



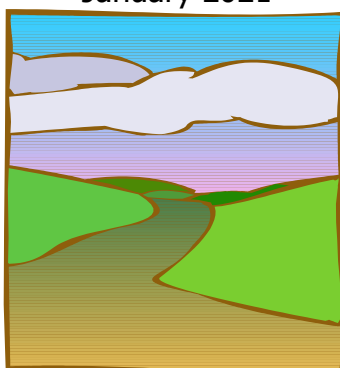
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The **VALLEY VIEWPOINT**

January 2021



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As we close out 2020, I for one will be happy to say Au Revoir to a year of tumult and uncertainty, and embark on a new year, with all of the hope and anticipation a new year brings. Isn't it great to have a clean slate, a fresh bowery of 365 days to forge new opportunities and friendships, learn from our mistakes and make better choices?

This year, I personally experienced dealing with a newly diagnosed medical condition that has significantly altered the way I live my life. With the changes, I can moan, groan and complain, or I can put on a fresh attitude, be thankful for a second chance, and forge ahead. I decided to do the latter, and am now seeing every day as a gift, and opportunity to be a positive change in the world, an opportunity to reinvent myself physically, psychologically, and spiritually.

As we move into 2021, my hope for SI Montclair/Inland Valley is that we are hopeful for what this year can bring: a renewed sense of sisterhood, a recommitment to the Soroptimist ideals:

*The Sincerity of Friendship
The Joy of Achievement
The Dignity of Service
The Integrity of Profession
The Love of Country*

This year, let's extend the hand of friendship, not only to our existing Soroptimist sisters and community, but to new sisters who have yet to join us. Let's look to find the joy in achieving our personal and club goals, through hard work and dedication. Let's put dignity back into serving others, rather than displaying self-serving attitudes, as we are so blessed, and there are so many less fortunate. Let's model the integrity we promote in our daily lives, through our individually chosen profession, for young women and girls to aspire to. Finally, let us be the patriots our Country needs and was founded for.

Have a blessed new year!



President Milissa

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MEETINGS...

> **(1st)** Wed., Jan. 6 – 12:00 N: **Business Meeting**
Will be conducted via Zoom

> **(4th)** Tues., Jan. 26 – 12:30 PM: **Board Meeting**
Will be conducted via Zoom

..... & EVENTS

> Fri., Jan. 1: **Happy New Year !**

> ~~Canceled - Jan. 1: 132nd Rose Parade~~

> Mon., Jan. 18: **Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
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Don't Leave It 'Til Later

Barely the day started and... it's already six in the evening.

Barely arrived on Monday and it's already Friday.

... and the month is already over.

... and the year is almost over.

... and already 40, 50 or 60 years of our lives have passed.

... and we realize that we lost our parents, friends.

and we realize it's too late to go back...

So... Let's try, despite everything, to enjoy the remaining time...

Let's keep looking for activities that we like...

Let's put some color in our grey...

Let's smile at the little things in life that put balm in our hearts.

And despite everything, we must continue to enjoy with serenity
this time we have left.

Let's try to eliminate the afters...

I'm doing it after... I'll say after... I'll think about it after...

we leave everything for later like "after" is ours.

Because what we don't understand is that:

Afterwards, the coffee gets cold...

Afterwards, priorities change...

Afterwards, the charm is broken...

Afterwards, health passes...

Afterwards, the kids grow up...

Afterwards parents get old...

Afterwards, promises are forgotten...

Afterwards, the day becomes the night...

Afterwards life ends...

And then it's often too late.

So... Let's leave nothing for later...

Because still waiting, see you later, we can lose the best moments, the best experiences, best friends, the best family. The day is today. The moment is now. We are no longer at the age or time where we can afford to postpone what needs to be done right away—don't leave it till 'later'...

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GOLDEN WEST REGION NEWS BLAST

December 2020

The deadline for processing "*Live Your Dream Award*" applications via the SIA portal has come and gone, but clubs can still accept paper applications as long as your judging is completed and submissions turned into the Region LYDA committee prior to Feb. 1. Many clubs have extended their deadline to Dec. 15, accepting paper applications only.

If your club has a shortage of applications, be sure to contact LYDA committee co-chairs Margie Burke (margieb.gwr@gmail.com) or Esther Devall (esther.devall@gmail.com) as they can put you in touch with clubs that have more qualified applicants than awards OR applicants who do not have a club near them.

Your Region Board and Spring Conference Committee are currently planning the "2021 Spring Conference" (tentatively set for May 20-22, 2021 at Twin Arrows Resort, Flagstaff, AZ) as a "Hybrid Conference" (both in-person and virtual for those wishing to not attend). ALL voting will be done electronically prior to conference.

We will make a final decision whether to cancel the "in-person portion" of the conference at our scheduled Region Board of Directors meeting on January 16, 2021. Our theme for the conference will remain the same--"Climb Every Mountain" and we are still planning a "Pajama Party" fundraiser whether we host a "hybrid" conference or just virtual. No matter what, plan on having a great time celebrating our accomplishments and awarding our "Live Your Dream" recipients at our upcoming conference. WE NEED THIS!

As I've said before, clubs and members continue to inspire us all with your resilience and ingenuity in managing these difficult circumstances and still remaining committed to our mission, the women and girls that we serve, and to each other. I am so humbled by each and every one of you.

Laurie Moses

GWR Governor 2020-22

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"Governor's Challenge"

To all the clubs of the Golden West Region to develop, illustrate and share with us their own "Club Road Map" for the 2020/2022 biennium. Some suggested items for your "Club Road Map" are:

- Increase the number of women and girls your club serves - providing additional "*Live Your Dream*" awards and holding "virtual" or "in-person" "*Dream it, Be It*" programs by: (action)
- Grow and retain members, creating an enjoyable and civil member experience by: (action)
- Gain greater recognition promoting your club's impact thru the "*Dreams*" programs by: (action)
- Increase funds raised to support the "*Dreams*" programs by: (action)
- Recommit your support and contributions to SIA's "BIG Goal" to invest in the dreams of half a million women and girls by: (action)

Deadline for submission is December 15, 2020. Please email your "Club Road Map" to Governor Laurie at LaurieM.gwr@gmail.com. Prizes and awards will be given to best and most creative submissions. Engage your club and have fun with this!

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IN MEMORY

Dr. Dorothy Trice

January 12, 1924 – July 31, 2020

It is with much sadness that we learned of the passing of SI M/IV Life Member and very special friend--*Dr. Dorothy Trice*. Unfortunately, we did not get word of her passing until a holiday card sent to her was returned--"deceased--return to sender." Calls to a relative and to the residence where she resided confirmed the sad news.

Dorothy was born and raised in Brooklyn, along with two sisters--Rosalie and Edith (both pre-deceased her). She was the "middle child." She joined Soroptimist in July 1976. First as a member of SI Brooklyn. When she moved to Montclair, she joined SI Montclair/Inland Valley in 1984. It was as a Member of SI M/IV that she earned the status of "Life Member." She was very proud of this and wore her pin proudly. She was a retired Public Health Physician. Dorothy always exemplified the "sincerity of friendship, joy of achievement, dignity of service, integrity of profession, and love of country." We will miss her quiet presence and fun, friendly attitude.

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SECRETARY SAYS

Dec. 2 Business Meeting--conducted via Zoom. Present--13 Members--Pres. Milissa, Sec. Virginia, Treas. Cindy, Dir. Linda; Judy, Joey, Roberta, Amber, Helen, Rosa, Marcie, Leslie, Natividad. President's "Ice Breaker"--tabled for today's meeting, due to time constraints. Fines & Brags. Call to Order--12:10 PM. Pledge to Flag--led by Cindy. Inspiration--None. Correspondence--no recent correspondence received. Minutes--Nov. 4 Business Mtg. accepted as presented. Treasurer--Financial Report for period ending Nov. 30; Budget Committee--no update; Use of Zelle App update. Committee Reports--Meals on Wheels goody bags-- Nov. (Joey), Dec. (Linda & Juliet); Public Awareness--Dec. Newsletter; Membership; Sunshine; Social Media. Unfinished Business--20-21 Fund Raisers; Live Your Dream Award; Holiday Gifts Project/partnership with OMSD Family & Collaborative SVC; Montclair Holiday Food Baskets Program; Dec. 16 Holiday Meeting. New Business--Dec. 22 Board Mtg.--cancel; Jan. Business & Board Mtg. to be conducted via Zoom; SIA Club Giving; GWR--Officers Checklist Dec. Announcements--Dec. B'days & Anniv.; Dec. 16 Holiday Mtg.; Dec. 22 Board Mtg.--cancel; Jan. 6 Business Mtg.; Jan. 26 Board Mtg. Adjourn--12:40 PM, with Natividad reciting Soroptimist Pledge.

Dec. 16 Holiday Meeting--conducted via Zoom. Present--13 Members--Pres. Milissa, Sec. Virginia, Treas. Cindy, Dir. Diane; Denise, Roberta, Amber, Helen, Sue, Rosa, Marcie, Leslie, Natividad. Fines & Brags. Call to Order--12:23 PM. Pledge to Flag--none. Inspiration--none. President Milissa turned the meeting over to "SI M/IV Elves" (Co-Chairs) Natividad and Rosa. Round-Robin participation in: Secret Pal reveal & gift opening or gift description; Share a favorite tradition and/or memory. Viewed a short "Name That Christmas Tune" video. Announcements. Adjourn--1:14 PM.

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SUNSHINE CORNER

January was originally the 11th month, not the first, until at least 153 B.C. The month was named for the Roman god Janus, protector of gates and doorways. Janus is depicted with two faces, one looking into the past, the other into the future.

- Birthstone: Red Garnet
- Flower: Carnation & Snowdrop
- Zodiac sign: Capricorn (1/1-19) / Aquarius (1/20-31)

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Happy Birthday

Jan. 8 – Javier Orozco

Jan. 12 – Virginia Riley

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All greeting cards and notes are being sent as needed/requested. Any special requests? --Let me know.

Natividad Vasquez-Silva, Chair

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GOODY BAGS

Meals on Wheels goody bags for December were coordinated by Linda Miranda.

Linda assembled 18 Goody Bags for our Meals on Wheels friends. Bags were delivered to the Senior Center on Dec. 17. The bags were actually Santa stockings. Each stocking contained a ceramic Christmas mug, chocolate mix, cookie packets, Christmas candy, and small bottle of sanitizer.

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Format for delivery of monthly goody bags:

>Contact - Ester Vargas-Pipersky - (please get her contact info from Virginia)

>Call (or text) Ester to get specific # of goody bags needed
>bags can be dropped off at the Montclair Sr. Center on any **Thurs.** of the month - to be delivered along with meals, next day--Friday

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Monthly goody bag assignments for 2020-2021:

July – *Kathy*

August – *Cindy*

September – *Sue*

October – *Natividad*

November – *Joey*

December – *Linda & Juliet*

January – *Judy*

February – *Amber*

March – *Kris & Denise*

April – *Diane*

May – *Roberta*

June – *Leslie*

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Reminder--if you find that you need assistance with assembling goody bags and/or getting them to the Senior Center, please contact Virginia or another club member. We are always glad to lend a helping hand.

Virginia Riley, Chair

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Per Club By-Laws: A Nominating Committee of three Regular members shall be formed in February of each calendar year as follows: The President shall appoint the Chairperson; the Board shall elect a second member; the club shall elect the third member. Only one member of the committee may be a member of the Board.

The Nominating Committee will then begin the process of drafting a slate of officers for 2019-20. The report of the Committee shall be read to the club at the April Business Meeting. Voting will take place at the May Business Meeting and Installation of Officers will be scheduled for June.

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SOROPTIMIST LIVE YOUR DREAM:

Education and Training Awards for Women

Soroptimist *Live Your Dream: Education and Training Awards for Women* assist women who provide the primary source of financial support for their families by giving them the resources they need to improve their education, skills and employment prospects. Live Your Dream (LYD) Award recipients may use the cash award to offset *any* costs associated with their efforts to attain higher education, such as books, childcare, tuition and transportation. This unique program is helping women find their voice and purpose while offering the resources they need to succeed.

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SI Montclair/Inland Valley received 17 Live Your Dream applications. Applications were reviewed to make sure they included all pertinent information and supporting references. Qualified applications will be judged by this year's panel.

SI M/IV Board and Budget Committee will determine the total amount of funding to be allocated for LYD and how many awards will be funded within the budgeted amount.

Tentative plans call for LYD recipient(s) to be recognized at our 2021 Prism Award Luncheon and will receive their awards at that time.

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THANK YOU to Juliet Orozco, who, as a relatively new Member, chaired LYD this year and diligently worked her way through way this sometimes tedious process. She made sure applications were completed correctly, submitted by Nov. 15 deadline, and secured the panel of judges. Great Job Juliet!!

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HOLIDAY GIFTS PROJECT

In partnership with OMSD Family & Collaborative Services, SI M/IV allocated club service funds and also received generous voluntary donations from Members. A total of \$1080 was used to purchase Target gift cards which were used by staff to purchase items as needed for OMSD children and families.

Treasurer Cindy presented our donation to Mindy Chavez & Staff on Dec. 2. Cindy reported that Mindy and Staff were very grateful with our gift as they were feeling badly because they felt they would not be able to do as much for the families in this difficult year.

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"Just wanted to thank Soroptimist again for the gift cards! The Case Manager staff are super excited to bless needy families in our community! This gift is a huge help! Take care and stay safe."

Mindy Chavez, Family Case Manager, OMSD Collaborative
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MONTCLAIR HOLIDAY FOOD BASKET PROGRAM

SI M/IV supported the Montclair Holiday Food Basket Program. The Club approved \$100 service fund allocation. The club's allocation was matched by an individual donation. In order to meet the City's donation deadline in December, SI M/IV's donation will be left undesignated, so City Staff can use it as needed to purchase grocery items for the family food baskets or gifts for the family or children in the family. Our donation check was sent to the Montclair Community Foundation c/o Marcia Richter.

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"Thank You! We appreciate the Soroptimist Club always supporting this community program."

Marcia Richter, Director, Montclair Human Services
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"VIRTUAL" HOLIDAY MEETING

SI M/IV's Dec. 16 Holiday Meeting was a change from previous years when we gathered in person, invited guests, hosted a luncheon, and selected wrapped gifts only to have the one gift you wanted to take home, "stolen."

This year we had a "virtual" Zoom meeting, organized by SI M/IV "Elves" Natividad and Rosa. Members signed up to participate in a "Secret Santa" gift exchange. The "Elves" randomly assigned each Member name to another Member. Participants were instructed to leave their gift-to-go on their front doorstep Dec. 11 by 9:00 AM. "Elf Mobiles" drove around the West End to pick up each gift and then drove around again to drop off the gift to the recipient. At the meeting, Natividad revealed to each participant who their "Secret Santa" was and Members showed/described their gift item.

After the "Secret Santa" reveal and gift showing, we did a round table share of a favorite holiday tradition or memory and listened to a "Name that Christmas Tune" clip. It was a different format, but everyone had a good time. Members were dressed in holiday wear and some interesting headgear. **Thank You "very special Elves" Natividad & Rosa** for organizing a fun meeting.

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SI Montclair/Inland Valley will be hosting a Yard Sale fund raiser on Saturday, February 6. The site will be at Sue & Gary Ovitt's in Ontario. The date falls during the City of Ontario Yard Sale Week-end, which allows for yard sales to be held on Fri.-Sat.-Sun. However, we have decided to do only a one-day event...on Saturday. A definite time has not been determined, but tentatively early morning to mid-afternoon.

Team Sue, Amber, Virginia will work out details and share information at the January Business Meeting and through e-mail.

We will need Member & "Soropti-Mister" volunteer assistance for set up on Friday and during the event on Saturday.

In the meantime, start putting aside all those special "rummage" items. Remember—"one person's junk is another person's treasure." So, clean out those closets and drawers and put aside all those "treasures"—knickknacks, books, house wares, toys, etc. We will accept "gently used" clothing. Be sure items are clean and "ready to wear"—no tears, missing buttons, broken zippers. No large furniture items this time. And—save paper/plastic bags too.

Donated items are being stored at the Ovitts. If you have items to be stored, please contact Sue (by text) to make arrangements for drop off.

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CINDERELLA DREAM

SI M/IV continues, in partnership with Chaffey Joint Union High School District's (CJUHSD) "Cinderella Dream" Program, to collect new or gently used evening gowns/dresses, shoes, evening bags, accessories, etc. The "Cinderella Dream" Program provides formal wear and accessories, free of charge to girls who could not otherwise afford prom dresses.

Note--at this time, updated program details are still "Wait and See"--if students return to school sites in January; if Prom events can held; and/or if the annual Cinderella Dream distribution event can proceed as scheduled.

Items will still be collected and SI M/IV will continue to accept items from Members & "Soropti-Friends" at any time. Please contact any Club Member if you have donations. We can pick up from you or have you drop off to a Club Member. We will deliver items to the District.

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Recent donations included some nice dresses from "Soropti-Friend" Adriana Gomez and a shopping bag containing lots of jewelry items from "Soropti-Friend" Diane Beltran. Thank You!

Items were delivered to our contact Toni by Natividad and Virginia.

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CHAFFEY COLLEGE CLOTHES CLOSET

SI M/IV will also continue in partnership with Chaffey College with our ongoing project of collecting women's & men's clothing for the Chaffey College "Dress for Success" Clothes Closet. We are glad to accept items from Members & "Soropti-Friends" at any time. We will deliver items to the College.

Women's & Men's items should be "business attire" appropriate. In addition to women's items, there is a need for men's clothing, (jackets, shirts, ties, etc.) so help is GREATLY appreciated. Men's business casual clothing items are especially needed; i.e.--casual slacks, khakis, polo shirts, short-sleeve shirts, sweaters.

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Staying positive! - Hopes for the New Year

President Milissa--I hope that 2021 brings health, kindness towards my fellow man, appreciation for all of the little blessings in my life, and joyful anticipation!

Kathy--My thoughts are for the value of 'friendship' that we share as members of SI M/IV and brings to mind an Anonymous Shoshone wisdom quote; "Oh, the comfort, the inexpressible comfort of feeling safe with a person, having neither to weigh thought nor measure words, but pouring them all right out, just as they are, chaff & grain together, certain that a faithful hand will take and sift them, keep what is worth keeping, and with a breath of kindness, blow the rest away." I find immeasurable comfort in "The Sincerity of friendship" within our club. Thank you!

Cindy--I happen to be one of the type of individuals who worries about everything. From now and the years to follow I will concentrate on the good in people and the world. I have so much to be grateful for and want to appreciate what I have.

Helen--My hope for 2021 is that we have enough people vaccinated to enjoy our regular 4th of July festivities!

Sue--As I reflect on 2020, life has become a paradox, a contradiction. We have more conveniences, but less time. We have more knowledge, but less judgment. We use technology with more memory, and talk less. Our means of communication is by text or email, yet we seldom pick up the phone to talk. We've been to the moon and back, but do not cross the street to talk with a neighbor. My hope for 2021 is to spend quality time with family, friends, and colleagues; give more love; and cherish the three "little ones" in my life because they grow up quickly!

Virginia--"What a year! They say that 'hindsight is 2020'...and I can't wait to see 2020 behind me!!" (Ziggy 12/13/20)

Denise--Although this year has been a challenge and different, I have so much to be blessed and thankful for including my family and many friends. Happy New Year to all and wishing for a great 2021!

Roberta--On a general note, I am hopeful that our communities, our nation, and our world can move forward to control COVID. I hope and pray for Peace in this new year. On a personal note, I hope to see MUCH more of our girls and their families in 2021. Here's to a healthy and happy new year!

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NOTABLE NOTES

✓ *Everyone is ready for 2020 to be over—but turning to a new page on the calendar won't magically erase all of the hardship that 2020 has brought. The key to making 2021 a better year is going into it with the right mindset.*

✓ **Condolences** to Juliet Orozco and her family. Juliet's sister Stella passed away very unexpectedly in late Nov. Services were held Dec. 2.

✓ **Condolences** also to Amy Chang who had an Uncle pass away in early Dec.

✓ Linda Miranda took that big step into Retirement Dec. 31. Linda worked at San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools office for 21.5 years. During that time, she worked under the leadership of 3 Superintendents—Dr. Herb Fischer, Dr. Gary Thomas, & Ted Alejandro. Linda had many accomplishments; i.e.—Alliance for Education, WE Liaison; Reading Buddies, Program Manager; SBCO Gangs & Drugs Task Force, Ex. Director; Binational Education & Cultural Liaison, to name but a few. **SI M/IV Congratulations** Linda! We wish you the best of new adventures in Retirement!

✓ Andrea Erickson will also start the new year as she retires, effective Dec. 31. Andrea has served as CEO of OPARC since Oct. 2011. Andrea notes: "I was CEO for over 9 years and my career leading non profits spanned 43 years. I loved my time in the IE and hope to maintain the wonderful friendships I made."

SI M/IV Congratulations to Andrea! We also wish you the best in Retirement! Maybe more time for Pickleball!

✓ The Montclair (CA 91763) Post Office will be renamed after long-time Mayor Paul Eaton. The 1960's era Post Office will be named the **"Paul Eaton Post Office Building."** Mr. Eaton, who passed away 2 years ago, was Mayor of Montclair for 23 years (1995-2018).

✓ **Remember:** Starting January 23, 2021—anyone with a **909 or 840 Area Code** must follow these easy steps: include 1 + Area Code for all local calls, including calls within the same area code.

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Cool Whip Cookies

Ingredients:

- 1 – (18¼ oz) – box cake mix – any flavor desired
- 1 – (8 oz.) – container Cool Whip – thawed
- 1 – egg

Directions:

- Mix all ingredients
- Form into balls
- Roll in powdered sugar
- Place on cookie sheet
- Bake at 350 F – for 12-15 minutes. (Note: 13 min. = soft, chewy, cake-like. A few more minutes = dense/crispy cookie)
- Cool before removing from cookie sheet

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DATES TO NOTE**

***all dates/events listed subject to cancellation, postponement and/or rescheduling*

2021

- > Sat., Feb. 6: SI Riverside **Virtual Valentine Auction**
 - > Fri., Feb. 12: **Chinese New Year**
 - > Sun., Feb. 14: **Valentine's Day**
 - > Mon., Feb. 15: **President's Day**
 - > Wed., Feb. 17: **Ash Wednesday**
 - > Feb. 21: 1st day of the **Chinese New Year**. Year of the Ox
 - > Sun., March 14: **Daylight Saving Time Begins**
 - > Wed., March 17: **St. Patrick's Day**
 - > Sun., March 21: **Virtual** Children's Hospital of Orange County **CHOC Walk**. Presented by Disneyland Resort
 - > Sat., March 27: **Passover** begins at sundown
 - > Sun., March 28: **Palm Sunday**
 - > April 2: **Good Friday**
 - > April 2: Promise Scholars **Golf Tournament**
 - > Sun., April 4: **Easter**
 - > Sun., May 9: **Mother's Day**
 - > May 20-22: Golden West Region **Spring Conference**. Twin Arrows Casino & Resort, Flagstaff, AZ. Hosted by: SI Winslow, Mountain Morning, Arizona Peaks
 - > Mon., May 31: **Memorial Day**
 - > Sun., June 20: **Father's Day**
 - > Sun., July 4: **Independence Day**
 - > Wed., Aug. 11: Scheu Family YMCA **20th Annual Incredible Edibles**
 - > ~~Canceled Oct. 1-3: Soroptimist International (SI) **Convention—100th Anniversary**. Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, CA~~
 - > Oct. 1-3: Soroptimist International (SI) **100th Anniversary Online Global Celebration**
 - > Sat., Oct. 2: City of Ontario **Festival of the Arts**
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- #### **2022**
- > Date TBA: Soroptimist International of the Americas (SIA) **47th Biennial Convention TBA**
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- #### **2023**
- > July 27-29, 2023: Soroptimist International (SI) **22nd Quadrennial Convention**. Dublin, Ireland
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May, 2021

- >- (1st) Wed., May 5 – 12:00 N – Business Meeting
- >- (3rd) Wed., May 19 - 12:00 N - Program Meeting

June, 2021

- >- (1st) Wed., June 2 – 12:00 N – Business Meeting
 - >- (3rd) Wed., June 16 - 12:00 N - Program Meeting
 - >- (5th) Wed., June 30 - "5th Wed." Social - time/location TBD
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Board Meetings--scheduled for the 4th Tuesday each month, 12:30 PM, location TBD. Board Mtgs are open to all Club Members.

* meeting schedule subject to change
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NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

The "Valley Viewpoint" is published once a month and distributed to members prior to the 1st Wednesday Business Meeting. It is also mailed to individuals/agencies on the Club's mail list. Club members, community representatives, and neighboring Soroptimist Clubs are welcome to submit articles, items of interest, or information on upcoming events regarding their organization. Items will be edited and used as space permits.

February Newsletter items can be submitted at any time –

- > by mail to: Virginia Riley
619 East "I" Street, Ontario, CA 91764

- > by e-mail to: rvriley81@roadrunner.com

Deadline for the **February** Newsletter is Wed., January 20.

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SI M/IV 2020-21 MEETING SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise noted, **Meeting** location is at **OPARC Montclair Facility** (Briggs Room), 9029 Vernon Ave., Montclair. (west of Benson, just North of Moreno, SE corner Olive & Vernon)

February, 2021

- >- (1st) Wed., Feb. 3 – 12:00 N – Business Meeting – via Zoom
- >- (3rd) Wed., Feb. 17 – 12:00 N – Program Mtg - **canceled**

March, 2021

- >- (1st) Wed., Mar. 3 – 12:00 N – Business Meeting
- >- (5th) Wed., Mar. 31 - "5th Wed." Social - time/location TBD

April, 2021

- >- (1st) Wed., April 7 – 12:00 N – Business Meeting
- >- (3rd) Wed., April 21 – 11:30-1:30 – Annual Prism Award Luncheon - location TBD

