



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

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HONOUR AND EMPOWER

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Zonta International

- ★ **Mission** Zonta International is a leading global service organisation of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy.
- ★ **Vision** Zonta International envisions a world in which women's rights are recognised as human rights and every woman is able to achieve her full potential. In such a world, women have access to all resources and are represented in decision making positions on an equal basis with men. In such a world, no woman lives in fear of violence.
- ★ **Theme** Empowering Women through Service and Advocacy.

Save the date:

June 2021	Wed 23 rd	ZCAH Dinner meeting – to be held at Belair Hotel, Blackwood.
	Fri 24 th	Coercive Control Roundtable – Livestream on White Ribbon Australia Facebook Page 3pm – 4pm
	Sat 26 th	Quiz Night. To be held at Lutheran Church, Trevor Terrace, Blackwood.
July	Wed 28 th	ZCAH Dinner meeting – to be held at Atelier Café, Crafrers.
	Sun 25 th	Guess who's coming to dinner? Social luncheon.
August	Sat 21 st	Area 2 Advocacy Workshop 1-4pm at Hopes Café, 243 The Parade, Beulah Park. Hosted by ZC Mt Barker
September	10th-12th	16th District 23 Conference to be held at Bendigo, Vic.
November	19 th	Adelaide White Ribbon Breakfast, Adelaide Convention Centre. More details to be released at a later date.
2022		
June	24th – 28th	Zonta International Convention to be held in Hamburg, Germany.
2024		Zonta International Convention to be held in Brisbane

NEWS FLASH RE: The Coercive control legislative roundtable with Jess Hill

Unfortunately this event sold out very quickly and there were some disappointed Zontians. However it will now be livestreamed from the White Ribbon Australia Facebook page.

Next Dinner Meeting:

Wed 23rd June 2021
6.30 for 7.00 pm start
at the Belair Hotel
141 Main Road, Belair.
Roster:
Objects: Margaret B

REMEMBER: If unable to attend the meeting please contact Doone by the Monday before the meeting

A thought for the day:

Some people dream of success, while other people get up every morning & make it happen. Wayne Huizenga..

Birthdays:

Joy O'Hazy –
June 16th
Margaret Parsons –
June 11th





President's Report

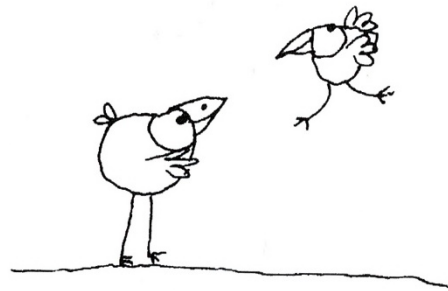
This last month has been one of high and lows for the Zonta Club of Adelaide Hills. We held our Biennial Dinner at the end of May and installed a new Vice-President, Julie Hallifax and Treasurer, Margaret Bunfield. It was a wonderful evening with an interesting and engaging speaker, David Patterson who is the CEO of YMCA. We were able to welcome Zontians from other clubs which made the night more enjoyable.

We were able to hold our first Birthing Kit Assembly Day in 2 years. 2020 saw us participate in the "Kits at Home" alternative which was alternative way for the Birthing Kit Foundation to enable the continuation of kit production given the complexities of COVID-19. With the help of family, friends and some new faces, we were able to pack 1400 kits on a Saturday afternoon. It was an incredible effort by everyone – the scones were a well earned reward for our efforts.

Our immediate past-treasurer Margaret Granger, passed away on Saturday 5th June after a long and hard-fought battle with cancer. Margaret was a member of the Zonta Club of Port Lincoln before she and her husband John, moved to Adelaide to be closer to family. Margaret was a great Zontian and a wonderful person. She was warm, supportive and one of the nicest people I have had the pleasure to know. Her passing will leave a huge void within our club and we will honor her life with a full tribute in the next newsletter. Her funeral is to be held on Friday 25th June at Our Lady of the Way, Glenalta at 2pm.

Yours in Fellowship,

Amanda Waldock



She told all her children
they could do anything
... it made them very light
and helped them fly

This weekend we stage a MAJOR fundraiser – Our quiz night happens on Saturday June 26th. We still need lots of donations for prizes and auction.

Please bring what you can to the Dinner meeting on Wednesday



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Quiz Night and Silent Auction

Raising funds for Zonta's National and Local Projects

Saturday 26th June 2021

7:00 pm

St Peter's Lutheran Church

Cnr Cumming St. and Trevor Tce, Blackwood

BYO Supper and drinks

**WINNERS PRIZE, GENERAL RAFFLE
SILENT AUCTION AND MUCH MORE**

**Gather your friends for a fun night and form teams
Of 8 per table, or join a table**

\$25 entry includes a raffle ticket

Extra tickets 3/\$5

To book a table or for ticket enquiries

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRNGS>

Thank you for supporting our Zonta Projects which include: Birthing Kits, I Caire Bags, Breast Care Cushions, Getting Started Kits, Expect Respect, Days for Girls, Scholarships, Ending Child Marriage, Say NO to Domestic Violence and more.

This article which appeared in the Mitcham Community news June edition seems to have had a positive effect on our community.

We received a huge response to our request for volunteers for our Birthing Kit Assembly day on Saturday June 19th.



Zonta Club president Amanda Waldock with Club members Sharon Geue and Julie Monis-Ivett.

Zonta seeks new members

A women's advocacy group is calling for women of all ages to join its ranks to help bring about gender equality and change.

Zonta Club of Adelaide Hills has established a range of successful projects that support girls and women locally and around the world.

In 1999 the club founded the Birthing Kit Project to supply clean birth kits to help reduce maternal and child deaths in remote regions. That project has since grown into a Birthing Kit Foundation and supplied over two million kits worldwide, made by volunteers in Australia.

It went on to win the Zonta International Prize for Best District Service project. Club member Dr Joy O'Hazy was named runner-up South Australian of the Year 2021 for her work on the project.

Club president Amanda Waldock said it was more important than ever for women to work together on women's issues.

"As a mother of two young boys it's especially important to me to make the world a better

place, not just for them, but for their wives and daughters, and for future generations," she said.

Other projects include the Expect Respect program that teaches primary students the importance of healthy relationships, Days for Girls, giving girls in developing countries access to sustainable feminine hygiene kits, the Breast Care Cushion project that supports men and women in their recovery from breast cancer surgery and many projects assisting local women and children at domestic violence refuges.

The group meets at the Belair Hotel once a month to share a meal and hear from guest speakers.

A Birthing Kit Assembly Day will be held on Saturday 19 June at St Peters Lutheran Church, Blackwood, from 2pm.

For details, contact Doone on 0422 024 240 or visit www.zontaadelaidehills.org.au.

BIRTHING KIT ASSEMBLY DAY – Some snaps



The day begins



Folding the plastic ground sheet



1400 packs made



Packaged up ready to GO

The Handover Dinner on May 26th was a highlight with many friends attending and a fabulous guest Speaker in David Paterson, CEO YMCA



These lovely photos were taken recently of past member Lorna Caire and Sharon with a pile of Breast Care Cushions. Thank you for your constant work on this important project ladies



Zonta South Australian Clubs meeting nights

Adelaide Hills 4th Wednesday	Adelaide Flinders 3rd Wednesday
Adelaide 1st Wednesday	Mt Barker 3rd Tuesday
Para District 1st Tuesday	Fleurieu Peninsula 4th Tuesday
Riverland 1st Tuesday	Noarlunga S.Vales 4th Wednesday
Adelaide Torrens 2nd Tuesday	Port Lincoln 4th Tuesday
Gawler 2nd Wednesday	Lower Eyre 3rd Tuesday

Our Club meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month, 6:30pm for 7:00pm start at the Belair Hotel, 141 Main Road, Blackwood SA

Zonta Club of Adelaide Hills Leadership Team 2021 – 2022

President: Amanda Waldock
 Vice President: Julie Hallifax
 Secretary: Bev Hocking
 Treasurer: Margaret Bunfield
 Directors:
 Pam Mayer
 Janet Stephenson
 Coraine Sopru
 Margaret Parsons