

Weekly Update



Soroptimist International of Rio Vista

October, 21 2016

Don't forget!

Next Meeting – Wednesday, October 26

Remember that this month started the trial of 2 meetings per month. To further complicate things we've changed our second scheduled meeting from Thursday, October 27 to Wednesday, October 26 to accommodate members who are attending the memorial for Joe Awender. (Monica Awender is a long-time club member.)

Dr. Joe Awender Memorial – Thursday, October 27

Dr. Joe Awender's memorial is October 27th at 11:30 AM at the Baldwin's Ranch, 3348 Liberty Island Rd. There will be a buffet style luncheon served after. It's jeans and boots/country ranch style. Monica is asking people to bring a bottle of their favorite wine.



Pumpkin Patch Update – BAKE MORE!

Our first weekend was very successful considering that we had to close early on Sunday due to rain. We made \$1,500 (gross), which is a good start towards our goal of approximately \$4,000 (net). We had many wonderful, clever and cute contributions. Bake lots (at least \$30.00 worth)! Please deliver your decoratively packaged goodies to Debra's at 215 Edgewater on Friday, October 21.

Lion's Club Nonprofit Luncheon

Lions Club sponsored a luncheon for all service clubs last week, October 18, at the Veterans Memorial Building. Each club had the opportunity to share their achievements and future plans and to discuss projects that could be done collaboratively. There is much talk about working together, so was a good chance to start talking about it.



Bass Derby Update

Soroptimist presence at the Bass Derby included members who served beer (as a club fundraiser), marched in the parade to promote our upcoming Turkey Trot and supported an entry in the Downhill Racer event.

Turkey Trot – November 24

This fun 5K run or walk starts at 8:00 AM Thanksgiving day. It's a great way to expend some of those calories you're bound to eat later in the day! There are also lots of opportunities to help and cheer the participants on! Proceeds benefit Project Heart and Sole. Adults \$25.00 & Youth (age 14 & under) \$15.00 with free T-shirt by 11/1; Adult \$30.00 after 11/1 Register at <https://riovista5k.eventbrite.com>.

