

**Dates to remember**

**July 9**

Giggle Trivia

**July 17**

Jetty2Jetty

**August 20**

Moreton Bay Food and Wine  
Festival

# Zonta Club of Redcliffe Inc.

**Next General Meeting: Monday June 27**

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 May 19 as the venue want final numbers by Friday morning.

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:** None for this month

**Payment Information:** \$5.00 payment by Internet Transfer by **June 24** 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.

## Presidents Report – Jenny Osborne

Welcome to my inaugural report as President of the Zonta Club of Redcliffe. On Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, at our Changeover Dinner at the Komo, the new Board was installed by our District 22 Governor elect, Lyn Agnew. Our outgoing District 22 Governor, Bridget Mather, was unable to attend due to illness. Our new Board is:

Jenny Osborne                      President

Dawn Morris                        1<sup>st</sup> Vice President

Sammy Hunt	Treasurer
Lee Dawson	Minutes Secretary
June Teller	Correspondence Sec.
Petra Cook	2 Year Director
Marie Stewart	1 Year Director,
Immediate Past Pres.	

Thank-you to all of these Board Members. It is a privilege and honour to be trusted with these important roles. I was very proud to be installed with my immediate family present (other than my 5 grandchildren) and with over 40 members and friends of Zonta present to enjoy an evening of fellowship and a nice meal.

The following members have been appointed as Chair people of our committees for my term of office.

Petra Cook	Service and Fund-Raising Committee
Marie Stewart	Legislative Awareness and Advocacy Committee
Sue Marshall	Membership Committee
Dawn Morris	Grants and Newsletter
Colleen Smith	Nominating Committee

A reminder about our upcoming Giggle Trivia Night on 9/7/22 at the Scarborough Bowls Club. The hall will be open from 5:30pm for those who wish to purchase dinner at \$15 per head from the Club. Please purchase tickets through Try Booking at \$20 per head for tables of 8. BYO nibbles. Members, please remember to bring along a raffle prize valued at \$20 at least for the Trivia Night, to our June General Meeting.

Marie's contact who runs the Mango Hill Shopping Centre Markets has invited Redcliffe Zonta back to officially launch a mural painted at the Centre. We are hoping that some members will be able to attend, in their orange shirts, at short notice. This could be valuable publicity for our club and our upcoming events.

Eleven members and partners have volunteered to work on the Water Stop at Apex Park from 4:30am to 10am for the Jetty2Jetty Fun Run on 17/7/22. Full details will be e-mailed to these volunteers as soon as they are received from Alex at MBRITS. I will be unable to attend as Geoff and I are leaving on our Kimberleys holiday that day. Thank-you to those who have volunteered.

Don't forget to share Zonta's values with friends and family. New members to our club will be warmly welcomed. Over the next couple of General Meetings, we will be inducting new members. Please wear your name tags to our meetings to make it easier for our new members to learn our names and feel more comfortable at our meetings. Please introduce yourselves to our new members and welcome them to our club.

I look forward to seeing you at our June General Meeting on 27/6/22 at The Komo,

Jenny Osborne

President 2022 -2024

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### **DV Awareness Video Update**

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The majority of the filming has been completed for the DV awareness video. Unfortunately there have been a few setbacks but the final filming should occur on 24 June 2022.

Here are some behind the scene shots.

**YOU can help stop domestic violence.  
Use your Voice to say NO!**



**Make a positive difference. Join us. Use Your voice. Say No!**



**Do you know domestic violence happens:**

- On a Daily Basis!**
- In All walks of life!**
- In All levels of society**
- In Our community**



**Will YOU help. Add your voice to make a difference.**

**Child 1: Help make the violence Stop!**

**Child 2: Use your voice to say No!**

### **Zonta Redcliffe at the Mango Hill Community Mural Masterpiece**

Zonta Redcliffe was invited to attend the Mango Hill Market Place for the unveiling of the Mango Hill Community Mural Masterpiece, which is now live! Wendy, June and Marie were able to attend.

The mural draws from both the community input and the rich history behind Mango Hill. It is located at basement level (near the lifts) at Mango Hill Market Place.



### **From the ZI Website**

Click on [Home \(zonta.org\)](https://www.zonta.org)- Our Programs - Local Service and Advocacy and have a look at the Service and Advocacy action taking place with Zonta Clubs from around the world. There are some wonderful initiatives happening.

The Zontian Issue 4 [Zontian\\_May2022.pdf \(zonta.org\)](#)

### **Arranged Marriages in Australia**

There was an article a few weeks ago in the Australian Magazine discussing an arranged marriage that went very wrong for the young Indian women who found herself a slave to her husband's family, not able to pursue her career as a qualified dentist, pregnant, sent back to India and abandoned. This left the well-educated young women and her family in India devastated and the young women stigmatised with reduced prospects.

Arranged marriages are legal in Australia for people over the age of 18 because the couple only get married if they both freely choose to marry each other.

Even if they first agreed to it, an arranged marriage can change to become a forced marriage if one or both of the people are threatened, tricked or pressured into saying yes to the marriage. The person may feel helpless to say no to the wedding. At that time, they are no longer giving full and free consent and the marriage becomes a forced marriage.

It was a timely reminder that forced marriages occur as promises of a better life do not come to fruition. Forced marriage is a serious breach of human rights which affects millions of girls and women as well as boys and men worldwide, including in Australia. A forced marriage is when a person gets married without freely and fully consenting. This may be because they do not understand the nature and effect of the marriage ceremony or they have been coerced threatened or deceived, because of emotional pressure from their family, threats of or actual physical harm, or being tricked into marrying someone.



## Fundraising events

- **Giggle Trivia 9/7/22** to be held at the Scarborough Bowls Club
- **Jetty2Jetty 17/7/22**
- **Fashion Parade 29/10/22** to be held at the Scarborough Bowls Club

## Quote of the Month

*One of the most sincere forms of respect is listening to what someone else has to say.*

## Birthdays - May

No Birthdays in June

## Future Dates

July	9	Trivia Night	Scarborough Bowls Club
	11	Board Meeting	
	14	Coffee Catch up	Café 3 Eight Nine Landsborough Ave Scarborough
	17	Jetty2Jetty	Water Station volunteers needed
	25	Zonta Dinner meeting	The Komo
August	8	Board Meeting	
		Coffee Catch up	
	20	Moreton Bay Food & Wine Festival	
	22	Zonta Dinner meeting	The Komo
September	10	Other	Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints - Burpengary
	12	Board Meeting	
	26	Zonta Dinner meeting	The Komo
October	10	Board Meeting	
	24	Zonta Dinner meeting	The Komo
	29	Fashion Parade	Save the date
November	14	Board Meeting	
	25	Other	16 Days Activism starts
	28	Zonta Dinner meeting	
December	10	Human Rights Day	
		Board Meeting	

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

