

District 2 and International Awards (updated 9/20/26)

Award Name & Prize	Eligibility	Prerequisite	Application Due Date	Winner Announced	Forwarded on to International	Resources
Amelia Earhart Club Scholarships- Women In Aerospace Fellowship No monetary district award ZI Awards of \$12,000 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, 2026 directly to Zonta International	May, 2027	Due to ZI November 15, 2026	District Committee Chair awards@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. No monetary district award 10 Annual awards of \$5,000 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 outstanding potential in business; entrepreneurial spirit; ethical conduct; significant contributions to addressing global or local issues affecting women or girls or climate justice	Clubs set their own due date. Due to District on November 30, 2026	February 28, 2027	Due to ZI by January 2, 2027	District Committee Chair awards@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 District Award	High School Juniors or Seniors	Has performed community service and won a club-level award	April 1	May	No, District level only	District Committee Chair awards@zontadistrict2.org

\$1,000 district award Some Clubs offer local awards.	Academic achievement is not relevant.					
Young Women in Leadership Award No monetary district award 37 Annual awards of \$5,000 each given by Zonta International (one award per district).	Young Women ages 16-19 This award is made by some clubs, the district, and international levels.	Committed to volunteerism; experienced in leadership; knowledge and support of Zonta International mission, ideals, and programs	Clubs set their own due dates. Due to District April 1, 2027	July 2027	Yes, by May 1	District Committee Chair awards@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 STEM Award No monetary district award 16 Annual Awards of \$5,000 Each is given by Zonta International and a complimentary one-year supporting membership in Zonta International for the next financial year.	Women who demonstrate groundbreaking research pioneering discoveries, and/or exemplary contributions to advancing knowledge in STEM. Currently in their second year of undergraduate program through the final year of a graduate program.	The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Designated Degree Program List can be used to determine if your field of study is eligible: https://www.zonta.org/images/docs/ourprograms/education/WomenInSTEM/student-list.pdf	Clubs set their own due dates. Due to District February 1, 2027	April 2027	Due to Zonta International March 1, 2027	District Committee Chair awards@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.
Z Club District 2 Award District Award-One \$300 Club winner. Certificate for Individual Zonta Spirit Award	Any Z Club within District 2	Club must Submit Service Project information. Spirit Award recipient must be nominated and must be a member of a Z Club.	April 1	May	No, District award only	District Committee Chair studentclubs@zontadistrict2.org

