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## South Sound Exceptional Woman Awards Banquet

Soroptimist International of Olympia is proud to announce its second annual “South Sound Exceptional Woman” Awards Banquet to be held Friday, May 4, 2018 at the Indian Summer Golf and Country Club.

You have several ways to participate in this event: provide sponsorship/donation funding, submit an application for an awardee, and/or attend the event to celebrate these exceptional women.

### **Sponsorship/Donation**

The attached forms identify specific sponsorship levels with corresponding sponsor benefits, as well as donor categories for you to assist Soroptimist host this awards banquet. Depending upon the specific sponsorship level/donation, sponsors/donors will be recognized prior to the event through various media (e.g., print, radio and social media) and in promotional materials. Sponsors/donors will also be acknowledged during the event in the event program materials.

With your assistance, we hope to not only fund this event but also raise funds to expand our outreach and increase the impact of Soroptimist programs and services. The generosity of last year’s sponsors, donors and attendees enabled Soroptimist to increase its program services to women and girls locally and globally, through educational awards and scholarships for women, sponsoring girls to attend STEM events, Comfort Packs for youth in foster care, and “Sisters In Opportunity,” our newest program to assist and mentor women with retraining and certification in QuickBooks/Microsoft Office products.

### **Recognize an Exceptional Woman**

This event celebrates the South Sound women who make a significant difference in our community. At last year’s inaugural event, Soroptimist and more than 100 attendees recognized 19 exceptional women chosen by South Sound businesses; state and local government; law enforcement; military support and community organizations; and nonprofits. An application is attached for your convenience if you wish to recognize a woman at our 2018 event. A maximum of 20 awardees will be honored.

### **Attend the Event**

Consider joining us on May 4, 2018 to recognize the exceptional women of the South Sound.

Visit our website <http://soroptimistolympia.org> to learn more. For questions, contact Cathy at [ssoundexceptionalwomen@gmail.com](mailto:ssoundexceptionalwomen@gmail.com). Soroptimist International of Olympia is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit. Our federal I.D. number is #91-6062973.

With our kind regards,

Soroptimist International of Olympia  
Fundraising Committee



# Soroptimist International of Olympia South Sound Exceptional Women

Friday - May 5, 2017

## Sponsorship Levels

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Karen Hall - 206-351-2967

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Sponsorship Levels and Benefits	Platinum Premium \$5,000	Premium \$2,500	Empowerment \$1,500	Positive Changes \$1,000	Community Investors \$500	Fellowship Friends \$250
Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage	◆	◆	◆	◆	◆	◆
Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts	◆	◆	◆	◆	◆	◆
Introduction and recognition at SIO event	◆	◆	◆	◆	◆	
Your Logo and recognition in Event Program	◆	◆	◆	◆		
Your name on all Press Releases	◆	◆	◆			
Twitter recognition by name	◆	◆	◆			
Event Postcard/Flyer including your logo noted as sponsor	◆	◆	◆			
Display Table at SIO event to display your promotional materials	◆	◆				
Recognition of your organization, including your logo, in event print advertising *	◆	◆				
Choice of participation as honored guest at SIO Club service event <u>OR</u> receive specialized plaque honoring donation	◆	◆				
Radio mention (if interviewed)*	◆					
Recognition of your organization, in event radio advertising *	◆					
Opportunity for you or a staff to join & participate as Soroptimist Int'l of Olympia club as a member - dues paid for one year	◆					
Number of Complimentary Tickets (up to # listed)	<b>10</b> (whole table)	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>

\* Media advertisement - dependent upon availability and cost to Soroptimists International of Olympia

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**\$5,000** Platinum Premium Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets – 10** (whole table)

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts
- Introduction and recognition at SIO event
- Your Logo and recognition in event program
- Your name on all Press Releases
- Twitter recognition by name
- Event Postcard/Flyer including your logo noted as sponsor
- Display Table at SIO event to display your promotional materials
- Recognition of your organization, including your logo, in event advertising \*
- Choice of participation as honored guest at SIO Club service event or receive specialized plaque honoring your donation
- Radio mention (if interviewed) \*
- Recognition of your organization, in event radio advertising \*
- Opportunity for you or a staff to join & participate in Soroptimist Int'l of Olympia club as a member – dues paid for one year

**\$2,500** Premium Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets - 8**

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
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- Your Logo and recognition in event program
- Your name on all Press Releases
- Twitter recognition by name
- Event Postcard/Flyer including your logo noted as sponsor
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- Recognition of your organization, including your logo, in event advertising \*
- Choice of participation as honored guest at SIO Club service event or receive specialized plaque honoring your donation

\$1,500 Empowerment Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets - 6**

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts
- Introduction and recognition at SIO event
- Your Logo and recognition in event program
- Your name on all Press Releases
- Twitter recognition by name
- Event Postcard/Flyer including your logo noted as sponsor

\$1,000 Positive Changes Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets - 4**

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts
- Introduction and recognition at SIO event
- Your Logo and recognition in event program

\$500 Community Investors Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets - 2**

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts
- Introduction and recognition at SIO event

\$250 Fellowship Friends Sponsor

**Number of Complimentary Tickets - 1**

- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Club Event Webpage
- Your Logo and recognition on SIO Facebook pages and posts

\* Print and radio advertising with local media - this is dependent upon cost to SIO

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# Soroptimist International of Olympia (SIO)

## Donations Wish List

### South Sound Exceptional Women

#### Friday, May 4, 2018



#### **Awardee Dinners** **20 @ \$75 each**

This would offset the cost of SIO's paid ticket for each awardee to receive a free entry into the awards banquet – you can choose the number of dinners.

Recognition: 1-3 dinners

- Club Website & Facebook recognition (by name only)

Recognition: 4 dinners or more

- Club Website & Facebook recognition
- Recognition during event program
- Your Logo or name in Event Program

#### **Program Printing**

#### **\$400**

SIO would use this money to design, and print 200 programs printed in color, double sided, folded and stapled.

Recognition:

- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Recognition during event program
- Your Logo or name in Event Program
- Your name on all Press Releases

#### **Award Donor**

#### **\$350**

SIO would use this money to order quality awards to give to the 18-20 awardees for the event.

Recognition

- "Award Sponsored by" on sticker at back or bottom of award
- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Recognition during event program
- Your Logo or name in Event Program

#### **Promotional Bags**

#### **\$300**

You can purchase these for this event, or SIO would use this money to order 200 "swag bags" to give to all guests attending event. Bags will have event name, Soroptimist Logo, and all Sponsor Logos on it.

Recognition

- "Bags Sponsored by" somewhere on bag
- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Your Logo or name in Event Program

#### **Floral Arrangements**

#### **\$200**

SIO would like to decorate 12-20 guest tables for event. Your monetary or in-kind donation of arrangements would assist our club in bringing a sense of color to this event. Amount, design and height of arrangements TBD.

Recognition

- "Sign Sponsored by" on or around each vase
- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Your Logo or name in Event Program

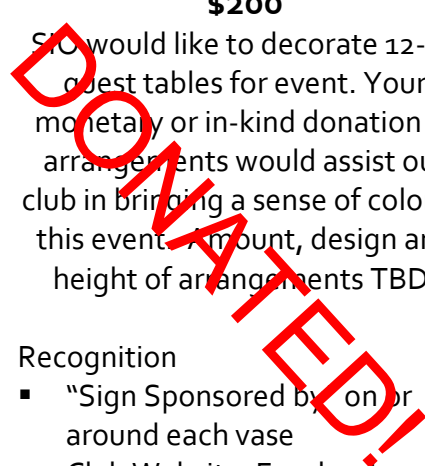
#### **Program and Club Signage**

#### **\$150**

SIO would use this money to create two stand-alone signs for event – one for the Soroptimists and one as a Sponsor thank you for the event.

Recognition

- "Sign Sponsored by" at bottom of signs
- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Your Logo or name in Event Program



### **Professional Event Speaker**

**\$250++**

Do you know someone who is an energetic, enthusiastic, and professional speaker? Donating funds would allow this event to not only flow in a professional direction but also allow guests to have fun!

Are you a speaker yourself? Are you interested in donating your time? Please communicate with the Planning Committee with your interest!

#### Recognition

- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Recognition during event program
- Your Logo or name in Event Program
- If you are the speaker – your name on all press releases

### **Promotional Bag Items**

**4 donations of \$50 ea**

SIO would like to offer simple items to place into the "Swag" promotional bags given to each attendee. This could include pen, mirror, small notepads, or other fun items. Direct donations of funds would then allow you to place one "swag" items for your own business into up to 200 bags. Olympia Soroptimists will use each donation to purchase a "swag" promotional item to go into the bag. Olympia Soroptimists may ask you to change your item so there are no duplicates within the bag.

#### Recognition

- Club Website, Facebook recognition
- Your Logo in Event Program
- Your Logo or name in Event Program

### **Other Items needed**

#### Table Decorations

- 12-20 Flower vases for floral arrangements  
See planning committee for more information
- 20-40 assorted small (4"-6") self-standing photo frames  
To highlight women of distinction at each guest table
- Decorative tulle to match event colors  
See planning committee for more information
- Assorted Raffle Basket Items
  - Attractive, high quality items, gift certificates and cards
  - Enough for 1-2 full baskets
  - No alcohol please

### **Interested in Donating?**

Please reach us

Olympia Soroptimists

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**Soroptimist International of Olympia is a 501c3**

**All donations can be tax deductible, ask us for more details!**

**2018 South Sound Exceptional Woman Awardee Form**

Exceptional Woman \_\_\_\_\_

Her Email \_\_\_\_\_ Her Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Will this be a surprise? YES / NO

Your Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

In 100 words or less – please tell us why you would like to award this woman:  
(may be on separate document)

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What services does she provide for your organization or the community around her?

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Please send completed application to: [ssoundexceptionalwomen@gmail.com](mailto:ssoundexceptionalwomen@gmail.com)  
Or – Olympia Soroptimists, P.O. Box 6472, Olympia, WA 98507

**Criteria: South Sound Woman who is at least 16 years of age  
Only one per organization**

***Deadline – February 1, 2018 (or first 20 applicants)***