

BPW Joondalup

Business and Professional Women Australia

*Honouring women who have
inspired change...*

Why law reform is important for all of us

presented by Heather Kay,
Executive Officer of the Law Reform Commission



Heather graduated with a Masters in Criminal Justice from UWA. In 2000, at the age of only 29, she was the youngest, and one of the few female, CEOs in the public service when she became Executive Officer of the Law Reform Commission.

The law shapes every area of our lives yet, for most of us, it remains an area we know very little about. Drawing on her influential role at the Law Reform Commission Heather will share with us what her work involves and the type of projects she is involved with. She will discuss in particular the review of the *Law of Homicide* and the *Aboriginal Customary Laws* and how recommendations have resulted in important changes for the community, especially women and children.

We look forward to you joining us; this meeting will also be “changeover night” when the new BPW Joondalup executive committee will be introduced.

When: Tuesday, 8th July 2008, 6.30pm for a 7pm start.

Where: Joondalup Function Centre, City of Joondalup Buildings, Boas Ave, Joondalup (same level as library). *Map available on our website* (visit the address in the box below and click on ‘calendar of events’).

Cost : \$33 for members, \$38 for guests (includes a two course dinner and coffee). Please note – all bookings for dinner must be paid for.

RSVP: By noon on **Friday, 4th July 2008** to our events officer Bianca Chantry; ph: 0424 504 613, email biancachantry@yahoo.com.au or our president Liz Flatters; ph: 9300 4511 or 0402 080 710, email liz@stayingintouch.com.au

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