



## SEPTEMBER 2022 NEWS BLAST

### Greetings from your Governor!

Happy September!

Thank you to all of the members that attended the Leadership Training Retreat in August. We had fun celebrating, learning about various leadership topics and meeting the region leadership team. Thanks to DONA Penny and Mandy, Leadership Training Coordinators for their creativity in making the Wide World of Sports come to life which included friendly competitions and retreat enhancers (aka Pom Poms).

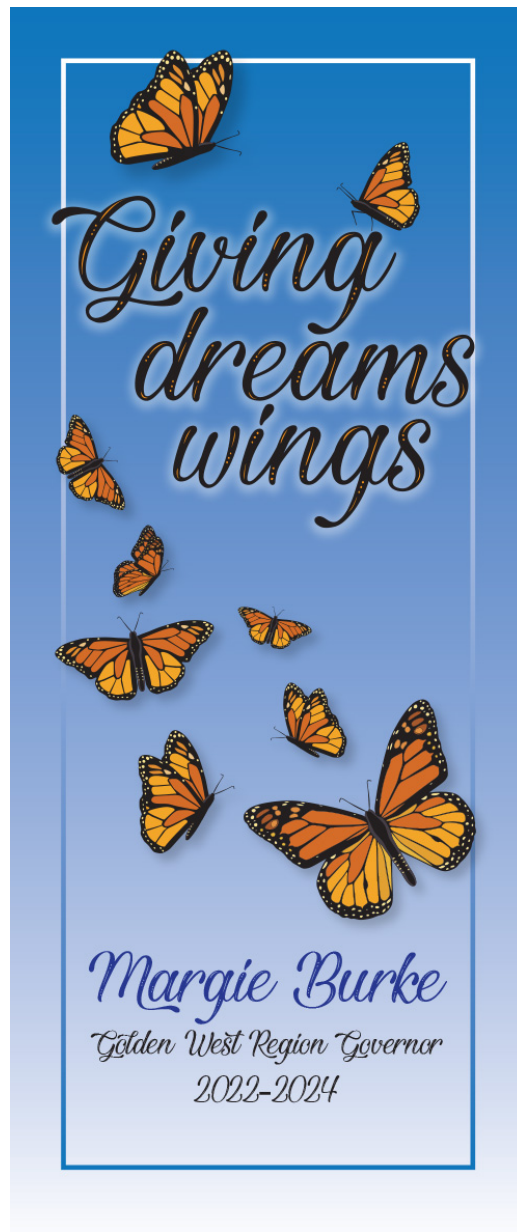
Are you curious about what you missed during the retreat? I know we can't recreate the fun and engagement during the weekend but we can share the power point presentations. Please go to the Golden West Region website and find [LTR2022 Quick Link](#) for all of the presentations made during the Saturday training for you to access. We had great topics and presentations to assist all club officers and members with this coming year.

If you have idea topics for next years' Leadership Retreat or for future workshops at Spring Conference 2023, now would be the time to share your thoughts and recommend presenters. It is never too early to plan.

We are also excited to be fully engaged in our Dream Programs this coming club year with participation in the Dream it Be it program and Live Your Dream Awards. As a reminder, the **Live Your Dream Portal opened for applications on August 1st**. Applicants are able to submit their applications to your club via the portal. If you have questions specific to LYDA please don't hesitate to reach out to Esther Devall, LYD Region Coordinator.

We are still in need of committee members to round out our committee listing. The leadership directory has been updated with all of the committee members that have stepped up and we still need you!

Are you feeling "Fall" in the air? Well... not yet according to the weather here in Phoenix. But we must be getting closer to Fall Meetings. Your District Directors are hard at work planning for the upcoming Fall Meetings. You will find more information on each district meeting on the region website as calls become



Yours in service,

**Governor Margie**

## Don't Forget! ~ Mark your Calendars!

Governor Margie is still trying to fill committee assignments for the next biennium. If interested please contact her at [Margieb.gwr@gmail.com](mailto:Margieb.gwr@gmail.com).

Pillar & chair positions have been filled but there is still room for committee member positions.

There is a whole lot of fun to be had working with the  
**Golden West Region committees.**

**September 14th - "Come as you are"** Region Zoom Social - Soroptimist Celebrating Success (SCS) will be our main topic of discussion .

**September 15th - Deadline for** registration for **District 3** Fall Meeting in Kingman, AZ 9/30 - 10/1.

**September 22nd - Deadline for** registration for **District 4** Fall Meeting in Phoenix, AZ 10/14 - 10/15.

**September 30th - Deadline for**  
**Soroptimist Celebrating Success Entries**

**October 7th - Deadline for** registration for **District 1 & 2** Fall Meeting - Big Bear, CA 10/21 - 10/22

**November 15th - Deadline for**  
**"Live Your Dream Entries to Club Portal.**

## Early Bird Registration begins September 5th

[sidublin2023.com](http://sidublin2023.com)



# Fall Meetings by District

District 3	9/30 - 10/1	Kingman, Arizona
District 4	10/14 - 10/15	Phoenix, Arizona
District 1 & 2	10/21 - 10/22	Big Bear, California



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BRILLIANT FUTURE

**SIA is looking for a few good women...for Fundraising Council!**

**Deadline: September 15th**

As you look across our region, SIA hopes that clubs will identify outstanding Soroptimists and recommend their names for consideration as **Fundraising Council** members. Please take into consideration the Council's job description when considering a nominee. (follow links below)

**Job Description Link**  
**Council Nomination Form**

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**\$100**

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"Dream Awards"

## Club Events & Fundraisers around the Region

\$25 Ticket  
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Beverage, Bidding  
Paddle, &  
Opportunity  
Drawing Ticket  
\$30 Ticket at the  
Door  
Additional  
Opportunity  
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1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
Canyon Springs  
High School  
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OCTOBER 1, 2022



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**JOIN US LIVE**  
Friday, September 17, 2022  
6:00 PM  
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11 W. Cherry Ave. Flagstaff  
TICKETS: \$25 / \$30 Virtual Screening  
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