating has been re branded as The Komo. We would like feedback from everyone if we should continue our meetings here or go back to The Belvedere. The big pluses for most of us were the parking and the elevator.

Last month we were blown away with our "Young Women in Public Affairs" candidate, Sabine. Her energy and enthusiasm will get her far with her studies and future plans, sadly she did not win District 22 selection.

This month our speaker will be Gabrielle Passlow from Relationships Australia (Elder Mediation Support Services Co-Ordinator and Practitioner) will be speaking to us on Elder Abuse, something that is happening all too often.

The next few months we have many things happening. This month we are volunteering at Jetty 2 Jetty and also Moreton Bay Food and Wine Festival. In August we have a sausage sizzle at Bunnings. September is the District 22 Conference and I urge all who can to book in and attend. October is our Afternoon Tea /Fashion Parade Fundraiser, and also the Moreton Bay Says No to Violence Peaceful March in which many of us join in. This takes us up to November-December which has always been traditionally busy with 16 days of Activism.

Thank you everyone for your participation

Marie Stewart

President 2020 -2022

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### **Guest Speaker:**

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Gabrielle Passlow, Elder Mediation Practitioner for Relationships Australia Queensland. Gabrielle holds a Bachelor of Arts (Psych and Education), Grad Dip in Family Dispute Resolution, Grad Dip in Voc Ed and Training, Grad Dip in Community Sector Management, Diploma of Business and Dip of Voc Ed Design and Development.

She is a nationally accredited mediator and registered with the Attorney Generals Department to provide Family Dispute Resolution and issuance of Section 60I Certificates.

Gabrielle has a passion for working with vulnerable people and supporting them to have a voice on decisions and actions that impact them.

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### **District 22 Conference Mackay 3—5 September 2021**

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This year's conference will be held from Friday 3 to Sunday 5 September at Mackay Entertainment and Convention Centre (MECC) and offers a great program to keep you and your club focused on the things which matter and be prepared for the future challenges facing our organisation.

The conference opens on Friday 3 September with Keynote speaker Jess Hill followed by a cocktail reception. There is a full day on Saturday including guest speaker Professor Jennifer Burn, Human Trafficking Australia, University Technology Sydney. The day ends with a Gala Dinner. Sunday starts with a ceremony of Remembrance, followed by the Mayoral breakfast and round table.

**Guest speakers** include:

- Jess Hill: Author - See *What You Made Me Do*. Key note speaker Opening Ceremony
- Professor Jennifer Burn: Director Anti-Slavery Australia at the University of Technology Sydney and law professor at UTS. Keynote Saturday

- Margaret McMurdo AC: Chair the QLD Women's Safety and Justice Taskforce
- Sanuri de Silva – District 22 and International winner of the JMK Women in Business Award
- Andrea Frederick – District 22 Young Women in Public Affairs winner

There will also be three fabulous **workshops** on the Sunday morning:

- Social Media and you clubs: Jade McAuley Rebel Nation
- Community Engagement: Irene Jacovos – Townsville Health and Hospital Service
- Mindfulness: Petris Lapis *Your Success My Passion* (TBC)

**The link to purchase tickets is:** <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/K3TT1>

There are currently 2 confirmed members attending from our club.

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### Thought of the Month

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**Happiness lies in the joy of achievement and the thrill of creative effort – Franklin D. Roosevelt**

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### Birthday wishes - July

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*Warm wishes to*

Petra Cook – July 5

Sammy Hunt – July 9

Who celebrated birthdays in July



## WORLD DAY AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS 30 JULY

### **Sexual exploitation, forced labour, slavery...**

Trafficking in persons is a serious crime and a grave violation of human rights. Every year, thousands of men, women and children fall into the hands of traffickers, in their own countries and abroad. Almost every country in the world is affected by trafficking, whether as a country of origin, transit or destination for victims. UNODC, as guardian of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime (UNTOC) and the Protocols thereto, assists States in their efforts to implement the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Person.

- In 2018 about 50,000 human trafficking victims were detected and reported by 148 countries.
- 50 per cent of detected victims were trafficked for sexual exploitation, 38 per cent were exploited for forced labour.
- Female victims continue to be the primary targets. Women make up 46% and girls 19% of all victims of trafficking.
- Globally, one in every three victims detected is a child.
- The share of children among detected trafficking victims has tripled, while the share of boys has increased five times over the past 15 years.

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### **Zonta International – July 2021**

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Zonta International has updated the **Welcome to Zonta booklet**, take a look at:  
[WelcometoZonta.pdf](#)

### **Do you know what the HeForShe initiative is?**

**HeforShe Campaign** is an initiative of UN Women inviting people around the world to stand together to create a bold, visible force for gender equality and it starts by taking action right now to create a gender equal world. The **HE** explicitly invites the support of men.

Zonta International has supported this program since 2017. This movement provides education and tools to help men and boys to identify what matters to them and what they can do to contribute to gender equality. Individuals, organisations and students can take advantage of the Tool Kits that facilitate the transition from awareness to action. Zonta clubs and Districts are encouraged to use the **HeForShe** platform and tools to engage men and boys in their communities; to encourage men to support Zonta International's mission to Empower Women & girls and achieve gender equality; and to meet influential persons in their local communities and ask for their support of Zonta's mission.

## Ways to take action

- ❖ Review the **HeForShe** section for information and links to plan an event or learn how to engage in your community.
- ❖ Visit the **HeForShe.org** and tap the Count-Me-In tab to register as a supporter
- ❖ Share the information with your club/district and create an action plan outlining activities to do and how to identify those in your community to partner with.

The Zonta Club of Redcliffe's partnership with the Redcliffe Dolphins to raise awareness during Domestic Violence month and the current efforts to expand the awareness raising program aligns well with these steps.

There is a webinar on the Zonta International, My Zonta, PR Tools & Logos page that provides a range of great ideas.

Some of the ideas are:

- ✓ Ask for public support using the editable HeForShe posters
- ✓ Event Table – use a laptop for attendees to view the HeForShe website
- ✓ Movie Night – The Mask you live in; He named Me Malala; Hunting Ground and Miss Representation
- ✓ Picture paints a thousand word – sponsor an art exhibition in a school/university – paint create a scene of what the world would look like with gender equality
- ✓ Partner with other like-minded organisations in the community

## Zonta International Protocol Manual updated June 2021

The purpose of the Protocol Manual is to present clear guidelines for Zontians who are responsible for the organization of Zonta activities at the club, area, district and international levels. It is designed to enable the organization of events which exemplify courtesy, consideration and recognition of status.

Watch this space as we feature information about Zonta protocols for the benefit of new members and a refresher to older members.

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## Other News

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The Zonta Club Redcliffe is providing over volunteers for the:

- Jetty2Jetty event on Sunday 18 July.
- Moreton Bay Food and Wine Festival on 31 July.

There is also a fundraising BBQ at Bunnings organised for Saturday 22 August.

## Future Dates

July	12	Board Meeting	
	14	Coffee Catch up	Soul Harvest
	18	Jetty2Jetty	Volunteers wanted
	24	National Amelia Earhart Day	
	26	Zonta Dinner meeting	The Komo
	30	International Day of Friendship	
	31	Moreton Bay Food & Wine Festival	Volunteers wanted
August	9	Board Meeting	
	12	Coffee Catch up	Café Diversity
	22	Bunnings BBQ	Volunteers wanted
	23	Zonta Dinner meeting	
September	3 - 5	District conference	
	13	Board Meeting	
	15	Coffee Catch up	Basil & Co. 1/73 Landsborough Ave, Scarborough
	20	New Member Information Night	
	27	Zonta Dinner meeting	
October	11	Board Meeting	
	11	International Day of the girl child	
	15	MBSN2V	Peaceful March
	16	Fashion Parade	Scarborough Bowls club.
	24	United Nations Day	
	21	Coffee Catch up	Old Corner Shop, Cnr Victoria Ave & Dunbar St, Margate
	25	Zonta Dinner meeting	
November	8	Board Meeting	
	8	Zonta International's Birthday	
	22	Zonta Dinner meeting	
	25	International Day for the Elimination of Violence against women	16 Days of Activism commences
December	6	Board Meeting	
	10	Human Rights Day	16 Days of Activism concludes

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