Serving as Area 1 Director for this biennium has been a great honor. I have been impressed over and over again with the important work that clubs in Area 1 and throughout District 10 are doing to help advance the status of women locally and globally. Our recent Area 1 Meeting, hosted admirably by Zonta Club of Parker County, illustrates this. What a wonderful meeting with all the shared ideas! Plus, as always, how nice to reconnect with our fellow Zontians! I always say that one of the greatest parts about being a Zontian is the connections we make with like-minded women from all over. I feel privileged to call so many of you my friend. Again, I thank you for allowing me to serve as your Area 1 director and look forward to reconnecting with you all again soon. As one Zontian at our meeting stated in her evaluation, “I am so proud to be a part of Zonta!!”

Central Oklahoma Supports Habitat for Humanity Women Build: The Zonta Club of Central Oklahoma participated again this year in the Habitat for Humanity Women Build program as the club’s hands-on service project. Central Oklahoma Zontians had a great day of volunteering and camaraderie. Thirteen members and guests showed up ready, willing, and able to paint! To our surprise, the house wasn’t ready for paint, so we grabbed hammers, sealing guns and other implements and got down to work. We also met a young woman, Dianna Medina, who was putting in “sweat-equity” toward her own Habitat home. All in all it was a very satisfying and enjoyable day advancing the status of women through service and advocacy.

Central Oklahoma Hosts Women Of Achievement And Service Awards Banquet: The Zonta Club of Central Oklahoma honored three Women of Achievement and six service organizations at their Status of Women Banquet on March 20, 2012. Women of Achievement included Gail Ashley-Andrews, Jimmie Nolen and Jacqueline Steyn. Service organi-
zations receiving funds from the club included HOPE in Oklahoma, Martha’s House, Oklahomans Against Trafficking Humans, Oklahoma Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, YWCA Passageways, and YWCA Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners.

(L-R) President Elect Angie Weaver, Peggy Beabout, Women of Achievement Jacqueline Steyn, Jimmie Nolen, and Gail Ashley-Andrews, Governor Janis Wood, and President Theresa Farris.

Central Oklahoma Works To Prevent Human Trafficking: Central Oklahoma Zontians have a passion to help stamp out human trafficking, especially since it is such an issue here in Oklahoma, the crossroads between east and west and north and south. Joining with Oklahomans Against Trafficking Humans, directed by Mark Elam, the club frequently participates in OATH-sponsored activities, including attending a presentation given by Mark at Tinker Air Force Base. OATH developed stickers with the hotline number to post in restroom stalls to promote awareness and to aid victims. Club members posted these stickers along the interstate on a recent trip to Texas to our area meeting. If one victim is helped, we have made a difference!

Dallas

Garage Sale: We held our semi-annual club garage sale the first weekend in May. Many members and their families volunteered by gathering, delivering, organizing and pricing items in the weeks before the sale and at the sale itself. The treasures sold came from both former and current members and raised just over $1700 which will go toward scholarships for young women in the upcoming year. It was hard work, but great fun! Thanks to our members Kaleta Doolin and Alan Govenar for the use of their historic firehouse once again for our venue.

Joy Kincaid, a Volunteer and friend of Kaleta Doolin, and President Lisa Graubard work the garage sale!
YW in STEM Scholarships: We are pleased to announce we have a new scholarship this year! We will award the recipients of our first Zonta Club of Dallas Young Women in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math scholarships at a meeting in the near future. The recipients are Tori Clift and Taylor Facen.

One of Tori’s Advanced Placement Statistics and Calculus teachers says she is one of the most intelligent and best students that she has ever taught.

One of Taylor’s teachers said she has known other students with talent equivalent to Taylor’s but many of them lacked her good nature and humility, and few demonstrated the genuine intellectual curiosity that she has exhibited over and over.

YWPA Scholarship: We awarded our YWPA scholarship to Jacky Nicole (Stephanie) Eyocko at our May meeting. Stephanie is a senior at Lake Highlands High School and will be attending the University of Oklahoma in the fall, working on her Bachelor of Arts in political science. Her future plans include attending Florida A&M University for an international law degree and working for the United Nations for a period of time before returning to Texas to work with education systems. Stephanie came to the USA from Cameroon as a child and spoke only French. She told us she had a difficult time in school due to the language barrier. She was enrolled in “English as a second language” classes, but faced challenges there as all the other students only spoke Spanish. Today she speaks flawless English with no trace of an accent.

On May 10, 2012, acting as representatives of the ZCD Mary Anne Redmond and Kaleta Doolin met with five business-women from the Republic of Georgia at the World Affairs Council of Dallas. The women were unfamiliar with Zonta and became very interested in becoming a new country in the Zonta International family. The nearest country on the ZI map is Turkey. See picture in upper right.

The Zonta Club of Fort Smith once again held their very successful geranium sale on April 14th. Almost 440 flats of 18 plants each that raised over $7000 for the upcoming year’s service budget. Once again, long time member JoAnn Gedosh was the geranium sale queen with sales of over 90 flats!

Marisol Mejia, a senior at Northside High, was selected as the 2012 Young Women in Public Affairs Award winner from the Zonta Club of Fort Smith. Marisol accepted her $200 award at the April Zonta meeting. Marisol is a member of FBLA, DECA, and the National Honor Society. She is currently treasurer for both FBLA and DECA. She wants to pursue a career in marketing or accounting. Marisol is also very active in the community volunteering for her
church, Big Brothers and Big Sisters, and the March of Dimes.

YWPA Chair Lori Bauer, YWPA winner Marisol Mejia, and President Kim Vann

The final quarterly dinner of the year was held at the home of Marilyn Barr and hosted by members Marilyn, Debbie Adams, Linda Teague, and Kara Bushkuhl. The dinners provide service money to the club while offering a delicious dinner and fellowship to the members. Marilyn’s house was beautifully decorated with spring flowers and different salads, breads, and desserts were offered to the guests.

Outgoing President Kim Vann had the honor of inducting the 2012-2013 Zonta Club of Fort Smith board using the theme, The Zonta Bouquet, at the May meeting. Pictured are Kim Vann, outgoing President, Director Lori Bauer, Treasurer Debbie Adams, President Kathleen King and in front Candy Foster, Secretary. Not pictured are Vice-President Judi Hansen, and Director Caron Roberts.

Johnson County

Johnson County announces its new board of directors for 2012-13. District 10 Parliamentarian Judy Kautz gave us the key to the Zonta House. We thank her so much for her inspiration and kindness. This happened on May 16th.

Members Marilyn Barr, Debbie Adams, and Linda Teague
L-R: Kimber Zorn, Ivy Peterson, Sharon Corder, Shelly Doty, Sharron Miles, Karon Lowe, Angela Allen and Dianne Packwood.

At the same meeting we also honored our YWPA scholarship winner Emma Tarver shown below with President Barbara Yoder. She will be attending Texas A&M in the fall.

In March we celebrated our UN month. Sharron Miles organized a month of awareness about clean water. Club members were encouraged to think about how long most women take every day to gather water for their families. Rotarian Deb West shared her recent trip to Honduras with us and detailed the need for water filtration to ensure basic health and wellness. Our club contributed $500 to the UNICEF Tap Project to women and children by collecting coins for a month. That is a lot of coins!

Seven of our club members enjoyed the Area 1 meeting in Weatherford. We came back encouraged and full of ZONTA ZEAL!

Starting 2012 out right! Meet new member Amber Washington, education reporter at the Cleburne Times Review.

Parker County

The Zonta Club of Parker County has celebrated its 10th Anniversary of our Charter with resounding success in our local and international projects. With the very core of our mission – “advancing the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy” – our membership has participated in programs about literacy, awareness of sexual violence against women and supported Freedom House, a local women’s shelter, with its fund-raising efforts; created a project for The 16 Days of Activism and posted banners throughout the city; trick-or-treated for UNICEF; funded numerous local projects; shared a meaningful observance of Amelia Earhart with the Mineral Wells Zonta Club; sponsored a very successful Go Red event for women’s heart health awareness, and the following month, we grossed more than $28,000 in our annual Casino Night, which funds our Scholarship Program. That Program enabled us to award in May at our annual Status of Women Luncheon 14 scholarships to deserving women seeking both bachelor and master’s degrees.
Recipients of Zonta Club of Parker County Scholarships were recognized at the club’s 10th Anniversary Status of Women luncheon May 2.

In April, we hosted the Area I Meeting here in Weatherford, aided by the Mineral Wells Club (thank you again to Linda Turk and her crew!). ZCPC Vice President Peggy Hutton almost single-handedly planned this successful event, and I want to thank her and her committee. We were honored to welcome about 60 of our Area members and our Area I Director Sheryl Flanagan and District Governor Janis Wood, as well as other area and district board members. The conference was fun, informative, and, incidentally, profitable (!) for our club shop, as women snapped up our “Wild Women of Zonta” t-shirts and the Zonta Star ceramic pins handmade by our Lisa Humphreys. Thank you for helping us fund even more of our local projects and maybe send a few more of our members to the District conference in October! (By the way, as soon as we can build up the supply, we will offer more of those “Wild” t-shirts and pins on the District 10 website shop. Our District Governor tells me that they were a hit even at the other Area meetings, too; everybody wanted to know where Janis got hers! I think we’re on to something here! And thank YOU all!)

An OUTSTANDING achievement of our club cannot go unmentioned: the Membership drive, spearheaded by Tanya Hodges, in early fall successfully recruited an additional 14 members for our club – and not just any women; they are women who are truly dedicated to the Zonta philosophy and who already have demonstrated their “enthusiastic” (a requirement!) support and participation of our club activities. Additionally, as I write this piece, we have three more women waiting to be inducted into membership. Our club now stands at about 52 strong. We are growing, and even as we shuffle membership numbers a bit with the May renewals, ZCPC will remain strong in membership numbers and in commitment to continue our service both locally and beyond.

Additionally, our membership had the pleasure of honoring one of most active and dedicated members with the title of ZCPC 2012 Clubwoman of the Year. Sharon Chisholm, our board secretary, shopkeeper, and member extraordinaire was enthusiastically awarded this honor – and she accepted with characteristic humility and that huge smile she’s known for! I want to take this opportunity to congratulate Sharon again, and if you ever have the chance to meet her at an event, conference, or at the International Convention in July, you will have met a woman who epitomizes the Zonta ideal and who is just a nice person to boot!

Our club is filled with outstanding professional and business women who are recognized by other civic and social agencies, as well, for their outstanding contributions. Of course, we like to think that their commitment to fundamentals of Zonta ideals of service and commitment toward the betterment of others also contribute to these women’s success in other areas, but I’d like to recognize at least three of our members who recently have been singled out for special awards: Tanya Hodges as the Weatherford Chamber of Commerce Ambassador of the Year; Amy Mercer as the United Way Humanitarian of the Year; and most re-
cently, Selma Johnson, who was crowned Ms. Senior Parker County.

This is long, I know, but I would be remiss if I did not recognize – here in ZCPC’s 10th Anniversary Year – the three charter members who remain active in our club. These women were among the core group of forward-thinking, innovative women who formed the Zonta Club of Parker County (then ZC of Weatherford) and who contributed countless time and effort to ensure its growth and success through the years. Congratulations to Peggy Hutton, Elizabeth McGee and Dr. Arleen Atkins.

In closing, I feel moved to include part of the message brought to us by our U.S. District 12 Congresswoman, The Honorable Kay Granger, at our Status of Women Luncheon earlier this month. The event itself was beautiful and meaningful, planned by our Soraya Joslin – who also gave one of the most memorable introductions of the Congresswoman that I have ever heard. She concluded her eloquent introduction emphasizing Ms. Granger’s accomplishments and influence in Congress with, “May I present to you my congresswoman, my friend, and may I say, a real ‘badass’ Kay Granger!” Yes. Really. Amazing. And just perfect. And it got everybody’s attention, certainly – our attention, particularly to a story that Rep. Granger told that brings home to every Zontian heart what Zonta International is all about – and how much work there is yet to be done. So I offer this as my closing: Granger relayed a story about a recent trip to Saudi Arabia on a fact-finding mission with Congressional colleagues, including one other woman, that shocked most in the room: After a lengthy bus ride and tour of a facility, Granger asked her male Saudi hosts to point out the women’s restroom for her and her female colleague before the long trip back. There was a hush among the men in the host group, then an animated, whispered discussion among them for several minutes, and finally, another quick discussion with the men in the Congressional group, one of whom was given the duty to explain to Granger and the other woman that there was no women’s restroom in the facility, but that the two women could use the men’s room. However, if they did so, the Saudis explained to the American men, they (the Saudis) would have to destroy the men’s room afterward.

“Advancing the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy” ... Yes, there is much work yet to be done, my fellow Zontians.

For more information about ZCPC, contact Linda Bagwell, president, at lbagwell@wc.edu or visit the club website at www.zontaparkercounty.org.
Area 1 Meeting
Pictures

Area 1 Director Sheryl Flanagin (Fort Smith) with Linda Bagwell (Parker County)

First Timer Christi Knight (Oklahoma)

Theresa Farris, Andrea Ismirle and Connie Davis (Oklahoma)

Cathy Williams, Kathy and Marilyn Barr (Fort Smith)

Our Hostesses from the Zonta Club of Parker County
Standing, L-R: Angie Hernandez, Peggy Hutton, Brenda Cook, Sharon Chisholm, Virginia Chisholm, and Stephanie Duran
Seated, L-R: Tanya Hodges, Linda Bagwell, and Selma Johnson

Members from Mineral Wells sell raffle tickets for a jewelry basket
Area 2 Director Debra Silverthorne and Past Governor Danita Utsman (Longview)

Governor Janis Wood (Oklahoma) presents the “state of the district”

Janice Blount and Teri Catlett (Shreveport) with Danita Utsman (Longview)

Kayleen Kill and Past Governor Sally Rankin (Houston) talking with Chris Pastalong (Shreveport president)

Sally Rankin and Suzanne Russell (Houston) talk to Governor Janis Wood (Oklahoma)
My bags are unpacked, the gas tank is empty, and the GPS shows six “Previous Destinations” of the cities in Area 2 across Louisiana and Texas. What a great and rewarding journey I have had as Area 2 Director these past two years. “Thank you” to all the clubs in Area 2 for the hospitality and friendship you have shown me. It has been a true privilege serving you.

I want to give another big shout out to the Greater East Texas Zonta Club for hosting the Area 2 meeting. They handled everything from the “call to Area meeting” to the “goodie bags” with ease and efficiency. Everyone attending the meeting had an enjoyable day due to their planning.

Zonta Club of Longview is working hard in preparation of hosting the 2012 District 10 Conference. It is my hope that everyone in District 10 will make plans to attend. The dates are October 18 – 20, 2012. See ‘ya in the VIEW!!!!!!

Debbie Silverthorne
Area 2 Director

Houston
At our March meeting, we had a very informative update from Andrea Battle of The Women’s Home, one of our service projects. The Women’s Home is a residential treatment program for homeless women. The program is 18 months and Zonta Club of Houston has worked with The Women’s Home for over 10 years. Our classes include resume writing, vocational counseling, networking and the process of change.

In April, we participated in a fundraiser for one of our other service projects, The Community Cloth (www.thecommunitycloth.org). The Community Cloth supports refugee women who want to create and sell handmade, indigenous arts and crafts. Through producing and selling their wares, the women have an opportunity to express their culture and heritage, learn new skills that will assist them in transitioning to the U.S., and obtain much-needed supplemental income. Robin Dickehuth and Kathy Stockton coordinated the event.

YWPA recipient Hannah McAughan and Suzi Feickert
At our May meeting, we presented Hannah McAughan with our first Barbara L. Halstead Me-
morial YWPA award. Hannah is a student at St. Agnes Academy in Houston. Her next educational goal is studying environmental science, and perhaps environmental law. Hannah competed nationally at the Harvard Model Congress 2012. Part of her service was drilling a well in Guatemala. She is also promoting healthy lifestyles by participating as a member of the Oliver Foundation Teen Board. This foundation was created in part by the Baylor College of Medicine and fights childhood obesity. Many thanks to our YWPA chair Suzi Feickert and her committee.

Also in May, we were thrilled to have Governor Elect Donna Dodgen install the new 2012-2013 Officers and Directors: President Carole Moffatt, Vice President Melinda Sturgess, Secretary Robin Dickhuth, Treasurer Libby McGee, Director Mary Ann Collier, and Director Monica de la Cerda. In May, we also inducted new member Kristen Adkins and welcomed new member Suzy McDonald, a recent transfer from Dallas. We also held our annual Garage Sale to raise funds for our local service projects and international projects.

Suzanne Russell and new member Kristen Adkins

Dr. Amelie Hollier, Woman of Achievement and Dr. Mary Neiheisel, Vice President, Zonta Club of Lafayette

Scholarship winners and local service organizations were also honored. Faith House of Acadiana was given a grant to help defray prescription costs for residents and acknowledged for the service it provides the women and children of the community. Faith House is the local battered women’s shelter and provides shelter to women and their children in the Acadiana area. Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANE) was also given a grant to help fund a scholarship for training nurses to deal specifically with sexual assault.

Scholarship winners included: Madison Dehart, Lafayette Woman; Krystina Caballero, Louisiana Woman; Raven Woods, Young Woman of Public Affairs; and Cassandrea Peay, Mary Dichmann English Scholar.

Lafayette

The Zonta Club of Lafayette held its annual Woman of Achievement, Scholarships, and Awards Banquet, April 25 at The Petroleum Club in Lafayette. Dr. Amelie Hollier was honored as the 2011 Woman of Achievement. She is the CEO and Founder of Advanced Practice Education Association which provides review courses and clinical updates, online practice tests, books, and clinical tools for nurse practitioners.
The Area 3 Meeting was a great success, with 40 registered attendees. That is almost double the attendance from last year! What a great group of Zontians that attended and shared ideas about fund raising, membership recruitment and retention, and service projects. The Zonta Club of Seguin was the host club this year. They did an outstanding job with the food and all the arrangements and planning. Thank you to the Club and members for such a great meeting.

Zontians all over the world are now looking ahead as the International Convention dates will soon be upon us. A number of representatives from Area 3 will be attending the Convention in Torino, Italy. Don’t forget that District 10 will hold a meeting while there to discuss the candidates running for the international offices. Congratulations to Donna Dodgen who will be installed as District 10 Governor at the ZI Convention. Have a safe and fun filled trip.

As my term as Area 3 Director draws to a close, I want to thank all the Area 3 clubs for extending such a warm welcome as I visited each of you. The clubs are dynamic, with a purpose and goals for the future that will ensure your success and the success of District 10. I appreciate the varied projects in which you support in your local communities and congratulate you on the many scholarships presented to deserving young women in the area. I look forward to serving you as District 10 secretary and to seeing many of you at our District Conferences.

Sincerely yours in Zonta,
Sharon Illhardt

Austin

Zonta Club of Austin is chosen for 2nd year to be a part of Charles Schwab Volunteer Week. Employees volunteered their time to assemble Bunny Book Bags during a company sponsored volunteer week.

At our March Club meeting, the Zonta Club of Austin had scholarship recipients at the local club level - YWPA, district level – Rose, and International level – Amelia Earhart.

Scholarship Chair Shelly Baumgartner presents the YWPA to Caylin Dadeo-Winick
The Zonta Club of Brownsville has been busy this Spring. On March 12, we held our annual Woman of the Year banquet. Every year we recognize a woman from the Brownsville community who lives up to the ideals of Zonta. Over 80 guests were in attendance as we honored Patricia Medina Ayala as our 2012 Woman of the Year. Ms. Ayala is Vice-President/Community Leader at Frost Bank Brownsville. She has served her community in many capacities first as a volunteer, then as an officer for several organizations such as National Association of Professional Women, Jaycees, Brownsville Junior Service League, United Way, American Heart Association and March of Dimes, among others. She is currently the Chairperson of the Brownsville Literacy Center. The event was a big success!

On March 23 several members of our club got together to celebrate Maude Lette’s 99th Birthday! We all had a wonderful time and she certainly enjoyed herself. She later wrote a note to us saying "It was a thoughtful and a lovely expression of Zonta friendship — an unforgettable event." Maude has been an incredible member of our club for 42 years!

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Later in the month, we held our annual Golf Tournament at the Brownsville Country Club. The tournament committee, headed by Kathy Jennings and Marlys Zapata did a great job in planning the event. There were door prizes for every golfer and lunch was served to the golfers. Cash prizes were awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. The event was a great fundraiser for our club thanks to all who participated and to all members who sold tee box ads!
For our April meeting we invited a representative from the Battered Women’s Shelter to speak at our meeting and to share information about the local shelter. During this meeting we discussed plans for the May meeting. Later in the month, President Alicia Roberts and Laura Gilmore traveled to Seguin to attend the Area 3 meeting. The meeting was fun and informative and a great opportunity for fellowship with our sister Zontians.

On May 14 we held our annual Scholarships and Service Awards Banquet at the Holiday Inn. Scholarships were awarded to six seniors from the local high schools. This includes one scholarship which was awarded to a senior from the Lopez High School Z Club. Recipients shared their plans for college and careers. Service Awards were presented to local agencies selected by our club whose mission is in sync with our Zonta mission. During this event, our new officers for 2012-2013 were installed by Governor Janis Wood. New officers are as follows: Alicia Roberts-President, Marlys Zapata-1st Vice-President, Maria Degwitz-2nd Vice-President, Maggie Adams-Recording Secretary, Kathy Jennings—Corresponding Secretary/ Director, Elvia Garrido—Treasurer, LeeAnn Greer, Alma Trevino, and Laura Gilmore—Directors. We thank Governor Wood for making the trip to Brownsville for this event.

Fredericksburg

During the final three months of the Zonta year, the members of the Zonta Club of Fredericksburg go into overdrive. In March the club honored not one but two young women with the Young Woman in Public Affairs award. Alyssa Mohr and Brooke Hannemann, both members of the Fredericksburg Z-Club, were each presented with a certificate and a check for $500.00 as well as gifts from their Zonta Sisters.

Scholarship recipients with Governor Janis Wood and President Alicia Roberts

New officers: Elvia Garrido-Treasurer, Alma Trevino and Laura Gilmore-Directors; Alicia Roberts-President; Janis Wood-Governor; and Marlys Zapata-1st VP.

Z-Club Sponsor Melody Houston, Alyssa Mohr, YWPA Chairman Carol Cain and Brooke Hannemann

The Zonta Club and the Cancer Support Group have once again joined forces to participate as a team in this year’s American Cancer Society’s Relay for Life. “The Beat Goes On” fundraising event was held on April 12th and April 26th at Hondo’s on Main. The event is family oriented with music, food and helping to raise money for the Relay Team.
The Club sandwiched the annual Trash and Treasure Sale and Elegant Elephant Sale between the Relay events on April 14th. Shirley Jones, Chairman and her committee along with all of the Club members worked tirelessly to mark items and set up displays for the event. Funds from this endeavor are earmarked for scholarships.

Marti Barth is busy setting up merchandise before “The Trash and Treasure Sale and Elegant Elephant Sale.”

At the April Meeting, Renee Pearson and Paula Ahrendt members of the Literacy Committee presented a check for $500.00 to two students from The Living Well College. The College has classes and programs for people (ages 16 and older) with developmental disabilities.

According to Liz Wunderlich, Chairman of the Zonta Club/Cancer Support Relay for Life Team, the team was once again named the Top Team having raised over $9500.00, with more money still to come. This group has raised over $2000.00 more than the closest team. The event was held on May 4, 2012 at the Fredericksburg High School Football Stadium.

Ginger Mitchell, Jo Ann Krauskopf and Bonnie Baseke attended the Area 3 Meeting held in Seguin, Texas on May 5, 2012. Area 3 Director Sharon Illhardt and the Zonta Club of Seguin hosted an enjoyable day of information and fellowship.

A new slate of officers and directors were elected in April and will be installed on May 21, 2012. Area 3 Director Sharon Illhardt installed the following officers: President – Barbara MacManus; Vice President – Bonnie Baseke; Recording Secretary – Renee Pearson; Treasurer – Frankie Hohenberger; Corresponding Secretary – Jo Ann Krauskopf; Directors: Ginger Mitchell, Cindy Wilson, Liz Wunderlich, Shirley Jones and Karleen Carlisle; Past President – Sharon Joseph.

New Officers installed: Jo Ann Krauskopf, Renee Pearson, Bonnie Baseke, Karleen Carlisle, Barbara MacManus, and Sharon Illhardt, Area 3 Director
San Antonio

In April, instead of a business meeting, several of us attended the play “Legally Blond, The Musical” and out for lunch at the Tip Top Café, a legend in San Antonio.

Marilynn Franke, Pris Truesdell, Virginia Rios, Peg Courtney, and Lisa Bailey

Governor Janis Wood installed new officers for 2012 at our regular meeting on May 16. We really appreciate her taking the time to come to San Antonio, as she had a very busy week, with a visit to Brownsville on Monday to install their officers, and a new granddaughter born that night. I am sure she would rather have been home, holding the baby!

Seguin

Members of the Zonta Club of Seguin are pictured here serving refreshments to the girls at Seguin Youth Services during a Bunco break in February. The director of SYS, Sheryl Sachtleben, is a member of the club.

Officers installed are Marilynn Franke, Director; Lisa Keckler, President; Lisa Bailey, Vice President; Donna Wiley, Treasurer; Pris Truesdell, Director; and Governor Janis Wood. Not pictured is Linda Coney, Secretary

Club Officers for 2012: Incoming Governor Donna Dodgen, Beverly Carter-Director, Mary Alves-Director, Earlene Jarzombek-Director, Karen Shaker-Corresponding Secretary, Gail Roberson-Recording Secretary, Geri Deines-President, Barbara Behal-Past President, Cathy Anderson-2nd Vice President, Kim Illhardt-Treasurer, and Sharon Illhardt-Outgoing Area 3 Director. Not pictured are Michelle DeLeon-1st Vice President and Angela Dickerson-Director.
Governor Janis Wood (Oklahoma) and Past Governor Candi Ward (San Antonio)

Area 3 Director Sharon Illhardt (Seguin)

ZI Foundation Ambassador Barbara Yoder (Johnson County) and Kara Arteaga (Austin)

Shelly Baumgartner and Dr. Maria Wells (Austin) and Donna Wiley (San Antonio)

Front row: Candi Ward (SA), Marianne Seal (West Hidalgo), Laura Gilmore and Alicia Roberts (Brownsville), and Lisa Bailey (SA)