

## ZONTA CLUB OF BOCA RATON AREA



**ZONTA**  
INTERNATIONAL  
EMPOWERING WOMEN  
THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

# Boca Bulletin

### President's Message

Dear Boca Zontians,

Hope you have all had a wonderful Holiday Season and are looking forward to a Happy, Healthy 2018!!

During December, we had a great Toys For Tots event (see pictures on page 2), providing lots of toys for children in need. The Marines arrived to accept the toys and everyone totally enjoyed the evening. Thanks, Loretta for your work.

Our fundraising event at Chili's was totally enjoyed by those able to attend. It was an evening of good food and camaraderie, while raising some funds.

Moving forward, we are looking for a productive 2018. Plans are well under way for our March 10, 2018 Luncheon with Neil Zirconia as our entertainer. We are already receiving items for our baskets.

Women's Circle is holding their fundraising Gala, Speakeasy Soiree, on January 28, 2018 at the Westchester Country Club in Boynton Beach from 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM. Tickets are \$150.00 and are available for those wishing to attend. This Gala is the major fundraising event for Women's Circle. There will be dinner and dancing as well as live and silent auctions and a raffle.

Our Holiday Service Funds were used to help purchase items for the children's waiting area at Palm Beach Victim Service. This helps support Moms who need to bring their children with them while accessing services. We were able to provide a table and chairs set, toy storage box with a book rack, and modular bookcase. Thank you all for voting to do that, as this will help make a difference in the lives of the women involved.

The Women's Heart and Breast Health Initiative is holding its outreach on Saturdays in February (3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, & 27<sup>th</sup>) in West Palm Beach and again in April (7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, & 21<sup>st</sup>) in Pompano Beach. Please consider volunteering. Several of us have volunteered for that outreach event in years past and have enjoyed the ability to discuss with women the need for mammograms and circulating information regarding Heart and Breast Health.

The Zonta International Convention is being held in Yokohama, Japan from June 29, 2018 through July 3, 2018. The registration fee is \$390.00. If you are planning to attend, you can access the convention information on the ZI website.

Lastly, we welcome our new members, Susan Ander and Amy Robbins.

*Jane*

**Your dream doesn't have an expiration date. Take a deep breath and try again.**

**-K.T. Willen**

JANUARY — 2018

### MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### 2018

- Jan 2—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- Jan 10—Business Meeting, 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille
- Feb 6—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- **Feb 21 (note date change)**—Business Meeting, 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille
- Mar 6—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- **Mar 10—luncheon**
- March 14—Business Meeting 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille

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*A Member of Zonta International: 30,000 members in 67 countries working together to improve the lives of women and girls.*

**NEIL ZIRCONIA:**

A SPARKLING TRIBUTE

TO NEIL DIAMOND

**The Zonta Club of Boca Raton Foundation**  
*“Save The Date And Join Us At Our”*

*Entertainment by Neil Zirconia and Luncheon*

**March 10, 2018      11:00am – 2:00pm**

**at Pavilion Grille**  
**301 Yamato Road, Boca Raton, FL**

**Cost \$60.00**

**Proceeds to Benefit ~ The Women’s Circle, Inc. programs,  
Not Just Me Foundation (Butterfly House) projects,  
& Other Service Projects**

**Reason 1 to Save the Date**

**Come to hear Neil Zirconia in “The Ultimate Neil Diamond Tribute Experience” and luncheon. You will experience an exciting journey down memory lane. Inspired by Neil himself.**

**Contact Alice Chick at 954-753-7957 or [info@zontabocaraton.org](mailto:info@zontabocaraton.org) for more information.**

**Reason 2 to Save the Date**

**With the holiday season upon us give a gift to share. Purchase a ticket for the entertainer Neil Zirconia and Luncheon.**

**We can prepare a lovely gift certificate for you to wrap for the Holidays. Let us know how we can help you.**



Toys for Tots was a big success again this year. Many enjoyed a great meal and fellowship and everyone enjoyed the Marines! Thanks to Loretta Fink for her efforts in organization this event.

