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From the Desk of Governor Jane

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Dear District 11 Zontians,

Our 63rd Annual District 11 Conference in Sanibel is rapidly approaching! The theme, “Zonta: Saving the World, One Woman at a Time”, developed by the Sanibel/Captiva Club, is based on the well-known story of a little girl carefully rescuing stranded starfish one by one from thousands on the beach. Speakers and sessions will focus on District business, gaining new information, sharing ideas for club and organization success, strengthening Zonta commitment, renewing friendships and gaining new Zonta friends.




During these two days of conference we will hear from inspiring speakers on the legal issues surrounding Human Trafficking; examine the value of partnering as we strive to develop and implement effective projects; understand the value of involving “at risk girls” in service through Z Clubs, understand the use of social net working as it impacts membership and our communication; and explore successful fundraising and service projects implemented by Clubs within our District. Additionally we will engage in conducting the business of the District, including election of District officers and approving the 2012-2014 budget. Further, we will celebrate our mission successes at our Awards Banquet, hear from our ZI Representative and Zonta International President and learn a little more about the July 2012 Zonta International Convention in Torino, Italy. We will also develop an understanding of local mollusks and shells, their natural history and cultural impact.

I look forward to seeing many of you on the sanctuary island of Sanibel. Join in the fun and relax at the picturesque, family friendly Sundial Beach and Golf Resort, located directly on the Gulf. Enjoy the island specific activities and restaurants. For those of you who are unable to attend, be sure to have your delegate give a full report on the conference, describing decisions made, ideas gained and the fun activities.

See you there!!!

Jane

Jane A. Adams
Governor, District 11



SAVE THE DATE!

63rd Annual District 11 Conference

September 22rd and 24th, 2011

Sundial Beach & Golf Resort Sanibel, Florida

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Remember to visit us frequently on the web at www.zonta-district11.org

63rd Annual District 11 Conference
September 22nd – 24th, 2011
at the Sundial Beach & Golf Resort
Sanibel, Florida



District 11 Conference

Features for the District 11 Conference:

- ALL forms will be completed online.
- Thursday evening;
 - ~ Attend the Governor's Forum and ask your questions.
 - ~ First Timers are encouraged to attend the orientation and information session.
 - ~ Delegate meeting and information session. All Delegates are required to attend.
 - ~ Join in the fellowship event to see old friends and making new ones! It is recommended that everyone should attend.
 - ~ Special evening at Doc Ford's with food and entertainment for only \$43.00 includes transportation. Make sure to complete the Thursday special registration form.
- Delegates will be voting for our District 11 Leadership for 2012-2014
- All-inclusive early conference registration is \$260.00 by the deadline of August 29th. Thursday Doc Ford's is an extra.
- Conference Hotel Sundial Beach & Golf Resort with special room rates. (Check the five different room type on the D11 website www.zonta-district11.org)
Reserve your room by August 29, 2011 for the Zonta discount rates
 - ~ Island Residence and Coastal Residence sleeps 2 at \$119.00 per night + 11% tax.
 - ~ Two-Bedroom coastal Residences, Two-Bedroom Grande Gulf View Residences, and Two-Bedroom Grande Coastal Residences sleeps a minimum of 3 at \$189.00 per night + 11% tax.
- **The Sundial Beach & Golf Resort is a cashless hotel so everything will be charged to your room.**
- Do you need a roommate or have extra room to share? Contact hotelrooms@zonta-district11.org and let us know.
- Club Presidents or President's designee **MUST** complete online the forms for: Memorial Service, Parade of Presidents, Club raffle donation, Delegates, Alternates, or Proxy request, and if appropriate Length of Membership.
- And much, much more.....

61st Zonta International Convention
 7 – 12 July 2012 • Torino, Italy



Make plans now to join your fellow Zontians in Torino, Italy—a city rich in history, culture and natural beauty. The 2012 Convention Committee is planning what promises to be a truly memorable experience for all who attend and look forward to welcoming you to Torino in 2012!

Visit www.zonta.org for additional information and details as plans develop.




We're on the web at www.zonta-district11.org

2012—2014 District 11 Candidates

Position	Candidate
Governor	Tamara (Tami) Page
Lieutenant Governor	Karen Pati
Treasurer	Carmen Elias-Levenson
Area 1 Director	Charlene Rains
Vice Area 1 Director	Donna Stewart
Area 2 Director	Melodie Anne Hunnicutt
Vice Area 2 Director	Judy Barnes
Area 3 Director	Cherrylee Pinder
Vice Area 3 Director	Laura Strumpf
Area 4 Director	Pamela Ridley
Vice Area 4 Director	Maureen Quinlan
Area 5 Director	Gloria Rosario
Vice Area 5 Director	Elvira Toro
Area 6 Director	Susan Scribner
Vice Area 6 Director	Linda Robison
Nominating committee	Beverly (Bev) Duff
	Yvette Ingraham
	Paulette Kevlin
	Cherry Temple
	Charlene Thomas
Visit www.zonta-district11.org for more information about the candidates	

Zonta’s Best Kept Secret ~ Public Service Announcement (PSA)

District 11 has created and has the PSA DVD for sell to clubs to be used by your local TV stations and cable stations. They have community service announcement slots which our Zonta clubs can request to have the PSA shown on. We have published the PSA on the home page at www.zonta-district11.org for you to view.

If your club has not purchased a copy go to the “Items for sale” webpage and retrieve the order form in order to buy the DVD.

Leadership and Committee Participation in District 11 for 2012-2014

Dear District 11 Zontians,

It is never too early to seek qualified District 11 Zontians interested in serving at the district level either as elected officers or committee chairmen for the 2012-2014 biennium. For your convenience we have published a link on the District 11 website at www.zonta-district11.org. Go to the website’s the home page and [click here](#) “Interested in serving in a leadership position in District 11 for more information.” There is a District Interest Sign-up sheet and information about each District 11 position.

On February 1, 2011 we officially opened the nomination process by sending information to your Club President and any interested candidates. The Nomination Form and relevant information is published to the District 11 website. You may nominate yourself or someone else.

The Nominating Committee is composed of Mary Gregory (PDG), Mary Cabaniss and Lynn Salvatore (PDG). We can be reached via email at nominating@zonta-district11.org.

For questions on committee positions, Tami Page can be reached via email at ltgovernor@zonta-district11.org.

We are looking forward to hearing from you and having you serve District 11.

Lynn Salvatore
Nominating Committee Chairman
District 11

Tami Page
Lieutenant Governor, OMC Chairman
District11



We’re on the web at www.zonta-district11.org

Zonta Clubs and Zonta Clubs as a Foundation What filings do our Clubs need to do? Alice Chick, District 11 Treasurer

The Zonta year is coming to a close on May 31st and all U.S. Clubs that are not foundations must either report their information to Zonta International (ZI) by August, 2011 if they qualify, file a 990 form with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) before October 15, 2011, or file the 990-N online before October 15, 2011.

How do I determine which one I have to do?

If your clubs revenues are \$50,000 or greater you can either submit your information to ZI headquarters by retrieving the Excel spreadsheet from the ZI website www.zonta.org in the Member Resource section or file directly with the IRS on a 990 form.

If your clubs revenues are less than \$50,000 you are required to file with the IRS the 990-N online each year by October 15th.

After I file what else do I need to do?

If you submit your information to ZI or file the 990 directly with IRS, all you do is to notify the District 11 Treasurer at treasurer@zonta-district11.org to that fact.

If you file the 990-N when you receive your IRS acknowledgement email, it must be emailed to the District 11 Treasurer at treasurer@zonta-district11.org.

What happens if we do not file?

Each Zonta Club in the United States chartered by ZI headquarters is considered to be a civic organization and is exempt from United States federal income taxes under the IRS code IRC 501(c)(4) rules. The IRS will revoke your 501(c)(4) status and ZI will be required and mandated to disband your Club. In order to prevent this from happening to your Club you must file.

If your Club is or has a foundation 501(c)(3) you must still follow the reporting requirements except that you cannot be included in the ZI headquarters filing. You must either file the 990 directly with the IRS or file online the 990-N depending whether the revenue is greater than or less than \$50,000.

“A to Zonta”

Quick Facts—District # 11 of Zonta International

(Revised November 2008)

Did you know? Conference ~ In District 11, a Conference is conducted annually and hosted by a local club. The Governor works closely with the Conference Chair or Co-Chairs to ensure the Conference promotes the objects and programs of ZI. At the Conference, the business of the District is conducted: resolutions and District rules of procedures are considered and voted on, and the District budget is adopted for the following biennium. Elections are conducted on odd-number years. Most importantly, the Conference provides a forum to inform, instruct, and educate District members about ZI, with an emphasis on its role as an international organization.

To find out more about Zonta visit www.zonta-district11.org —> Resource Center —> Resource Main Page to find the District 11 A to Zonta Handbook.

Report on ZI North American Membership Conference held in Reno, NV

By Nola Theiss
Zonta Club of Sanibel/Captiva

Although I was the only member of District 11 at the 5th North American Membership Conference held in Reno, NV in early June, I felt like we were there in spirit as people mentioned the great work District 11 was doing in the area of trafficking, specifically, and in our contributions to ZI. The conference was heavily attended by Mid-Westerners and Westerners and Canadians. In all, 25 states were represented as well as a ZI representative from Italy and the UK. One club from Oregon sent 14 members.

Diane Curtis, ZI President opened the program with a panel of ZI board representatives. She spoke of the biggest risk to Zonta which is an overall decline in membership. The US has had a decline while Europe has had an increase in membership. In 1980 Zonta had 36,000 members, we now have 30,800 members worldwide. She said the two biggest reasons for leaving Zonta were the economy and member conflicts. She said, "We're here to advance the status of women and we're often not nice to each other." She cited a generation gap in the clubs and said we needed to start appreciating each other and advancing the status of women among our own members. Her goal is for each club to increase by 1 member and to recognize members who have brought in 2 or more members at the ZI convention. ZI is working toward celebrating its centennial in 2019 and hopes to dramatically increase membership by then. She also talked about the increasing accessibility of the website. Charity Navigator has increased our rating to 3 stars.

She also promoted the idea of loosening up the requirements for membership to women and men who believe in the mission of Zonta, regardless of professional status at the time of membership.

Kathleen Douglas, a ZI board member from Canada talked about leadership within Districts, saying that it takes a district to raise a governor and we need to promote club, district and international leadership within our clubs. "We want to be the change we want to see". She also said members need to stand behind decisions made by the club and we should avoid "parking lot" dissension, but really discuss our opinions openly and through appropriate channels.

Jacqueline Beaudry, ZI director, development chair for the ZI Foundation gave some fascinating information. **Guess who is the 3rd largest benefactor to UNICEF – Zonta International, beaten only by Avon and Johnson and Johnson!** We are the top NGO benefactor. However, only 75% of the clubs donate to ZI and only 10% of individual members donate to ZI. She said what we are doing with our contributions is giving a voice to those women who have no voice through advocacy and service.

The rest of the conference was divided into 4 tracks of workshops, based on advocacy, leadership, membership and public relations. I attended "Creating a North American Strategy on Zonta Issues", "Strategies for Membership Growth", "Ratifying CEDAW in the US" and "Working for Women's Total Health"

"Creating a North American Strategy on Zonta Issues": From this workshop we made a recommendation to the ZI President that she carry back a North American recommendation that we continue to allow members who have had experience at decision making levels to join Zonta regardless of current status. This would open membership "enthusiastically" to younger members and retired members. Then we broke into 3 sessions and all three put trafficking as one of the top issues they are working on, along with CEDAW and science/tech education for girls. One group suggested that the ZI Legislative Advocacy Committee get the district LA chairs to work on sharing the information they have on how to be effective as advocates within our states so that we can all work together on issues. Jean Bryant from our district is the ZI chair for this. Another group urged the ZI board to make it a policy that while clubs support the international projects through PR and donations, that clubs be allowed to do any local project that is consistent with the ZI mission and the 6 areas of advocacy: economics, youth development, education, health care, violence against women, legal and political equality. (This was a result of a hoopla at the ZI Convention where certain issues were discouraged because they weren't a ZI project anymore – more later on that.)

"Strategies for Membership Growth": More statistics: We lost 24% membership in the past 10 years in the US. 43% of all US clubs have 20 members or less. 24% of all membership is in at risk clubs. It costs less to keep the members we have than to recruit new members so be nice to each other. All service organizations are losing members. They asked for suggestions and I gave them a number of our club's practices: our ZI and ERA moments, our new and seasoned member potluck and middle range potluck. Other clubs had a "Zister" program where all Zontians are paired two by two for the year. They also suggested putting something about ZI in every newsletter lifted from the ZI website.

"Ratifying CEDAW in the US": The US is one of 6 countries who haven't ratified CEDAW along with Somali and Iran to name the big ones. Obama has asked the State Department to push for it, but I don't think there's much of a chance. As the speaker says, "Fear Trumps Truth." However, they suggested that we work to promote the CEDAW issues in partnership with other human rights organizations to accomplish the same goals.

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By Nola Theiss

Zonta Club of Sanibel/Captiva (continued from page 6)

"Working for Women's Total Health". A doctor facilitated this and she listed the five main killers of women: heart disease, stroke, chronic lung disease, lung cancer, breast cancer. In terms of advocacy, she promoted educational events, but she also said we should be trying to make sure that our own members are taking care of themselves and receiving adequate health care.

We also had a fantastic Keynote Speaker: Dr Antonia Neubauer who heads the READ (Rural Education and Development) program which opens library/community centers primarily in India and Nepal which has women centers in each one. She commented that many service groups and charities are good at opening schools and libraries, but not good at making sure they were sustainable. They actually help villagers start businesses whose profits are used to sustain the libraries. She was really inspirational and smart!!

At the banquet, Simone Overt who spoke at one of our District conferences, talked about the Torino convention. She made one want to go just for the cheese!! They raffled off 4 registrations, but I didn't win one!

Highlights:

The food was great and it was wonderful to see lots of people from around the country whom I've met at ZI conventions or through my trafficking work. Great networking opportunities.

Jennifer Massie, a Zontian from the Sarasota Club, is now a member of the Reno Club attended and we got to visit so I didn't feel completely like a solo District 11 person.

President Diane Curtis asked to speak to me privately on Sunday. She said she wanted to commend our club on all our great work and to let us know that there was no problem with any club working on local projects that were not directly connected with the ZI projects as long as they were consistent with the Zonta mission. She also thanked us for our leadership in promoting human trafficking efforts in District 11 which led to so many other clubs and Districts taking it up and for setting an example for other clubs who may have an issue they want to promote on what steps a club can take to spread the word. She thanked us for our generous financial support to ZI.

Regrets:

I forgot to take pictures!!

Recognizing Helena Wood

Helena Wood, a member of the Zonta Club of Greater Palm Beaches, was presented with a Zonta Length of Service Award for her 42 years as a committed Zontian. She has held many offices in her Zonta Career and currently serves as Parliamentarian and mentor to the members of the Zonta Club of Greater Palm Beaches.

Initially a member of the Zonta Club of Lake Worth 1, Helena she has been instrumental in organizing several clubs throughout her years as a Zontian. Over the years, she has been actively involved in many projects, including arranging for free blood pressure screenings for the public, purchasing a kidney dialysis machine for the local JFK Hospital, initiating the first of three air shows at Lantana Airport, and participating in on-going fundraisers for local women's scholarships and support of Graduate Studies for women in fields of aerospace-related science and engineering.

Helena continues to remain active and truly a committed Zontian. We congratulate her on her achievements as a Zontian.



Remembering Honey Gardiner

Laura Carlton

President, Zonta Club of Naples



Honey, selling Zonta goods for Area 6
Zonta International Convention
San Antonio Texas, June, 2010

As many of you already know, our fellow Zontian Honey Gardiner passed away on June 14 after a brief and unexpected illness. The Naples club is deeply saddened by her passing, but we feel her presence with us in everything we do and our desire is to carry on in a way that would make her proud. She was a driving force in our club, the glue that held us all together, if you will. She was both mentor and friend to the members of our club and an inspiration in all she did. We have established a "Honey Gardiner Memorial Fund" in her honor and will use the funds for something very close to her heart, the education of women. We will never be the same without her, but we are better for having known her.

I'd like to share the words that Karen Pati, Area 6 Director, offered our area in an email that so eloquently described Honey and her accomplishments:

Honey Gardiner, Zontian extraordinaire from the Naples club has passed away after a very short battle with cancer. To know Honey, was to love Honey. She was the quintessential Zontian: enthusiastic, passionate, action-oriented, strong-willed, and yet a welcoming face and friend to all she served with. Although her passing is very sad, I've been touched by reading the numerous emails from her club members, the district board, and others, extolling her virtues.

Honey seemed 'ever-present' at Area, District and International events, thus many of you may know her, and for those who don't, here is a little history I have the pleasure of providing, as Area 6 director.

- Honey joined the Zonta club of Trenton, NY in 1984 when she was a CPA, specializing in the field of forensic research. it was in the Trenton club where she also first met District 11 Governor, Jane Adams.
- Honey continued her Zonta involvement when she and her husband Dick moved to Naples.
- She has served as the District 11 Jane M. Klausman scholarship committee chair for several years and it was a true passion of hers
- She served as President of the Naples club more than once, but most recently for fiscal 2010/2011, where she was typically the 'first responder' to any request for Area or District material;
- Honey enthusiastically accepted an appointment as District Secretary this biennium
- Recently Honey agreed to run for Area 6 Vice-Director in the next biennium.

Honey was proud of EVERYTHING the Naples club did:

- Moving donations to ZI up to the requested level of 1/3 of funds raised, \$7,700 this most recent year.
- Presenting the 6th annual fashion show, raising \$20,000
- 'Adopting' the Naples and Immokalee Teen Parenting programs, giving each school \$4,000 and in an excerpt from the annual report "possibly the best part of this project, is the selection of five model students from each program, based on their school performance, attitude and attendance records, to be the models at our fund raising fashion show....The school leaders have told us how much this day contributes to their self-esteem ... Members and guests truly enjoy the spirit of giving something back to these girls."
- Aggressively pursuing PR efforts, resulting in appearances on TV, in prominent Naples magazines; and recognition by the American Cancer Society (for the team raising the most money: \$4,200 and 160 hours)
- Hosting the 2011 Intercity dinner, featuring the one-woman show "Daring to Dream" on the life of Amelia Earhart

Remembering Carol Jean Smith
Information obtained from Anne Mitchell and Sarah Lee
October, 12, 1947-March 20, 2011




Carol Jean Smith, a valued and loved member of the Zonta Club of Montgomery, recently received, posthumously, the Maude McLure Kelly Award by the Alabama State Bar. The Maude McLure Kelly Award is an award that celebrates the accomplishments of women lawyers who have excelled in their field and paved the way to success for other women lawyers.

As part of this recognition, the Women' Section of the Alabama State Bar is donating \$250 to Zonta , as well as \$250 to the Janie L. Shores Scholarship Fund in her name.

Carol Jean served the people of the State of Alabama for over three decades, beginning as a law clerk to Justice James Faulkner on the Supreme Court of Alabama, then 30 years as an Assistant Attorney General and culminating in service as Chief of the Opinions Division. For those 30 years she gave wise and calm counsel to a succession of state executive officers, legislators and judges. She was most known professionally, however, for her service to the people of Alabama through her day-to-day sharing of her expertise and wisdom, giving sound counsel to countless local officials and their attorneys. As stated in a resolution of the Alabama Legislature and approved by the Alabama Governor on April 2011, Carol Jean's "illustrious record reflects a lawyer and public servant more comfortable with protecting Alabama's interests than in seeking power or pushing a particular cause. She earned the admiration and respect of all those with whom she was associated during her successful and rewarding career".

Known for her life of achievement service and compassion, Carol Jean brought that same dedication to her service in Zonta. She served in progressive Zonta roles including Club President, Area 1 Director and District Secretary and Parliamentarian. She was known for her leadership style of delegation and follow-up and had a very keen sense of people and their abilities.

Carol Jean will be missed by all, but we celebrate her successes, the tributes to her and the most recent posthumous Maude McLure Kelly Award.



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YWPA District 11 Scholarship Winner Shelly Olkey, Young Women in Public Affairs Chairman

The committee wishes to thank the 15 clubs who participated in the YWPA scholarship program this year.

These young women are all outstanding and making a decision was difficult.

We are pleased to announce our 2011 YWPA winner is Carolina Echeverri submitted by the Zonta Club of the Boca Raton Area.

Carolina's personal goal is to earn a degree in law, and study and work in the field of political science, in particular international diplomacy. She would love to work in the State Department.

She carries a heavy academic schedule of AP, Honors, and dual enrollment (college) courses and manages to maintain an A average. She is a member of the National Honor Society, and won the state competition for the Spanish Club.

At the same time, she has put in over 1000 volunteer hours. She is the LT. Governor of the Key Club. She oversees and plans monthly service projects for over 100 people in 12 high school Key Clubs. These included a field day for people with disabilities, and partnered with Kiwanis, the Special Olympics and Best Buddies Organization. It was a huge success, and is now a new tradition in Broward County. She also volunteers at Children's Harbor, a home for children who have been abused and neglected by their parents. They take them to the zoo, fly kites take them to water parks, and celebrate birthdays.

She is also class Vice President, and as such has organized many fund raising events, for many causes and student activities.

Currently Key Club and Kiwanis is partnered with UNICEF to diminish Maternal and Neonatal Tetanus (MNT) from the planet by 2015.

"Being a leader shows a woman how great they can be and the impact they can make on others."



Jane M. Klausman District 11 Scholarship Winner

Beryl Oduor has been selected as the 2011 District 11 winner of the Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Award. She is currently attending St. Petersburg College, College of Business and will be pursuing her Bachelor's Degree in International Business. Her application was submitted by the Zonta Club of Pinellas County.

The committee was pleased to make this selection based on Beryl's strong academic record, her outstanding achievements and recognitions and her volunteer work and community service.

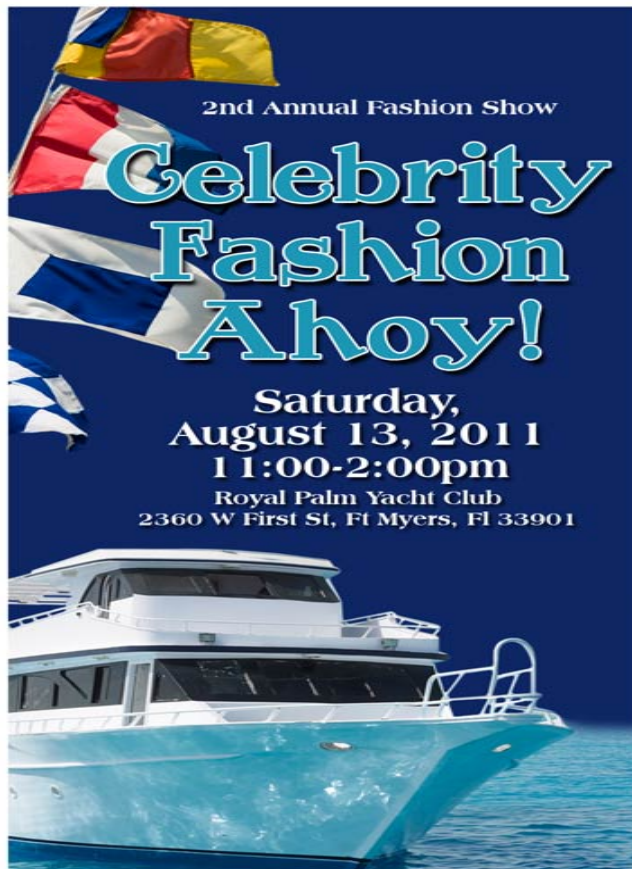
In her essay, Beryl discussed her goals and business philosophy "The core fundamentals of a good and long-lasting business are the rules that govern it. Without the presence or knowledge of the appropriate laws, a business cuts its lifespan in half. As I get deeper in my pursuit of a Bachelor's degree in International Business, I have begun to really enjoy Business Law. Business Law interests me because I have learned a lot about contracts as well as laws that govern these contracts."

She has completed her Associates in Arts degree December, 2010 and expects to graduate with an International Business degree December, 2012.

She has quoted her belief that "Law governs a society and without law, man becomes animal."

Ms. Oduor was selected from 6 candidates submitted by the Zonta Clubs of Atlanta, Boca Raton Area, Memphis, Montgomery, Pinellas County, and Tallahassee. The selection committee included Governor Jane Adams, Lieutenant Governor Tami Page, Treasurer Alice Chick, Jane M. Klausman Committee Chairman Y'Vonne Murray and Service Committee Chairman Linda Robison.

Focusing on Zonta Clubs Fort Myers



Zonta Club of Fort Myers
Cordially Invites
You to Join Us for...

Celebrity Fashion Ahoy!

Experience Fashions
with a vision from
Boutique on Wheels
being modeled by
Local Celebrities

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Guests will enjoy an
entertaining celebrity fashion
show, silent auction, fabulous
foods, and raffle.

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\$50 per person
RSVP Required as Seating is Limited

Register Online at:
[http://zontaftmyersfashion
show.eventbrite.com](http://zontaftmyersfashionshow.eventbrite.com)

239.292.8493

mnagata.ccas@gmail.com

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Proceeds Benefit Our Mother's Home
and The Multicultural Centre of SWFL's



District 11 Club Presidents and PR Committee Chairman

Send us your Club events so they can be posted to the District 11 website and make sure that we get updated information on articles and news clips of the Club events so they can be featured in our section

“Focusing on Zonta Clubs”

Newsletter deadlines for submission:

November 7th ~ 2012 February 6th, May 7th.

Focusing on Zonta Clubs Bonita Springs



Zonta Club of
Bonita Springs, Inc.



ATTENTION LADIES!

Please join us for a fabulous evening to celebrate our club's 17th birthday!

We will be kicking off the evening with a champagne toast, followed by light hor d'oeuvres and a cake celebration.

Don't miss this great opportunity to meet our members and learn how Zonta contributes to the community!


When: Wednesday, August 17th
6pm - 8pm

Where: Spanish Wells Country Club
Bonita Springs

RSVP: By Thursday, August 11th
239.434.5134
ann@golfexpress.org

Focusing on Zonta Clubs

Bonita Springs




**Zonta Club of
Bonita Springs, Inc.**

2011

WHO WILL IT BE?

"Is there an outstanding woman in the community that you would like to nominate?"
-all nominations are due by June 15, 2011



WOMAN OF THE YEAR

PAST RECIPIENTS - 2010: JANE WHEATLEY 2009: ARDEN MCCURDY
2008: CHERRILL CREGAR 2007: FRAN LUESSENHOP
2006: NANCY NEAR 2005: MARJORIE RUBACKY 2004: PATSY GRAHAM
2003: NANCY KEEFER 2002: DIANE LEPOLA 2001: BARBARA DUFRANE
2000: JACKIE MCCURDY 1999: MARIE TRANOVICH 1998: JANE HOGG

Greater Palm Beaches

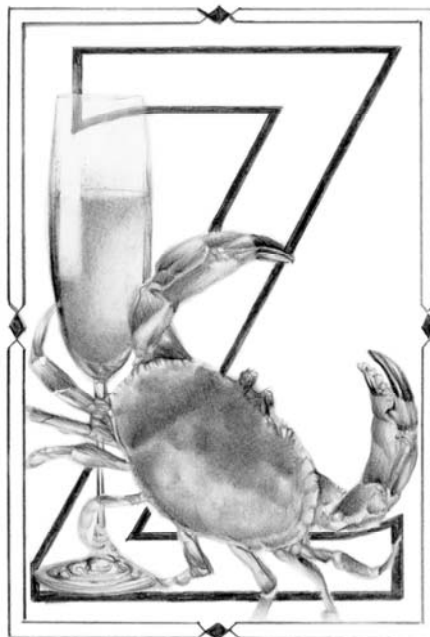
Raising Funds with Fun



There is nothing like a British Tea at
Georgie Randell's

Date: Sunday April 10, 2011
Time: 3:00PM - 6:00PM
Address: 1084 Mulberry Place
 Wellington, FL 33414
RSVP : 561-798-6647
Price \$20.00
Sponsor: Zonta Club of the Greater Palm Beaches

Miami Lakes



*The Zonta Club of Miami Lakes
cordially invites you to the*

Miami Lakes Stone Crab Festival

*Come sip exotic cocktails, savor
exquisite stone crabs and cuisines,
and dance under the stars.*



Saturday, April 9, 2011, at 7:00 p.m.
 16121 Aberdeen Way
 Miami Lakes, Florida

Grand Prize **R.S.V.P.**
 Sabadell United Bank \$500 **March 26, 2011**

Zonta International Headquarters

Mailing Address: 1211 West 22nd Street, Suite 900
Oak Brook, IL 60523

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Fax number: (630) 928-1559

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8:00 am to 4:00 pm Central Time

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 ★ The Zonta Clubs in District 11 have a wealth of ★
 ★ knowledge, our members are very innovative and ★
 ★ creative, as a group we have achieved many ★
 ★ accomplishments, we are making Zonta stronger. ★
 ★ In recognition we are showcasing the club projects. ★
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 ★ Does your club have a project that you think should ★
 ★ be showcased? ★
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 ★ If yes, then have your Club’s President or PR ★
 ★ Committee Chairman submit information on your ★
 ★ project to our Governor at ★
 ★ governor@zonta-district11.org. ★
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 ★ **Newsletter deadlines for submission:** ★
 ★ November 7th, 2012 February 6th, May 7th. ★
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Zonta International District 11

Do not miss out on these items for sale




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Public Service Announcement (PSA)

for Clubs

Visit www.zonta-district11.org
“Items for sale” webpage.



Zonta Calendar 2011

September
23-24 — 63rd District 11 Conference—Sanibel, Florida

2012

July
5-11—61st Zonta International Convention—Tornio, Italy

“THE CRITICAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE
 GENERATION YOU’RE IN IS TO HELP PROVIDE THE
 SHOULDERS, THE DIRECTION AND THE SUPPORT FOR
 THOSE GENERATIONS WHO COME BEHIND.”
 GLORIA DEAN RANDLE SCOTT

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District 11 Committees

Organization, Membership & Classification...	Tami Page, Lt. Governor, Zonta Club of Dothan, Area 1
Service.....	Linda Robison, Zonta Club of Sanibel/Captiva, Area 6
Subcommittee:	
ZISVAW.....	Vladia Jurcova Spencer, Zonta Club of Charleston, Area 2
Amelia Earhart.....	Marilynn Smith, Zonta Club of Atlanta, Area 2
Young Women in Public Affairs.....	Shelly Olkey, Zonta Club of Boca Raton, Area 3
Legislative Awareness & Advocacy.....	Jean Bryant, Zonta Club of Tallahassee, Area 4
Jane M. Klausman.....	Y'Vonne Murray, Zonta Club of Bonita Springs, Area 6
United Nations.....	Connie Grubermann, Zonta Club of Franklin, Area 2
Nominating Chairman.....	Lynn M. Salvatore, Zonta Club of Jacksonville, Area 4
Finance Chairman.....	Carmen Elias-Levenson, Zonta Club of Miami Lakes, Area 3
Public Relations/Communications.....	Patty M. Gift, Zonta Club of Bonita Springs, Area 6
IT/Webmaster.....	Alice Chick, District Treasurer, Zonta Club of Boca Raton, Area 3
Foundation Ambassador.....	Doris Larson, Zonta Club of Melbourne, Area 4
Bylaws.....	Anne Mitchell, District Parliamentarian, Zonta Club of Birmingham, Area 1
Strategic Planning.....	Carolyn Gray, Zonta Club of Sanibel/Captiva, Area 6
District Archivist.....	Michele Buhler, Zonta Club of Ft. Myers, Area 6

CONGRATULATIONS TO CLUBS CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES:

Clubs that have or will celebrated birthdays between June — August 2011 are:



Zonta Club of Mobile, AL	46 Years — August
Zonta Club of San Juan, PR	45 Years — July
Zonta Club of Naples, FL	38 Years — June
Zonta Club of Miami Lakes, FL	27 Years — June
Zonta Club of Sarasota, FL	26 Years — July
Zonta Club of Bonita Springs, FL	17 Years — July
Zonta Club of Tortola, BVI	1 Year — June

Please Alice Chick, our Webmaster, any pictures you may make at celebratory events to be included on the Website.
NOTE: If we have overlooked your club or if we have the charter date for any of these clubs wrong, please let me know.