

**Golden West Region** 

MAY 2021 NEWS-BLAST

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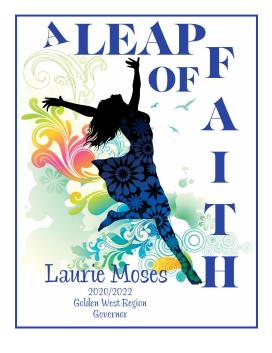
#### **SOROPTIMIST Means BEST FOR WOMEN**

## Important News from the Governor!

# Happy Mother's Day!

Whether you care for Children, Grandchildren, Friends, Family or Furbabies, we all mother & care for someone and we all deserve a day of love, appreciation and reflection. For many, you are their Super Hero, their mentor, their biggest supporter...but you just aren't told enough how much you are loved and cherished for it.

Let the world give thanks for women like you for there is no influence more powerful or love more pure than that of a Mother. A Mother's love is peace, it need not be acquired and it need not be deserved.



Wishing each and every one of you a glorious day full of love and gratitude.

Governor Laurie



# **Conference Central**

Below you will find the TIMELINE & LINKS

for a successful Region Conference.

## You've registered, what's next?

- Attention all 2019/2020 & 2020/2021 Club Presidents: MAY 10th keep an eye out for a special email from Governor Laurie inviting you to a private Social in your honor to celebrate your year(s) as club President on Thursday, May 20th @ 6:30 PM. This President's social is by invitation only.
- Attention all registered Presidents & Delegates: May 14th keep an eye out for an email with instructions on how to go on the region website to vote on the business of our region for your club using E-balloting May 15th 18th. Voting closes May 18th @ 7:00pm.

#### Links to voting Materials:

- Club Delegate Responsibilities
- GWR Proposed Budget 2021-2022
- 2021 Proposed Bylaw Amendments
- 2021-2023 Nominating Committee Report
- Attention all Conference Attendees: The week leading up to conference... If you signed up before the April 23rd the deadline, begin watching your mail man/lady for your special "Swag" box from your region "Conference Committee" with all the accourrements to help you celebrate this 2021 Spring Conference with style.
  - Attention all Clubs: We have extended the deadline for the "region fundraiser donation" to May 15th in hopes of getting a few more donations for our "Pajamas & Pearls" fundraiser which helps us raise funds for our "Live Your Dream" region level awards. Please help out if you can. SC Donation Registration Form

# Mark Your Calendars!

Don't forget to join us Wednesday, May 12th at 6:30 PM (CA & AZ time) for our "Come As You Are" Region ZOOM meeting. All members are welcome.

We will be featuring a Laurel Society Chance Board to win a Laurel Society Pin!

ALSO - discussions on Club Giving, Laurel Society and Laurel Legacy.

"Come As You Are" meetings take place on the **2nd Wednesday of each month**, so grab your "favorite" beverage and join us! **Links** to meetings will be listed on the region website: <a href="www.qoldenwestregion.org">www.qoldenwestregion.org</a>

### **SOROPTIMISTS CELEBRATING 100 YEARS!**



Join Soroptimist International of the Kachinas as we work towards a healthy goal of completing 100 miles in 100 days to celebrate 100 years of Soroptimists!

Walk, run, hike, bike, swim, however you enjoy getting active. Invite your friends and family to participate too! You can participate together as a team and motivate each other! Donations and funds raised will go towards the Live Your Dream Education Award and the Dream It Be It Career support program.

Register now! The challenge starts April 19, 2021 and runs 100 days thru July 27, 2021.

Raffle for prizes through the 100 day journey!

Registration link: https://forms.gle/7PC2gP1v2iHKNzWg8

# A Special Invitation from SIA...

Join us September 25 and 26, 2021...For our SIA virtual 100th anniversary celebration!!! (Click HERE for your special Invitation)

The party will include the following highlights:

- Opening SIA's historic time capsule
- Exhibit of our early years
- Interactive game show with prizes
- Launch of new SIA video
- Engaging speakers

Stay tuned for more details! And check out our Celebration in a Box for more ways to



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#### **REGISTER NOW!**

# Soroptimist International 100 year Celebration!

Here is a stellar opportunity to register to attend our International Birthday Celebration this coming October for only \$40 for early registration through June 14th. It's an opportunity NOT TO BE MISSED. Click on the link and read through the information at the top of the page regarding the program, schedule, FAQs, etc.

https://100.soroptimistinternational.org/si100



## 2021 "Dream Maker" PINS

available NOW!

Golden West Region's Annual Fundraising Campaign! Every penny of your \$100 donation goes directly to cash awards for our region "Live Your Dream" Award finalists. PLUS, one of these beautiful pins will be mailed to you along with your conference materials after the April 23rd deadline!

Go to the "Storefront" and get yours now!

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