



BPW Joondalup

Business and Professional Women Australia

Tuesday

12th June 2012

Members 6:15pm

Guests 6.45 for 7.00pm start

Price includes main course
and tea or coffee

**Woodvale Reception Centre
Woodvale Tavern
143 Trappers Drive,
Woodvale**

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Learning – overcoming challenges, seizing opportunities and achieving dreams

Three diverse young women give us a glimpse into their learning journey...

Elizabeth Lang participated in the Young Women's Leadership Program conducted by Alicia Curtis in 2010. As a result of the skills and confidence she learned through that program, Elizabeth won a scholarship with the National Women's Alliance AIRWA (Australian and Immigrant Refugee Women of Australia). This led to her working on the combined Alliance's International Women's Day event in Canberra this year, which was a resounding success. Currently Elizabeth works for the City of Stirling as an Act Against Violence Project Officer.



Elizabeth Lang speaking at BPW National Conference in Perth 2011 looked on by (L-R) Young Hai Park - Regional Coordinator Asia Pacific, Gabriella Canonica - BPW International Vice President, Elizabeth Benham - BPW International President, Pat Harrison - Past International President

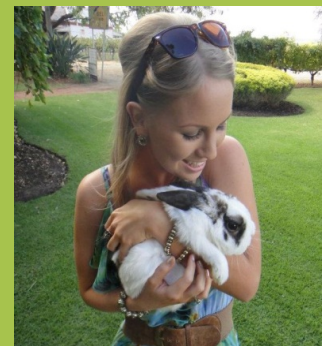


Sarah Jayne Flatters (23) commenced a double degree in International Business and Japanese at ECU. During her annual break she participated in a humanitarian volunteer program in Peru for 3 months. This experience was so profound that it challenged her to reconsider her values and her purpose in life. Over the next 3 years she undertook a wide variety of jobs including working in remote mining locations, while getting her TAA (Cert IV in Training & Assessment) and Diploma in Occupational Health & Safety. Sarah Jayne then ran the state office for a training organisation offering reskilling opportunities to the disadvantaged. Wanting to return to a more physical, hands-on role she then began a new career as a "tradie" and is now in her 3rd year of an Electrical Apprenticeship. She works on projects ranging from small commercial to large-scale construction, and received the 2011 Silver Apprentice of the Year Award.

As a member of BPW Joondalup for over 8 years Sarah Jayne, who is an avid hiker, will also be sharing with us stories from her trek of the Kokoda Trail, Papua New Guinea earlier this year.

Alison Cook (22) graduated from Notre Dame with a Bachelor of Arts in Social Justice, Politics & International Relations. She currently works at Gumala Aboriginal Corporation where she implements programs to further the health, well-being, education, social and economic outcomes for members and their children.

An active volunteer, Alison currently uses her weekends to teach English to local Sudanese youth through SAIL (Sudanese Australian Integrated Learning) as she works toward gaining her ESL (English as a Second Language teaching certification). She is also currently enrolled in a policy fellowship with the Left Right Think-Tank, focused on reform of the higher education sector.



BPW is a global NGO that develops women's potential at all levels through advocacy, mentoring, networking, skill building, education, and economic empowerment programs & projects around the world. We take action to achieve women's equality in social, economic, community and political terms.

BPW holds Special Category Status at the United Nations and represents the voice of women in more than 100 countries. Established in Australia in 1925, BPW Australia has been influencing and driving legislative changes such as Paid Parental Leave Equal Pay and divorce law to help shape the way Australian women live their lives today.



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- Find mentors and role models
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- Further your business and career
- Save with member discounts on events
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SAVE THE DATE:
BPW Joondalup's July Dinner Meeting
will be held on Tuesday 10th July.

Join our mailing list for updates – email your details to bpwjoondalup@yahoo.com.au

Booking form – can be emailed as confirmation of Direct Deposit payment

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Name	Company	Dietary Requirements

Payment Details

(price includes main course and tea/coffee)

___ x BPW Member/s @\$35pp

___ x Non-member/s @\$40pp

\$___ Total (no GST charged)

Booking contact name: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

Tel No: _____ Email: _____

Payment: by Credit Card (Eventbrite) or by Direct Deposit*

Credit Card (via Eventbrite):** (Preferred option) <http://bpwjune2012.eventbrite.com.au/>

Please note that this booking form is not required if you choose to use Eventbrite

Direct deposit details: Please RSVP by email also.

Account name: Aust Federation of BPW Inc - Joondalup Branch

BSB: 306-081 Account number: 019796-6 **Reference: Your Name**

There is a cash bar available at the Woodvale Reception Centre.

*** PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL BOOKINGS FOR DINNER MUST BE PAID FOR.**

**** CHARGES APPLY**

NOTE: This becomes your receipt on payment. GST does not apply to BPW Joondalup events.

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Registrations close 5pm Friday 8th June 2012