

ZONTA CLUB OF BOCA RATON AREA



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Boca Bulletin

President's Message

Dear Boca Zontians,

Thank you very much for electing me as your President for the coming Zonta Year. We had a wonderful Installation Ceremony at our May Meeting, presided over by our Area 3 Director, Ernestine Davis. I look forward to a very productive year of service, advocacy and camaraderie. Further, Sister Lorraine Ryan, Executive Director of Women, Circle, was really pleased with check for \$6,500 as our donation to the mission of Women's Circle and the women they serve. It helps to make a difference in their lives.

On Saturday, May 20th four of us, Jan Furtado, Shelly Olkey, Jo Kuczynski, and I, attended the Area 3 Meeting in Marathon. It was well attended by about 50 members. There were several presentations, including the ZI Global Membership Drive; Young Professional Membership that is available throughout this biennium; Zonta International Foundation, presented by Jan Furtado; and the District 11 new Annual Report and Award process, presented by District 11 Governor, Charlene Rains. There were breakout groups to discuss plans of action for membership, advocacy, and service, with a focus on ideas that could be effective at the Club, Area and District levels. There was a lot of good discussion and exchange of ideas, as well as the fellowship of seeing our Zonta friends.

June 2- 4, I will be attending the North American Interdistrict meeting in Washington, D.C. Part of that meeting will include Zonta Advocacy Day, during which we will meet at the US Capital Building and potentially have the opportunity to meet with our respective representatives to discuss Zonta's agenda, particularly the Equal Rights Amendment and the Campus Accountability and Safety Act.

Hope everyone had a great Memorial Day. Wishing a Happy Fathers' Day to all our Dad's and, since this is a June/ July Newsletter, I hope all of you have an enjoyable, fun and safe July 4th – Independence Day.

Jane



July Birthday Wishes
Cat Whitt—5th

JUNE/JULY — 2017

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

- June 6—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- June 14—Business Meeting, 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille*
- June 18—FATHER'S DAY
- July Board Meeting TBD
- July 12—Business Meeting, 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille
- Aug 1—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- Aug 9—Business Meeting, 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille

* **Andrea Ivory from Women's Breast & Health Initiative will be our speaker and receive our donation to their program.**

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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.

Area 3 Meeting in Marathon

Clockwise from top left—Jo Kuczenski, Jan Furtado, Jane Adams and Shelly Olkey pose for a picture; Area Director Ernestine Davis with District Governor Charlene Rains; Jan gives the ZI Foundation talk; Jane, Jan and Jo in the meeting room.



Women's Circle Donation



Left to Right—Jane Adams, Sister Lorraine Ryan, Exec Director of Women's Circle, and Diane Sawchuk, after presentation of the \$6,500 donation to support their programs.

One of our District 11 Service projects, rethreaded is offering a 20% discount on all orders. Go to <https://www.rethreaded.com/collections/shop> to place your order and use code "district11" at check-out.

Installation of 2017-18 Officers

Left to Right—Pat Cox, Cooky Duboff and Cat Whitt (Secretaries), Nancy Thompson stood in for Alice Chick (Treasurer), Jan Furtado (Board), Shelly Olkey (VP) and Jane Adams (President). Not pictured Mary Ellen Courier (Board) and our Nominating Committee members Loretta Fink and Jo Kuczenski. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!



Women's Circle 2nd quarter April – June

Bathroom Supplies; Paper Towels; Toilet Paper; Liquid Hand Soap; Spray Air Freshener; Kitchen Supplies; Paper Plates; Paper Cups; Napkins; Tall White Trash Bags; Cleaning Supplies; Spray Surface Cleaners; Floor Cleaner; Toilet Cleaner; Clorox Wipes; Office Supplies; Copy Paper; Envelopes (small & large); Postage Stamps; Expo Dry Erase Markers; Post-it-Notes

Human Trafficking Coalition Palm Beach

Cat Whit reported that they are in need of the following items:

The Lewis Center is located at 1000 45th Street in West Palm Beach and they are in need of dry foods, old plates and cutlery, clothes, and feminine hygiene products.

For questions contact Cat at cathyjwhitt@gmail.com.



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October 12-14, 2017

Save The Date!

The 69th Zonta District 11 Conference

The Zonta Club of Myrtle Beach and the Area 2 Clubs, with the help of the District 11 Board, are busy planning a fun and informative weekend for Zontians.

Mark Your Calendars, you don't want to miss this one!

Dates: October 12-14, 2017

Location: Doubletree Resort & Conference Ctr
3200 South Ocean Blvd
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577
www.myrtlebeach.doubletreebyhilton.com

