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"If you want to understand today, you have to search yesterday." - Pearl S. Buck

Dear Zonta Sisters,

Here it is – June – and we have another exciting new fiscal year ahead of us! During these last few years of hunkering-down because of pandemic limitations, we have spent more time in front of our computer screens and hand-helds. We, hopefully then, were lucky enough to be connecting to each other at a more emotional level and creating a real sense of home and hearth. But now is the time to bring back the opportunities of real face to face connections as well as to continue whatever we were able to accomplish through our blue screens. Drawing on technology to create another realm of connection to our advocacies and service opportunities is something to be explored, but let us not forget how to smile and let someone see our love for life, service and advocacy.

Last year (because of the great leadership this club had) we proudly met and surpassed our goals by giving 10 Scholarships and 1 YWPA Award and increased our membership to over 30! With that in mind, I think a "do-it-again" year is in order so here are **our goals as a club** for the coming year:

- Making Zonta Club of Fredericksburg more visible and well-known in our community;
- Present 10 Scholarships and 1 YWPA award;
- Increase membership by at least 20%; (more than 6 new members)
- Increase our participation at the Governor's Summit in Longview, TX (October). (more than 6 attendees)

Almost everyday, we have an opportunity to share our Zonta Club story and reach others that would join us toward the service and advocacy of which we are so very dedicated. We must continue to be vigilant and open to those we know that would be interested in membership in our club. A strong, active membership is the very backbone to our club success. I know that as your "newbie" President, I plan on giving my all to the success of our goals and to great communication among us all.

So the question for each of us is: **How can I help make that happen?** 

Yours in Zonta. Lisamarie Williams, President



### HOSTESSES SCHEDULED FOR UPCOMING MONTH'S MEETINGS

June 20<sup>th</sup> Officer Installation Golden Hub

Mary Wills Sharon Joseph Liz Wunderlich\*\* Paula Salinas July 17<sup>th</sup> Fun Times Ahead Golden Hub

Estela Avery Cindy Wilson\*\* Carol Stead Pam Nabers August 15<sup>th</sup>
Zonta – Who Are You?
Golden Hub

Bonnie Baseke\*\* Michelle Boerner JoAnn Krauskopf OPEN September 19th Friend-raising Golden Hub

Estela Avery\*\*
Cindy Wilson
Lisa Nevins
Sharri McIntosh

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HOSTESSES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR GETTING THE RSVP'S FOR ATTENDANCE; CHOOSING FOOD TYPE, DRINKS, NOTIFYING THE GOLDEN HUB OF TABLE SET UP, CLEAN UP AND IF DÉCOR IS APPROPRIATE THEN THAT TOO! CALL DENISE USENER AT 830-997-7131 TO NOTIFY HER ABOUT THE DETAILS AND LEARN THE DOOR CODE AND THE TRASH BIN CODE FOR THE NIGHT.

FYI: Members should hold hostess duties about 3x per year.

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg's NEW SLATE OF OFFICERS for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE DEDICATED WOMEN WHO ARE READY TO SERVE.

President – Lisamarie Williams
Vice President – Liz Wunderlich
Recording Secretary – Karen Weinheimer
Treasurer – Frankie Hohenberger
Corresponding Secretary – Vicki Taylor
Past President – Ginger Mitchell
Directors – Kay Svatek, Janice Fox,
Michelle Boerner and Sharri McIntosh,

**Nominating Committee**: Nancy Fitzpatrick, Bonnie Baseke and Barbara Scherer.

Thank you for your service to this club!



### JUNE MEETING

IS ON MONDAY, JUNE 20th
TO BE HELD AT
THE GOLDEN HUB

In the side room

TO RSVP FOR THIS MEETING
TEXT 830-456-5560
LIZ WUNDERLICH
or email her at:
CARIBBEAN@USMEF.ORG
CALL TO ORDER AT 6:00pm

### Meet Your New Editor!

I am so excited to announce that we will have a volunteer to take over the newsletter editor position for our club! Thank you Janice Fox for stepping up to the plate and hanging your hat in the newsroom. I will certainly miss the duty of putting together this newsletter each month, but it's nice to know there are capable hands ready and willing to keep the information rolling off the presses.

Lisamarie Williams



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<sup>\*\*</sup> Contact person for RSVP's

# WHAT? DIDN'T COME TO THE MAY MEETING? YOU TRULY MISSED OUT, AND WE MISSED YOU!

Thank you to our Scholarship Committee for their tedious and diligent work on choosing these dedicated honorees.











L-R TOP: Kaylee Kramer, Sierra Masters, Harper McKracken, Madeline McFarland, Amie Pyka, BOTTOM: Rylee Welch, Bethany Crenwelge and Regan Licciardello. Cindy Wilson gives Gazelle Scheiner her \$1000 check for her







Young Woman in Public Affairs Award for 2022, who by the way, also went on to win our District 10 YWPA Award too! Congratulations to all! Unfortunately Morgyn Granville and Trinity Minor were unable to attend the awards night but will receive their gifts as well.



We were so happy to see the scholarship honorees and their family members and guests who came to support them and celebrate with them for receiving these scholarship dollars. We managed to squeeze in 50 people for the evening! Thank you to our hostesses: Frankie Hohenberger, Vicki Taylor, Bonnie Baseke, Sharri McIntosh, and Lisa Nevins who served up the delicious meal, drinks and desserts for the evening's festivities. Everybody was satisfied for sure.

### OUR 2022 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS!

Congratulations to the young ladies listed here. These girls all have outstanding resumes and community spirit proving they deserve the honor of these scholarships and acclaim.

Harper McCracken, Boerne – 2<sup>nd</sup> year Texas A&M University – Mays Business Honors Program Bethany Crenwelge, Fredericksburg – 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Texas Tech University – Animal Science Morgyn E. Granville, Fredericksburg – 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Tarleton State University – PT & OT Kaylee Kramer, Harper – 2nd year to attend Texas A&M University - AgriBusiness Regan Jay Licciardello, Llano – Senior at Texas A&M University – Nutrition/Neuroscience Trinity Minor – Harper High School – plans to major in Social Work/Child Welfare Madeline McFarland – 1<sup>st</sup> year Texas A&M University – AgriBusiness – Analyst Sierra Masters – Harper High School Senior – Early Childhood Education at CTC in Fbg Amie Pyka – entering Mays Business School at Texas A&M for Accting /Marketing Rylee Welch - Johnson City Senior majoring in Criminology to study

# Our Young Woman in Public Affairs Award goes to: Gazelle Schreiner, Kerrville – at Tivy High School

will attend Texas A&M – International Relations with Economics Minor.

This program operates at the club, district and region, and international levels of Zonta International. Since the inception of the program in 1990, Zonta has awarded 971 awards, totaling \$1,109,250, to 819 young women representing 58 countries. In November 2019, the ZIF Board and the ZI Board approved increasing the amount of the 10 international awards to \$5,000 each. In December 2017, the ZIF Board and the ZI

Board approved increasing the 32 district and regions awards to \$1500 each. With a "win" at our club level, Gazelle went on to District 10 award and won the \$1500 additional. She is now been submitted to Zonta International for the potential award of \$5000. Wishing her all the luck as she is definitely deserved of this achievement.

Thanks to the tedious work by our Scholarship Committee who read through tens of dozens of submitted applications to narrow their decisions down to these 10 gals. Chaired by Cindy Wilson with Bonnie Baseke, Barbara Sherer, Carol Stead, and Pam Nabers.



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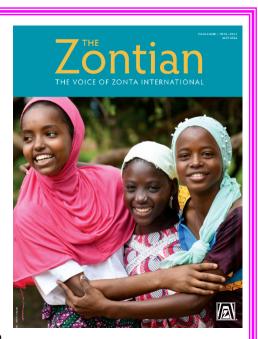
Look at all of these lovely ZCF ladies who's hard work all year long culminated with being able to raise enough funds to celebrate 10 girls with \$1000 scholarships and another \$1000 YPWA awarded too for education advancements this coming year. Pictured below are 8 of the 10 scholarship winners.



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#### TIME TO READ THE LATEST - Issue 4 | 2020-2022

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- Global Update: Zonta project supports women and girls through challenging times for gender equity
- Zonta International names Maria Teresa,
   Grand Duchess of Luxembourg, an honorary member
- Trafficking in Persons: A human rights issue
- Zontians in the United States continue to fight for gender equality in the Constitution
- Zontians on the forefront of advocacy on climate change and Ukraine during CSW
- Making history in Hamburg
- Celebrating the dedication of long-term members
- Forming the future of Zonta
- Setting the Foundation
- Zonta clubs expand education opportunities across the globe
- Welcome to new clubs



#### CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW TO READ THIS ISSUE

https://www.zonta.org/images/docs/NewsEvents/ZontianMag/Zontian May2022.pdf

### CALLING ALL MEMBERS

Remember to be thinking about on which Committees you will be the Chairman and on which committees you will be volunteering your time in the new fiscal year of our club which began on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

# Here are the 13 Committees: (each has subcommittees)

All of these are listed on the last page of your copy of the Club Directory. You will be required to let us know what your top 3 choices will be. A form will be passed around. PLEASE COME TO THE MEETING

Advocacy - (10), Archives, Communications & Public Relations (6), Finance, Fundraising (5), Membership (4), Legislative (2), Programs, Scholarships & YWPA (3), Service - (4), Woman of Achievement, and ZISVAW (2)



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# There's a New Kid in Town – and Zonta Club of Fredericksburg wants to lend a helping hand!

#### Please brind

a couple of non-perishable canned goods to the June 20<sup>th</sup> Zonta meeting to aid in stocking their shelves. Located on Hollmig Lane at Friendship next to the Ag Farm the little green building has fresh produce too!

Check it out & spread the word.

# **LET'S GET READY TO RUMBLE!!!!**

There's a new Game Master in town – and she's ready to test you at each Zonta Meeting this summer. Studying up on your Zonta trivia, Zonta By-Laws, Member's profiles and perhaps even all things Fredericksburg! We'll be having some light-hearted fun while the sun is hot and the beaches are cool. Our meetings officially are Called To Order at 6pm but be sure to arrive early,

get your drink and small bites, have a bit of conversation to catch up but then off to business we go. This summer "business" includes a little fun and games.

I hope all of you are ready and willing to participate.

PLEASE! PLEASE! PLEASE COME!







Zonta International will hold its 65th international convention in Hamburg, Germany, 25-28 June 2022. As part of the convention program, Zonta will host a workshop series titled Inspiring Intelligent Impact. The purpose of these workshops is to provide attendees with insights and actionable ideas that they can take back to their advocacy and service programs at the club level and/or utilize in their personal lives.

Workshops will be held on Saturday, 25 June, and Monday, 27 June. The Monday workshops will be held concurrently with Bylaws discussions and voting for non-delegates. The 2022 Convention will have both an in-person and virtual option. We hope to greet all our members in Hamburg, but we also invite all clubs to have a virtual representative so we can celebrate our global community.

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### **Girl Scout Court of Awards**

The Fredericksburg Girl Scout Service Unit held a Court of Awards with a Bridging Ceremony for Troop 44101 of Fredericksburg and Troop 44105 of Harper on May 18th at the Crockett Haus Patio venue with catered refreshments served prior to the ceremony. The stage was adorned with a small bridge surrounded by Boston ferns and yellow mums. Coleus plants adorned the beautiful farm tables in this gorgeous outdoor venue donated by Ed and Robin Cowsar. Picture frames holding the history of the Girl Scouts in Fredericksburg were displayed for the guests to study. Guest Speaker for the evening was newly elected City Councilwoman Emily Kirchner. She spoke of her experiences of being a Brownie and Girl Scout. She then gave insight into the Girl Scout Promise and the Girl Scout Law.

Membership pins, badges and patches were presented to Edith Beatrice Mullen, Hayden Luther, Abigail Warriner, Arianna Nieto, Eliza Watson, Emerald Moores, Harper Hudson, Kylee Wright, Leighton Haley, Parker Bonn, Ximena Cardoza, and Emma May. Certificates for selling 1000 to 2000 boxes of cookies were presented to Leighton Haley, Ximena Cardoza, Evelyn Cox, Emma May and Megan Murray (Harper Troop). Certificates were also presented for selling 2000 to 3000 boxes of cookies to Kylee Wright and Shelbie Sherman (Harper) who was unable to attend.

Camp scholarships were presented to all the girls that will be attending a Girl Scout Camp this summer and they are Abigail Warriner, Amelia Haley, Caroline Haley, Harper Hudson, LeightonHaley, Parker Bonn, Ximena Cardoza, Emma May and Evelyn Cox. During the Bridging Ceremony, there were seven Daises that "Blasted Off to Brownies", Abigail Fitzsimmons, Amelia Haley, Caroline Haley, Harper Meyer, Kate Price, Ramsey Cobb and Reagan Segner. During this time two new Daisies were presented with their uniforms and they are Emerson Meyer and Hayden Hudson. After the Daisies became Brownies, the girls sang the "Brownie Smile Song". "Flying up to Junior" there was one girl going from Brownies and that was Coralai Meador. "Climbing up to Cadette" was Dacey Robison, Evelyn Cox and Leah Phillips. "Advancing up to Senior" was Megan Murray (Harper) who also was awarded the Silver Award and shared her project with the guests. To close the ceremony all the girls sang "Make New Friends".

The Troop Leaders for Troop 44101, Bonnie Baseke, Karen Weinheimer, Anna Hudson, Devin Mullen and Sharon Wahrmund and the Troop Leaders for Troop 44105, Michelle Murray and Erin Sherman have done an outstanding job this year. They have managed to build girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place.





The Girl Scouts in Fredericksburg will be participating in three different Twilight Camps this summer. Having fun creating camaraderie of every girl while earning badges is the game. Camping, making fun foods, and learning new things to become engaging young women in this world is always on the minds of the wonderful ladies who give their service to Girl Scouts. Thank you Bonnie, Karen, Sharon and all of the Zonta members who have assisted in the success of the troops.

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### Know of a retailer who'll help sell our Cookbooks?

Check around and give Peggy or Lisamarie the information to follow up on. Peggy Jander is our Cookbook Chair so if you need a few to sell, please contact Peggy 830-456-3286



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## 2022 CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES



#### JUNE

June 14th - Flag Day June 17<sup>th</sup> – RSVP deadline for the Meeting June 19<sup>th</sup> – Father's Day June 20<sup>th</sup> – ZCF Membership Meeting 6PM

Installation of our New Officers

**June 25-28<sup>th</sup>** – Zonta International 65<sup>th</sup> Convention - Hamburg , Germany June 30<sup>th</sup> – Committee Reports due to District 10



#### JULY

July 4th - Independence Day Parade in FBG Selling Cookbooks on Main Street 9am - 11am July 5<sup>th</sup> – ZCF Board Meeting 5:30PM Location TBA **July 20<sup>th</sup>** – ZCF Membership Meeting

6PM Call to Order



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