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To: Principals, Counselors, Teachers, Child Advocates

Re: Soroptimist Unsung Hero Award

For more than 30 years our Soroptimist Club has been awarding "Unsung Hero" awards to children from 1st grade through 8th grade. It's that time of year again and we want to reward those who rise above their circumstances, do extraordinary acts and/or provide selfless acts for others. Do you know of a student who stands out as an unsung hero? The winners will be taken on a "shopping spree" with \$200 to spend on themselves, AND this year the unsung hero gets to decide what school project can receive \$500 on their behalf, like playground equipment, teacher appreciation, et cetera.

The nomination form, which is attached, includes details regarding eligibility and how to apply. It's a separate document that can be printed, filled in and mailed to our PO Box. You may also click on the link for the pdf form, www.sitmnv.org/scholarships, which can then be filled out, saved in the student's name, and attached to your email and sent to Soroptimist at edvouth@sitmnv.org.

Deadline for the applications is January 31, 2025. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. Questions can be sent to our email at any time.

The recipients will receive their award during our annual Thanks To Youth luncheon at the Atlantis Casino Resort Spa in May 2025. All the recipients, their families and the nominator are invited to attend as our guests. It's a meaningful and rewarding time for all as we recognize the selfless and extraordinary acts of worthy students in our community.

Yours truly, Marilyn Pearson and Eileen Fuller, Co-Coordinators Youth Awards Committee Soroptimist International of Truckee Meadows