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★ Chartered 8TH June 1987 ★Zonta International, District 23, Area 2, Club No. 1180

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:

November	24 th	Dinner Meeting – Final for the year. Guest Speaker Gemma		
		Burden. See details on this page		
		All friends and family encouraged to attend.		
	25 th	7:30pm Day ONE of the 16 days of Activism. Meet at Parliament		
		House, Adelaide for a gathering and lighting up		
Nov/Dec	25 Nav – 10 th	l 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence		
	Dec	-Follow each day on our Facebook site – ZontaAdelaideHills		
		-Support the local businesses that are going ORANGE		
		-Read the timetable of activities in this issue for details		
	2 nd Thurs	Vigil To acknowledge Women who have died as a result of		
		Gender based Violence, at Windy Point		
		Time – 7:45 for 8:00 start (Sunset). Please plan to be there		
2022				
June	24th - 28th	Zonta International Convention to be held in Hamburg,		
		Germany.		
2024		Zonta International Convention to be held in Brisbane		

STOP PRESS - Nov 25th @ Parliament House - details -

Katrine Hildyard has organised for Parliament House to be lit orange on the first and last days of the 16 days. The gathering is for 7.30, with the lights on at 7.45. There may be a new Area 2 horizontal banner for Zonta Says No ready for the night.

Some will meet at 6.00 at the Strathmore Hotel for dinner. RSVP to Chris Frick by cob Tuesday 23rd if you will be attending and wish to be included in the meal booking.



HONOUR AND EMPOWER

ZAH News

November 2021

Date: 24 November Final/Christmas meeting

Venue:

Belair Hotel Partners invited

Speaker:

Gemma Burden

Topic:

Zahra Foundation

Objects: Sherry

Hostesses: All

Intro: **Bev Hocking** VOT: Lynda A'Bear

Board meeting: 10 November

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

A thought for the day:

"The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra."



President's Report

What a busy month it has been and we are now 5 weeks until Christmas. This year has flown by very quickly although I seem to say this every year. Each year feels shorter than the year before!

Our Devonshire Tea at Old Belair House was a success. There was lots of positive feedback about the event, primarily how much people enjoyed the chance to have afternoon tea in the gardens of a local historical building. It was a lovely combination of a social event as well as the opportunity to learn about a local landmark. The afternoon tea was put on by the Friends of Old Government House and although the afternoon was a little chilly, the sun was shining and everyone who attended had an enjoyable afternoon.

On Sunday 7th November, a group of us met a Sheoak Café and took a leisurely walk down to the lake Belair National Park. We saw a mob of kangaroos, galas, cockatoos and other water birds. On our return to the café for much needed refreshment, we were joined by Priscilla and Briella. It was lovely to meet Priscilla who expressed how much she appreciated the assistance we have been providing to her. Once Briella woke up, Doone very quickly claimed all the snuggles. She's a darling and contented little girl.

At the October Dinner meeting, Sherry Proferes let us know that she has bought a house on the other side of town to be closer to her daughter and 5 month old grandson, Freddy. She currently has her house up for sale. Sherry has been a member of the ZCAH since 1st February 1992 and will move to another club which will be closer to her new home. We will miss her at meetings but I know she won't be a stranger.

At the moment, the advocacy committee has been working very hard to prepare for the upcoming 16 Days of Activism. They have put together a fabulous plan to promote this in our local area. The vigil will be held on Thursday 2nd December at Windy Point at dusk. The local bakeries will be making orange donuts and some of the local business will be lighting their windows orange during the 16 days.

The Expect Respect Project is holding a 10-year retrospective display in conjunction with Mt Barker club who will be taking this project forward from next year with the local schools. Due to COVID, the resources normally available to the project from the Mt Barker Police were unable to be supplied. The project was able to adapt and were able to support St Francis De Sales College with a small Art Competition.

Our last activity for the year is the Christmas Tree Festival which will held on December 10th, 11th and 12th. Keep an eye out at the Festival for a tree decorated in Zonta colours!!

Wishing you all a Merry and Bright Festive season.

Yours in Fellowship, **Amanda Waldock**



What BEACON Needs Most this Year:

Suggestions for donations to Beacon are: -

- Chocolate Puddings
- Tinned hams
- Christmas biscuits of any variety, shape or size.
- Items suitable for gifts for adults such as toiletries of some description for either men or women.
- Items suitable for young men

Ideas to gift to Pricilla:

- Nice body and face products that she cannot buy for herself and Briella.
- Christmas toys
- Christmas Food treats.

UN 16 Days of Activism Club Activities

VIGIL-

16 days of Activism ★ Orange the World:★ end violence against women now!

When:- Thursday December 2nd 2021

Where:- Windy Point at the Restaurant carpark

Time:- 7.45p.m.for 8 pm. commencement of the ceremony

What to wear:- Please wear something orange and warm clothes



Together we have the power to change lives

END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN NOW!

Club Activity	Date/s	What you Can Do
Local Businesses light up Orange. Those participating so far are: Lights On Main (orange lighting) Strike A Light (orange lighting) Snazzy Boutique (orange lady in window, feature orange clothes) Banana Boogie (orange cake decorations) Akkerman/Dyer Bakery (Orange icing) Maybe Corro Bakery too	Nov 25 to Dec 10th	 Support the business by dropping in talk about the Orange theme with friends promote it as a thing that will happen annually.
Vigil at Windy Point – Live music, speeches, parade with lights	Dec 2nd 7.45 for Sunset event	Turn up and bring Friends We need a really good crowd
Shopfront Display – pending We may be able to put a display in a vacant shop window, but this is still to be confirmed	Nov 25 to Dec 10th	
Social Media campaign: Each day there will be a new message posted on our facebook site www.facebook.com/ZontaAdelaideHills	Nov 25 to Dec 10th	Go on the siteLIKE the postSHARE the post

Some Highlights from 2021



Looks like we have been busy. Enjoy a well deserved Christmas Break Editors Susie & Bev

Zonta South Australian Clubs meeting nights:

Adelaide Hills 4th Wednesday Adelaide 1st Wednesday Para District 1st Tuesday Riverland 1st Tuesday Adelaide Torrens 2nd Tuesday Gawler 2nd Wednesday

Mt Barker 3rd Tuesday Fleurieu Peninsula 4th Tuesday Noarlunga Southern Vales 4th Wednesday Port Lincoln 4th Tuesday Lower Eyre 3rd Tuesday

Adelaide Flinders 3rd Wednesday

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**