



Dear Friend of Soroptimists,

Please save the date Thursday evening, March 22, 2018 for the Grand Prairie Soroptimists' annual Women in History fund raising dinner and auction. We value your presence and support. If your business cannot attend, please consider a generous donation of \$500 or more to help with the underwriting of expenses for the event. Since we are a 501(c)3 charity, your contribution is tax deductible.

Grand Prairie Soroptimists International was chartered here in 1951 by a handful of visionary friends, who happened to represent local business and professional women. The subsequent relationship between Soroptimists and the city of Grand Prairie is rich in filling financial and volunteer needs like \$1,000 scholarships to graduating senior girls at each of the high schools. We recognize the Girl of the Month from each secondary campus, and the GPISD recipients of All A's each May. Our effective efforts have launched other non-profits like Lifeline and APIRSN (A Prostitution Intervention and Rehabilitation Support Network), while making simultaneous annual contributions to local charities. For women whose education suffered interruptions, we also sponsor scholarships to help complete their education and become the best they can be in today's workforce.

We, Soroptimists, are a thriving part of making private philanthropy the force it is in our society, making America the unusual country that it is, and giving the women and girls in Grand Prairie, Texas a legacy of hope and vision.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration,

Donna Koepke, President