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Meetings: Third Monday of Each Month

SEPTEMBER MEETING
Monday, September 19, 2016, 6:30 p.m.
St. Barnabas Parish Hall
601 West Creek Street
Program: "All About Zonta"

Hostesses: Frankie Hohenberger, Kristy Knaupp-Beyer, Jo Ann Krauskopf and Barbara MacManus

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

There is a touch of Fall in the air and the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg is busier than ever. The Membership Meeting is September 19th. This is going to be a very special event that you won't want to miss. Then it is on to Oktoberfest and the Funnel Cake Follies on September 30th, October 1st and October 2nd. The Club is in great need of your help to man the booth for the three days of this event. If you haven't signed up yet contact Bonnie Baseke for times available. This is our largest fundraiser for the year and it is where the majority of scholarship funds are raised.

The Governor's Summit is October 15th in Seguin, Texas. This will be a one day meeting, replacing the District 10 Conference in years when there is an International Convention. Try to clear your busy schedules to attend this year to meet the outstanding women of District 10.

All of our members are needed for us to have successful events such as the ones planned even though they are so close together. It really does take all of us working together to succeed. I can't wait until our invited guests meet the outstanding women of the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg. I am so very proud of all that this Club has accomplished in its sixty-two years.

Yours in Zonta,
Bonnie Baseke

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

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SEPTEMBER MEETING:

ALL THE SKINNY ABOUT THE SEPTEMBER 19, 2016, MEETING –

By now every club member should have received a letter regarding the upcoming meeting scheduled for Monday, September 19, 2016. Our focus and program for this meeting will be MEMBERSHIP! The meeting will begin at the usual time of 6:30 in the evening, and it will be at the St. Barnabas Parish Hall located at 601 West Creek Street.

Beautifully prepared invitations to your guests should be well on their way as the RSVP for the event is due MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2016, to President Bonnie Baseke as indicated on the invitation. Just in case you do not have the RSVP info handy, it is: **Bonnie Baseke at 830-889-1968 or 830-997-2370, Email – bbaseke@austin.rr.com**

Karleen, Deborah Hadsall, and Ginger have volunteered to do a follow up call as well to our members so that a list may be compiled of our members and their invited guests. Many of you may have received a personal call from ONE of these three.

We are planning a nice evening which will entail a social hour with music, heavy hors d'oeuvre, and a short program detailing the wonderful goals and accomplishments of our own Zonta story. We will also hear a short report about the International Zonta Convention held this past July. We will end with a short meeting about the last minute needs of the upcoming Oktoberfest fund raising event.

Please plan to attend this most important meeting. It is sure to be a great fun memory maker for our Zonta Club of Fredericksburg.

Frankie Hohenberger
Meeting Coordinator



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HAPPY SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY'S

Frankie Hohenberger – September 2
Karleen Carlisle – September 10
Melody Houston – September 12

Z CLUB NEWS:

The Z Club along with their new Sponsor Wanda Detmar is continuing their support of Hope Ndambakuwa who lives in Zimbabwe. With the help of Liz Wunderlich, Z Club Committee member, Nan Mosley, a PEO member and the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg, Hope's tuition of \$175.00 was paid before September 6th otherwise she wouldn't have been allowed to attend school for this semester. Hope is the younger sister of Yustinah Ndambakuwa, who is now attending Cottey College but was able to attend school in Zimbabwe because of the efforts of the Fredericksburg High School Z Club. These young people are making a difference in the lives of others as they are learning about service and advocacy. The members of the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg look forward to working with the members of the Z Club and their Sponsor this year.

MEMBER NEWS:

Please keep Carol Cain and her husband Bill Fahle in your prayers. Carol has been very ill and will be starting Chemo Therapy on Monday, September 12th. I hope Carol that you know your Zonta Sisters are there for you and do not hesitate to let us know what we can do for you during this time and always. We all love you very much.

Lorin Buchhorn is recovering from back surgery, so please keep her in your prayers. She is up and about but is moving very slowly. We wish you a speedy recovery and look forward to seeing you up to speed again soon.

OKTOBERFEST:

The Oktoberfest Committee Co-Chairman Shirley Jones and Bonnie Baseke are asking for the help of our members that are able to work at Oktoberfest. For our new members this is a 3-day event working the booth but really a 5-day process of setting up and tearing down the booth. It is labor intensive, but the rewards are great, especially when you see the smiles on the faces of our scholarship recipients. If you haven't signed up please contact **Bonnie Baseke at 830-997-2370, 830-889-1968** or email bbaseke@austin.rr.com. If you have already signed up, I will have your wristbands at the September Meeting. You will also be able to sign up at this meeting if you still need to. Oktoberfest starts this year on September 30th and goes until October 2nd. Remember your aprons and hats or caps to cover your hair. It is a much fun and fellowship as it is work.

DISTRICT NEWS:

If you are planning on attending the Governor's Summit on October 15th, please be aware the block of rooms will be released on September 15th. The hotel is Marriott Townplace Suites and their phone number is 830-379-2400. Ask for the "Zonta District 10 Governor's Summit." You should have received a registration form, if you didn't and would like one please contact Bonnie Baseke, this form is due on October 1st and the cost is \$60.00. The Zonta Club of Sequin is hosting a "Wine, Dine, and Crafty Friday", the cost for this is \$40.00. This is a one day meeting as opposed to the three day District 10 Conference. Something different, something new and fresh ideas keep us from getting too stale and set in our ways. This is certainly a way for our new and seasoned members to learn more about Zonta and District 10.

AUGUST MEETING:

What a wonderful evening at the home of Ginger Mitchell. The hostesses had prepared a delicious dinner for the meeting and everyone was so excited to meet Everce Nyamahunge, from Uganda, is Tatenda's friend who she met at Cottey College. She was in Fredericksburg awaiting the arrival of Tatenda's younger sister Yustinah Ndambakuwa from Zimbabwe. Everce was the speaker for the meeting and told about the challenges of coming to an American School from a school in her country. She wasn't accustomed to the food and they have a very relaxed lifestyle so she was late for classes at Cottey College. She is such a lovely young woman and will be a Big Sister to Yustinah. It was so wonderful to see all the items that were gathered for Yustinah, as she was coming from Zimbabwe with not much more than the clothes on her back. What is there to say about **Marti Barth**, this wonderful woman went out and bought Yustinah a new laptop? I was most impressed by Everce because she asked that we all hold hands and pray for the safe travel of Yustinah and for her Mother, who would most likely never see her child again.

Barbara MacManus gave us a quick overview of the Zonta International Convention in Nice, France. She and her granddaughter Shayla Galvan were the delegation from the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg.

President Bonnie Baseke inducted Jeanette Warrington-Pressler into the Club during this meeting as well. All of the members are looking forward to working with Jeanette. She was presented with a yellow rose and a Zonta pin.

The Club was 62 years old on August 28th so the members celebrated with a cake and a birthday wish for many more years of service to the community and the world.



All the members in attendance with Everce.



Happy 62nd Anniversary

TINSEL AND TREASURE SALE AND LE Z BOUTIQUE:

The Tinsel and Treasure Sale and Le Z Boutique is scheduled for November 12th at St. Joseph's Hall. When you start decorating for the Holidays and have an excess of decorations price them and bring them to the sale. Carol Cain is Chairing the Le Z Boutique, but with her starting treatments, Renee Pearson has volunteered to help Carol with the Boutique. This is where the better are priced higher than in the regular sale. There are usually some really great items for sale. Chairman Kristy Knaupp-Beyer is encouraging all of the members to clean out their Holiday clothes, decorations, winter clothes and anything that might be re-gifted for Christmas. There will be a Bag and Drag section again, this was a big hit in the Spring.

RESIGNATION OF VICE PRESIDENT:

Debra Hadsall has submitted her resignation as Vice President to the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg, to President Bonnie Baseke. The Board has accepted her resignation from her office of Vice President. Debra will remain a member of the organization and continue her work with the Z Club and the Zonta Mentoring Program. All of us wish you much happiness and look forward to working with you in a different capacity.

It is the Board's duty to appoint a new Vice President; Barbara MacManus accepted the position and is the new Vice President of the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg. She was installed at the September 6th Board Meeting by President Bonnie Baseke. Please welcome your new Vice President, Barbara MacManus.

FMS MENTORING:

Debra Hadsall, Sharon Joseph, Kristy Knaupp-Beyer and Sharon Wahrmund met to plan their Mentoring year for the 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls. Sharon Joseph reported their plan to the Board on Tuesday, September 6th. Thank you ladies for the time you spend with these girls. You are making a difference in their lives and all of us are behind this program and are willing to help in any way that is needed by the Mentors. If you are interested in helping the Mentors please contact one of these members about how you can help.

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CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES

September 5, Labor Day
September 6, Zonta Board Meeting
September 11, Patriot Day
September 19, Zonta Regular Meeting (Membership Meeting)
September 25, wear orange for Zonta Says No to Violence
September 30, Oktoberfest

October 1, Oktoberfest
October 2, Oktoberfest
October 3, Zonta Board Meeting
October 15, Governor's Summit in Sequin, Texas
October 17, Zonta Regular Meeting
October 24, United Nations Day
October 25, wear orange for Zonta Says No to Violence
October 31, Halloween

November 7, Zonta Board Meeting
November 8, Election Day
November 8, Zonta International's Birthday
November 21, Zonta Regular Meeting
November 25, International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women
November 25, wear orange for Zonta Says No to Violence
November 25, start of 16 days of Activism Against Gender Violence

