



# INNER WHEEL CLUB OF PLIMMERTON

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Greetings Ladies,

Just sitting with a coffee pondering what's going on in the world – we have an election coming up which always creates uncertainty, the USA and North Korea are flexing their muscles and then the good



news William and Kate are having another baby.

This got me thinking that we really do live in a very

fortunate part of the world and certainly gain comfort in our surroundings, particularly family, friends and activities.

Leading on from this – what makes a good organisation great, I truly believe it's all about the PEOPLE. And like all organisations, groups and relationships it relies on nurturing and effort from all concerned.



As with all Clubs and Organisations we've often heard the saying – when you join a Club you get to know what's happening in your own community, when you join the committee you get to know what's happening in your District and when you join District you get know what's happening nationally and globally. This is so true, so please give some thought to your involvement in our club.

Even though we are fairly new into the year we will need a new Committee and a new President starting from July 2018.



Even if you think you only might be interested call me and we can have a chat. A new President should be thinking from January/February at the latest about how their year can make a difference in the club and in our community Give it a go - you will be pleasantly surprised!

In friendship *Christine*

### Daffodil Day



A huge thank you to all those who helped out. We all have family or friends who have been affected by Cancer and it's a great way to make a difference. It is so humbling to hear the stories people are so willing to share and know that the funds collected is going to such a worthwhile cause. A special thank you to Pauline Moulton and Janet Reidy for organizing the rosters and making sure it ran so smoothly.

### BRAS AND KNICKERS

The Mana Zonta Ladies are again collecting Bras and Knickers for the Ladies of Arohata., so please if you are rationalizing your wardrobe for Spring. Keep this in mind. Knickers do need to be new.



Please bring to our next meeting or drop them off to 31 Bosun Terrace, Whitby. We will have a display of these lovely

items at our October meeting. We have also been invited to present these to Zonta at their meeting on 6 November (a date for the calendar)

### WALKS AND TALKS

It is our turn to host Kapiti in our patch, we have made contact with them to consider dates in October to ensure the weather has hopefully improved by then. The plan is to show the Ladies the progress of the Te Ara Piko Pathway and then



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have lunch at the Forest and Bird Cottage at the Reserve. Will keep you posted on the date.

The South Wairarapa Club have invited us to head over the hill to visit them in late October. They are proposing it be a Friday and we visit the Papawai Marae, with lunch, tea and coffee to follow. We will have a board going around at the next meeting for those interested. It's always a great day out!

### Playable Porirua

Adrienne has been invited to speak at the conference in the University of Otago Dunedin as part of the workshop on our project – Playable Porirua, along with DR Meredith Perry, Senior Lecturer, School of Physiotherapy, University of Otago and Christine Jacobson, Senior Policy Advisor (Parks) . Adrienne has been asked to speak about Inner Wheel and Rotary partnership with the local government in our area.

As we have said before, this is a long term project and we will keep you updated.



Courage with a smile



**CACI New Zealand** would like to show its commitment to Dress for Success. They are running a nationwide campaign, offering a 30 minute facial at your local CACI clinic. In the spirit of donating to Dress for Success, just walk into a branch and donate a gently-used or new handbag from your wardrobe. (Please note: no bags with

stains, no clutches or canvas tote bags, thanks) You will be given a voucher for a facial which you can use at your local CACI branch. All handbags donated will be distributed to our clients.

### How it works

- Drop your handbag at your local CACI clinic.
- A special voucher will be issued for 1 x 30 min facial. Vouchers expire 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017.
- Book your appointment.
- ENJOY!

### CACI clinics locations

- CACI Thorndon – L1, 177 Thorndon Quay, Wellington
- CACI Oriental Bay – 236 Oriental Parade, Wellington
- CACI Johnsonville – 102, Johnsonville Road, Johnsonville
- CACI Kapiti – Shop 66a, Coastlands Mall, Rimu Road, Paraparaumu

### DISTRICT MEETING

This is going to be held at Churton Park School on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October. District Chair Judi will talk about this at our next meeting. There will be a board going around at the next meeting for those who would like to enjoy a great day out meeting other Inner Wheel Ladies in our District.

### Beanies - Cannons Creek School

Ladies at St Andrew's church have been knitting beanies for the children at Cannons Creek School to keep them warm. They are **running out of wool** so if you have any odd balls of knitting wool (preferably double knit) could you please bring them along to the next meeting and give them to Brenda.





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### Rotary Tree Planting Day

Thanks to everyone who came along and helped. We planted 195 native trees and 15 fruit trees. A full morning's work, the BBQ and a cuppa afterwards enjoyed by all. There is a full story in the Rotary Club of Plimmerton Website [here](#)

### A Big Night !

Our District Chair Judi Newborn is visiting us – her theme for the year is “Bee the exception to the Rule” and a saying she enjoys putting out there is “Red Tape is like Pink Elastic” She will explain more!

Your committee are going to WOW you – this will be either Wonderful or Whacky. We are getting in the mood for heading to WOW the following night at the TSB Arena. So let's have some fun and dress up either Whacky or truly Wonderful – Hats – handbags, wigs or onesies !!! Look forward to seeing you all there in some form or another.....

[Plimmerton Boating Club](#)

6pm \$25

**Look forward to seeing you there  
Please let us know you are coming, along with any guests that you want to bring.  
And a reminder - if you tell us you are coming and then do not turn up you will still have to pay for your meal**



Last week Adrienne and Sandie Ryan went to meet with Kristeen Johnston, the Volunteer Manager. We were taken on a tour of their clothing storage room, what an amazing collection of women's and men's clothing along with shoes, accessories and the all important good underwear. They badly need volunteers so even if you can only spare 1 day a month you would be welcomed. Email Kristeen and she will arrange a time to meet with you. [volunteermanager@wellington.dressforsuccess.org](mailto:volunteermanager@wellington.dressforsuccess.org)



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### Important Dates

19 September: Meeting Night

Mid October: TBC Host Kapiti Inner Wheel Ladies

Friday in late October: Walk and Talk – to be hosted by South Wairarapa IW Ladies

28 October: District Meeting at Churton Park School

6 November: Invitation to present Bras and Knickers to Zonta

11 November: Table for Eight

1 December: Combine Inner Wheel/Rotary Christmas Party 'The Spine', Pataka, Porirua

### Interest Groups

**Book Club:** 2nd Monday of the Month. We give a talk each on books we have read in the past month, we don't all have to have read the same book. For more information contact Sheryl Perera's 233 9144

**Tasty Tuesday:** 1st Tuesday of the month. A group meet every month on the first Tuesday for a chat and a good laugh. They usually meet at the Whitby Co-op or Denny's. For more information contact Yvonne Groom Phone 04 2934461

**Craft Morning:** The first Thursday following book club, this may be the 2nd or 3rd Thursday depending on when the 1st Monday of the month is. It is held at Dianne Robert's home 4 Port Lane Whitby at 10am. Everyone takes along their own project and fun and is had by all. For more information contact Dianne Roberts Phone 237 8087

**Mah-Jong:** every Wednesday night 7-9pm at St Mary's Church in Whitby. Everyone welcome and they are willing to teach new members For more information contact Margaret Pine Phone 2346471

**Table for 8:** The next dinner event is scheduled for 11 November. Further dates will be confirmed in the next newsletter. For those interested in either hosting or being a guest please contact Julia Mottram. A great night out. [pandjmottram@orcon.net.nz](mailto:pandjmottram@orcon.net.nz)

### Inner Wheel International



Every club is invited to use the **Happier Futures Better Lives** logo as much as they can to showcase the good work members of IW are doing to help people across the globe.

### Inner Wheel Web sites are:

<http://plimmertonrotary.org.nz/Inner+Wheel>

<http://www.innerwheel.org.nz>

<http://www.internationalinnerwheel.org>

### Facebook:

Plimmerton Inner Wheel

Inner Wheel New Zealand

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