

DISTRICT 3 FALL MEETING

In Kingman, Arizona ~ Hosted by: SI Kingman



Presented by: Vanessa Liessen, District 3 Director

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Calling all District 3 Soroptimists...TO GILLIGAN'S ISLE!

This District 3 Fall Meeting CALL is your Passport to fun!! I want to welcome aboard all the District 3 Clubs to the 2018-2019 club year. Attending the October 12th & 13th Fall Meeting hosted by SI Kingman is just the beginning of your tour.

Once you are on board you will enjoy an educational and inspiring self-guided tour Friday night of the Kingman Museum. After a fun Treasure Hunt at the museum step out on the town and enjoy dinner at one of the yummy local establishments.

Your tour on Saturday will take you to many parts of Gilligan's Island as well as other Island excursions. You definitely don't want to miss the boat!!!

Every Island has a passion flower or fruit...what is your club's passion? Club Presidents...we want you to have fun with your "club share" by acting out your club's special projects using a favorite sitcom from the 60s & 70s like Gilligan's Island. Show us your clubs passion "sitcom-style". Be sure to share something your club does specific for your community, share your fundraiser(s) and Dream Program highlights, and most of all...share your club spirit. Remember whatever your club shares HAVE FUN doing it!!!

This Fall Meeting we will have two breakout sessions that I know you will get a lot out of. Treasurer Margie Burke will lead a special session for Club Treasurers, Asst. Treasurers, Future treasurers and anyone who would just like to know what the treasurer does. I have the honor of leading the other breakout session on how to support your Club President, Board & Club as a whole.

Enjoy your time on Gilligan's Isle with "Soroptimist to the Rescue". When I think of Soroptimist to the Rescue I am reminded of our mission "Helping women & Girls". But also I am reminded of what it means to be a Soroptimist and how Soroptimist has shaped our personal lives. Governor Lori's theme is **Education is the Key**, so let's educate ourselves on all we have to offer as Soroptimists. See you all on board!!!



Yours in Service,
Vanessa Liesen
GWR District 3 Director, 2018/2020
VanessaL.gwr@gmail.com

Host Club President:

Soroptimist International of Kingman is excited to welcome the GWR District 3 Fall meeting to our "Desert Isle". Please cast away your cares and join us! The weekend will offer an opportunity to educate, motivate, and inspire.

Situated in the Hualapai Valley between the Cerbat and Hualapai Mountain Ranges, Kingman is an Oasis of fun! The "Professor" in your club will be impressed during the "Friday night reception" at **Mohave Museum of Arts and History**. Afterwards, the captain and the entire crew can explore Historic Downtown which features homes and businesses built in the early 1900s. Beale Street the center of downtown, features many antique shops and fun dining experiences.

Saturday will be a "Luau of Learning" as we hear from GWR and share with all of our District Clubs. We hope to surround you in a Sea of Turquoise (Kingman of course) as we reconnect with old friends and new. Bring a few "millionaires" to take advantage of the shopping opportunities with vendors and local businesses.

Remember that Kingman is known as "The Heart of Historic Routes 66" because we are located in the middle of the longest stretch of the Mother Road still in existence. You will feel like a "Movie Star" if you chose to cruise the highway.

Please take time before or after our meetings to explore the area. Take your Mary Ann for a hike in the Hualapai Mountain Park, explore our local wineries and wild animal rescue park or gape at the Grand Canyon West from the Skywalk. Please explore www.kingmanchamber.com for more ideas about local adventures. Even Gilligan can't mess up this event! You cannot be lost when you are among friends.



Sincerely, **Dianne Haydon Ekstrom**
President- SI of Kingman 2018-2020

THE 2018 FALL MEETING COMMITTEE

Deb Liverence - Chair * Becky Fawson - Hospitality * Veronica Mascarello - Registration * Susan Haynes - Facilities



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FRIDAY: 3:00pm

Hotel Check-in

@ Hampton Inn and Suites – Kingman

1791 Sycamore Avenue, Kingman, AZ 86401

Directions to Museum:

Take the **US-93/Beale St** exit.
Go west and the Museum is on
your right.



Directions to Hampton Inn:

Exit **I-40** at Stockton Hill Rd. Go
north approx ¼ mile. Hotel is on the
left at Sycamore & Stockton Hill Rd.



Registration Fee: \$23.00

Meal Costs: \$30.00

Exhibit Table: \$15.00

Registration DEADLINE: *SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2018*

HOTEL DEADLINE: *SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2018*

Hampton Inn & Suites Kingman

928-692-0200

Ask for "Soroptimist Golden West Region" RATES

\$129 per night for double, plus tax

BREAKFAST: included in your hotel rate.

5:00pm to 7:00pm Fall Meeting Check-in
"Soroptimist Social & Treasure Hunt"

@ Mohave Museum of History & Arts

400 W Beale St, Kingman, AZ 86401

(Meal Requirement)

Hor d'ourves & No Host Bar - **\$15.00 per person**

SATURDAY: 7:30AM TO 8:45AM

"New Member Orientation" Breakfast

by invitation only in Governor's Suite - TBA

Registration & Exhibit Area Open

Outside conference room at the Hampton Inn.

9AM TO 3:30PM

Fall Meeting: "Soroptimist to the Rescue"

Hampton Inn Conference Room (Meal Requirement)

Lunch: Sub Sandwich (Turkey or Ham, Gluten-free
or Veggie) with coleslaw, potato salad & cupcakes.

\$15 per person

FRIDAY DRESS:
Business
Casual

**SATURDAY
DRESS:**
Resort Casual or
Club Identifying



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...what every good matey needs to be prepared.

- ☐ Make Sure that **ALL** club members receive information about this Fall Meeting and encourage **EVERYONE** to attend.
- ☐ Make your room reservations by phone directly with the Hotels listed on previous page PRIOR to **September 25th, 2018** in order to receive the special "SOROPTIMIST Fall Meeting" rate.
- ☐ Complete ONE registration form (or two if needed) for all club members and mail in with your club check payable to "**GWR District 3 Fall Meeting**" to be received no later than Monday, **September 25th, 2018**. Mail to: **Deb Liverence, PO Box 3393, Kingman, Arizona 86402**
- ☐ Plan on arriving **Friday prior to 5:00pm** in order to attend our "**Soroptimist Social and Treasurer Hunt**" at the Mohave Museum of History & Arts in historic downtown Kingman. Then plan on walking around afterwards to visit one of the local eateries and/or breweries.
- ☐ Plan on doing a **5 minute "Share"** of your club's special projects, fundraisers, "Dream Program" successes and most of all your "club spirit" in the style of a **60s - 70s sitcom**.

Plan your Club Exhibit/Sales Table keeping these points in mind:

- ☐ Include your \$15.00 fee with your registration.
- ☐ Tables may be set up Saturday morning between 7:00 & 7:30 am.
- ☐ Exhibit area will be open to members on Saturday ONLY during registration and breaks beginning at 7:30 am.
- ☐ For all clubs doing raffles, you will be asked to draw your winning ticket at the end of the FINAL BREAK. Winning tickets are to be posted on poster provided in exhibit area for winners to pick up prizes at the completion of the Fall Meeting.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Raffle/event tickets may ONLY be sold at tables in exhibit area during specified times. A member of your club MUST be present whenever exhibit area is open and each club must provide it's own cash box and change. No items are to be sold by anyone for personal profit; items are restricted to Soroptimist fundraising ONLY.

- ☐ If you have new members in your club that are attending, please make sure that they received their special invitation to have breakfast with the governor.
- ☐ Be sure to remind Club members to bring and wear their **name badges and Soroptimist pins** to the Fall Meeting.
- ☐ Please discuss hosting the next **District 3 Fall Meeting in 2019** with your club members. Plan a short presentation to be given Saturday Afternoon to tell everyone why it would be so much fun to come to your area!



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Soroptimists to the Rescue!!! Tentative Agenda

Friday, October 12th

3:00 – 5:00 pm

Hotel Check-in

5:00 – 7:00pm

“Soroptimist Social & Treasure Hunt”
(meal purchase required)

Saturday, October 13th

7:00 – 7:30 am

Exhibit Area “Set-up”

7:15 – 8:15 am

“NEW MEMBER Orientation” Breakfast

7:30 – 8:30 am

Registration Open

7:30 – 8:25 am

Exhibit Area Open

8:30 am – 10:00 am

Call to Order – Vanessa Liesen, District 3 Director
Welcome – Dianne Haydon, SI Kingman President
Flag Salute – Inspiration
Dignitary Introductions

Governor’s Message – Lori Reed

1st Time Attendees Appreciation
Club “Shares” sitcom-style

10:00 – 10:15 am

Break ~ Exhibit Area Open

10:15 – 11:45 am

Governor-Elect – Laurie Moses
Invitation to future Meetings, Conferences & Celebrations!

All Aboard the Membership
S.O.S. Public Awareness

Club “Shares” sitcom-style
Leadership & Treasurer’s Breakout Sessions

11:45 – Noon

Break ~ Exhibit Area Open

12 Noon – 1:15 pm

Luncheon – (meal purchase required)
Keynote Speaker

Club “Shares” sitcom-style

1:15 – 1:30 pm

Break ~ Exhibit Area Open (LAST TIME)

1:30 – 3:30 pm

“Fun”draising Lagoon – Plenty of fish in the sea.
Soroptimist “Dream” Programs – Its what we do!

Club “Shares” Sitcom-style

Club Recognition Awards
Bid for 2019 Fall Meeting
Raffles Winners, Announcements

Soroptimist Pledge - Adjourn



2018 FALL MEETING CLUB REGISTRATION FORM

Soroptimist International of the Americas
Golden West Region ~ DISTRICT 3

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 25thth, 2018

SI of _____ Club
Contact: _____

Daytime
Phone: _____ Email: _____

53.00 Please print clearly NAME	Registration \$23.00	Member: New/Reg	Non- Sorop Guest (x)	1st Time Attendee (x)	Friday Social \$15.00	Sat Lunch Ham or Turkey Sub \$15.00	OR	Sat Lunch Gluten- free \$15.00	OR	Sat Lunch Veggie Sub \$15.00	TOTAL
Sample Soroptimist	23.00	Reg		X	15.00			15.00			53.00

WRITEABLE FORM WILL BE IN SEPARATE ATTACHMENT!

DON'T FORGET...
to book your rooms by **SEPT 25TH**

**Hampton Inn & Suites
Kingman**

928-692-0200
Ask for
"Soroptimist Golden West Region"
RATES

Exhibit Room Table(s) \$15.00 each

Late Fee [if received after September 25th] add \$25.00

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED

Make checks payable to **"GWR - Dist 3 Fall Meeting"**

Mail completed form and check to:

Deb Liverence, D3 FM Chair
PO Box 3393
Kingman, AZ 86402

District Director Email: VanessaL.gwr@gmail.com



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TOURNAMENT

OCTOBER
13, 2018 4 PM

REGISTER NOW @ [VENTURECLUBOFKINGMAN.ORG](http://ventureclubofkingman.org)

Metcalfe Park \$20/person
Food, Beer, Wine, Raffle Prizes



Double elimination tournament with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes, teams of two and individuals welcome
All pre-registered players entered into player's raffle

Registration closes at 4:30PM



Presented By Venture Club of Kingman

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