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Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy.

Autumn is a beautiful time and a busy time for Lebanon Zontians. This time of year we participate in four fundraisers, attend the District 6 Conference, present the Business Woman of the Year award, and coordinate Children's Home Gatherings. NEW this year is an Indiana Area 4 Walk for "Zonta Says No", and possibly a Boone County Courthouse Walk for Domestic Violence. That is a lot of activity on top of the busy lives we all lead. So I want to sincerely thank you for the time and energy you give Zonta in pursuit of helping women and girls.

Our first fundraising event will be the Lincoln Days fundraiser September 26-

27. This year Zonta will be the **only** food vendor - this provides the promise of even more sales than last year! Co-chairs Bev and Kay will tell us more about this at our September meeting and will have signup sheets for shifts.

If you are participating in the "Zonta Says No" walk October 3. or if not but would like an orange Tshirt, please contact Christine no later than the September 2 club meeting. Also please consider buying a Lebanon club T-shirt and/ or sweatshirt through loanna no later than the September 2 club meeting. We would like these ordered immediately so that they are available to wear

nominations

for Business Woman of the year, please let Didi know by October I. If you are attending the Conference in Bloomington-Normal, IL October 9-11, please make sure to register by September 10.

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Days.

Our September meeting will be at the Witham Health Services. We will learn about the health advances made and services provided the community in the last 100 years. Dinner is free and we will have a brief business meeting followed by tours of various units.

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Program:

Witham Health Services

Witham celebrates 100 years of service to Boone County! We'll learn more about Witham and have the opportunity to tour the ECU.

- Where: Witham Health Services North Pavilion Community Room 2605 North Lebanon St.
- When: September 2 at 6pm
- Dinner: Witham Health Services complimentary (any donations for dinner Cost:

will benefit the Witham Foundation) **RSVP regrets** to Debbie at 765-894-2054 or

dholloman.quality@gmail.com by 2pm Monday

Save the dates!

Club Meeting September 2

Lincoln's Lebanon September 26 & 27

Zonta Says NO! Walk October 3

Club Meeting October 7

District 6 Fall Conference October 9-11



LEADING WITH COURAGE

Plan to attend the District 6 Fall Conference October 9-11 in Bloomington-Normal Illinois. The weekend's agenda includes presentations, workshops, and panel discussion, and a portrayal of Amelia Earhart by Leslie Goddard. Meet and network with other District 6 Zontians and hear news from clubs from Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin. Register by September 10!

ORDER SHIRTS BY SEPTEMBER MEETING!

If you're in the market for a new Zonta shirt - good news! There are three shirts available for purchase right now.

Joanna is accepting orders for maroon polo shirts and sweatshirts featuring our new Zonta Club of Lebanon logo. These shirts will be great to wear at events like the upcoming Lincoln's Lebanon fundraiser - and will be here just in time! An order form with sizes and prices is attached to this newsletter email. *Please have orders and payments to Joanna at the club meeting.* Make checks to Zonta Club of Lebanon.



Orders for the bright orange Zonta Says No shirts are also due at the club meeting. These shirts will be worn during the October 3 walk, but you may purchase one even if you're not able to attend. Shirts are \$8.00 each and will be available well in advance of the walk date. The order form is attached; make checks payable to Christine Sterle.

FROM ZONTA INTERNATIONAL - SOCIAL MEDIA PRECAUTIONS

Zontians and friends, social media is a wonderful thing - it spreads new like wild fire; however, be careful with what you see and do.

When you donate money directly to the Zonta International Foundation, you know where your money is going. Social media, however, makes it possible for someone unaffiliated with Zonta to use the Zonta logo and message to market their own fundraiser under the name of Zonta.

An example is a Facebook message, saying: "Chirambo Maria has sent you a message via Indiegogo Life about the SAYS NO TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN BILLBOARD fundraiser". Neither Zonta International nor the Zonta International Foundation are in any way affiliated with this campaign that has been soliciting our members via Facebook.

Please be cautious when accepting Facebook friend requests from people you do not know. If you have any questions, please contact pr@zonta.org.

"You grow up the day you have your first real laugh - at yourself." ~ Ethel Barrymore



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