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ZONTA CLUB OF AMHERST
DISTRICT #4
March 2013

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Zonta of Amherst Website: www.AmherstZonta.org

A Message from the President:

Hello Zonta of Amherst club members,
As I write this, spring is right around the corner. I can feel it in the air and am seeing neighbors outside who have not been seen for months. Kids are out shooting baskets or riding their bikes. Life starts to get busier so I want to remind you that the Spring Workshop will be held in Niagara Falls on April 20, 2013. This is a great time to network with sister Zontians from all the other clubs in the area. An interesting program is planned by the Niagara Falls Club and your attendance is requested. 1st time attendees will receive a \$5.00 discount, other members will pay \$45.00. Check your newsletter for complete information. It would be great to have a group from our club attend this.

Our next General meeting will be March 24, 2013 with an induction ceremony for our newest member, Robin Erwin. Please plan on attending this meeting. Along with the ceremony Robin is our speaker. It will be an interesting evening.

Enjoy the nice weather and see you soon.
Anita Sandecki

From Mary Yunker:

A Quote from Oprah magazine on International Women's Day - I celebrate each of you for your commitment to Zonta, to your club, and community.

"Women are always at the front of revolutions" Buthavna Kamel

From Zonta of Rochester's Newsletter: Are you all aware that this is National Women's History Month? Here's a quote from the Presidential Proclamation: "Women's History Month is a time to remember those who fought to make that freedom as real for our daughters as for our sons."

Take time to view the National Women's History Project at: <http://www.nwhp.org> to see the honorees and nominees for the 2013 theme: **Women Inspiring Innovation Through Imagination.**

These truly are inspiring women! March 8th was International Women's Day and was celebrated around the world. Check out: <http://www.internationalwomensday.com> to see some of the many events that took place. March is a great month for women!

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL MISSION STATEMENT

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



ZONTA CLUB OF AMHERST MISSION STATEMENT

Create renewed enthusiasm in each member to enable the Zonta Club of Amherst to take on the cause of women's health, participate in District and support International endeavors.

This month's Dinner Meeting is at Westwood Country Club on March 25th, 2013

6:00 Socializing

6:30 Dinner

You must choose ahead of time and call Shirley!

NO SUBSTITUTIONS from the set menu.

\$25 due at dinner (exact payment helpful)!

MENU CHOICES:

- 1) Corned Beef and Cabbage or
- 2) Shepard's Pie or
- 3) Fish & Chips Dessert- Coffee Ice Cream Sundae

Please call Shirley at 908-5928 so we can have an accurate count!

Our March speaker will be
our newest Sister -Robin
Erwin with a special
Woman's History Month
presentation.



2012-13 Important Zonta Dates!

March 2013		
3/25/2013	General monthly meeting	
April 2013		
4/9/2013	Executive Board meeting	
4/19/2013	Wine Tasting Fund Raiser	
4/23/2013	General monthly meeting	
May 2013		
5/14/2013	Executive Board meeting	
5/28/2013	Installation of Officers	
June 2013		
6/11/2013	Meeting of old and new Board	
June TBD	Yard Sale	

President

Anita Sandecki

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Mary-Diana Pouli

Secretary

Peggy Naples

Board of Directors

Shirley Havice

Kay Marciano

Kathy Reynolds

Prices reduced for Amelia Earhart Cruise!

The District 4 Amelia Earhart "Fun" raiser will depart in October 2013 and go into the Greek Islands and more! Remember, this is open to all our family and friends. You need not be in Zonta to go on this exciting cruise. Contact Donna Ketchum-Colletta for details:
ketchumcolletta@gmail.com

Did you know...

On November 8, 1919 in Buffalo, New York, Marian de Forest, along with other prominent women leaders, forged ahead to begin the Confederation of Zonta Clubs. In 1927, when the Zonta Club of Toronto was chartered, the name was changed to Zonta International.

The founding of **Zonta International** occupies a unique moment in women's history. Established in Buffalo, New York, USA in 1919, early members were among the first generation of college-educated women, the first generation of North American women to vote, and a part of the growing, though still comparatively small, legion of women entering the workforce.

Over the decades, **Zonta International** has grown into a worldwide service organization of executives in business and the professions working together to advance the status of women. There are more than 31,000 members in more than 1,200 clubs in 64 countries all over the world.

**Happy
March
Birthdays
to:**



Anita Sandecki - March 1
Kathy Reynolds - March 20
Eunice Jackson - March 28

Michele Brown from
Compeer Greater Buffalo
was our February guest
speaker. We all
appreciated learning a
great deal more about this
wonderful organization!



Our own Treasurer of Zonta
of Amherst, Mary-Diana Pouli, was
recognized on March 16th by the
Amherst Women's Interclub for her
outstanding work in our
community!



Zonta North American Inter-District Meeting

June 14 to 16, 2013

Get on Board the New Zonta Express,
BE the Change, the Zonta Change



Zonta North America
Inter-District Meeting
Niagara Falls, ON Canada

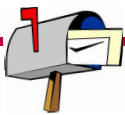


Go to: http://zontadistrict4.org/?page_id=1778

Come to Niagara Falls ON Canada, June 14th to 16th, 2013

- Meet Zonta International leaders and reconnect with Zontians from other Districts.
- Select from 16 workshops organized into 4 tracks: Leadership, Credibility, Visibility, Action.
- Participate in presentations and an informative panel discussion led by distinguished Zontians.
- Refresh your commitment to improving the lives of women through Zonta.
- Leave with great ideas, practical solutions and a renewed energy!

If you would like to
make a donation, or
send Zonta related
correspondence,
you can reach the
Zonta Club of
Amherst NY
President Anita
Sandecki at :
312 Coronation Dr,
Amherst NY 14226



**Amherst Chapter of Zonta
International Women's Club**

Presents:

*An Adventure in Tuscan
Wine & Cheese Pairing*



**Passport Liquors
8855 Main St.
Clarence, NY**

Friday April 19, 2013

7:00pm-8:30pm

\$15.00 presale/20.00 event day

(Tax deductible donation)

Ticket Information:

Call Sherry at 725-7798 or Anita at 837-6301



2013 SPRING WORKSHOPS

LOOK IN, REACH OUT

9:00 – 3:00

Date	April 6	April 20	April 27
Host Club	Warren, PA	Niagara Falls, NY	Owen Sound, ON
Location	Holiday Inn, Warren, PA 210 Ludlow Street, Warren, PA 16365	Niagara Falls Country Club, 505 Mountain View Drive, Lewiston, NY, 14092 (716) 282-1204 Choose one of the following: Sesame Chicken Salad or Santa Fe Salad Each registrant is encouraged to bring a canned food item for our local Food Bank.	Stone Tree Golf And Fitness Centre 1 kilometre south of Owen Sound on Hwy #6
Registration Fee	\$35.00	\$45.00	\$40.00 early bird / \$45 after deadline
Zonta Store Table Fee	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$10.00

FIRST-TIMERS CAN REDUCE FEES BY \$5.00 WHICH IS PAID BY DISTRICT 4

Send cheques to:	Zonta Club of Warren, PO Box 335, Warren, PA 16365	Nancy Mastroianni 635 Main St. Youngstown, NY, 14174 Make cheques payable to: Zonta Club of Niagara Falls, NY (USD)	P O Box 472, Owen Sound, ON N4K 5P2
Registration deadline	March 27	April 10	April 12
Questions	Fran Runyan dapitfan@aol.com	Kathleen Kanaley kumkanaley@gmail.com	Catherine Hardman chardman@sympatico.ca

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DAY

8:30 – 9:30	Continental breakfast, networking and Zonta shopping
9:30 – 12:00	Welcome, introductions, Housekeeping, Leadership Panel, Advocacy
1:00 - 3:00	Intergenerational challenges and opportunities; Ambassador message, financial overview, call to conference, closing comments and draws

ALL DAY- INTERACTION, FUN, FELLOWSHIP, SHOPPING, PRIZES



2013 SPRING WORKSHOPS

LOOK IN, REACH OUT

LOCATION OF WORKSHOP: _____ DATE:

CLUB NAME: _____ AREA

ATTENDEES' NAMES PLEASE PRINT	SPECIAL DIET?	FEE
1. _____		
2. _____		
3. _____		
4. _____		
5. _____		
6. _____		
7. _____		

Please use a separate sheet for additional names. * Note: First time Spring Workshop Attendees deduct \$5.00 from registration fee.

Please DO NOT post date checks and please note no refund after deadline dates. Thank you!

Reminder to attendees: Wear yellow, bring your name badge. If desired, bring your laptop or tablet.

**Will you have items to sell in the store? Yes or NO
If yes, please have one member include store fee with payment.**