\$3000.00 TO BE AWARDED TO LOCAL WASHOE COUNTY WOMEN!!!

If you or someone you know is an *extraordinary* woman, Soroptimist of Washoe County is looking for you!

Apply online at www.siwashoecounty.org

We will soon be awarding \$3,000.00 to the winners of our annual awards! Please nominate someone who deserves recognition for her good works. If that woman is you, apply today.

Soroptimist Live Your Dream Award - \$1,500 AWARD!

The Live Your Dream program aids women seeking to improve their economic status by gaining additional skills, training and education. \$1500 in cash will be given to the winner of our Live Your Dream Award! We are looking for women who are pursuing further education while running a household and supporting her family. The requirement for eligibility is that the applicant must be a woman who provides financial support for her family, and is enrolled as a student in an undergraduate or training program.

Soroptimist Ruby Award: For Women Helping Women - \$500 AWARD!

This award acknowledges women who, through their personal or professional activities, are working to improve the lives of other women and girls. The Ruby award recognizes women who are helping the community. The winner of the Ruby award will receive a cash award of \$500.

Soroptimist Violet Richardson Award - \$500 AWARD!

Soroptimist is concerned with the special challenges facing today's girls and young women. This award is a way to recognize girls for their volunteer service to their communities. The program honors **young women between the ages of 14 and 17** whose volunteer efforts include: helping other disadvantaged girls; fighting drugs, crime and violence; cleaning up the environment; and working to end discrimination and poverty. The young lady who receives the Violet Richardson award will be given a cash award of \$500.

The SIWC Fiat Lux Award: - \$500 AWARD!

Soroptimist of Washoe County created the Fiat Lux Award to "Let There Be Light". This award is given to a person or organization that brings light into our community and makes Reno a better place. The winner of the Fiat Lux award will receive a cash award of \$500.

Please contact Lesli Brisson 775-762-4218 or Chris Wells 775-851-8870 for more details.

Log on to www. siwashoecounty.org to fill out an application online Questions? E-mail us at siwashoecounty@hotmail.com

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