

FRIENDS OF STARICK NEWSLETTER

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STARICK HIGH TEA IN MAY

Every year, we celebrate the role of mothers in our lives at a very special high tea fundraiser, held the day before Mothers Day.

The Pagoda Resort & Spa in Como supports us by providing its beautiful historic ballroom (pictured right) free of charge.

There's loads of parking, the food is yummy and if you book a table of 10 or more, we'll throw in a **free bottle of bubbles!** To book, paste this URL into your web server: www.trybooking.com/362972



Starick
Building futures free from violence

High Tea

Saturday 12 May

Treat the special mum in your life to a traditional high tea of sweets and savouries, specialty teas and coffee.

1.30pm - 3.30pm

Proceeds support women and children escaping family and domestic violence

Pagoda Ballroom
112 Melville Parade, Como

Many Auctions & Raffle Prizes
Music by Jang and the Rain
Playing torch songs and jazz standards from the last 50 years

Book a full table (10-12 persons) and get a free bottle of bubbles on the day!

Enquiries: 9478 5300
Bookings Essential
Licensed Bar

Tickets: \$69 p/p

EVENT NEWS



In March, Starick received the proceeds from the WA Poet's Woman Scream event, held at The Moon in Northbridge. Pictured above is organiser Tineke Van der Eecken (above centre) with some of the poets.

Stay Strong. You will make it through this journey

Truely wonderful Staff work here.

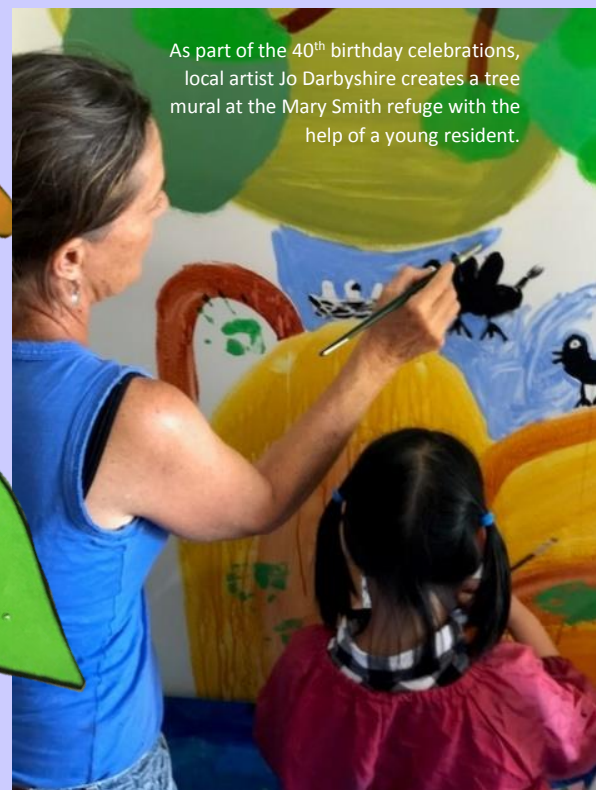
Communicate, Be informed, Speak up!



Pictured right: Starick duo Kerri Babbington (centre) and Carrie Ridley (right) with Jill Hugo from the Australian Services Union (left) at a recent Women's Council International Women's Day event.

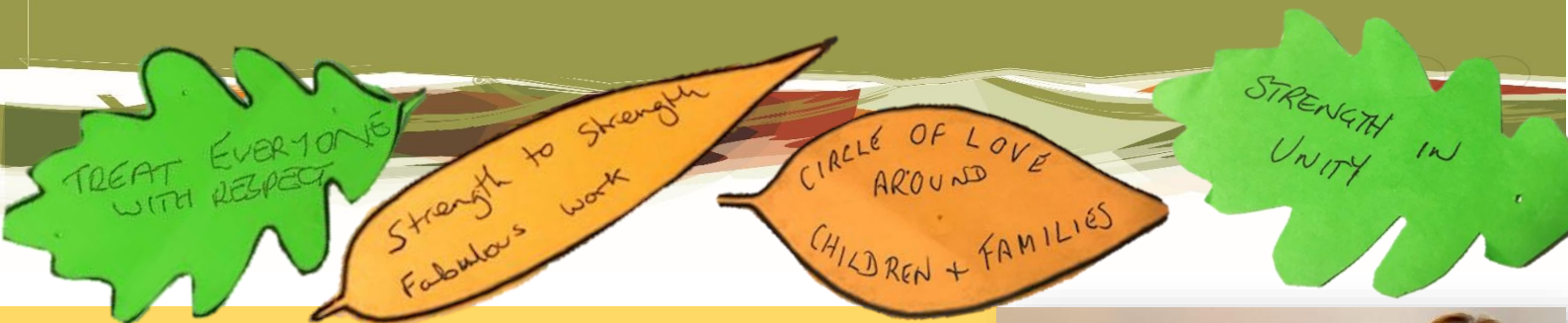
MARY TURNS 40

At the 40th birthday celebration of the Mary Smith Refuge in Bentley this March, guests wrote messages of support and encouragement on leaf-shaped notelets, some of which you'll see scattered around this newsletter.



As part of the 40th birthday celebrations, local artist Jo Darbyshire creates a tree mural at the Mary Smith refuge with the help of a young resident.

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ROTARY SUPPORTS SAFE AT HOME

Fleeing from domestic and family violence often results in homelessness for women and children. The Safe at Home program seeks to address this by supporting women and children to stay safely in their own homes. A recent donation of \$7,900 by our old friends at Ascot Rotary will allow us to help improve the security of Safe at Home clients living in Ascot Rotary's catchment areas. Pictured are Ascot Rotary President Ron Alexander and Starick Chair Wendy Wiley, who received the donation on Starick's behalf.



CANDLE LIGHTING VIGIL

The Women's Council for Domestic and Family Violence Services (WA), Stopping Family Violence, Family Pathways Network, Communicare and the Domestic Violence Helpline (WA) invites community members to attend the annual candle lighting vigil to honour all those who have lost their lives as a result of domestic homicide.

Supreme Court Gardens
Thurs 3 May 2018

5.45 pm for a 6 pm start.

For further information, email info@womenscouncil.com.au or visit www.womenscouncil.com.au



Break the Silence

REAL WOMEN, REAL STORIES

Survivors of family and domestic violence are invited to attend a series of free Lived Experience writing and confidence-building workshops in Gosnells 22-25 May. The three half-day workshops are an opportunity to write about experiences, feelings and hopes for the future in a

relaxed, supportive environment. Participants will also be shown some simple ways to improve confidence at public speaking. If you'd like more information, email marketing@starick.org.au or call our office on 9478 5300.



Compassion

HELP! WE NEED AN IPAD

We are revamping our op shop and want to be able to receive wireless swipe payments at our Cloverdale premises and at our soon-be-launched online shop, all with the aim of raising funds for programs that assist women and children escaping domestic violence. **BUT to do so we desperately need an ipad.** If you have one you'd be willing to donate, please call our office on 9478 5300.



Starick is now fundraising with the Entertainment Book. The latest edition is available as an app on your phone, or you can order the traditional book if you prefer. Either way, pre-order the 2018/19 edition by 30 April and you'll receive a bunch of extras. Simply paste this URL into your web browser to grab a bargain AND support Starick!
www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/9s46795