



Zonta Club of *Warren*

ADVANCING THE STATUS OF WOMEN WORLDWIDE...

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LNL Thank You

by Judy Yaegle

I want to thank everyone for a great job on Lucky Numbers Luncheon. It's easy being chairperson with an organization like ours. Each and every committee member did her particular job so thoroughly that the process just flowed. Every one of you jumped in and made this event happen.

The gifts from the members, as well as from the sponsors, were especially nice. I sincerely appreciate everyone's effort. This is just the best project!

CONGRATULATIONS ON A JOB VERY WELL DONE!!

Upcoming Meeting

Thursday, March 11, 2010
Social time 11:30 am
Lunch 12:00 pm
Jefferson DeFrees Center

Zontian Sandy Cowell, President of the Corry club, who carried our proxy to the international meeting will give us insight as to what happened with voting, and the splendor of international meetings.

Hope you all can join us!

Our Community in Review

At our February 11th meeting, Chris Cheronis of GRO-Warren and Jennifer Rossey, Main Street Manager, informed us about the upcoming events and wonderful things happening in our community.

Chris told us about the purpose of Gro-Warren and the new Music and Arts Center that is being developed downtown. A lot of



things are happening in our community and we should be very excited about the opportunities out there. Jennifer spoke about some of the events this year that Warren Main Street is putting on.

Thank you to both Chris and Jennifer for sharing your responsibilities with us and we are very happy to be a part of this wonderful community!

Reminders:

- Cheryl won the Relay for Life raffle in March
- Any fellowship items should be brought to the attention of Barb Swanson or Laura Ahl
- If you have any newsletter ideas, please contact Laura Ahl
- Still looking for a co-captain for Relay for Life...see Cheryl or Julu

Coming up...

- Daffodil Days are March 18
- Relay for Life is June 25/26

March Birthdays...

- 11 - Jennifer Rossey
- 17 - Julu Jerman

****If I don't have your birthday, please email me so that you can be recognized! ****



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Founded in 1919, Zonta International is a global organization of executives and professionals working together to advance the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy. Zonta members volunteer their time, talents and money to local and [international service projects](#), as well as [scholarship and award programs](#) aimed at furthering women's education, leadership and youth development.

**Are you getting your Zonta magazine?
Don't forget to register at www.zonta.org**

To cancel a standing luncheon reservation please call the Jefferson DeFrees Center at 723-6350 on or before noon on Tuesday for a Thursday luncheon.

International Programs

By Phyllis Wright

The first of this series was "[Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission of HIV](#)" especially in the Rwanda. Second was [Safe Cities](#) especially in Latin America.

This letter is about [REDUCTION OF OBSTETRIC FISTULA](#) in Liberia, Africa. Currently 578 out of every 100,000 pregnant women die in childbirth, or their children are still born due to prolong labor with the restriction in the vagina area. Many more face severe complications. Women suffer from chronic incontinence cause by urine and blood leaking through a hole in the birth canal, leaving an embarrassing odor. The social isolation and abandonment by husbands, leaves women in profound poverty and poor health.

A doctor's treatment has 90% success rate and cost about \$300. UNIFEM monies provide the treatment and education for the women to gain a skill for income, and education about the preventing this cultural practice upon women.

Lucky Numbers Luncheon...

...was a huge success thanks to all members, sponsors and the community!
Can't wait until next year! Thank you, again.

Happy St. Patrick's Day!!!!

