

29 May 2018

Dear NCWV Individual Member

Time flies and we will soon be at the end of the NCWV year, viz. 30th June 2018 which means membership fees for 2018-19 are due. We, therefore, kindly invite you to renew your membership, the fees for which remain unchanged.

Your continued membership is important. Your input, which is greatly valued, is an essential part of the viability of the Council. Participation in Council meetings and special events is much appreciated as well as necessary for the exchange of ideas all of which contribute to the Council's continued viability. Similarly, being a member of NCWV you can seek support for your various projects, be it an event or a submission on some important aspect of supporting women, girls and/or the family as a whole.

This year, in a snapshot, we have:

- maintained advocacy for gender equality;
- encouraged YoungNCWVic to better engage with NCWV;
- commenced the much-needed updating/grading of the website;
- reviewing the Constitution to bring it into alignment with the Model Rules;
- continued with the Respect programme by:
 - a) having discussions with the Sudanese and Somali communities, at their invitation, on ways we can best assist them in supporting their youth; and
 - b) held a very successful Forum "Families: support for traumatised children".

Also:

- The end of year celebratory luncheon, a most enjoyable occasion, at the William Angliss Institute was in support of *safe steps* Domestic Violence Response Centre.
- This year's Australia Day Pioneer Women's Day Ceremony, with Emma Page Campbell as guest speaker, was at the Women's Peace Garden, Kensington, a beautiful place for such a ceremony.
- In August the annual My Vote My Voice event at Parliament House will take place. This public speaking student event, promoting empowerment of women by encouraging young women to investigate diversity in community workplaces, is proving to be popular with an increasing number of schools registering for their students to take part.

We look forward to seeing you at the Annual General Meeting on Thursday 6th September at 12 noon for 12.15pm start at Ross House, 247 Flinders Lane, Melbourne. Refreshments will be available.

Kind regards

Elisabeth

Elisabeth Newman
NCWV President

Patron in Chief: Her Excellency the Honorable Linda Dessau AC, Governor of Victoria

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2018 – 2019

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PRESENT/FORMER OCCUPATION:

FEES FOR 2018– 2019: (Please circle/highlight the appropriate category)

A. Individual Member \$80 B. Individual Member (Concession) \$60
C. Young NCWVic \$30

DONATION

I would like to give a Donation towards NCWV work. \$
Towards 'Civics and Citizenship' Fund for work with YoungNCWV \$

Are you happy to receive the NCWV materials by email? Yes No

Are you willing for your name/image to appear in our publications? Yes No

To comply with the Commonwealth Privacy Act, I hereby give permission for NCWV to include the above details in the database which is maintained for the sole purpose of conducting the business of NCWV. I understand that my contact details will not be given to a third party without my express permission, and that we will not give members' contact details to a third party without those members' express permission

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Account name: National Council of Women of Victoria Inc.

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