



**One Vision One Mission One Voice  
One Movement**



**CLUB: Zonta Club of Mandaluyong San Juan II**  
**District 17 Area 1**

**About Zonta**

Founded in 1919, Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy. With more than 30,000 members belonging to more than 1,200 Zonta Clubs in 67 countries and geographic areas, Zontians all over the world volunteer their time, talents and support to local and international service projects, as well as scholarship programs aimed at fulfilling Zonta's mission and objectives.

Zonta International Objectives:

- To improve the legal, political, economic, educational, health and professional status of women at the global and local level through service and advocacy
- To work for the advancement of understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of members
- To promote justice and universal respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms
- To be united internationally to foster high ethical standards, to implement service programs, and to provide mutual support and fellowship for members who serve their communities, their nations and the world

Note: Zonta International, its districts and its clubs are nonsectarian and nonpartisan.

**Zonta District 17 Goals 2016 - 2018**

**One vision, one mission, one voice, one movement. A season of weaving D.R.E.A.M.S.**

**D = Direction for a better future**

**R = Resources**

**E = Empowerment through educational opportunities**

**A = Advocacy**

**M = Membership**

**S = Service**

**Our Club Vision & Mission 2016 - 2018**

**LIVING UP TO OUR VISION AND MISSION OF EMPOWERING WOMEN THROUGH SERVICE AND ADVOCACY**

## **Our Club History**

Zonta Club Mandaluyong-San Juan I District 17 Area 1, Club 1690

In the first quarter of 2001, Ms. Ella Alma M. Calleja, a member of Zonta Club of Mandaluyong - San Juan, invited women from different professions to form a new club. On May 1, 2001, Zonta Club of Mandaluyong - San Juan II became an official club of Zonta International under the sponsorship of Zonta Club of Mandaluyong - San Juan I.

On May 26, 2001, the Installation of the Charter Club (Officers, Board, and Charter Members) was held at Wack - Wack Golf & Country Club in Mandaluyong City.

The first set of officers include: Alma M. Calleja (President), Marichelle Torres - Cruz (1st Vice-President), Trinidad Tan (2nd Vice-President), Ma. Purisima Bernardo (Recording Secretary), Fe S. Quiaoit (Corresponding Secretary) and Maros Ancheta - Claudio. The Directors are Jean Bondoc, Nimfa Ferrer, Baby Go, Jane Martinez and Andrea Dulalia. Other Charter Members: Anna Calleja, Jesusa Tamayo dela Cruz, Kristine Esguerra, Lea Llanes, Rhodora Macapagal, Josefina Sincioco, Evangeline Sison, Elena Tan and Melanie Villano.

In the succeeding years, the club had the following Presidents: Trinidad Tan (2004 - 2006), Erlinda Marquez (2006 - 2008), Marichelle Torres - Cruz (2008 - 2010), Maria Rose Ancheta - Claudio (2010 - 2012), and Manuela Go (2012 – 2014, Dra. Evangeline Sison, 2014-2016).

**Club Officers, Board of Directors, Committess 2016 – 2018**

**OFFICERS**

President - Rachel D. Ruelo  
Vice President - Julieta (Lily) Arambulo  
Recording Secretary - Shirley A. Pinto  
Treasurer - Helen B. Mejia  
Assistant Treasurer - Marivic Lascano  
PRO - Diana Therese Veloso

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Dra. Evangeline Sison  
Marie Rose Ancheta  
Manuela Go  
Natalia Golez  
Gaudencia Z. Co  
Aimee Liberty Serrano

**COMMITTEES**

Chairman-Service - Gaudencia Z. Co  
Chairman-Advocacy - Nimfa Ferrer  
Chairman-Z and Golden Club - Aimee Liberty Serrano  
UN Foundation Ambassadress - Diana Therese Veloso

Our Club Members:

Classification

ANCHETA, MARIE ROSE	3212
ANCHETA, GEMMAROSE	3212
ARAMBULO, JULIETA	2312
ARATEA, JENNIFER	1111
AREVALO, AIMEE	1111
CALLEJA, ANNA CORAZON	3212
CALLEJA, ELLA ALMA	2312
CO, GAUDENCIA	3212
EBUEN, LILIAN LASATIN	2381
FERRER, NIMFA	3399
GO, MANUELA	3212
GO, TIFFANY MICHELLE	2522
GOLEZ, NATALIA	6313
HERNANDEZ, JOHANNA SONGCO	3211
LASCANO, MA. VICTORIA	3211
MEJIA, HELEN	3211
PINTO, SHIRLEY AMANCIO	2295
RUELO, RACHEL DURAN	2521
SERRANO, AIMEE LIBERTY	3321
SISON, EVANGELINE	2312
SIY, PATRICIA MAY	3212
TAN, NANCY	3212
TAN, TRINIDAD	3212
TIU NG, SHIRLEY	3212
VALERIO, NORMA	3212
VELOSO, DIANA THERESE	2549

### **1. Past Service Projects Conducted**

*Seminars in Prevention of Teen Age Pregnancy and early marriage to high school students*

*Sustained projects in Correctional Institution For Providing support in the reformation programs of female inmates in education, health and livelihood.*

*It started since 2010 to present.*

*Interactions with elementary students re Anti-Bullying Act*

### **2. Current Services Project**

*To be more active in Continuing seminars, lectures to high school students re Prevention of Teenage Pregnancy and early marriage. Expand these activities and reach out to many students in Mandaluyong and San Juan Cities and beyond borders. As part of the activities, the club provides flyers and book marks to students;*

*To sustain the support programs for the reformation of female inmates at Correctional Institution For Women such as in their livelihood programs that these inmates learn skills and become productive while in prison; also support in their health programs thru awareness in breast cancer, cervical cancer and other illness also to provide medical services and treatments as may be necessary. These supports are aimed in preparing these inmates to be productive citizens, law abiding and God fearing once they rejoined the community.*

*To continue interactions about Anti-Bullying with students in elementary and high school students. In relation with this our club had its own personalized notebook for students*

*participants to attract their attention and interest. The front and back cover of notebooks have the name of the club for public awareness and visibility and the information about the Anti-Bullying Act*

### **ADVOCACY PROJECTS**

#### **1) Past advocacy projects conducted**

*seminars, lectures in Anti-violence against Women and Children (more on girls) in high schools, Barangays.*

**Signature campaigns in AVAWC with students and other members of the community**

#### **2) Current Advocacy Projects**

**To conduct lectures, seminars or interactions to high school students re AVAWC and make it a regular activity aiming prevention, for public awareness, Zonta visibility. In one way, helping the government, law enforcement authorities and the community. To attain this the club has flyers, book marks and will also provide student participants personalized notebooks of the club with information about AVAWC**

**Be more active in the signature campaign in AVAWC (more on girls) and gather as many signatures we could gather for public awareness and Zonta visibility in this campaign. Flyers in AVAWC are distributed at the same time.**

To include in our activities public awareness on gender equality and the elimination of discrimination against women and girls and to engage men as partners for gender equality

**MEMBERSHIP:**

Last February this year, three (3) new members were installed. We have more five members to be installed this September. We need young professionals to join us in the club who will be active in advancing the cause of women and in carrying out our advocacy and service projects.

**BECOME A MEMBER**

Zonta offers you the opportunity to belong to a vibrant service organisation, develop leadership skills, cultivate friendship and give back to your community.

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**SERVICE**

