



ZONTA
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Boca Bulletin

President's Message

Dear Boca Zontians,

March is here, as is our Major Fundraiser with Neil Zirconia as our entertainer. We will be enjoying a great luncheon and entertainment and opportunities to participate in a raffle of some 21 baskets and at least 5 silent auction items. It should be an enjoyable afternoon and provide us the opportunity to assist, through contribution, our recipients Women's Circle and Not Just Me Foundation (Butterfly House) to make a difference in the lives of their clients. Women's Circle, through education, empowers women in need to be "all that they be", while promoting an acceptance and appreciation of cultural diversity. The Not Just Me Foundation assists survivors of sexual assault reclaim their lives by giving them access to appropriately trained advocacy networks.

March 8th is also International Women's Day and Zonta Rose Day. It is an opportunity to reflect on progress made on challenges women face, and recognize the need for, and call for, change in challenges women still face every day. While it is an opportunity to celebrate women who have made a difference in our communities and countries through their courage and determination, it is also a time to reflect on women who made a difference in each of our lives, making us who we are - assisting and mentoring us be in a position to impact the lives of other women we encounter through life.

We remember Diane Sawchuk and Nancy Thompson at the recent loss of their Moms. Diane's Mom was in NY State, while Nancy's Mom was here in Boca and has participated with us and our projects. Mothers make a difference in our lives and I know Diane and Nancy cherish the memories of times shared with their Moms.

Our club is again participating, as volunteers, in The Women's Heart and Breast Health outreach on April 14, 2018. It is an opportunity to advocate for heart and breast health and assist women who qualify to obtain free mammograms. Please contact Mary Ellen Courier if you are interested in supporting this initiative with other club members.

Please remember the Area 3 Spring meeting will be held on Paradise Island, Bahamas on Saturday, March 24th, with arrival on March 23rd. Also, the Zonta International Convention is being held in Yokohama, Japan beginning on June 29, 2018 through July 3, 2018.

Jane

MARCH — 2018

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Mar 6—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- **Mar 10—luncheon**
- March 14—Business Meeting 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille
- Mar 24—Area 3 meeting in Paradise Island, Nassau, Bahamas (Comfort Suites)
- Apr 3—Board Meeting at 5:30 pm at Quail Run
- Apr 11—Business Meeting 5:30 pm at Pavilion Grille
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Zonta Club Of Boca Raton Foundation, Inc

Invites You To A Luncheon

Featuring Entertainment by Neil Zirconia

Benefiting Women's Circle, Inc,
Not Just Me Foundation (Butterfly House), and Other Service Projects

March 10, 2018

11 00 am to 2 00 pm

Pavilion Grille, 301 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton, FL

Ticket Price \$60.00

For our Luncheon to be a big success, WE NEED:
Lunch reservations
It's not too late!

Menu
Please indicate choice on RSVP card
Roasted Beef Sirloin with Shallot and Demi Glace
or
Salmon with Orange Beurre Blanc Sauce
or
Vegetarian Eggplant Parmigiana

EMPOWERING WOMEN FROM SEA TO SEA

ZONTA BAHAMAS
DISTRICT 11 AREA 3
SPRING WORKSHOP

REGISTRATION FEE \$75.00
By March 5th
Late fee will begin March 6th

ACCOMMODATIONS COMFORT SUITES PARADISE ISLAND \$220.00 PER NIGHT + TAXES

DEADLINE FEBRUARY 28TH 2018

INCLUDES COFFEE BREAK & LUNCH

Saturday, March 24th, 2018
9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Fleming Room
Comfort Suites
Paradise Island
Nassau, Bahamas

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happy birthday
Happy March Birthday!
Cathy Hoffman—3rd

Palm Beach County Victim Services
Donations of children's books (ages 0-18), crayons, coloring books, games, toys etc. will be collected by Jane at all meetings for donation to the PBVS Children's Waiting Area at their facility.

Boca Helping Hands
1st quarter January – March
Cereal & Cereal Bars; Juice; Tomato sauces; Canned fruits & vegetables; Canned meat, fish & poultry; Pasta, beans, rice & soup; Pop Tarts; Milk – can or box (dry/liquid); Crackers / Cookies / Candy; Individual water bottles; Paper plates & Cups. Always check expiration dates on items.