



**ZONTA**  
CLUB OF  
FRANKFORT

MEMBER OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL  
**EMPOWERING WOMEN**  
THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

**January 2020**

**District 6 • Area 4 • Club 373**



Co-Presidents Message

Ladies,

*Happy New Year to you and your families! We hope that your holiday season was filled with much love and laughter.*

*January is the month that Zontians all over the world honor Amelia Earhart. On January 11, 1935, she became the first person to fly solo across the Pacific from Honolulu to Oakland, California. Therefore, we recognize January 11 as Amelia Earhart Day. Amelia was a member of Zonta. She was a forward-thinking woman that had a vision of economic independence for all women. Please plan to join us at 5:30 p.m., January 21, at the Frankfort Municipal Airport as we hear from Gary Quigg and learn the most recent updates in the continued treasure hunt for Amelia.*

*Mark your calendar . . . March 7 will be our 27<sup>th</sup> annual Chicken Noodle Dinner & Country Store. The success of this money-making project allows our club to support various scholarships as well as local organizations who help women in need.*

*Blessings to you all!!*

*Jeni and Nancy*

**Zonta Club of Frankfort  
2019 — 2020**

**Officers**

Co-Presidents  
*Nancy Harshbarger & Jeni Royalty*

Vice President  
*Stephanie Buntin*

Secretary  
*Marlene Brant*

Treasurer  
*Rita Betts*

Past President  
*Susie Trees*

**Club Board**

*Lori Davis  
Judy Sheets  
Brittany Butler  
Debbie Isgrigg*

Newsletter — *Jeni Royalty*  
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**Centennial Anniversary  
Biennium  
2018 - 2020**

Honor and Empower



**July 4 - 8, 2020 - Chicago**  
Zonta International Convention



Hosted by District 6  
Illinois, Indiana, & Wisconsin

January 8 Business meeting  
January 21 Amelia Earhart Program — Tuesday evening (Frankfort Airport)  
February 5 Board meeting  
February 11 Service Program — Tuesday evening (location tbd)  
February 26 Business meeting

**SAVE THESE DATES!**

April 18 — Area 4 Spring Workshop & Centennial Anniversary Celebration  
(We are host Club!)  
July 4 – 8 — Zonta International Convention, Chicago



**AMELIA EARHART PROGRAM**



*"There's more to life than being a passenger."  
Amelia Earhart*

On Tuesday evening, January 21, Gary Quigg with TIGHAR (*The International Group for Historic Aircraft Recovery*) will be the speaker for our Amelia Earhart Program.

The program will be held at Frankfort / Clinton County Municipal \*Airport. The evening is open to the public and will begin at 5:30 with hor d'oeuvres, followed by the presentation at 6:00.

\* Large hanger at far south end of airport entrance

**WANTED:**

**CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY AWARD NOMINATIONS**

**CHAMPION AWARD** — *An outstanding individual who has contributed significantly to empowering women; not necessarily high-profile, but a "hidden champion" in our community.*

**COMMUNITY AWARD** — *An outstanding individual or business/organization/ agency in our community with a proven record of empowering women.*

**Honor and Empower**



*Honorees will recognized at the  
Area 4 Spring Workshop & Centennial Anniversary Celebration  
on Saturday, April 18th.*

*(See Nomination form sent with newsletter email.)*



## JANUARY

- 18 Judy Sheets
- 29 Dorothy Chaney-Adams



## FEBRUARY

- 10 Marvel Albitz
- 10 Sandi Stevenson
- 21 Jill Snyder
- 24 Dana Myers
- 27 Lisa Stafford
- 28 Julie Kinsler



### CHICKEN NOODLE DINNER & COUNTRY STORE—SATURDAY, MARCH 7th!

Get ready, as plans are under way for our annual fundraiser with tickets distributed and the sign-up sheet circulated at the business meeting on 1-8!

*If you were not at this meeting &/or don't have your tickets, please watch your mail.*

Members are asked to provide at least 3 items for the Country Store. Ideas include candy, cakes, cookies, or pies, with the most popular being angel food cakes, bread or yeast rolls, noodles, and fruit or pecan\* pies.

\* *Gosh, I wonder where one can get some pecans.....?*

### UPDATE ON NUTS

With the new order that arrived in November and sales over the holidays, we now have 492 bags to sell. The price remains at \$11 for a one pound bag.

Please contact **Marlene** to place your order!

Phone: 659-3605 (H) 242-4232 (C) / Email: tmbrant@sbcglobal.net

### December Recap

We had a great turnout for our Christmas Party & Initiation on Tuesday, the 10th at the Angry Donkey. The 25 in attendance, including our 3 newest members. **Anita Stewart, Britt Ostler, and Linda Uitts**, enjoyed a delicious buffet, followed by the initiation. After the initiation ceremony, everyone—participant or not—enjoyed a game of Dirty Santa to conclude the evening.

A big “THANKS” to **Marvel** and **Tina** for planning such a lovely party & to **Kim** and the Membership Committee (**Ann, Cindy, and Susan**) for their efforts in recruiting these newest members!

Another “thank you” to **Jenny** and the Service Committee (**Debbie, Denise, Julie, Lorita, Sandie, Sharon, Susie, Tina, and Jill**) for their work in coordinating our Christmas service project to help a young mother of 4 children during the holidays. Due to the generosity of our members, these 4 little ones were provided with *pajamas, socks, underwear, outfits, blankets, books, & several toys*. *Their mom also received a few personal items, along with a generous amount of food for her family.*

*A final thanks to everyone who was able to come to the Christmas Party & Initiation &/or contributed in the work to brighten the holidays for this family in our community.*



# TAKE ACTION

Zonta Advocacy Action Center



The Zonta International Advocacy Action Center is a tool for members in the United States to take action to improve the lives of women and girls. With your help, we can make a difference.

One way is in support of the Equal Rights Amendment.

The ERA was passed by Congress in 1972; however, it has never been fully ratified. Its ratification would provide a constitutional guarantee that all men and women are truly equal under the law and that these rights cannot be easily abridged. **Without the ERA, women do not have equal rights under the law.**

Your help is needed to urge legislators to remove the deadline for ratification of the ERA.

Two joint resolutions have been introduced to that end, but more co-sponsors are required.

Go to <https://www.zonta.org/USA-Advocacy> to have your voice heard!

District 6\* is the host for the [2020 Convention](#), so we hope to have good representation in Chicago!

Please note the timelines below to register and let Nancy or Jeni know you have questions.

\* *Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin*




**Zonta International Convention in Chicago**  
July 4 — 8, 2020

Registration	Before Feb. 12	Feb. 13 – May 3	May 4 – June 15	Onsite
<b>Zontian - full rate</b>	US\$410	US\$470	US\$530	US\$590
<b>Zontian - single day</b>	US\$185	US\$195	US\$205	US\$215
<b>Non-Zontian/ Guest</b>	US\$150	US\$165	US\$175	US\$185

**HOTEL—Chicago Marriott Downtown Magnificent Mile**  
Single or Double: US\$189 — Triple: US\$219 — Quad: US\$249  
\*Rates do not include taxes, which are currently 17.4%.