President's Message

"UNITED WE CAN"

The theme for this year is "UNITED WE CAN".

We can do this in the following ways:

- by working together as a unified team of club members committed to our mission of improving the lives of women and girls both locally and around the globe,
- by continuing to work with the other Soroptimist clubs in Sonoma County to bring to bear our combined resources on our key projects that include the Breast Cancer Survivors Assistance Program and the Human Trafficking Awareness Programs,
- by strengthening our relationships with the American Cancer Society, YWCA, Interfaith Shelter Network, Catholic Charities and United Against Sexual Assault to better support each other in our common goals,
- by increasing our ties to the community through our schools, the Fire and Police Departments and our many Scholarship Programs through sharing our resources and raising public awareness of Soroptomist and our key issues.

My goals for this year include:

- -Strengthening our existing relationships,
- -Looking for new initiatives and opportunities,
- -Bringing the power and knowledge of Soroptimist to bear in the community through Public Awareness, and
- -Having FUN!

"UNITED WE CAN" accomplishes these goals and any others that we choose to take on.

I would like to thank the Installation Committee: Lucy Barnett, Helen Sager, Gwen Hall and Lola Haran for all their work in making Saturday such a wonderful day. A special thanks to Phyllis Rogers for her music and the staff at Chloe's French Cafe for their attentive service and delicious food.

In Service.

President Carolyn

July PROGRAMS

July 9th Business Meeting

July 16th Active 20/30 Club about

Kid Spree

July 23rd APECA, Pam Chanter

July 30th Board Meeting

Inspirations

July 9th Carolyn Aloia

July 16th Malia Anderson

July 23rd June Hunter-Clarke

August PROGRAMS

Aug 6th Business meeting

Aug 13th TBA

Aug 20th Santa Rosa Chamber of

Commerce

Kelly Bass

Aug 27th Board Meeting

Inspirations

Aug 6th Gwen Hall

Aug 13th Marj Conley

Aug 20th Erin Temple

What's Happening



17th

JULY HAPPY 4TH OF JULY

AUGUST

The End of Summer



11th Installation of New Officers @ 1st

Chloe's, 3883 Airway Dr., Santa

Rosa, CA.

Event begins @ 10:30 AM

Kids Spree

7 AM; Coddington

SEPTEMBER

Hello Fall

Please, be there by 6:30 AM

Volunteers needed

15th **Human Race Celebration**

(Carolyn, Helen and June will repre-

sent Soroptimist International of

Santa Rosa)

Barbeque @ Earl Baum Center 25-26th Earle Baum Music Festival

Set-up Silent Auction on Fri, 9/25

11 AM - 2PM 4539 Occidental Rd., Santa Rosa Actual event Sat, 9/26

Volunteers needed Volunteers needed

> October 24th

> January

22nd Recognition Ceremony @ Finley

> Aquatic Center, 4PM, College Ave., Santa Rosa, to honor Samta Rosa Soroptimists for the donation of the Defibrillator to the Ridgeway

Aquatic Center. All are welcome

22nd Film "Tea and Justice" presented by

Women's Justice Center @ Round

Table Pizza 1791 Marlow Rd.,

Santa Rosa; 5:30 PM

Reservations required, 575-3150

Save the date!

Enter on your calendar now

District 4 District

gates and members.

CLUB FUNDRAISER:

Meeting for club dele-

5th, Hank Williams

2010 "Lost Highway"

6 th Street Play House

25th Fire Safety Trailer @ Schulz Museum, 2301 Hardies Ln, Santa Rosa,

CA 95403. 707-579-4452

www.schulzmuseum.org

We need volunteers to pass out coloring books, etc. Please, wear your T shirts. Start and ending time to be

announced.

February ANNUAL CLUB FUNDRAISER

"Night in Italy" 20th,

2010

Our temporary website has moved to Sonic as our permanent host. Our website can now be found at:

http://www.sisantarosa.org @sonic.net

Member News

July Birthdays

22nd Fran Miller

31st Ann Baumann

August Birthdays

1st Sandy Frazer

7th Lynn Riepenhoff

22nd Kris Huot

30th Carolyn Aloia

30th Lucy Barnett



District 3 Director Bobbi Enderlin informed our club about Soroptimist International "Project Sierra" which works to transform the lives of some of the most deprived women and children in Sierra Leone.

RIGHT: Directors
Bobbi Enderlin
(District 3) and
Gloria Soderbery
(District 2) joined
our own District 4
Director Sandy
Frazer at Leadership meeting in
Novato



Club Programs



Karin Tappin, Healdsburg Soroptimist and Laura Moss, Director of our local American Cancer Society, updated our club about the activities dealing with the prevention and treatment of Cancer in our area.

Our District 4 clubs initiated and continue to support a Breast Cancer Survivor Assistance Project in coordination with the American Cancer Society.



LEFT: District 4 Director Sandy presented President Barbara with a Region **110%** Award certificate acknowledging all the new members she brought to our club this year



We learned about the many facets of service provided by the "Social Advocates for Youth" in Sonoma County.



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Happy Fourth Of July



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To see other Soroptimist Web sites—Visit

Founder Region Website: www.sifounderregion.org
International of the Americas: www.soroptimist.org

Soroptimist International: <u>www.soroptimistinternational.org</u>

Upcoming special event? Committee Meeting?

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Let us know!

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