



Soroptimist is a global volunteer organization that provides women and girls with access to the education and training they need to achieve economic empowerment.

SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL OF THE AMERICAS

2020-2021 Club Calendar

September 2020

- 1 Questions and answers on 2020 Proposed Amendments to SIA Bylaws posted by this date
- 7 Headquarters office closed (Labor Day in U.S.)
- 8 On or about this date, overdue 2020-2021 federation dues letters mailed to clubs
- 15 Deadline for all Electoral Area Board Nominations to be received by headquarters (in regions electing this year)
- 15 Deadline for all Fundraising Council Nominations to be received by headquarters

October 2020

- 3 Founders Day
- 9 Electronic ballot on 2020 Proposed Amendments to SIA Bylaws opens
- 23-25 SIA Fundraising Council Meeting (virtual)
- 31 Electronic ballot sent for federation board members in region electing this cycle opens

November 2020

- 15 *Live Your Dream Awards* application deadline
- 15 US Clubs: Form 990 due to IRS no later than this date (Clubs with July 1-June 30 fiscal year)
- 26-27 Headquarters office closed (Thanksgiving Holiday in U.S.)

December 2020

- 1 Giving Tuesday
- 10 Human Rights Day: SI December 10th Appeal

- 10 Electronic Ballot on 2020 Proposed Amendments to SIA Bylaws closes at 11:59 pm Eastern
- 24-25 Headquarters office closed (Christmas)
- 31 Headquarters office closed (New Year's)

January 2021

- 1 Headquarters office closed (New Year's)
- 7 Electronic ballot sent for federation board members in region electing this cycle closes at 11:59 pm Eastern
- 18 Headquarters office closed (Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday in U.S.)
- 26-30 SIA Board of Directors Meeting (virtual)

February 2021

- 1 *Live Your Dream Awards* new club funding paperwork due to headquarters
- 1 *Live Your Dream Awards* club transmittals due to district (in regions with district judging)
- 15 *Live Your Dream Awards* club transmittals due to region
- 15 Headquarters office closed (President's Day in U.S.)
- 26 Electronic ballot for SIA 2020-2021 President-elect opens; information sent to club email address

March 2021

- 8 International Women's Day
- 15 *Live Your Dream Awards* region reporting and recipient applications due to headquarters

April 2021

- 29 Deadline for 2020-2021 President-elect electronic ballot

May 2021

- 16 2021-2022 dues payment information sent from headquarters this week
- 31 Headquarters office closed (Memorial Day in U.S.)
- 31 Club Giving and Founders Pennies contributions due at headquarters for inclusion in 2021 recognition
- 31 "Diamond Campaign: Shining Our Way to the 2nd Century" campaign phase 3 ends

June 2021

- 1 Diamond Campaign: Shining Our Way to the 2nd Century phase 4 begins
- 1 *Dream It, Be It* online club reporting due to headquarters
- 24-26 SIA Board of Directors Meeting, Philadelphia, PA

July 2021

- 1 2021-2022 Dues, Form 200 – New Officer information due at headquarters
- 1 2020-2021 Soroptimists Celebrating Success Award entries due to region
- 1 *Best for Women* content submission deadline
- 5 Headquarters office closed (in observance of July 4 Independence Day holiday in U.S.)

August 2021

- 1 *Live Your Dream Awards* online application opens
- 1 Late fee of \$100 for any club that has not yet paid 2021-2022 dues
- 1 Solicitation letters to clubs for nominations for Federation Board (in regions electing this upcoming cycle) and to all clubs for Fundraising Council