

ZCoM News



Zonta Club of Midland

MARCH 2014

Brainworks—Keeping Us Sharp

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Jim Wiaduck

Memory games and tips for better brain health kept members of the Zonta Club of Midland engaged and smiling during Jim Wiaduck’s presentation at our dinner meeting on March 18th. The evening began at the check-in table with a page of puzzles assembled by the Fellowship Committee to get everyone involved right from the start.

Jim, a financial advisor with the Advisor Solutions Group at Janus, presented a program developed by Heidi Hanna, PhD, designed to help people

keep their brains active and flexible as they age. According to Jim’s slide show, the brain’s functions begin to decline in your late 20s and early 30s. To prove his point, he showed a slide with 18 pictures on it and gave us 30 seconds to absorb it. Then he gave us a minute to recall, in order, all the pictures we could. Needless to say, no one got all 18 pictures. In fact, a majority of the members got less than 50%.



Discussing the “Fab Five” for brain health, Jim shared how we can improve brain activity and acuity by eating the right foods, getting enough rest, exercising regularly, balancing stress, and maintaining a supportive social life. He recommended that we complete the Brain Health Assessment at the back of his handout to determine our strengths and weaknesses so we can design our own brain fitness program.

In parting, Jim asked us to re-take the picture memory test. Remarkably, most people remembered more pictures in the right location the second time around. That made us all feel better!

Only ONE More Meeting!

The April lunch meeting is the last meeting before our **Annual Auction on April 22d**. So far we have furs, a hot air balloon ride, homemade cheesecake and lasagna, and other basket-filling treasures.

We still need wine (any kind, any vintage) and large baskets or trays. If you haven’t emptied those cupboards and closets, now is the time to make a dent! Please bring your donations to the April 8th meeting .

SPECIAL NOTE: Look for the **black** SUV with the Zonta magnets.



DATE CHANGE

The April Business Meeting will be held on

Tuesday, April 8

President's Message



Our Homewalk Committee is hard at work again preparing for the 2014 event. Between February and May, the key question on the committee's mind is how can we make the 2014 Homewalk even better than prior years and raise even more money?

The answer to that question starts with recruiting homes to be part of the event. As many of you know, my home was on homewalk five years ago. Actually, it was my daughter's idea to volunteer our home. I was on the Homewalk Committee that year and told my kids that we were struggling with participation. My daughter turned to me and said, "Mom, we have a lot of Christmas stuff and you always talk about giving back to the community. We should volunteer our home." And so it began. I will be the first to admit that putting my home on the walk was a little stressful. But looking back on it now, I am really happy that we did it. Little known fact – I was actually Julie Ratcliffe's first customer in her new store - she and her contractor installed my new kitchen in record time!

I realize that not everyone is interested in opening their home up to the community but I would ask each of you to consider it. And if not your home, do any of your friends, neighbors or family members have homes that are really unique, interesting or appealing? Our Homewalk Committee needs all of the leads they can get, so please help us recruit some fabulous homes for this year's walk.

As always, thanks for your engagement and support!

Cathy Budd



Sandy Weimer



Sandy's recuperating from a dislocated hip and is "grounded" for 6 weeks. She's taking care and is undergoing physical therapy. She's not letting her immobility keep her down! While she's unable to drive at this time, she's still able to "direct traffic" regarding the auction and other Zonta business.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery!

★ The PR Committee will accept members' articles (with accompanying photos, if applicable) for publication
★ in this newsletter. Articles will be edited for content and compatibility with Zonta Club goals. Please submit
★ your articles in Word format, pictures in jpg format, or flyers and brochures as PDFs to: Colette St.
★ Louis at Colette51@charter.net.
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★ Chair. 2014 Committee members and contributors: Carole Calvert-Baxter, Cynthia Chilcote, Jenny
★ Kendrick.

Inductions and Orientation

Zonta Club of Midland inducted new members at the March business meeting followed by orientation two weeks later just prior to the March dinner meeting. Our newest members are: Cheryl Chasnis, Melinda Gall, Pam Nagel, Christin Petroski, and Collette Smith (not in attendance).

Jennifer Chappel, Membership Committee Chair, introduced Carole Calvert-Baxter, ZCoM member and former District Governor, to conduct the induction. Carole explained that Zonta is derived from the Lakota Sioux word that means honest and trustworthy. New members were given a handout describing the layers of the Zonta emblem and the meaning behind each layer. Carole reviewed membership expectations and responsibilities and expressed her confidence that the inductees would contribute enthusiasm and talents to our club.

Jennifer asked the new members to come forward with their sponsors. Zonta pledge cards were handed to each new member and they, along with the rest of the membership, recited the pledge. Then the membership accepted these new members into the club. Sponsors presented Zonta pins and yellow roses to the new members.

Rather than wait until an evening meeting to host orientation, Jennifer announced that we'd use the hour before the March dinner meeting to complete that process. On March 17th, Cynthia Chilcote led the slide presentation that explains the Zonta hierarchy, mission and initiatives, and inner workings of our local club. Chairs of some of the committees were present to give more detail and attempt to draft members for their committees.

Melinda, Pam, and Christin Petroski were the new members who attended orientation and had their pictures taken for the membership roster.



MELINDA GALL

A 17-year employee of Dow Chemical, Melinda's currently a Customer Service Representative with Dow Building Solutions. She's recently become a partner in Right at Home with her husband, Jim. Right at Home provides in-home caregiving services. Sponsored by Cathy Budd.



PAM NAGEL

An independent chocolate distributor through Dove Chocolate Discoveries, Pam is a team leader who coaches others to develop their own entrepreneurial skills. She leads chocolate-tasting parties and creates custom, premium gift packages for clients. Pam holds an MA in Marketing. Sponsored by Jill VanderZouwen.



CHRISTIN PETROSKI

Christin is a corporate attorney with Warner Norcross & Judd focusing on mergers and acquisitions, dispositions, reorganizations and other contractual matters. She has a BS from Florida State University, magna cum laude, and a JD from University of Florida, magna cum laude. Sponsored by Sandy Weimer.

Proposed Bylaws Changes up for Vote

The Bylaws Committee presented these proposed changes at the March business meeting but are adding one additional change. Rather than specifying that the 2nd vice-president chair the Ways and Means Committee, they are proposing that the 2nd vice-president chair a committee for the club. (Changes from the original by-laws are in italics.)

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Article VII – Officers and Directors

Section 7. Duties of officers

C. 2nd Vice President. The 2nd Vice President, in the absence or inability of the President and the 1st Vice President, shall perform the duties of the President. *The 2nd Vice President shall also chair one committee, as agreed upon by the Nominating Committee.*

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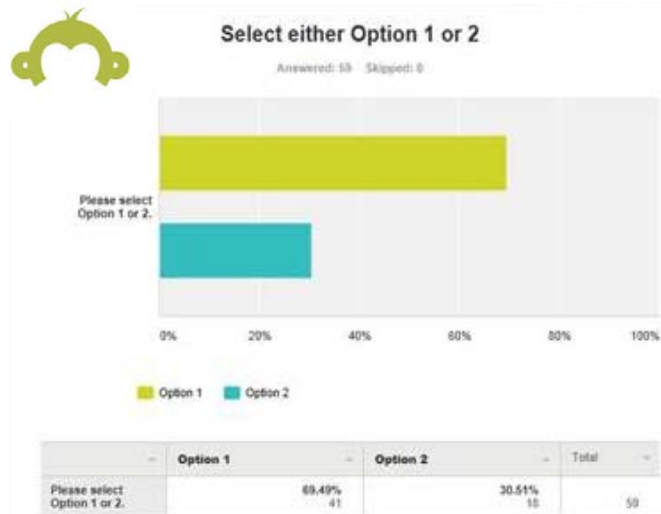
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Survey Results Regarding Dues



The majority of the club voted for Option #1, which was to split the dues from meal costs. This means annual dues will be \$160 with meals paid for as you attend meetings.

Karla sent invoices reflecting this new method. We pay our International and district dues in May so we are asking members to pay their dues in one payment. Some members requested the option to pre-pay for their meals. The invoices will provide information for those interested in prepaying for meals.

Picture This!

Zonta members, coordinated by Maria Cohoon, volunteered at the Legacy Center’s “World’s Greatest Mardi Gras Party” on March 4th. In past years, our club provided many volunteers to serve desserts. With the change from desserts to a more well-rounded meal, our volunteers helped at a special photo booth in addition to working the Hamilton Pastry table. The booth was staged with a large frame and costumes that people dressed in to have their picture taken. According to Maria, more than 50 framed photos were provided to guests.

We had 12 volunteers on hand: Megan Granda, Katherine Dollard, Nan Blasy, Lynda Putt, Lisa Hulbert, Mary Hart, Michele Atwell, Jill VanderZouwen, Cheryl Chasnis, Debra Miller, Becky Wieland, and Maria Cohoon. The Zonta aprons were donned and proudly displayed Zonta’s participation in this fundraiser for literacy.



Golden Z Club Creating Smiles

The Golden Z Club is putting together “sunshine bags” for patients coming out of surgery for cleft lip, cleft palate, and other facial deformities. We would like to help them out by donating some items to put in the bags. These bags are going to be like “treat bags” with yellow contents, tied with yellow ribbons. The contents don't have to be 100% yellow. Please bring any items you would like to donate to the **April business meeting. This is our deadline!**

Operation Smile has listed some ideas on their website:

- small shampoo (.85 to 1.4 oz size, screw-on top only)
- small comb (no rat tails)
- new wash cloth
- bar of soap (small hotel size)
- sample size toothpaste (check expiration date - not expired)
- child size toothbrush (single package)
- small stuffed animal (Beanie Baby® size)
- 8 pack box of coloring crayons
- thin 8.5” x 11” coloring book
- small square mirror (approximate size 3”x 3”)
- pack of post-it notes
- Small packet of tissues



Operation Smile particularly needs toothpaste (expiration date at least 6 months in the future) and soap!

For Smile Bags, keep these guidelines in mind:

Personal hygiene items such as dental floss, body lotion, and baby oil are wonderful items, however, they are not included in our Smile Bags. All items we request are the small, travel size for one simple reason—we need to pack 50 smile bags into a box. Large personal hygiene items take up more room.

Any type of food product, like candy and gum, is not packed for Operation Smile missions. Shipping regulations prohibit sending food items across international borders. These items could cause all of our medical equipment and supplies to be quarantined in customs.

Let's Build a House!



Led by Debbie Stephens, Advocacy Committee Chair, Zonta Club of Midland members will be participating in this year's Habitat for Humanity Women Build on May 9th. The details are below. Please add this to your calendar. If you will be participating, please RSVP to Deb by email by April 7th. (dhstephens@dow.com) “We will have an awesome time helping to build a home for Donna and her daughter Abby. As a bonus, Donna, a domestic violence survivor, will be joining us at our April 8th business meeting to share her story.”

Date: May 9th

Time: 1-5 PM. And, if you are interested, Habitat will be serving lunch at noon

Location: To be announced by Habitat closer to the build date

What do I do now? RSVP

What do I do later? Sign waiver as required by Habitat

The Advocacy Committee will be thinking about ways to promote our mission and show our solidarity at the build. If you have any great ideas, please let Debbie know.

Spring ZINGs...



Dancing Under The Stars Dinner Dance and Lesson

Presented by
 the *Kiwassee Kiwanis & Zonta Club* of Midland
 at the **Midland Country Club**
 11220 W. St Andrews
 Midland, MI

Saturday April 12, 2014

- 6:00pm Cash Bar Opens
- 6:45pm Buffet Dinner
- 7:45pm Basic Ballroom Lesson taught by

Professional Dance Instructor
Angela Markle

Dancing to Follow with Music provided by Angela Markle

Attire : Dressy Dress, Coat and Tie for the Gentleman

Tickets: \$50.00 per person (limited to 80 tickets)
RSVP By February 28, 2014
(No Refunds after February 28,2014)

Tickets Call:

- Cal Hoerneman 989-835-8103
- Jack Lehman 989-839-2176
- Bill Spaulding 989-695-9791
- Sharon Mortensen 989-839-9084
- Lisa Hulbert 989-513-6350

**Zonta members RSVP to
 Sharon Mortensen or
 Lisa Hulbert**



BUTTERFLIES
 IN BLOOM



WING ZING!
 Come see the butterflies in bloom at Dow Gardens on 4/16 at 5:30. We'll meet at the main entrance. Refreshments will be served.



Annual Auction
April 22d



June Social News



Plans are underway for the Zonta New Year celebration on June 17th. It will be held at Whiting Forest. Donna Frawley of Frawley's Fine Herbarry will do a cooking demo on summer cooking including some gluten free entrees. The Fellowship Committee will have sign up sheets on the tables at the April lunch. We need to have numbers early so you don't miss out on the fun!!

Birthing Kits Assembled



The Intercity/United Nations Committee held an assembly session on March 27th in Conference Room B at Grace Dow Library. Kathy Swarthout and Committee sorted and assembled items to create birthing kits which will contribute to a healthy birth half a world away.

The Birthing Kit project provides basic necessities for a "clean" birth site. Each kit contains a sheet or blanket for the mother to lie on, a piece of soap, 2 gloves, 3 gauze

squares, 3 cord ties or 2 clamps, and a sterile scalpel blade.

A couple of years ago, Zonta Club of Midland members donated money for the purchase of the required items. The committee ran into supply issues when the requisite sheet/blanket could not be located. That was remedied recently and the kits were able to be assembled.



Wine, wine, wine. The Ways and Means Committee is looking for lots of bottles of wine to include in the baskets created for the auction. Linda's car is waiting to accept your libations!



AAUW Used Book Sale

Like to read? Find great bargains at AAUW's Used Book Sale April 25-27 at the Midland Mall, 9-9 Friday and Saturday, 10-4 Sunday. Most books are priced from \$1 to \$2. Children's books start at 25 cents. Recent publications are \$2-5. Sunday is Bag Day. For more information, call 835-1672.

Proceeds support college scholarships and educational projects. Find information about Midland Branch online, midland-mi.aauw.net.

2014

Jane M. Klausman

Women in Business Scholarships

Expanding Opportunities for Women in Business

AWARDS

CLUB

1 club applicant recommended for a district award

DISTRICT

*1 recipient per district/region
\$1,000 (USD) award*

INTERNATIONAL

*12 international recipients
\$7,000 (USD) award*

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

- Undertaking a business or business-related program at an accredited university/college/institute
- Enrolled in at least the second year of an undergraduate program through the final year of a Master's program
- Achieved an outstanding academic record during academic studies, including business-related subjects
- Demonstrated initiative, ambition and commitment to pursuing a career in business

To learn more and download application please visit : www.zonta.org

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

MAY 25, 2014

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:

Zonta Club of Midland
 ATTN: JMK Women in Business Scholarship
 P O Box 196
 Midland MI 48640-0196



Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Scholarship
 A Zonta International Program
 Funded by: Zonta International Foundation

District 15 Spring Workshops

Zonta District 15 Spring Workshops April and May 2014



- The registration fee of \$30 includes program, continental breakfast and lunch
- Address a check to the host club and mail it to the registrar noted for the workshop you wish to attend
- Please register at least one week prior to the workshop you plan to attend

Zonta is a strategic, goal setting, results oriented, leadership focused, rich in history, future focused organization.

Note: Workshops are fragrance free please

Zonta International District 15
Linda Nabens, Secretary
21050 Winchester
Southfield, MI 48076

Zonta International District 15 *Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide*

Call to Spring Workshops

iZonta iCommunicate iConnect



Communicate and Connect at the District 15 Spring Workshops April and May 2014

Area 4 – Saturday – April 26, 2014

Hosted by the Zonta Club of Farmington Novi UHY Advisors (CPA Firm)
27725 Stansbury Blvd.
Farmington Hills, MI 48334
(Off 696 at Orchard Lake Road)

Registrar: Debbie Godfrey
Ph: 248-592-6212
Email: dgodfrey@rgpt.com

Area 3 – Sunday – April 27, 2014

Hosted by the Zonta Club of Chatham-Kent Travelodge
555 Bloomfield Road
Chatham, ON N7M 5J5
519/436-1200
(US residents need Passport or enhanced ID)
Registrar: JoAn Dale
Ph: 519-354-5645
Email: m.j.dale@sympatico.ca

Area 2 – Saturday – May 3, 2014

Hosted by the Zonta Club of East Lansing Area BOJI Tower
124 W. Allegan
Lansing, MI 48933
(Corner of Allegan & Capitol St., across from the Capitol Bldg.)

Registrar: Angela Brown
Ph: (H) 517-336-0569; Cell: 517-974-1770
Email: browna@msu.edu

Area 1 – Sunday – May 4, 2014

Hosted by the Zonta Club of Roscommon Lyon Township Hall
7851 W. Higgins Lake Dr
Roscommon, MI 48653
(Close to Houghton and Higgins Lakes)

Registrar: Cathy Boyle
Ph: 989-821-1470; Cell: 787-812-8128
Email: cathy@travelbycb.com

Zonta International District 15 *Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide*

2014 Area Spring Workshops

iZonta iCommunicate iConnect

8:30 Registration – Continental Breakfast

iZonta

9:00
**Welcome – Host Club
State of the District
Member + Member = Membership
A penny saved is a penny earned
Zontians Change the World
Non-profit status
Z-Clubs
Be in the Know – ZI Convention**

11:30
**Lunch
Zonta Store
Member Recognition**

iCommunicate

12:30
**The Power of Communication: Talk, talk, talk,
but no one hears me
To Gavel or Not to Gavel**

iConnect

2:15
**Mission Based—Market Driven Public Relations
3:00
Action Plan**



Registration Form

Cost \$30 (U.S.D.) Payable to the host club for each workshop.

Indicate which workshop you plan to attend:

- Area 4:** April 26, 2014 – Registration Deadline April 18 (Check payable to Zonta Club of Farmington Novi)
- Area 3:** April 27, 2014 – Registration Deadline April 18 (Check payable to Zonta Club of Chatham-Kent)
- Area 2:** May 3, 2014 – Registration Deadline April 25 (Check payable to Zonta Club of East Lansing Area)
- Area 1:** May 4, 2014 – Registration Deadline April 25 (Check payable to Zonta Club of Roscommon)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Province/Zip Code: _____

Zonta Club of: _____

Phone (Residence): _____ **Other:** _____

Email Address: _____

I have dietary restrictions. Restrictions are: _____

I have held a district or international position (list position): _____

Send your registration to the registrar listed for the workshop you plan to attend:

Area 4: Debbie Godfrey, 10396 Spring Grove, Brighton, MI 48114

Area 3: JoAn Dale, 210-20 Trillium Village, Chatham, ON N7L 4A1 Canada

Area 2: Angela Brown, 932 Harrington Lane, East Lansing, MI 48823

Area 1: Cathy Boyle, 3477 W. Pinewood Dr., Roscommon, MI 48653

Zonta Club of Midland
Business Meeting
Tuesday, March 4, 2014
11:30 a.m. @ MCC

Call to Order

Cathy Budd 12 Noon

Introductions of Members and Guests**Corresponding Secretary Report:**

Moved by: Maria
Seconded: Kathy Allen
Passed...yes

Treasurer's Report:

Moved by: Linda
Seconded: Jenny Kendrick
Passed.....yes

New Member Induction: Jennifer Chappel introduced the new members: Melinda Gall from Dow Chemical and Right at Home, Christin Petroski from Norcross Warner and Judd, Pam Nagle from Dove Chocolate Creations, Colette Smith Event Creations, Cheryl Chasnis. Carole Calvert-Baxter did the induction.

Committee Announcements/Reports:

Advocacy by Debbie Stevens: Excited about what they are working on for balance of the year. Main focus has been Zonta Says No. Strong connection with Shelterhouse. April is Sexual Assault Awareness. Looking to have a speaker at our April Business meeting with a brief talk about violence against women. National Women's Build May 5-9 and the homeowner, Donna and daughter Abigail, are domestic violence survivors. Zonta will work to get a crew together to work during that week. Should have details by March dinner meeting. Jennifer Chappel from Habitat gave some details about Women's Build.

ARR by Lisa Hulbert: Susan from Bolger & Battle. 2 events upcoming: April 12: Dancing under the Stars with the Kiwanis Club and April 16: Zing at Butterfly House

Attendance by Harriet Stopyak: No report

Bylaws by Sharon Mortensen: Introducing the changes this month and will vote next month on the changes. Handout on tables for members to see what changes will be. Missed Meals, Guest Meals, and committee list to include Advocacy, Homewalk committee, appointed by Board in January to cover the not voted upon, board vacancies shall be appointed, too. Committee definitions and electronic voting for our club are affected. Here are the details (changes are in italics):

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Finance/Fundraising by Sharon Mortensen: Clarified that Rhonda will be sending out the official voting survey. Went over the 2 options again for the club to be sure all understand. Clarified that InterCity dinner is not included. Allows for the fact that meeting rotates between clubs. Option 2 based price on 72% average attendance at our meetings. Went over breakdown of dues and cost of meals. Returning to Zonta pick the meals vs. Chef's Choice. We do need to vote within the timeframe given in the survey. Option of paying in advance via credit card on PayPal was discussed. Majority will rule.

Fellowship/Awards by Lisa Miner...not here, Julie Ratcliffe did the report. June year end will be on June 17th. They are planning the event. Noted the changes to the April meetings due to Spring Break.

Golden Z Club by Megan Granda: Had a very successful National Eating Disorders week events and 2 speakers. Cynthia and Megan attended the meetings. Working on an International Service project with a group from the Netherlands.

Homewalk by Elizabeth Lumbert & Denise Avery: Signed up a new home. 2009 was in Homewalk. Marji N.'s home. Remodeled and redecorated so want to be on the home again. 2 homes have been secured. Just starting meeting on the 2nd Friday of the month at Pizza Sam's.

Membership by Jennifer Chappel: New member induction was held. New member orientation, March 18 at 4:30 p.m. All committee chairs are invited and this helps without adding another meeting. Prospect lists put on the table. Invitations will be sent and they will follow up with them for us. Working with PR committee to get directory online @ website. List needs to be updated and they will also be updating our photos, all need to be done, as format has changed and they need to be redone.

PR/Newsletter by Colette St. Louis: PR committee is working with new program for website and will be able to do our own updates.

Status of Women/Service by Michele Atwell: Committee met and voted to spend money. \$500 for Community Mental Health for client transportation, \$500 for Girls on the Run, \$500 to Family and Children's for pregnancy counseling and \$500 for parenting classes, \$500 to CareGiving Network pantry for cleaning supplies, \$500 to MPS for Eastlawn Schools lice kits program.

United Nations/InterCity by Kathy Swarthout: not at meeting. Event was a success.

Ways & Means by Ann Beck: Gathering items. Will send out email for signing up to help put baskets together the Monday before the Auction. Donate, Donate, And Donate!!!

Parliamentarian by Esther Williams: No report

Immediate Past President by Diane Moomey: Chair of Nominating committee.....Nan Blasy, Cathy Budd and Diane will be working on the slate of officers for our new year starting in June.

Unfinished business:

Volunteers for Legacy Center's Mardi Gras Feast at Great Hall are needed and Maria Cohoon is coordinating them. Volunteers this year will be working a photo booth. Legacy Center is providing the camera and props. Volunteers will be wearing Zonta aprons and working ½ hour shifts.

New Business:

Spring Workshops will be coming up Area 4 is Saturday, April 26th, 8:30 to 3 will be in Farmington Hills, registration is \$30. Club does reimburse for the fee.

Calendar Highlights

March 18	Social Meeting: Jim Wiaduck, Simple Solutions for Staying Sharp
March 20	Board Meeting MACF
April 8	Business Meeting
April 22	Auction
April 24	Board Meeting
May 6	Business Meeting
May 20	Scholarship Winners/Homewalk Homeowners
June 3	Business Meeting
June 17	Social Event to wrap up year

Also decided that the Club will help pay ½ of the registration fee for International Convention. Will continue to pay for President and Vice President to attend.

50/50: winner was Linda Malekadelu \$27

\$1 Announcements:

Sharon needs scholarship reviewers, they need 100 or more. Involved with FunZone renovation and is selling pickets that will be part of a fence around the FunZone and are looking for volunteers to be work groups to work on the project.

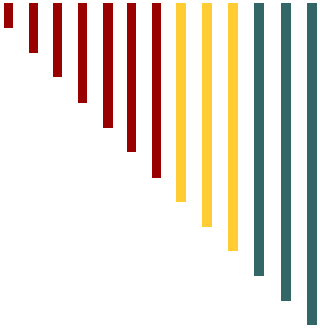
Carol Arnosky.....Galore and More.....now means antiques and collectibles. Crispy Crab will be at Bell Plaza Saturday. Jennifer Chappel announced the Women's Build Week.

Harriet Stopyak announced that she is now a Grandma. Maxwell David



Pam Nagel announced new catalog for Dove Chocolates and she will be at the Mardi Gras Feast event tonight and about Walk for Warmth. Consumers Energy will be matching 3 to 1.

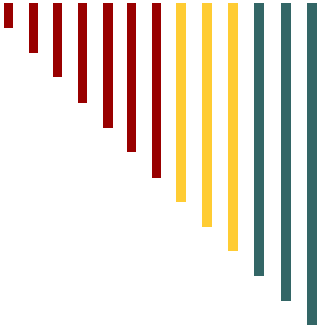
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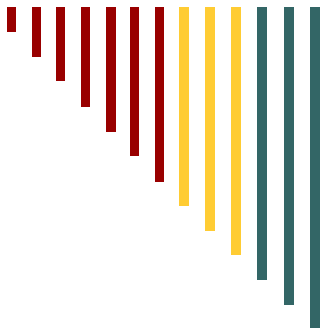
April 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 Denise Avery	5
6	7	8 Business Meeting @ MCC 11:30 am Elizabeth Lambert; Casey Mal- lek	9	10 Sharon Miller	 11	12
13	14	 15	16 ZING @ Butterfly House 5:30	 17	18	19
20	21	22 ZONTA AUCTION	23	24 Board Meeting @ MACF 7:15am	25	26 <i>SPRING WORKSHOP</i>
27	28	29	30			








May 2014

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4	5	6 Business Meeting @ MCC 11:30 am Melinda Gall 	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Scholarship Dinner @ MCC 5:30 <i>Providing local girls with college scholarships</i>	21 Lisa Miner 	22 Board Meeting @ MACF 7:15am	23	24
25	26	27	28 Maria Cohoon 	29 Alice Strange	30	31



June 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Business Meeting @ MCC 11:30 am	4	5	6 Lydia Watson-Pinney	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 	14
Maureen Acker, Beth Sorenson-Prince 	16	17 JUNE SOCIAL	18	19 Board Meeting @ MACF 7:15am	20 Rhonda Anderson	21
15 Jana Chotivkova 	16 Esther Williams 	24	25	26	27 Kathy Allen, Debra Miller 	28
22	23					
29	30 Susan Hammer 