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From the President



It's almost here... Our Seventh Annual Art Bra Event, that is! Please plan on attending our last Art Bra Committee meeting set for Tuesday, October 4, 2016 at 6:00p.m. at my office (501 W. Chambers St., Cleburne, Texas 76033). We still have a lot of preparations to make and tasks to assign. WE NEED

YOUR HELP TO MAKE THIS A SUCCESSFUL EVENT!!

Last month was a busy month with two meetings. Our site visit to Our Humbled Hearts was truly wonderful. They are an organization that provides counseling for both spiritual and practical needs of women and children. Their present facility is in need of chairs and all sorts of donations for someone moving into a new home. I hope we will consider making a contribution to their efforts.

Our second meeting was with the Rotary club. Dr. Bonnie Dunbar, a NASA astronaut, gave an amazing presentation. I hope that you will all encourage the young women you know to consider a career in the engineering field. It's clear that women can excel at anything we put our minds to!

PECANS will be in soon! We will be selling pecan halves for \$11/lb. or pecan pieces for \$10/lb. Start thinking about who you can sell some pecans to!

Finally, if you haven't picked up Art Bra tickets from me, yet, please do that! I am asking that each member sell 10 tickets to the event. Tickets are \$30.00 each and include the live auction, dinner, and dessert. Giovanni's is catering. Remind your friends that one-half of the proceeds go directly back to breast cancer detection and treatment. The other half fund our scholarships and local projects aimed at empowering women. We need warm bodies in seats, so please ask everyone you know!

Zonta Club of Johnson County

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Zonta Says No Shoe Display— Brooke Vaughan
Zonta Zoom— Tiffany Strother

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday, October 4, 2016
6:00 pm
501 W. Chambers St., Cleburne

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*Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals
empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy.*

Dates to Remember

October 4 at 6pm –Art Bra Planning Meeting at Sikes & Rachel offices

October 7 at noon – Board Meeting at City Hall

October 15 –District 10 Summit in Seguin, Texas

October 22 at 6:30pm – Seventh Annual Art Bra Event

November 4 at noon –Board Meeting at City Hall

November 16 at noon –Regular Club Meeting at First Christian Church



Zontians at Our Humbled Hearts of Hope on September 20th

Art Bra Update

Sponsorships total \$8,100.00 to-date, with \$1,000.00 of that remaining to be collected.

We are 22 days away from the event and need you all to sell those tickets! As you sell the tickets, please let Jessica know who will be attending so that we can put seating together.

We have a lot of great packages coming together and will need help making bras for those packages. We'll also need volunteers to fill various positions on the day of the event. If you can't make it to the October 4th meeting, please be checking your emails to see how you can help!!

Looking forward to another successful event!



October Birthdays

Jan Dotson

Sharron Miles

Jessica Pounds

Tiffany Strother

Zonta International News

Side event at the 8th Session of the Conference of the Parties - 19 October

Speakers will address the lack of common understanding about trafficking, the strong stereotyping of trafficking and its victims and the negative aspects and results by the standardization of the services, provided by states.

The side event aims to increase and differentiate awareness of the growing danger from the numerous ways of criminal trafficking in persons and underlines the hidden risks of "forced migration" as base for organ "harvesting."

[Click here](#) to see the invitation with more details.

Member Spotlight



Sharron Miles is a long-time member of the Zonta Club of Johnson County. She is retired and currently lives in Temple, Texas, which makes her our longest-distance -traveling member. I think that definitely

makes her one of our most committed members, as well!

Sharron previously served as a District Governor for District 10 and has been a dedicated Zontian for many years. Most recently, she was able to help secure the speaker for our Zonta/Rotary meeting, which was quite a treat.

I want to thank Sharron for all of her hard work in making sure that meeting went off without a hitch! Thank you, Sharron! We love having you as a Johnson County Zontian!