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**AUGUST 2022**

# NEWSLETTER



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



**BETH COLVIN**  
 President  
 Zonta Club of Joliet

**W**elcome back, Zontians!

I hope everyone is enjoying this beautiful weather, summer is flying by.

There will not be a program at the August dinner meeting, instead you will meet with your committees to discuss what goals you would like to achieve this year.

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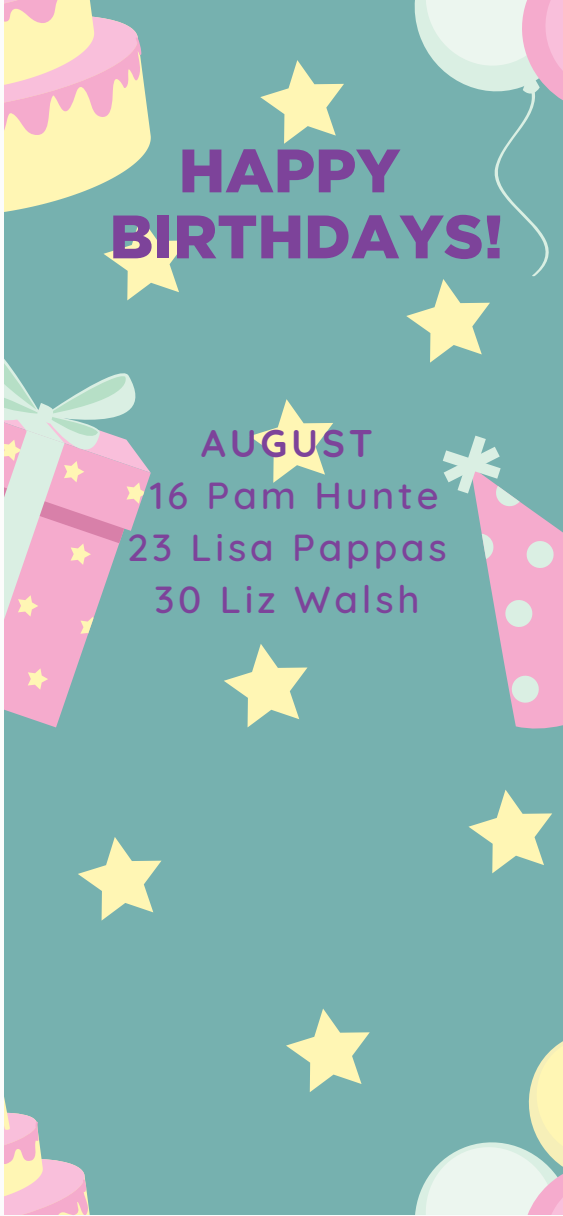
I would like to encourage members to attend the 2022 District 6 Conference being held October 7-9, 2022 in Brookfield, Wisconsin.

The fall conference is a wonderful opportunity to meet other Zontians from the 22 clubs in our district and learn more about Zonta. If there are any members that would like to be a delegate or alternate, please contact me as soon as possible. The District has not sent registration information yet.

The 2022 Will County Take Back the Night rally takes place on Thursday, October 20, at 5:00 p.m. at Hufford Jr. High School at 1125 N. Larkin Ave. in Joliet. The guest speaker will be Stephanie Austin (aka Eden Strong), a local survivor of domestic violence, whose writings and story have appeared nationally in *Time Magazine*, *Huffington Post*, and *USA Today*. She is also the founder of Rise from the Ashes, a local non-profit assisting financially struggling victims of domestic violence in legally separating from abusers through the civil court process. You can read more about Ms. Austin at [www.edenstrong.com](http://www.edenstrong.com).

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at the meeting on Tuesday, August 9th at 5:30 at Al's Steakhouse.

Sincerely,  
Beth Colvin  
President



## EXECUTIVE BOARD 2022-2023

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### AUGUST 9

#### Member Dinner Meeting

**Time:** 5:30 pm Social, 6:00 pm start

**Location:** Al's Steak House

**Meal:** Chopped Steak Cheeseburger with raw onion, fries and pound cake with strawberries.

### SEPTEMBER 13

#### Member Dinner Meeting

**Time:** 5:30 Social, 6:00 pm start

**Location:** Al's Steak House

**Meal:** TBD

### OCTOBER 7-9

#### District 6 Conference

**Location:** Brookfield, WI

### OCTOBER 11

#### Member Dinner Meeting

**Time:** 5:30 pm Social, 6:00 pm start

**Location:** Al's Steak House

**Meal:** TBD

### OCTOBER 20

#### Take Back the Night

**Time:** 5:00 pm

**Location:** Hufford Jr. High, 1125 N. Larkin, Joliet

## MEETING RSVP

Please advise Attendance Committee Co-Chair Barb Leiber if you are unable to attend the monthly meeting by 4 pm on the Friday before the monthly meeting. If you will be away for several months be sure to include all of the months you intend to miss. If you wish to be a STANDING NO, please advise.

If Barb is not informed by 4 pm on the Friday before the meeting, you will be charged.

Email is the preferred contact method but if you call, include your name and which month or months you will not be attending.

Barb's email : balive20@gmail.com

Phone: 630-696-0435

Any requests for a vegetarian or fish meal must also be received by Barb by 4:00 pm on the Friday preceding the meeting.

**We will now accept ONLY CASH  
or CHECK for monthly meals.  
Meals are \$26.**

Our Club is looking at some new options for processing credit cards. We will not be accepting credit card payment for monthly dinner meetings until most likely the first of the year.

Please contact Treasurer Karen Pastell if you have questions at  
prairielandaud@att.net.



## COMMITTEE UPDATES

### MEMBERSHIP

We are changing things up this year and will have our Membership Recruitment meeting at the November meeting rather than in February. Please start thinking now about a community leader who you'd like to invite to join our club!

### PUBLIC RELATIONS

A new form is in the works for any publicity for the club. The form will be a Google form, which is live and can added to or edited as new information becomes available for your announcement or event. The form will be shared via email and will be accessible on the member side of the website.

## Monthly Meeting Attendance

Members are asked to advise the Attendance Committee when you will NOT be attending a meeting; otherwise it is assumed you ARE attending.

This allows the club to plan accordingly and saves time and expense. See page 3 for details on how to notify the committee of your absence.

## Executive Board Meeting Calendar 2022-2023

The Executive Board meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Executive Board members, mark your calendars for the following dates\*:

2022	2023
August 23	January 24
September 27	February 28
October 25	March 28
November 22	April 25
	May 23

*\*Dates subject to change*