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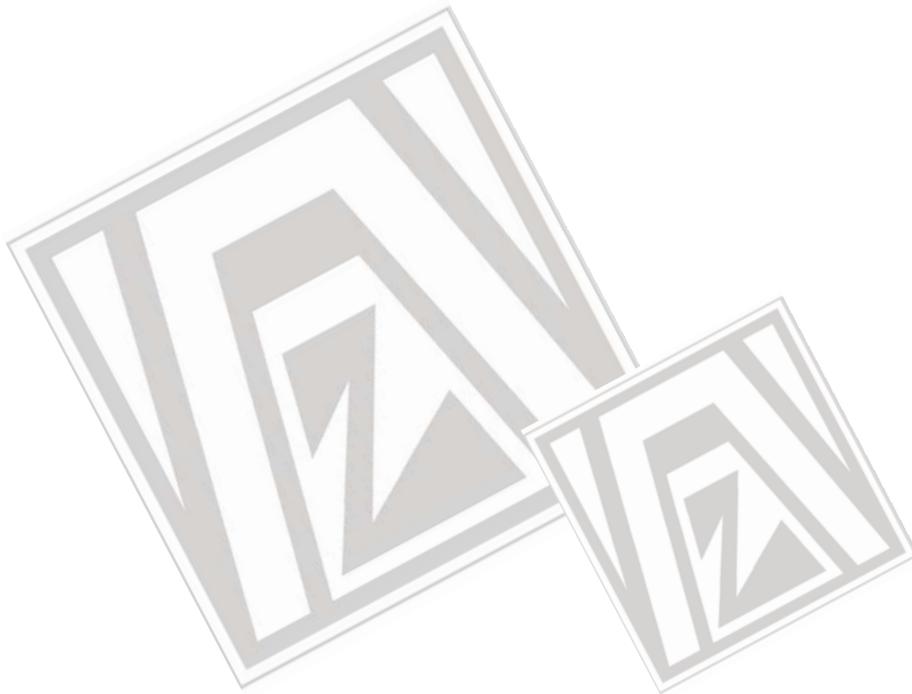
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2008—2009 Club Officers

President Carole Theobald
Vice President 1 Fiona Crowe (part year)
Vice President 2 Anne-Marie McNaughton (part year),
Wendy Atherden (part year)
Secretary Sandy McGregor (part year)
Treasurer Refat Murshed (part year) Katina Law
(part year)
2nd Year Directors Mary Gurgone,
Diana Kaiser (part year),
1st Year Directors Penny Flett (part year)
Lorraine McLean, Debra Mason
Archivist* Margaret Medcalf
Parliamentarian* Tricia Summerfield
*Non Board positions

Committee Chairs

Membership & Support & PR Marg Giles
Finance and Fundraising Deb Mason
Service & Status of Women Tricia Summerfield
Ngarinyin Project Karen Groves

District Office Bearers

Area 3 Director Judy Tennant
D23 Archivist Tricia Summerfield
D23 Newsletter Editor Carole Theobald
D23 History and Archives Lennie McCall (Chair),
Margaret Medcalf
Coordinators Yarri Wada Sciona Browne and Fiona Crowe
Coordinator Jane M Klausman Karen Groves



**ZONTA—PERTH
TOTAL FUNDS STATEMENT
AS AT 31/3/09**

Audited Actual to 31/03/08	FUND BALANCES	YTD Actual to 31/3/09	Total Actual to 31/3/09
\$7,645.71	Administration	-\$3,538.16	\$4,107.55
\$1,000.00	Puppet Project	\$7,977.91	\$8,977.91
\$3,459.51	Ngarinyin	-\$282.20	\$3,177.31
\$17,372.17	Fundraising	-\$794.76	\$1,577.41
	Founders Day Dinner	\$2,331.75	\$2,331.75
	Zonta Holidays		\$15,000.00
<u>\$29,477.39</u>	TOTAL	<u>\$5,694.54</u>	<u>\$35,171.93</u>
REPRESENTED BY:			
\$10,219.78	Westpac Chequing Account		\$13,374.53
\$5,953.88	ANZ V2 Plus		\$6,297.48
\$15,000.00	ESANDA Debenture/Holiday Trust		\$15,000.00
-\$392.20	Trade Debtors		-\$160.00
-\$1,304.07	Other Liabilities		\$659.92
<u>\$29,477.39</u>	TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE		<u>\$35,171.93</u>



**ZONTA—PERTH
FUNDRAISING
INCOME & EXPENDITURE**

1/4/08—31/3/09

Continued

Ngar	Ngarinyin	
Income		
Ngarinyin Fundraising		\$707.80
Card Sales		\$10.00
Total Income		<u>\$717.80</u>

Expense		
Ngarinyin Project Dev Sco		\$1,000.00
Total Expense		<u>\$1,000.00</u>

Net Profit (Loss) -\$282.20

Pupp	Puppet Project	
Income		
Puppet Project		\$9,250.00
Total Income		<u>\$9,250.00</u>

Expense		
Postage & Stationery		\$47.45
Puppet Project		\$1,224.64
Total Expense		<u>\$1,272.09</u>

Net Profit (Loss) \$7,977.91



**PRESIDENT'S REPORT
2008-2009**

Carole Theobald

The Zonta Club of Perth can be justly proud of its 37 year history. It was the first club in Western Australia, pioneering Zonta in this State. This pioneering spirit lives on with members embracing new ideas and being willing to try new ways of doing things.

This is evidenced by the Club's involvement in a wide range of activities that are well described in the committee reports below, and also by the Club's good relationship with the wider Zonta community.

From a Club structure perspective, we commenced the year with four committees. I would like to thank Committee Chairs Marg Giles, Tricia Summerfield, Karen Groves and Deb Mason for taking on their roles with enthusiasm, executing them so well and providing me with advice and support throughout the year.

We combined the Membership and Support Committee with the Public Relations Committee to synergize their activities as suggested by the previous Board. We also maintained the Service, Status of Women Committee and expanded the Ngarinyin Committee to include the Yarri Wada Puppet Project to ensure a smooth transition of the project to District 23. As the Finance and Fundraising Committee was very small, each committee was also required to

host one fundraising event during the year.

Overall, the committees worked very well, under the direction of their very experienced and capable Chairs. However, it soon became clear that succession planning would be a problem as the committee portfolios were becoming too large for less experienced members to manage. Therefore, in true pioneering style, the club next year will be trialing a new 'team' system with five smaller teams, each having a coordinator and a designated mentor to guide her.

The Club has also pioneered an Acknowledgement to Indigenous People statement at the start of all meetings and public events. This reminds us of our special friendship with the Ngarinyin, Worora and Wunambal peoples in the Kimberley.

The Board this year was a little like a roundabout as members moved interstate or overseas, had long leaves of absence, retired, or were promoted in their professional capacity, reducing their availability for Zonta duties - but somehow everyone pulled together and we managed to keep the Club on track. I thank all Board members (Fiona Crowe, Wendy Atherden, Katina Law, Mary Gurgone, Deb Mason, Lorraine McLean and Penny Flett as well as Anne Marie McNaughton, Diana Kaiser, Sandy McGregor and Refat Murshed who left the Club during the year) for their positive contribution and



support - you all helped me enormously.

In November, the Club hosted the Area 3 Founders Day Dinner at Methodist Ladies College on behalf of Area 3 Director, our own Judy Tennant. For the first time all finalists in the Area 3 Woman of Achievement Award were acknowledged as well as the Area 3 Jane M Klausman Women in Business Scholarship recipient, with our Club pioneering the format for this event.

I soon discovered that the President is a key link between our Club and the wider world and it has been a privilege to represent the Club at Area 3 inter-city meetings, various events at other clubs, the White Ribbon Breakfast, International Women's Day events and presentation ceremonies. It has also been very satisfying to see the three city clubs coming together to share Zonta stands at three International Women's Day events as well as a community fair.

We have also worked together to develop a Zonta bookmark, acknowledging all clubs in WA – that we distribute when we have 'shared events'. It has been very gratifying to see members supporting events with other clubs and members from other clubs supporting our events.

This year, Judy Tennant, Karen Groves, Lennie McCall, Margaret Medcalf, 'Tricia Summerfield, Sciona Browne, Fiona Crowe and I have all carried District responsibilities in addition to those

at the Club. To have eight members actively participating in District 23 activities is a magnificent achievement.

The District 23 Governor, Alison Martin, is a member of Perth Northern Suburbs Club and held her first D23 Board meeting in Perth in July, so many of us were able to attend and 'meet the D23 Board'.

I also thank A3 Director Judy Tennant and D23 Governor Alison Martin for inducting our new members throughout the year and bringing Zonta International closer to members through their informative presentations.

As a new President my learning curve has at times been 'ballistic', but I am very grateful to be surrounded by the warmth and care of so many experienced and enthusiastic members who all share that common goal of 'advancing the status of women worldwide, through service and advocacy.' As you can see from the committee reports, the pioneering spirit that started the Club continues to thrive.

Together, we have achieved a lot this year, our Club continues to make a difference and I thank all members for their contributions that make this possible.



**ZONTA—PERTH
FUNDRAISING
INCOME & EXPENDITURE
1/4/08—31/3/09**

FDD	Founders Day Dinner	
Expense		
	Founders Day Dinner	-\$2,331.75
	Total Expense	-\$2,331.75
	Net Profit (Loss)	\$2,331.75
Funds	Fundraising	
Income		
	Miscellaneous Income	\$4,705.00
	Fundraising Current Year	\$76.60
	Entertainment Books	\$1,300.00
	Fundraising Lunch	\$5,454.00
	AGC Fundraiser	\$5,027.25
	Interest on Investments	\$1,613.05
	Total Income	\$18,175.90
Expense		
	Entertainment Books	\$1,040.00
	Fundraising Lunch	\$1,547.00
	AGC Event	\$942.42
	Zonta Holidays	\$1,517.10
	Zonta House Refuge Associ	\$1,000.00
	Birthing Kits	\$1,710.55
	Puppet Project	\$2,000.00
	SOWS - Education Award TA	\$2,000.00
	SOWS - YWIPA	\$1,000.00
	SOWS - Womens Legal Ref S	\$2,600.00
	SOWS Discretionary Funds	\$513.59
	Jane Klausman Women in Bu	\$400.00
	General Service	\$2,700.00
	Total Expense	\$18,970.66
	Net Profit (Loss)	-\$794.76



**ZONTA—PERTH
ADMINISTRATION
INCOME & EXPENDITURE
1/4/08—31/3/09**

Income	
Membership Fees	\$5,404.00
Dinner Raffle	\$558.10
Dinner Money	\$9,765.00
Christmas Dinner Payments	\$1,846.00
Miscellaneous Income	-\$4,700.00
Total Income	<u>\$12,873.10</u>
Expense	
Accounting Fees	\$300.00
International Dues	\$3,521.00
Postage & Stationery	\$75.00
Mship - Badges	\$283.92
Mship - Gifts for Speakers	\$220.00
Mship - Other Gifts/Cards	\$153.35
PR - Competition entry	\$20.79
PR - New Member Satchels	\$52.70
PR - Web Hosting/Domain	\$160.00
Meals - Dinner Meetings	\$9,435.50
Christmas Dinner	\$1,685.00
Presidents Annuity	\$200.00
Other Projects	\$40.00
Founders Day Dinner Levy	\$264.00
Total Expense	<u>\$16,411.26</u>
Net Profit (Loss)	<u>-\$3,538.16</u>



**STATUS OF WOMEN,
SERVICE (SOWS)
'Tricia Summerfield**

The Service Status of Women Committee met on ten occasions at Jean Oldham's home and again we all thank Jean most sincerely for her generous hospitality.

Holiday trust

Three Zonta holidays have been funded and further accommodation options have been sourced in Mandurah and Yanchep/Two Rocks. All documentation supporting management of Zonta holidays has been revised and updated with:

- Policies revisited to reflect current costs
- Templates updated for procedures and timelines and
- New referral sources identified.

Documentation is available in the Club's Yahoo mailbox.

Education Award

The 2008 winner was Nicole Banks who is studying for a combined degree in Education and Social Sciences (Home Economics) at Edith Cowan University. The award application form has been revised and distributed to universities; 10 applications have been received for the 2009 award.

Central TAFE Community Services Award

The 2008 award winners are being processed. Two awards will be made, one in the first and one in the second semester.

Guides WA Leadership Award

Process and purpose of award being reviewed.

Woman of Achievement Award

Perth Club's winner Pat Kopousar attended Founders Day Dinner and the Area 3 winner was Eeve Knight who was nominated by the Bunbury club.

Young Woman in Public Affairs

Four applications were received. Jessica Sherman from Como Secondary College is the 2009 winner. An Area committee has reviewed the boundaries and schools within them to refine and define each club's catchment for promotion and applications.

Birthing Kits

Debbie Mason convened a workshop at St Catherine's College on 31 August 2008 with a goal of 2000 kits. Due to non-availability of some components on the workshop day, mini-workshops took place at Jean's to complete many kits.



Jane M Klausman Scholarship

Debbie Mason continued to represent ZCP on this Area 3 committee. The 2008 recipient was Saffron Sharp who was presented with her award at Founder's Day Dinner.

Total Service Hours

From April 2008 to March 2009, the Committee has contributed 126 service hours, notionally affecting over 4000 individuals.

Members of the SSOW committee have generously taken on sub-committee roles to cover all the projects and awards. Sincere thanks to all committee for their contribution to another successful year of Zonta service.

Status of Women Service Committee

- Tricia Summerfield (Chair)*
- Wendy Atherden*
- Roslyn Budd*
- Jean Oldham OAM*
- Freda Jacob AM*
- Lois Joll*
- Wendy MacGibbon*
- Lyn McArthur*
- Lennie McCall*
- Lorraine McLean*

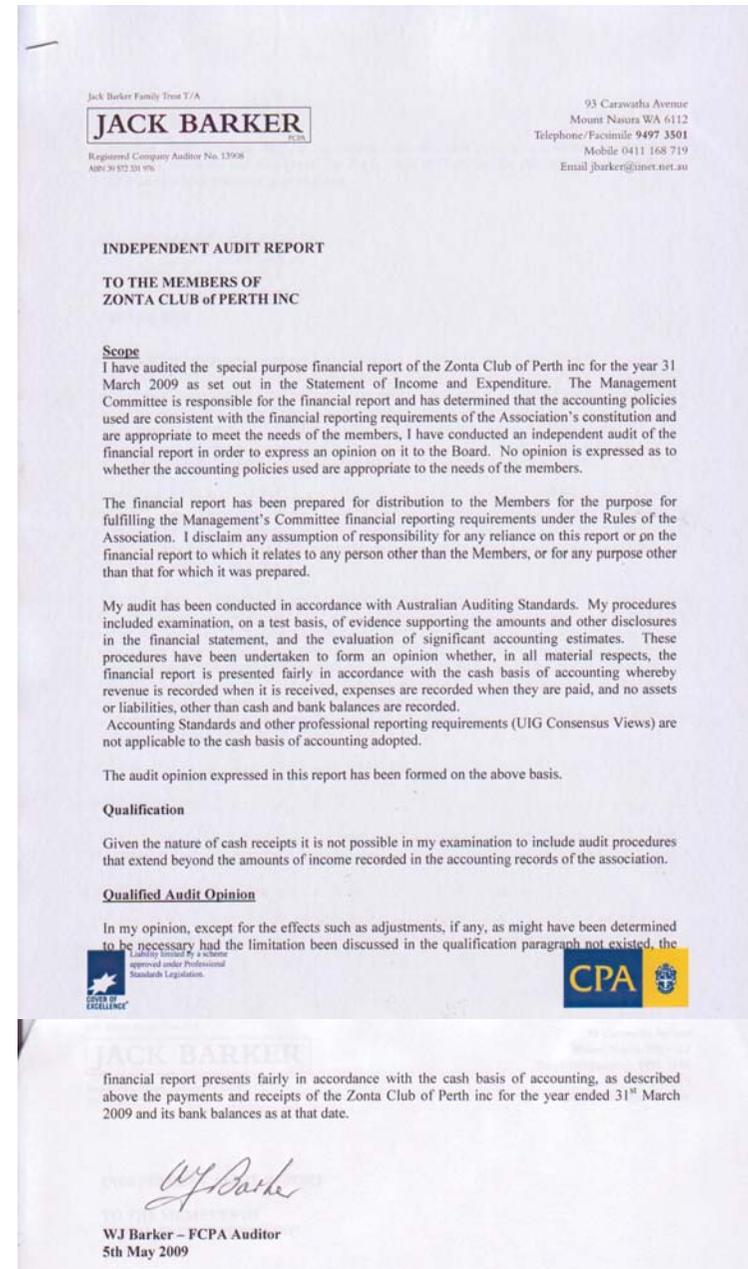
NGARINYIN COMMITTEE

Karen Groves

While the purpose of the committee's work this year has been to remain supportive of the Ngarinyin women and their communities, the main focus has been on the Yarri Wada Puppet Project, which was adopted at the 2007 District Conference as a District 23 Project for the 2008-2010 Biennium. Consequently, this committee has assumed the role of supporting the Coordinators of the Yarri Wada Project, Sciona Browne and Fiona Crowe, in the rolling out of the project. The first task for Sciona and Fiona was to write a detailed Business Plan which was required by District 23.

Yarri Wada Puppet Project:

With the superb assistance of Carole Theobald, a stunning package of materials, with most appealing branding, was prepared for the launch of the project at the District 23 Board Meeting in Perth in July 2008. A subsequent mailout to all clubs in District 23 of this package invited them to "adopt a puppet" or support the project financially. While this funding was being sought, Sciona and Fiona worked with the project managers in Derby to devise the programs to be undertaken in the Kimberley to meet the purpose of the project – improving the living conditions and expectations of girls and women in communities along the Gibb River





separates out the \$15,000 which is held in the Zonta Holiday Trust. These funds are not permitted to be spent rather the interest is contributed to Fundraising and helps to fund expenditure on Zonta Holidays; and

- Founders Day Dinner which relates to this year only and includes the surplus of funds which were raised for the Founders Day Dinner. The Area 3 clubs will now decide what is to be done with these funds.

The accounts have been audited and the letter from the Auditor indicates that the financial report is a fair representation of the accounts.



Road by changing attitudes through learning from the stories of the elders and also from current life skills training.

Between July 2008 and March 2009, \$30,250 had been donated towards the project - \$20,000 from the EON Foundation and the remainder from supportive clubs and individuals in District 23. At the same time, the thinking about the best way to implement strategies to achieve the aims of the project had changed from the focus on puppet-making to tell stories and give direction, to working with programs that were already available.

The program leaders undertook the certified course in sexual health and positive life skills training and the first program – “Monorngungga – Stepping Forward with Pride” – was run with 10 -16 year old girls in Mowanjum in the April 2009 school holidays. The feedback to date is extremely positive with requests for the course to be run in other communities in the Kimberley.

A DVD, many pictures and art work, apart from a formal written report, will all be testament to the success of this first step for the Yarri Wada – “Many Dreamings” – Project. A second follow-up mailout was sent to all interested and supportive parties in March 2009 and it is hoped that one or two of the project managers in the Kimberley will be able to attend the

2009 District 23 Conference in September to describe the impact of the project. Sciona and Fiona are to be commended for their commitment to the development of the project, given the constraints of time and distance and the need for patience and flexibility in working with indigenous people on critical and sensitive issues.

Clothing Collection

Once again, two large collections of clothing were sent to communities in the Kimberley. 78 boxes were shipped up free of charge by the St. Vincent de Paul Society during the middle of 2008 and were distributed in Halls Creek as well as in the Gibb River communities. Another collection went up in January 2009 after significant donations from the students of Currie Hall, Trinity and St. Catherine’s College at UWA at the end of 2008. Certificates of Appreciation were presented to the three colleges in acknowledgement of their support.

The troopie

Out of the blue, Sciona Browne was presented with the chance to purchase a troop carrier vehicle for \$1000. It was deemed an excellent opportunity to provide a means of transport to take the kids at Gibb River into country to go hunting and fishing and to learn from their elders. The vehicle was purchased, licensed, insured, serviced and driven to Gibb River in



mid-2008 by Kathy Charlesworth who had the pleasure of delivering it and seeing the joy with its use. Through Kathy, the kids were also the recipients of a dinghy built by the apprentices at Challenger TAFE – this was transported up there on top of the troopie!

The friendship

The club stays in regular contact with the Gibb River community through our friend Yvonne Burgu, who truly understands and appreciates the nature of the friendship between the Ngarinyin mob and the Zonta mob. The latest contact was to advise the club that her grand-daughter and other youngsters were attending the agricultural school at Bindoon and would love some “home” time at weekends. This speaks of the trust that has developed through the friendship.

However, it is most pleasing to see the development of the next generation of women in these communities, who are stepping forward to teach and lead or to become artists of repute. The program managers of the Yarri Wada Project, Estelle and Leah Umbagai from Mowanjum, are good examples. May this trend continue!

A form of words

The committee was involved in appraising examples of statements

used to acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which the club meets. The final choice of words adopted by the club also recognizes the special friendship we have with the Ngarinyin, Worora and Wunambul people of the Kimberley.

Australian Girls’ Choir

In September 2008, during a visit to Perth, many voices of the Australian Girls’ Choir sang in concert to a most receptive audience at Hale School. This event was suggested by Sciona Browne, who learnt of the Choir’s visit to Perth and their availability to perform for charity, and deemed it a marvellous opportunity for the club to raise funds, particularly for the Ngarinyin Project. The whole club pulled together to stage a most engaging occasion, and at the same time, to raise the profile of the club.

Ngarinyin Project Committee:

- Karen Groves (Chair),*
- Sciona Browne*
- Fiona Crowe*
- Mary Gurgone*
- Diana Kaiser (part year)*
- Katina Law*
- Judy Tennant*



Treasurer and Marlene O’Meara took on the role of Assistant Treasurer. Katina’s growing family makes it difficult for her to attend meetings so Marlene agreed to oversee money collections and distributing payments as needed. This has worked very well and the Club greatly appreciates their work.

The biggest thank you must go to the members of all the committees who assisted us in organizing and holding the various events. Without all the willing Zontians our small group would have had great difficulty and we appreciate the willingness and generosity of time, labour and the loan of the many jugs, coffee pots, platters and anything else I’ve forgotten.

Finance and Fundraising Committee:

- Deb Mason (Chair)*
- Bec Christou*
- Lori Grech (LOA)*
- Refat Murshed (part year)*
- Marlene O’Meara*
- Agnes Vacca*

TREASURER’S REPORT

Refat Murshed/Katina Law

Refat Murshed was the Treasurer for two years. She took on the role almost as soon as she transferred to the Club from Bangladesh. Sadly Refat returned to Bangladesh in December. We would like to thank her for her excellent contribution to the Club. Thank you also to Marlene O’Meara who has done a fantastic job in her role as Assistant Treasurer since December.

The accounting for the year was very straightforward thanks to the excellent fundraising done by the Finance and Fundraising Committee.

In addition to funds raised, \$4,700 was transferred from our Administration Account to our Fundraising Account during the year.

We have begun accounting for the funds of the Club in a more specific manner. As such several new categories have been added this year. These are:

- Puppets which includes all funds related to our District 23 project;
- Ngarinyin which includes all funds for the Ngarinyin Project. Any funds raised for this purpose are not included in the funds which are sent to Zonta International.;
- Zonta Holidays which



FINANCE AND FUNDRAISING

Deb Mason

With the Finance and Fundraising Committee being so small this year, the aim was that every committee would be responsible for one fundraising event and that the Finance and Fundraising committee would have a coordinating role.

We started the year with Debbie Mason, Chair, Refat Murshed, Club Treasurer, Agnes Vacca, Marlene O'Meara and Lori Grech (on LOA). During the year Refat returned to Bangladesh, due to a family illness and Lori remained on LOA, finally resigning in April 2009. We also added Bec Christou to our small group early in 2009, when she joined the Club.

Unheeded by our limited number we set about coordinating several fundraising events. The first of these was a lunch and silent auction, held at the historic West Australian Rowing Club, on the foreshore in Perth. The funds raised at this event were targeted to assisting the Women's Legal Referral Service and the event raised approximately \$3,900.

We also had the opportunity to have members of the Australian Girl's Choir perform for us as a fundraiser and this was held in September at the John Inverarity

Music & Drama Centre, Wembley Downs. This was a fantastic evening. The girls were wonderful performers and they took the time to mingle with the patrons afterwards. We cannot thank them enough for their generosity in assisting our club. The approximate amount raised by this event was \$3000.

The third event held by the club was a breakfast, also held at the West Australian Rowing Club. This was a Sunday continental breakfast and our fabulous West Australian of the Year, Penny Flett allowed her arm to be twisted (just a little) and did an amusing, if unfortunately accurate, talk on aging – the problems, the realities and the public perceptions. We raised a further \$900 plus from this morning.

Added to these events we also sold 20 Entertainment Books, with a profit value of \$260.

Overall the fundraising events were successful, although we can do better!

A huge thank you must go to Refat Murshed, who did a fantastic job as Treasurer for the Club. We all miss her dearly and hope that one day she may be able to return to Perth.

When Refat returned to Bangladesh we were faced with the task of replacing her as Treasurer. Katina Law accepted the position of



MEMBERSHIP, SUPPORT AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

Marg Giles

The Committee has met monthly in order to organize the Club Meetings. We commenced the year with 32 members and at the time of this report have 33 with three inductions planned for the Annual General Meeting in May, leaving us four short of our goal.

New members

We welcomed Wendy Atherden who transferred from Dunsborough Club in June. Karina Moore was inducted in July, Bec Christou in November and Dianne Agnew, Denise Hamilton and Diana Rigg in April. Jill Anderson, Donella Caspersz and Lesley Meaney are to join us in May.

Resignations

It is with regret that the following members have resigned. Anne-Marie McNaughton resigned in August as with family and professional commitments she did not have time. Diana Kaiser (September) was transferred to Melbourne, Refat Murshed returned to Bangladesh in December and Sandy McGregor and Lori Grech have resigned at the end of this Zonta Year. Sandy for family reasons and Lori wishes to focus on Zonta House Refuge Association Management.

Leave of Absence

These were granted to Lori Grech for 12 months and Sandy McGregor for three months while she walked the Bibbulmen Track.

Dinner Meetings

The monthly meetings have been held at St. Catherine's College where the staff has looked after us very well accommodating our Barbeque in February and special fayre for our Christmas celebration.

Average attendance of members during the year has been 22.5. This does not include guests of whom we have had 35, not including speakers and awardees.

Guest Speakers

The May speaker was Tracy Hodgkins, Entrepreneurial Educator of the Year in 2003 and previous Telstra W.A. Business Woman of the Year. In July Sue Murphy from the Water Corporation of W.A. the National Telstra Business Woman of the Year in 2000 addressed us. In September Sara Bright from Breast Screen W.A. spoke at our "Breast Night of the Year". In November we had a lively presentation from a previous Amelia Earhart Award Recipient, Jackie Davidson, who is now Adjunct Associate Professor of Physics at U.W.A. Michele Drouart an author captured our interest in March this year.



Visiting Zontians

Our District 23 Governor, Alison Martin, attended our April meeting and Joop van Dijk from The Netherlands came to our February meeting.

Showcases

In August Carole gave an Electronic Communication Overview. September Marilyn Rainier brought members up to date with the Breast Cushion Project and this was also the meeting that we all donated bras for the Uplift Fiji Project. In February, Tricia Summerfield talked about the Zonta Holidays. Judy Tennant detailed the Structure of Zonta International in March. Finally in April Alison Martin spoke of her role as District Governor.

Entertainment

At the Christmas Party we were delighted to be entertained by the Perth Male Voice Choir. Members joined in the carol singing with enthusiasm.

Members of the Committee also assisted the Finance and Fund Raising Committee with the Breakfast at the Rowing Club at which Penny Flett gave us insight into the future ageing population.

Public Relations

Thank you to Carole and Gillian for providing an interesting "Inzert"

every month which is uploaded on our website and also sent to the State Library. Also thanks to Marilyn for interviewing speakers and new members, and, providing interesting articles. Also thanks to Yvonne Roberts for sending newspaper articles of Zonta events.

Glen has promoted Zonta International, our District and local projects during her interviews on Radio Fremantle 107.9. She has delighted listeners with Zonta stories and encouraged them to go on line to our Club Website.

Carole, our webmaster has monitored our club email address on a daily basis as well as keeping the information current on our club web page. Many enquires are received regarding membership or applications for awards etc. and these are followed up promptly via email. Carole has also helped Perth Northern Suburbs Club to establish its web site.

Internal publications developed this year have included information packs for prospective members, introductory packs for members on induction, flyers for all fund raising functions, "Bring a Guest" for Guest Speaker nights, all place cards and name badges, Christmas invitations, bookmarks for International Women's Day, Membership List, UN Declaration of Human Rights, Annual Report, thank you certificates to many



donors of clothing, vehicles and funds, certificates for all Club Awards, the Yarri Wada newsletters, poster displays and the invitations and programs for the Founders Day Dinner. We are grateful for the colour printing donated through Deb Mason that has saved us a fortune.

We have also updated the "Welcome to Zonta" Power Point DVD that is set to music and which is viewable on a television.

With help from Lennie McCall, Carole has also been the photographer. Photos of events feature in slide shows during pre-dinner drinks and in the "powerpoint" electronic agenda that is used to keep meetings entertaining, informative and on track.

This year our major external PR events were held over International Women's Day weekend. We had 'joint stands' with Zonta Clubs of Perth Northern Suburbs and Swan Hills at the Lunch Box List IWD Event at the Hyatt Hotel as well as the Department of Communities IWD Expo at Central TAFE. In addition, Carole presented with Alison Martin, D23 Governor, on an IWD panel at a corporate event hosted by Accenture. Our club display stands have been exercised throughout the year at our major fundraising events. More recently, the three metropolitan clubs also

shared a stand at the Willetton Rotary Community Fair at which we sold Wandjina cards and promoted Zonta.

General

During the year we have supported members whenever the need has arisen.

Acknowledgement

Thank you to committee members who have all contributed to the team. Special thanks to Gillian for taking minutes and to Margaret Medcalf for hosting meetings in her home which is conducive to fellowship. Karina Moore has volunteered to collate the annual report and has agreed to attend to the organization of the club meetings. Her readiness to take on these roles is appreciated.

Membership and Support Committee

- Marg Giles (Chair)*
- Penny Flett (part year)*
- Helen Margaria*
- Sandy McGregor (part year)*
- Margaret Metcalf*
- Karina Moore (part year)*
- Gillian Palmer*
- Marilyn Rainier*
- Yvonne Roberts (LOA)*
- Carole Theobald*
- Glen Wilson*
