District 2 and International Awards (updated 3/17/25)

Award Name & Prize	Eligibility	Prerequisite	Application Due Date	Winner Announced	Forwarded on to International	Resources
•Club •Scholarships Women In Aerospace Fellowship ZI Awards of \$10,000 made to each of 30 international winners annually.	Some D2 clubs offer an Amelia Earhart scholarship to high school seniors accepted into college in STEM fields.	Club scholarships vary. ZI Fellowship: Enrolled in 2 nd year or more of Ph.D./doctoral aerospace-related sciences or engineering programs; superior academic achievement	November 15 directly to Zonta International	May	Due to ZI November 15	District Committee Chair earhart@zontadistrict2.org ZI Overview and Application Page Committee Chairs can access ZI tools by logging into My Zonta at ZI. Select Tools and then ZI Award, Scholarship & Fellowship Tools.
Women in Business Leadership Award Some clubs offer local awards. 10 Annual awards of \$10,000 each given by Zonta International and a complimentary one-year supporting membership in ZI for the next fiscal year.	Women ages 18-35	Demonstration of an outstanding potential in business; entrepreneurial spirit; ethical conduct; significant contributions to addressing global or local issues affecting women or girls or climate justice	Application comes out January 1 Due to District on September 1	December	Due to ZI by October 15	District Committee Chair womeninbusiness@zontadistrict2.org ZI Overview and Application Page Committee Chairs can access ZI tools by logging into My Zonta at ZI. Select Tools and then ZI Award, Scholarship & Fellowship Tools.
Jean M Coon Humanitarian Award \$1,000	High School Juniors or Seniors Academic achievement is not relevant.	Has performed community service and won a club level award	April 1	May (Awarded in October)	No, District level only	District Committee Chair imcoon@zontadistrict2.org

Some Clubs offer local						
awards.						
Young Women in	Young Women ages 16-	Committed to	Clubs set their own	District announced	Yes, by May 1	District Committee Chair
Leadership Award	19	volunteerism;	due dates.	in May		youngwomeninleadership@zontadistrict
		experienced in				2.org
37 Annual awards of	This award is made by	leadership; knowledge	ZI application comes out	International		
\$5,000 each given by	some clubs, the district,	and support of Zonta	August 1. Due to District	winners announced		ZI Overview and Application Page
Zonta International (one	and international levels.	International mission,	by April 1.	July 1		
award per district).		ideals, and programs				Committee Chairs can access ZI tools by
						logging into My Zonta at ZI. Select Tools
						and then ZI Award, Scholarship &
						Fellowship Tools.
Women in STEM	Women ages 18-35	The U.S. Department	October 15 to the District	March	Due to Zonta	District Committee Chair
Award		of Homeland Security's			International	womeninstem@zontadistrict2.org
	Must demonstrate	Designated Degree			January 15	
16 Awards of \$10,000 at	potential in the field.	Program List can be				ZI Overview and Application Page
each given by Zonta		used to determine if				
International and a		your field of study is				Committee Chairs can access ZI tools by
complimentary one-year		eligible: https://www.i				logging into My Zonta at ZI. Select Tools
supporting membership		ce.gov/sites/default/fil				and then ZI Award, Scholarship &
in Zonta International for		es/documents/stem-				Fellowship Tools.
the next financial year.		<u>list.pdf</u> .				
Z Club District 2	Any Z Club within	Club must Submit	April 1	May	No, District	District Committee Chair
Award	District 2	Service Project			award only	zclub@zontadistrict2.org
		information.				
One \$300 Club						
winner.		Spirit Award recipient				
		must be nominated				
Certificate for		and must be a member				
Individual Zonta		of a Z Club.				
Spirit Award						