STARTING A GOLDEN Z CLUB

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C O N G R A T U L A T I O N S!

You’ve made the decision to join a **community** of individuals aiming to **make the world a better place** for women, and develop **leadership** and **teamwork** skills.
WHAT NOW?

Your friends at McMaster Golden Z have put together this brief presentation outlining what to do to get your Golden Z club started.

Starting a club often requires several months of planning and dedication, but we are certain that it will be worth it.
1. GATHER MEMBERS

Consult with your **student union/council** to determine the number of members needed to **start a club**.

Recruit individuals who are **passionate** about Zonta’s **mission**.
2. FIND A ZONTA SPONSOR

There are more than **1,000** Zonta clubs around the world. Find the one **closest** to you [here](#), and ask them to **sponsor** your club.
3. UNIVERSITY APPROVAL

In order to access funds, meeting/event spaces, and other resources, you may need to register your club with your student union/council. This is often done the spring prior to starting your club.
After your club is authorized by Zonta and your university, your sponsoring club will present you with your club charter in a ceremony. Enjoy this celebration!
5. SPREAD THE WORD

Advertise your club via social media, email newsletters, flyers/posters, and club fairs.

Reach out to other campus organizations and invite them to your events.
6. MEET REGULARLY

Find a suitable **space** and **time** for your **executive members** to meet **weekly**, and host **club-wide meetings** **monthly**.

**On-campus** meetings during **evening** hours often work best for students.
Service is an essential component of Zonta’s mission.

Reach out to local and international women’s organizations and ask about how you can help.
7. REACH OUT TO PARTNERS

Birthing Kits for Ghana
Soup Kitchen Volunteering
Fundraising for Shelter
Hygiene Kits for Shelter
Sandwiches for Shelter
Attending Zonta Events
8. HOST EVENTS

Promote your mission on campus by hosting interactive events for the campus community.

Remember to document your events on your social media accounts!
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- Game Night
- Hall of Sheroes
- Paint Night
- Zonta Says No
- Networking Dinner
- Self Defence Workshop
9. APPLY FOR THE ELCSA

The Emma L. Conlon Service Award recognizes Golden Z and Z clubs that exemplify Zonta’s mission through their projects.

All Golden Z clubs are encouraged to complete the application by April 30.
10. HAVE FUN!

Remember, you are joining a community of inspiring and passionate individuals.

Most Golden Z members become good friends during their time with the club.
WANT TO LEARN MORE?

Additional resources:

1. ZI Z Club and Golden Z Club Manual
2. Golden Z Official Slideshow
3. Locate a Zonta Club
4. Zonta Website
5. Golden Z Club’s Facebook Page
THANKS FOR VIEWING!

WE CAN’T WAIT FOR YOU TO JOIN THE GOLDEN Z COMMUNITY!

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