# Some of our Projects

#### **Violence Against Women & Girls**

Healthy Relationship Talks - Delivery talks to boys ages 15-17 years. Informing them of what a Healthy Relationship is. Keeping themselves safe and understanding the law. Orange Cafes - Held on the 25th of each month at a local cafe to raise awareness of and take action to end violence against women and girls. 16 days of Activisim - The global 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence is a key international moment to call for an end to violence against women and girls.







#### **Pamper Bags**

Creating pamper bags from donations received which are given out at Christmas time to ladies who have escaped difficult circumstances.

### **Sewing Bee**

Making dresses and sanitary products for underprivileged girls in Africa.



#### **MacMillan Coffee Morning**

Each year we hold a coffee morning to support
Macmillan who has supported many of our club members and family at such a difficult time of the year.



# Officers 2024 - 2025

President - Louie Clegg
President Elect - TBC
Vice President - TBC
Hon. Secretary - Simone Toon
Hon. Treasury - Pam Cherry
Programme Action - Bev Haywood & Ellie Gormley

# What is a Soroptimist?

#### **EDUCATE**

A woman who wants to give women and girls better access to learning opportunities

#### **EMPOWER**

A women who really cares about women's rights in every corner of the world.

#### **ENABLE**

A woman who wants to help other women to have better health care and food security.

# **FIND OUT MORE**

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# Soroptimist International of Lichfield & District 2024 - 2025 Programme



# **Be Curious, Not Judgemental**

Join us at one of our Business Meetings held at

The Cathedral Hotel 62 Beacon Street Lichfield, WS13 7AR

on the

2nd Wednesday of each month at 7.15pm for 7.30pm except Aug & Dec



# **CLUB BUSINESS MEETINGS**

Date	Action/Speaker
8 May	Membership Meeting
12 June	Hannah Montgomery, Grace Cares
10 July	Wendy Hill, HillStart Nutrition Health &
	Wellness
August	No Meeting
11 September	No Speaker – Round Table Activity
9 October	Incoming Regional President UPdate
13 November	Adrianne Carter, The Face Whisperer
11 December	Christmas Party
8 January	No Speaker – Round Table Activity
12 February	No Speaker – Round Table Activity
12 March	Amanda Jackson, Beacon Mental Health
9 April	AGM

# **ADDITIONAL CLUB EVENTS**

Date	Activity
10 May	Club Charter Dinner
24 May	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
19 June	VCSE Event, Burntwood
25 June	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
25 July	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
27 July	Volunteer Day, Lichfield Cathedral
August	No Orange Café
29 September	MacMillan Coffee Morning
24 Nov – 10 Dec	16 Days of Activism
25 November	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
25 November	Paint the Town Orange, Lichfield
December	Pamper Bags

# 2025

**Activity** 

Date

Date	Activity
January	Tesco Community Book Sale
14 January	Volunteer Day, Lichfield Cathedra
24 January	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
1 February	Angela's Quiz, Lichfield Football
	Academy
25 February	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
8 March	International Womens Day
25 March	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield
6 April	Cathedral to Castle Run
25 September	Orange Café, Coffee#1, Lichfield

# Creating a positive impact in our Community for Women and Girls.



# **REGIONAL MEETINGS**

Date	Activity
18 May	Regional Conference, Brocton Hall,
	ST17 0 TH
22 June	Regional Programme Action
	Meeting, Weston Village Hall, ST18
	OJQ
21 September	Regional Meeting, Coven Memorial
	Hall, WV9 5DL
3-5 November	National Conference, Edinburgh
24 November	Change of Insignia, Brocton Hall,
	ST17 0 TH
30 July	World Friendship Day

# Vision

Women and girls will achieve their individual and collective potential, realise aspirations and have an equal voice in creating strong, peaceful communities worldwide.

# Mission

Soroptimists transform the lives and status of women and girls through education, empowerment and enabling opportunities.