

AUCKLAND HOME BIRTH ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD AT MARJET'S ON FEBRUARY 20TH 1990PRESENT/INTRODUCTIONS:APOLOGIES:MATTERS ARISING:

- 1) **Consumer Questionnaire:** Where is it at ?
- 2) **White Booklet:** "
- 3) **Lorraine Knight/Hansen:** Is still not happy and wants her money back.

CORRESPONDENCE INWARD:

- 1) **Helen Clark:** Thankyou for supportive letter, re Nurses Amendment Bill. Also speech notes.
- 2) **Acknowledgement of our support of smoking ban:** From Clark, Caygill, Sutton and Woolaston.
- 3) **Social Sevices Committee:** Acknowledgement of submission re Nurses Amendment Bill.
- 4) **Office of the Status of Women:** An Introduction booklet.
- 5) **Direct Entry Midwifery Task Force:** Dicussion paper & Draft proposal.
- 6) **Ultrasound Paper inquiries:** From Canterbury AHB, National Womens Hospital and Mercy Hospital.
- 7) **Nurses Union:** Value Health Value Nurses.
- 8) **North Harbour District Health Forum:** Meeting Feb 27 7.30-10.30pm Glenfield Community Centre Creche Building.
- 9) **West Ak District Health Services:** Child Health Planning Group Meeting Feb 28 7.30pm Waitakere Hospital Gymnasium.
- 10) **Whangarei HBA:** Conference info. Also looking for someone to run workshop on pre-conception care.
- 11) **National Library Legal Deposit Office:** No longer receiving 3 copies of news letter.
- 12) **Amanda Greenwood:** New D/Midwife on the Nth Shore working with Joan Skinner.
- 13) **Jill Stewart:** D/Midwife and contact for West Coast HBA Box 290 Hokitika.
- 14) **Birth Stories:** From Desley Cooper, Rosemarie Goodwan & Petronella
- 15) **General Inquires:** From Sally Didham, Carol Henwood, Julie Payze & Raewyn Sonoda.
- 16) **Publications:** Birthplace Aust, Caesarean Support Group, Childbirth Education N.Z, Christchurch HBA, COGS, Dunedin HBA, Homebirth Access Sydney, Homebirth Australia, Ministry of womens Affairs, Mothering, Manawatu HBA, Midwifery Today, NSCCSS, Save the Midwives, South/West Australia, Tauranga HBA, Wellington HBA.
- 17) **Registrations-15 Subscriptions-14.**

CORRESPONDENCE OUTWARD:

- 1) **Cabinet Ministers:** Indorsment of Helen Clarks proposal to ban tabacco advertising in return for sports sponsorship.
- 2) **Social Sevices Committee:** Submission re Nurses Amendment Bill.
- 3) **Whangarei HBA:** Suggestion that they ask a local Naturopath to run workshop on pre-conception care.
- 4) **National Library:** Sent newsletters as requested.
- 5) **Consumer Representation Maternity Sevices:** Contacted Robyn Reid and apologized for our lack of representation at the meeting.
- 6) **Kindergarten Assn:** Sent back questionnaire stating our dissapointment in their dicission to ban sales from display boards.
- 7) **McKenzie Foundation:** Thankyou for the grant.
- 8) **Campaign for Unbleached Product:** Returned questionnaire offering our support.
- 9) **ASB:** Application for grant. We have to fill in their new forms.
- 10) **Parents Centre:** We will exchange news letters.
- 11) **General Enquires:** Sally Didham, Julie Payze, Carol Henwood & Raewyn Sonoda.

TREASURERS REPORT:

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- 1) What is the role of the Home Birth Assn. Committe members and how do we incourage more of our members to become active?

NEXT SERRIES OF MEETINGS: