



**Zonta Club of Prince William County  
President's Report  
2008-2009**

As a small Zonta club, one of our goals for the past year has been to maintain membership growth and to have all of our members be active Zonta members. We lost a few members due to moves, but we have gained some enthusiastic new members, and hope to expand in the coming year.

Our main fundraiser has been the sale of White House Christmas ornaments. Our members sell them directly as do several storefronts, including Salt and Pepper Books in Occoquan. In addition, we are excited to be bringing these to the Zonta store at the conference this year for the first time.

We have historically done a service project every year with a women's shelter called The Barn, located in Prince William County. This went especially well this past year as we had a Mother's day party for the residents. We brought food and gifts, and had a time of fellowship and networking with the women, many of whom are training to enter or re-enter the work force. The Barn has also asked for speakers on topics such as real estate or landlord-tenant law since then, and we are happy to provide these to help the ladies there.

For the past six years, we have also done monthly mini-drives at our meetings in which we ask our members to bring items to the meetings to benefit various charities. We have continued this project throughout the year, collecting items for the BARN, as well as for women at a refugee camp overseas, for whom we have collected scarves, hats and shoes for several years. We also celebrated the holiday by adopting a service member and her family for Christmas. This provided us with a service project that really got members involved as well as a good time of fellowship as we had a gift-wrapping party and made a gingerbread house for the family.

Last year was an exciting year for the Zonta Club of Prince William County, Virginia, and we look forward to another year of progress and growth. We have great things planned for the coming year and our fellow Zontians are always welcome to come visit us!

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District 3 Fall Conference  
October 2-4, 2009, Alexandria, Virginia