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Greetings!

Please take the time to read this weekly E-blast so you can stay up to date with what's happening at your club and upcoming events. You can also feel free to forward to a friend by clicking the link below.

 Forward to a Friend

2017-2018

Installation of Officers

Monday, June 19th
Canyon Oaks Country Club

TICKETS
NOW AVAILABLE

Please submit your payment in the amount of \$35, check made payable to SI Chico and give to our Special Events Co-chairs [Jackie Travis](#) or [Cyndi Murdoch](#)

Make sure to write "Installation of Officers" on the memo line.

Message from President, Julie Curl



Feeling so inspired, encouraged and hopeful for our Soroptimist future!

Thursday morning I was to pick up Natalie at 9:30ish got there at

10. Started driving and talking-ended up in Yuba City- always interesting going to Reno via Chico via Yuba City. Made it safely to Reno, checked in and went to the Region board meeting, you guys think I run a tight ship? You should attend one of these!

Friday morning 8 AM I was required to visit the spa and have a massage, the requirement was self induced...





**May 11th, 5pm to 8pm at
The Pour House
Newbies - no cost - Members - \$20
with no host bar.**

Please join us to welcome our new members at our Newbies Night Out/SUDS party. The Membership Committee has changed it up from past years and everyone is invited to join us. If you have already replied, thank you, if you haven't yet replied please RSVP now.

[click here to RSVP to our Newbies Night Out SUDS party](#)

Newbies received a personal email invitation from Kit Oldham, Coordinator of the event

See you all there,

The Membership Committee

ABOVE AND BEYOND



If you know someone worthy of an Above & Beyond pin please let Tonya Powell know at tonya.powell@norcal.aaa.com

Below is a list of Above & Beyond

Friday afternoon 3 hours of meetings, a wonderful dinner and a tad bit of shopping, gambling and cocktails.

Saturday we started the conference at 8AM and last bit of conference ended at least for me at 8:30-others from SI Chico stayed up late and gambled, jacuzzied and who knows what.

This morning was Bloody Marys at 9, additional shopping and the Awards for Live your Dream, S Club and the Ruby Award.It's now 12:52 Sunday, have another hour or so.

Thank you Linda Dye, Dina Volenski, Sharadin Castaldo, Bonnie Chapman, Carrie Pavis and my favorite SI Chico traveling companion, conscious and caretaker Natalie Conrad for making the time to attend SNR. For those of you who haven't attended, please plan to attend SDR in July and SNR in 2018.



PS: please I was elected to the Nominating Committee representing District 1.

Please remember we will be voting to approve (crossing fingers and toes) or not Model 2 Committee Change. After discussing this with many other club presidents and members, I really believe it is the right thing to do. Please come Wednesday and make your voice heard.

[click here to read Committee Guidelines Model 2](#)

Respectfully,
President *Julie*

This Week's Program

Soroptimist volunteers that have been nominated this year so far:

[click here for above & beyond awardees through March 21st](#)

Save the Dates



[Click here Awards & Recognition May 17th Program](#)



Retreat in Placerville Oct 13-15th
Join us and enjoy Autumn in Apple Hill. Wineries and apples, what could be better?

[Click here for a brochure of where we'll be staying](#)



SI Chico will be hosting the Fall District Meeting on Saturday, October 7th & Sunday, October 8th
More information coming soon!



FUNraiser at Sierra Nevada Big Room, Saturday, November 4th with entertainment by the Killer Keyz Dueling Pianos

Fun Pictures from the Convention



Minutes & Agenda

[click here for 4-5-17 Business Minutes](#)

[click here for Business Agenda](#)

Financials

[click here for YTD Receipts thru April 10th](#)

[click here for Balance Sheet thru April 10th](#)

Bi Laws proposed changes & Guidelines

[click here for Guidelines](#)

[click here for Proposed Bylaw changes](#)

May Basket "Temperature's Rising"



Basket compliments of the Program Committee

[Click here to see what's in the Basket](#)



for Service Project: On **Thursday, May 11**, SI Chico, together with the Boys and Girls Club will join with the residents of Country Village Care Home for Seniors for a Loving Visit. We need some help:

Monday, May 8 from 1 to 3:30 pm, meet at Linda Kerch's home to pre-cut lap robe material

Monday, May 8 from 4-5 pm, join with young people at Boys and Girls Club to help finish the lap robes

Tuesday, May 9, from 4-5 pm, join with the young people at Boys and Girls Club to finish lap robes

Thursday, May 11, 4-5:30 pm, together with some of the young people from the Boys and Girls Club, visit with the residents of Country Village and put together table decorations for their Mother's Day celebration. Anyone who can help with any of these, please contact: Rosie Potestio at rpotestio@sbcglobal.net

Meet our Sponsors that help pay for our weekly E-blast

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Please note I have changed the E-blast around. In the section labeled "In This Issue" you can now click on the table of contents and you will be directed to that section in the E-blast. It is listed in order from left to right.

Please note deadline for weekly articles is now changed to Sunday 5 PM.

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