



The Vision



Below is the 3rd Quarter report on the SIA Diamond Campaign for membership. This year the goal for membership is for clubs to reach 85% member retention. There were no new member goals.

The Chart below shows where all the clubs in the Midwest Region stand as of 2-28-21.

The Diamond Campaign contest will end on May 31, 2021.

Thanks to all our members for helping to grow and retain their club membership in these difficult times.

Questions? Please contact Midwest Region Membership Chair: Roseanne Horne at 313-706-1801 or rosewa33@aol.com

Midwestern Region

Q2 Club Progress: Retention Rate (June 1, 2020 - February 28, 2021)

GOAL = 85% Retention by May 31, 2021

Club ID	Club	Total	New Members	Total	Retention
		Members 5/31/20	6/1/20 - 2/28/21	Members 2/28/21	Rate Thru 2/28/21
105103	Chicago, IL	17	0	15	88.2%
105105	Fond Du Lac, WI	40	0	39	97.5%
105108	Milwaukee, WI	16	1	15	87.5%
105111	Bloomington-Normal, IL	23	0	20	87.0%
105113	Suburban-Chicago, IL	15	1	14	86.7%
105115	Illiana, IL	27	1	24	85.2%
105116	Indianapolis Metro, IN	15	0	13	86.7%
105204	Dayton, OH	17	2	17	88.2%
105207	Middletown, OH	18	0	18	100.0%
105210	Anderson, IN	25	1	23	88.0%
105211	Kenton, OH	34	0	33	97.1%
105213	Urbana, OH	21	0	21	100.0%
105216	Lucas County, OH	12	1	11	83.3%
105217	Hancock County Area, OH	10	0	7	70.0%
105219	Tri-State Midwest	12	0	12	100.0%
105220	Cleveland, OH	36	7	41	94.4%
105308	Flat Rock Area, MI	42	0	39	92.9%
105309	Grosse Pointe, MI	67	2	62	89.6%
105314	Greater Macomb, MI	20	0	17	85.0%
105316	Monroe County, MI	41	1	32	75.6%
105317	Oakland County, MI	9	0	9	100.0%
105319	Trenton Area, MI	44	4	42	86.4%
105321	Downriver Area, MI	16	0	13	81.3%
105403	Canton/Stark County, OH	31	3	29	83.9%
105405	Columbus and Franklin County, OH	21	0	19	90.5%
105407	Fremont, OH	33	0	26	78.8%
105410	Mount Vernon & Knox Cnty., OH	31	1	26	80.6%
105415	Zanesville, OH	26	0	23	88.5%
105416	NE Suburban Franklin County, OH	12	0	12	100.0%

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SI of Fond du Lac, WI

SI-Fond du Lac is **Springing into action** with our two initiatives. The first is our **#Soroptimist100** challenge to collect and donate at least **100 books** featuring female authors and protagonists, with an emphasis toward marginalized groups. We have compiled a **Google doc** that others are welcome to use.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1cfANV_cmhLXvqmPyM3_tqSSoqz-y-MbrA8BYHP0TUZ0/edit#gid=0

Our **Soroptimist DreamCasters Award** is now live, and we await entries. Many high school students are on spring break this week; we hope they're checking out opportunities and crafting videos!

In addition, we conducted a **Soroptimist 101** for our 4 new members who joined during the pandemic, along with a couple others who are still in their first years with us. Our District Director and Secretary joined President Linda, and we dove in and learned a lot!

Looking forward to **Spring Conference**, even though it's not in person as we were hoping and plotting....!(We did put together a phenomenal basket, though, so be sure to check that out!!

Soroptimist International of the Americas

www.soroptimist.org (restricted section: member number, create password)

President: Penny Babb
Big Goal: Investing in the Dreams of Half a Million Women and Girls
Through Access to Education
~1300 clubs in 21 countries and territories
Laurel Society (\$1000 total donation), Stargazers (monthly support)
Club Giving, Founder's Pennies
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The screenshot shows the FHS Student Services website with several promotional tiles. Blue arrows point to the following tiles:

- College Visits**: VIRTUAL. CLICK HERE TO SEE WHAT COLLEGES ARE AVAILABLE WHEN. Specifically for FHS Students!
- Virtual PLANT TOURS DIRECTORY**: NEW! Virtual Planting Alliance.
- DreamCasters Award**: Presents the... Soroptimist Best for Women. 11th & 12th grade girls eligible. Submit your video entry by 4/15/21. Click this image for more details.
- Local Job Postings**: WE'RE HIRING.
- APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**: Features a graduation cap and dollar sign icon.
- Career Experiences**: NEW! Virtual Career Experiences. Click here for more info!
- Virtual COLLEGE TOURS**: Features a laptop and smartphone icon.
- CLASS SCHEDULING 2021-2022**: CLICK HERE!

SI of Bloomington-Normal

***Violet Richardson* Recipient Creates Empowerment Program**

Empowered to Create is the brainchild of SIBN's Lakeesha James-Smith. As a program, *Empowered to Create* has sponsored numerous events for girls and women since its inception in 2014 when Lakeesha joined *Soroptimists*. Lakeesha, a 2013 *Violet Richardson Award* winner was THE LAST *Violet Richardson* recipient for the Bloomington-Normal Club. In 2014 the *Violet Richardson* changed to *Live Your Dream*. *Empowered to Create* activities have involved support from Bloomington-Normal *Soroptimists* over the past 6 years.

Recently, the program held a Virtual Baby Shower for new moms from a local social service agency, *Children's Home + Aid*. SIBN members contributed shower donations (e.g., diapers, baby clothes and accessories) which were delivered before their virtual (Zoom) shower. SIBN President Becky Mentzer participated telling her own story of being a teen mom and relating the importance of support and encouragement. She shared the mission of *Soroptimist* and the two signature programs of *Dream It Be It* and *Live Your Dream*.

With *Soroptimist* support, *Empowered to Create* sponsored *Young Ladies Teas* in 2014, 2015, and 2016 preceded by social etiquette and self-care workshops for young girls living in Bloomington-Normal and Peoria. A *With My Girls Empowerment Institute* held in September 2016 featured the Drug Court Coordinator for *Chestnut Health Systems* sharing her life goal to educate, nurture and equip youth and single adults to make a difference in their personal, spiritual, and community life.

In 1999 Lakeesha came to Bloomington-Normal and *Illinois State University* as an exchange student from *Southern University* in Baton Rouge LA . . . and she stayed! Majoring in English she eventually took a position at *The Baby Fold*, a local social service organization. She has been in a variety of social service positions and is now the Resident Services Coordinator for the *Bloomington Housing Authority* (BHA). She loves working with a diverse population of older adults and those with disabilities with BHA. *Soroptimists* and members have provided support for a number of her clients. She is currently enrolled in graduate course work part-time. Her empowerment advocacy covers the entire age, ability, and cultural spectrum starting with young girls and more recently to older adults, including those with disabilities.

Bloomington-Normal is blessed to have Lakeesha, her husband Steven and their 3-year old son in the community. A woman for whom Lakeesha has helped over a period of time stated "Lakeesha lives in a holy place. Thank God for her. She is one of God's angels". It is a joy for SIBN to have this "angel" as one of its members!

SI of Grosse Pointe

100s for Soroptimist's 100th Anniversary

Soroptimist International Grosse Pointe (SIGP) is celebrating Soroptimist's 100th Anniversary every month of 2021 with projects of 100s. Gleaners Food Pantry was our first endeavor. In January, members were asked to clean out their cupboards of non perishable food items. We hoped to collect 100 items to donate to Gleaners but ended up with a whopping 602 pounds! Gleaners distributes food in Detroit where the poverty rate is over 30% and over 50% of households are headed by women. We were pleased that we were able to help women and their children in a small but significant way.

100 Acts of Kindness in the month of February saw members greeting strangers with smiles, picking up litter on their daily walks, reconnecting with old friends, and leaving small anonymous gifts for neighbors. Kindness also included feeding the birds, writing a check to a charity, delivering donuts to police and fire stations, and equally important, taking time to appreciate the richness of one's life.

March was a very busy month! The club project was to collect 100 pairs of reading glasses to give to women in a recovery program. Without clear vision, these women cannot read a book, follow a recipe, thread a needle, or see their phone messages. Members were generous in their contributions and many fashionable reading glasses were donated.

A group of local women heard about SIGP and our 100s projects. They wanted to contribute their talent to a worthwhile organization so they sewed over 200 masks and asked us to donate them to a charity of our choosing. A group that works with the homeless and families living on the edge was grateful to receive the masks and distributed them in their outreach mission to help prevent the spread of Covid-19.

Our Awards ceremony was held in March via Zoom. 100 kudos were given to our awards winners and 100 additional to Briana Cruga, who not only won our Virginia Wagner Award but is the District III and Midwestern Region winner!

Our own member, Dolores Goodger, turns 100 on April 11th. What an achievement in our 100th year! 100 birthday greetings will be sent to her by our club members, friends and other Soroptimist clubs during the month of April.

Stay tuned for more 100s to come!

SI of Grosse Pointe



LET'S CONTINUE OUR 100S CELEBRATION BY HONORING ONE OF OUR OWN MEMBERS WHO WILL BE 100 THIS YEAR.

DOLORES GOODGER WILL BE **100** YEARS OLD ON APRIL 11TH. SHE HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF SIGP FOR 46 YEARS. DOLORES IS NOW RESIDING IN FLORIDA, BUT SHE HAS KEPT HER MEMBERSHIP, READS OUR NEWSLETTER, AND CONTRIBUTES TO OUR FUNDRAISERS.

PLEASE SEND HER A BIRTHDAY CARD OF CONGRATULATIONS ON REACHING THIS MILESTONE. PASS THE WORD TO OTHERS SO THAT SHE WILL RECEIVE **100** CARDS!

**DOLORES GOODGER
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SI of Grosse Pointe

For the Love of Wine Raffle

The results are in! And they are better than expected!

Our fundraiser to replace our Dine-Around-Town raffle was chosen because it could be handled remotely, be advertised on social media for a few months, and it might just be a winner. The committee of volunteers decided to have the drawing just prior to Valentine's Day and give meaning to "For the Love of Wine" title.

Our membership and others made donations to launch the fundraiser and we filled two baskets with quality wines and accessories for a drawing held on February 10, as part of our Business Meeting via Zoom.

The first-place winner was Laura McCourt's granddaughter, Katie McCourt. She won a basket filled with 12 bottles of fine wine along with accessories: a wine table runner (made and quilted by SIGP member Mary Ellen Burke), wine opener, aerator, wine saver, four Lenox crystal wine glasses, cloth cocktail napkins and chocolates.

The second-place winner was Jen Rau, a friend of SIGP member Carrie Petrocelli. She won four bottles of fine wine, cloth cocktail napkins, two crystal stemless wine glasses, a wine saver, and chocolates.

Raffle tickets were distributed to each member to sell to friends, neighbors, and family, or to purchase for themselves. Ticket sales were not required, yet the results were quite encouraging and made this a successful fundraiser during a pandemic with no in-person meetings!

We ordered 2,000 tickets to be printed and packaged in books of six for \$20, and individual tickets were \$5. We sold 87% of our tickets. Most of our members participated to some degree, and our fundraiser raised more than \$5800 after expenses!

A full report will be submitted to the SIGP Board with all the data. A meeting of the committee will be scheduled to discuss the success and next steps, if any, about this fundraiser.



The first prize winner of the wine raffle, Katie McCourt, granddaughter of SIGP member Laura McCourt.

To all our members who helped with this effort, we thank you!

The Vision

SI of Milwaukee



Ballet as the road to self-respect was highlighted in “Ballet After Dark” at the recent Lunafest presentation for SI Milwaukee.

Lunafest Ignites Tomorrow A stage for women filmmakers, Lunafest’s 2021 lineup focuses on the theme of “Someday Is Now.” The series of short films highlighting issues of gender, arts, education, sports, expectations and more, has been a successful entertainment, educational and fund-raising event for SI Milwaukee for two years. This year’s presentation was done virtually and there might be another later in the spring, according to SI Milwaukee President Aundrea Price. These films fuel change and push boundaries. They are designed to ignite the movement of tomorrow. Leading off the current festival was “Ballet After Dark,” which teaches women to respect their bodies through dance and trauma counseling.

Get the Big Picture

Midwest Region Membership Chair Roseanne Horne reminds members of the informative webinars presented monthly by SI President Sharon Fisher. The webinars are one hour and usually consist of an International overview, an individual example and an “Expert” working directly in the chosen field. You can listen to past webinars by visiting Soroptimistinternational.org and search for Webinars. If you would like to register for the monthly webinars contact: sharon.fisher@soroptimistinternational.org



DREAM IT  BE IT 

 CAREER SUPPORT 

  {for girls}

SI of Suburban Chicago

Instead of Dinner & Entertainment... SI of Suburban Chicago delivered Bling & Bath Gift Bags for our Women's Shelters this year for the various Holiday Seasons...

For **Valentines Day** ♥ **Holiday**.... SI of Suburban Chicago put together & delivered **15-Valentine's Day Gift Bags for Family Shelter Services** on 02/10/2021, which is one of our local women's shelters we support and use to do dinners & entertainment for but due to covid restrictions still being in place - this is our only way of showing our support and bringing some holiday cheer & smile to these women's lives.



♥ **The Bags include the following goodies;**
 Box of Paparazzi Jewelry,
 Heart-box of chocolates,
 Bath essentials, Heart-shaped sponge, Beauty facial wipes & face mask set, Nail Polish & pedicure set, deodorant, Perfume & matching hand lotion, and, facial mask(set of 2) and bottle of hand sanitizer.



We enjoyed a little "covid-safe distancing" masked & 6ft-apart while having fun putting these wonderful gift bags together for the shelter we typically would have dinner/bingo entertainment for during the year using the funds and supplies this way instead... and hoping that dropping off these 15-gift bags of goodies to the shelter would brighten these women's day for Valentines this year letting them know that we are still here thinking about them and cared about during this heartfelt season.



SI of Suburban Chicago

♥ "Being a Secret Valentine to the Women of Restoration61" ♥

Our Soroptimist International of Suburban Chicago Paparazzi Jewelry fundraising donated and delivered on February 10th, 2021 to Restoration61 "42" Valentines Day Necklaces to bring some happiness & cheer into these women's lives that needed it most, with being their 'Secret Valentine' this Valentines Holiday letting them know that we are thinking of them and we care.



Some of our Secret Valentine contributors for donations were; Marie Denise Czech, Marie Delos Santos, Fran Ingram, Sue Schumacher, Leslie Schwartzstein, Diane Kealey, Judy Hanke... Thank you to all who purchase a necklace to donate to Restoration61 -and for being a "Secret Valentine" to these lovely ladies that need some holiday "love and cheer" ♥

Our club received a very touching & lovely thank you letter from Restoration61 which their thank you note is pasted below:

Kara Roberts Doan

Posted March 16th - 4:54pm

Hi Soroptimist International of Suburban Chicago!!! You ALL are AMAZING!!!

The victims of human trafficking we are working with LOVE their gifts of jewelry.

It's hard to imagine for us, these women come to us with nothing except the clothes on their back. They are homeless, moneyless, struggling with loneliness, fear, shame, and guilt. They may be dealing with an addiction issue, separation from children, and the loss of everything... and then they get a gift, not a used gift, but a new gift. Not an item that they need, but just something that says, "You're beautiful, and you're loved!" Then, their eyes light up, hope returns, and they for a minute believe they are valuable.

The journey ahead of them is usually long and hard, but each time they see their piece of jewelry, hold it in their hand, touch it throughout the day, they are reminded someone cared enough to give them a gift that makes them feel beautiful!

I am so grateful for your support to help restore hope and empower women who have been exploited.
THANK YOU!



SI of Suburban Chicago

NGO CSW65

"A Seat At The Table: Addressing Violence in Sex Trafficking and Prostitution"

So proud to announce that one of our very own SI of Suburban Chicago Club members; **Rev. Marian Hatcher** was an honored participating panelists during this year's NGO CSW65 virtual forum at United Nations – session; **"A Seat At The Table: Addressing Violence in Sex Trafficking and Prostitution"** that took place on Friday March 19th, 2021 at 4pm CST.

Panelists

Jeanette Westbrook MSSW- Survivor NST, Sex Trafficking, *Moderator*

★ **Rev. Dr. Marian Hatcher, Ambassador-At-Large United Nations**

Tina Frundt, *Executive Director/Founder Courtney's House, Washington, DC*

Jeanne Sarson MEd, BScN & Linda MacDonald Med, BN - *Persons Against Non-State Torture.org*

Kelly Dore Survivor Leader Executive Director, Catalyst

Chat

Dear David Rubin,

Wow! Very thankful to all panelists and attendees! Great evening from The Netherlands. Terry Oudraad, President Sexaholic Women International!

From Marian Hatcher to all panelists and attendees: Please enter questions for the speakers in this Chat.

From Sharon Butler, to All panelists and attendees: I am so blessed! WOW! Everything in earth is saying it only we need Women Unhindered! Let it be so!

From Me to All panelists: Go Marian!! SI of Suburban Chicago is here supporting you! SO PROUD!

From Sharon Butler, to All panelists and attendees: Thank you Rev. Dr. Hatcher! Peace!

From Laura Potts to All panelists and attendees: !!! (gas)

To: All panelist(s)

Your chat can only be seen by panelists.

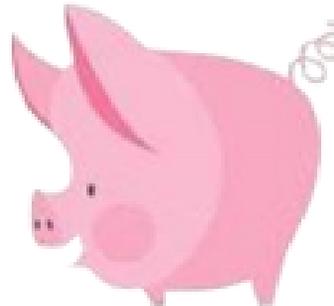
The link listed below is a recorded copy of this informative discussion regarding Sex Trafficking and what needs to change for society to move forward and make the positive changes for eradicating Human/Sex Trafficking and Torture of Traffickers...

<https://ngocsw65forum.us2.pathable.com/meetings/virtual/LWjXDAdmSR8CFh56L>

If you would like further information- there are also some additional informative links shared by the other panelist from this session- which also can be found on our [SI of Suburban Chicago facebook](#) page posting of this event:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/274622346620289>

SI of Mt. Vernon and Knox County



HALF-A-HOG RAFFLE

**Soroptimist of Mount Vernon and Knox County
Congratulate our winners Anita Leedy and Hailey Endsley**

**Our two winners received over 50 lbs of pork each
(chops, ham, steaks, bacon, sausage, ribs & roasts)**

Our club would like to thank everyone that supported us in the new fundraiser. We were able to sell just shy of 500 tickets for total sales of \$5,165!!! This fundraiser would have not been possible without the generosity of those purchasing tickets from our members selling the tickets. Also thanks to our members Andrea Rees (and her husband John) for donating the pig, Barb Barry for paying for the processing of the pig, and to Rhonda Gherman for the donation of the flyers and tickets we sold.

That means ALL ticket sales of \$5,165 completely benefit our local community of women and girls through educational grants and programs leading to social and economic empowerment.



SI of Mt. Vernon and Knox County

Soroptimist of Mount Vernon and Knox County announces Live Your Dream Award Winners

The 2020 **Live Your Dream Awards** were awarded to Mount Vernon women, Mikala Montgomery and Meredith Collins.

The **Live Your Dream Award** provides women who serve as the primary wage earners for their families with a financial award to offset costs associated with attaining higher education.

Ms. Montgomery, the first place winner receives \$1,000 and is studying nursing at Central Ohio Technical College (COTC). Ms. Collins, the second place winner receives \$500 and is studying Human Services at COTC. Both were appreciative of the Awards.

"The Soroptimist club has been a giant blessing in my life, helping relieve the stress of financial strain school can put on a single mom," Montgomery said. "I'm so thankful for the award and am excited to further my education."

"The Live Your Dream Award was created for non-traditional students - women who have overcome some struggles in their lives, and are now raising their families while also going to school to make their lives better. Mikala and Meredith were impressive applicants, and we are happy to give them these awards," explained Becky Chamberlin, Chair.

The **Live Your Dream Awards** have disbursed almost \$35 million in awards to tens of thousands of women since the Award winning program began in 1972.



SI of Kenton-Hardin County SI of Hancock County

The SI Kenton/Hardin County and SI Hancock County chapters held their joint Celebration of Women ceremony on March 18th. The committee members organized a wonderful celebration to honor those outstanding women in our communities. The keynote address was presented by Retired Major General Deborah Ashenhurst who currently serves as the Director of Ohio Department of Veterans Services. Her speech was an inspiration for all women about following dreams and being successful in a career that traditionally is male dominated. It was an honor to have her present and share her successes within the United States military. The two clubs gave four Live Your Dream Awards with Angela Spires winning from Hancock County and Penny Smith, Alisha Kapanka, and Elizabeth Purdy from Hardin County. Angela is pursuing a degree in Social Work and hopes to help others overcome hardships in their lives and show them that she was successful in working through abuse as a child. Penny Smith is working on a degree in Social Work and currently is a case manager for clients with substance use disorder. Penny understands their struggles as she has overcome this disorder herself. Alisha is working on a Social Work degree and plans to put her life experiences into everything she does to help other people. Alisha has overcome many hardships and understands how this can impact ones mental and physical health as well as blunt career opportunities. She wants to make a difference in the lives of so many others. Elizabeth is pursuing a professional certificate in Medical Coding and hopes to be a good role model for her son. As a widow with young children, she needed to make many sacrifices on behalf of her family. She wants her son to know that hard work does have its reward and you can achieve your dreams. We were fortunate to have the award winners on the video link so that they could say hello. We are so very honored to support such courageous and dedicated women. SI Kenton/Hardin County presented Mia Benitez the Judy Farrington Memorial Award/Violet Richardson Award. Mia is a high school student who dedicates a tremendous amount of time to her community. Mia's charity is One Simple Wish™ who empowers us to restore hope and happiness to children and young adults who have been impacted by foster care, abuse, and neglect. What a wonderful young lady! Kennedy Cook an Ohio Northern University political science student won the Virginia Wagner Award. Kennedy was selected to be the primary assistant to the newly formed "Institute for Civics and Public Policy" and is currently preparing to study abroad in Hungary. Taylor Ellerbrock was the award winner for the Judy MaGaw Award, which honors SI Kenton/Hardin County's past president. Taylor is a Medical Laboratory Science and Biology major at Ohio Northern University who has been named an Academic All-OAC athlete for track and cross country. After graduation, she hopes to work in a clinical lab. Dorothy Hogue was the Ruby Award winner. She is dedicated to her community and improving the lives of our community. She is actively involved in so many different charities but she wanted this award to go to the local Soup Kitchen that provides meals to those who need a little extra help. She is the rock that keeps this project going week after week. We all strive to be that light in our communities. Kenton/Hardin County was able to surprise to amazing SI women for their dedication and service to our mission. Our Rookie of the Year was Sarah Johnson who joined in 2019 and has served on the executive board since joining. Our SI Outstanding Member of the Year was Annetta Holmes. She joined in 2009 and has served as our recording secretary and represented us at Hardin County Leadership. She is a dedicated quilter who organizes our Care and Comfort program with Missie Austin. She is a wonderful advocate for the Dolly Parton Imagination Library. Many SI members in the Midwestern Region may have participated in a quilt raffle fundraiser for us that demonstrates just one of Annetta's many talents. We were very blessed to be able to have our virtual awards ceremony despite the pandemic. We are gratefully to our committee members and our Masters of Ceremony, Amy Aulhouse and Julie Walters.

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