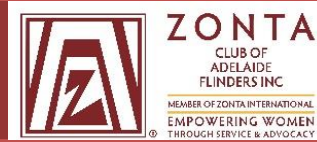


FLINDERS FACTS

Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders Inc
District 23, Area 2,
Club 993 Chartered December 1981



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From the President – Conference Overview

Firstly I would like to give some recognition to our member who is both a past president and past Area2 director, Eronwy Edwards. I was hopeful that she would be successful in her bid to become the Deputy Governor. I was really sorry that this was not the outcome. I was very impressed by her thoughtful speech about the way forward for the District in promoting membership which I believe was spot on, thank you Eronwy for your insights. I am very proud of the work Eronwy does for our club, ZI and the District. Eronwy is a great asset to Zonta. I would like to give my special thanks to her for your support and lovely words of encouragement she gave me after the results were announced and to also thank her for the way she supported me while I was working out what to say for the 2 minute speech I needed to present at the conference. I would like to make a special mention of her support for all of us attending the conference, she ensured that we were connected to the virtual conference and took the lead in enabling those of us who were presenting to be able to check out the system before the event commenced. She went to the hotel on the day prior to the conference just to ensure everything would be OK for the attendees and other nominees. I believe that she extended herself above and beyond especially given that she was also one of the nominees who needed to give a two minute speech. Thank you, Eronwy.

I also want to thank Cintra for nominating me and encouraging me to stand and reviewing my draft speech. I would also like to thank the club members for the wonderful support given to me and encouragement to stand for the role. I do hope that I will make you all proud. Don't forget however that if you have some insights that might be of help I would really appreciate all of your wisdom. I am not sure what is ahead but I now have around 8 months to work it out!!

It was an interesting weekend where we learnt that we can still get together and enjoy the company of our Zontain Friends even if it was in a limited way. Even though we were not in the room with the nominees or the conference organisers we could see them in real time which shows how creative our leaders can be, as the conference conveners indicated they were learning a great deal even after the conference commenced. I was thinking about it afterwards and wondered how all the members of the committee were because they really had a big job staying on top of each aspect of the proceedings ensuring that we the audience had a good experience and that the conference ran on time. The conference team should be commended for the wonderful way they prepared and presented the conference.

Those of us in SA who were able we were fortunate to be able to come together to share the experience. Chris Frick, our Area 2 Director, arranged for us to use a room and IT facilities at the Cathedral Hotel in North Adelaide. I believe we had around 24 Zontians in attendance, 10 of whom were members of the Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders. How wonderful to have so many members there to support those of us who were nominees for D23 positions. It was good to hear all of the speeches.

On Saturday another group met at the West Adelaide Football Club where we had the advantage of a very large screen on which we watched some excellent speakers and panel discussions. I encourage members to watch these speeches when they are released on the District Website. Jess Hill was exceptional and even though she was in Sydney lockdown with her family her message was clear and motivating. Zontians watching from home or in venues such as our members experienced were able to put questions up on the chat section of the Webinar and where time allowed Jess responded to the questions.

Originally we were not going to meet together on Sunday however Jill Welsh asked on behalf of the members, who really wanted to get together for the announcement of the election outcomes and the various certificates awarded by the District, if we could find a venue. We were able to meet in our usual meeting place upstairs in the Westies. It was wonderful to have our members there to support those of us who were both successful and unsuccessful nominees. Such a wonderful feeling of camaraderie was evident. There were 2 members of other clubs as well as Eronwy Edwards, Cintra Amos, Lindy Berketa, Carolyn Colquhoun, Sharon Vale, Jill Welsh, Susan MacDonald and myself and I know there were other members watching at home. It was so much better than being alone watching a computer screen at home. Besides the outcomes of the elections we were fortunate to have an Advocacy panel presentation presented by Mary Crooks. This was ably lead by a fellow South Australian Zontain, Lesley Sweetman the D23 Advocacy Chairman and President of the Noarlunga Southern Vales.

At the end of the day the place of the next conference which will be held in 2023 was announced – it will be held in Bunbury WA.



Our attendees of Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders present for conference during a Pandemic!!

Rt to Lt – Marianne Kidd, Sharon Vale, Jill Welsh, Lesley Siegloff, Carolyn Olquhoun, Eronwy Edwards, Susan MacDonald, Cintra Amos, Lindy Berketa.

Unfortunately Heather Smigiel had to leave before we were able to have this photo taken.

Members behind the mask!!!

The results of the elections

District Governor - Kay Stewart, Zonta Club of Melbourne on Yarra
Lieutenant Governor - Debbie Schmidt, Zonta Club of Geelong
Treasurer - Chris Frick, Zonta Club of Gawler
Area 1 Director - Yvonne Lockwood, Zonta Club of Melbourne Yarra
Area 2 Director - Lesley Siegloff, Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders
Vice Area 2 Director - Belinda Wise, Zonta Club of Adelaide Lower Eyre
Area 3 Director - Pauline Vukelic, Zonta Club of Dunsborough
Area 4 Director - Christine Denmead, Zonta Club Geelong
Area 5 Director - Wendy Quinn, Zonta Club of Hobart Derwent

Congratulations each and every one.

Nominating Committee

Sandra Burns- Zonta Club of Perth
Dianne Hillman - Zonta Club of Melbourne East
Erica Majba - Zonta Club of Adelaide

Awards

Service - Zonta Club of Bunbury
Advocacy - Zonta Club of Wangaratta
Service and Advocacy - Zonta Club of Noarlunga Southern Vales.
Honorable mention to the Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders
(Thank you to Heather Smigiel and Cintra Amos for writing the submission for this award)

In this newsletter edition it is evident that our club is vibrant and active and our members offer amazing skills that enable us to undertake our fundraising initiatives as well as engage in the wider work of Zonta. The club members were exception busy over the past two months, not only did 10 members attend the conference, there were 2 fundraisers as well as one three week cycle of the Food for Thought Project (more about that from Heather Smigiel the project lead in the next edition) and numerous meetings. The fundraising work last month means we will have funds for our projects next year. Thank you all for your engagement in each of the activities.

Besides another sausage sizzle in December we have our birthday celebrations to look forward to on the 5th December. I believe that the birthday committee, under the leadership of Cintra Amos, have all the preparations in hand and we can look forward to a wonderful day.

PR and Communications has also been on our agenda. Eronwy recently did a survey of new members the results of which are in this newsletter, Thankyou Eronwy this has been an excellent initiative enabling us the gain insight into the new club members' opinion of the clubs operations. I do hope all members will give that board continuing information about how they believe the club is going. As discussed at the last meeting a small group has met this month to develop a submission for the Districts 'Elevator Pitch' competition. I was joined by Lindy, Lorraine, Jessica, Eronwy and our potential new member Marcia Hakendorf (there were a number of members who would like to have been involved but had other commitments thank you all for offering to help.) at a meeting were we started developing a draft Pitch.. After a number of drafts the group was happy to have another smaller team do the videoing of the Pitch. We asked Sharon Vale to be the voice and face of our club on the video and she agreed. Our little team of myself, Marcia, Sharon and led by a videographer Eronwy met at the Zahra building and a number of versions were videoed. Eronwy has been hard at it over the last week preparing the video for submission by the 8th October.

Thank you all for you commitment and energy it is a privilege to work with you and to support the work of Zonta.

*Lesley Siegloff, PhD
President 2020-2022*

40th Birthday Celebration Preparations



Remember to put this great celebration date into your calendars.

This celebration will be with us before you know it.

The committee is coming up with what looks to be a great program. If all stays well between borders our District Governor Sandra Burns will be coming to help us celebrate.

The cost will be \$70 per head. It will be a 2 course meal and a drink on arrival.

Bookings will open in early October please keep a look out.

Thank you to everyone who gave donations towards the raffle.

We will include a wine wall on that day and would appreciate if members are able to donate a bottle of wine at a price of at least \$20 for this fundraiser. Thank you.



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Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders

RUBY RAFFLE

To Celebrate Our
40th BIRTHDAY

Proceeds Support Our Club Service Projects



YOUR CHANCE TO WIN GREAT PRIZES!

1. Overnight Stay for 2 plus \$100 Food & Wine Voucher donated by the Oval Hotel
2. Interior Design Consultation valued at \$300 donated by Sarah Taylor – We are Design
3. Personal Trainer Consultation valued at \$175 donated by Jon Degner
4. Behind the Scenes Adelaide Oval Stadium Tour for group of six
5. Large Gift Basket valued over \$100 donated by members of Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders
6. Large Gift Basket valued over \$100 donated by members of Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders
7. Bunnings Gift Voucher valued at \$100
8. Bunnings Gift Voucher valued at \$100
9. Dinner for Two and Bottle of Wine, donated by the Highway Inn
10. Hair Products with Beauty Voucher donated by Style 99

TICKETS \$5 EACH

From Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders members
Or contact zontaclub.adelaideflinders@gmail.com
DRAWN SUNDAY 5 DECEMBER 2021
AT OUR 40th BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON



Toast a member returns

Sharon Vale one of our newer members toasted Jill Welsh one of our longest servicing members at our September meeting

Jill Welsh (nee Boyden) was born in Melbourne on the 7th November 1936, the second of three children born to Rene and Syd Boyden. Contrary to popular opinion, I have it on very good authority that she was NOT born with either a raffle ticket or movie ticket in her hands at that time! When I asked Jill what her full name was, expecting her to say that she was Jillian something Boyden, she replied that her father had told her when asked, "you don't need a middle name so we didn't give you one. You are just Jill, like the racehorse called Just Jill!"

Jill was educated at Penleigh School, a small Presbyterian ladies college where she completed her schooling at the end of year 11. During that time she played tennis and basketball, and in later years she played a little squash. When she left school Jill went to Business College for a year and at the end of that time was offered 3 positions of employment. Jill decided to accept the position of junior secretary at Henry Berry & Co, a wholesale grocery.

On a visit to Philip Island over the Easter weekend of 1955 Jill aged 18 years, met Murray Welsh. A romance blossomed and the rest is history! They were engaged when Jill was 19 and a half, but, on her father's insistence they were not allowed to get married until Jill was 21. On 1st February 1958, 3 months after her 21st birthday Jill and Murray were married at Glen Iris. They now have 2 sons and are proud grandparents to 4 grandchildren.

Jill was 24 years old when Tupperware made its appearance in Victoria in 1961. Up until this time there had been no such thing as "direct selling" in Australia. By chance Jill was invited by her friend Judy to come to a morning tea with her, an invitation which would change Jill's life. The person hosting the morning tea was running very late and everything was a bit of a shambles with young children running amok. But eventually the host arrived and displayed her wares, namely Tupperware! Judy was immediately very impressed with the quality of the product and how superbly made it was and said enthusiastically to Jill "This product is going to be huge. We have to get into this." When Jill approached Murray about starting a business selling Tupperware by party plan he was reluctant as he did not want his wife working, especially when as they had a young son. But we all know just how persuasive Jill can be and before long she had talked him around.

Both women starting selling, and in a very short time Jill had become extremely successful. Murray then started learning the ropes and was being groomed for the role of Managing Director. A year after getting Tupperware started in Victoria Jill and Murray moved to South Australia in 1962 to expand the business there. Jill was a distributor for 20 years and was one of Tupperware's top sellers both in Australia and in the world! During this time both Jill and Murray attended at least 2 overseas conferences a year and visited many parts of the world. Their travels took them to New Zealand, Asia, Morocco, UK, Japan, Malaysia and Europe. The place that holds a special place in Jill's heart is Positano in Italy.

Jill became well known and sought after for her sales ability and in 1981 was approached by the German company Miele to showcase their range of whitegoods in SA. At a showroom in Melbourne Street, North Adelaide Jill spent 3 years developing and getting the products known and then successfully into retail outlets.

In 1986 Crabtree and Evelyn, an English company which produced and sold exclusive high-end women's toiletries, approached Jill to promote and sell their products in South Australia, which she did very successfully for 6 years.

Jill met a woman at dinner one night who was talking about Zonta and who invited her to a Zonta meeting in March 1983. It was hardly a meeting at all as it was the night of Ash Wednesday when devastating bushfires raged out of control in and around the Adelaide Hills. Jill said it was a very strange meeting which ended very early as everyone just wanted to get back home.

Not to be deterred Jill attended the next meeting in April, which was also attended by a Zontian from Bendigo - Val Sarah! Jill was so impressed by Val who was such an inspirational speaker, and who also served as an International President, that she knew there and then that she wanted to join Zonta.

Jill was inducted in September 1983. She served as President from 1984-1986 and during this time won 3 international awards. She has also served as Vice President, member of the Board and Chair of both the Nominating and the Membership committees for 15 years. Jill is famous for her very successful fundraising film nights which she has organised and held every year bar one, of the 38 years she has been with Zonta. And it was only COVID19 that could manage to put a stop to her plans to hold one in 2020! Jill also puts her sales skills to good use in Zonta by selling movie tickets, raffle tickets, cook books and enlisting new members.

When I asked Jill what she attributes to her being so successful in sales over the years she replied "It is quite simple. It is very easy to sell a product you believe in and are passionate about. That was the case with Tupperware, Miele and Crabtree and Evelyn and also Zonta!" she said.

Would you please all join me in raising your glass to toast the inimitable Jill Welsh who is a much valued and committed member of Adelaide Flinders who has achieved so much in her time with the club. Tonight marks exactly 38 years to the day since she was first inducted into Zonta. To the right is a photo of Jill doing what we know her well for – introducing a prospective new member to the club

Well done Jill and Thank you Sharon for your special words.



NCWSA - SEMINAR: A FOCUS ON HOUSING *We receive this information because our club is a member of the National Council of Women SA,. I was privileged to be able to attend this important discussion about Homelessness in this state. I believe we will be given a concise report of the outcomes at the next meeting. - Lesley Siegloff*

With 80% of responses from the NCWSA 2021 member survey indicating housing and homelessness as the Number 1 member concern, we decided to hold the NCWSA 2021 Seminar: "A FOCUS ON HOUSING - Exploring the growing problem of women at risk of homelessness", on 18 September.



With a rapidly growing number of women living in poverty and experiencing homelessness the National Council of Women SA brought together key thinkers and action-takers in this space to discuss practical solutions.

In this seminar we determined the breadth of the issue in South Australia while quickly zooming into the practical solutions we can implement now to champion change. Thank you for those who came along to hear from expert speakers, network, enjoy morning tea and, most importantly, explored the topics and also the solutions being enacted in South Australia. We were so thrilled to share this day with our members, friends and wider network.

Fiona Dorman, President NCWSA



FROM THE ARCHIVES

Carolyn Colquhoun – Club Archivist

Adelaide Zoo – Millennium Walk

To celebrate the new Millennium in the year 2000, the Adelaide Zoo held a major fundraiser. Businesses, clubs and organisations were asked if they would like to buy a brick to pave their Millennium Walk. The Zonta Clubs of Adelaide Flinders and Noarlunga Southern Vales combined and agreed to purchase 4 bricks. Both clubs names and the Zonta logo are on the bricks. The walk is down by the Education Centre on the way to the children's petting enclosure.



I have been a member of the Adelaide Zoo and visit regularly, often with friends and their grandchildren. It is fun to see who can find our Club's bricks first. When next at the Adelaide Zoo have a look and see if you too can find our bricks.

Carolyn Colquhoun
Club Archivist

38th Movie Fundraising Event – 21st August

Our 38th annual Movie night fundraiser was once again held at the Regal Cinema in late August. The movie selected was called Respect, and was about the singer Aretha Franklin, and everyone seemed to enjoy it which is always a bonus!!!

The entire night was a great success despite doubts over the preceding weeks as to how many we could have in the theatre due to the virus restrictions - first of all a half, then a week before we found we could sell 3/4 of the theatre, all very worrying. However in the end we sold almost all we could have, and with many thanks to the generosity of a wonderful benefactor, we had a sellout event!!!

President Lesley and Jill drawing the raffle



Our total profit for the evening was over \$7,000 which is fantastic. I would like to thank all of you who participated in the event for your help and support and in particular my excellent movie Committee members who were always there to help whenever called upon. However I must give special thanks to two members who gave extra special help.



Lorraine Omond for all her work in making the Prizes table look amazing - the wrapping, presentation and attention to detail were superb - no wonder we receive such accolades for our prizes every year, and Lindy Berketa for all the shopping, organisation and planning which she always handles with such ease and perfection!

Thank you both so very much - you always are a pleasure to work with!

Adelaide Flinders are known throughout the South Australian Zonta clubs for running very successful events and this was certainly another one.

My sincere thanks to you all.

Jill Welsh. Coordinator Movie Fundraiser

Thank you Jill and team – from Lesley

Save the Date
Join Zonta International for our 65th
Convention

25 -29 June 2022
Congress Center Hamburg
Hamburg, Germany



CHANGE MAKER LUNCHEON

Making a difference together

**FRIDAY 29
OCTOBER**

Join us to hear from three inspirational women:
Nicolle Rantanen – Public Trustee
Shona Reid – CEO Reconciliation SA
Isobel Marshall – Young Australian of the Year 2021



COST

\$125 per person includes
2 course meal and beverages

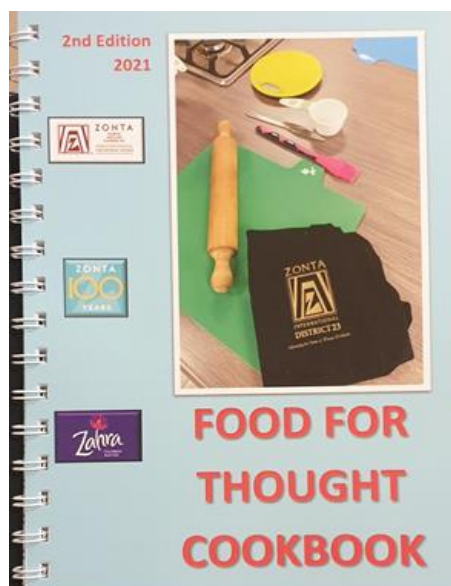
DETAILS

Friday 29 October 2021
12:00pm – 2:30pm
The Highway Hotel
290 Anzac Hwy, Plympton SA

BOOK HERE

<https://events.humanitix.com/changemaker-series-luncheon>

Club Service and Fundraising



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Zonta Club of
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Cook book

2nd Edition

Contact Lesley
0400682165

Next Bunnings Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser

Edwardstown Bunnings from 8am to 5pm, Friday 10th
December



Contact Lindy Berketa re your availability to help on that
day please.

Happy Birthday in October/November

Sarah	Cunningham	9th October
Marianne	Kidd	23rd October
Penny	Hepworth	1st November
Jill	Welsh	7th November
Eronwy	Edwards	7th November
Kae	Martin	17 th November
Isobel	McFarlane	25 th November



September Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser – Lindy Berketa

HUGE thank you to everyone who volunteered at our Sausage Sizzle today Sunday the 26th September at Edwardstown Bunnings

Right- Lorraine,
Susan and Lindy
ready for the first
shift



Another great sausage sizzle fundraiser was held in September. The members who worked on the day were busy from the start to the end with one member saying this is the first time I have not had time to talk to the others and even sample the sausages. Another member mentioned when informed of the great result of a profit of around \$1700 on the day "No wonder I was so tired the next day!"

Thank you from Lindy

Thank you Lindy and team – from Lesley

Australian of the Year Breakfast – Cintra Amos

I attended the Australian of the Year Breakfast at the National Wine Centre on Wednesday 15 September, along with a few other Zontians from other clubs.

This event presented by the Australia Day Council featured a panel consisting of Australian of the Year Grace Tame, Young Australian of the Year Isobel Marshall, Senior South Australian of the Year Professor Richard Bruggeman, plus South Australian of the Year Tania Hosch who joined us via Zoom from Western Australia.

MC for the event was Jessica Adamson who interviewed each of them in turn. It was wonderful opportunity to listen to each of them and hear a little of their journeys.

The highlight for me was meeting and chatting with Isobel Marshall who is an absolutely delightful young lady. We had only exchanged emails previously, so it was great to meet her in person - so looking forward to hearing Isobel and her co-founder of TABOO speak at our 40th Birthday Luncheon in December!

Service Clubs Association of South Australia

2021 Premiers Award Presentations Lunch Registrations are now open

Venue: Glenelg Golf Club, James Melrose Road – Nova Gardens. Sunday 31st October 11.30am for 12 noon.

Cost: \$47 per person, if you are interested in getting a table together please let Heather Smigiel know. Tickets can be purchased from: <https://e.mybookingmanager.com/SCASAAwardsLunch2021>

The Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders has made an application for an award.

New Members Speak - How are we doing?

Quality membership is at the heart of who we are, and it drives what we can do, locally and internationally to support women and girls. It is both a challenge and an opportunity.

To be effective, clubs cannot thrive without healthy boards, committees and communication and equally members will not stay unless these positive elements exist in clubs.

Our club recently achieved Tier 2 level acknowledgement in the **Add Your Voice Membership campaign** held by Zonta International, our five new members were entered into the register on line in the time required in May. We have had six new members in just over a year. We know that the induction is just the start. What happens after members join? Are new members happy or disappointed with their experience? What can we do better?

It is well recognised that through gathering and acting upon member feedback at all levels we can measure satisfaction and belonging with the potential of reducing member attrition. There are some key questions we can explore, and recently the club undertook a short survey of our six newest members to explore their feelings. All six responded to this 'Survey Monkey', taking an average of 4 minutes to complete. Thank you for your feedback.

It was reassuring to see that these new members all reported a high level of satisfaction, felt welcomed and had few suggestions for improvement. They used terms including – well run, respectful, friendly, caring and inspirational members, lively, interesting, varied, capable women and opportunities to be involved in the community. On the improvement side, Lesley's insistence on the microphone use at our last meeting was a direct result of survey feedback. The organisational management, friendship of members, the projects/ services that are being supported were highlighted by one respondent.

While we can be delighted about our new members, remember this was a sample of six. How do we ensure these feelings are not temporary and that members' understanding of and commitment to Zonta is nurtured?

It is up to each and every one of us to play our role in nurturing our dynamic, friendly, well organised, and productive club for the benefit of women and girls worldwide.



Eronwy Edwards for
PR and Communications
Committee

Induction of new members at the club
handover May 2021.

Jill Welsh membership Chairman, Chris
Frick Area 2 Director, Returning member
Jessica Knight, New members Kathie Guy,
Hanna Wilczynska and Kae Martin with
Lesley Siegloff at the back



OBJECTS OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL

BOARD 2020-2021

President – Lesley Sieglhoff

Vice President – Lindy Berketa

Secretary – Melanie Roberts

Treasurer – Carolyn Colquhoun

Directors

- Cintra Amos
- Sarah Cunningham
- Penny Hepworth
- Isobel McFarlane

Club leads

Advocacy

- Lesley Sieglhoff & Penny Hepworth

Awards

- Sue Lear & Heather Smigiel

Breast Cushion Project

- Sarah Cunningham

Birthing Kits

- Sue Lear

Fellowship

- Marianne Kidd

Membership

- Jill Welsh

PR & Communication

Website – Eronwy Edwards

Facebook – Cintra Amos

Newsletter – Lesley Sieglhoff

Program

- Cintra Amos & Kae Martin
- Meeting contact - Isobel McFarlane

Service

- Isobel McFarlane

- *To improve the legal, political, economic, educational, health and professional status of women at the global and local level through service and advocacy.*
- *To work for the advancement of understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of executives in business and the professions.*
- *To promote justice and universal respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms*
- *To be united internationally to foster high ethical standards, to implement service programs, and to provide mutual support and fellowship for members who service their communities, their nations, and the world.*



THE ZONTA THANKS

*Wherever your country of birth
whatever your faith or creed
give thanks for the meal we share in Zonta Fellowship
But remember too those who have no food today
not with guilt that we have so much
but with hope that through Zonta service and advocacy
they too may come to share the same
in peace and harmony.*

Monthly Club Dinner Meetings

3rd Wednesday of month 6.15 for 6.45 pm

Venue - West Adelaide Football Club, Richmond

RSVP & Apologies to Isobel 0418953648

These meetings are held via Zoom when SA is in Lockdown

Just click on QR Code or Links to Club Information

Website: <http://zontaadelaideflinders.org.au/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/adelaideflinders/>

Address: PO Box 27, Unley Business Centre, SA 5061



Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders Advocacy Working Group

The first meeting of the current Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders Advocacy Group was held on Tuesday 7th September 2021 at the West Adelaide Football club. Thank you to those members who attended, Marianne, Sharon, Jenny, Kathy and Hanna. The meeting commenced with an introduction to Advocacy and the role in Zonta and the clubs goal of increasing its Advocacy profile and initiatives. Members were informed that ZCAF is a member of the Area 2 Advocacy Network and that this group meets monthly on Zoom just prior to the Combined Presidents meeting.

The Club Advocacy Goals and initial related activities:

- Engage in Advocacy activities to improve the status of Women
 - 16 Days of Activism projects in consultation with WAVAWC - Clothesline Project with ZAHRA 8th November - Lesley and Lindy will represent the club at this event and potentially with the West Adelaide Football Club more information about this will be reported at the next club meeting.
 - Put up on the club Facebook page and Website initiatives and events that demonstrate the clubs involvement in promoting Advocacy activities that improve the status of women.
- Promote Advocacy through Service
 - Working with ZAHRA undertaking Club Initiatives; Food for Thought, Sewing Project and ZAHRA Volunteers initiative.
 - Supplying toiletry bags for Women supported by Western Safety Services
- Work with likeminded organisations on issues that are of common interest.
 - Raise awareness of Advocacy within the club and raise awareness of the District biennial plan.
 - Work with ZAHRA on related projects eg Clothesline project - 8th November
 - Membership of West Adelaide Violence against Women Collaborative
 - Membership of the National Council of Women - SA
 - Membership on the Area 2 Network - Attendance at workshops
 - Member of the Spirit of Women Initiative -Heather Smigiel is the Club representative on this group - The Ripple launch will be on 26th November - more on that at our club meeting.

Further information about these projects was attached to the last club meeting minutes. Because many of the members of this group are new to Zonta it was decided to draw on theses overarching goals in the first instance and develop initiatives with a focus on working in collaboration with other likeminded organisations especially in the area of Violence and Abuse of Women and particularly during the **16 Days of Activism - 25th November - 10th December**. The next meetings will involve our work for this special time.

The Advocacy Plan will continue to be developed as we learn and grow. This is not an exclusive group all members are encouraged to become involved where they can. Thank you again for the enthusiastic involvement of the members.

Lesley Siegloff ZCAF President and Advocacy Chairman