

The Zimbabwe Association in Australia Incorporated

ICN: 1800388



“One Zimbabwe, One People”

The Zimbabwe Association in Australia (ZIMAA) Incorporated was established in 2004 as a community group and later incorporated in 2018. ZIMAA is led by a group of dedicated volunteers who seek to cater for the needs of all Zimbabwean people living in NSW Australia.



Vision

To promote, preserve and resource Zimbabwean cultural values and traditions within the multicultural Australian community

Mission

The goal of ZIMAA is to preserve, resource and foster engagement with Zimbabwean culture by facilitating social, cultural and educational events within the wider Australian community. ZIMAA intends to enhance social cohesive opportunities between the Zimbabwean and Australian community



ZIMAA organisational structure



Meet the Executive

Elected into office by ZIMAA members in 2022

Chairperson

Gladys Kadzutu Maseko

Vice chairperson

Shepherd Mashingaidze

Treasurer

Kudzai Moyosvi

Vice treasurer

Gracious Ncube

Secretary

Being PC Moyo

Vice secretary

Moreblessing Gumbo

Executive committee members

Oliver Maboreke

Buhle Sigola

Dheliwe Zigori

Lucy Nyanga

Ada Wala

Tracy Tabvuma



Objectives

- To build strong and healthy relationships by interconnecting , learning and sharing cultural and religious beliefs
- Preserving Zimbabwean heritage, sense of unity, identity while growing and sustaining our economic and social well being
- Shaping a resilient, cohesive and dependable community which commits to progress and tangible outcomes
- Serving the community via outstanding leadership for better outcomes
- Providing responsive, responsible and representative leadership
- Enhancing commitment to connectivity, accountability and participative approach in all activities that brings and binds us all as a community
- Sustain continuous improvement and progressive approaches for the Zimbabwean community
- Transfer Zimbabwean cultural teachings, traditions and customs to our new generation while integrating into the wider multicultural Australian community



Initiatives



Community Engagement

- Family-oriented social gatherings
- Fundraising events
- Inter-Community engagements
- Council of Elders
- Community-led Intervention



Heritage and Cultural Preservation

- Cultural transfer of knowledge events
- Zimbabwean languages school
- Activated story-telling sessions
- Professional and cultural education
- Customary and cultural celebrations
- Zimbabwean art and exhibition



Socio-Economic Wellbeing

- Mental health awareness campaigns
- Health Safety and Well-being education
- Professional networking events
- Supporting Zimbabwean owned businesses
- Financial Literacy education
- Career mentorship opportunities



Previous Initiatives

- Assist members of our community with requesting for Bereavement support
- ZIMAA led fundraising, in association with World Vision for the Zimbabwean cholera endemic
- Facilitating the fundraising process for a community member's medical treatment
- Supporting the 2022 Zimbabwean soccer challenge
- Formally representing the Zimbabwean community at Australian events

Upcoming Initiatives

- ZIMAA facilitated seminars
- Annual ZIMAA Business Expo and Gala
- Fundraising events
- Parliamentary Inquiry Submission



Become a ZIMAA member

ZIMAA membership is for those who are interested mobilising the Zimbabwean community within Australia. Membership comes with some great perks such as:

- Access to the ZIMAA community
- Resource and enable the volunteer run ZIMAA association to function and procure community assets
- Regular updates regarding the ZIMAA NSW community
- Discounted tickets to ZIMAA events
- Networking opportunities
- Educational opportunities
- Partake in ZIMAA elections
- Contribute to the development of the ZIMAA NSW community

Membership options

Joining fee :\$50

Annual renewal fee: \$20

Joining options

Scan the QR code below to join ZIMAA



<https://zimaansw.com.au/join/>

For more information

Please contact

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