



## **October Meeting Information**

### **Scholarship Dinner**

Wednesday, October 4, 2006

at

Holiday Inn Meadowlands, Racetrack Road

Social – 5:00 PM

Meeting - 6:00 PM

## **PRESIDENT'S CORNER**

### **“The Year of Growth”**

Ladies we are beginning a new year full of promise and like the Chinese I thought we could name our year, and this is the YEAR of GROWTH.

I am asking each current member to find at least one new member. But don't stop there, ask as many women that you know if they are interested in learning more about our Club. We all know someone who is a leader in business. We need motivated women who are willing to help us move Zonta forward in Washington County. To continue the 20+ years of serving those in need, especially women and children in our own community and worldwide. Please take this as a serious challenge to grow our club as much as possible.

We started the year off with much success and the September meeting brought three new members who will enrich our membership. They've already signed up for committees and will bring new ideas that will enhance our already successful format. Please make it a point to introduce yourself and get to know them. As we work together to promote our organization we will be able to grow closer as friends. We need to look forward to this year in a positive way, with a 'we can do it' attitude.... AND WE WILL DO IT.

Some of the members cannot come early to enjoy the social time before the meeting, so I am asking you to hang around after the meeting and spend some quality time getting to know each other better. I realize this won't be possible for everyone, every time, but if a few of us stay we can enjoy the fellowship.

Please be patient with the board as we assume our new positions. Be sure to actively participate on the committees of which you are a member. We all need to pull together to make a difference in our club.

Please come to the meeting on Oct. 4th. Lisa needs reservations ASAP. If your circumstance changes and you can come when you did not make a reservation call Lisa. She can make arrangements with the Holiday Inn for an extra place setting.

I look forward to a great new year and seeing you at the next meeting.

*Cheryl*

## **Scholarship Dinner – October 4th**

The Zonta Club of Washington will hold its annual Washington Hospital School of Nursing Scholarship Award Dinner on Wednesday, October 4, 2006 at the Holiday Inn, Meadowlands, PA.

We are honored to have five very impressive candidates for this year's award.

The dinner will start at 6:00 P.M. Please call Lisa Pendergast at 724-222-3102 if you are planning to attend. The cost of the dinner is \$15.00 and you can pay our Treasurer, Ria Papenbrock, the night of the meeting.

## **Sporting Clay Shoot – Thank You to All**

As you all know, our first annual Sporting Clay Shoot was a great success. Even though this was our first event, we raised over \$2500 for the Service Fund. We will be making this our annual signature event, so look for more details for next years Clay Shoot. Thank you to all who volunteered to make this a great event, and especially to Cynthia for the wonderful idea and for putting it all together!!!

## **Lemonade Stand – Thanks To All**

Lisa Pendergast organized a Lemonade Stand which was set up at the Main Street Farmer's Market, Washington PA on July 13th, 2006, and it was a great success. The following people deserve recognition for their work:

1. Diane DiSalle for purchasing the lemons.
2. Pat Kline for meeting with Lisa, picking up the supplies, helping with the tent setup, came back same day for pickup, took the supplies home to clean everything, and returned them to the Kiwanis Club the next business day!! Amazing!!
3. Carole Babish, for bringing our metal ZONTA signage to Lisa's house the day prior to the event, coming to the event to pickup the signs, and taking the money and moneybox back to Ria on the next business day.
4. Ria for preparing the moneybox ahead of time and coordinating with Charlotte to pickup the box.
5. Charlotte for bringing the moneybox to the Farmer's Market.
6. The Volunteers that day: Charlotte Herron, Janet Medlen, and Kim Bevan. Also, Lisa's kids, Maura and Mason helped too!

Thanks to all the volunteers that took the time to make this event happen and all that came out that day to support us!

Total net profit to Zonta was 159.00

## COMMITTEE UPDATES

### Membership:

Please welcome several new members that have joined recently. The new members include:

Diane DiSalle  
Polly Musar  
Monica Merrell  
Kim Bevan

Please be sure to welcome them into our club!!!!

### New Historian Committee

Carole Babish will chair the new Historian Committee this year and will be assisted by Lisa Pendergast. This is a project that has needed attention for some time now.

It will show the history of our Club, as we progressed over 20+ years, serving those in need in our community and internationally.

All of our photographs are saved on posterboards, photoalbums, foam boards, etc... Carole and Lisa will be asking for volunteers to help them organize the photographs so they are more presentable, will store more efficiently, and will last much longer. Lisa Pendergast has contacted Diane Fehl, Creative Memories rep., and they may do the meetings at her business which is located in the basement of her residence.

Carole and Lisa will not be setting a date to complete the project until a later time during this club year. They will keep us posted on the progress of this important new committee. If interested in helping out, please contact Carole or Lisa.

### Web Site & Newsletter

Please be sure to send any entries for the Network Corner to Marcia Hopper to include in the Newsletter. Also, if anyone has pictures of the Clay Shoot, Lemonade Stand or other Zonta events, please send them to Marcia to be included in the web site.

## NETWORK CORNER

### From Cheryl Hopper:

Look for the grand opening of my new shop Kaleidoscope, coming in November in downtown Washington. It is a consignment shop for women and infants clothing, along with furniture and home décor.

### From Cybthia Desch

Cynthia Desch is now scheduling wardrobe appointments for her Fall/Winter line of Weekenders knit fashions. The new line has been expanded to include a large collection of fashions for younger women as well as the regular classic Weekenders line of comfortable, washable, packable knit fashions - sizes XS-XXL. Please call 724-225-4809 for your date or e-mail at [beingbeautiful@earthlink.net](mailto:beingbeautiful@earthlink.net). Please visit [www.weekendersusa.com/cynsbeingbeautiful](http://www.weekendersusa.com/cynsbeingbeautiful).

## UPCOMING CLUB PROGRAMS

To be Announced.

## THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"No one is useless in this world who lightens the burden of it for someone else"

-- Charles Dickens