

Advancing the Status  
of Women Worldwide



Zonta Zinger  
Johnson County

### Good news: Zonta has grown!

During the 2012-14 biennium Zonta International added 4 new countries and 33 new chapters. We have more world-wide members in 2014 than in 2012.

Let's ensure that our Johnson County chapter grows as well! Please invite a friend to attend one of our Zonta meetings or events! Our website and the district and international websites are great motivators for potential members.

#### Zonta International Convention Highlights:

- Over 1,600 Zontians from around the world attended the convention
- The United Nations connection was very evident during our proceedings!
- Progress reports were given regarding *Zonta Says No*
- The International projects for the 2014-16 biennium were presented
- The by-laws were changed significantly (after in-depth discussion)
- The opening and closing ceremonies were very impressive!
- A daily report was sent to all members world-wide
- A personal note: The experience was very beneficial for me. I have a better grasp of the scope of the organization, and of the commitment these women show toward improving conditions for women world-wide. I can honestly say that the conditions that exist for women in many parts of the world are very surprising and concerning. Zonta has helped to improve conditions significantly, but much more is needed.

### Zonta Club of Johnson County, KS

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President: Pam Fellingham

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Our next meeting will be held on August 6th at Conroy's on 95th street. We will install new Zonta members: Clare Wolken and Jill Domoney. A very positive report will be given regarding the Zonta International Convention in Orlando.

FYI: The district project for the 2014-16 biennium is *HAITI*. This has been approved by Zonta International. There will be opportunities to join the trips to Haiti in the future. We will discuss this project at the August meeting.

#### Dates to remember:

Next meeting: August 6 at Conroy's — we will install new members!

Field trip to Atchison August 23: more info at our meeting

District Seminar in Minneapolis: September 19-20

*Zonta Club of Johnson County, Kansas*

*District 7 Area 4 Charter Date: May 18, 1972*

*District Governor: Polly Holton*

*Area 4 Director: Cheryl Kohr*

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