

SOROPTIMIST

Golden West Region

ONE *Mission*

2017 - Fall Meeting - 2017

Soroptimists Together Achieve Results

October 6th & 7th

Presented by

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Hosted by

*Soroptimist International of Chino Hills/Inland Empire
Carol Roddy, Fall Meeting Chair*

Friday Night - SpeakEasy

*The 4th Floor
1131 W. 6th Street
Ontario, CA*

*Saturday Meeting
El Prado Golf Course
6555 Pine Avenue
Chino, CA*



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HOSTING CLUB:

Soroptimist International of
Chino Hills/Inland Empire

FRIDAY:

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Ontario, CA

Password: "Director René Sent Me"

SATURDAY:

El Prado Golf Course
6555 Pine Avenue
Chino, CA

REGISTRATION FEE:

\$15.00 – Registration Fee

MEAL COSTS:

\$20.00 – Friday Dinner
\$25.00 – Saturday Lunch

EXHIBIT TABLES:

\$15.00 – Reserve your table early!

DEADLINE:

September 20, 2017

MAIL REGISTRATION TO:

Carol Roddy
P.O. Box 2467
Chino, CA 91708

DRESS:

Friday – 1920's Speakeasy or Casual
(See Flyer for Costumes)

Saturday – Business Casual

DISTRICT 1 FALL MEETING CHECKLIST

- ❑ Make sure all club members have received information about the Fall Meeting and encourage everyone to attend.

- ❑ Complete the meeting registration form and send to:

Carol Roddy
P.O. Box 2467
Chino, CA 91708

with one club check for all members attending. Checks should be made payable to "**GOLDEN WEST REGION**". Send in your club's registration form and payment by **September 20, 2017 – NO EXCEPTIONS.**

- ❑ Plan your exhibit table keeping these points in mind:
 - Tables may be set up Saturday morning from 8:00-8:30 a.m.
 - **Clubs selling items must have a California Seller's Permit. You must include a copy with your registration.**
 - Exhibit area will be open on Saturday during registration and breaks.
 - A member of your club must be at your table when exhibit area is open.
 - Include your \$15.00 fee with your registration.
- ❑ Remind club members to bring and wear their name badges and Soroptimist pins to the meeting.
- ❑ Please discuss hosting the next District 1 Fall Meeting in 2018 with your club members. Plan a short presentation to be given Saturday afternoon to tell everyone what a great job your club would do!

SPECIAL NOTE: *Raffle/event tickets may ONLY be sold at tables in the exhibit area if your club has an Exhibit Table. Each club must provide their own cash box and change. No items will be sold by anyone for personal profit. Items are restricted to Soroptimist fundraisers only. All promotional sales for club fundraising projects will be limited to the exhibit area and posted times. A Soroptimist member from the sponsoring club must be present.*



Dear District 1 Soroptimists,

On behalf of the members of SI Chino Hills/Inland Empire, welcome to the 2017 District 1 Fall Meeting. Our theme, *STAR – Soroptimists Together Achieve Results* will focus on ways our “stars” can raise up, mentor and empower more “stars” that will benefit from our efforts.

Please review the Call to Fall Meeting and make plans to attend this informational and fun day. Bring your ideas to share with others. *Soroptimists Together Achieve Results* in the following:

- 1) *Programs*: There are new opportunities to renew and expand your *Dream* programs; *Live Your Dream Award*, *Dream It Be It*, and your club’s unique program(s) focusing on educating and empowering women and girls. “Stars” are making a difference.
- 2) *Membership*: Think “big bang” expanding our galaxy, resulting in more “stars” making a difference.
- 3) *Public Awareness*: “Stars” sparkle, shine, and light the sky. They do so in our communities, letting everyone know who we are and what we do.
- 4) *Fundraising*: With many “stars” shining a light on our communities, empowering women and girls, they will provide the fuel (\$\$\$\$) for us to continue, to grow and to expand our efforts.

We invite you to attend our Friday night festivities at the 4th Floor in Upland. Since it is a speakeasy style room, tell them “Director René Sent Me” after which you can enjoy an evening on the rooftop, under the stars.

District 1 Soroptimists....we are *STARS!* See you there!

Carol Roddy

2017 District 1 Fall Meeting Chair
Soroptimist International of Chino Hills/Inland Empire



Dear Soroptimists of District 1

You are enthusiastically invited and strongly encouraged to join together for our Fall Meeting. Our host club – SI of Chino Hills/Inland Empire - has planned a wonderful venue for both our Friday event and our Saturday meeting. One of their members has offered for us the following story, from which comes our sub-theme “**S**oroptimists **T**ogether **A**chieve **R**esults” in our One Mission:

Once upon a time, there was a girl and her life was a little bit less than ideal. One hot night after her chores, she went outside to get some fresh air. She took a deep breath, looked to the heavens and wished upon a twinkling star. She whispered, “Please let my life be better. Let me be better.” She smiled, her spirit lifted. The girl went through life, no stranger to trials and tribulations but she kept on, working hard and hoping.

A galaxy away, Soroptimists, twinkling brightly from before, today and tomorrow, knew the girl was there. Each twinkling star promises and speaks to a girl in their own unique way. The twinkling energy continued to beckon the girl, whispering, “wish it, want it, dream it, be it, live it.”

Years later, now, no longer a girl but a young woman, she remembered the twinkling star, her beacon of hope. She had not only seen but felt the light and deep down, she knew it was there for her; and she followed it. She reached out and we reached out. We offered her hope, guidance and financial reward to pursue her dreams and help in reaching for the stars.

Our Friday night Speakeasy will no doubt be a lot of fun and fellowship with our Soroptimist colleagues. For those of you who would like to dress in 20s attire, see the flyer at the end of this Call. And Saturday will be full of inspiration and information. Governor Penny will help guide us to focus on our One Mission. Governor-Elect Lori will offer ways to be more connected with other clubs in our Region to make a bigger impact. We will have an exciting and inspiring keynote speaker, Deborah Johnson, who will help us understand that we can achieve great results with healthy mindsets and goals.

Please join us on October 6th and 7th for a great weekend together.

Together in Soroptimist service,

René Myers
District 1 Director
Golden West Region
Soroptimist International of the Americas

MEETING AGENDA

(Program subject to change)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6th

6:00 – 9:00 pm Speakeasy & Dinner & Fellowship

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7th

8:00 – 8:30 Exhibit Table Set-Up
8:00 – 9:00 New Members Breakfast
8:30 – 9:00 Registration
 Exhibit Table Sales

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome
 Flag Salute
 Introductions
 First-Time Attendees Recognition

9:30 – 10:00 One Mission Open Forum
 Governor Penny Babb

10:00 – 10:45 Keynote Speaker – Expansive Goals

10:45 – 11:00 Break – Exhibit Tables Open

11:00 – 12:00 Dream Programs
 Shining Program STARS

12:00 – 12:30 Lunch

12:30 – 1:00 Governor-Elect Message
 Lori Reed

1:00 – 1:40 Fundraising for our One Mission
 Shining Fundraising STARS

1:40 – 1:55 Nominating – Future STAR Leaders

1:55 – 2:10 Break

2:10 -2:50 One Mission Membership
 Shining Membership STARS

2:50 – 3:30 Public Awareness for One Mission
 Shining Public Awareness STARS

3:30 – 3:45 Bid for Fall Meeting 2018
 Raffle Winner Announcements
 Farewell & Pledge

3:45 Adjourn

CLUB REGISTRATION FORM

**Soroptimist International of the Americas Golden West Region
2017 District 1 Fall Meeting
October 6-7, 2017**

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 20, 2017

SI of _____ Club Contact: _____
Daytime Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please print clearly NAME	Registration \$15.00	Member (x)	Guest (x)	1st Time Attendee	Friday Dinner \$20.00	Saturday Lunch \$25.00	Veg (x)	TOTAL

List Medical Dietary Restrictions. Please specify name & food allergies:

NO EXCEPTIONS TO REGISTRATION DEADLINE	Exhibit Room Table(s) \$15.00 each	
	Make checks payable to "Golden West Region" TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED	
	Mail completed form and check to: Carol Roddy P.O. Box 2467 Chino, CA 91708 Phone: 909-909-214-5996 Email: cvsroddy@aol.com	

To receive a REFUND, a written cancellation request must be received before September 20, 2017

SPEAKEASY COSTUMES

For those interested in renting a costume for the Friday night dinner, Harlequin Costumes in Ontario has agreed to open their aging vault and dust off their speakeasy collection, assuming you know the secret code (of course)!



CONTACT

Harlequin Costumes
780 S Millikin Ave Ste. C
Ontario, CA 91761
909-390-8527

RATE: \$45.00

Secret Code: BESTFORWOMEN

Questions?

therry@therryhansencpa.com or
909-730-6157