

ZONTA CLUB OF PERTH NORTHERN SUBURBS INC

PO Box 255, Karrinyup, WA, 6921, Australia

Club No 979, District 23, Area 3

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ZONTA



INTERNATIONAL

20th ANNUAL REPORT

**Zonta International is a worldwide Service Organisation of Executives in Business
and the Professions, working together to advance the status of women**

OFFICE BEARERS 2000-2001

PRESIDENT:	Dianne Bryant
VICE PRESIDENT:	Anne Markey
SECRETARY:	Vivien Hodder
TREASURER:	June Fowler
BOARD OF DIRECTORS:	Leanne Sultan, Margaret Foo, Helena Coleman-Roy & Judith Rossi

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

<i>INTER-CITY</i>	Dianne Bryant and Anne Markey
<i>MEMBERSHIP/CLASSIFICATION, FELLOWSHIP & ATTENDANCE</i>	Anita Sutton
<i>PROGRAMME</i>	Rosemary Tait and Kaye Poustie
<i>PUBLIC RELATIONS & PUBLICITY</i>	Anastasia Maslij
<i>SERVICE</i>	Kath Snashall
<i>STATUS OF WOMEN, AMELIA EARHART, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, UNITED NATIONS</i>	Lou Morrison and Helena Coleman-Roy
<i>ARCHIVIST</i>	Margaret Field

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

It is my privilege and pleasure to present the 20th Annual Report of the Zonta Club of Perth Northern Suburbs.

Sharing continues to be a wonderful feature of our Club, with members continuing to care and support each other in times of need. Friendship I believe, is one of the greatest gifts we can offer each other and I believe that our club members give generously.

The development of our two-year Strategic Plan, facilitated and managed by Pam Brand and presented by Kaye Metaxas, has been a step forward in the evolution of our club. I maintain this will be a tool, which will provide us with direction and meaning in our regular activities. It will provide us with the framework not only for the improvement of our club but will assist us to capitalise on our strengths and take advantage of any opportunities.

Effective committees are the key to successful Club progress, and Kath Snashall's energetic and dynamic Service Committee put a great deal of time and effort into organising fund raising activities that are enjoyable and profitable. Many worthwhile community projects are supported and we should be proud of our achievements.

Membership numbers remain relatively stable, with the elusive 40 within reach. I wish to thank Anita Sutton and her team who have been successful in attracting many visitors regularly to meetings, facilitating the successful induction of high quality members and efficiently organising the table settings whilst maintaining a caring and friendly atmosphere.

Anastasia Maslij, and her PR Committee should be justly proud of their achievements over the past year especially with their ongoing success in the planning and organising of the annual youth awards in September, where outstanding young people are recognised and applauded for service provided in a variety of organisations. Continually informing and entertaining all members through the newsletter 'Zontapreneur', Dawn Newman, as editor continues to pursue excellence which has seen the newsletter develop into the high quality publication we have today.

As usual guest speakers provide us with an excellent variety of interesting topics to enhance our meetings, thanks to Rosemary Tait and Kay Poustie.

Thank you to Helena Coleman-Roy who has enthusiastically stepped in and taken on the role of Chair of Status of Women, International Relations, United Nations and Amelia Earhart committee, providing Lou Morrison with a well-earned rest.

This committee continues to actively pursue excellence in the form of outstanding awardees for the YWIPA and Lucy Bohan Bursary. Margaret Field has continued to successfully research and nominate an outstanding Women of Achievement Awardee.

What an honour to have in our club talented member such as Area 3 Director, Alison Martin, and Dawn Newman as the PR Chair.

Board Meetings continue to enjoy the good life, compliments of the wonderful cooks (or that of their husbands) at our regular Board Meetings. I feel extremely privileged to be supported by such a proficient and enthusiastic Board of Directors, and really appreciate their willingness to give their time and talents to the club. I appreciate that Secretary Vivien Hodder has moved us into the new millennium by minutes/notices now being emailed – saving both time and money. Special thanks to our Treasurer, June Fowler for her intelligence, knowledge and skill in balancing the books and guiding us through the GST minefield.

In conclusion I need to thank all members for their dedication, energy and consideration over the past year. We all lead such busy lives and there are times when balancing everything sometimes becomes a challenge, but that the friendship, support and sense of satisfaction we enjoy within our Club certainly makes it all worthwhile.

DIANNE BRYANT
President

INTERCITY

Prior to the Convention in Hawaii, meetings were conducted in the Peel Region, district of retiring Area 3 Director, Liz Woodgate. With the election of Alison Martin to Area 3 Director, Intercity now meets at her home in Doubleview.

Meetings held every two months have been well attended by newly elected Lt. Governor Liz Woodgate, the Presidents of the five Area 3 Clubs and optional attendees Lennie McCall (Centurion), Judy Tennant (SOW, YWIPA & Jane Klausman), Dawn Newman (District PR) and Jennifer Walker (District Nominating Committee). These occasions allow for the update of information, the exchange of ideas and the promotion of club fund-raising activities.

Congratulations were extended to the Swan Hills Club for its most successful organisation of the Year 2000 Founders' Day Dinner. Quite an undertaking for such a new club.

An inspiring address was given at the dinner by the Perth Northern Suburbs nominee and the Area 3 winner of Women of Achievement Award, Liz Gent. The Bunbury Club's nominee, Meagan Patroni, was the successful recipient of the Area 3 Young Woman in Public Affairs Award.

The year 2000 Area 3 Award for Young Women in Public Affairs is to be the last. In future, only club awards will be made. All club winners should attend the Founders' Day dinner, as guests of their club, with one other guest. Certificates of Recognition are to be given to each club winner at the dinner. All club winners should then be forwarded to the District YWIPA Chairman.

ANNE MARKEY
Intercity Minute Secretary

MEMBERSHIP/CLASSIFICATION, FELLOWSHIP & ATTENDANCE

Our club has had an increase of four new members since the last report and has had three resignations, bring our current membership to 38.

Many thanks again to all members for suggesting prospective members and also to the Public Relations and Publicity Committee, we have had great results from the media.

We were sorry to lose **Gillian Cuss**, **Judy Drazevic** and **Marlene Whittington** from our committee and special thanks go to **Anne Markey**, **Robina Wright** and **Margaret Foo** for the wonderful job they do.

ANITA SUTTON - Chairman

PROGRAMME REPORT

The committee became one, due to Maggie Schmiedte taking leave and she was much missed but now Kay Poustie has become a welcome addition.

There were also some problems with double booking but hopefully the Board will make sure this does not happen again.

The committee has endeavoured to match the goals set by Zonta International as well as reflect our local situation.

Speakers included:

Mr David Bell Senior Hockey Coach at the Australian Institute of Sport
"Olympic Pressures"

Michelle McDavitt Citizen Advocacy
Janine Flemmer *"One to One Mentoring"*

Mr Jim Baker Executive Director of the Australia Day Council
"Promotion of National and Community Pride"

Virginia Moore Manager, Brightwater Homes
"Churchill Fellowship Work"

Rosemary Tait / Kay Poustie

PUBLIC RELATIONS & PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

We have made good progress this year with our newspaper liaisons, with articles regarding our new President, the Youth Awards and Woman of Achievement being published. This year we hope to have even more media exposure with Pam Brand leading the way.

The return of Dawn Newman from her world travels has seen the Zontapreneur taken to new heights. With the creative team of Debbie Sykes and Anne Fam in support, I'm sure we will continue to produce a high quality and informative newsletter. Congratulations to Dawn on her appointment as District PR Chair. 🐼

We reluctantly released Dianne Bryant and Vivien Hodder to their Board duties. However, we welcomed new member Debbie Sykes and transfer from the Service Committee – Judy Farrell. Judy teamed up with Dawn to produce a new, practical Club handbook. Sincere thanks to Judy and Dawn for all the hard work. Sincere thanks are also extended to Peter Farrell for all his time and effort in helping to produce the handbook.

This year's Youth Awardees were outstanding and the presentation night was inspirational. We'll be hard pressed to top it this year, but we've got a few ideas cooking which will hopefully make the night even better. Our gratitude is extended to Dianne Bryant for all her help with the Youth Awards. Thanks are also extended to Alison Martin for securing the sponsorship for the event from Clough WA.

Pat Cleaver's exceptional secretarial efficiency has meant that our committee is always up-to-date and informed. 🐼

I extend my humble thanks to the wonderful people that make up the PR team – Dawn Newman, Anne Fam, Debbie Sykes, Pam Brand, Pat Cleaver and Judy Farrell. And whilst Bobbie Craig has been LOA in body, her spirit has been with us every step.

Cheers, ladies!

SERVICE

Our major fundraising events this year have been two movie nights, a UN dinner, a wine tasting and a chocolate drive.

Once again our film nights have proved to be most popular and successful. This year's movies being Billy Elliott and Mansfield Park. Approximately \$2800 was raised from these two events. We will continue to hold our film nights at the Astor Theatre on a Sunday as this time and venue still appear to be the most convenient for the majority of people. If there are enough suitable movies available we are planning to hold three next year with the first being planned being 'Finding Forrester'.

Although selling chocolates is not very popular with some members it still proves to be a fairly easy fundraiser as was the case again this year. This year it was on a voluntary basis and raised \$300.

Two new fundraising events were held this year and both of these proved to be popular and will be included again in our next year's calendar. One was the wine tasting that exceeded our expectations for a first event and raised \$900. The other event was our breakfast held in Dagmar's beautiful old home "Daylesford House" nestled on the banks of the Swan River. Those members who were unable to attend missed a magical morning on the river.

Our UN dinner was once again held in October at 4 Ferrer Place. The members who attended enjoyed the usual delicious meal provided by members. A very easy fundraising event that will again take place in October.

We have come in over budget this year as a couple of our planned events raised more than anticipated. Well done everyone for this extra effort.

We welcomed Chris Phelps to our service committee for what we hope is a long stay and farewelled Judy Farrell to the PR committee.

Our hard working committee will continue to organise the functions that the club voted to support. All the help offered from other club members at these functions has been really very much appreciated.

Thank you everyone for this help. We all look forward to another successful year of Service and Fundraising.

KATH SNASHALL - Chairman

STATUS OF WOMEN, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, UNITED NATIONS & AMELIA EARHART

Another successful year has passed for our committee during 2000. Members comprised Margaret Field, Danielle Gallegos, Dorothy Hribar, Lou Morrison (Chair), Diana Pease, Jean Wyder and Helena Coleman-Roy (Co-ordinator).

Young Women in Public Affairs Award interviews were conducted during May 2000. Melanie Holmes of Aranmore Catholic College, Leederville was a worthy recipient in all respects.

We were delighted that our Woman of Achievement Award nominee, Elizabeth Gent, won the Area 3 Award. In 1996 Elizabeth was admitted to the order of St. John. She initiated the S.A.M. (Save A Mate) Programme and has been a tireless worker at Dr. George O'Neil's Drug Rehabilitation Centre in Subiaco.

The Migrant Women's Forum afternoon in August was successful in terms of Zontian attendees. However, the format may be reviewed to attract and benefit more migrant women.

Amnesty International speaker Alison White, was met with mixed feelings during her talk at Kath Snashall's at the October meeting.

The Lucy Bohan Bursary was awarded to Diana Livingstone, a worthy candidate. A cheque for \$500 was presented to assist with fees associated with a nursing degree at Edith Cowan University.

Meetings provide for lively and positive sharing of ideas between committee members, who continue to work enthusiastically in a spirit of fellowship and mutual support, while successfully achieving our goals.

HELENA COLEMAN-ROY - Co-ordinator

**ZONTA CLUB OF PERTH NORTHERN SUBURBS INC.
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS
GENERAL ACCOUNT**

For the period 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001

OPENING BALANCE 1 April 2000	1,395.44
Plus deposits to 31 March 2001	<u>13,205.76</u>
	14,601.20
Less payments to 31 March 2001	<u>11,568.22</u>
CLOSING BANK BALANCE AS AT 31 MARCH 2001	<u>\$3,032.98</u>

June Fowler - Treasurer

**ZONTA CLUB OF PERTH NORTHERN SUBURBS INC.
STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE
SERVICE ACCOUNT**

For the period 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001

OPENING BALANCE 1 April 2000	5,649.66
Plus deposits to 31 March 2001	<u>24,181.20</u>
	29,830.86
Less payments to 31 March 2001	<u>21,081.44</u>
CLOSING BANK BALANCE AS AT 31 MARCH 2001	<u>\$8,749.42</u>

June Fowler - Treasurer

I certify that I have examined the General and Service Accounts of the Zonta Club of Perth Northern Suburbs together with the receipts and payments records for the financial year ended 31 March 2001, and consider they present a true and fair view/record of the transactions.

Graeme Jennings,
Auditor

ZONTA CLUB OF PERTH NORTHERN SUBURBS INC. DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS GENERAL ACCOUNT

For the period 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001

<u>OPENING BANK BALANCE</u> as at 1 April 2000	\$1,395.44
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INCOME

Bank Interest received	2.41	
Dinner Fees	5917.05	
Miscellaneous income	154.00	
Monthly Raffle	249.80	
Zonta International/Club Membership Fees 2000	5397.50	
Zonta International/Club Membership Fees 2001	1485.00	
TOTAL INCOME		13,205.76

EXPENDITURE

Badges	35.58	
Bank Charges	61.38	
Convention Delegate Fee	250.00	
Dinner Account	5647.70	
Founders' Day Levy	296.00	
Miscellaneous	445.62	
New Members' Costs	43.65	
Postages & Printing & Stationery	449.25	
Purchase of Pens (Speaker gifts etc)	115.00	
Zonta International Membership Fees	3,024.04	
Zonta International District Annual Fees	<u>1200.00</u>	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		<u>11,568.22</u>
Excess of Receipts over Payments for the year		<u>\$1,637.54</u>

CLOSING BANK BALANCE AS AT 31 MARCH 2001	<u>\$3,032.98</u>
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June Fowler - Treasurer

I certify that I have examined the General Account of the Zonta Club of Perth Northern Suburbs Inc. together with the receipts and payments records for the financial year ended 31 March 2001, and consider they present a true and fair view/record of the transactions.

Graeme Jennings,
Auditor

ZONTA CLUB OF PERTH NORTHERN SUBURBS INC.
DETAILED STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE
SERVICE ACCOUNT

For the period 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001

OPENING BANK BALANCE as at 1 April 2000 **\$5,649.66**

INCOME - FUNDRAISING

Amelia Earhart	1264.00	
Breakfast	600.00	
Chocolates - 2000	760.00	
Christmas Function	1319.45	
Club Private Dinner	678.00	
Entertainment Books	5000.00	
Film nights (#1 3221.00, #2 2860.00)	6081.00	
Licence Plates	3620.00	
Miscellaneous Income/Bank Interest	839.60	
Wine Tasting	901.00	
Youth Awards Function	3118.15	
TOTAL INCOME		<u>24,181.20</u>

EXPENDITURE - FUNDRAISING

Amelia Earhart	817.50
Bank Charges	57.90
Breakfast	94.00
Chocolates - 2000	319.93
Chocolates - 2001	819.92
Christmas Function	1260.00
Entertainment Books	4000.00
Film nights (#1 1644.25, #2 1626.84)	3271.09
Licence Plates	1325.00
Miscellaneous	376.50
Youth Awards	<u>2685.65</u>
	1527.49

EXPENDITURE - DONATIONS

Fistula Clinic	500.00
Lucy Bohan Award	500.00
Motor Neurone Disease Appeal	500.00
Operation Rainbow	500.00
West Coast College of TAFE 2000 Scholarship	600.00
West Coast College of TAFE 2001 Scholarship	800.00
Young Women in Public Affairs - 2000	364.95
Young Women in Public Affairs - 2001	300.00
Youth Awards	739.00
World Vision - Indian Appeal	250.00
Zonta House Refuge Association	<u>1000.00</u>
	6053.95

TOTAL EXPENDITURE **21,081.44**

Excess of Receipts over Payments for the year **3,099.76**

CLOSING BANK BALANCE AS AT 31 MARCH 2001 **\$8,749.42**

June Fowler - Treasurer

AUDITOR'S REPORT

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Auditor

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2000 -2001 ZONTA AWARD RECIPIENTS

LUCY BOHAN BOOK BURSARY

Diana Livingstone

WEST COAST COLLEGE OF TAFE SCHOLARSHIP

Sarah Pizzey

*Mental Health – Non-clinical/
Alcohol & Drug Substance
Abuse at Carine Campus*

YOUNG WOMEN IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Melanie Holmes of Aranmore Catholic College, Leederville

11TH ANNUAL YOUTH AWARDS

Graham Jones

Scarborough Surf Life Saving Club

Brittany Watson

Riding for the Disabled – Capricorn Group

Lisa Meurs

St Stephen's School

Paul Nguyen

U.W.A. Student Services

Peter Metaxas

Mater Dai College

Commendation Recipient

Sarah Holland

*Duke of Edinburgh Awards/
Naltrexone Clinic*

AREA AWARD – WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT

Elizabeth Gent

*A tireless worker at Dr. George O'Neil's
Drug Rehabilitation Centre in Subiaco.*

MEMBERSHIP

*The **basis** of membership is **classification**.*

*The **joy** of membership is **fellowship**.*

*The **obligation** of membership is **service**.*

*The **life** of membership is **attendance**.*

*The **privilege** of membership is **yours**.*