



INNER WHEEL - JULY 2021

Anne-Marie Angle

“People and communities empowered, transformed, experiencing fullness of life.”

As I listened to Murray Edridge, Wellington City Missioner, addressing a packed room of enthusiastic, generous volunteers at Inner Wheel District NZ294's recent 2021/22 Changeover Celebration in Waikanae on Saturday 19 June, I was reminded of the impact Inner Wheel members have on local and International communities.

In November Murray is also coming to our November club meeting, speaking about enacting change, particularly the transformational change Wellington City Mission is enacting to improve structures and delivery of services to the people of Wellington City. We will have an opportunity to contribute to the work of Wellington City Mission at that time.



Debbie Lattey, our new District Chairman, will be at our July meeting. Debbie has served as District Treasurer and in her new role will preside at all meetings of the District Committee, and, as Chief Executive Officer, supervise the work and activities of the District. I'm so delighted Debbie is able to visit and meet with our members.

We are also fortunate to have Brenda serving as District Secretary this year. Inner Wheel is all about relationships between people and communities. It was heartening to see Carol Woodfield, our incredibly energetic dynamo, acknowledged with a standing ovation when, after two years of service as District Chairman, she passed over the chains of leadership to Debbie.

I was heartened by your generous support in our Club Changeover in June. We had over eighty guests who came together in friendship for a pleasant evening of celebration. I feel humbled by the warmth of your welcome and your support as I venture out on my leadership journey.



Nga Mihi

Anne-Marie

CHANGEOVER



A Fantastic evening of fun and friendship with great food and wine



Carol receiving her Honoured Active Award



and Fabulous entertainment



SPEAKER FOR JULY - DEBBIE LATTEY DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

Debbie lives on a lifestyle block at Otaihanga on the banks of the Waikanae River, and have a small herd of alpacas and a couple of pet sheep. Wilson and I have lived there for 36 years so are well settled on the Coast. We rattle around in our large empty nest but can't yet bring ourselves to downsize!

"I joined Inner Wheel in 2010 at the invitation of other Rotary wives, and have thoroughly enjoyed being part of our wonderful organisation. I am looking forward to meeting Plimmerton Club members when I visit the club in July."

Debbie

DISTRICT CHANGEOVER



Team Plimmerton

Team Plimmerton gave a lovely tribute to Carol at the District meeting when they all stood to acknowledge her generosity and resilience in serving as District Chairman over the past two years. Carol has impressed us all with her steady hand, wise counsel and determination to maintain the Inner Wheel values of friendship and service through challenging times.



New District Committee



Speaker Murray Eldridge from Wellington City Mission

Murray spoke of many Wellingtonians, where reality is different and life is hard. Whether they are sleeping rough, struggling to make ends meet or can't put food on the table – The Wellington City Mission are there to help.

The Wellington City Mission supports people in a number of ways, regardless of your circumstances. They provide transitional housing, rest home and hospital-level residential care. They welcome anyone into their Community Lounge where you can enjoy the company and community of others. They also provide food, budget advice and financial mentoring, and 1 to 1 support and advocacy.

Murray explained how he managed to have all the homeless people housed during lockdown - no mean feat. He has great passion for the many disadvantaged people in Wellington and works tirelessly to improve their lives. Check out the website wellingtoncitymission.org.nz

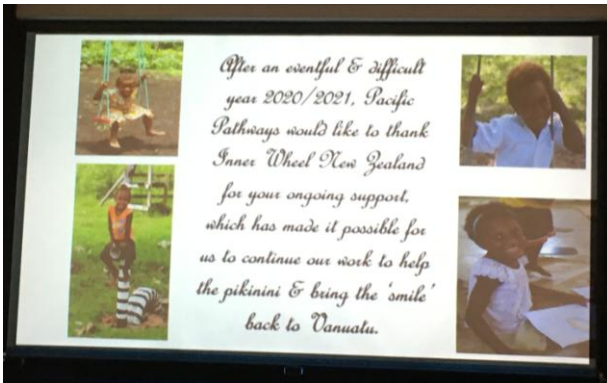


Goods we donated to the Mission



ISO - KITS FOR KINDYS

Carolyn Crutch District ISO gave her report about the Kits for Kindys our District Project for 2020/2021. We received a huge thank you for all the gifts of toys, books, games etc which we sent to Vanuatu earlier this year.



AWARDS



Chairman's Award



Candlestick Award for most new members



Award for Best Newsletter

EXPO



Another fun day was had at the Love Local Porirua Expo. It was a great time to raise the profile of Inner Wheel and all we do in the community



UPCOMING EVENTS

Upcoming events - Boards will circulate to members at our July meeting

Jammies in July Appeal

Foundation chairman Bill Day says that sadly not all children who are seen by the hospital's community and hospital based nurses have pyjamas to keep them warm and well this winter. So please bring a pair of new kids' pyjamas to our August meeting and your committee will deliver these to the hospital.

Daffodil Day Street Collection 27 August 2021

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT -



Meet our new International President

EBE MARTINES

Women helping women, then, is the orientation of my IIW's Presidential Theme 2021-2022

"PINK FIRST"

STRONGER WOMEN STRONGER WORLD

Inner Wheel clubs, districts and countries to take part in a wide range of work for charities and causes across the world with the aim of caring for women and girls.

BAKING PAPER

We now have Baking paper for sale again. \$13 a roll. If you would like some please pay \$13 into the Inner Wheel Account 12 3254 0081449 01 Ref: Baking Paper and let Christine Harrison know. She will then bring it along to the next meeting. We have been told this could be our last delivery so get in quick.

DAYS FOR GIRLS

Days for Girls (DfG) - If you would like to go along and help please phone ahead to confirm you are going - Susanne Hindley 027 647 0466. The dates are July 7th and 21

RESIGNATIONS

It is with sadness we received resignations from Donna Kelly and Chris Torbit. We thank these lovely ladies for their contribution over the years.

BIRTHDAYS JULY

Anne-Marie Garrett	Brenda Callear
Dianne McGavin	Glenys Greaves
Judith Tanner	Mary Temperton
Velma Knight	Yvonne Groom



MONTHLY SUB GROUPS:

Book Club: 2nd Monday of the Month at 2pm. We each give a talk 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 Phone 233 1944

Craft Morning: 2nd Thursday of the month at 10am. Everyone takes along their own project and fun and fellowship is had by all. For more information contact Maureen Barber Phone 239 9528.

Tasty Tuesday: 1st Tuesday of the month. A group meet every month on the first Tuesday for a chat and a good laugh. For more information contact Diana Paris Phone 234 7683.

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 021 610 906

Table for 8: Please contact Julie McLagan, jmclagan@seagulls.co.nz or 021425872. I am told the Table for 8 dinner went very well so if you are interested to join the next one please contact Julie

YOUR COMMITTEE

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

6 July 2021	Tasty Tuesday
8 July 2021	Craft Group at Joy Tongs 34 Leeward Drive, Whitby
15 July 2021	Book Group at Anne Bennison, 4 The Marlinspike, Whitnby - Note time 2pm
20 July 2021	Club night - Debbie Lattey, District Chairman Please bring Jammies for the children's hospital
30 July 2021	Newbies Morning tea 10am
31 July 2021	Table for 8
20 August 2021	Pink Ribbon Lunch - Note change of date
27 August	Daffodil Day
10 September	Visit to Wellington Free Ambulance

NICE WORDS - A few nice words can help a person more than you think.

Yours in friendship

Brenda 

Check out the Inner Wheel websites and FaceBook page which are full of interest and information and change all the time.
www.innerwheel.org.nz and www.internationalinnerwheel.org