



OUR MISSION

Founded in Buffalo, New York, in 1919, Zonta International is a global organization of executives and professionals working together to advance the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy.

"Zonta" derives from the Lakota Sioux Indian word meaning honest and trustworthy.

Zonta International seeks to:

- To improve the legal, political, economic, educational, health and professional status of women through service and advocacy
- work for the advancement of understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of executives in business and the professions
- promote justice and universal respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms
- be united internationally to foster high ethical standards, implement service programs, and provide mutual support and fellowship for members who serve their communities, their nations, and the universe.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE ~ December 2013

Dear Zonta Sisters and Guests,

As we prepare to celebrate the upcoming holidays to close the year 2013, I look back in awe at what our club has achieved in 2013.

From a record income through the 10th Glass Slipper Ball to the unveiling of our new website, our volunteers have been very busy bees.


Our December meeting will be a celebration thanks to Debra Dion Krischke who is opening her beautiful home.

Guests are welcome to join us and find out who we are. Please contact Jane Langan at jelangan@hotmail.com if you are interested in joining us on December 11th.

Enjoy the holidays and remember that the Glass Slipper Ball tickets make wonderful presents!

I wish you all a healthy and prosperous 2014!

Catherine Montague
President

*There is a place in each of us that is so beautiful,
angels smile in its presence.* 

It's a

ZONTA CHRISTMAS PARTY!



A Time to Catch our Breath and Be Grateful
for Our Abundance as We Eat, Drink and Network!
Grazing on Yummy Food, Open Bar with
Specialty Cocktails and a Fun Exchange of Small gifts!

Wednesday, December 11th 6 to 9 pm
The home of Debra and Ryan Krischke
251 Westvue Road, Wexford, PA 15090

Donation: \$20 Members | \$30 Guests (checks made payable to Zonta)

Kindly RSVP to Jane Langan at 412.375.7089
or jelangan@hotmail.com

If you'd like to be part of the gift exchange,
please bring a small, wrapped present
under a \$15 value. But no obligation!



MEETINGS & EVENTS 2013 - 2014

December 10, 2013 – Girl's Hope Christmas Celebration

December 11, 2013 - Zonta Member Meeting – Program: Club Christmas Social & Christmas Exchange

December 30, 2013 – ZI Service Recognition Award Nominations Due

January 2, 2014 – Zonta Board Meeting

January 8, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting – Speaker: Kiersten McCort, Financial Advisor

January 11, 2014 – Amelia Earhart Day

January 23, 2014 – “Women's Circle” – Program: What You Should be Eating for Health & Vitality; donations to Benefit Treasure House Fashions (see further details in this newsletter)

February 5, 2014 – Zonta Board Meeting

February 9, 2014 – Glass Slipper Ball Basket Party: 11 am at Beth Zak's home

February 12, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting

February 21, 2014 – Glass Slipper Ball Friday Night Work Session

February 22, 2014 – Glass Slipper Ball

February 23, 2014 – Glass Slipper Ball Pack Up

March 5, 2014 – Zonta Board Meeting

March 8, 2014 – International Women's Day & Zonta Yellow Rose Day

March 12, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting

April 2, 2014 – Zonta Board Meeting

April 9, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting – Program: Service Project Meeting & Intro to Bibhuti Aryai, Rukmini Foundation

April 12, 2014 – Zonta Area 6 Spring Workshop – Sponsor: Three Rivers Pittsburgh North

May 7, 2014 – Zonta Board Meeting

May 14, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting – Program: Awards Night

May 16, 2014 – Cocktails & Cuisine for Women in Crisis

June 4, 2014 – Zonta Transitional Board Meeting

June 5, 2014 – Inspired Women in Business & Life

June 11, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting – Program: Zonta Summer Social

June 27 – July 1, 2014 – ZI International Convention Orlando, Florida

No Zonta Meetings for July or August

PLEASE NOTE:

Check out a new Thrift Shop supporting victims of trafficking located right at the Northway Mall next to the old Borders. They accept clothing, furniture, toys, books, large and small items.

<http://livinginliberty.org/About.html>

WOMEN'S CIRCLE

Talk and Discussion: "What You Should Really Be Eating for Health and Vitality", presented by Joann Spencer, Nutritional Coach and Owner, IMX Pilates

When: Thursday, January 23, 2014

Where: Providence Villa, Gibsonsia

Cost: \$20.00 includes dinner and drinks. \$15.00 if you bring a friend

To register: contact Laura at 412-953-1371 or email her at: laura@lauraroman.com

Please bring a **donation to benefit: Treasure House Fashions**

The Women's Circle was developed by Laura Roman. We meet monthly to learn and discuss topics of interest to women. Every month we choose a charity that spreads love and well-being. The group provides the opportunity to learn, share, and give.

February's Circle: Mindfulness Meditation Laura Roman, LCSW

January 8, 2014 – Zonta Member Meeting Info

Program Speaker: Kiersten McCort, Financial Advisor of McCort, Martin & Baker

Are you looking for ways to reach your financial goals in today's volatile market? Whether you're saving for retirement, college for your kids or other needs, you may be unsure about what to do next or whether you can do anything at all.

Voted the Gold Community Choice Award for Best Investment Company by the readers of The Cranberry Eagle - February 2013

- National MS Society Member
- Sponsor: Annual Miles for Smiles to benefit the MS Society
- 2011 Woman Entrepreneur Excellence Award
- Inspired Women Conference
- Pittsburgh Public Theater

Areas of Focus

- Women's Financial Strategies
- Charitable Giving
- Saving for Education
- Retirement Planning Strategies
- Domestic Partner Planning

Experience

Awards & Recognition

- FIVE STAR Wealth Manager¹

Qualifications

- Series 7 license, Series 66 license
- Variable Life and Health license
- Ameriprise Circle of Success Hall of Fame 2011
- CRPC[®] Chartered Retirement Planning CounselorSM

ZONTA CELEBRATES BIRTHDAYS

Susan Lewerth~ December 19th

Congrats Inducted Members:

Connie Eren & Marsha Tylak

Also pictured, Zonta President, Catherine Montague



November Program Speaker, Sally Power



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MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Zonta membership
provides the
opportunity to:

- Meet interesting involved professionals who seek to help women reach their potential.
- Work together towards common goals i.e. the objectives of Zonta.
- Socialize and network locally, nationally and internationally with business and professional people working in many different fields.
- Experience the warmth of international fellowship. You are welcomed at Zonta Clubs worldwide.
- Accept leadership roles that promote personal growth and self-confidence in a friendly, supportive atmosphere.
- Participate actively in committees, meetings and interesting discussions.



The Zonta Club of Three Rivers Pittsburgh North advances the status of women locally and globally, through funding for education, advocacy, and hands-on service.