# East-Enders



## November 2022 "Building a Better World for Women and Girls"

#### **Member News**

Wonderful to welcome Litty back to our meeting in October and also to again welcome Kirsten as a visitor to our Club and who will be inducted at our November meeting. From her photos Divya is certainly enjoying her holiday with her family in Canada. Ros and Jo enjoyed their stay in Hobart – eating and drinking was the name of the game "to keep warm" the excuse.

#### Service



Many thanks to everyone for their copntribution of bags and products to put in our Dignity Bags which we filled after our October meeting. Jacinta kindly took a boot full to Open Haven where they were warmly received. Many thanks also to the students from the Queensland Academy of

Mathematics, Science and Technology who also donated 14 bags filled with products to supplement our service project. All will be distributed to women in need over the coming months.





The Club was also approached by Mater PR and asked to be involved in a promotional activity with the students from

the Cannon Hill Anglican College to raise awareness of Breast Cancer during the month of October. A Media Release was issued (attached below) and Channel 9 and The Courier Mail responded and a "mock" breast cushion working bee with a few CHAC Grade 11 students was filmed and photographed

along with interviews. Channel 9 aired the piece during the Channel 9 news and an article was published in the Redland City Bulletin. There was also an interview on ABC Breakfast Radio. Many thanks to Ash our Breast



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Care Nurse Consultant at the Mater Private who initially suggested this activity and naturally was involved on the day

Our next service project is the Chritmas Hampers and gifts for the women stayiong at Madonna House. Please bring your donations to the November Monthly Meeting.

### **Fundraising**



Our next sausage sizzle is Saturday 26 November so if you are out Rocklea way call in and see us at our Sausage Sizzle and of course purchase a sausage to assist in our fundraising. We anticipate this will be quite a busy day and whilst Jo has a number of names for the roster if you can spare a few hours to help that would be appreciated.

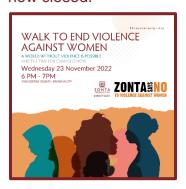
For those who are helping with our fundraising via "Containers for Change" we now have a deposit number to make it easier for you. Just drop your bag of recyclables to the drop off centre and quote the number – it is a very simple process. The funds raised will then go into our Fundraising Account.



#### **Advocacy**

This month of course is our major Zonta Says NO to Domestic Violence Aganst Women campaign and there are a lot of acivities planned thrgouhout the District <a href="https://zontadistrict22.org/what-we-do/zonta-says-no-to-violence-against-women-campaign/">https://zontadistrict22.org/what-we-do/zonta-says-no-to-violence-against-women-campaign/</a>

We kick off on 21 November with our Paint the Bayside Orange Breakfast with Gudest Speaker Vanessa Fowler OAM, Chair of the Allision Baden Clay Foundation and Co-Chair of the Queensland Government's Domestic and Family Violence {Prevedntion Council. Bookings are now closed.



On 23 November the combined clubs will have their ZSN Brisbane City Walk organised by the Zonta Club of Brisbane Sunrise Inc – all are welcome to come along incuding HonZons and family and friends. The walk is not onerous and can be as short as you wish. The fellowship afterwards at the Pig and Whistle on King George Square is also a great way to catch up with fellow Zontians from other Clubs. All Clubs have been invited to participate in a major social media activity to promote the campaign. Relevant materials will be at our November meeting for your input.

## **Fellowship**

It is again time for us to get together to celebrate another successful year for the Club and to wish each other all the best for the Christmas season. Mark 19 December for this get-together.

### **Diary Dates**

- 8 November 2022 Zonta International 103rd Birthday
- 14 November 2022 Board meeting by ZOOM
- 21 November 2022 Paint the Bayside Orange Breakfast Wynnum Manly Leagues Club
- 21 November 2022 Monthly Meeting
- 23 November 2022 ZSN City Walk
- 25 November 10 December 2022 ZSN Campaign
- 25 November 2022 Reflections in a Teacup
- 26 November 2022 Sausage Sizzle, Bunnings Rocklea
- 3 December 2022 Formidable Women, Judith Wright Centre
- 19 December 2022 Christmas get together, Colmslie Hotel
- 2024 Zonta International Convention Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre

