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**President’s Message:**

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| Fellow Zontians,  With the AGM at this meeting our club looks back on the successes of this year, considers how we do all things Zonta as well or better and prepare for a new Zonta year. I look forward to the reports which will highlight the many achievements of the last twelve months. Thank you everyone for your efforts this year. The Area Meeting is not far away and as this is the “learning place” for Zontians, I feel sure many benefits will be found for members and the club. It is a great time to learn and to catch with Zonta members from other clubs. As usual, our club has a busy time ahead, but then, isn’t that what Zonta is about?  Yours in Zonta  Denise |

**MEETINGS Dinner Date**: 28th March 2018, Time: 5.30pm Fellowship, 6pm Dinner, 6.45pm Meeting **Venue**: Blue Shades **Committee**s: **Membership, Public Relations, Program and Communications** **REMINDER** 1st Wednesday of the Month, RSL – 6.00-7.00 If you are unable to attend **Advocacy, United Nations** the Dinner Meeting please 1st Wednesday of the Month, RSL, 5.00pm advise Michelle Byrne by **Service, Finance and Fund Raising** email or phone 0412779607 1st Wednesday of the Month, Margheriti’s Pizza, Custom House Hotel, 5.30pm **Board Date** 2nd Wednesday of the Month, Margheriti’s Pizza, Custom House Hotel, 5.30pm

**DINNER RAFFLE DONATION**

April – Denise, May – Bin, June - Meth

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| BUDDIES  Michelle & Doreen, Joan & Elizabeth, Sandy & Vicki, Nshara & Denise, Bin & Alison G, Meth & Karen, Alison B & Anne K, Mona & Ann C, Dawn & Sharon  **COMMITTEES Membership/Public Relations/Program and Communications Sharon (Chair), Michelle (Facebook and Web Manager), Alison B, Mona (Correspondence Secretary), Sandy (Newsletter)**  **Advocacy/United Nations Karen (Chair), Anne K, Alison G, Ann C (Minute Secretary), Dawn, Elizabeth (Director)**  **Service/Finance and Fundraising Vicki (Chair), Nshara (Vice President), Doreen, Bin, Meth (Treasurer), Joan Brazier (Director & Ass. Web Manager)**  **President – Denise** | | **DATES TO REMEMBER**  **24th Annual and General Meetings**  **26th April Meet & Greet A2 Meeting**  **27th- 28th April Area 2 Meeting**  **Registration closes 19/4/2019**  **15th June Change Over Dinner**  **6th - 8th September Combined District Conference Brisbane** |
| Happy Birthday | Happy Birthday  Dianne 5th  Anne K 26th  Doreen 30th | **NOELA BRADSHAW MEMORIAL for SERVICE to the COMMUNITY The Advocacy Committee are waiting for your nominations for this award.**  **Maryborough would not function without the volunteers in our community and there is no doubt there are many women in our community giving their time each day. Nominate!!!** |

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Did you know that there are many opportunities for you to provide these citizens with Centennial Anniversary Awards which will make their presentations even more special! Go to www.zonta100.org for information and guidelines. It’s not too late to recognise these people with a significant award this year.**    **District Conference (6—8 September 2019)**  **Registrations are now open for District Conference. Attached to this newsletter is a Schedule at a Glance of events at the Conference. Registrations are open at: https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=479031&. The most recent Conference newsletter has been sent to every club. If you have not received a copy please let me know and I will forward it on. And check out the Facebook page : https://www.facebook.com/events/2029897627320389/**    Share Your Story at District Conference  At Conference one club from each of the four Districts will be invited to deliver a five (5) minute presentation on a service project and one club will be invited to present on an advocacy project. Information for clubs will be provided soon with details or how to nominate for this opportunity.  **https://mailchi.mp/7bc6c6998701/zonta-2019-conference-newsletter-3-march-2019-register-now?e=e6c78a8181**  **Conference Registration**  The Governors of Districts 16, 22, 23, and 24 invite all Zontians to register for the 2019 conference in Brisbane. Access the links to online registration and registration form below. These links will also be available on District websites.   Newsletters are forwarded directly to club emails. Area Directors are requested to check that their clubs have received this newsletter. Please forward it to clubs reporting that they do not have it. (Good idea to check the junk mailbox.)  **Registration Cost including Opening Ceremony and Cocktail Party:**   * Early Bird by 30th June 2019: A$250 * Standard 1 July to  31 July 2019: A$290 * Late 1 August to 31 August: A$320   **There are two options for registration:**   1. Credit Card payment - online through Try Booking (booking fees and  processing charges will be incurred) Click on button below to register. 2. Direct credit payment - with completed registration form to be emailed to [zontaausnzconfreg@gmail.com](mailto:zontaausnzconfreg@gmail.com) Bank details on form below.   **Closing date for registrations is 31 August 2019.**  Please ensure that you print your tickets for identification purposes | | **GALA DINNER MAJOR SPONSOR**  The **Gala Dinner** on Saturday 7th September is an **optional ticketed event** and we thank **Calmar Corps** for their generous sponsorship of this event. Register via the registration form - guests also welcome.  [Maria Calibo-Sales](https://zontadistrict23.us19.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2556f5fddae7d032e79df2752&id=5a2d023be9&e=e6c78a8181)**,** founder and chief advisor of Calmar Corps, is a member of the Zonta Club of  Sydney Breakfast, and works with her Calmar team to instigate 'game-changing collaborations between Collective specialists and organisations-in-need.' The company has won many industry awards; a testament to the calibre of the work they do.  C:\Users\Sandy Peters\Documents\Z 2019 IWD\thumbnail_20190308_121943_resized_1[1].jpg  Our President  Supported our  IWD  Guest Speaker  Kerry Reid-Searl  very well  President: Denise Wilschut denwils@bigpond.com  Email: zontamaryboroughqld@gmail.com  Maryborough Web Page: www.maryborough.zontadistrict22.org  District 22 Website: www.zontadistrict22.org  Zonta International Website: [www.zonta.org](http://www.zonta.org) | | | |  | | --- | | **In this issue:**   * **District Conference** * **IWD wrap up** * **Area Meeting** |   **Area meetings**  **The first Area meeting will be held this Saturday 23 March in Noosa for Area 1. I am looking forward to catching up with everyone and in my next newsletter I will be announcing some special projects which the Board has recently endorsed. Stay tuned for exciting news!**  **Jane M Klausman Award**  **Nominations for the JMK Women in Business Award for 2019 are now open. Nominations plus the club coversheet must be with our JMK Chair, Lynne Foley, before 1 July 2019. More information and tools are available online at:**  **https://membership.zonta.org/Tools/Award-Scholarship-Fellowship-Tools**  **Meetings**  I’m off to attend the Area meetings in Noosa and Kingscliff this month and I’ve also been asked to present at my local Rotary Club in Stanthorpe to educate them on our great work. Early next month I’m flying off to **Longreach** to commemorate their 25th birthday.    Zonta 2019 Conference - Newsletter  **Registration Cost including Opening Ceremony and Cocktail Party:**   * Early Bird by 30th June 2019: A$250 * Standard 1 July to  31 July 2019: A$290 * Late 1 August to 31 August: A$320  |  | | --- | |  | | **FRIDAY'S KEY NOTE SPEAKER** |   New Zealand born **Dame Therese Walsh DNZM**, currently TVNZ chairwoman, will step down from this role in September to become the first woman to hold the position of Chairman of Air New Zealand. In 2018, after serving on the Air NZ Board for two years, she was unanimously elected to step into the Chairman’s seat this year.  Her other roles include a trustee of Wellington Regional Stadium, a board member of Antarctica New Zealand and pro Chancellor at Victoria University. She has also been chief operating officer for the 2011 Rugby World Cup and head of New Zealand organising body for the 2015 Cricket World Cup. As well, she sits on the board of directors for ASB and Contact Energy. She is indeed a trailblazer!  **SATURDAY'S KEY NOTE SPEAKER**  **Dame Quentin Bryce AD CVO** has had a rich and distinguished career, serving as Governor-General of Australia from 2008 to 2014, the first woman to hold this position. Previously (2003 to 2008) she was Governor of Queensland and is regarded as a pioneer in contemporary Australian Society.    In 2016 she was chair of the Queensland Premier’s Domestic and Family Violence Implementation Council. Dame Quentin's conversation with D22's Governor Sandy Venn-Brown will focus on her work with this Council that resulted in the landmark [*NOT NOW, NOT EVER*](https://zontadistrict23.us19.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2556f5fddae7d032e79df2752&id=7c7eac5cfb&e=e6c78a8181)report.   Dame Quentin became an Honorary Member of Zonta International in 2011  **Leadership Master Classes**  **Pre-Conference Opportunity Thursday 5th September**   Zontians arriving in Brisbane a day or two before the conference begins may wish take advantage of one or both of the Leadership Master Classes titled "Empower Me" and "Empower You", offered by **Lynne Foley OAM,** a member of the Zonta Club of Brisbane City Heart.   Lynne is CEO **Potential Plus Solutions** and is generously volunteering her professional services. Lynne excels in all endeavours, contributes enormously and selflessly to the education, development and advancement of women. She is an accredited and highly respected coach, speaker, consultant and educator, specialising in assisting individuals and organisations to grow leadership capability. Learn more about Lynne's outstanding professional background and download specific information about the Master Classes via the button below.  Payment for each Master Class covers materials and venue. Registration is via the **Conference Registration Form.**  Many thanks to Lynne for offering her expertise **https://ci3.googleusercontent.com/proxy/COond_s5wIWAXhXDJsmLOMQNg8HsevoC8jKaDn9YifVfH6l8SnJUNpXS0XCTVScvQGI-8fhuTHCErUA4c1zQ_WWqaglFTnbjmjQYoPrTlOSvM84BjcYx1Vy4pOg9tsd6pc2TdNXvoJ2QbeNlqtEQFgyoc-_04xH8Z2I=s0-d-e1-ft#https://gallery.mailchimp.com/2556f5fddae7d032e79df2752/images/ac86f5f6-2224-481a-86ab-af9c3b1a7e52.jpg**for these classes. |

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I wish you all a happy new Zonta year. As we begin 2018, we also enter the last six months of the 2016-2018 Biennium.