



**ZONTA**  
CLUB OF  
ADELAIDE HILLS INC  
MEMBER OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL  
EMPOWERING WOMEN  
THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

# BULLETIN

ZONTA CLUB OF ADELAIDE HILLS, INC MARCH 2017

Dinner Meeting March 22<sup>nd</sup>

6:30 for 7:45pm start

Belair Park Country Club

Upper Sturt Road Belair

Thanks/Objects:

**Guest Speaker:** Andy Fuller

Topic: Food safety procedures

**Intro:** Anne Fuller

**VOT:**

**Cashier:** Margaret Parsons

Objects: Irene Kiroff

## REMEMBER:

Please call, text, or email Anne Fuller by Monday before the meeting if you are unable to attend on 0408 836 661

Next Board Meeting- April 12<sup>th</sup>

Margaret Bunfield's home 7.30pm

On the website at

<http://www.zontaadelaidehills.org.au/business/resources.html#forms>

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We have a number of useful items for you to download and use when you need them:

Prospective Member's Forms

Letterhead with our new PO Box

The Zonta dinner flyer and more.

## MARCH/APRIL BIRTHDAYS

5<sup>th</sup> March Barbara Waddell-Smith

10<sup>th</sup> Marilyn Little

24<sup>th</sup> Pam Mayer

30<sup>th</sup> Jane Abdilla (big one)

5<sup>th</sup> April Lorna Caire (bigger one!)

28<sup>th</sup> April Anne Fuller



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL!**

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## PRESIDENTS REPORT

Dear Club Members,

I hope you all enjoyed International Women's Day last Friday. Eight of us and guests dragged ourselves out of bed for the early start to the day at the Convention Centre, with Senator Penny Wong and Julia Gillard. Good to see the former PM still standing up and speaking about the importance of education for girls in developing countries such as Malawi – music to our ears!

Mad March has been a busy time for our Club. Many thanks to Membership, PR and Program Committee for organising a successful movie afternoon with an amazing afternoon tea. A good start to our fundraising campaign this year. The Board discussed our action plan and estimated budget for next year. I am working on our draft strategy plan, which I will send out to you soon for comments. Both Service Committee and Advocacy Committee are keen to continue with all the existing projects, which should be affordable with our committed fundraising membership. We will investigate needs of women in the Adelaide Hills with a view to offering a future local project, for which we may obtain a grant. Please give this some thought and let me have your ideas. I had an interesting coffee meeting with Raema and Maxime from Adelaide Club, who are keen to share their current progress in working with the Department of Education to form a Zonta Award for indigenous girls in public schools, including Blackwood High. They will keep us informed of developments in this much needed area. I have also contacted Blackwood Action Group for preliminary discussions about future co-operation. I will of course keep you all informed of any progress or suggestions. At Womadelaide I bumped into Erica Majbe and a few other Zontians. Erica has agreed to speak to us at a dinner meeting about Zonta International projects.

Please let me know if you are planning to go to the Area Workshop at Cummins on 6 May. It is a beautiful part of SA and should be a great weekend. Advocacy Committee are busy organising an afternoon tea fundraiser. Watch this space! Diane Strutton, Di Bartel and myself had a good meeting in Mt Barker with Senior Constable Libby Bruce, who will be working with us this year on our Expect Respect project. Doone is organising a birthing kit assembly day in April.

## DIARY DATES.

**6<sup>th</sup> April** Combined Presidents Meeting

**12<sup>th</sup> April** Board meeting Margaret  
Bunfieds Home 7.30pm

**6<sup>th</sup> May** Area 2 Workshop – Tumby Bay  
Accommodation being organised. TBA

**1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> September** D23 Conference  
Geelong.

**Fri. Oct 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>** Anniversary, Mt  
Lofty House.

## PR & MEMBERSHIP REPORT

The Programme, Membership and PR committee now meets at the Belair Country Club at 5.30, just prior to our Dinner Meeting on the third Wednesday of each month. Anyone interested in joining us at this time is more than welcome.

We were delighted to have Amanda Waldock and Anne-Claire Lemarie inducted into our club at the last Dinner Meeting and welcome back Bev Hocking.

The Movie Fundraiser 'Hidden Figures' which was held Sunday the 5<sup>th</sup> March was successful, especially considering all the events of "Mad March". At this stage we have raised \$1593.80, it was a lovely afternoon and a wonderful movie. **A huge thankyou to the PM&PR committee for their hard work and to everyone who bought afternoon tea and sold tickets-well done.** Our new core board sandwich board sign was on display outside.

We are continuing our planning and discussion for our **30<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebrations, being held on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October at Mt Lofty House** and the need to invite various VIP's. Doone and Julie will be mocking up an Invitation /Flier by our next meeting and the 25 and 30 year membership awards are in hand.

**Below: Area Director Pru with new inductees Anne-Claire & Amanda, & Bev rejoining our club, with President Lynda.**

