

Minutes of the Auckland Home Birth Association Committee Meeting held at
Barbara's on 20th November

Present - Jemmi, Shaneen, Sue B, Judy, Zelda, Ian, Erin, Marjet, Mark, Brenda
Sally, Joan, Daphne

Apologies - Tina, Jo, Dorothy, Sue P, Teresa

Confirmation of minutes - Brenda/Sue - that minutes be approved - Passed

Matter Arising - Labour Party's Women's Forum - There appeared to be a
favourable view towards keeping options open in Childbirth

Treasurer's Report - \$813.96 in the bank \$900 on term deposit

Cheques to be passed

	\$ 23.48	Brenda Hinton - Expenses
	270.00	Printing of magazine
US	30.00	Mothering Magazine (3 year Sub)
	6.24	Marjet Pot - Expenses
	10.00	Wendy Worley - Stationery
	7.00	Judy Larkin - Photocopying
	30.00	Dorothy Fitzgerald - Myer's Park Kindergarten

Moved Ian, 2nded Brenda that the treasurer's report be accepted and cheque
passed for payment

Correspondence

- 1 ICEA - Workshop with Janet Balaskas in Tauranga 1st December
- 2 Patient Rights Group - Christchurch PO Box 844
- 3 Ray Niarn na ACORD PO Box 47155 Auckland - would like a copy of submissions
to National Conference on Medical Education
- 4 D.S.I.R - bibliography on subject of Technological change
- 5 Copy of a letter from Micheal Bassett to Gillian McNickle
- 6 Marion Pawson - Wellington HBA
- 7 Letter from a dissatisfied parent in Hamilton regarding the Waikato HBA

General Business

Department of Health - Health Information Services Pamphlet no mention is
made of the Home Birth Situation. Brenda will write to the DOH.

Save the Midwives Coalition - Not as many groups turned up as were anticipated
Hospital Board members to approach with regards to the Strategic Plan are,
Bassett, Barrett & Hallingburton.

Reports from the Sub Committees

Events - Home Birth Week - Seminar excellent. Brenda came across well on
the radio

- Xmas function - 10th February at Cornwell Park by the Kauri Stand
Media & Publicity - Erin Warren is a new member to this committee.

Video - More letter writing is required to get funds from Internal Affairs
Newsletter - should be out in December

Midwives - support Group - Nil to report
Lobbying - " " "

The South Pacific College of Natural Therapeutics has a hall which we can use
when required. Contact person Betty Lowden.