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MINUTES OF AUCKLAND HOME BIRTH ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE MEETING  
Held on June 17, 1991 at the AHBA office

PRESENT: Joan Donley, Bridget Morison, Sally Morison, Leslie Hinson, Betty Hunupo, Brenda Hinton, Linda McKay, Kate Jaunay, Angela Bray, Rosemarie Creighton, Karen Duncan, Sonia Hart.

APOLOGIES: Marjet Pot.

MATTERS ARISING:

- 1) 1992 CONFERENCE: to be a bicultural conference with two main purposes: To promote Home Birth to the wider community, and to share and discuss the business & issues of Home Birth with delegates from other Associations  
Betty Hunupo, from the Maori Women's Welfare League asked to come along and share ideas on making the conference truly bicultural from the beginning. She will get her contacts involved and get input from them.  
It is important to get the venue sorted out as soon as possible. First choice is Akoranga because of easy access for visitors + proximity to the marae.  
Need also to have a meeting to familiarise the committee & other interested conference organisers with Maori protocol, early on.

Most of the evening was spent on discussion of the conference, so there was no discussion of Correspondence Inwards or Outwards, etc.

CORRESPONDENCE INWARDS:

- 1) Ann Nightingale: Reply to our letter re. "Double" Booking at NWH.
- 2) Katherine O'Regan: Reply to letter from Joan re Maternity Benefits.
- 3) Sally Pairman: Copy of letter to Joan re Direct Entry - Degree v Diploma.
- 4) AAHB (Ross McCormick): Primary Health Care & Emergency Services Draft report.
- 5) Alex Gillanders: 1990 Stats and stat forms etc.
- 6) Bridget Williams Books: "New Zealand Pregnancy Book" for review.
- 7) Northern Archives & Records: Offering to store our records.
- 8) National Newsletter: Add to go in our newsletter.
- 9) Replay Radio: Copy of interview with Bronwen Pelvin.
- 10) Y.W.C.A: Invitation to attend a meeting at which Anne Else - Project Editor of a book to be published featuring the important part women have played in the making of New Zealand.
- 11) New Mother Support: Info.
- 12) Nina Harris: Midwife in Warkworth wishing to registrar with us.
- 13) Mothering: List of publications available through Mothering.
- 14) National Library: Request for newsletters for legal deposit office.
- 15) Pure Streams Clean Sea Coalition: Petition.
- 16) Undercover Clothing: Perfectable nappies. - 263 6197 FAX 278 0325
- 17) Chris Cooper: 1992 Exhibition to be held in Aotea Centre.
- 18) Val Furness: Available for "Early Discharge" & "Labour Support".
- 19) Waikato HBA: Requesting copy of Consumer Questionnaire.
- 20) Vicky Holt: Birth Story.
- 21) Nappy Wash: Nappy service pamphlet.
- 22) Judy McCulloch: Midwife student seeking info.
- 23) Alex Gillanders: Statistics forms etc.
- 24) Publications: A.S.B Trust, CAM, Midwifery Today, MSCC, Maternal Health News, Hauora, Parents Centre, Canberra HBA, Wellington HBA, Tauranga HBA, Nelson HBA, Sth West Australia HBA, Home/ Birth Australia.
- 25) Registrations: 28 Subs: 6

Meeting closed 10 pm

CORRESPONDENCE OUTWARDS:

- 1) National Newsletter: networking info.
- 2) Legal Deposits Office: Sent Newsletters.
- 3) Justice Department: Sent in financial report for 1990-91 year.
- 4) Replay Radio: Order for copy of Bronwen's interview.
- 5) Ann Nightingale, Helen Nagelle, Neil Pattison, Ray Naden, Jan Carew, Marie Nicklin: Invitation to attend Drs' & Midwives' meeting.

Linda, I snuck in a Xeroxed the minutes (what there was of them)  
& picked up some sweatshirts<sup>+ shirts</sup> - will try to bring back the unsold  
ones Saty Tuesday at the latest as I see there's not much there.

regards,  
Kate