



## **Soroptimist International of Ukiah Monthly News**

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### •\*"\*•#; Happy Birthday Soroptimist International of Ukiah; •\*"\*•

We can be proud of our 64 years of distinguished service improving the lives of women and girls in our community and throughout the world since June 4, 1949.

By Katie Kight SI Ukiah President 2012-2013

"It is by making a small difference, again and again, that you realize what an enormous impact you are capable of making." - Ralph Marston



Greetings SI Ukiah Members and Friends,

What an uplifting Conference. SI Ukiah Members - YOU ARE FIREWORKS! Thank you to everyone who attended the Founder Region Conference in San Ramon May 3rd, 4th and 5th and to those who helped over the past several months in preparation. Your volunteer support, working with the other Mendocino County host clubs, allowed the conference to be the success that it was. I enjoyed our club "team building" activities while we were there! I really appreciated this time spent together laughing and having fun. - Thanks for the memories!

One of the greatest highlights of conference for me was hearing from the Fellowship, Women's Opportunity, Violet Richardson and Ruby Award winners, especially having our Women's Opportunity Award Winner, Dani Foreman, honored by District IV. It was great to see Dani shine at the podium as she accepted her award!

Thank you to Lucille Mirata, Scholarships and Awards Chair and the committee members for your diligent review of the exceptional scholarship and award applications we received. I know the decisions were tough. I enjoyed celebrating with each of the winners at the luncheon. We can take great pride in offering our support and recognition to our Ruby Award Winner who is making extraordinary efforts to improve the lives of youth in our community and the growing achievements of our Scholarship Recipients and Women's Opportunity Award Winner who are pursuing a higher education to reach their future career goals and live their dreams.

Thanks to Tami Glasco for the scarf tying lesson at our last Hospitality Meeting. Tami, you had us all tied up in knots! I'm looking forward to the Installation dinner Thursday June 20th. Please be sure to mark your calendar and plan to attend. It promises to be fun and a wonderful closure to a productive club year.

Together we're brightening our club, community and world!

- Katie



Club survey's are due June 5th. Your response is important. This assessment will help our club identify and focus on what is important to members as we continue our efforts as a viable and effective service club in the new year.

On June 16th, 6:00pm, Girl Rising makes its international television debut on CNN – millions of people around the world will watch this unforgettable film as one global audience.

#### CALENDAR

#### **Meetings**

September - June Wednesdays, Noon-1:00 Ukiah Garden Cafe 1090 South State Street

#### **Board Meetings**

All members welcome to attend Monday prior to the business meeting, 5:30 p.m. Schat's at Friedman's

#### JUNE

- 4 SI Ukiah was chartered June 4, 1949
- 5 Committee Meeting (Surveys Due)
- 9 Redwood Memorial Grove Service
- 10 Board Meeting
- 12 Business Meeting
- 15 Lobster Sale Pick-up
- 16 Girl Rising on CNN
- 19 Program Meeting
- 20 Installation Dinner
- 26 Hospitality Meeting (Last meeting of the *2012-2013 club year)*

Enjoy the Summer!





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#### **SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS** Lucille Mirata, Committee Chair

Wednesday, May 15th, we held the scholarship and awards luncheon for our winners. It was an inspiring event, getting to hear from these amazing young women who are destined to go forward and make a difference. For those who could not

attend here is a list of the winners:

LVN Scholarship - Alyssa King Shirley Grover Law Enforcement Scholarship - Paige Mayfield Vivian Martin Vocational Scholarship - Sidney Miller Carrie Minkler Adcademic Scholarship - Amy Longstreth Women's Opportunity Award - Dani Foreman

Ruby Award - Camille Schraeder

#### Congratulations!























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#### **LOBSTER SALE Loretta Tognoli, Committee Chair**

Pre-Sale orders are due June 10th, \$20 each (1-1/4 lb. to 1-1/2 lb), after that, the price increases to \$25. We will need volunteers to work the day of pick up, Saturday June 15th at Alex Thomas Plaza, 10 am - 1 pm. Contact Loretta, 272-5969 or Linda, 621-0342 to sign up.



#### SOROPTIMIST INVITATIONAL DOLPHINS SWIM MEET Tami Glasco, Committee Chair

The Dolphins swim meet is July 27th and 28th. We will need four people in three hour shifts each day. Shifts will be 9 am - 12 pm and 12 pm - 3 pm. A sign up sheet will be circulating at the June meetings or contact Tami to sign up.

#### THE VALUE OF TIME

Imagine there is a bank that credits your account each morning with \$86,400. It carries over no balance from day to day. Every evening the bank deletes whatever part of the balance you failed to use during the day. What would you do? Draw out every cent, of course?

Each of us has such a bank. It's name is TIME.

Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off as lost, whatever of this you have failed to invest to a good purpose. It carries over no balance. It allows no over draft. Each day it opens a new account for you. Each night it burns the remains of the day.

If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours. There is no drawing against "tomorrow." You must live in the present on today's deposits. Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success!

The clock is running! Make the most of today.

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