



## Our Club Meeting on 11 March

At our last meeting our Club celebrated International Women's Day  
We welcomed our members, partners, friends and visitors from far away  
We heard from Bronwen all about famous women from the past  
But she definitely saved the best till last  
When she told us about her inspirational mother  
A very strong woman, like no other  
We learnt about how and when women got the vote and  
Who knew that we had a convict woman on our \$20 note?

Then Jane with assistance from Carol, Elaine and Pat  
Brought us up to date on the Days for Girls project  
Still going strong five years on

Sue tested our knowledge of women who invent – this was unreal  
Who knew the first circular saw was made by a woman, using her  
spinning wheel?  
And what about the injection and Kevlar for your bike clothes  
Chocolates flew with a correct answer – the next guess, who knows?

The highlight of the meeting was Jennifer's life tale  
She told us about herself and we were entranced by the detail  
She started in Natimuk in the west of the State  
Trained as a teacher and met her mate  
They married and have three children still at home  
She is still teaching but does also roam  
Travelling, reading, belly dancing and ocean swimming are just a few  
Of the many fascinating details she told us about – all true.



The meeting concluded with a look to tomorrow, a new day  
When the sun will rise and we all can look for a way  
To "Open Opportunities".