

Advancing the Status
of Women Worldwide



Johnson County
Zonta Zinger

Building a Culture of Peace for Children Around the World

This event will be held at the Nichols Library on the UMKC campus. We will have a display featuring Zonta International and featuring our club on Sunday, October 26 Thanks to Anne McCleery and Jill Domoney for their development of the display!

Zonta Club of Johnson County, KS

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Overland Park Fall Festival: As most of you know...we had a very successful booth at the festival. We made over \$1,200 for our various service projects and scholarships! Thanks to all of our members who spent time working that very busy day. We really appreciate all the hard work! A special thanks to Ruth H. for working from 8:30 to 5:00!

Trip to Atchison: Sister Bridget arranged for us to meet at the Keeler Center at 9:30 on Saturday, October 11. We toured the Keeler Center and then went to Atchison where we toured and had lunch with the sisters at Mount St. Scholastica. Lunch was provided for us because we have volunteered at the Keeler Center. We also attended midday praise. Thanks to Sister Carol Ann and Sister Bridget for organizing such a wonderful day for us! This trip was truly inspirational!

Please be ready to sign up to help with our preparations for **Women Helping Women**. Let Cynthia know if you can help on the 29th. We will have you sign up for helping on November 12th at our next Zonta meeting. We are also pleased to have potential members attending our November meeting...we really have the opportunity to grow!

Flower workers from Columbia will be presenting at the Miller Nichols Library Learning Center Room 451 on Tuesday October 28 at 7:00pm. Josefa Gomez and Leonardo Luna Alzate will speak regarding actions they are taking to help the female flower workers. 65% of the flower workers in Columbia are women. The workers face 12-16 hour days and are exposed to 127 different pesticides, many toxic and carcinogenic. Flowers are one of Columbia's biggest exports, with 76% imported to the US.

Foodie Cards

We are hoping to have the Foodie Cards for sale at Women Helping Women. More info on this at our meeting in November.

Work sessions for Women Helping Women:

October 29 at 6:30 at Joan Korek's

November 12 at 6:30 at Joan Korek's

Dates to remember:

Next meeting: **November 5** at Conroy's

Women Helping Women: **November 23**

Christmas Dinner : **December 3** at the Bristol

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