

## MISSION STATEMENT

Zonta International is a worldwide organisation of executives in business and the professions working together to advance the status of women.

Please let Robyn Powell know by 9:00am on the Tuesday at the latest if you will not be attending the meeting.

0412 965 935 or 5541 2776 or email: powfam@iprimis.com.au

In the absence of an apology, non-attending members will be invoiced \$20.



This is a photo from last year's IWD - we are hoping to continue the tradition of "filling the room" this year on 11th March. I will send out the poster in the next email and trust that you will forward it to your own networks.

We have 2 guest speakers: Dr Norman Hohl, from a well-known local family who currently had a practice on the Gold Coast and is on the radio there as the "Travel Doctor". He has worked in PNG, Nigeria and the mountains of China.

Dr Judith Goh is a specialist in Urogynaecology who spends part of each year working with women in various African countries. She has been particularly active in the field of Obstetric Fistula and has worked with Dr Catherine Hamlin in Addis Ababa.

This, of course, is of particular interest to our club as not only do we donate each year to the Addis Ababa hospital but one of Zonta International projects is the **Elimination of Obstetric Fistula in Liberia** where Dr Goh has also worked.

### Next Board Meeting

8th March at 6:00 pm

The Clubhouse

6-12 Petersen St Beaudesert

**Please note:** Board meetings are held 2nd Tuesday of each month at The Clubhouse  
General (dinner) meetings are held 3rd Tuesday of each month.

Dinner meeting  
Tuesday 15th February 2011  
starts at 6:30 pm  
Committee meetings start at 5:45 pm  
**Please be punctual**  
Dinner 7:30 pm - 2 Courses \$20  
Beaudesert RSL

### THINK ABOUT 'FUND-GIVING' IDEAS FOR THE MARCH MEETING.

We have had a successful fund-raising year this year and not a lot of requests so we would like to hear your ideas for giving at the March meeting.

Of course they must meet the guidelines and specifically benefit women or girls.

### NEW ZONTA CLUBS CHARTERED IN JANUARY 2010

Zonta Club of Aumuehle-Sachsenwald in Germany  
Zonta Club of East King County in Washington USA  
Congratulations to those clubs - perhaps we could send them greetings from our club.

### DATE CLAIMERS

February, Tuesday, 18th - Dinner meeting - RSL

March, Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> - International Women's Day/Zonta Rose Day  
This year we are celebrating the CENTENARY of IWD.

March, Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> - I.W.D. Luncheon at the RSL.  
Dr. Phillip Hohl and Dr. Judith Goh will be speaking on their work in Africa with Obstetric Fistula. Tickets are on sale at Dolly's.

March, Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> - Areas 1&3 Meeting at Tamborine Mountain.

March, Monday, 21<sup>st</sup> - Gold Coast Tweed Club is celebrating their 30th Anniversary of Charter.

September, Weekend of 23 to 25<sup>th</sup> - District 22 Conference at the NOVOTEL in Brisbane  
Ask about volunteering to help during the Conference.

July 2012, - Zonta International Convention in Torino, Italy.