

Unless stated otherwise all meetings at 6.30pm for a 7pm start at the Baptist Church Hall on Brown Street, Salisbury SP1 2AS.

2026

Saturday 19 September	Coffee, cake and chat – recruitment, The Quaker Meeting House 2- 4 pm
Thursday 24 September	Hilary Evans on her book: ‘Learning from Leaders of SEND’
Thursday 22 October	Zelda Perkins CBE, Founder of Can’t Buy my Silence, Harvey Weinstein survivor and the first woman to break an NDA
Friday 30 – 31 October	Federation Conference, Cardiff, Holland House Hotel and Spa
Wednesday 25 November	SI Swindon Fresh Thoughts Launch The Village Hotel Whitehill Way, Swindon SN5 7DW
25 November to 10 December	Orange the World
Christmas event December	Date to be confirmed

2027

Thursday 28 January	Molly Cook: ‘Helping to fix your Crown’ OCTO Charity to support women with hair loss
Thursday 25 February	TBC
Monday 8 March IWD	
Saturday 20 or Sunday 21 March	Regional Meeting, Southampton
Thursday 25 March	Helen Brian, Head of Mental Health Services, Alabaré on the new Women’s Crisis House

Thursday 22 April AGM

SI Salisbury Executive Committee

President	Liz Batten
President Elect	Eleanor Evans
Vice President	Lizzie Rodgers
Secretary	Lizzie Rodgers
Treasurer	Peggy Jackdson
Programme Action Officer	vacancy
Membership Officer	Glynis Causton
Communications Officers	Barbara Evans, Kathryn Furnell
Regional Representative	Hilary Evans



‘Words Into Action’

SI Salisbury Club Programme 2026-2027

SI Salisbury is the local Club of an international women’s organisation with Clubs in 118 countries worldwide.

We meet monthly at 6.30pm for a 7pm start on the fourth Thursday of each month at the Baptist Church Hall on Brown Street, Salisbury SP1 2AS.

Our vision and mission is:

The Soroptimist International vision is that women and girls will achieve their individual and collective potential, realise aspirations and have an equal voice in creating strong, peaceful communities worldwide.

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

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Salisbury Soroptimists



SI Salisbury

The Club has a number of project groups and members are warmly invited to join any of the groups that interest them

Project Groups

Fresh Thoughts: This group maintains, updates and distributes the Fresh Thoughts (Wiltshire) booklet jointly with SI Swindon, an information resource for women fleeing domestic abuse.

Salisbury Women’s Refuge: The group works to support our local Women’s Refuge and brings suggestions for initiatives to the Club.

Making our City Safer: This group works to make the city a safer place for women and girls, carrying out nighttime street and Ask for Angela audits as well as other activities

Health Matters: The group has had a focus on women on the autism spectrum, but considers all women’s health issues

Lobbying and Advocacy: This group horizon scans and researches topics that require our lobbying and advocacy work and brings them to the Club.

Microfinance: This group researches and makes regular microfinance loans on behalf of the Club to women in the developing world

Annual projects

Annual Bra Collection (May to July) The group organises and delivers the annual appeal and collection of recycled bras for donation to charity

Orange the World (25 November-10 December)

The Club supports this UN awareness raising 16 Days of Activism to advocate against Violence Against Women and Girls.