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President: Karen Weinheimer Editor: Lisamarie Williams Meetings: Third Monday of Each Month



Dear Zonta Sisters,

100+ degrees!!! ... our latest daily temperatures! The weathermen continue to forecast hot temperatures and no rain! Are y'all looking forward to cooler weather as much as I am? Ahhh ... cool breezes and rain! But besides cooler weather, **I'm looking forward to the following** as well!

Presenting Zonta's \$5,000 Centennial Anniversary District Grant to Hattie Allen for the Kendall County Women's Shelter at our upcoming membership meeting! This was one of three District 10 nominees – out of 289 from all 32 Zonta districts – to win this grant. Thank you so much to Frankie Hohenberger for her diligent work on completing the voluminous paperwork required for this nomination. We are so very proud and honored to have sponsored this deserving organization! Be sure to join us for that presentation at our meeting on August 19th!

- Entering our new Zonta float in the Gillespie County Fair Parade on August 23rd! You'll remember our float in the Veteran's Day and July 4th Parades which was dedicated to Women Veterans. Our new float will emphasize Zonta's support of our community, highlighting ten of our worthwhile organizations! The float is designed so that it can be used again and again, and the larger signs can be removed and used at other events to promote Zonta. As a finishing touch, we will definitely need some Zonta members aboard he float! Please volunteer to ride! Comfy chairs will be provided!

Completion of our SECOND Zonta Cookbook! Thanks to Lisamarie Williams who has been very hard at work putting it together! Our club's first cookbook was published in 1960 and is a real treasure! I think our new one will be, too! Thank you to all members who took the time to provide recipes! Thanks, also, to Bonnie Baseke and Frankie Hohenberger who are collaborating to provide our club's history and ongoing work in the community for the cookbook! If everything goes as planned, the cookbook will be ready for sale in September!

In addition to all of the above, our Zonta club remains as busy as always, providing meals for the Women's Job Corps, selling raffle tickets for our fundraiser, working with the Girl Scouts, donating to the Women's Shelter and HC Crisis Center, and volunteering at the Needs Council. If you haven't participated in any of these yet, please plan to do so. We need you! (continued on page 3)

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Congratulations!

Dear D10 Zontians,

During this time of summer doldrums, I have good news to share! The ZI Centennial Anniversary Grants recipients have been determined. From 289 applications received from all 32 Zonta districts, 62 applicants were chosen. I am proud to inform you that three applications from District 10 were selected. Congratulations to the following:

Zonta Club of Fort Smith – \$5000 grant – Girls Shelter of Fort Smith, AR, Inc. – Breaking the Drug Abuse Cycle-Empowering for a Better Life

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg – \$5000 grant – Kendall County Women's Shelter – KCWS Client Assistance Program

Zonta Club of Houston – \$5000 grant – The Women's Home – The Women's Home Vocational Training Program.

I am proud that ten clubs in District 10 submitted applications. ZI states, "We were impressed with the scope and extent of the work clubs are doing to improve the lives of women and girls...The high standard of the projects reflects our commitment to empowering women and girls, and we want to applaud all clubs that applied for their efforts and the important work they are doing on the local level."

Good work, Zonta District 10, Sheryl Flanagin



AUGUST MEETING MONDAY, AUGUST 19TH 6:30PM

OUR HOSTESSES Pamela Nabers, Barb Scherer, Suzanne Wood, Ana-Maria Jayo & Frankie Hohenberger

RSVP to Frankie by FRIDAY, August 16th Email: frankieh1324@gmail.com Text: 210-317-0740

THE GOLDEN HUB 1009 N. LINCOLN FREDERICKSBURG, TX 78624

The program for the evening will be presented by Vessel from "Bless Your Soles Reflexology" in Fredericksburg and she will explain reflexology and share stress reducing self-help techniques.

Let's all wish **Peggy Jander** a very belated birthday. Her birthday was the 10th of June and was mistakenly left off of the birthday list by this newsletter editor.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY PEGGY!!!

2019-20 HOSTESS LIST

09/20/2019

Helen Bartholomee, Keri Salinas, Tammie Knopp and Lisamarie Williams

10/21/2019

Leanne Haley, Rita Heiner, Karleen Carlisle and Kay Doehling

11/18/19

Nancy Fitzpatrick, Melinda Birck TammyJo Boettcher and Ana-Maria Jayo

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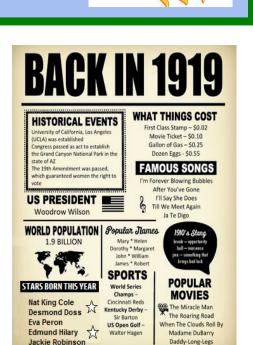
Zonta Club of Fredericksburg - Chartered August 28, 1954 Post Office Box 2286, Fredericksburg, TX 78624 ZONTA INTERNATIONAL District 10 Area 3 Club No. 0331 Please enjoy the rest of your summer, regardless of the temperatures, and take a little time for a vacation – time just visiting with friends and relatives, or maybe time away from friends and relatives?? You deserve it!

Yours in Zonta,

Karen Weinheimer, President ZCF

Happy 65th Anniversary to Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

Organized on June 15, 1954 and chartered on August 28, 1954 with 14 ladies from the area who felt a need to dedicate their volunteer time locally and make a difference in the lives of the youth of the community as the main service project to start. The first ZCF literacy project supported the Pioneer Library with a few complete sets of encyclopedias. Through the years projects have come and gone but an over-whelming amount of money has been donated to many advocacy projects in and around the hill country community. Just in the past 5 years we have fundraised over \$75,000.00!! Amazing.



Laissez Les Bon Temps Rouler!

(Let the Good Times Roll!)

ZI District 10, 2019 Conference Update

As of press time, nine ZCF members have committed to the limousine transportation for the October District 10 Conference. One more member is tentatively planning to also attend, but to travel separately. That is awesome ZCF representation! The detailed "Call to Conference" is scheduled to be out by August 19th. I would encourage those planning to attend to make your hotel reservations immediately after the call is received. More discussion will be shared at the August meeting as conference information is received. Good times to be shared for sure.

This will be a once in a life time trip to participate in celebrating Zonta's 100th birthday as well as representing our Zonta Club of Fredericksburg in grand fashion. The conference will be full of Zonta International and District 10 business updates and networking. The event will lend itself to seeing old lifetime friends and making new lifetime friends. Any questions? Call Frankie at 210-317-0740.

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RAFFLE TICKET SALES

How are the raffle ticket sales going? Remember, we started early this year in order to have time to sell all of our 900 tickets! Sure hoping everyone has sold some by now ... we need EVERYONE'S help! The dates we plan to sell at Chase Bank are: July 13, August 17, September 21, October 12 and Nov 9. All sold monies should be given to Frankie at each monthly meeting to keep track of sales. WHAT DO WE DO WITH THESE FUNDS? The money we raise goes toward scholarship awards for area girls and women attending college along with other programs and organizations that support families, women and children. The scholarships are awarded on the merit of each applicant's written essay.

NOW TO THE DETAILS We are having a raffle and the Prizes are VISA Gift Cards. 1st prize is \$1500 gift card 2nd prize is \$1000 gift card 3rd prize is a \$500 gift card. Tickets are \$20 each. Drawing will be held December 16th. Just in time for your holiday spending! We need to count on your support. Thanks.

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg Advancing the Status of Women through Service & Advocacy RAFFLE \$ 20.00 PER TICKET GRAND PRIZE \$ 1,500 IN VISA GIFT CARDS SECOND PRIZE \$ 1,000 IN VISA GIFT CARDS THIRD PRIZE \$ 500 VISA GIFT CARD Drawing to be held 12/16/2019 Winner not need to be present Other Dockstore to be present

Wow, We Are Good!

Bravo to all of our club members...

President Karen Weinheimer reported the following information was submitted from the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg to Governor Sheryl Flanagin - our Fredericksburg Zonta Club's total contributions for local service projects for the fiscal year June 1, 2018 through May 31, 2019 came to **\$13,506.00**.

We are so proud to lend our support to numerous and various local service projects in our community!



SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL SELF-IMPROVEMENT MONTH: Will you do anything about it?



"The Good Samaritan Center is a wonderful place full of friendly, helpful people ready to serve the patients."

> Suzanne Wood Volunteer Records Auditor

Congratulations to one of our faithful volunteers recently featured in the Summer issue of The Good Samaritan Center publication!"

"Records auditing is far from glamorous work, but it is essential for keeping our patients' information accurate and up-to-date," says Suzanne who mostly spends her time volunteering behind the scene. A Texas-native, Suzanne moved from Waco to Fredericksburg in 2006 and was introduce to the Good Samaritan in 2008. Linda Noe, the administrator at the time hooked Suzanne when she talked about the mission of the center to serve the uninsured working poor.

In Waco, Suzanne had worked in technical and management services so the job of auditing suited her skillset. When she began her volunteering at GSC the records were on paper but she has brought them to the 21st century by digitizing the data to the Electronic Medical Records system.

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Their vision became Zonta International, an organization that has grown to more than 29,000 members in 63 countries.

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June 1919 was a milestone month for women's history in the United States. After decades of petitions, silent vigils, hunger strikes and protests, in June 1919, the U.S. Senate passed the 19th Amendment, guaranteeing all American women the right to vote. The amendment would not be fully ratified until 18 August 1920; however, its passage was a victory for women suffragists who had fought tirelessly to be given an equal voice and to be fully recognized as American citizens.

The weeks immediately preceding and following the passing of the 19th Amendment encouraged tens of thousands of women to use their newfound voices. The women who would become the first Zontians had gathered only a few months ago to conceive of a different kind of women's organization. Soon they would already count some hundred (!) pioneer women who would, on 8 November 1919, form Zonta. In hindsight, the creation of Zonta was an even more remarkable achievement since this organizational effort was made in times of snail mail and a just developing telephone infrastructure. The successful fight for women's right to vote was unexaggeratedly the "lift-off" for Zonta inspiring our steps to gender equality.

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CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES



AUGUST - NATIONAL PEACH MONTH

August 2nd - National Ice Cream Sandwich Day August 5th - Zonta Board Meeting 5:30pm - Location TBD August 10th - Cowboys Pre-season Opener vs. 49ers August 19th - General Membership Meeting 6:30pm at the Golden Hub August 23rd - 25th - Gillespie County Fair August 26th - Women's Equality Day August 28th - Zonta Club of Fredericksburg 65th Anniversary SEPTEMBER - NATIONAL SELF IMPROVEMENT MONTH

September 2nd - Labor Day Holiday September 2nd - Zonta Board Meeting 5:30pm - Location TBD September 8th - Grandparents Day September 11th - National Remembrance Day September 16th - General Membership Meeting 6:30pm



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