

2019-2020 Impact & Club Engagement Report

SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL OF THE AMERICAS

In 2019-2020, **17,184 girls participated in** *Dream It, Be It* through **366 projects** hosted by Soroptimist clubs.

This year, the number of girls reached decreased by 3,702 (18%) and the number of projects decreased by 125 (25%). Of the 366 projects held in 2019-2020, 101 were conferences, 165 were a series of small group mentoring sessions, and 100 were held in another format, such as a hybrid of conference followed by mentoring sessions, and using the curriculum while working with girls ongoing during lunch time and after school periods. This year, clubs contributed 24,441 volunteer hours (27% increase from 2018-2019) and \$443,689 (29% increase from 2018-2019) in support of local *Dream It, Be It* projects.

The increase in girls reached demonstrates clubs' and regions' response to our organizational goal of increased collective impact. Increased impact for *Dream It, Be It,* in addition to 80,000 supporters engaged in LiveYourDream.org, more and diverse funders, and a slowdown in our membership decline prove that we can accomplish more when we work together. To secure our future – and the impact we have on girls – we need to continue our efforts to work towards the same goals. SIA is committed to serving more girls who face obstacles such as poverty, violence, teen pregnancy, foster care or other circumstances. SIA's research found 10.2 million girls in our 21 countries and territories who are 14-18 years old and living in poverty. These are girls who could be served by *Dream It, Be It.* For us to grow our collective impact – and for others to understand how our global efforts improve the lives of girls – we need to continue investing our resources in *Dream It, Be It* to strengthen our story of greater impact.

Using a participant evaluation form, clubs collected responses from girls after each *Dream It, Be It* project and entered them into an online evaluation form. For 2019-2020, the online evaluation form collected responses on behalf of 11,690 participants (78% of girls in our target age group). The girls reported exciting results:

88% feel more confident about their future success

86% feel more prepared to pursue their career goals

81% report Dream It, Be It has provided them with new tools to overcome obstacles to their success

81% report Dream It, Be It has provided them with new tools to overcome setbacks

89% understand how their values can connect to possible careers

84% know women who want to support their professional aspirations

84% were introduced to professional role models

81% created achievable goals for their future

Inspiring Quotes

In addition to quantifiable results, we also received feedback from girls about how *Dream It, Be It* has affected their lives:

- Thank you for everything you gave me, and for the space to clarify my dreams. America del Sur
- I learned to be around people who support me and to use my voice for good. Philippines
- We must never look back, always forward. Brazil
- I learned that I am not alone in this world and there are resources and people that help and genuinely care about me. — Desert Coast
- I was relieved to hear that we may make a mistake in the future and that that is part of learning. Japan Kita
- I learned to value and trust myself more, especially when it comes to achieving my dreams. Mexico/Centroamerica
- I feel like I've found ways to stop putting myself down and try and pump myself up! Western Canada

Club Participation

In 2019-2020, a total of 414 clubs engaged with *Dream It, Be It* (30% of clubs). There was a 7 percent decrease from clubs engaging in 2018-2019.

Clubs engage with *Dream It, Be It* through <u>participating (P) or supporting (S) another club's project.</u>

America del Sur Region

4 Clubs

SI/Arandu, Paraguay (P)

SI/Gloriosas, Paraguay (P)

SI/Lima (P) SI/Oruro (P)

Board-Directed Northern Philippines Region

1 Club

SI/La Union Gems (P)

Brazil Region

25 Clubs

SI/Araguari (P)

SI/Brasilia (P)

SI/Brasilia Norte-Sul (P)

SI/Brasilia Sudoeste, Brazil (P)

SI/Canoas (P)

SI/Catanduva (P)

SI/Cubatao (P)

SI/Curitiba (P)

SI/Curitiba-Batel (P)

SI/Curitiba-Gloria (P)

SI/Florianopolis (P)

SI/Guarapuava (P)

SI/Jaragua Do Sul (P)

SI/Lages (P)

SI/Medianeira (P)

SI/Porto Alegre (P)

SI/Presidente Prudente (P)

SI/Rio Do Sul (P)

SI/Rio Negro (P)

SI/Santos (P)

SI/Santos-Praia (P)

SI/Sao Bento Do Sul (P)

SI/Sao Paulo (P)

SI/Sao Vicente (P)

SI/Uberlandia (P)

Camino Real Region

7 Clubs

SI/Glendale, CA (P)

SI/Greater Santa Clarita Valley,

CA (P)

SI/Long Beach, CA (P)

SI/Los Angeles, CA (P)

SI/Manhattan Beach, CA (P)

SI/Simi Valley, CA (P)

SI/Valencia, CA (P)

Central East Coast Region

5 Clubs

SI/Frostburg, MD (P)

SI/Manassas, VA (P)

SI/Talbot County, MD (P)

SI/Upper Montgomery County,

MD (P)

SI/Woodbridge, VA (P)

Desert Coast Region

18 Clubs

SI/Alpine, CA (P)

SI/Artesia-Cerritos, CA (P)

SI/Brea/La Habra, CA (P)

SI/Cypress, CA (P)

SI/Huntington Beach, CA (P)

SI/La Jolla, CA (S)

SI/La Mesa, CA (P)

SI/Laguna Beach, CA (S)

SI/Newport Harbor Area, CA (P)

SI/Norwalk/Santa Fe Springs,

CA (P)

SI/Oceanside-Carlsbad, CA (P)

SI/Orange, CA (P)

SI/Pomona/Claremont, CA (S)

SI/Poway, CA (P) SI/San Dimas/La Verne, CA (P) SI/Santa Ana/Tustin, CA (S) SI/Vista and North County Inland, CA (P) SI/Westminster, CA (P)

Eastern Canada Region

2 Clubs

SI/Cambridge, ON (P) SI/Dundas/Ancaster/Flamborou gh, ON (P)

Founder Region

13 Clubs

SI/24-680 (Walnut Creek), CA (P) SI/Antioch, CA (P) SI/Calistoga, CA (P) SI/Central Oahu, HI (P) SI/Delta (The), CA (P) SI/Diablo Vista, CA (P) SI/Eureka, CA (P) SI/Honolulu, HI (P) SI/Humboldt Bay, CA (S) SI/Martinez, CA (P) SI/Pittsburg, CA (P)

Golden West Region

SI/Rio Vista, CA (P)

SI/Ukiah, CA (P)

16 Clubs

SI/Chino Hills/Inland Empire, CA (P) SI/Desert Tucson, AZ (P) SI/East Valley, AZ (P) SI/Lake Havasu City, AZ (P) SI/Las Cruces, NM (P) SI/Moreno Valley, CA (P) SI/Palm Desert, CA (P) SI/Palm Springs, CA (P) SI/Phoenix, AZ (P)

SI/Beaumont-Banning, CA (P)

SI/Rim of the World, CA (P) SI/Saguaro Foothills, AZ (P) SI/San Bernardino, CA (P) SI/San Jacinto-Hemet Valley, CA (P)

SI/San Tans (The), AZ (P) SI/Zane Grey Country, AZ (P)

Japan Chuo Region 10 Clubs

SI/Anjo (P) SI/Fukuchiyama (P) SI/Gifu-Nagara (P) SI/Himeji (P) SI/Kobe Higashi (P) SI/Kyoto (P) SI/Okazaki (P) SI/Osaka (P) SI/Saku (P) SI/Ueda (P)

Japan Higashi Region

50 Clubs SI/Akiruno (P) SI/Akishima (P) SI/Ashikaga (P) SI/Atsugi (P) SI/Chigasaki (P) SI/Ebina (P) SI/Funabashi (P) SI/Hadano (P) SI/Hiratsuka (P) SI/Joetsu (P) SI/Kamakura (P) SI/Kanuma (P) SI/Kawasaki (P) SI/Kawasaki-Yuri (P)

SI/Kofu (P)

SI/Machida-Satsuki (P) SI/Maebashi (P)

SI/Mito (P) SI/Miura (P) SI/Musashino (P) SI/Nagaoka (P) SI/Nasu (P) SI/Niigata (P) SI/Nikko (P) SI/Odawara (P) SI/Ome (P) SI/Oyama (P)

SI/Sagami (P)

SI/Saitama (P)

SI/Sano (P)

SI/Tachikawa (P) SI/Tochigi (P)

SI/Tokyo-Chofu Laurel (P) SI/Tokyo-Ginza (P) SI/Tokyo-Komae (P) SI/Tokyo-Nishi (P) SI/Tokyo-Sakura (P) SI/Tokyo-Yamanote (P) SI/Tokyo-Yayoi (P) SI/Tonenumata (P) SI/Tsukuba (P) SI/Utsunomiya (P) SI/Yamanashi (P) SI/Yamanashi-Crystal (P) SI/Yamanashi-Fuyo (P)

SI/Yamanashi-Minami (P) SI/Yokohama Mirai (P) SI/Yokohama Nishi (P) SI/Yokosuka (P) SI/Zushi Hayama (P)

Japan Kita Region

70 Clubs SI/Aizu (P) SI/Akita (P)

SI/Aomori (P) SI/Asahikawa (P)

SI/Asahikawa Wakaba (P)

SI/Bange (P) SI/Bibai (P) SI/Chitose (P) SI/Eniwa (P) SI/Fukushima (P) SI/Furano (P) SI/Hachinohe (P) SI/Hakodate (P) SI/Haramachi (P) SI/Higashine (P) SI/Hirosaki (P) SI/Honjo (P) SI/Ishikari (P) SI/Ishinomaki (P)

SI/Ishinomaki-Sant-Juan (P)

SI/Iwaki Chuo (P) SI/Iwanai (P) SI/Kaminoyama (P) SI/Kesennuma (P) SI/Kitahiroshima (P)

SI/Kitakata (P) SI/Kitami (S) SI/Kitami Mint (P)

SI/Koriyama (P)

SI/Kushiro (P)

SI/Kushiro Amity (P) SI/Marine Iwaki (P)

SI/Misawa (P) SI/Monbetsu (P)

SI/Morioka (P)

SI/Muroran (P)

SI/Nagai (P)

SI/Nanyo (P)

SI/Nayoro (P) SI/Noboribetsu (P)

SI/Noshiro (P) SI/Obihiro (P)

SI/Obihiro Midori (P)

SI/Odate (P) SI/Ofunato (P) SI/Omagari (P) SI/Otaru (P)

SI/Runberu Asahikawa (P)

SI/Sagae (P) SI/Sapporo (P) SI/Sapporo Chuo (P)

SI/Sapporo-Neue (P)

SI/Sendai (P)

SI/Sendai Aoba (P)

SI/Shibetsu (P) SI/Shizunai (P)

SI/Sukagawa (P)

SI/Takahata (P)

SI/Takikawa (P) SI/Tamura (P)

SI/Tendo (P)

SI/Tomakomai (P)

SI/Tomakomai Hamanasu (P)

SI/Towada (P)
SI/Tsuruoka (P)
SI/Wakkanai (P)
SI/Yamagata (P)
SI/Yamanobe (P)

SI/Yokote (P) SI/Yonezawa (P) Japan Minami Region

14 Clubs

SI/Fukuoka (P)

SI/Fukuoka-Daini (P)

SI/Fukuoka-Nishi (P) SI/Fukuoka-Yayoi (P)

SI/Kagoshima (P)

SI/Kumamoto (P)

SI/Munakata (P)

SI/Nagasaki (P)

SI/Nanaura (S)

SI/Oita-Funai (P)

SI/Omura (P)

SI/Omuta (P)

SI/Saga Online, Japan (P)

SI/Yatsushiro (P)

Japan Nishi Region

20 Clubs

SI/Dogo (P)

SI/East Ehime (P)

SI/Fuchu (P)

SI/Fukuyama (P)

SI/Hagi (P)

SI/Higashi Shimonoseki (P)

SI/Hikari (P)

SI/Imabari (P) SI/Ishizuchi (P)

SI/Kaikyo-Shimonoseki (P)

SI/Kumano (P) SI/Matsuyama (P)

SI/Mihara (P)

SI/Niihama Minami (P)

SI/Oda (P)

SI/Rose-Fukuyama (P)

SI/Sakaide (P)

SI/Shimonoseki (P)

SI/Soja (P)

SI/Tsuyama (P)

SI/Yosakoi Kochi (P)

Korea Region

13 Clubs

SI/Daegu (P)

SI/Daegusoosung (P)

SI/Dalgubul (P)

SI/Haiwoondai (P)

SI/Jeju (P)

SI/Kwangjoo Moodeung (P)

SI/Kwangjooseosuk (P)

SI/Namhae (P)

SI/Namseoul (P)

SI/Seoseoul (P)

SI/Shinsa (P)

SI/Ulsan (P)

SI/Yongsan (P)

Mexico/Centroamerica Region

10 Clubs

SI/David (P)

SI/La Concepcion (P)

SI/Pachuca (P)

SI/Panama-Pacifico (P)

SI/Rio Tijuana (P)

SI/Terronal, Panama (P)

SI/Tijuana Centro (P)

SI/Tulancingo (P)

SI/Uruapan (P)

SI/Volcan (P)

Midwestern Region

10 Clubs

SI/Canton/Stark County, OH (P)

SI/Cleveland, OH (P)

SI/Columbus and Franklin

County, OH (S)

SI/Fond Du Lac, WI (P)

SI/Greater Macomb, MI (P)

SI/Grosse Pointe, MI (P)

SI/Illiana, IL (P)

SI/Indianapolis Metro, IN (P)

SI/Monroe County, MI (P)

SI/Suburban-Chicago, IL (S)

North Atlantic Region

6 Clubs

SI/Cumberland County, NJ (P)

SI/Roxborough, PA (P)

SI/Saratoga County, NY (P)

SI/Snyder, Union &

Northumberland Counties, Inc.,

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SI/Somerset County, PA (P)

North Central Region

2 Clubs

SI/Des Moines, IA (P) SI/Sioux Falls, SD (P)

Northeastern Region

3 Clubs

SI/Connecticut Shoreline, CT (P) SI/Greater Hartford, CT (P) SI/Willimantic, CT (P)

Northwestern Region

14 Clubs

SI/Albany, OR (P)
SI/Burlington, WA (P)
SI/Chehalem Valley, OR (P)
SI/Friday Harbor, WA (P)
SI/Gold Beach, OR (P)
SI/Gresham, OR (P)
SI/McMinnville, OR (P)
SI/Medford, OR (P)
SI/Oak Harbor, WA (P)
SI/Okanogan Valley, WA (P)
SI/Pasco-Kennewick, WA (P)
SI/Port Angeles Jet Set, WA (P)
SI/Seattle Metropolitan, WA (P)
SI/Three Rivers, WA (P)

Philippines Region

42 Clubs

SI/Angeles City (P)
SI/Bacolod City (P)
SI/Bagong Marilaw (P)
SI/Bagong Paranaque (P)
SI/Baliuag (P)

SI/Batangas Downtown (P)

SI/Batangas Premiere (P)

SI/Bocaue (P)
SI/City of Palms (P)
SI/Commonwealth (P)
SI/Congressional (P)
SI/Congressional New
Generation (P)
SI/Davao City (P)

SI/Davao City (P SI/Guagua (P) SI/Gumaca (P)

SI/Kabatanguena, Philippines

(P)

SI/Lipa, Philippines (P)

SI/Lipenas (P)
SI/Lucena City (P)

SI/Mabini, Philippines (P)

SI/Magalang (P)
SI/Mandaluyong (P)
SI/Marikina Metro (P)
SI/Marilaw East (P)

SI/Metro Cabanatuan (P)

SI/Meycauayan (P)

SI/Meycauayan Sto. Nino (P)

SI/Nova Central (P) SI/Pampanga (P) SI/Pampanga Star (P) SI/Plaridel (P)

SI/PNP Two Hearts New

Generation (P) SI/Quezon City (P) SI/San Jose City (P) SI/San Juan (P) SI/San Rafael (P)

SI/Science City of Munoz (P)

SI/Sta. Maria (P) SI/Tarlac (P)

SI/Two Hearts Crame,

Philippines (P)

SI/Two Hearts Sinagtala,

Philippines (P)

SI/Two Hearts, Philippines (P)

Rocky Mountain Region

6 Clubs

SI/Blackfoot, ID (P)
SI/Cody, WY (P)
SI/Ogden, UT (P)
SI/Powell, WY (P)
SI/Salt Lake City, UT (P)
SI/Scotts Bluff County, NE (P)

Sierra Nevada Region

14 Clubs

SI/Davis, CA (P)
SI/Elk Grove, CA (P)
SI/Elko, NV (P)
SI/Folsom El Dorado Hills (P)
SI/Greater Las Vegas, NV (P)
SI/Hawthorne, NV (P)
SI/Las Vegas Valley, NV (P)

SI/Metropolitan Las Vegas, NV (P) SI/Quincy, CA (P) SI/Red Bluff, CA (S) SI/Sacramento, CA (P) SI/Truckee Meadows, NV (P) SI/Truckee-Donner, CA (P)

Sierra Pacific Region

14 Clubs

SI/Yreka, CA (P)

SI/Capitola-By-The-Sea, CA (P)

SI/Carmel Bay, CA (P)

SI/Ceres, CA (P) SI/Clovis, CA (P) SI/Hanford, CA (P)

SI/Mariposa, CA (P) SI/Merced, CA (P)

SI/Modesto North, CA (P)

SI/Oakdale, CA (P) SI/Salinas, CA (P) SI/Sierras (The), CA (P) SI/Twain Harte, CA (P)

SI/Visalia, CA (P) SI/Watsonville, CA (P)

South Central Region

8 Clubs

SI/Dallas, TX (P)
SI/El Dorado, KS (P)
SI/Joplin, MO (P)
SI/Lawrence, KS (P)
SI/Plainview, TX (P)
SI/Ponca City, OK (P)
SI/Rockwall, TX (P)
SI/Springfield, MO (P)

Southern Region

2 Clubs

SI/Davie, FL (P) SI/Homestead, FL (P)

Taiwan Region

6 Clubs

SI/Hsin-Chu (P) SI/Kaohsiung (P) SI/Miaoli (P)

SI/New Taipei City, Taiwan (P)

SI/Taipei (P)
SI/Taipei Hsin Yi (P)

Western Canada Region

6 Clubs

SI/Chilliwack, BC (P) SI/Courtenay, BC (P) SI/Edmonton, AB (P) SI/Langleys (The), BC (P)
SI/North & West Vancouver, BC

(P)

SI/Tri Cities (The), BC (P)

Canceled and Postponed Projects

Due to COVID-19, many clubs were forced to cancel or postpone their *Dream It, Be It* projects to a later date. The following 118 clubs reported that they canceled or postponed 104 projects, or 9% of clubs.

America del Sur Region

4 Clubs

SI/Concepción-Paraguay

SI/El Hatillo SI/Lechería SI/Miranda

Board-Directed Northern Philippines Region

1 Club

SI/PNP Two Hearts Crame

Camino Real Region

7 Clubs

SI/Alhambra, San Gabriel, San

Marino SI/Camarillo

SI/Greater Santa Clarita Valley

SI/Lakewood/Long Beach

SI/Los Angeles SI/Oxnard SI/Ventura, CA

Central East Coast Region

4 Clubs

SI/Hagerstown SI/Raleigh

SI/Talbot County, MD SI/Williamsburg, VA

Desert Coast Region

6 Clubs

SI/Artesia Cerritos SI/Borrego Springs SI/Brea/La Habra SI/Buena Park SI/El Centro SI/North San Diego

Eastern Canada Region

3 Clubs

SI/Kitchener-Waterloo

SI/London

SI/Peterborough

Founder Region

8 Clubs

SI/American Canyon 2018

SI/Crescent City SI/Humboldt Bay SI/The Marianas

SI/Oakland-Founder Club

SI/Richmond SI/Rio Vista, CA SI/Sonoma Valley

Golden West Region

7 Clubs

SI/Arizona Peaks

SI/Corona SI/Kingman

SI/Mountain Morning

SI/Parker SI/Riverside SI/Winslow, AZ

Japan Higashi Region

6 Clubs SI/Miura SI/Niigata SI/Sano

SI/Tokyo-Komae SI/Tokyo-Sakura SI/Utsunomiya **Japan Kita Region**

4 Clubs SI/Rumoi SI/Shinjo SI/Soma SI/Aizu

Japan Minami Region

1 Club

SI/Kumamoto-Sumire

Japan Nishi Region

7 Clubs SI/Kojima SI/Kasaoka SI/Ibara SI/Hofu SI/Yanai

SI/Matsue

SI/Hiroshima-Momiji

Mexico/Centroamerica Region

3 Clubs SI/Boquete SI/Colon SI/Panama

Midwestern Region

8 Clubs SI/Chicago

SI/Columbus & Franklin Co.

SI/Flat Rock Area SI/Kansas City

SI/Kenton/Hardin County

SI/Milwaukee

SI/Mount Vernon, Ohio and

Knox County SI/Trenton Area

North Atlantic Region

3 Clubs

SI/Harrisburg, PA SI/Indian Rock SI/Saratoga County

Northeastern Region

3 Clubs

SI/Farmington Valley SI/Greater Providence, RI SI/Willimantic

Northwestern Region

11 Clubs

SI/Brookings SI/Everett

SI/Greater Bremerton

SI/Hood River SI/La Conner

SI/Tacoma

SI/Lower Yakima Valley

SI/Moses Lake
SI/Pasco-Kennewick
SI/Port Orchard, WA
SI/Portland

Philippines Region

3 Clubs

SI/Caloocan City SI/Malabon SI/PSAU Magalang

Rocky Mountain Region

3 Clubs SI/Boise SI/Caldwell SI/Laramie

Sierra Nevada Region

8 Clubs

SI/The Comstock SI/Bidwell Rancho SI/Downtown Redding SI/Modesto North SI/Orland

SI/Orland SI/Roseville SI/South Placer SI/Woodland

Sierra Pacific Region

6 Clubs SI/Delano SI/Fallon SI/Lodi SI/Madera SI/Modesto SI/San Francisco **South Central Region**

6 Clubs

SI/Amarillo, TX SI/Arkansas City, KS SI/Rockwall SI/Springfield, MO SI/Vandalua, IL SI/Winfield, KS

Southern Region

2 Clubs SI/Huntsville SI/St. Lucie

Taiwan Region

3 Clubs

SI/Taiwan Province SI/Taichung SI/Chang-Hwa County Garden

Western Canada Region

1 Club

SI/Victoria Westshore