

Inner Wheel Club of Mt Roskill Auckland

NEWSLETTER - OCTOBER 2020

IIW President,
Bina Vyas's
theme 2020-21



Dates for Your Diary:

October:

22nd: General Mtg
31st District Meeting –
details page 2.

November:

2nd: Morning Tea
5th: Committee Mtg
26th: Dolphin Theatre:
'A Christmas Carol' –
details p.2

December:

3rd: C'ttee Mtg - tba
7th: Morning Tea
Sun 13th: Christmas
Lunch at Margaret
Johns' home (car-
pooling available)

President's Chat

Hi Everyone,

I do hope that you are all enjoying
having more freedom to get out & about.
Was lovely to be able to get back to
having our monthly coffee morning. We
missed you Margaret W - I do hope that you are
feeling much better. Margaret G, I do also hope that
your sister is recovering well from her fall.



It will be so good to be able to get back to having
our monthly meetings and catching up with
everyone in person. This will be our last General
Meeting for the year as, in November, we will be off
to the Dolphin Theatre.

We have the District meeting coming up on
Saturday 31st October (details page 2) with our very
own Rina at the helm. It would be nice to have a
good representation from the club to support Rina.
It is a great way to meet other members from
Whangarei to Opotiki and hear what they are doing.

Meantime take care, stay safe and I look forward
to catching up with you all on the 22nd.
In friendship, Fay

ITEMS FOR WOMEN'S REFUGE BAGS

Only a few items still
required. If you would
still like to contribute
please bring to our Oct
meeting one or more of
the following: Hair brush,
Deodorant, Coffee Mug

Or, if you would prefer to
make a small donation,
please pay into club a/c:
12-3033-0379620-01,
ref: Name & 'Donation'
or bring cash to October
meeting.

OCTOBER CELEBRATIONS

Birthdays:

4th Susan Skarsholt

Anniversaries:

23rd: Simoa & Brian Holt

Congratulations!



IWNZ Conference in Queenstown



INNER WHEEL NEW ZEALAND INC
CONFERENCE 2021 IN QUEENSTOWN, NZ



Save the Date
14-16 May 2021



"ADVENTURE" INTO INNER WHEEL
DISTRICT NZ298 IS WAITING TO WELCOME YOU

OCTOBER MEETING

Thursday 22nd October, 7.30pm
**Selwyn Heights Village
42 Herd Rd, Hillsborough**

Speaker: Esther Simpson, Registered Nurse

Esther will talk about Girls Empowered
Through Education (GEE) in Nepal
(<https://www.geenepal.org/about-us>)
and her visit there last January.

Hostesses: Nola Jewell/Bev
(please bring biscuits/milk)

Candle Lighting/Dimming: Janet/Rina

Introduction/Thanks: Margaret J/Susan

*(If above-named members cannot carry out
these duties please let Janet know
(636-3556) so she can find a replacement).*

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www.internationalinnerwheel.org

IWNZ: www.innerwheel.org.nz

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www.innerwheelNZ291.weebly.com

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<https://iwmtroskill.weebly.com>

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June Dunningham

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If you know of a member
who is ill or indisposed
please let June know so
that she can send a card.



NZ291 DISTRICT MEETING Saturday 31st October 2020, 10am

Totara Hospice, 140 Charles Provost Drive, The Gardens,
Manurewa

Agenda: 10am Morning Tea/10.30am Meeting
Followed by: Lunch
Ends: 2.30pm

Cost of Morning Tea/Lunch: **\$12.50 per person**

If you are attending please **RSVP to Margaret** (ihnsfmly@xtra.co.nz)
by 15th October so she can advise District of numbers. Pay online
into club bank account: 12-3033-0379620-00 (ref: Name/District Mtg),
or pay cash at October meeting.

Open to all Members

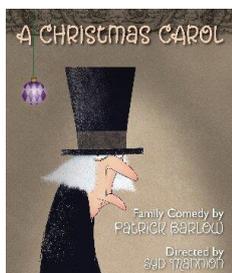
This is District's first physical meeting of the year and also the first
meeting with our four sister clubs from further south so they are
looking forward to a good turnout.
(Car Pooling available – contact Hazel)

Tam Garlick's 'Green Theme' Project:

In her latest newsletter, NZ291 District ISO Tam Garlick asked that
donations of unwanted goods, which other clubs are collecting, be
taken to this District meeting. If you have been collecting any of the
following items but will not be attending this meeting, please bring to
our club meeting this month.

Items are:

Wine bottle tops, Plastic bread tags, Good clean bras,
Good clean bathing suits, Reading glasses,
Shoe boxes for Doll Cots, Knitted blankets for City Mission.



FUNDRAISING GALA NIGHT

A CHRISTMAS CAROL' (Charles Dickens)
A Family Comedy adapted by Patrick Barlow
at the
DOLPHIN THEATRE
12 Spring St, Onehunga

Thursday 26th November, 7.30 pm for 8.00pm
Tickets \$30 pp (we have 30 tickets to sell)

Janet is taking bookings now (phone 636-3556
or email janet@hyperion.co.nz)

Tickets will be available on the night at the Dolphin Theatre
Tickets include:

Nibbles & Drinks at 7.30 pm; Supper during interval

Dolphin brings this high-spirited production to the stage with as much
'humbug' as you can take!. It wouldn't be Christmas without this age-
old classic – a tale of greed, grief, ghoulish ghosts and redemption.
Patrick Barlow's imaginative adaption brings a fresh new vision of wit,
flair and theatrical invention. Prepare for the best of family
entertainment – laughter, illusions, surprises, puppets, ghosts and your
favourite colourful Dickensian characters that promise theatre
entertainment at its finest.

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Susan Skarsholt (Minute Sec)

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June Dunningham

Our Usual Collections:

Mt Albert Women's Refuge:

Knitting, bedding, linen,
clothing, children's books/
toys (soft toys - new only).

Middlemore Fdn (KidzFirst)

Same as Women's Refuge

Christian Blind Mission:

Stamps

Lynfield Kindy: Craft items–
Old cards, yoghurt pottles,
milk bottle tops, cardboard
rolls, coloured pencils, small
boxes, art supplies (felt pens,
paper etc). (No toilet rolls or
egg cartons)

Te Kowhai Kindergarten

(same as for Lynfield Kindy)

Note: Other clubs are collect-
ing wine bottle tops, bread
tags, unwanted bras, reading
glasses, shoe boxes, knitted
blankets for City Mission.
Bring items to a mtg & Rina
will find them a home.

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Covid lockdown at Selwyn Heights Village meant that we had to find a replacement venue for our September meeting. So, thanks to Margaret Johns, we were able to meet at the Theosophical Society Hall in Epsom. A small room behind the main hall was ideal for our small group and a very enjoyable meeting was had by all. Simoa introduced Rina, who was our speaker in her role as District Chairman. Rina gave us an interesting and lively talk about herself – how she came to New Zealand with her family and her struggles to improve her school-girl English (she says she learnt a lot from watching Sesame Street with her daughter); and how, as a trained accountant, she set up her own business assisting small sole traders who needed accounting assistance but couldn't afford the fees of the large accounting firms. She also started her 'Close to My Heart' business, mainly to record her family history and to leave a lasting legacy for her family. In her CTMH business dealings she used a F.R.A.N.K list to widen her clientele – Family and Friends, Acquaintances through her business clients, Neighbours who were interested in craft-making and family histories and contacts through her Kids' friends, as well as local advertising, the internet and strong visibility at markets. A lot of these skills can be transferred to Inner Wheel when looking to increase membership. She encourages all Inner Wheel members to start a conversation, talk to family and extended family members and ask them to pass on IW information to their social circles, talk to neighbours about Inner Wheel and supply them with information that they can also pass on to others. This will extend the information network for IW by whatever means members are comfortable with. She encourages clubs to take a look at the recently published IW Membership Toolkit: ([https://www.innerwheel.org.nz/files/Inner Wheel - Membership Toolkit Only.pdf](https://www.innerwheel.org.nz/files/Inner_Wheel_-_Membership_Toolkit_Only.pdf)), which contains excellent ideas for clubs to use. Maureen thanked Rina for her visit and presented her with a red rose and a Friendship towel.



AT OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING:



No, Simoa hasn't been to IiW Convention but she does have a bag from Jaipur

Wesley Int School children with our school bags