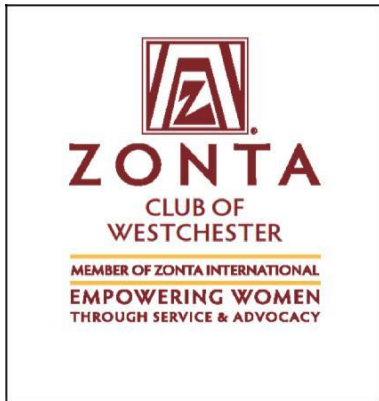


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CONSTITUENT OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL
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Dear Zontians,

Whether you have a religious affiliation or not during this season, “we clap our hands and welcome the peace of Christmas, we beckon this good season to wait a while with us.” Maya Angelou

Thank you very much for being willing to have me serve as your president for a second term. My new term began in July of this year, which caused me to think that it would be appropriate to tell you at this time what we've accomplished so far and to congratulate you on your work.

We of course had our business meeting in August to prepare for our rock'n'roll blast fundraiser which did fatten our treasury a bit for the first time in a long time. As a result, we donated \$300 to the food pantry of Yonkers, and we also bought \$475 worth of material to make Christmas kits for the women of Bedford prison.

Many of us worked on presentations for the ERA /Proposition One Amendment. We did teach-ins at the following: Will Library in Yonkers, the Mount Vernon Library, the New Rochelle Library, the Mamaroneck Library, the Dole Center, and Asbury Church.

A group of us wrote letters to swing states to encourage getting out the vote. Approximately 200 postcards were written and mailed. We were able to assume the cost of the mailing.

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MEETING

**Tuesday
December 10**

**101 Old
Mamaroneck Rd
Apt 2B6
White Plains**

6:00pm

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We learned a bit about the perils of plastic, and we will follow up on issues related to global warming and global pollution in the new year.

Finally, we had a presentation from Neighbors for Refugees given by Jmel Wilson. We are poised to help with the resettlement of two families including women and children in the first part of 2025.

We are beginning to get to work on reviewing candidates for the Woman in Public Affairs Scholarship.

We inducted a new member.... Hooray..... and we have another lady who is submitting her application as we speak.

Thank you for all your good works and now it is time to celebrate.
It appears that we will have our **Christmas party** on **Tuesday December 10th**, which is the second Tuesday of the month and not the third, since the third Tuesday is getting too close to the Christmas turmoil.

The gathering will be held at my home at **101 Old Mamaroneck Rd. apt 2B6 White Plains, NY** beginning at **6:00** and ending between 8:30 and 9:00. Try to carpool if possible. Also, I would like to ask two favors. One, please let me know if you will or will not be able to come so that I will have the proper amount of food prepared. Secondly, can you please **donate \$25 per person**? If it is not enough to cover the expenses, I will simply absorb it. If I have money left over, I will donate the excess to the Zonta's service account.

Happy holidays to all, a blessed Christmas, a joyful Hanukkah. Peace and love to you in whatever philosophical persuasion you embrace.

Joan Mallory
President

Birthdays

December

No birthdays this month

