



**ZONTA**  
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ADELAIDE HILLS INC  
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THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

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★ Chartered 8<sup>TH</sup> 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:

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| <b>2023</b> | Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup>                     | Amelia Earhart lunch. 1 pm at 18 Karoola Court, Hallett Cove. Bring a salad or sweet. \$20. |
| <b>Jan</b>  | Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>                     | ZCAH Dinner meeting, guest speaker, Marion McCall.  |
| <b>Feb</b>  | Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>                      | Pay our Respects, 10 am – 11.30 am, Parliament House steps, Adelaide.                       |
|             | Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>                     | Quiz Night. St Peter's Lutheran Church, Blackwood. 7 pm.                                    |
| <b>May</b>  | Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>                      | Area 2 Workshop, hosted by ZCAH at Blackwood Uniting Church.                                |
| <b>Sept</b> | 1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup>       | District 23 Conference to be held in Bunbury, WA.   |
| <b>Nov</b>  | Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>                     | Women's Expo – proposed,  |
| <b>2024</b> | 27 <sup>th</sup> to 1 <sup>st</sup> July | Zonta International Convention to be held at the Brisbane Convention Centre,                |
| <b>June</b> |  |   |

### YOUR IMPACT ON EDUCATION



### SERVICE PROJECTS



# ZAH News January 2023

**Dinner meeting:  
Wednesday  
25 January 2023**

Venue:  
**Belair Hotel**  
**6:30 for 7:00 start**  
All Welcome

Guest speaker: Marion McCall.

Objects: Margaret B  
Hostesses: All  
Intro: Susie Clarke  
VOT: Coraine

Next Board meeting:  
8<sup>th</sup> February 2023 at  
Coraine's.

**REMEMBER:** If unable to attend the meeting please contact Doone by the Monday before the meeting. Ph: 0422024240.

***Happy Birthday***

**Margaret B – 12 Jan**

**Sharon – 15<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Karen – 30<sup>th</sup> Jan**



**HOLD UKRAINE**

**IN YOUR THOUGHTS**

## President's Report

Welcome to our first newsletter for 2023. I hope you all had the chance to enjoy Christmas and the New Year especially catching up with family and friends.

The Board has met and is looking forward to a busy year ahead. This month we will be recognising Amelia Earhart with a luncheon at Sharon Geue's home on Sunday 22 January. I hope to see you all there.

The organisers of Pay Our Respects have organised a gathering on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February, 10 am – 11.30 am on the steps of Parliament House, to "Pay Our Respects" to the Australian murdered women of 2022 and shine a very important spotlight on the prevalent yet preventable issue of violence against women. In 2022, at least 55 Australian women were

tragically murdered. Some of our members will be joining to 'pay our respects' to each one of them. Please let me know if you would like to join us.

Later in the newsletter you will see the information for our annual Quiz Night being held on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February. I hope you are all getting your tables organised.

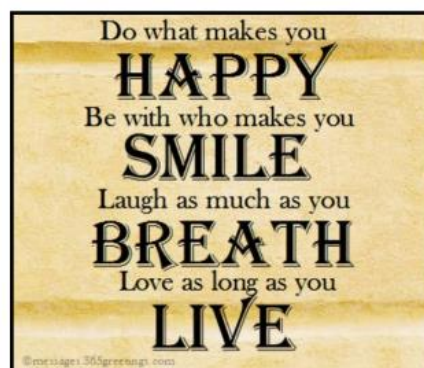
The planned renovations of the Belair Hotel have not yet commenced and so for the foreseeable future we will continue as usual with our dinner meetings there.

Yours in Fellowship

**Julie Hallifax**



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|  <p><b>PAY OUR RESPECTS</b><br/>to australian murdered women</p> <p><b>4</b></p> <p><small>SATURDAY, 4 FEBRUARY 2023 FROM 09:30-11:00</small></p> <p><b>Pay Our Respects to Australian murdered women - 2023 event</b></p> <p><small>Parliament House - Adelaide</small></p> | <p><b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2023</b></p> <p><b>Promptly 10.00 am to 11.30 am, Parliament House steps, Adelaide.</b></p> <p><b>We hope to see you there.</b></p> |
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We look forward to seeing you at the Amelia Earhart Lunch .....



## AMELIA EARHART LUNCH

SUNDAY JANUARY 22ND, 1 PM AT  
18A KARoola COURT, HALLETT COVE

PARTNERS, CHILDREN, PAST MEMBERS AND FRIENDS  
WELCOME

BRING YOUR TOGS FOR A SWIM IF IT'S WARM!

\$20 PER PERSON (+\$5 RAFFLE) CHILDREN FREE  
RSVP 16TH JANUARY TO SHARON GEUE 0403 579 487

PLEASE BRING A SALAD OR SWEET TO SHARE

Don't hurt anyone.  
It only takes a few seconds  
to hurt people you love,  
and it can take years  
to heal.

— Nanu Thakuri.



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## **Quiz Night and Silent Auction**

**Raising funds for Zonta's National and Local Projects**

**Saturday 18th February 2023**

**7:00 pm**

**St Peter's Lutheran Church**

**Cnr Cumming Street and Trevor Terrace,  
Blackwood**

**WINNER'S 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**

**To book a table or for ticket enquiries**

**<https://www.trybooking.com/CFC SX>**

**\$25 entry includes a raffle ticket**

**Extra raffle tickets on the night 3 for \$5**

**BYO Supper and drinks**

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

**Build a better world for women and girls**



## Christmas Dinner Meeting and induction of George O'Rourke

The 23 December was our final dinner meeting for the year, we wore orange to acknowledge the slogan, Zonta Says No to Violence Against Women. Lesley Siegloff, the Area 2 Director was our guest and had the pleasure of inducting our newest member, George (Georgene) O'Rourke, which was a lovely highlight for our Christmas meeting.

Another highlight was our guest speaker, Sofia Pridgeon, Puppy Education Officer at Royal Society for the Blind, and her beautiful companion.



Lesley Siegloff, A2 Director & Julie Hallifax inducting George O'Rourke



Guest speaker, Sofia Pridgeon, Puppy Education Officer, RSB and Karen Lorimer



George O'Rourke, our new member



We chose to wear orange to acknowledge Zonta says No to Violence against Women



Not quite our guest speaker but star of the show!



Linda A'Bear thanking our guest speaker Sofia Pridgeon, RSB

## Days for Girls - highlights from their Annual Report

### Distributions:

Australia Teams and Chapters distributed a total of 39,011 Kits in 2021/2022. This included 16,000 Kits to the Oceania region, of which 841 were distributed in Australia.

As part of our humanitarian response to the February 2022 volcanic eruption in Tonga, we sent 4,096 Kits with a range of partners. Other countries in Oceania that received Kits included: Fiji, PNG, Philippines, Solomon Islands, Timor-Leste and Vanuatu.

Forty-four Teams and Chapters helped provide 17,105 Kits to World Vision Canada in September 2021, as part of the Refugee project for Burundi.

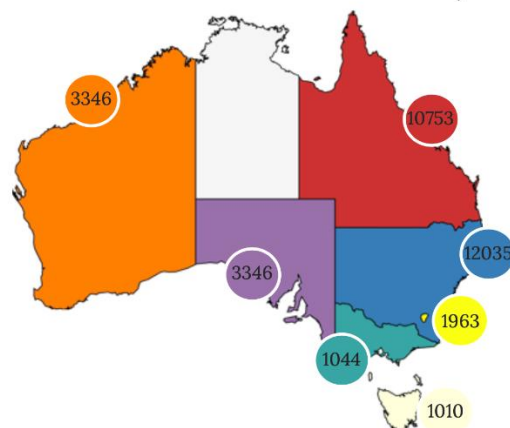
Other countries to receive Kits included Pakistan, Syria, Guinea, Laos, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tanzania and Zambia. Since we began recording Kit distributions, we have reached 281,688 menstruators, in 63 countries. This is a tremendous achievement, and all our team and chapter members should feel incredibly proud of their hard work over the past year - we are changing lives one Kit, and one education, at a time!

### Financial situation:

In 2021/2022 our T&Cs raised over \$567,000, and DfGAL raised over \$125,000 including \$90,389 in donations which included donations for the Mother's Month Campaign and donations to help bring representatives from the Oceania Teams to Australia for the 2022 Conference in Brisbane in November. The total revenue for the financial year was \$682,948.

Expenses for T&Cs were in the order of \$507,562, and DfGAL expenses were \$104,964 which included \$61,423 which was disbursed to T&Cs in June 2022. Our overall position for 2021/2022 was a surplus \$74,323

#### AUSTRALIAN KIT DISTRIBUTIONS - 2021/2022



## Gift yourself with an Entertainment Membership – extra 2 MONTHS FREE



To order: <https://www.entertainment.com.au/orderbooks/9t34486>

**International Convention - 27 June – 1 July 2024**  
**Brisbane Convention Centre QLD**



We are grateful to our supporters



**Zonta South Australian Clubs meeting nights**

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

Our club meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month  
 6.30 for 7.00 pm start.

**Zonta Club of Adelaide Hills**  
**Leadership Team 2022 -2023**

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 Vice President: Pam Mayer  
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 Susie Clarke  
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