

MINUTES AUCKLAND BRANCH HBA MEETING - 20 September 1983

Present: Brenda, Barbara, Ann I, Judy, Mary, Teresa W, Dorothy,
Jenni, Alison R, Joy, Sue B, Carolynn M,

Apologies: Joan

Correspondence:

Regional Conf. - Thames Branch wishes to know numbers attending.
15 Places booked for Auck incl children.
Sec. to advise Thames Branch.

Other Correspondence read incl. letters from Parliament re
submissions to Area Health Bds Bill and Medical Personnel Bill
due by 3 October 1983.

Request from Dn branch for film video for Regional Conf. - AnnI.
to inform about "Squatting Birth" Film from ACWA.

Treasurers Report : Attached

Self Dev Workshop: Venue either Epsom Community House or Metro College.
Sue B to finalise.

Lobbying Workshop at Auck University: Barbara and Judy to attend
8/10/83

NCW - Submission re Nurses Amendment Bill suggested that we try to
have it discussed at NCW National Conf presently in progress
in Wgtn. Brenda to try to find out where contact Mary who
will phone Henriette about same.

Midwives Equipment: Cttee approved buying of Sonic Aid and Oxygen
for Sian.
Ann I to find out about cost overseas
Suggested that fundraising efforts be made towards
buying sets of equipment for midwives which can
be hired from the Branch by parents - \$15 ??

Nurses Amendment Bill - Jenni contacted Dave Wills of Nurses Society
concerning submission - not too enthusiastic
Better response from Womens Health Centre

Save the Midwives: Public Meeting Auck. Metro. Coll. Thursday 29 Sept
8pm

Questionnaire- Re preferences of birth attendents to confront Select
Cttee.
Carolynn to typeset and send to Support Groups.
Interviewers to stand outside local supermarkets.
Forms to be sent to Alison R for compilation.

Typewriter: Old typewriter purchased through Sue B unsuitable for
sec and newsletter.
Sec to go about purchasing more suitable machine

Newsletter : Jenni & Dorothy to do next issue. Sue B & Barbara to
arrange meeting with them to discuss.

Fundraising: Suggestions - Fleamarket, Bottle Drive, Dine & Dance
Sausage Sizzle etc
Jeanette to organise help outside cttee
for this.

HB Week: Dorothy proceeding with arrangements.
Seminar to be held at Metro Coll - Joy to organise creche.
Blank Ceque to cover organisation etc given to Dorothy.

Statistics: Not able to be procured through Delivery Suite staff.
Sec to write to Stats Dept for same.