

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL -- DISTRICT 12
CLUB ANNUAL REPORT
Reporting Period: June 1, 2013—May 27, 2014

Please email to Governor Sheila Davis (shedavis@comcast.net) by **May 27, 2014 with a copy to your Area Director.**

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Club Administration 2013-2014:

Zonta Club of Douglas County

Today's Date: 5/21/2014

Area: 3

President: Rhonda Bolich-Lampo

President-Elect (if appropriate): N/A

Vice President: Not filled

Secretary: Dona Hayes

Treasurer: Tracy Quintana

Fundraising:

Please list the major fundraiser(s) your club held during 2013-2014. *(Feel free to add additional fund-raisers.)*

1. Trivia Night – April 12, 2014 – Fundraiser for Foundation
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Total Funds Raised this year: **\$11,054**

Local Service & Scholarships Dollars Given:

Please list the contribution amounts given by your club during 2013-2014.

Local Service Organizations: \$3,900

Local Scholarships: \$2,000

Total Local: \$5,900

Zonta International Foundation (ZIF) Dollars Given:

Please list the total club & individual contributions given to the Zonta International Foundation during 2013-2014. (Tommie Atanasoff at tatanasof@aol.com can provide this information to you)

Total Club Contributions: \$4,961.37

Total Individual Contributions: \$1,315.00

Total Club & Individual Contributions: \$6,276.37

ZIF Scholarship Information:

• **YWPA-Young Women in Public Affairs Awards**

Did your club participate in the YWPA program? X Yes No

Please list the name of the candidate(s) forwarded by your club to the district for this award. Kianna Nguyen, Thunder Ridge H.S. in Highlands Ranch, CO

• **Jane M. Klausman Women-in-Business Scholarships (JMK)**

Did your club participate in the Jane M Klausman program? Yes X No

Please list the name of the candidate(s) forwarded by your club to the district for this award.

• **Amelia Earhart Fellowships**

Did your club celebrate Amelia Earhart Day? X Yes No

If so, please describe how your club celebrated this year. Coordinated A3 sorting event at Project CURE.

Local Scholarship Information:

• **Local Scholarships** awarded by your club

Name(s) & description(s) of scholarship(s): N/A

Membership:

Please describe your club's recruitment and retention efforts for 2013-2014 in order to meet the *net +1* goal as of June 1, 2014. We met +1 goal

We have an ongoing p.r. machine that works for us through press releases of major events and regular posting of monthly meetings. We currently have 13 prospective members and 2 who are ready to join.

If your club currently has fewer than 20 members, what plans do you have in place to increase membership in 2014 - 2015?

Does your club have a new member orientation program? X Yes No If yes, how many sessions did you hold this year? We call in "New Z's". Organized and held when we have 2-3 new members in the club. They meet immediately following our monthly membership meetings for 2 months. Local, A3, D12, and ZI structure is covered.

The information below will be used to determine the District Service Award to be given out at the 2014 Governor's Seminar, September 20th, Cheyenne, WY

Local Service: (Hands on work to help women & girls in the local community)

Please name and briefly describe your local service projects including for each item:

(a) category: improved the status of women in general (legal, political, economic, educational, health and/or professional)
or

helped prevent and fight violence against women and girls (VAW)

(b) % of club members involved in the project

(c) contribution to the Zonta International Foundation is at least 1/3 of the dollars raised this year

(d) visibility and credibility to Zonta created by the project

(e) sustainability of the project (long lasting results, and could the project continue for a certain period of time)

1. Project CURE – monthly sorting at headquarters; 25% members participate; health
2. Summer Lunch Program 2013 – Monday-Friday for 8 weeks held in town of Castle Rock; programs and activities for women and children in the community; this program was successfully passed off to the Douglas County School District for 2014; health/nutrition/economic
3. Free the Girls – collected over 1,000 gently used bras to be sent to 5 countries to help keep women out of sex trafficking; educational, economic, professional; Free the Girls is a Douglas County based non-profit
- 4.

(Feel free to add additional projects)

The information below will be used to determine the District Advocacy Award to be given out at the 2014 Governor's Seminar, September 20th, Cheyenne, WY

Advocacy: The expression of support for or opposition to a cause, argument or proposal. Advocacy may include influencing laws, legislation, or attitudes. Zonta advocacy is an action taken in "the public interest" or for "the greater good" with respect to advancing the status of women and girls and their human rights.)

Does your club have an advocacy committee? X Yes No

(Do Not Include Zonta Says No Activities Here - See Below)

Please name and describe your advocacy projects including for each item:

(a) category: improved the status of women in general (legal, political, economic, educational, health and/or professional)

or

helped prevent and fight violence against women and girls (VAW)

(b) how closely the project coincided with the advocacy definition above

(c) did the project reflect one of the District 12 Platform for Advocacy issues which are:

- Achieving pay equity
- Supporting measures to oppose gender based violence such as trafficking, rape & domestic violence
- Ensuring equal rights under the law

(d) % of club members involved in the project

(e) names of any community partners

(f) visibility and credibility to Zonta created by the project

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(Feel free to add additional projects)

Zonta Says No:

Describe your club's Zonta Says No activities in 2013 - 2014:

Club member participated in the planning and implementation of the Zonta Says No event in November 2013.

Zonta's Work with the United Nations' Programs/Funds:

Please describe how your club informed its membership of Zonta's work with the United Nations' Programs & Funds through its International Service Projects and ZISVAW Projects. D12 emails forwarded to membership

External Communications/Public Relations:

Please check box for the PR tools your club uses:

Brochure X Newsletter Club or Individual Business Cards X Website X Facebook X Other (describe) Paid for press releases

Internal Communications (e.g., newsletter, directory, website):

Please describe how your club kept its membership informed & connected this year. Email reminders and announcements, directory, website, Facebook

Nominating:

Please describe the process used by the nominating committee to prepare a slate of officers for 2014-2015. Identified potential Board members and personally contacted them to gauge level of interest.

ZIF Ambassador:

Does your club have a foundation ambassador? Yes X No
How has your club encouraged individual donations this year? Please describe.

Z-Club or Golden Z-Club:

Does your club have a Z or Golden Z Club? Yes X No
If yes, please describe key events held during the year.

Archiving & History:

Does your club have an archivist/historian? X Yes No

Please describe your club's progress to date in:

- (a) finding & listing your club archives. Done
- (b) arranging for safe storage of materials. Done
- (c) Did your club submit a "History In Brief" by April 1, 2014? Yes No
If no, why not? I think so. Not sure.

Bylaws:

Does your club have a bylaws committee? Yes X No
Are your bylaws up to date? X Yes No