



SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL OF THE AMERICAS, INC.®

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We're excited your daughter is considering participating in *Dream it, Be It: Career Support for Girls*! Here are some things you should know:

The conference will take place on Saturday, March 23rd at the SCC Newport Center. *Dream It, Be It* is a program of Soroptimist International of the Americas/LiveYourDream.org. Soroptimist is a global volunteer organization that provides women and girls with access to the education and training they need to achieve economic empowerment. Thousands of Soroptimists throughout North America, South America, and the Pacific Rim deliver our award-winning Dream Programs.

Designed specifically for girls in secondary school, *Dream It, Be It* provides participants with career support and guidance. Through education and access to role models, the program aims to empower girls (just like your daughter!) to pursue career goals and reach their full potential. During our event, your daughter will learn about career opportunities, setting and achieving goals, overcoming obstacles to success, and moving forward after setbacks. Your daughter will have the opportunity to learn from volunteers who are professional and respected women in our community who work together on projects that benefit women and girls. Volunteers will collaborate with other community members to lead girls through activities that will help them develop skills relevant to whatever career they choose to pursue.

We know that your daughter probably has a lot of responsibilities at school and at home. We believe *Dream It, Be It* is a worthwhile investment in her future success. Our volunteers will also make every effort to keep your daughter safe. Our volunteers must meet any legal requirements for working with children in our state or country and are prepared to give your daughter the best and safest experience possible.

We hope you'll consider giving your daughter permission to take part in *Dream It, Be It*. To register your daughter for the program, <https://forms.gle/kbMsxNe2NUB5cfNRg>.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Soroptimist of Newport at siofnewport@gmail.com.

Sincerely,
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