Where were you when the fireworks weren't?? Our home overlooks the port, and we went to bed on July 4th when the Abraham Lincoln shut off its lights. Imagine our surprise when at 11:20 p.m. the entire household (including two dogs) were tossed out of bed by a belated Thunder On The Bay! I commiserate with Joel Starr whose efforts gave us a wonderful finish to a spectacular day. He (like us) volunteers his time to help people in Everett and deserves an “AttaBoy” next time you see him at the Flying Pig.

Our business meeting on July 7th gave us pause to ponder the fate of people in London, England who were attacked by terrorists in the heart of their beloved city. My brother, Jamie, and sister-in-law, Trish, live in east London. She was on the subway – only nine minutes behind the explosion. When the subway was evacuated it took her two and a half hours to get home by bus and ferry. When I returned from the meeting, I learned via email that all was well.

I want to extend my special thanks to the committee chairs for submitting their goals for this issue of the Zontagram. It is hard to rally people in the summer when so many are on vacation. Good job everyone. And an “AttaGirl” to Dava Esman for being the “secretary” at that meeting while Diane Wright was visiting exotic shores.

As some of you know, my garden, style is Japan meets Rocky Mountains and is now in its second summer. Naturally, I was very disappointed to miss the discussion about phase 111 development of the Nippon Center. Many thanks to Jenny Anttila for filling me in on details. We are lucky to have Dottie Krzyzanoski as a valuable liaison to Everett Community College programs.

Thanks to Nancy Weis for volunteering to attend the Networking Round Table on July 28th. We look forward to hearing more about that at the next business meeting.

I hope all of you have taken the opportunity to look at our Zontian magazine. It’s packed with exciting new information and contains a good idea from the Zonta Club of Dallas about holding a luncheon at their flight museum. Also, I would like to remind each member to go to the international website www.zonta.org to see the member survey results. I will be opening this up for discussion at our next meeting. Friendship and activities were ranked very highly. You’ll see from our club goals that those issues rank highly with us too!

Respectfully submitted,
Judith A. Strand, President
Zonta Club of Everett
**Committee Reports**

**Service**

MINUTES OF MEETING OF ZONTA CLUB OF EVERETT
SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING
June 21, 2005
The meeting took place at the home of Nancy Weis, 5810 Fleming Road, #85, Everett, WA, and was called to order by Chair Jodie Kelley at 6:15 p.m..

Those present were: Jodie Kelley, Nancy Weis, Judith Strand, Isbell Juntila, Linda Senter and Jan Parker.

After introductions, we watched a presentation on “Making a Difference in Your Community”, produced by Zonta International. We encourage all members to visit the Zonta International website at http://www.zonta.org.

After reading the list of Goals and Objectives of the Service Committee, those present moved and seconded the acceptance of these goals and objectives for 2005-2006. The list is attached to this page and is made a part hereof.

Jan Parker agreed to take minutes of this and future meetings.

The next meeting will be held on July 19 at 6:00 p.m., again at Nancy’s Weis’ home. The primary focus will be to have discussions and make decisions regarding the committee calendar.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted this 25th day of June, 2005.

Jan Parker
Scribe

**Membership**

Zonta Membership Committee
Minutes
June 29, 2005

The June Membership Committee meeting was held at Bogie’s Restaurant, 41st Street, Everett at 4:00 p.m. Those in attendance were Darlene Conklé, Jean Cooley, Janice Henning, Norlonna Funkhouser, Helen Kendall, and Suzie Truglio. Those absent were Judy Gish, Janet Jolley and Myrna Overstreet.

See goals listed below

The committee reviewed the Marian de Forest Membership and Classification Manual created by Zonta International. Several sample letters and forms were discussed and may possibly be used this year.

Members of the committee chose responsibilities for the upcoming year. They are as follows:
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**Committee Goals**

**Service Committee Goals 2005-2006**

The goal of the Zonta Club of Everett is to advance the status of women by continuing to address the issues of women’s economic self-sufficiency, legal equality, access to education and health care and eradicating violence in Snohomish County, and around the globe, through completion of the following objectives: to

1. Select, notify and disperse funds to service organizations that will receive proceeds from the club’s fundraising efforts.
2. Select district and international programs to support and propose an appropriate dollar amount to the club.
3. Solicit applications for Amelia Earhart Fellowship awards.
4. Solicit applicants and select recipients for Young Women in Public Affairs Scholarships.
5. Solicit applicants and select recipients for Women in Transition Scholarships.
6. Solicit applicants and select recipients for the Jane M. Klausman Scholarship.
7. Organize and compile “Books for Babies” baskets to be given to mothers of newborns in local hospitals.
8. Select and organize volunteers for “hands on” projects.
9. Recognize Zonta Rose Day.
10. Solicit nominations for and select a recipient for the Virginia Gullickson Award.
11. Work with the program committee to organize the Awards Banquet.
12. Work with the program committee to educate members about international projects.
13. Have the new historical markers installed in local parks.
15. Provide regular updates on committee activities to the general membership.
16. Share volunteer opportunities that help advance the status of women with the committee and general membership.
17. Serve as role models by being strong women who take an active role in the community.
Auction Committee Goals 2005-2006

1. Increase auction revenue.
2. Get solicitations in on time.
3. Have full participation of membership in auction committees.
4. Increase the number of guests.
5. Have Fun.

Membership Committee Goals 2005-2006

1. Achieve a net gain of five new members, encouraging diversity through fun fellowship events.
2. Spotlight new classifications and business and professional leaders in the community. Identify prominent businesses and professional leaders in the community and consider them for membership.
3. Update membership and classification list.
4. Develop and implement a growth/retention plan.
5. Request that each member of the club propose a qualified person for membership.
6. Introduce at least two new member classifications into the club, which reflect the diversity of the local business and professional community.
7. Establish an effective orientation/mentor plan to help retain members.

P.R. Committee Goals for 2005-2006

1. Finalize and print Zonta Club of Everett Brochure.
2. Work with Barb Hantsman on keeping website up-to-date on a regular basis.
3. Solicit member suggestions for new, creative PR projects.
4. Update media on a regular basis, including current photos.
5. Work with each member on the 30-second ‘elevator speech’ on how to describe Zonta to interested parties.
6. Assure that members who attend Chamber and other community events have PR packets with them.
7. Assemble PR materials for hand-out at District and International Conferences.

This is YOUR Zontagram!
I am an accountant by trade, no real creative writing skills to speak of so I need your input on what you would like to see in future Zontagrams. Please pass on articles on members in the news, international events pertaining to women etc, etc.
Solicitations

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Won’t you please help? I know its summer and we are all now out enjoying the very warm weather. Our minds might not be focused on the fall auction, but it will be here before you know it. I am poised and ready to take all your hundreds of solicitations, so please put me to work! You can mail them to me at 18730-88th PL SE Snohomish, WA 98290 or give them to me at the meetings. I will be at the August 4 breakfast meeting.

Carol D

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Judith Strand: To my Aunt June who worked in the 40’s for a female advertising agency boss who was a Zontian.

Isbell: Z-lighted to be at the meeting.

Nancy W: Had a chance to do a ½ hour radio show about medicare prescription.

Chris Rommel & Mike enjoyed a 2 week adventure in Alaska followed by an inside passage cruise.

Janet Jolley: just got back from Boston, was gone a week for Lifeline Conference. Also got to take Sister Georgette back to Yakima.

Paula Trimble: Is downsizing & moving to a condo. Daughter’s family all ok after London terrorist attack. Is leaving tomorrow for a road trip to KS/MO with granddaughter. All our children/grandchildren together in KS/MO to celebrate my parent’s 65th wedding anniversary. My mother-in-law’s 90th birthday. Son proposing to girlfriend while we are all together.

Dava Esman: $2 for 3 events she is planning or had for Children’s Hospital and $1 for upcoming week in Chelan.

Janice Henning: $1 for a week spent at Whapato Point in Lake Chelan with our 2 daughters and 7 grandchildren. $1 for our trip next week to stay at Susan Z & Barb Hs condo on Whitefish Lake, MT, then on to a wedding in Chico Hot Springs, Mt.

Carol D: Cindy and I attended the Seattle club’s 8th anniversary dinner. The meeting & presentation was conducted in both Korean & English. The Seattle club feels very close to the Everett club.
District News

The E Project: a Program To Fight Domestic Violence

In February Beth Williams, a member of the Zonta Club of Grants Pass, approached one of my advertising salesmen about putting a domestic violence ad on the back of grocery store receipts in southern Oregon. At that time, the Zonta Club of Grants Pass purchased an ad in one store, and the ad was also placed at no cost in a few other stores in southern Oregon. The ad reads: “Are you walking on eggshells for fear of your partner? Chat with a domestic violence advocate – soon.” The ad also includes the 800 phone number and web site of the National Domestic Violence hotline. Beth emailed me in March, and I decided that our company could donate ad space in many other stores.

Since March a total of 6,504,741 domestic violence ads have been placed in grocery store receipt tapes all over the Northwest, including Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana. The total value so far of these ads is over $34,000.

In June, Beth reported that there were increases in victim contacts from February to April in two of the Oregon areas. Illinois Valley, OR, showed a 118% increase in new clients, while the Grants Pass area showed a 125% increase in victim contacts. She believes that the increase in demands on local services must, in part, be due to our receipt tape advertising program. Beth is keeping Zonta International apprised of this project and statistics as we receive them. She is keeping careful records in hopes of applying for a ZISVAW grant for the project.

I applaud Beth and her efforts on this project, which is being done in memory of a dear friend and Zontian who died as a result of domestic violence.

Janice Henning

Inter-District Membership Seminar

Having just returned from the Inter-District Membership Seminar of the America’s in Denver, Co. my mind is overflowing with all the great ideas and success stories we heard from the other 140 participants. I am very excited to share some of these with you

- Assisting clubs in preparing their Strategic Plans (we have a four (4) page form that will help clubs)
- Rookie Review – Having new members meet with the Club President and the Membership Committee Chair to share their thoughts on their first year as a member.
- How to utilize the Zonta International website to assist clubs with membership growth and planning
You will be hearing about all of this and more in the near future.

At the seminar we heard that Zonta should be the service organization of choice. To make this happen we need to make sure our club and district programs support Zonta’s mission, our clubs are visible in the community and actively support the mission, and we need a strong and growing membership, Zonta is growing in North America and membership in District 8 needs to continue to seek qualified prospective members who want to “Improve the Status of Women” worldwide.

I hope you all have a safe and fun summer and I look forward to seeing many of you at the District 8 Conference that will be hosted by the Yakima, WA club in September.

*Cindy Phillips, Lt. Governor*

**District Conference Registration Form**

(Additional information available at www.zontadistrict8.org)

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- Name: _____________________________________ e-mail: ___________________

Address: __________________________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: __________________________________________________________________

Phone: ____________________ Zonta Club: ______________________________

Delegate (Y)(N) District Position: ____________________________________________

**Cost:** $150 per person **if paid by 8/25/05** (includes all meals, including winery tour and banquet)

After 8/25/05 registration is $160.00

Do you have any dietary restrictions? If so, please email ruhome@prodigy.net and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

**Spouse Cost:** ( ) Friday Winery $32.50 ( ) Saturday Banquet $40.00

Please choose one:

☐ NY Steak w/mushrooms, peppercorn gravy ☐ Sole Stuffed w/crab/shrimp

Please mail this form with payment no later than August 25, 2005

District 8 Conference

c/o Lesli Shields/Yakima Valley Zonta Club

P.O. Box 9254

Yakima, WA 98909
District 8 Candidate Bios are on the District Website Site now. Please take a moment to see who is running. Most candidates have pictures included.

Zonta International News

2005 District and International Recipients YWPA

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Five International Recipients
Photo Gallery

Japanese Garden, Nippon Institute
Cindy & Carol visit the Zonta Club of Nanaimo, B.C.

Carol & Cindy & Helen Turner of the Melbourne, Australia club.