President’s Message for May

The year has flown by and soon it will be June 1st, the end of our Zonta fiscal year and the promise of the new year to come. It seems impossible that 2 years have gone by since I became your President. It has been a wonderful 2 years for me. I plan to recap this past year in my comments at the installation dinner, but for now, I want to thank everyone of you for your dedication and passion to work together to make this a better world, especially for women. The world is a better place because of you!

We had a wonderful awards dinner on April 21st. It is such a thrill for us to be able to give out our Young Women in Public Affairs Award and the Virginia Gulikson Award to such deserving people. Thanks again to the Service Committee for their work in reading through the applicants and making the selections.

On April 22 and 23rd, 4 Everett Zontians attended the Areas 2 & 5 Workshop which was held at the Phoenix Inn in Olympia. The Friday night reception was held in Governor Roz’s suite. Morning sessions included a talk by the public information officer for the Bellevue Fire Department who talked to us about preparing for disasters such as earthquakes. Did you know you are much safer staying in your house during an earthquake, rather than running outside. Did you know that one of the safest places in your house is sitting next to an inside wall? Did you know that if you are in bed, you should stay in bed? These were some of the many things she told us in her very humorous speech.

The keynote speaker was Carol Schillios of the Schillios Development Foundation whose program *Fabric of Life* is dedicated to the cooperative partnerships that improve women’s access to affordable credit, education and health care. Her current programs are in Africa and Vietnam. Carol has done much to help many women. She had beautiful fabric made by African women which she sold to Zontians. Proceeds for the sale go directly to the women.

The afternoon breakout sessions included sessions on membership, fund raising, service projects and a Presidents’ workshop. We all felt it was a very worthwhile workshop.

Now we look forward to our Installation Dinner on May 19th. I hope all of you can come to welcome into office our new officers and board and our new members who will be initiated that night.

Janice Henning

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Zonta Calendar of Events

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Doncaster Clothing Needed for Installation

Norton Funkhouser is asking all Zonta members that own Doncaster clothing to wear them to the Installation Dinner. The older the clothing, the better.

Norton will be presenting the program for the Installation Dinner.
Minutes from the February meeting were reviewed and approved.

The Club trip to Victoria and Pearson College was on the agenda. Everyone who went had a great time and was very impressed with the facilities and students. A trip next year was discussed and suggested to coincide with the College’s big spring concert.

Chris presented a wrap-up of the Rose Day awards. For the most part deliveries were made without any glitches and the recipients were pleasantly surprised.

The next item on the agenda was the YWPA award. The winner and her parents will be invited to the April dinner. Her application will be forwarded to the District coordinator for further consideration. Isbell will find out what college she is attending so her check can be made out to them.

Also being presented at the April dinner is the Virginia Gullikson Award. Nominees were discussed and a motion was made to accept. After some further discussion the motion was accepted. Linda Senter will be asked to notify the winner and present the award. Suzie will be asked about getting a plaque.

The Historical Marker Project was discussed next. The Club had previously approved updating Park signs. The project is still in the works; Linda Senter is coordinating with the Parks Department. There was some discussion about whether the money should come from Service Committee funds without being able to meet the criteria for service. It was mentioned that it was more of a Public Relations type item. We need to clarify if the approval was to repair existing signs, replace them or add new ones.

We reviewed the remaining items on our timeline, Women in Transition, Jane Klausman scholarship and hands on project coming up in May.

Other ideas for fund raising were talked about including a fun-run, murder-mystery dinner and working at the Everett Event Center concessions.

The next meeting will be April 19th.

Zlightful Dollars

Nancy Weis has been honored to be included in the women’s legacy book “Write women into History” for her volunteering over 50 years.

Helen Kendall is glad to be back on track after her surgery and a month in Punta Gorda, Florida.

Nolonna Funkhouser is excited to have her daughter, Deonna Klein, moving back to Everett after 1 ½ years in Sun Valley, Idaho, to work for her father at Klein Honda.

Paula Trimble’s oldest granddaughter, Kayleigh, is leaving for a week in Hawaii with the Kamiak orchestra.

Dottie Krzyzanowski spent a wonderful five days in Ocean Shores.

Margaret Bruhl said CBW’s auction was a great success. Thank you all who donated and/or attended.

Chris Rommell and Mike enjoyed Las Vegas and a great side trip to Death Valley while the desert was in full bloom.

Judith Strand gave a “Yeah!” for the Silvertips and her stepdaughter getting engaged.

Myrna Overstreet had so much fun at Whistler with her son’s family for four days.

Pat Allen just got back from Hong Kong! She had a wonderful time-guess what?-no pick up trucks or SUV’s! Too many people and narrow roads and she can’t wait to go again.

The committee reviewed the new Orientation packet that Cindy has put together that we will be using as a tool to educate new/prospective members.

Cindy Phillips, recorder

Diane Lahti gave a $1 for successful fashion show at CBW’s Chocolate Lover’s Auction.

Suzie Truglio spent three days in Las Vegas at the ASI trade show.

Cindy Phillips had a great four day trip to Reno.

Isbell Juntila is home from Connecticut from taking care of sister post surgery.
HONEY-GINGER CHICKEN BITES

2/3 cup honey
2 tablespoons minced peeled fresh ginger
2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
2 tablespoons cider vinegar
2 teaspoons dark sesame oil
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
4 garlic cloves, minced
1 1/4 pounds skinless, boneless chicken thighs, cut into bite-sized pieces (about 16 thighs)

Combine first 9 ingredients in a large zip-top plastic bag; seal and shake well. Add chicken; seal and toss to coat. Refrigerate at least 2 hours or overnight, turning occasionally.

Preheat oven to 425°.

Remove chicken from bag, reserving marinade. Arrange chicken in a single layer on the rack of a broiler pan coated with cooking spray. Sprinkle chicken with salt and pepper. Bake at 425° for 20 minutes, stirring once. While chicken is cooking, strain marinade through a sieve into a bowl; discard solids. Place marinade in a saucepan; bring to a boil. Cook 3 minutes; skim solids from surface. Combine cornstarch and water in a small bowl; stir with a whisk. Add cornstarch mixture to pan, stirring with a whisk; cook 1 minute. Remove from heat; pour glaze into a large bowl.

Preheat broiler.

Add chicken to glaze; toss well to coat. Place chicken mixture on a jelly roll pan; broil 5 minutes or until browned, stirring twice. Sprinkle with sesame seeds, if desired.

Yield: 12 servings (serving size: about 1 1/2 ounces)

WONTON WRAPS WITH CREAMY CRAB FILLING

1 package wonton wraps
1 8 ounce block cream cheese, room temperature
1/2 cup mayonnaise
1 can crab drained
1/4 cup finely chopped green onion
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Hot pepper sauce to taste
Cocktail sauce and herbs or lemon pieces for garnish

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Place a wonton wrap in each cup of a standard muffin tin. Bake for 10-15 minutes or until golden. Allow to cool slightly in tin then remove to a wire rack. Can be made one day in advance and stored in zip-lock bags until ready to fill.

Beat the cream cheese until light and fluffy. Add lemon juice and mayonnaise and beat until incorporated. Fold in crab and green onion and add hot pepper sauce to taste. Chill. Add desired amount of dip to wonton wraps just before serving. Top with a small amount of cocktail sauce and herbs or lemon.
Vice President Judith Strand called the meeting to order at 7:35 at Everett Golf and Country Club. Zeeligtful dollars were shared.

**Treasurer’s Report**
Diane Lahti shared the report, and approval was moved by Pat Allen, and seconded by Paula Trimble. The report was approved as presented.

**Old Business**
- **Auction** - Suzie Truglio and Pat Allen shared the ‘Do It Now’ motto for the Auction. The theme of the Auction is ONE WORLD, and the teams have been designated and assigned names by continents - Australia, North and South America, Africa, Asia, and Europe. Joan Thomasson has been VERY busy doing solicitation letters for members, and some have already received positive responses. The FIRM solicitation deadline is OCTOBER 21.

- **Nominating Committee** - Chris Rommel presented the slate of officers as follows: President - Judith Strand
  Vice President - Janet Jolley
  Secretary - Diane Wright
  Treasurer - Diane Lahti (with Carol Dreysse)

- **Past President** - Janice Henning
  Board - new - Jodie Kelley, Darlene Conkle
  - continuing - Suzie Truglio, Margaret Bruland

- **Presented** - It was moved, seconded and passed to accept the slate unanimously.

- **New Business**
  - **Due** - Diane said that dues are due by April 31. Notices have been sent by email to those who have email, and by mail to other.
  - **Pins for Profit** - Judith said that the minimum order had been changed to 144 for a cost of $6.00 each for a total of $865. It was moved by Margaret Bruland and seconded by Cindy Phillips that we order 144 pins for a total of $865 and sell the pins for $15 each. We will check to see if we have to pay taxes on the pins.

- **Committee Reports**
  - **Service/Status of Women** - Diane Lahti reported that they had received applications for the Jane Klausman and the Women in Transitions Awards. The Young Woman in Public Affairs will be at the VIP dinner. The next work part for Books for Babies is Monday, April 11 at 5:00 at the library.

- **Membership** - Paula Trimble reminded us that the Wine Tasting is April 8, and we will go to the Historic Theater in May. Judy Gish is joining the Club in June.

- **Program** - Susan Zakos encouraged members to invite guests to the VIP dinner on April 21.

- **Public Relations** - Darlene Conkle sent the comments on the brochure to Suzan Forrest. Helen said that we have lots of nail files to share.

- **Zontagram** - Sheila Countryman reminded us that the deadline is the third Friday of the month, and she really needs reports!!!

- **Historian** - Carol Dreysse and Janice Henning cleaned out the storage area, and Carol is going through material in preparation for a scrapbooking party. Isbell Juntilla won the raffle! There being no further business to come before it, the meeting was adjourned. Respectfully submitted,
  - Myrna Overstreet
  - Secretary pro-tem

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**ZONTA CLUB OF EVERETT BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**MARCH 28, 2005**

- **Members attending:** Carol Dreysse, Diane Lahti, Paula Trimble, Suzie Truglio, Judith Strand, Janice Henning, Margaret Bruland, Myrna Overstreet. **Guest:** Kayla Dreysse.

- The minutes of the last Board meeting were approved as ‘perfect’!

- **Treasurer’s Report** given by Carol Dreysse was approved as presented. Diane said that the EGCC bookkeeper is checking on late charges which keep showing up on our account. She will rectify the problem.

- **Old business**

- **Pins for Profit** - Judith said that the minimum order would be 288 pins. The decision was made to wait until we know the price of the order. Concern was expressed over the large minimum number.

- **Vests** - Suzie said the vests cost $12.99 and the embroidery will cost less as more are ordered. It was decided to take orders at the Yakima district conference. We will have samples available at that time.

- **Auction** - the kick off will be April 7 at the regular meeting. The budget will be decided by the April board meeting. We’ll have teams named for different continents.

- **Storage unit** - Janice and Carol moved everything to the smaller 5x5 unit. They purged a lot of ‘stuff’. Carol will work on organizing more in May.

- **Beer Garden** - The Club voted not to do the Beer Garden at the March luncheon meeting.

- **Committees**
  - **Service/Status of Women** - Carol read a card from Deb Crisman, District 4 area director thanking us for including her on the Victoria trip. Deb also sent a $200 check for our service projects. A candidate has been chosen for the Young Woman in Public Affairs. Ida Mae Shack will be awarded the Virginia Guillison award. Ida Mae will probably be out of town, but her daughter will be delighted to accept the award for her.

- **Membership/Fellowship** - There will be a wine tasting gathering at Pacific Kitchen on April 8, and on May 13 the Fellowship will be a play at the Everett Historic Theater. Judy Gish will be joining the Club in June. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
- Myrna Overstreet
- Secretary pro-tem
2005 Auction Report

For those unable to attend the Auction Meeting, the following was discussed:

Attendees: Carol Johnson, Pat Allen, Paula Trimble, Isbell Juntila, Joan Thomasson, Suzie Truglio

Old Business: Liz Loomis has agreed to MC the auction again this year. Myrna is checking to see if Bob and Cheryl Drewel would consider being the honorary chairs. If they cannot, we are not having any honorary chairs.

Dinner choice: There will be a choice of a combo steak & salmon or vegetarian.

Design/Printing: For the artwork, we will be using the Zonta World Pin design.

Wine Cellar: The wine committee is asking that members donate $20.00 towards the purchase of wines from around the world.

Decorations: Janice Henning has sent letters to various Zonta Clubs throughout the world asking for them to send us items from their country to be used as centerpieces. The colors are going to be silver, light blue & violet. Pat Allen is checking to see if her flag source will let us borrow flags to be used the night of the auction.

Volunteers: We are still in need of a chairperson for this committee. It has been suggested we dress the runners in native costumes.

The next auction meeting is May 10, 7:30 am, The Sisters on Grand, Everett.

2005 Zonta Auction Committees

Attached is a list of the committees. Please check to see what committee you are on and if you have not done so, please sign up for a committee you would like to be on.

Isbell

Silent Auction
1. Nancy Kniest
2. Cindy Phillips
3. Diane Wright
4. Janice Henning
5. Janet Jolley

Wine Cellar
1. Dava Esman
2. Paula Trimble
3. Diane Lahti

Volunteers

Entertainment
Isbell Juntila

Clean up
THE WHOLE CLUB

Hotel
Auctioneer
1. Carol Johnson
2. Joan Thomasson
3. Darlene Conkle
4. Helen Kendall
5. Dottie Krzyzanoski

Catalog
1. Joan Thomasson

Gift Certificates
1. Margaret Bruland

Pat

Live Auction
Chris Rommel

Power Point
Darlene Conkle

Corporate Sponsorships
1. Judy Strand

Registration Packets
1. Diane Lahti
2. Myrna Overstreet

Public Relations
1. Helen Kendall
2. Suzan Thompson-Forest

Raffle

Decorations
1. Carol Johnson
2. Joan Thomasson
3. Darlene Conkle
4. Helen Kendall
5. Dottie Krzyzanoski

Storage
Nancy Weis

Suzie

Attendance
Suzie Truglio

Solicitations
1. Carol Dreysse
THE WHOLE CLUB

Auction Reports
Email meeting reminders
Cashinging

Isbell Juntila
Pat Allen
Suzie Truglio

Watch sales for end of season specials and purchase for basket or theme packages. It may seem odd now to purchase holiday items but they would be ideal for a Nov. 12 auction. You can get great items at discounted prices and make beautiful baskets that will draw high bids!