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2020 LIVE YOUR DREAM AWARD LUNCHEON

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sierra Nevada Region 44th Annual Conference:

- April 24-26 at the Atlantis Casino Resort in Reno, NV Make sure to book your room now using code SISNR20

46th Biennial SIA Convention:

- July 22-25 in Bellevue Washington Visit soroptimist.org for details!

Destination Dinner: Passport to Italy:

- Save the date for our next annual fundraiser, **October 3, 2020!**



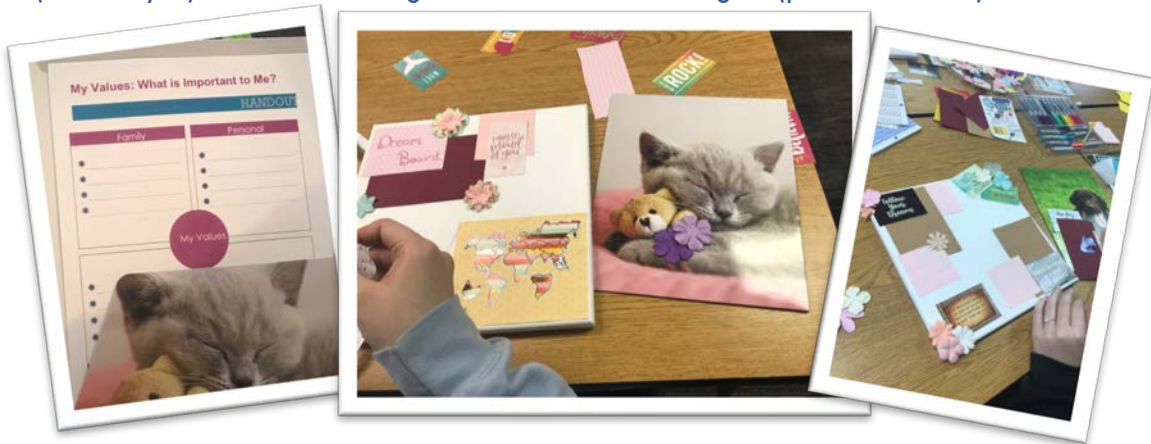
On February 13, 2020 two awards were proudly presented to the two Live Your Dreams award recipients for SI Folsom El Dorado Hills, Erica Willis (left) and Michelle Mason (below). Erica is a mother of a 5-year-old daughter currently living in the transformation center at Powerhouse Ministries. Erica will be graduating from the program in April 2020. Erica is aspiring to become a drug and alcohol/family counselor and Chaplain so that she can help others who feel lost, alone, and hopeless.

Michelle enrolled in college to study accounting 5 months after falling on hard times while trying to support her family. Congratulations to both Erica and Michelle, you have earned it!



2020 DREAM IT BE IT WORKSHOPS

This year SIFEDH partnered with Folsom Lake High School to host a 3-day workshop on three consecutive Wednesdays with the girls on campus. February also happens to be career month for Folsom Lake High School which is a continuation high school in the Folsom Cordova Unified School District. Fourteen girls ranging from grade 10 to grade 12 attended the program. The first day of the program (February 5) included creating vision boards with the girls (pictured below).



Guest speakers Jana Reyes, Realtor with Keller Williams, and Gina Richardson with SAFE Credit Union spoke with the girls on the second day of the program (February 12). Guest speakers Ashley Smith, Project Engineer with Peterson Brustad Inc. and Karyss Bollen, owner of My Trendy Trailer, spoke with the girls on the final day (February 19). The speakers discussed overcoming obstacles in their lives and shared their story about the road to their careers. All the girls that attended the last day received handmade swag bags containing items generously donated by club members (contents pictured below). As a bonus, Karyss invited the girls to her shop the following day for a jewelry making workshop (pictured below). The jewelry making workshop provided a comfortable environment for the girls to open up about some of the obstacles they have been dealing with in their lives as well.



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