

**ZONTA**CLUB OF
CHEYENNE

MEMBER OF ZONTA INTERNATIONAL

EMPOWERING WOMEN
THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

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Message from the President

"A wise woman wishes to be no one's enemy; a wise woman refuses to be anyone's victim."

— Maya Angelou

International Women's Day is March 8th. It is a day to celebrate the strong women we have known. It is a day to celebrate how far we have come but to also remember how far we have to go to reach gender equality. As we remember our successes and our struggles, it is a good opportunity to remember the global goals designed to be a blueprint for a better and more sustainable future for everyone. In particular, United Nations Sustainable Goal #5 aims to, "achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls."

How has the world of gender equality been envisioned? Discrimination against women and girls would no longer ex-

ist. Violence Against Women is not a common practice and women feel safe in their homes and workplaces. Women are full participants in leadership and decision-making in political, economic, and public life. Currently, this vision is only a utopia held in our imagination.

Yet, we continue our work to make this tomorrow's reality. So, as we commemorate International Women's Day this year, starting on March 4th at our *CANCEL OUT* fundraiser, and continuing on March 5th at the downtown Women's Rally, let us remember why we work as hard as we do. We want to leave this world a better place.

-Denise



CANCEL OUT

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & HUMAN TRAFFICKING



Keynote
SPEAKER

HEATHER POUNDS PAGÁN

SURVIVOR OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND
SURVIVOR SUPPORT COORDINATOR FOR LIGHTHOUSE FOR LIFE

Shopping x Socializing x Grab x ^{WINE} *Silent*
AUCTION

THE METROPOLITAN DOWNTOWN

1701 CAREY AVENUE, CHEYENNE, WY

5:00 PM - DOORS
6:00 PM - DINNER

FULL PLATED DINNER

PASTA PRIMAVERA,
PAN SEARED SALMON,
or STEAK FRITES

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS

\$75.00
(SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE)

RSVP ONLINE AT

[HTTPS://WWW.CHEYENNEZONTA.ORG/UPCOMINGEVENTS/](https://www.cheyennezonta.org/upcomingevents/)

FUNDRAISER PRESENTED BY



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MARCH 4, 2022

2022 Rally for Women:

End Domestic Violence Break the Chains



MARCH 5TH

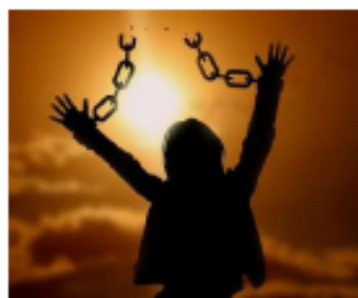
11:00-NOON

SUPREME COURT BUILDING STEPS**

Speakers, featuring Jackie Parker Director of Strong Families, Strong Wyoming and Bob Vines from WCADVSA, involved agency representatives, and supporters will share current issues focusing on Signs of Toxic Relationships for Adults, Young Adults, and Youth, How They Can Escalate, and COVID's effects, preventative measures, and ways we can help victims break away from degradation, threats, and violence!

Joining together,

we can BREAK the CHAINS



Sponsored by Grace UMW Social Action Team,
the Zonta Club of Cheyenne, and Volunteers of
America

**In case of inclement weather, we'll meet in the
WILLOW ROOM, 1st floor Laramie Co. Library
2200 Pioneer Ave.

Announcements

Have a heart!



VALENTINE'S DAY GIFT TO THE COMMUNITY
FEBRUARY 14—MARCH 14
CURRENTLY THE NEED FOR BLOOD IS CRITICAL!!!

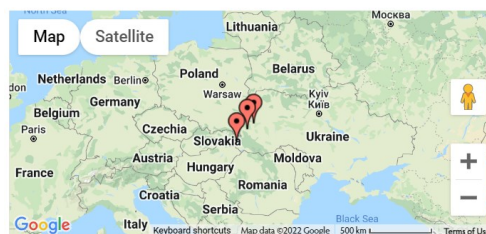
Cheyenne Service Club Blood Drive Challenge
Donate and designate your favorite service club for credit
Kiwanis Lions Rotary Zonta

Come to Vitalant
112 E. 8th Avenue
Phone: 877-258-4825

Sincere Thank You

To Ann Erdmann for keeping us updated on the bills going before the committee hearings and for educating us on how to advocate for issues that are important to us as individuals!

Please keep our Zonta Sisters from the Lviv, Lviv Zamok, and Uzhgorod Clubs in Ukraine in your thoughts and prayers. We hope they remain safe.



Zonta International Convention

If you are not ready to travel or can't get away to attend the Zonta International Convention in person, this is a reminder that there is an option of attending virtually. While not all activities will be streamed or available on-line, many of the workshops and ceremonies will be available virtually. The virtual registration is only \$189. For more information, or to register, please go to https://www.zonta.org/Web/News/Events/Convention_2022/Registration.aspx#Registration

	In-Person	Virtual
Access to mobile event app	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Virtual networking opportunities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Live-streamed district meetings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Pre-recorded reports and presentations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Opening Ceremony and Flag Parade	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
AE, JMK & YWPA presentations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Candidate speeches	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Real-time election results	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2022-2024 proposed projects and biennial goals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Welcome to Brisbane	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Virtual booths (Foundation, UN partners, Brisbane/Queensland)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Virtual workshops	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
In-person workshops	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
In-person networking opportunities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Bylaws discussions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Ticketed and evening events	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Gala Dinner & Installation Ceremony	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Zonta Store	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Marketplace	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Cheyenne Zonta Club History

This is the time of year Zonta will donate the latest yearbook of artifacts to the Wyoming State Archives. We keep the most recent 10 years in our storage unit.

If you have items that would highlight what we do like: photos, correspondence, programs, newspaper articles, event reports, award certificates, scholarship awards, international or District photos and activities please consider donating them to our archives. It does not matter what year, but items need to be dated. Bring them to a meeting or contact Linda Bogart or Jody Gostas.

Sharpen up your knowledge on the history of the Cheyenne Zonta Club:

- ♦ What year did the Cheyenne Zonta Club receive its Charter and who presented it to our first President, Helen Cobb?
- ♦ The Zonta Antique Show ran for 35 years. What year was the last show?
- ♦ After 35 years our members were known around town as _____?

HELP WANTED – SCHOLARSHIP COORDINATORS

If you are interested in working on any of these awards or scholarships as the coordinator or as part of a team, please let Denise know at parrishzonta@gmail.com or (307) 286-1463.

Exclusive Screening of “Woman” on March 18

As the United Nations launches the virtual 66th session of the Commission on the Status of Women – the world's largest annual gathering on women's rights – we're launching a virtual parallel event.

We'll watch “Woman,” a gorgeous film that examines the lives and experiences of hundreds of women around the world. And we'll discuss with the filmmaker and two of the women interviewed for the film -- including our Fraidy Reiss -- the central question “Woman” raises: How far have women come, and how far do they still have to go?

Woman @ CSW

18 March 2022

12:00 p.m. EDT | 9:00 a.m. PDT | 4:00 p.m. GMT

UNCHAINED
at last

https://www.unchainedatlast.org/save-the-date-woman-csw/?link_id=0&can_id=2ea507f0958386b86c9278f45c353324&source=email-calling-all-badasses-were-hiring-for-senior-level-2&email_referrer=email_1430918&email_subject=join-us-for-exclusive-screening-of-woman-on-march-18

Treasurer's Report

Date: 1/31/2022						
Type	Date	Number	Name	Cleared	Amount	Balance
Beginning Balance						\$ 3,425.91
Cleared Transactions						
Checks and Payments						
Total Checks and Payments					\$ -	
Deposits and Credits						
Deposit	1/10/2022		CCVC	01/10/22	\$ 25.00	
Deposit	1/10/2022		Pharmacy - Hope Bags	01/10/22	\$ 110.00	
Total Deposits and Credits					\$ 135.00	
Total Cleared Transactions					\$ 135.00	\$ 135.00
Cleared Balance						\$ 3,560.91
Register Balance						\$ 3,560.91
New Transactions						
Checks and Payments						
Check	4/5/2021	4503	Sage Barlow		\$ (200.00)	
Check	1/26/2022	4529	Jub Jub		\$ (50.00)	
Total Checks and Payments					\$ (250.00)	
Deposits and Credits						
Deposit	2/2/2022		Smialek dues		\$ 180.00	
Total Deposits and Credits					\$ 180.00	\$ (70.00)
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Ending Balance						\$ 3,490.91

Meeting Minutes Summary



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- Call to Order, a Quorum was established with 21 members present.
- Introduction of Meeting Guest(s), if any
- Birthdays – Becki Reid, Nancy Freudenthal, Christina Blooding, Kathy Starr, Amy Hernandez
- Guest Speaker, Dr. Margaret Crespo, Superintendent of Laramie County School District #1

Dr. Crespo plans to speak about education, the school district, and long-range plans from the Club members as stakeholders of the community. She mentioned that she really enjoyed the “In Her Shoes” event.

- CANCEL OUT: Domestic Violence and Human Trafficking (Fundraiser)

March 4, 2022 evening – Plated Dinner – Speaker – Raffles – Silent Auctions – Limited Vendors

Tickets \$75 each Sponsors: \$750 for table of 8 or \$400 for table of 4

- Scholarships

Young Women in Public Affairs – Applications Due April 1st (Jennica Fournier Coordinating)

Women in Aviation – Application Due September 30th (Michelle Huff Coordinating)

LCCC Scholarship for Non-Traditional Student – Application Due April 1st (Possible Coordinator Jacque Snowardt)

Jane M. Klausman Women in Business – Application Due in June, date TBD, (Coordinator Denise Parrish)

Women in Technology – Application and Qualifications Need to be Finalized – Looking for Volunteers

- Blood Drive at Vitalant – Starts February 14th and lasts for 30 days – Contest where Zonta, Lions, Rotary, Kiwanis challenge each other to see who can get largest proportion of members to give blood
(Let Vitalant Know when you give that you are there for Zonta – Your Friends can also give for Zonta)
- Kathy Orr talked about the Rally for Women event on March 5th at 11:00. Ending Domestic Violence, Breaking the Chains.
- Upcoming Meetings / Events
 - Board Meeting -- March 3, 5:30 p.m. at Align Offices (822 W. 23rd St) – In-person and Zoom
 - CANCEL OUT FUNDRAISER – March 4, 5 p.m. – The Met
 - Rally for Women – March 5, 11:00 a.m. Downtown
 - International Women’s Day – March 8th
 - Member Club Meeting – March 10, Evening Meeting at The Met
 - Get Together for Potential New Members – March 24th – Applebee’s
- Meeting was adjourned at 1:03pm. Respectfully submitted by Belinda Sawyer, Secretary

Items Needed for Hope Bags

- ♦ Boys and Girl’s Clothing (no underwear)
- ♦ Zip up Sleepers for babies and toddlers
- ♦ Women’s solid color leggings (S, M, L, XL)

2022 Club Officers And Board

President: Denise Parrish

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Vice President: Michelle Aldrich

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Secretary: Belinda Sawyer

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Treasurer: Kathy Cathcart

kcathcart@TheAlignTeam.org

Board Directors:

Ilaine Brown

Betty Abernethy

Rebecca Reid

Kristy Williams

Dasa Robertson

Nominating Committee

Dasa Roberston

Ann Erdmann

Mary Walker

Committee Chairs

Advocacy: Denise Parrish

Communication:

Finance: Kathy Cathcart

Membership: Betty Abernethy

Service:

Zonta International Foundation for Women

Ambassador: Mary Walker

Club Historian: Linda Bogart



Kathy Catchart

3/23

Betty Abermethy

3/31

Zonta Foundation :

Kristie Wilson (Ch)

Linda Bogart (V Ch)

Denise Parrish (Sec)

Melissa Martin (Tres)

Ann Erdmann (Member at Large)

Upcoming Events:

- **March 3, 5:30 p.m.** – Board Meeting, In-person and on Zoom
- **March 4, 5p.m.** – CANCEL OUT @ The Metropolitan
- **March 5, 11a.m.** – Women's Rally @ Supreme Court Building
- **March 8** - International Women's Day
- **March 10, Evening** – Zonta Club Meeting @ The Metropolitan
- **March 14-25**– Commission on the Status of Women, Online (Must Register)
- **March 24th** – Get Together for Potential New Members – Apple-bee's