ZONTA INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 23
EMPOWERING WOMEN THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

ZONTA SAYS NOW

To gender-equal climate action

D23 Zonta Says NOW Think Tank
ZOOM MEETING AGENDA
Saturday 22 October 2022



Conversations about climate can get very prickly or can result in big glazed over eyes and a quick change of subject. This photo captures how it can feel talking about gender-equal climate action.

Our October edition of the Zonta Says NOW News focused on the science and practice of communicating about climate change. It provided information on projects, groups, and tools that will help you to find your climate action voice. Check it out if you have not done so already.

One initiative we highlighted was the amazing work of Climate for Change and their 'party plan' program to initiate conversations about climate change.

Jane Stabb, the Co-CEO of Climate for Change will be our guest speaker at the October Think Tank meeting. She will share more about this amazing organisation that facilitates discussions about climate change in people's homes, among friends. As their website explains:

People process information, make sense of it, make decisions about it and take actions around it, through conversations with people they trust. This is how social change happens.

The Climate for Change Conversation program trains volunteers to guide the conversations and has reached over 11,000 people across Australia and trained 437 facilitators - so far!

Every day we see more climate-related devastation - the latest being the floods at home and abroad - but there are so many good things happening - and we need to communicate them too!

A recent Outrage and Optimism podcast called *Australia is Back* featured Zali Steggall and Mike Cannon-Brookes talking about the transformational changes in Australia - from the passing of the Climate Change Act to the Sun Cable Project. We live in a wonderful country with an amazing future - and we have a key role in spreading the story!

We will also have our own conversation with **Lesley Sweetman,** who is the District 23 Advocacy Chair. Lesley is an adventurer who does not shirk from a challenge and we look forward to hearing more about her journey.

I have recently created an additional domain-linked email address info@zontasaysnow.org.au, so that when we send bulk emails, there is less likelihood of them ending up in spam folders.

Please let me know if you can attend by clicking here or if you will be an apology.

Keep breathing, keep smiling and have fun!

Kind regards

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Let's create a climate for CHANGE



AGENDA

1. Welcome / Zoom Housekeeping
2. Guest Speaker: **Jane Stabb, Co-CEO Climate For Change**
3. Spotlight on: **Lesley Sweetman, District 23 Advocacy Chair**
4. International News
5. District News
6. Club News
7. Any other business
8. Next meeting – 10 December 2022



Zoom Think Tank Meeting Connection Details

D23 Zonta Says NOW Think Tank Meeting

Saturday 22 October 2022

1:00 - 2:30 PM Western Australia
3:30 - 5:00 PM South Australia
4:00 - 5:30 PM Victoria and Tasmania

Carole Theobald is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.
Topic: District 23 Think Tank Meeting
Time: Saturday October 22, 2022

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