

Zonta International is a

leading global organization of individuals working together to build a better world for

women and girls

**2025 Grants to Local Organizations**

The Zonta Club of Kitchener-Waterloo is seeking applications for grants to be awarded from the 33rd Zonta Club Betty Thompson Golf Classic Funds in June 2025. This will be our club’s main Fundraiser this year for grant distribution for local organizations in Waterloo Region.

Grants will be issued for activities that are focused on empowering women and girls and projects with reasonable fund request from Zonta Club of Kitchener-Waterloo.

**Organizations which are eligible for grants are ones which:**

1. Provide services that benefit women and/or girls in the Kitchener-Waterloo community
2. Make services available without discrimination as described by the Ontario Human Rights Code
3. Issue an annual report which includes financial statements
4. Complete the Zonta Club's grant application with a full outline, including projected costs, of the project for which the grant is being requested and,
5. Undertake to provide a full report on the project when it is completed, if requested.

**Grants will not be provided for:**

1. Professional growth opportunities for staff of the organization unless specifically related to the proposal, or
2. Ongoing administration costs of an organization.

**The grant application is due by 11:59pm**

**on Friday, March 31st 2025**

**By Email to**: zontagrantapplication@gmail.com

**Subject Line**: 2025 Grant Application Zonta KW

Any queries can be sent to Valerie Meyer, Chair, Grants Committee at the above email address.



 **Grant Application 2025**

 **(due by 11:59pm Friday, March 31st 2025)**

Please type or print your application

Date of Submission: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for this request: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Background Information**

Status of your organization (Check One):

 \_\_\_\_\_\_ registered charity

  **\_** not-for-profit organization not registered as a charity

 \_\_\_\_\_\_ Other (please specify)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Briefly state the mission / goals of your organization (or a link to online info):

**The Project:**

1. Briefly describe the project for which you are requesting funds and the target group who will be involved.
2. What is the projected total cost of this project? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. What funds are already available to assist with this project, if any?
4. What is the dollar amount of the grant being requested through this application to the Zonta Club of Kitchener-Waterloo? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. What other groups are being approached for funding for this project?
6. When is this project expected to begin and to end?

**Person completing this application**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*please print name signature*

**Chairperson / Board Representative**

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***By accepting a grant from the Zonta Club of Kitchener-Waterloo, your organization gives permission to the Zonta Club to publish your organization’s name as a grant recipient.***

**Please attach to this application\*:**

1. A detailed outline of the project for which you are requesting funds;
2. A detailed outline of the budget for this project including funds already committed, if any;
3. A copy of your most recent financial statement

**\*All these items must be attached in order for this application to be considered by Zonta KW’s Grant Committee**

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**Anticipated Timeline:**

* **March 31, 2025**: All grant applications for consideration received by Zonta Club of Kitchener-Waterloo
* **May 21st, 2025** – Zonta Club General Meeting: approval by Zonta Club members will be given for organizations that will be considered for grant distribution. All organizations who submitted an application, will be notified of our club’s decision.
* **June 18th, 2025** – Zonta Club General meeting: final approval by Zonta Club Members. Final Grant amounts will be known by this time.
* **September 17th, 2025** – Zonta Club will present grant cheques to successful organizations at our General Meeting.