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ZONTA CLUB OF AMHERST
DISTRICT #4
October 2013

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A Message from the President:

Dear Zonta Sisters!

What a great September meeting we had with discussing our plans for service, fundraising and advocacy for 2013-14!

It was a particular delight to celebrated Connie Smith's 50 years of Zonta Membership! What a milestone, and it was so nice to have her husband there to help recognize her accomplishment.

This month, we will welcome Marcia Heaney of the Breast Cancer Network of WNY as our October speaker as we all know that October is Breast Cancer Awareness month.

Also, we will vote on accepting Audrey Lee for membership. Sponsored by Sherry Biaocco, Audrey is a retired nurse, very active in community organizations and in volunteering and will be a great asset to our club.

You will also be updated on the Poinsettia sale (chaired by Roselle), the Birthing Kit project and how to help with next month's "Girls on the Run" event (both chaired by Kathy), the Warm Clothing Project (by Mary-Diana) and the Golden Duck Fundraiser (chaired by Anita).

We still have to work out the details of our Comedy Sportz fundraiser and the White Linen Tea House... so many great events! Please do not hesitate to bring friends and family to these outings... what a great way to spread the word about what Zonta is and how to get involved.

The 16 Days of Activism "Zonta says No!" to violence again girls and woman is recognized from November 25th to December 10th. Our website homepage has been changed to reflect that (with a link to another website) and more information will be coming!

Key to being part of Zonta is attending the monthly meetings, so please make every effort to join in each month! Thank you!

- Donna



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 Oct. 22nd, 2013

6:00 Socializing

6:30 Dinner

You must choose ahead of time and call **Sherry!**

NO SUBSTITUTIONS from the set menu.

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

Our October speaker will be
Marcia Heaney of the
Breast Cancer Network of WNY

MENU CHOICES:

- 1) Grilled Rib Eye
 - 2) ½ Roasted Chicken
 - 3) Vegetable Wellington
- Dessert- Chocolate cake

NOTE THE CHANGE:

Please call Sherry
at 725-7798 so we can
have an accurate count!



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2013-2014 Important Zonta of Amherst Dates!

October 2013

10/22/13 General Meeting - Westwood - 6pm

Nov 2013

11/10/13 Girls on the Run Volunteer Opportunity

11/12/13 Exe. Board Meeting -7pm

11/19/13 General Meeting - Giancarlo's (within the Tony Walker Plaza of Williamsville) - 6pm

Poinsettia Plant Sale Continues

Dec 2013

12/1/13 Wearhouse Accessorized Fundraiser 12-4pm

12/10/13 Holiday Party - Sherry's House 6pm

Pickup of Poinsettias

Jan 2014

1/14/14 Exe. Board Meeting -7pm

1/22/14 Golden Duck Fundraiser!

1/28/14 Birthing Kit Assembly Event. Amherst Youth Foundation, 5005 Sheridan Drive, 14221. 7pm.

Feb 2014

2/11/14 Exe. Board Meeting -7pm

2/25/14 General Meeting - General Meeting - Giancarlo's (within the Tony Walker Plaza of Williamsville) - 6pm

March 2014

3/11/14 Exe. Board Meeting -7pm

3/25/14 Fundraiser at ComedySports, Main and Harlem.

April 2014

4/8/14 Exe. Board Meeting -7pm

4/22/14 General Meeting - Westwood - 6pm

May 2014

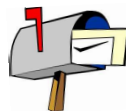
Margarita Fundraiser - TBD

5/13/14 Exe. Board meeting

5/27/13 Installation of Officers, Westwood - 6pm

June 2014

6/10/2014 Meeting old/new Board -Potluck at Kay's house!
TBD Yard Sale



If you would like to make a donation,
or send Zonta related correspondence,
you can reach the Zonta Club of Amherst NY at:

Zonta of Amherst - President
66 Mahogany Drive, Williamsville NY 14221



WOMEN IN ART EVENT:

Disclosure: Women of the Burchfield Penney Collection - New exhibition explores motherhood, beauty and work

The representation of women, their lives, faces, forms and identities, are the subject of a special exhibition of paintings, sculpture, photography and mixed media works on view Friday, July 12 through December 29, 2013.

Disclosure: Women of the Burchfield Penney Collection explores the collision of society's myths and norms against the issues and narratives defined by artists in the Center's collection.

Within the exhibition, classical ideals of beauty, in portraits and reclined nudes, compete with representations of women in their golden years. Ellen Carey, Shirley Kassman, Jolene Rickard, Susan Rothenberg and Cindy Sherman are among this unusual assembly of artists.

"*Disclosure* is a 21st-century *sacra conversazione* or holy conversation, in which the museum visitor advances the understanding of objects by writing responses," describes Alana Ryder, exhibition organizer and curator for public & academic programs. "These ongoing interpretations will be developed into labels that accompany the artworks."

More than 50 works—figurative, abstract, thought-provoking, whimsical, exotic and erotic—pay homage to womanhood in its infinite variety. Many of the artists in *Disclosure* spent significant time outside of America. Several were married to other artists or were part of collaborative circles.

Zonta Fast Fact:

As of September 20th, 2013, Zonta International chartered the club of Beirut in Lebanon. Because of this new charter, Zonta is now in 65 countries worldwide!



September 2013: Club Secretary & Historian Robin Erwin presents a certificate honoring Connie Smith on her 50 years of Zonta membership. Congrats Connie!

New Member Application

Audrey Lee

We were so pleased that Audrey could join us at our meeting in September. She is a very active volunteer with many organizations in the community and is a retired nurse. She is being sponsored by Sherry Baiocco.

Please join us in welcoming her and Voting on her application at the October general meeting.



Zonta General Meeting - September 24, 2013

Pledge & Prayer

Announcements:

- Donna: Welcoming of Sherry Baiocco's friend, Audrey Lee
Upcoming Zonta Club of Amherst meetings and locations
International meeting in Florida reminder.
- Kathy: Birthing kit supplies needed (solicit for donations): Plastic sheeting, Razors, Gloves, Soap, Gauze
- Anita: Golden Duck Fundraising Event - At next meeting everyone bring a calendar to decide on date of event
- Roselle: Poinsettia fundraising; she will check out what the distributors are offering this year
- Kathy: Comedy Sportz fundraiser in February (or March)
1 ½ hour show, \$10/show, Comedy Sportz charges us a fee beforehand, and then we get ticket sales money, need 80 people to be successful, perhaps substitute a Tuesday meeting night for the fundraising night, mMake show begin at 7pm?

Honoring of Connie Smith

Short biography given by Robin Erwin & Certificate awarded to Connie.

Meeting concluded. Next meeting: Tuesday October 22nd, 6pm. Westwood Country Club.