

Boca Briefs



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President's Message

Our first quarter of the 2008-2009 year has been both exciting and challenging but since we are very adaptable, flexible, resourceful, Zontians and we strive to achieve we have been successful in our endeavors. Vanessa Lovvorn is our new Recording Secretary for the 2008-2009 year. Lisa Miller has been awarded her doctorate and now is Dr. Lisa Miller. We have increased membership this quarter and expect it to continue in the upcoming months, also. Emily Kingston was married on August 8th and some our members had been ill or had surgery during the quarter and are recovering and all are starting to return to our meetings and it is great to have them back. We have had a number of guests join us at our monthly meetings and we expect some of them to join Zonta in the future. Our permanent meeting place for most of our upcoming monthly meetings will be at the Holiday Inn – Highland Beach, which is located south of Linton Boulevard on A1A.

Get ready because our second quarter is going to be very busy. We have our 60th Zonta District 11 Conference in Tampa, FL September 26th – 27th with a reception on Thursday evening the 25th. Also Thursday starts registration at 3PM and the Zonta Store opens at 4PM so we can start selling our Zonta cubes. The District 11 Conference is a great way of seeing and meeting Zontians from other clubs in our district. This is a not to be missed event. October 15th will be the Women of Distinction awards breakfast and our Zontian nominee is Dr. Lisa Miller, so plan on coming out to support her in her bid to win this coveted award. Then we get ready to go shopping at Bloomingdales on October 23rd getting ready for the holiday season a little early this year. The Zontians in Area 3 are teaming up with the Goldcoast 99s to put on a Poker Flight, October 25th and our portion of the proceeds will be donated to the Zonta International Foundation for the Amelia Earhart Fellowship awards. Remember that November 8th is the Patch Reef Treasures sale of priceless items that you no longer need or use. These proceeds go towards our annual Zonta International Foundation commitment that will be announced at the District 11 Conference.

We are on a roll so rest up and be ready for action!
Yours in Zonta,
Alice Chick

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Sept 2 — Board meeting 5:30 PM
- Sept 10 — Dinner Business meeting 6:00 PM
- Sept 17 — Jazz Brunch meeting 5:30 PM
- Sept 26-27 — 60th Zonta District 11 Conference ~ Tampa, FL
- Oct 7 — Board meeting 5:30 PM
- Oct 15 — Women of Distinction awards breakfast 7:00 AM
- Oct 15 — Dinner Business meeting 6:00 PM
- Oct 22 — Jazz Brunch meeting 5:30 PM
- Oct 23 — Bloomingdale's Shopping ~ all day
- Oct 25 — Poker Flight 9:00 AM
- Nov 4 — Board meeting 5:30 PM
- Oct 31 — Patch Reef Treasures ~ set up 5:00 PM
- Nov 1 — Patch Reef Treasures sale 7:00 AM
- Nov 12 — Dinner Business meeting 6:00 PM
- Nov 19 — Jazz Brunch meeting 5:30 PM

Visit our **club** website to keep updated at www.zontabocaraton.org, the **district** at www.zonta-district11.org, and **international** at www.zonta.org.

Zonta Club of Boca Raton Area — Boca Raton, Florida
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Committee Reports

Membership

By Jo Kuczenski

We have two new members, Dr. Bernadette Russell, Provost of Palm Beach Community College, Boca Raton campus and Kay Evans who has transferred from the Zonta Club of Tampa and is servicing as a Co-Chair with Lisa Miller of our Service committee. We have had several guests at the August meeting and we hope that these ladies will visit with us a second time and want to be considered for membership.

The membership committee will be conducting brief informational sessions regularly at our upcoming meetings. Our first one will be "What does the word Zonta mean and where does the emblem come from?"

YWPA

By Shelly Olkey

A donation of \$1,000 was received from the Silvia & Irwin Leiferman Foundation presented to Shelly by Paul Levine, for our Young Women in Public Affairs scholarship. The scholarship applications will be distributed to the participating high schools before the Christmas break for distribution to qualifying high school seniors.

Public Relations

By Sandy Manning

The first release has been sent out announcing Yvonne Boice as honorary chair, Aug. 25th
The draft of the 99s has been sent for approval.

Z-Fellowship

By Cyndi Bracken

Breakfast: Eating breakfast with friends beside the water...laughter...animated conversations...a soft breeze...boats passing by... That was what twelve Zontians experienced on a Saturday morning in June at Watercolors restaurant. If you weren't one of them, don't you wish you were???

Z-Pals: Come to the September business meeting and receive your **Z-Pal**. Each participating member will be assigned a **Z-Pal**, a Zontian with whom you will take the time during the next three months to become better acquainted. It's a great opportunity to extend your circle of friends and get to know each other in the atmosphere of your choice. Have tea or coffee, take a walk on the beach, attend a play or movie, go shopping, visit a South Florida attraction or event, or simply share an extended telephone conversation. When the three months are over, we'll share a bit of what we've learned about each other.

Holiday Celebration: Mark your calendar for **Wednesday, December 10** and invite your spouse and friends to share the evening with us at Tiramisu restaurant on Camino Real in Boca Raton. Stay tuned for more details.

If there is a fellowship activity you would especially like to see us organize, please let me know.

Amelia Earhart ~ Poker Flight

By Alice Chick

All Zonta Area 3 Clubs have been invited to participate with the Goldcoast Chapter 99s on a Poker Flight fundraiser, October 25, 2008. This event is being billed as the 1st Poker Flight with the anticipation that it will be successful and can be expanded in the future to include other Zonta areas. The net proceeds will be divided between the two organizations to benefit our respective scholarships. The Zonta portion will be sent to the Zonta International Foundation for the Amelia Earhart fellowship awards and each participating club will be credited with a percent of the proceeds.

We need people to work at the participating airports, attend the luncheon, and also be players either in the air or on the ground. You do not need to fly or drive to be able to play. All cards can be drawn at one airport for those that do not want to fly or drive. Some club members have already contacted me that they would be able to work at the different airports, but we still need more people. Let me know in what capacity you want to participate by email at alice@chickkaro.com or by telephone 954-753-7957. We need your help and all Area 3 Zontians to make this successful.

Committee Reports (continued)**Jazz Brunch***By Co-Chairs Cissy Kross and Lynne Jenkin***WE HAVE**

Our Date: March 1, 2009
Our Place: Boca West Country Club
Our Honorary Chair: Yvonne Boice
Our Honorary Advisor: Henrietta Countess de Hoernle
Our Music: Dixieland and Jazz
Our Ticket Price: \$75.00

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<u>Issue</u>	<u>Submission deadline</u>	<u>Issuance date</u>
# 3 ~ September 2008—November 2008	December 1, 2008	December 5, 2008
# 4 ~ December 2008—February 2009	March 2, 2009	March 6, 2009
# 5 ~ March 2009—May 2009	June 1, 2009	June 5, 2009

Do you have something that you want to have published in the Boca Briefs? Yes, then submit it by the submission deadline to me at alice@chickkaro.com. Committee Chairs and Co-Chairs should recap what has occurred during the quarter and what is planning for the balance of the year.

Communications is what keeps us connected and informed so keep up the great job!

2008 — 2009 Meeting schedules

	Board 5:30 PM (first Tuesday, *exception)	Member 6:00 PM (second Wednesday, *exception)	
June	3	11	
July	*No meeting	9	
August	5	13	
September	2	10	
October	7	*15	3rd Wednesday instead
November	4	12	
December	2	(a)10	(a) Holiday celebration ~ TBD
January	6	14	
February	3	(a)18	(a) Jazz Brunch wrapping ~TBD
March	3	11	
April	*March 31	8	1st Tuesday is on the 7th
May	5	13	

Open to all Zonta members

Board meetings

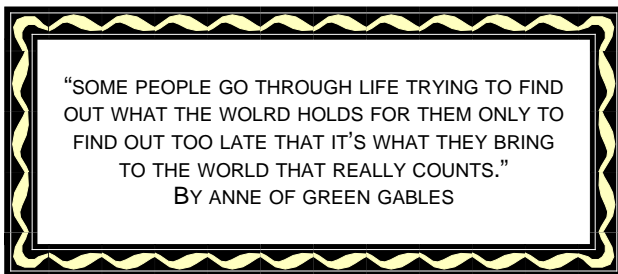
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Business meetings

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If we left something out, have incorrect information, let us know. Do you have something to report for our newsletter? If the answer is yes, send an email to me at alice@chickkaro.com.

Upcoming Birthdays

September

Regina Vetto 9/3
Henrietta, Countess de Hoernle 9/24

October

Lorraine Fletcher 10/7
Lisa Reason 10/18
Meladie Fusco 10/30

November

Ellen Vacirca 11/4
Catherine DeMatto 11/27
Carol Morris 11/30

