



SOROPTIMIST NEWS

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Schedule for January

- 1-1 - Happy New Year
- 1-8 - Regular Meeting
- 1-15- Business Meeting
- 1-22 - Dinner Meeting
- 1-28: No Meeting

NO PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

We are sorry to report that Joy's mother died last week and she is in Arizona to be with family. No column available this month.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you Joy.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Judi Morris reports the following information on the August Golf Tournament:

Our 11th annual tournament will be held at Discovery Bay Golf Course on Saturday, August 29th.

We will be seeking sponsorships at the following levels:

- **PLATINUM \$1500:** Large banner at course, vendor table at course, headliner in all ads, sign at hole/tee. Spokes person at event, 4 person team.
- **GOLD \$1000** – Large banner at course, headliner in ads, sign at hole/tee. 2 players.
- **PALLADIUM-\$500** – Banner at course, headliner in ads, sign at hole/tee.
- **SILVER- \$250** – Sign at hole/tee, identification in ads.
- **BRONZE \$125** –Share a sign at hole/tee, identification in ads.
- **TEAM SPONSOR \$275-** Green fees, carts, raffle tickets and lunch and dinner for four golfers. Team sponsors identification in ads.

If you know of a business that hasn't sponsored before, ask them to support us. Judy Cavett will manage the sponsorship process.

Judi and Joy will manage the golf tournament.

January Birthdays

- 1-8: Karin Morgan
- 1-9: Cheryl Bozarth



Hostesses for January

- Ruth Gordon
- Carol Wise

Hostesses for February

- Judy Cavett
- Karen Hankins

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(from the December issue of "The International Soroptimist")

SI/International President Margaret Lobo's message in this issue concluded with these words: "As Soroptimists we work towards:

Bringing Peace to a World at War;
Love and Friendship to people in fear
And Hope to all in despair
So I wish you the strength and courage to continue this good work
And a Happy and restful Holiday Season.
All the Best for the New Year.

New clubs have recently been chartered in India, South Africa, Tunisia, Burkina Faso, Paraguay, Japan, United States and Canada.

Clubs in New Zealand, Reno, Nevada, Friday Harbor and the South East England Region have offered Grants of Friendship to interested Soroptimists and their husbands or companions.

Visitors are responsible for their own air fare to the club location, but lodging, meals, hospitality and ground transportation between clubs are provided by the region.

(Is this something we might be interested in?)

Project Sierra – A Family and a Future (2007-2911) had a very successful first year raising \$271,974 – which is the most successful first year every for a Quadrennial Project.

Project Sierra supports girls, mothers and children in Sierra Leone.

SCIENCE EXAM ANSWERS

(by children)

Name the four seasons: Answer: Salt, pepper, mustard and vinegar.

How can water be made safe to drink? Answer: Flirtation makes water safe to drink because it removes large pollutants like grit, sand, dead sheep and canoeists.

How can you delay milk turning sour? Answer: Keep it in the cow!

What are steroids? Answer: Things for keeping carpets still on the stairs.

What happens to your body as you age? Answer: When you get old, so do your bowels and you get intercontinental.

What happens to a boy when he reaches puberty: Answer: He says good-bye to his boyhood and looks forward to his adultery.

What is a fibula: Answer: A small lie.

What does "varicose" mean? Answer: Nearby.

Name a major disease associated with cigarettes. Answer: Premature death.

Give the meaning of the term "Caesarian Section." Answer: The Caesarian Section is a district in Rome.