

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL District 10 Area 3 Club No. 0331

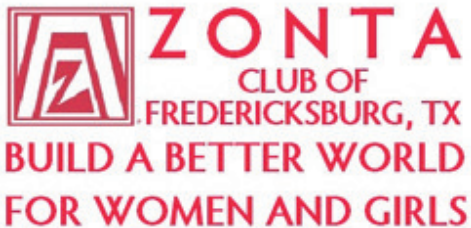
ZONTA ZEITUNG

Zonta International is a leading global organization of individuals working together to build a better world for women and girls.

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NEXT MEETING

Aug 21 at The Golden Hub

Socializing at 5:30 with call to order at 6:00 p.m.

YWPA Award Ceremony

Hostesses: Gloria, Lisa, Karen, Renee & Vicki T.

RSVP to Karen Weinheimer by 8/18:

text 830.889.5745 or email kwein49@gmail.com

Letter from the President

Sisters,

Theodore Roosevelt said, *"Nobody cares how much you know, until they know how much you care."*

Working the Caribbean market as I have for the last 30 years, this quote is the one I use at least 50% of the time at the end of my presentations. I stumbled upon it after hurricanes Maria and Irma annihilated my precious islands of BVI, Dominica, and St. Maarten. Sitting in my Texas office, I watched video after video showing the destruction. Helpless to know what to do, I knew they didn't need my educational programs on meat at this time. There were lots of rescue companies and NGO's doing what they could to feed and shelter people. What could I do? Nothing...but I could let them know that the US meat producers CARED. So, the minute airports in those countries opened, I got on flights to go give all those loyal red meat buyers a hug, to share tears, and to listen to their stories. I wanted them to know we cared. I now end every presentation with my hand on my heart and I say, "One Love...From our family of farmers to our Caribbean friends."

This is no different than what Zonta is all about. We console each other when suffering from tragedy. We give hugs or money or prayers to people we don't even know personally, but we weep through their stories and become even more determined to make the world a better place for women and girls...one project, one smile, one hug at a time. Both at home and in the world.

We share One Love,

Liz Wunderlich 2023-24 President

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

July Meeting Recap

Our speaker was Amy Beicker, local author of *Main Street Mockingbirds*. The story follows a mockingbird family who take the reader on a scavenger hunt down Fredericksburg's Main Street, highlighting historic buildings and telling children and their families the history of our special town. Amy explained the development of this project, which also included the nine Mockingbird sculptures (and the approvals required!) to place them at the historical buildings. Profits from the sale of these books support the Gillespie County Children's Foundation.



Amy Beicker (pictured above center) generously signed purchased books with personal messages! Liz Wunderlich pictured left and Lisa Roebuck at right.



Pictured above, L to R: President Liz Wunderlich, Vice President Janice Fox, Brenda Miiller, and her sponsor Vicki Taylor.

We were also delighted to install new member Brenda Miiller (yes, that's spelled correctly!). Happy to have you join the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg!!



Willkommen
Brenda!!

District 10 Conference Tentative Plans

The Call to District 10 Conference is expected any day now so:

Save the Date & RSVP!

Zonta District 10 Conference
 October 19-21
 Houston, TX

Let Dreams Take Flight - Build a Better World for Women and Girls!

The 72nd Zonta International District 10 Conference will begin with a reception the evening of October 19th and end with a banquet the night of the 21st.

Hope you can join for a weekend of connections, education, and sharing of ideas!

Notify Frankie Hohenberger ASAP if you intend to attend:
210.317.0740

Group Transportation Option

Room for 12 so reserve your seat now!

Estimating \$190 per person round trip.

Text Frankie at 210.317.0740 by 8/22 to save your space.

Payment due 8/30.



Current Travel Itinerary

October 19

9:30 a.m. depart FBG Thursday
 ~11:15 a.m. pick up Austin group
 Bastrop Buc-ee's refreshment stop
 Arrive Houston hotel ~2:30

October 22

9:30 a.m. depart hotel
 Bastrop Buc-ee's refreshment stop
 Austin group drop
 Arrive Frericksburg ~2:30 p.m.

Current members reserved for transportation: Frankie Hohenberger, Karen Weinheimer, Marti Barth, *Bonnie Baseke, Ginger Mitchell and Janice Fox (*denotes members expected to be selected delegates). *Lisamarie Williams is attending but not using the bus.

Extending Sister Sympathies

TAMMY JO –

Deepest condolences for the loss of your husband Charles. May the sorrow you and your family feel in your hearts be comforted by the love that surrounds you.

Prayers for healing and blessings for peace in your time of grief.

Your Zonta
Fredericksburg Sisters



Noteworthy News

Men are hunters, women are gatherers. That was the assumption. A new study upends it.

National Public Radio, July 1, 2023

For decades, scientists have believed that early humans had a division of labor: Men generally did the hunting and women did the gathering. And this view hasn't been limited to academics. It's often been used to make the case that men and women today should stick to the supposedly "natural" roles that early human society reveals.

Now a new study suggests the vision of early men as the exclusive hunters is simply wrong – and that evidence that early women were also hunting has been there all along.

Specifically, the new research upends one of the key strands of evidence that scientists have relied on to infer what life was probably like during the period that started roughly 200,000 years ago, when Homo sapiens first emerged as a species.

Direct evidence is limited because that phase ended about 9,000 years ago, as people slowly began to develop agriculture and settlements. But all over the world, there have been groups, often in remote areas of low- and middle-income countries, who still live a hunting and foraging life. So scholars look to them as a sort of window into humanity's past. Anthropologists and other specialists have gained these groups' permission to live alongside them and have produced detailed observational reports.

Until now, the general sense among scientists has been that these accounts overwhelmingly pointed to men mainly hunting and women mainly gathering, with only occasional exceptions, says Robert Kelly, professor of anthropology at the University of Wyoming and the author of influential books and articles on hunter-gatherer societies.

But Kelly says that the views he and others held of the typical gender divisions around hunting were based on anecdotal impressions of the reports they'd been reading, combined with the field work many had engaged in personally. "No one," says Kelly, had done a systematic "tally" of what the observational reports said about women hunting.

"The hunting was purposeful. Women had their own toolkit. They had favorite weapons. Grandmas were the best hunters of the village."

The full article can be found at www.npr.org/goatsandsoda. Scroll down to July 1.

"Fund Raining" Update



Eat Pizza. Raise 20%. It's just that cheesy.

Redeem this flyer with purchase and 20% benefits

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

Thur, Aug 24th, Sept 21st, Oct 19th & Nov 16th

Fredericksburg Pizza Hut • 1104 E Main St (830) 997-7222

To ensure your purchase counts towards fundraiser earnings, please show your printed / digital flyer to the Pizza Hut Team Member when receiving your order. \$15 minimum sub-total purchase required. Good on carryout/curbside or dine-in orders from open to close. Distribution of flyers at Pizza Hut is prohibited.



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Pizza Hut Gives Back

Goal: \$1000

April 20: \$202.98

May 18: \$75.00

June: \$173.56

July: \$50.20

Total to date: \$501.74

Jump up! Officially 1/2 of goal!



Next Date: Thursday August 24

THANK YOU PIZZA HUT FREDERICKSBURG!



Send a little love from your heart!

Sell a cookbook, give a gift!

\$25 EACH

Cookbook Chair Bonnie Baseke is ready to fill your order.

830.889.1968

"Sometimes me think, 'What is Friend?' and then me say, 'Friend is someone to share the last cookie with.'"

Cookie Monster

Club Corner

Coming Up...



Birthdays!

Michelle Boerner
August 3

Liz Wunderlich
August 11

Vicki Taylor
August 17

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg
August 28 - Happy 59th!

AUGUST ZONTA MEMBERSHIP MEETING

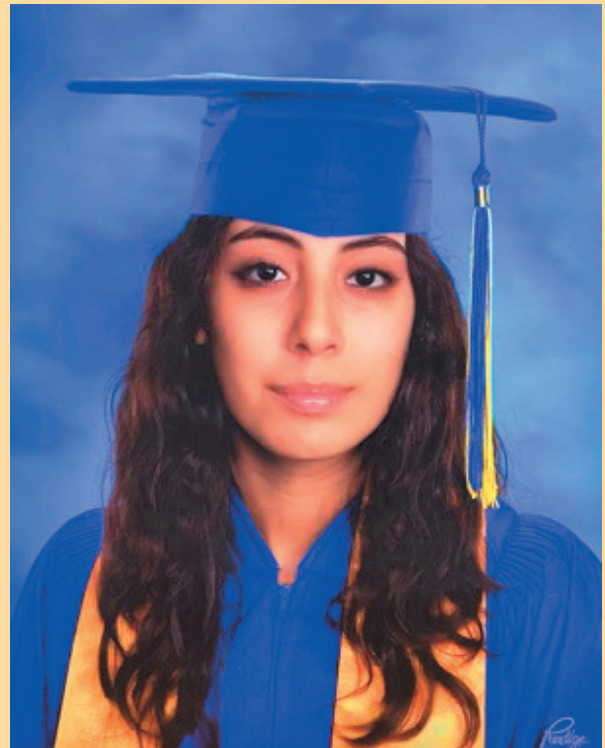
The Sky is the Limit!

*Young Woman of Public Affairs
Award Ceremony celebrating*

Araceli Coker

Connie Davis, the Governor of Zonta District 10 to present. Lt. Governor Shelly Baumgartener to attend as well to celebrate this talented young woman.

Be there if you can!!!



Board Bulletin

The Board met August 7 to discuss a variety of topics, including upcoming conferences and events, committee assignments, and possible fundraising options. Much of this will be discussed at our August 21 meeting. Some highlights include:

Coming September 18:
Membership Friend-Raising at
Alegria Ranch!

15475 S. State Hwy 16
Estela Avery residence

"EXTREME MINGLING AND CAMARADERIE"!

CLUB ACTION ITEM: Prepare your guest name(s) and addresses. Invitations to this special event will be handed out at the August meeting to be promptly snail mailed in the days following.



ANTI-HUMAN TRAFFICKING POETRY SLAM

Sunday, September 3, 2023

11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Embassy Suites Landmark

5615 Landmark Pkwy., San Antonio

ZONTA Area 3 is hosting this Poetry Slam to create awareness and fight human trafficking.

[Click here](#) for more information or to purchase tickets (\$40/person).

See sponsorship flyer attached at the end of this newsletter.



Your Zonta Sisters are here to support you in times of illness and bereavement.

Send notices to Corresponding Secretary Vicki Taylor at 512.787.4799 or vickers0817@gmail.com.



Special thanks to Karen Weinheimer for her coordination on behalf of our organization to provide 3 dozen trays of sandwiches and a fruit platter for the Blackwell family. Donations for this effort are much appreciated. Bring your contribution to the next meeting.



"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

Margaret Mead

Girl Scouts Summer of FUN!

It is hard to believe the summer is almost over and the girls are going back to school. Despite sizzling temps, we still found fun in the sun!

In June, we hosted a Swim and Pizza Party at the Town Pool for the girls. It was a private party after the pool closed for the day. They LOVED it – good times!



In July, ten girls and eight adults spent two nights at the Exotic Resort Zoo in Johnson City. The girls spent most of the time either feeding the animals or swimming in the two pools near the cabins. We took a guided tour of the property, made homemade ice cream in Ziplock bags, omelets in Ziplock bags in boiling water, and smores over a campfire. We also taught the girls about proper cooking and cleaning when camping. And the HEAT...we endured the terrible heat.

In August, we held a Saturday Day Camp from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The girls painted with watercolors and acrylic paints, made beaded necklaces and bracelets, and decorated masks. They also played corn hole and miniature golf and then went swimming for a couple of hours. All in all, it was a great summer, but we are ready for cooler weather and our regular meetings starting up in September!



Calendar of Events and Special Dates

August - National Back to School Month		September - World Alzheimer's Disease Month	
5 th	National Sunflower Day	3 rd	Anti-Human Trafficking Poetry Slam
6 th	National Sisters Day	4 th	Labor Day
7 th	Board meeting 5:30 p.m.	5 th	Board Meeting 5:30 p.m. Western Edge
21 st	ZCF General Membership Meeting – YWPA Award Ceremony	18 th	ZCF General Membership Meeting – Friend-raising at the Alegria Ranch!
26 th	Women's Equality Day	21 st	International Day of Peace
28 th	Zonta FBG Club Charter Anniversary	22 nd	American Business Women's Day

💰💰 Cartridge Recycling at the Golden Hub! 💰💰

Drop your empty ink cartridges in the designated receptacle for a \$3 credit each to our club Office Max account. This will help fund future printing costs, so bring 'em in!!!

Hostesses Scheduled for Upcoming Monthly Meetings

Aug 21 – Golden Hub YWPA Presentation	Sep 18 – Alegria Ranch Friend-raising	Oct 16 – Golden Hub Food & Wine	Nov 20 – Golden Hub Zonta Says NO to Violence
Karen Weinheimer**	Parlet Kunz**	Franki Hohenberger	Lisamarie Williams
Gloria Winn	Estela Avery	Marti Barth	OPEN
Lisa Roebuck	Janice Fox	Bonnie Baseke	OPEN
Renee Pearson	JoAnn Krauskoff	Gloria Winn	OPEN
Vicki Taylor	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN

**Contact person for RSVPs. All Members should aim to serve as hosts at least 2 – 3 times per year.

HOSTESSES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING RSVPs, CHOOSING THE MENU, BEVERAGES, DECORATIONS (IF APPROPRIATE) AND CLEANUP; ALSO NOTIFYING THE GOLDEN HUB IF TABLE SET UP IS NEEDED.

CALL DENISE USENER AT 830-997-7131 TO PROVIDE DETAILS AND OBTAIN THE DOOR AND TRASH BIN CODES.

Zonta Fredericksburg 2023-2024 Officers and Directors

President – Liz Wunderlich	830.456.5560	Past President – Karen Weinheimer
Vice President – Janice Fox	210.288.5833	Director 1 – Estela Avery
Recording Sec – Lisa Roebuck	512.589.6175	Director 2 – Frankie Hohenberger
Corresponding Sec – Vicki Taylor	512.787.4799	Director 3 – Gloria Winn
Treasurer – Sharon Wahrmund	830.456.4613	Director 4 – Parlet Kunz

Nominating Committee: Ginger Mitchell, Carol Stead, and Mary Wills

Newsletter Hotline

Send stories, tips, and pics to Vicki Fulbright at vmfulbright@gmail.com or text 970.385.4297.



ANDREA SANDERSON



ZONTA CLUB OF AUSTIN

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Susan @zonta.susang@gmail.com



Sponsorship

Gold

\$1,000 – includes 6 event tickets, promotional acknowledgement, Sponsor Web Link and 1 yr Zonta Club of Austin membership dues

Rose

\$500 – includes 4 event tickets, special signage and promotional acknowledgement

Flag

\$250 – includes 2 event tickets and promotional acknowledgement.

Please consider a "Friend" sponsorship of \$40 for survivors who would like to attend.



For More Information Contact:
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Alamo City

