

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL District 10 Area 3 Club No. 0331

# ZONTA ZEITUNG

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## NEXT EVENT

April 21<sup>st</sup> at the Golden Hub

Woman of Achievement Celebration

Honoring Frankie Hohenberger

Hostesses: **Bonnie, Ellie, Debbie, Renee**

RSVP to Bonnie [bbaseke@austin.rr.com](mailto:bbaseke@austin.rr.com) or 830.889.1968

## Letter from the President

Dear Zonta Club of Fredericksburg Sisters –

Our District 10, Area 3 meeting was very special for our club. We were recognized in so many instances. I am so proud of how much this club does and what our impact is—thanks to all of you!

1. LB Thomas, who was our keynote speaker for our advocacy series, thanked our club for the generous donation toward *Not on Our Watch Texas*. Her presentation was a reminder of how vulnerable children are to online sexual exploitation. Listening to the news tonight, there was a story of a child kidnapped from engaging with a popular video game (found by police thankfully). This is exactly what she told us both in January at our outreach event to the community and at this D10 meeting.
2. I learned what is the difference between scholarships and grants. We do both, but now I know that we need to be clear in how we describe them. A scholarship requires back up to be reimbursed. For example, our annual Zonta Scholarship requires receipts amounting to \$1000 to get the check. Our Young Woman in Leadership (formerly Young Woman in Public Affairs) is a grant. We award that recipient with \$1000. It can be used in any way they see fit. Other grants that Zonta awards? Amelia Earhart, STEM, and Jane Klausman.
3. Our “sales table” rocked thanks to Frankie’s “orange out” gift basket raffle. And on Monday, we will honor her with Woman of Achievement. She is such a behind-the-scenes, make-it-happen gal. We made good money on the raffle, and the funniest part was watching other club members try on all the shawls, tee shirts, and scarfs...modeling for everyone. And touting the peach jam. You just never know what will resonate, so you must have something for everyone!

4. And guess what??? LB Thomas was able to get the district Girl Scouts leadership to approve a new badge highlighting "Not on Our Watch Texas". Bonnie is thrilled and we can't wait to kick it off during our *16 Days of Just Say No*. I am certain our Girl Scouts will embrace this, and we can help them.
5. Our WASP plaque program was recognized and the new award from the 99s group announced at the ceremony was highlighted. (Don't forget applications are due by 4/30!)
6. Dolly Parton Imagination Library was recognized as well. We are clearly cultivating literacy with children.

Bottom Line...Don't be in ZCF if you only want to be in a social club. We are on it, ladies! Our Scholarship program is underway with five members reviewing almost 50 applications! What a commitment to finding women who need an educational boost. Our Young Women in Leadership has just been selected by the four members who worked through those applications. And now, a beyond deserving Woman of Achievement with Frankie. Like Frankie, please step up to the plate and volunteer.

Thank you ZCF for believing in making the world a better place for women...I am so proud to be your President.

One love,

*Liz Wunderlich. President 2024-25*



ZONTA INTERNATIONAL  
AREA 3 MEETING  
SAN ANTONIO  
MARCH 30

Thanks much to these fantastic  
members who represented ZCF:

*Ginger Mitchell*  
*Frankie Hohenberger*  
*JoAnn Krauskopf*  
*Liz Wunderlich*  
*Parlet Kunz*

## Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

*Celebrating International Women's Day and Rose Day at Pecan Grove*



ZCF sisters celebrate International Women's Day and Zonta Rose Day March 8 at Pecan Grove with an arm lifted in honor of Rosie the Riveter's strength and confidence! Pictured left to right: Lisa Roebuck, Vicki Taylor, JoAnn Krauskopf, guest Karen Birck, Bonnie Baseke, Karen Weinheimer, Parlet Kunz, Barb Scherer, Ginger Mitchell, and Stefanie Herdman.

## March PJ Party Highlights



### How lucky are we?!?

Kneeling left to right: Ginger Mitchell, Lisa Roebuck, Trish Dwyer-Morgan, Vicki Fulbright  
 Standing: Debbie Langehennig, JoAnna Troppy Verneti, Karen Weinheimer, Parlet Kunz, Frankie Hohenberger,  
 Sharon Joseph, Estela Avery, Ellie Rodriguez, Lori Lester, Renee Pearson, Pam Nabers, Bonnie Baseke, JoAnn  
 Krauskopf, and Liz Wunderlich. *(Editor's note: I can't help but giggle...it looks like JoAnn is flashing a gang sign!)*



Images left to right: Ginger Mitchell's beautiful home set the stage for a wonderful party. Sharon Joseph read all Woman of Achievement nominations and announced **Frankie Hohenberger** was awarded the honor after votes were counted! Liz (with Morgan Granville at right; happy for her visit from Germany!) informed the club about the opportunity to apply for sponsorship of the Turkey Trot for the ZCF big fundraiser. The motion to proceed with a proposal passed unanimously!



## WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT

The club voted to honor our very special ZCF member

### Frankie Hohenberger

Frankie, pictured with her champion exotic breed, has been a constant force and advocate for ZCF and its Foundation. She single-handedly headed up many committees, organized the D10 Summit, and always carries out all her duties as Treasurer with professionalism and humor. But that's just the tip of the iceberg: She's long lived a life of service and excellence in tradition of her pioneer family! Stay tuned for details in the next issue!!

*Thank you, Ginger Mitchell, for once again opening your home to ZCF for its annual PJ Party! We are grateful for your generosity, vibrant energy, and fabulous smile!!!*

Thanks also to the co-hosts: Pam Nabers, Lori Lester, Trish Dwyer-Morgan and Vicki Fulbright!



### An Irish Toast

*"There are good ships and wood ships,  
ships that sail the sea,  
but the best ships are friendships,  
may they always be."*

And cheers to our lucky DPIL leprechaun, Pam Nabers!

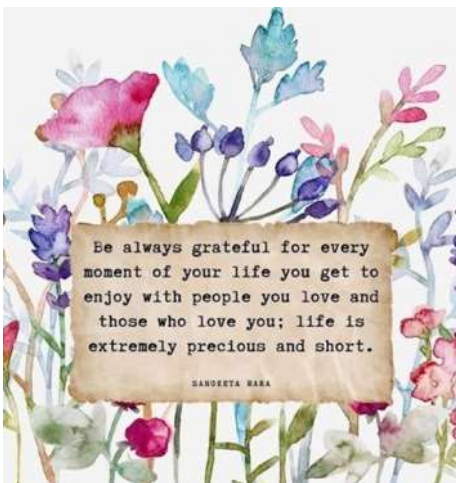


On April 7, the Central Texas Electric Cooperative presented a generous check for \$2500 from Operation Round-Up to ZCF for the Dolly Parton Imagination Library!!! WOW!! Thank you CTEC!!

### Girl Scouts Update

At the last meeting, the girls made homemade dog treats to use as part of items for their event participation in "War Dogs" on March 29th at the Pacific Combat War Zone. They offered dog treats, chew toys, and stuffed animals in cute dog bowls for donations only.

## ZONTA SISTERS IN NEED



Deepest condolences to Cindy Wilson for the loss of her sister Margaret Vaughn.

*"Sisters are different flowers from the same garden."*

Prayers, hugs & Zonta love, Cindy.  
May you have peace in your time of grief.

# Club Corner

Coming up...



## April Birthdays!

Renee Pearson - 21<sup>st</sup>  
Gloria Winn - 28<sup>th</sup>

## May Birthdays!

Melinda Birck - 13<sup>th</sup>  
Sharon Wahrmond - 23<sup>rd</sup>

## Woman of Achievement Award Night



Honoring  
*Frankie Hohenberger*

APRIL 21  
5:30 P.M.

## The Golden Hub

## MAY MEETING

*JCF Scholarship Award Ceremony*



A favorite time of year!  
Awardees to be announced soon!

5:30 p.m. at Western Edge  
228 West Main Street

Invitation from Lisa Roebuck: Next concert for Essence Women's Choir directed by Laurie Jenschke - a lighter show with some oldies but goodies! May 4 at 4:00 pm at Zion Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall.



## Board Bulletin

Board information, needs, and important coming events:

### Turkey Trot Update

Lori Lester, Liz Wunderlich, Frankie Hohenberger, and Vicki Fulbright have compiled a draft letter of intent to submit to Heart of the Hills. They plan to wrap it up next week!

## Let's Clear Out the Cookbooks!



### FAVORITE FOODS OF FREDERICKSBURG

*Hippity Hop!*

\$25 each

Cookbook Chair Vicki Taylor is ready to fill your *Easter Celebration* order

512.787.4799 or  
vickers0817@gmail.com

### \$\$\$ Cartridge Recycling at the Golden Hub! \$\$\$

Drop your empty ink cartridges in the designated receptacle for a \$3 credit each to our ZCF Office Max account. This will help fund future printing needs!!!





## Calendar of Events and Special Dates

April – Child Abuse Prevention Month		May – Military Appreciation Month	
6 <sup>th</sup>	National Library Day	1 <sup>st</sup>	World Press Freedom Day
9 <sup>th</sup>	Education and Sharing Day	5 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting at Western Edge 5:30 pm
20 <sup>th</sup>	Easter	20 <sup>th</sup>	Armed Forces Day
21 <sup>st</sup>	Woman of Achievement Ceremony	19 <sup>th</sup>	Scholarship Award Ceremony
20 <sup>rd</sup>	World Book Day	26 <sup>th</sup>	Memorial Day

### Hostesses Scheduled for Upcoming Monthly Meetings

Apr 21 – Golden Hub Woman of Achievement Award Night	May 19 – Western Edge; Scholarship Banquet	June 16 – Golden Hub Officer Installation & Comm Assignments	July 21 – Golden Hub TBD
Ellie Rodriguez Bonnie Baseke** Debbie Langehennig Renee Pearson	Sharon Joseph Pam Nabers Lori Lester Parlet Kunz	Stephanie Herdman Karen Weinheimer Patricia Dwyer-Morgan Lisa Roebuck	Bonnie Baseke Ellie Rodriguez Lisa Roebuck Sharon Joseph

\*\*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 2024-2025 Officers and Directors

<b>President</b> – Liz Wunderlich	830.456.5560	<b>Members at Large:</b> Gloria Winn Vicki Taylor Ellie Rodriguez Stefanie Herdman
<b>Vice President</b> – Lisa Roebuck	512.589.6175	
<b>Recording Secretary Membership</b> – Karen Weinheimer	830.899.5745	
<b>Recording Secretary Board/Foundation</b> – Lori Lester	650.799.3858	
<b>Corresponding Secretary</b> – Parlet Kunz	936.525.7720	
<b>Treasurer</b> – Frankie Hohenberger	210.317.0740	
<b>Past President</b> – Karen Weinheimer		

**Nominating Committee: Ginger Mitchell, Bonnie Baseke, Pam Nabers**



Your Zonta Sisters are here to support you in times of illness and bereavement.  
Send notices to Corresponding Secretary Parlet Kunz at [parletk@gmail.com](mailto:parletk@gmail.com) or 936.525.7720.



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