

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL District 10 Area 3 Club No. 0331

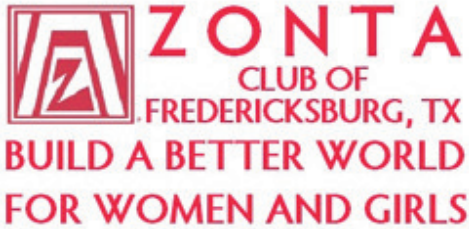
ZONTA ZEITUNG

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

www.zonta.org

www.zontafredericksburg.org

www.zontadistrict10.org



NEXT MEETING

September 18 at Estela Avery's Alegria Ranch

5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Friend-Raising Social!

Hostesses: Estela, Parlet, Janice and JoAnn

RSVP to Parlet by Friday 9/15:
text 936.525.7720 or email parletk@gmail.com

Letter from the President

Sisters,

The Sound of Freedom...What a powerful film.

A few of our Zonta sisters have seen this movie as it was shown pretty much everywhere around us except in Fredericksburg. I normally am wary of movies with violence as I tend to re-live them over and over in my dreams, late at night, when I take my walk, etc. But, when invited to go to the showing of the movie in Kerrville, I decided to Buckle up Buttercup and go. To say it was powerful, doesn't do it justice. Aside from the reality of the story and how it easily demonstrated how kids can get trapped into these abductions with no way out, I wasn't frightened from the film...instead it made me mad. How can people be so evil? How can they get away with this? What can I do to stop it?

My favorite line in the film was, "God's children aren't for sale." I think this sums up the projects that we work to undo: whether it is "selling" children into marriage, or for sex, or extorting money from them after online seduction, or keeping them in poverty, or out of education, or any violence against women and girls. All of this makes me mad. And the only way I feel I can be a part of their change is to be a part of Zonta.

Don't forget to ask your friends if they want to be a change agent as well. The September meeting is the place to learn more about our great club and our devoted sisters. "God's women and children aren't for sale."

One Love,

Liz Wunderlich 2023-24 President

Zonta Club of Fredericksburg

August Meeting Highlights

What a celebration of talent at our August meeting! We presented Araceli Coker her “hat trick” of Young Women in Public Affairs scholarship awards. The three totaled \$7000: \$1000 each from the local and districts clubs, and \$5000 from the international organization.

Committee chair Cindy Wilson introduced our honoree, noting, “Araceli is an empowered young woman that in 18 years has met all the criteria that exemplifies the essence of Zonta: commitment to volunteerism, leadership in both student and workplace life, and astounding drive in projects to fight abuse of women.”



L-R: District 10 Lt. Governor Shelly Baumgarten, Araceli Kay Coker, Cindy Wilson, and Lisamarie Williams.



In addition to the scholarship awards, Cindy Wilson presented Araceli with yellow roses, candy, and a certificate of accomplishment.

Her impressive list of accomplishments include:

- The Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) Logistics Commander (managing a \$250,000 budget);
- JROTC Inspector General (officer in charge of inspections and cadet compliance);
- A total of 628 hours of service to the Kendall County Women’s Shelter Thrift Store;
- Almost 200 hours of service at the Kerrville Veteran’s Affairs Hospital learning about the organization and managing patients; and
- Additional volunteering with the Salvation Army, Joan Kroc Corps Community Center, and the Boys and Girls Club.

It's clear that Araceli is wise beyond her young years, stating that, “Empowering women is an approach that needs support by all people no matter what the gender. In my eyes by working together as a society to promote gender equality and empower women, we can create a more just and equitable society for all.”

And these awards had impact! “Thanks to the scholarships from Zonta, I am able to pursue my education at my chosen university,” she said.

Lieutenant Governor Shelly Baumgarten attended the North America Interdistrict meeting in Indianapolis, Indiana this summer and provided an update on its topic of gender equity centered around climate change. She gave us take aways and highlights from other sessions too, including how to recruit new members and create videos. She also discussed Core Competencies, a recommended curriculum for both new and long-time members. She reported nearly 200 women attended and the entire Zonta International Board was there.



We presented Shelly with a gift of Hill Country Wine and a ZCF Cookbook.



Congratulations Zonta Club Fredericksburg!



Thank you hostesses!

L-R: Lisa Roebuck, Karen Weinheimer, Vicki Taylor, Gloria Winn, and Renee Pearson



"I TRY TO WRITE PARTS FOR WOMEN THAT ARE AS COMPLICATED AND INTERESTING AS WOMEN ACTUALLY ARE."

Nora Ephron

"When Americans lend a hand to one another, nothing is impossible. We're not about what happened on 9/11. We're about what happened on 9/12."

Jeff Parness



District 10 Conference Plans & Updates

Zonta District 10
72nd Conference
October 19-21
Houston, TX

Let Your 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.

Join for a weekend of connections,
education, and sharing of ideas!

Notify Frankie Hohenberger if attending: 210.317.0740

The Details and Deadlines!

Early Bird Conference Registration Ends 9/28

Hotel Discounted Rate Ends Midnight 10/5

The registration form is attached at the end of this newsletter.
Contact Vicki Fulbright to receive a link to the complete Call to Conference package.

MEMBERS CONFIRMED:

Frankie Hohenberger,
Karen Weinheimer, Marti
Barth, *Bonnie Baseke,
Ginger Mitchell, Janice
Fox, and *Lisamarie
Williams

**denotes members
expected to be
selected delegates*



Our Conference Raffle Tickets!
\$10 each or 3 for \$25



Tickets will be sold at the ZCF conference sale table, but you can purchase at the October membership meeting too!

"A friend may be waiting behind a stranger's face." Maya Angelou

Girl Scouts

Bonnie Mund Baseke is excited to kick-off the new scout year with meetings 9/13 & 14 for both the girls and their parents.

Stay tuned for details and how you can help support Girl Scouts in the 2023-24 year!

"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

August: \$68.40

Total to date: \$570.14

***** NEWS FLASH *****

ONLINE CODE FOR DELIVERY ORDERS!

**Enter HUTGIVES in the coupon field
(instruction in attached flyer)**

Next Date: Thursday September 21

THANK YOU PIZZA HUT FREDERICKSBURG!



Taco bout a reason for YUM!

Sell a cookbook, give a gift!

\$25 EACH

Cookbook Chair Bonnie Baseke
is ready to fill your order.

830.889.1968

"Tacos are like a warm hug for your taste buds."

Unknown

Club Corner

Coming Up...



September Birthdays!

- Frankie Hohenberger – 2nd
- Mary Wills – 10th
- Parlet Kunz – 16th
- Lisa Roebuck – 18th
- Janice Fox – 23rd
- Tammy Jo Blackwell – 26th

SEPTEMBER ZONTA MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Friend-Raising!

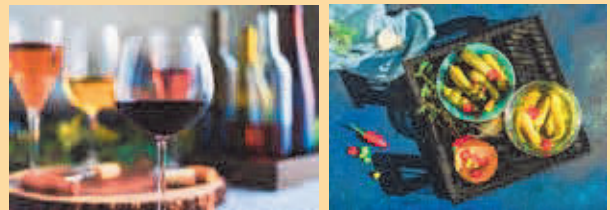
Hosted at

THE ALEGRIA RANCH

15475 S. State Hwy 16
Estela Avery residence

Contact event chair Gloria Winn with any questions:
830.685.3397

THANK YOU, ESTELA AVERY, FOR MAKING YOUR BEAUTIFUL RANCH AVAILABLE TO OUR CLUB FOR THIS SPECIAL ZCF SOCIAL GATHERING!



Members –

Have you told invited friends and family
just how spectacularly FABULOUS
this event will be?

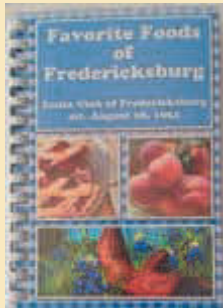
Board Bulletin

The Board met September 5 to discuss a variety of topics, including upcoming conferences and events, the Friend-Raising, and the ZCF Foundation resubmission. Some highlights include:

October 28 ZCF Booth at the Food & Wine Festival

Let Ginger Mitchell know what shifts you can work to help sell our cookbooks!

281.732.9692



IT WAS UNANIMOUS!

ZCF voted YES to host the D10 Governor’s Summit in October 2024. This will likely be announced at the D10 Conference in Houston next month.

The board needs your help to start planning now!

*Is this your opportunity to serve on committee? Perhaps act as the chair??? WE NEED YOU!
Let Liz know if you’re interested!*

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL STRATEGIES TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN (ZISVAW)

NOTICE: We need all hands on deck for service and advocacy plans within the city during the

Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women

November 25th thru December 10th

We will firm up plans at the October Membership Meeting

Send Lisamarie your fun and clever ideas! 214.334.0194



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.



“We ask justice, we ask equality, we ask that all the civil and political rights that belong to citizens of the United States, be guaranteed to us and our daughters forever.”

Susan B. Anthony

Calendar of Events and Special Dates

September - National Honey Month		October - Breast Cancer Awareness Month	
4 th	Labor Day	2 nd	Board Meeting 5:30 p.m. Western Edge
5 th	Board Meeting 5:30 p.m. Western Edge	2 nd	International Day of Non-Violence
18 th	ZCF General Membership Meeting – Friend-raising at the Alegria Ranch!	5 th	World Teachers Day
21 st	International Day of Peace	11 th	International Day of the Girl
23 rd	International Day of Sign Language	16 th	ZCF General Membership Meeting – Food & Wine at The Golden Hub

💰💰💰 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. Thanks to all who have done so: We've collected enough to earn a \$134 credit!

Hostesses Scheduled for Upcoming Monthly Meetings

Sep 18 – Alegria Ranch Friend-raising	Oct 16 – Golden Hub Food & Wine	Nov 20 – Golden Hub Zonta Says NO to Violence	Dec 18 – TBD Holiday Party
Parlet Kunz**	Frankie Hohenberger**	Lisamarie Williams	OPEN
Estela Avery	Marti Barth	OPEN	OPEN
Janice Fox	Bonnie Baseke	OPEN	OPEN
JoAnn Krauskoff	Gloria Winn	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.



There are two easy ways for your fundraiser order to count!

If ordering online/app, go to your cart and enter code **HUTGIVES in the coupon field. A .01 discount will indicate your ticket is accounted for. If placing our order in-store, show your printed or digital flyer to the Pizza Hut Team Member serving you.**

Valid on scheduled fundraiser date from open to close. \$15 min sub-total purchase required. Distribution of flyers at Pizza Hut is prohibited.

Zonta International 72nd District 10 Conference

October 19-21, 2023



Name: _____ Nickname if preferred _____

Zonta Club of: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Best contact: Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please sign to acknowledge this liability clause ("Zonta is not liable for any personal loss, damages, or illness you may incur from attendance at this Conference"): _____

Please list your Club or District Office Title: _____

Check all as appropriate: Club Officer/Title _____

Member _____ Delegate _____ Proxy _____ First Timer _____ District Officer/Chair _____

Past Governor _____ International Officer _____ Past International Officer/Chair _____ Guest _____

Club Presidents please check if you (or designated rep) will attend: President's Breakfast ___ Banquet ___

FOOD ALLERGY or DIETARY RESTRICTIONS: Please **circle** if you need **dairy free, gluten free, or vegetarian**

Choose one for Saturday lunch: Crab Salad Remoulade _____ Tuscan Chicken Salad _____

Choose one for your Banquet entrée: Pecan Crusted Chicken _____ Fish (Tilapia) _____

REGISTRATION FEES:

Early Bird:	Members (check/cash)	\$250.00 X _____	= \$ _____
(By 9/28/2023)	Members (card or Venmo)	\$260.00 X _____	= \$ _____
	Guests	\$185.00 X _____	= \$ _____

Regular:	Members (check/cash)	\$300.00 X _____	= \$ _____
(After 9/28/2023)	Members (card or Venmo)	\$310.00 X _____	= \$ _____
	Guests	\$185.00 X _____	= \$ _____

One Day Registration \$185.00 (check/cash) X FRIDAY _____ or SATURDAY _____ = \$ _____

One Day Registration \$195.00 (card of Venmo) X FRIDAY _____ or SATURDAY _____ = \$ _____

Banquet Guest (Chicken _____ or Fish _____) \$50.00 X _____ = \$ _____

Friday Night Host Club Event \$40.00 X _____ = \$ _____

Total due \$ _____

EARLY BIRD: Registration must be **postmarked or emailed to address below by September 28, 2023.** Cancellations must be received **by October 5, 2023** for a full refund. Afterwards, refunds will be based on costs incurred.

Make check payable to: **Zonta Club of Houston**

Mail to: Zonta Conference, c/o Kayleen Kill, 12410 Shadow Island Drive, Houston, TX 77082

Or Venmo: @zontahouston **Or credit card:** ___ MasterCard ___ Visa ___ American Express ___ Discover

Name on Card _____ Expiration Date _____ Billing Zip _____

Credit Card # _____ 3 Digit Security Code (on back of card) _____

For questions or to send registration form, contact **Kayleen Kill, kayleenkill@att.net** or **713-851-7349**

Conference registration will only be confirmed by email.