

Zonta Club of Fort Worth

Zonta News

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Zonta International is a global organization of executives and professional working together to advance the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy.

www.zonta.org

~ President's Letter ~

Zonta Club of Ft Worth, We had a great meeting in February with 14 attending. We enjoyed the speaker, Ms. Barbara Yoder our Area Director who is from Cleburne, Texas. Barbara brings to us a great deal of passion and knowledge about Zonta International, the UN and projects worldwide to help end violence against women.

I am very thankful for our members and the growing opportunity we have to share our significant passion through service and advocacy. I look forward to being with you at the upcoming meeting on March 7th for an evening of fun, sharing and planning. The agenda is dedicated to identifying service projects that will fund our club activities, scholarships and donations. Our members are the key to our success and your input and ideas are encouraged.

The meeting will be held at the Historical Texas & Pacific Lofts in Downtown Fort Worth~ T & P Owners Lounge ~ 221 W. Lancaster Ave. ~ Ft Worth~ located at the corner of W. Lancaster Ave. and Houston Street. Enter the building at the front revolving doors-directly into the building lobby and owners lounge.

Dinner is on each of us so bring your brown bag meal to the meeting. Drinks and dessert will be provided. As discussed at the January and February meeting(s) the \$25 from each of us will be dedicated to funding last year's commitments.

Plans are well underway for many exciting events and opportunities so please keep your calendar updated so you won't miss out.

Together, we are a great team and I thank you for all you have done and continue to do.

Sincerely,
Vicki Saylor-Probes

Upcoming Zonta Events



Monthly Meeting

Where: T & P Bldg. on Lancaster

When: March 7, 2013

Time: 6:00 p.m.

RSVP: Cindy Stringer 817-235-7767
stringer.cindy@yahoo.com



Area 1 Meeting – Dallas May 4, 2013



District 10 Conference: South Padre Island, TX October 17-20, 2013



Inter- District Meeting - Niagara Fall, ON Canada
June 14-16, 2013



Zonta International Convention June 27 to July 1, 2014



THE ZONTA CLUB OF FORT WORTH
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND
OUR AWARD BANQUET HONORING

Mayor Betsy Price

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Professional Woman of the
Year

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2013

Colonial Country Club
3735 COUNTRY CLUB CIRCLE
FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76109



Reception & Cash Bar 6:30
Dinner 7:00
Cost: \$60.00 per person

Different date & location for the March Meeting Only

We will meet at the T & P Bldg. on Lancaster. We will work on ideals for Fundraising. Everyone is to bring sack lunch and donate their \$25 dinner fee to the General Fund. Drinks & dessert will be furnished. We will also be voting on changes to the By-Law's and Board of Director Nominations.

We're moving
Our regular Club meeting
Back to
Colonial Country Club
Starting may meeting

Scholarships

Zonta Club of Fort Worth offers three scholarships yearly. The winner of the club scholarship will have their application submitted to the District level. If they win the District level they will have their application submitted to the International level if there is one (The Rose Scholarship only goes to District level).

Please submit your application for the Zonta Club of Fort Worth to Paulette Burns, Scholarship Committee Chair. The committee would prefer the applications be submitted by email to p.burns@tcu.edu. If you have any questions or need help please contact me.

Paulette Burns
Zonta Fort Worth Scholarship Committee Chair
3129 Wabash
Fort Worth, TX 76109
817-675-0727 (cell)

YOUNG WOMEN IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS (YWPA) AWARD

Description: The Young Women in Public Affairs Award honors young women in secondary level or pre-university schools, ages 16 to 19, who demonstrate a commitment to leadership in public policy, government and volunteer organizations. The program operates at the Zonta club, district and international levels. The club winner's application will be submitted for District level scholarship, if they are selected as the District winner they will be submitted by the District for the International level scholarship.

Club level: \$1,000.00 from Zonta Club of Fort Worth
District level: \$1,000.00 from Zonta International
International level: \$4,000 each for 10 winners from Zonta International

Due Date for Zonta Club of Fort Worth: March 1, 2013

Application: <http://www.zonta.org/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=7ch8yZKwrjk%3d&tabid=98>

JANE M. KLAUSMAN WOMEN IN BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP

Description: The Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Scholarship is awarded annually to women pursuing undergraduate or Master's degrees in business management. The program operates at the Zonta club, district and international levels. The Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Scholarships are awarded annually and may be used for tuition, books or living expenses at any university, college or institution offering accredited business courses and degrees. The club winner's application will be submitted for District level scholarship, if they are selected as the District winner they will be submitted by the District for the International level scholarship.

Club level: \$1,000.00 from Zonta Club of Fort Worth
District level: \$2,000.00 from District 10 & Zonta International
International level: \$7,000 each for 12 recipients from Zonta International

Due Date for Zonta Club of Fort Worth: April 15, 2013

Application: [ZI Jane M Klausman Scholarship Application will be available after Jan. 1, 2013 at www.zonta.org](http://www.zonta.org)



Birthdays in

March

March 27th

Pam Cleary

Zonta Club of Parker County Casino Night

Friday, March 22, 2013

6:30pm – 9:30p.m.

Wild Mushroom in Weatherford

\$50 in Advance \$60 at the Door

www.zontaparkercounty.org

New Member



Sarah Crouch (left) Vicki Saylor-Probes, President (right)

Welcome our new member
Sarah Crouch

Installed at the February meeting.

Be a Zonta Zinger

Help Fight Violence Against Women



Join us for the 5K Walk on Saturday,
April 13, 2013. (If you are unable to walk
or attend you can also donate cash.)
Connie will have registration forms at the
March meeting.



Zonta Club of Fort Worth is a member of the Fort Worth Chamber. Every member of the club has access to any Chamber Event. Each member will have to register with the Chamber through Zonta Club and get a member ID in order to attend the events. Contact Connie Stierstorfer for more information about obtaining a member ID. You can go to their website www.fortworthchamber.com to get more information on them and their events. We have listed a few events for March.

March 5th – Mayor’s State of the City Address
Fort Worth Convention Center-Grand Ballroom
Starts at 11:30am Cost: \$75.00

March 7th – Membership 101-Orientation
Ridglea Country Club – Garden Room
3:30pm to 5:00pm No cost
This is a networking event and a good way to tell people about Zonta

March 12th – Business After Hours
Mira Vista Country Club 5:30pm to 7:30pm
Cost: \$10.00
This is a networking event and a good way to tell people about Zonta

March 21st - Women Influencing Business Luncheon
Location to be determined – Starts at 11:30am
Cost: \$40.00

Zonta Club of Stephenville's



's **AUCTION**

Saturday, March 2nd

6:00p.m.

Stephenville Parks & Recreation Center
378 W. Long Street, Stephenville, TX

Contact Connie Stierstorfer for more information



(L to R) Paulette Burns, Cindy Stringer, Lynn Sudbury, Renee' Moody and Vicki Saylor-Probes. (Connie Stierstorfer-photographer)

The Zonta Board hard at work at a 3 hour working board meeting on February 9th.

Thoughts and Prayers



Charlene Peterson
Recovering from Surgery

SAVE THE DATE for Area 1 Meeting



Zonta The Key to Leadership

Area 1 meeting on May 4, 2013

9a.m. to 5 p.m.

Addison Marriott Quorum, by the Galleria

14901 Dallas Parkway, 75254

Wonderfully hosted by:

The Zonta Club of Dallas

Come for the day or stay for the weekend.

Special room rate \$95 double

News from International

March 8th

International Women's Day/Zonta Rose Day

International Women's Day is celebrated annually on March 8 to celebrate women's achievements throughout history and across nations. It is also known as the United Nations (UN) Day for Women's Rights and International Peace.



Zonta Rose Day

The Zonta Rose is much more than a lovely flower. Since 1999, it has served as the symbol of Zonta Rose Day. On this special Day, Zontians worldwide are encouraged to publicly distribute yellow roses, or items bearing the image of yellow roses, accompanied by information about Zonta International and issues relating to improving the lives of women.