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Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy.

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Grab your pom poms and repeat ... "Zonta, Zonta, that's our SHOUT! Cheering on women, What's we're ABOUT!"

Dear Zonta Sisters,

These next 60 days are PACKED with opportunities to pick up the ball and run to the end zone! It is indeed an exciting time to be a Zonta Club of Fredericksburg member. Remember, OUR hard work and dedication toward advocacy and service projects requires everyone on the field of play in order to capture a winning game. Don't drop the ball or fumble around! Read and learn the plays the coaches (committee chairs) have devised and go for the touchdown winning pass in generating our needed team (club) funds. During this fall season of play our fund raising and other advocacy activities such as Zonta Says No to Violence Against Women, the Veteran's Day Parade, etc. are packed with many team members playing both offense and defense positions. Don't be caught sitting in the locker room wondering where everyone is; put on those pads and a helmet and hit the field running! EVERY TEAM MEMBER COUNTS! GO ZONTA GO!!!

Yours in Zonta, Frankie Hohenberger, President ZCF

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CALL TO SUMMIT

Dear District 10 Zontians,

Are you ready to "Zelebrate 100 years of Empowering Women?" Zonta Club of Johnson County, our host club of the 2nd Governor's Summit, and I are!

Get ready to meet our AE Fellows. Learn about ZI Biennium projects.

Share our clubs' support of our ZI Foundation. Find out how and why we need to support the ZI project to end child marriage.

Become informed about the CSW (Commission on the Satus of Women) and Zonta's relationship with the United Nations.

Hear about our amazing scholarship/award recipients.

Learn about exciting PR&C plans and the new leadership development initiative.

Be able to support our "Dollars for Scholars" in our silent auction.

Support our district clubs with those always "cool" Zonta purchases.

Get with our Centennial Anniversary!

It's going to be a good time, I can't wait to see you there!

Yours in Zonta, Sheryl Flanagin Zonta D10 Governor "Honor and Empower"

ZONTA CLUB OF FREDERICKSBURG GOES TO SUMMIT

Later next week, 8 ZCF members will travel to Cleburne, Texas, to represent the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg for the 2nd annual Zonta International, District 10, Governor's Summit on October 20th. Keep these ladies in your prayers for a safe road trip and happy outcome at the event.

Frankie, Bonnie, Lisamarie, Melinda, Marti, Karen, and Sharon.

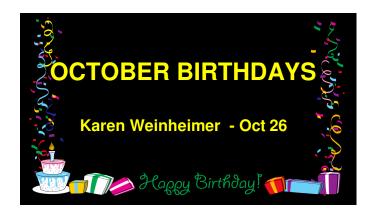
OCTOBER MEETING MONDAY, OCT 15TH 6:30PM

OUR HOSTESSES
Keri Salinas, Lorin Buchhorn,
Pam Nabers, and Tammy Jo Boettcher

at the Golden Hub Senior Center 510 Lincoln Street Fredericksburg, TX 75093

RSVP to Lorin by FRIDAY, Oct 12th text or call: 512-788-6396 l.buchhorn@hotmail.com

Our program for the evening will be Kelly DiCuffa, speaking about the FISD news and trends.



2018-19 HOSTESS LIST

11/19/18 - Liz Wunderlich, Melinda Birck, Carmen Gil de Rubio, Nancy Fitzpatrick

12/17/18 - Marti Barth, Liz Wunderlich, Ginger Mitchell, Sharon Wahrmund, Jerri Striegler & Frankie Hohenberger

01/21/19 – Lynne Robinson, Vicki Taylor, and Sharlene Trumet (need one more)

02/18/19 – Bonnie Baseke, Brenda Lessor and Melinda Birck (need one more)

Be Ready For March Membership Dinner

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NEEDED PRAYERS AND UPDATES

To any and **all of our members** who need "thinking of you and hoping you are better" wishes as well as:

JoAnn Krauskopf – She fell ill this past week or so and ended up in the emergency room with a fever of which they were unable to determine the reason. She became unresponsive and then was been moved to San Antonio University Hospital to be observed. Please pray for recovery and diagnosis for JoAnn. Also, please continue prayers for her son so that he may continue to gain strength.

Barbara Scherer - She is in need of all of our prayers. She is on a biologic treatment but has her faith in God's hands and will allow him to do his work. He makes miracles happen everyday.

Sharon Wahrmund – had an emergency room visit this past couple of weeks with a skin infection. Antibiotics were needed with diagnosis from many disciplines. Infection has receded for now so keep her in your thoughts.

Randall Wunderlich – is happy he is at home but in need of prayers for he needs constant care. Thanks to Renee Pearson for stepping in to help him and Liz during this trying time.

Karleen Carlisle - please continue prayers for her and her son.





OUR TRASH TO TREASURE SALE IS SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 26TH & 27TH

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE THE ENTIRE WEEK OF OCTOBER 22ND BLOCKED ON YOUR CALENDAR TO HELP WITH THE SET UP, SELLING AND CLEAN UP OF THE T&T SALE. IT WILL BE HELD AT THE GIRL SCOUT CABIN SO WE SHOULD HAVE A PRETTY GOOD CUSTOMER TURNOUT. START GATHERING DONATIONS NOW. DROPOFFS CAN BE MADE AT ANY TIME DURING THAT WEEK.

THANKS TO CINDY, MELINDA, JERRI AND BONNIE FOR BEING CO-CHAIRS. CONTACT THEM FOR MORE INFO.

Calling all closets and storage units for goodies to be donated. Please ask friends and neighbors if they have items to donate. This is a great time to purge storage areas of excess "stuff" before the holidays. Many locals are actually anxious and look forward to donating toward our fund raising effort. There will be a sign up sheet for the work schedule at Monday's meeting. Be there to show support for this TEAM!



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KEY NOTES FROM COMMITTEES

VETERAN'S DAY PARADE

Celebrate peace around the world this November 11, 2018, on the 100th anniversary of Armistice Day, the end of World War 1, by attending & participating in Fredericksburg's Day of Veteran Celebration. The event will kick off the day with the ringing of the church bells for 1 minute, at 11:00 am, followed by a wreath laving ceremony at the War Memorial Monument. At 1:45 pm there will be a Military Aircraft Fly-over. The 2 pm Veteran's Day Parade is one that is sure to make history. Plans are going great toward the designing, creating, and building of our Zonta Club of Fredericksburg's float for this Veteran's Day celebration. What a wonderful privilege for our club to sponsor the parade float that will carry and honor the women veterans from our county. Hats off to all that are working hard on this project. Following the parade, there will be a 3:30pm WWI era music presentation at Marketplaz. Be there or be square!



Highlighting Our Advocacies, Service Projects and Fundraisers

Bylaws - This committee is responsible for the Standing Rules and the Bylaws. To keep the Club's bylaws in line with Zonta International, and to review and revise them every two years after the International Convention. Amelia Earhart - Every January Zonta International and the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg honor Amelia Earhart on January 11th, this is known as Amelia Earhart Day. She was a member of the Zonta Club of New York when her plane went down. A Fellowship was established at the next International Convention in 1938. Today 35. \$10,000.00 Fellowships are given every year. The program in January is dedicated to honoring her. In the past we have had the privilege of one or two of the Amelia Earhart Fellow attending the January Meeting to explain what they are working on. This committee is responsible for presenting this program and if there is an AE Fellow at UT or Texas A&M, inviting them to the meeting. We have helped with travel expenses. **Membership** – This committee is vital for the future of the club and for the growth of Zonta International. Define short and long-term goals in keeping with the current ZI strategic plan and International Membership Committee recommendations. Develop a plan for retaining current members and recruiting new members and design activities that will help identify new members. Identify a mentor for each new member and on-going communication for all.

Zonta Says No to Violence Against Women

and the

16 Days of Activism Nov 25 through Dec 10th

Thanks to Renee Pearson, she has everything lined up for our club's banner to go up on Highway 16 near the highschool before November 25th. Her committee will meet post Governor's Summit to finalize plans for addressing our important activities.



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Zonta Really Cooks

For a 2019 fundraiser we are going to publish a cookbook with recipes contributed from all members in the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg. We will also have a few recipes from the ."original" Zonta Cookbook too! Now is the time to decide on which recipes YOU will be submitting.

Send Lisamarie your 4 or 5 family favorites and/or include a photo with good resolution if you can! Maybe yours will be chosen to be included.

Submissions can be a photo of a handwritten recipe, a WORDdoc., a paper copy etc, either way get your recipes to her starting now!

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Adopt-A-Family

Liz Wunderlich, committee chair, reports that we will sponsor 3 families of 4 for the Christmas holiday season. Yes, it IS still early, but we all know that the season will get very busy and it is good to know we are on board for that most important service project. We are still in the planning process to work with the Girl Scouts for wrapping of the gifts and delivery before the designated date. Service AND service!



RAFFLE TICKET SALES

Time to get revved up for our big fundraiser of the year!!! We are selling raffle tickets and the prizes are \$500 VISA gift cards.

1st prize - \$1500 2nd prize - \$1000 3rd prize - \$500

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Several members braved the misty morning and damp day on Sunday, October 7th, at Chase Bank, corner of Highway 16 and Main, to share the story of Zonta and hopefully sell raffle tickets to Oktoberfest visitors. Thank you to Bonnie Baseke for putting together the table paraphernalia for the raffle ticket sale table. Thank you to Ginger Mitchell and Liz Wunderlich for providing the coffee, cookies, and bottled water that was offered to potential ticket buyers. Sales were slow, but we are not discouraged! Nancy Fitzpatrick, Ways and Means Committee Chair, has secured permission from Lochte's Feed and General Store and Biedermann's Ace Hardware for ZCF members to set up our raffle sales table at their place of business. (Tractor Supply has changed their policy to only allow Boy/Girl Scout and FFA/4H entities for onsite fundraising.) Each of the people granting permission just requested that we let them know we are there. Nancy reports that we do not need to set up a strict calendar for sales: members can sell at will at these locations. We can share our planned times among ourselves through an email blast to members AND by sending the information to our club Face Book coordinator, Brenda Lessor. Brenda can post a FB notice of where and who is selling on a particular day. Also, our club has the Chase corner reserved for October 27th; a sign up sheet will be available at the meeting on Monday.

(Also the same day as the second day of our T&T ... sorry but these two dates were the ONLY dates open when Nancy checked months ago with Chase Bank).

SPOTLIGHT ON OUR ZONTA MEMBERS

Vicki Taylor

Birthday: August 17th

Favorite Gem: Opals
Favorite Places to Eat:

Hilltop Café, Sozial Haus, and Pecan Grove **Places to Shop:** Tractor Supply and Gibsons

(remember, I'm retired!)

Dessert, Candy & Snacks: Anything Chocolate

and Tortillla Chips and Salsa!

Hobbies & Collectibles: Reading books,

Gardening and Golf

In my garden I love: to dig in the dirt and watch the butterflies and hummingbirds flit around. If I had 3 wishes: 1 – I wish I couls see my parents again; 2 – I would want to wake up 20 years younger and; 3 – 30 pounds lighter! (wouldn't we all?).

I would NEVER: Eat a cucumber!!!! (What?) I'm happiest when: I am sitting pretty on my

porch with all my dogs and cats..

If I could meet anyone in the world from

these categories it'd be: Actor/Actress: Bob Hope

Musician: Elvis

Professional Athlete: Colt McCoy **Fictional Character:** Nancy Drew









Nancy Fitzpatrick

Birthday: February 27th
Favorite Gem: Emeralds
Favorite Places to Eat:
Any decent Mexican Restaurant

Places to Shop: Always Amazon but love doing

Fredericksburg Main Street too

Dessert, Candy & Snacks: anything made with

or containing CARAMEL!!!

Hobbies & Collectibles: Flying high, restoring aircraft, sewing and home improvement activities. In my garden I love: all of our wonderful sweet, sweet corn we grow and harvest each year. If I had 3 wishes: 1 - I want the world to honor civility so we can learn from each other in a productive manner; 2 – a cure for devastating diseases like ALS, Cancer, etc. and 3 – wishing good health, happiness and success to those who work hard for it.

I would NEVER: jump out of a perfectly good airplane!

I'm happiest when: I am with my family or flying solo on a perfect weather day.

If I could meet anyone in the world from these categories it'd be:

Actor/Actress: mot impressed

Musician: any classic composer (Beethoven,

Mozart, Bach, etc.)

Professional Athlete: even less impressed **Fictional Character:** None – I am a realist!









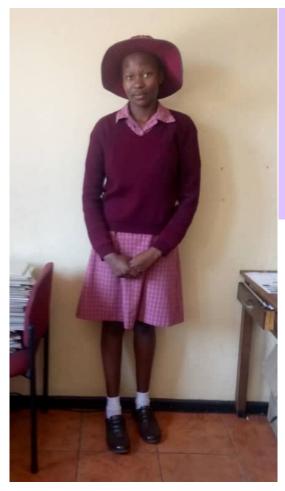




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ZONTA CLUB OF FREDERICKSBURG GIVES TUITION ASSISTANCE TO AN AFRICAN STUDENT



Meet Annamercy Medicare from Zimbabwe. She is 16 and is the last born child in a family of 6. Her father passed in 2013 from colon cancer and her mother is not employed. She has two brothers and three sisters all who went to state run "basic education" schools, dropping out and getting married at an early age. Zonta Club's payment of \$260 gives Annamercy 1 year of schooling at a private school where Netsai Ndambakuwa is a teacher. Netsai is the mother of Tina and Hope—both girls were sponsored by Z-Club and Zonta. Tina is now attending Cottey College in Nevada, Missouri and Zonta collected clother for her when she arrived in the USA to go to college. Hope will graduate this year and it is anticipated that she will come to Cottey College.

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Club of Fredericksburg

ANNUAL FALL

Trash & Treasures & Z Boutique Sale

Donations of good, new or used items will be greatly appreciated

Friday, October 26, 2018
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, October 27, 2018 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Proceeds from this sale will provide scholarship funds for local girls and women.

Girl Scout Cabin 202 West Austin Fredericksburg, Texas

For more information call 830-456-1500, 830 -889-1968 or 210-317-0740



My super power is holding onto junk for years and throwing it away a week before I need it.

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Zonta Club of Fredericksburg has it going on!

Next week our regular monthly meeting, on October 15th, will touch on the observance of the United Nations Day, which is October 24th. Our program for the evening will be Kelly DiCuffa, speaking about the FISD news and trends. Did you know we have members mentoring at the Fredericksburg Middle and High Schools? We also have several members volunteering to read at the Primary School under the OTTER Program (one of our Service projects). Thank you to these members who give of their time toward promoting valuable life skills and education for young girls in our community.

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CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES



OCTOBER - BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

October 15th - General Membership Meeting 6:30pm October 18th - Chocolate Cupcake Day October 20th - Governor's Summit in Cleburne, TX at the Cleburne Conference Center October 24th - United Nations Day

October 27th - Trash to Treasure Sale at the Girl Scout Cabin October 31st - Halloween



NOVEMBER - NATIONAL HEALTHY SKIN MONTH

November 4th - Daylight Savings Time - Fall Back 1 hour November 5th - Zonta Board Meeting 5:30pm November 11th - Veteran's Day - Festivities 11am - Parade 2pm November 15th - Great American Smoke Out Day - JUST QUIT! November 19th - General Membership Meeting 6:30pm November 22nd - Thanksgiving

November 25th – International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women Runs through December 10th





DECEMBER - AIDS AWARENESS MONTH

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