



SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL

CLUB LEONIA ZURICH



*cordially
invites you
to its
Charter
Celebration*



DATE
28.11.2026



TIME
13:30 Uhr



PLACE
Zurich

Goals of Soroptimist

International



Educate, Empower, Enable – this is what Soroptimist International, the world's largest service club organisation for working women, stands for.

Around 80,000 Soroptimists in 3,000 clubs across 125 countries are committed to bringing about lasting improvements in the lives of women and girls.

The focus is on access to education and training, strengthening economic independence, and protecting women and girls from violence.

With a strong global network, Soroptimist International creates opportunities, empowers women, and enables lasting change.

Soroptimist International
– a global voice for women and girls since 1921.

Zurich the City - in the flow

ZURICH is Switzerland's largest city and offers a unique blend of a historic medieval old town and an international financial centre. The city lies on the shores of Lake Zurich and along the River Limmat and is renowned for its world-class museums, luxury shopping on Bahnhofstrasse, and exceptionally high quality of life.

In Zurich, you can admire the historic buildings of the Old Town, stroll along the world-famous Bahnhofstrasse, and enjoy the beauty of Lake Zurich. Zurich offers a unique blend: a vibrant metropolis where culture, water, nature, and mountains come together.

Simply spectacular!





WE are Barbara Goldmann, Julia Hartmann, Nadine Jäger, Franziska Keller, Anna Kleffel, Nicole Manderscheid, Lien Nguyen, Farhat Noorudin, Eleni Panagiotidis, Bianca Rathgeb, Carmen Schwelger, Miriam Seiler, Pia Simmendinger, Maria Skiada, Christina Stammel, Lisa Steger, Jana Torbica, Penelope Tunstall, Margrit Weber-Scherrer, Paulina Wezyk, Luisa Zettig, Elisabeth Zissis

YOU
are not
alone.
In your
voice live
thousands
of women.

Zitat Rupī Kaur

WE are committed to empowering women, upholding high ethical standards, and promoting human rights, freedom, equality, and peace.

5 Key Focus *Areas of* Soroptimists

Education and Knowledge
Independence by Education



Empowerment and Leadership
Self-determination by specific advancement



Against violence against women and girls
Prevention through raising public awareness



Health and Nutrition Security
Health through better living conditions



Environment and Sustainability
Quality of Life through Sustainable Action



Founding Project

AS a network of working women from diverse professional backgrounds, Soroptimist International is committed to education and equality – values that we actively embody through our founding project. Because our club brings together a wide range of professional expertise, we support the NGO Wild Flower, founded by Mahbube Ibrahim, winner of the 2025 Prix Courage, not primarily through financial means, but by contributing our professional expertise and knowledge.

Wild Flower enables girls and young women in Afghanistan to access education despite the most challenging circumstances – fully aligned with our mission: “Educate – Empower – Enable.”

WE support Wild Flower by providing advice and coaching across the entire value chain of an NGO, with a focus on four key areas:

Governance & Leadership

- Establishing clear decision-making structures and supporting young volunteer leaders to ensure sustainable, well-managed growth.

Digitalisation & IT-Security

- Securing and further developing the online school as Wild Flower’s core product.

Finance & Compliance

- Professionalising accounting and reporting while ensuring compliance with the applicable legal framework in Afghanistan’s sensitive political environment.



Communication, Fundraising & Networking

- Professionalising communication, supporting efforts to secure sustainable funding, and fostering connections with national and international partners.



Charter Ceremony *Programme*

13.30 h-
14.00 h

ARRIVAL AT ZURICH ZOO
Arrival, welcome and exchange

16.00 h-
18.30 h
(Apéro 17.45 - 18.30)

CHARTER CEREMONY
Charter handover by Sabine Reimann, SIE
Pres., Restaurant Pantanal: Rio Paraguay Hall

ZOO TOUR INCL. A VISIT TO PANTHERA
Guided tour of Zurich Zoo
with an exclusive visit to Panthera

14.30 h
-16.00 h

FESTIVE DINNER
Restaurant Pantanal: Saal Miranda
Festive dinner in fine Ambience

18.30 h
-22.30 h

WHERE TO STAY

Zurich offers a wide range of accommodation options. We have put together a selection of recommended places for your stay.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at:
info@soroptimist-leonia.ch melden.

How to get from Zurich Main Station to Zurich Zoo via Zentral on tram 6



- 1 Incorporation Meeting**
Stadtmodell: Zürich heute
Lindenhofstrasse 19
8001 Zürich
- 2 Guided tour, charter celebration, Apéro**
Zoo Zürich
Zoohaupteingang
Zürichbergstrasse 221
8044 Zürich
- 3 Festive dinner in fine Ambience**
Restaurant Pantanal
Saal Miranda
Zürichbergstrasse 219
8044 Zürich
- 4 Accommodation approx. 310 Fr.**
Central Plaza Hotel
Central 1
8001 Zürich
<https://www.central.ch>
- 5 Accommodation approx. 180 Fr.**
Hotel Limmathof AG
Limmatquai 142
8001 Zürich
<https://www.limmathof.com>
- 6 Accommodation approx. 160-250 Fr.**
Sorell Stadthotel Rütli Niederdorf Zürich
Zähringerstrasse 43
8001 Zürich
<https://www.sorellhotels.com/de/hotels/ruetli-zuerich>

more Hotels explicitly for Women:

- Josephine's Guesthouse approx. 138.- to 220.- Fr.
<https://www.josephines.ch/>
- Alma Hotel Boutique & Wellness ca. 250.- Fr.
<https://almahotel.ch/>
- Hotel Marta Zürich ca. 210.- Fr.
<https://www.hotelmarta.ch/>

Prices

Package SMALL

Guided tour of the zoo, charter celebration,
Apéro incl. Drinks

CHF 150.-

Package BIG

Guided tour of the zoo, charter celebration,
Apéro incl. Drinks
festive dinner incl. alcoholic drinks

CHF 260.-*

* There are only a limited number of places available for the BIG package

Registration

WE kindly ask you to register using our registration form,
available [here](#) or via QR-Code by 6 November 2026 at the latest

Your registration will be confirmed upon receipt of payment.

Registration:



Account details:

SI Club Leonia Zürich in Gründung

IBAN: CH82 0900 0000 1697 3838 8

Kontonummer: 16-973838-8

BIC: POFICHBEXXX

A QR invoice can be found at the end of the invitation.

Payment reference:

Please state your name and the SI Club (if you are a member of an SI Club) when making the bank transfer

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