



## Soroptimist International of Chico

Improving the lives of women and girls in local communities and throughout the world

Erasing the Stigma  
of Mental Illness

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### Message from President Natalie Conrad



Greetings!

As I sit outside and enjoy the cooler weather, I am thinking about the many things our club does. We really make an impact in our community and globally by not only giving of our monies, but also giving of our time. We, of course, have several volunteer opportunities coming up before the end of this calendar year:

- Jesus Center meal serving
- Girls on the Run 5k
- Adopt-a-Family shopping and coordination
- Salvation Army bell ringing

Feels like I am forgetting one...?  
I also have a table reserved on October 11th, at Butte College. They are putting on a Domestic Violence Awareness Month Resource Fair from 9 - 2 (so I'll miss our meeting). I'm sure the



What's happening

[Read more](#)



It's always a fun hour and half serving at the Jesus Center with SI Sisters, family members and sometimes our friends.

[Click here to sign up](#)

Please put the dates you sign up for on your calendars and let Amy Hawes know ahead of time if you are not going to be able to be there so there is time to

find a replacement at:

[a\\_planner@yahoo.com](mailto:a_planner@yahoo.com)

## District 1 Fall Meeting



SI Chico will be hosting the District 1 Fall Meeting on Friday, October 6th & Saturday, October 7th

Click the links below for details:

[District 1 Fall Meeting official call](#)

[District 1 Meeting Registration Form](#)

[Parkside Tap House Dinner Flyer](#)

[Parkside Tap House menu](#)

[Sales Table Reservation form](#)

Contact Linda Dye  
at [imdye@sbcglobal.net](mailto:imdye@sbcglobal.net) for more information

## 2017 Fall Retreat Placerville



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](#)

Giving Committee will be announcing these events soon so just leave room in your busy calendar to help make a difference! And thanks in advance!



In service,

Soroptimist International of Chico  
2017-2018 President

## This Weeks Program

SI Objectives



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Speakers:

Julie Curl & Becky Yuhasz

Coordinator: Julie Curl

## Soropti-Stuff

by Carolyn Dusenbury

On February 18, 1939, the Ninth Anniversary Dinner/Dance at Richardson Springs was attended by 100 members and guests to celebrate:

1. A \$500 revolving student loan fund for girls attending either a business college of Chico State
2. Assistance to needy children for eyeglasses, dental care and some hospital care
3. Mild fund subsidy for children



[Visit Apple Hill's Website](#)




**Last Week to Register and pay.  
Tonya needs to contact Best  
Western Plus Placerville Inn this  
week with a head count.**



[Click here to Register and Pay for  
the Retreat](#)

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### SAVE THE DATE



Soroptimist International of Chico  
*presents*  
***Dueling Pianos  
Fundraiser***  
November 4, 2017

[Buy Tickets](#)

**Sierra Nevada Big Room  
Saturday, November 4, 2017  
6pm to 10pm  
Tickets \$75**

### TICKETS ON SALE NOW

Click the link below to purchase tickets  
[http://sichico.com/fall-fundraiser-  
dueling-pianos/](http://sichico.com/fall-fundraiser-dueling-pianos/)

- attending Rosedale School
- 4. Funds to send needy girls to Every Girls Camp at Camp Lassen
- 5. Initial sponsorship of the playground, The Cedars, with other service clubs

And that is your Soropti-stuff for September 19th.

**Carolyn Dusenbury,  
Soropti-stuffer**



### Starfish Award

Know a member that is making a difference in the committees, the club or the community? Let's recognize her or him with a Starfish Award. Please email your nomination to Stephanie Giacovelli, Director Delegate  
[raeja57@gmail.com](mailto:raeja57@gmail.com)

Please include the members name and a brief description of what the member did to make a positive impact for others.



### Story

Thousands of starfish washed ashore. A little girl began throwing them in the water so they wouldn't die. "Don't bother, dear," her mother said, "it won't make a

We are looking for donated items for our Silent Auction (\$50 minimum value) Please contact Shari Hopper for further information at:

[SM123hopper@gmail.com](mailto:SM123hopper@gmail.com) or  
(530) 570-2902

## Member Center

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difference." The girl stopped for a moment and looked at the starfish in her hand. **"It will make a difference to this one."**



## Sponsors Wanted

Do you have a business? Would you like to advertise in our weekly E-blast? We are looking for sponsors for our 2017-2018 club year. Contact me at the email address below for more information.

**REMEMBER**

**Deadline for weekly articles is Sunday 5 PM.**

Send all E-blast requests to the following address:

[eblast@sichico.com](mailto:eblast@sichico.com)

*Joyce Brown, Editor*

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