



# Zonta Club of Concord, NH e~News

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& Club President

## June 3rd Business Meeting Agenda Items:

- ◆ Welcome
- ◆ NAMA Recipient joins us
- ◆ My Story ~ Susan Friedburg
- ◆ Secretary & Treasurer's Reports
- ◆ Period Project Update
- ◆ COVID-19 Committee Report
- ◆ Ways \$ Means Report
- ◆ NHTI Scholarship Update
- ◆ Membership Update
- ◆ ....and more



I'm sure I speak for ALL of the members of our club in thanking Donna for her superb leadership of our organization over the last two years! Her time commitment, expertise in dealing with sensitive issues, being our liaison between ZI and District 1, fulfilling her role as ex-officio of our club's various committees, presiding over our board and business meetings, her monthly stories, keeping us informed via her monthly newsletters, little gifts she bestowed on us at our meetings, holiday auction contributions, the many beautiful/funny cards she has sent us, and her genuine caring and concern for each and every one of us has made a difference in each of our lives.

Our club continues to be a strong force in and around the community as well as around the world because of her! We look forward to her continued guidance as our Past President....for a second time. Thank you for all you did for us...I certainly have big shoes to try and fill!

*Janice*

## Wishing you all a safe and healthy summer!

### Dates to Remember

<b>June Business Meeting</b> ZOOM format	Wed., June 3rd 5:30 pm Invites to Zoom sent out by Janice on Tues., June 2nd
<b>June Board Meeting</b> ZOOM format	NOTE: NEW DAY! Thurs., June 25 5:30 pm
<b>Member Virtual Cocktail Hour in July</b> ZOOM format	To be decided at June 3rd Business Meeting

### Your 2020-2021 Board of Directors

President: Janice Severance  
 President Elect: Terry Timmerman  
 Vice President: Lynn Stanley  
 Treasurer: Cheryl Mitchell  
 Secretary: Susan Lombard  
 Officers: Mandy Bailey  
           Rebecca Barnwell  
           Maria Pacelli  
 Past President: Donna Raycraft

### Nominating Committee

Joyce Heck  
 Marie Lang  
 Sharon St. Onge

I look forward to working with you all as we continue to empower women through our service & advocacy!

**Happy New Year, Zonta!**  
**June 1st begins our new fiscal year.**



### MEETING MINUTES & FINANCIALS

Please take a few minutes to read over the May 6th Business Meeting Minutes & the May Treasurer's Report you will be sent to see if you have any questions or concerns about the content of these recorded minutes or financials. We will be voting to accept these documents as presented during our June 3rd Zoom meeting.



**GOT BOOKS?**

Concord's MARKET DAYS is scheduled to be held August 20, 21 & 22. Terry Timmerman, Rebecca Barnwell & Diane Lestage have agreed to coordinate the book sale at this event and we thank you!

A call has gone out for gently used book donations to be dropped off at Hilltop Consignment by calling Sue at 856-0110 before dropping the books off. Fiction and non-fiction novels, children's books and historical books are needed. Please no textbooks or dictionaries.

Tell your friends and family about this opportunity to cull out their books which they probably stocked up on over the last few months. All the proceeds from books sales at Market Days will go toward scholarships for local women to continue their education.

For more information, visit [zontaclubofconcordnh.org](http://zontaclubofconcordnh.org) or call Rebecca Barnwell at 615-445-0385.

**MEMBER BIRTHDAYS!**

*Congratulation & best wishes to those of you celebrating your birthdays in June & July:*

*June 25 — Maria Pacelli  
June 18— Lisa Rule & Ellis Robinson  
July 4—Monica Dresser  
July 5— Carolyn Andrews  
July 20—Donna Raycraft & Susan Friedburg  
July 21—Laura Miller  
July 28—Lorrie Carey*

*Wishing you all a memorable day!*

**From the 1973 – 1974 Zonta Yearbook.....****A Collect for Club Women**

1. Keep us, from pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.
2. Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self-seeking.
3. May we put away all pretenses and meet each other face to face – without self pity and without prejudice.
4. May we never be hasty in judgment, and always generous.
5. Let us take time for all things; make us to grow calm, serene, gentle.
6. Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straightforward and unafraid.
7. Grant that we realize it is the little things that create differences; that in the big things of life we are at one.
8. And may we strive to touch and to know the great common woman's heart of us all, and let us not forget to be kind.

Author: Mary Stewart  
(Retrieved from our Zonta archives by Jan Green in 2004)

*Inhale courage,  
exhale fear!*



**THANK YOU** to **Karla Roth & Laura Miller** for your many years of service on the *Board*. Your time commitment, knowledge, thoughtful contributions, and so much more helped the club stay active and committed to its mission. You both will be missed!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to our own **Terry Timmerman** for her election to the position of the new Zonta District 1 Treasurer effective June 1. We know the District 1 books will be in good order and our money accounted for under your watchful eye. We extend a huge thank you to the outgoing Treasurer, Pam Albertson, from the Quaboag Valley, MA club who has served in this position for many years.



Susan and Donna delivering Period Project supplies and face masks to the Crisis Center of Central NH. Could you help us help those experiencing period poverty? Just order through Amazon on our wish list (see link below), they will be delivered, and we will share with our homeless shelters and crisis centers. Thank you to everyone who has already donated!

[https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/28PIOFTYMP8SV?ref=wl\\_share&fbclid=IwAR0IUs-b84S4018T72lcD-TRVWGC8Udy0Up4Lm0VzL6bCNV6lk2sCtWONYeA](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/28PIOFTYMP8SV?ref=wl_share&fbclid=IwAR0IUs-b84S4018T72lcD-TRVWGC8Udy0Up4Lm0VzL6bCNV6lk2sCtWONYeA)

## News Worth Sharing from NHTI

**Laura Scott**, Director of Alumni & Development  
(Excerpts from *Laura's online newsletter below*)

“The **Zonta Club of Concord** for being recognized for a **Community Partner Award** from Campus Compact for NH for all the wonderful ways you support our students.

### NHTI, Concord’s Community College 2020 Presidents’ Community Partner Award Recipients

For a non-profit organization who has enhanced the quality of life in the community in meaningful and measurable ways and engaged in the development of sustained, reciprocal partnerships with a college or university. Posters and certificates will be made available.

The Zonta Club of Concord, NH Inc. is part of ZONTA INTERNATIONAL, a leading global organization of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy. The Zonta Club of Concord has been a wonderful partner to NHTI for years. Since 2006, scholarships have been provided to female students who have been out of high school for 5 years, and have completed 12 credit hours either at NHTI or another accredited college or university with a GPA of 2.5 or higher. We estimate that over **\$44,000** in funds have been distributed to 45 NHTI students, making a lasting impact on their lives.”



Two of the 2019 NHTI Scholarship Recipients Photo

The club received a thank you note from the **Women’s Foundation** thanking us for our generous gift of **\$100** which will be deposited into their unrestricted operating fund. This donation will help them meet their mission of promoting opportunity and equality for women and girls in New Hampshire. T. Clews, CEO

