



ZONTA CLUB OF MELBOURNE

TAKE A STAND AGAINST GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The Zonta Club of Melbourne is a member of Zonta International, whose mission is to advance the status of women worldwide through advocacy, services, and scholarships.

During the 16 Days of Activism, **25 November - 10 December 2020**, the Zonta Club of Melbourne will take part in the **Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women** campaign.

The Zonta International President, Sharon Langenbeck, recently stated:

“As the world faces the COVID-19 pandemic, instances of gender-based violence are on the rise. Now, more than ever, it is essential that we work together to end violence against women and girls. Through the Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women campaign, Zonta clubs around the world are uniting to raise their voices to bring awareness to this issue and advocate on behalf of gender-based violence survivors.”

The Melbourne Zontians are coordinating the **Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women** billboards along the I-95 corridor in Brevard County. Our Melbourne High School Z Club, the Club specifically for High School students, will be hosting an “Orange Day”. This event will be asking all students to wear orange in support of this initiative.

As an additional effort to bring awareness to the Melbourne community the Zonta Club is going to provide our local community leaders and law enforcement personnel with orange pins, ties and scarves to be worn during the 16 Days of Activism to participate in the fight against gender-based violence.

This year the Zonta Club of Melbourne will be hosting a luminaria fundraising opportunity. We will join together on December 4th at 7:30PM and light luminarias in our homes and neighborhoods across Brevard County to remember and honor the people in our lives who have had to face domestic violence. Decorate your street, neighborhood or business with the luminaria bags. If you would like to host a small gathering (socially distanced) and share your reasons why you have a bag, we encourage you to do this.

We thank you in advance for supporting Zonta’s local community projects.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us directly at www.zontaspacecoast.org or call (321) 952-1443.

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**LIGHT UP THE SKY! and say
“NO to VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN”**



Our Zonta Club of Melbourne will be hosting a luminaria fundraising opportunity. We hope you will assist our Club in this fundraising opportunity.

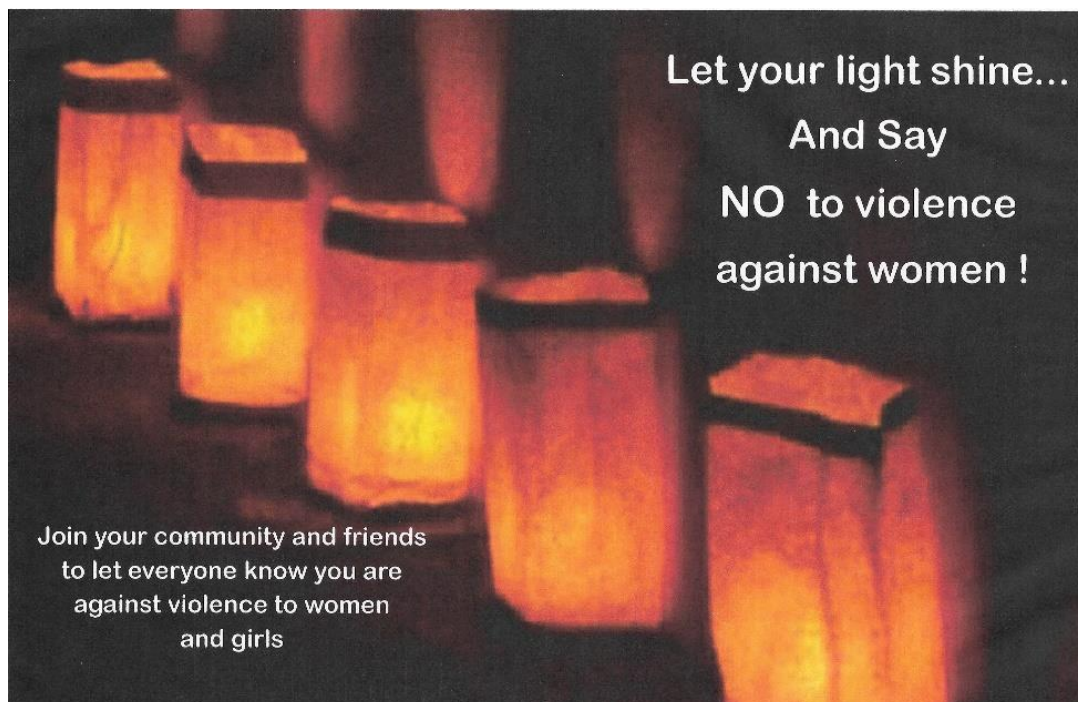
We are asking you to decorate your home, street, neighborhood, or business with the luminaria bags in support of victims of sexual based violence.

Then, on December 4th at 7:30PM light up the sky to help eradicate human trafficking and violence against women and girls.

We will try to have members come to your home/neighborhoods to take photos of this event.

For a \$10.00 donation you will receive a set of 6 bags with lights.

For more information contact us at: www.zontaspacecoast.org or call (321) 952-1443.



Let your light shine...

And Say

**NO to violence
against women !**

Join your community and friends
to let everyone know you are
against violence to women
and girls