

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

Celebrating over 50 years of service to Youth & North Topeka!

Past President Ernie Douglas called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM with 18 club members and guests attending. Best wishes to President Kyle McNorton as he was undergoing hip replacement surgery at the time of our meeting. The club is hopeful for a rapid recovery for Kyle. Gary Slimmer gave the invocation. Then we recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

BIRTHDAYS: Optimist celebrating a birthday this week: Roger Barnes, December 5th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

North Topeka News: David Jackson is still researching what is going on on the north side of Highway 24 at Furman Road with all the earth movement around a pond that has existed there for years. David is also in the process of re-zoning Jackson's Greenhouse property for the sale of the property to new buyers.

Christmas tree lot experienced a good weekend with lots of sales, both cash and credit card transactions. Thanks to David Jackson who got our tree lot back up to full compliment of trees by making a fast trip to Wisconsin for trees for the greenhouse as well as for the club.

Thanks Dave! Volunteer to sell trees at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4fabae2aa3f5c16-optimist> or call Dennis Reedy, 785-640-0834.

Camper trailer – turn off thermostat & propane each night, also scramble the combination on the lock box when you take the key for the camper so someone passing by does not know the combination.

Fall basketball league has games the next two(2) Saturdays at the Logan Elementary gym. Winter basketball league begins January 15, 2022.

Registration will be online and notices distributed by Seaman schools via Peach Jar social media.

Ernie Douglas on behalf of President Kyle McNorton and the Club's Board of Directors presented a letter and check to Dennis Reedy as a performance bonus in his capacity as Activities Director.

Club members are reminded to pay annual membership dues. No club evening meetings on 4th Mondays in November and December.

Check out the web site for our Event Center at

<https://sunriseoptimisteventcenter.com>

Program: Stephen Buntain, Clinic Director of SERC Physical Therapy

Upcoming Events:

December 7th, Matt Tinsley, head coach of Lady Vikes basketball

President's Quote: "Optimism is the one quality more associated with success and happiness than any other."

- Brian Tracy

Closed with the Optimist Creed.

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 Meetings: Every
 Tuesday 6:45 AM
 720 NW 50th St, Topeka

