

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

President Rocky Fund rang the bell at 6:45 a.m. opening the morning session of the Sunrise Optimist Club. There were about 40 in attendance this morning.

Dean Schmitt gave the opening invocation and **President Rocky** led the flag salute.

Dennis Richter introduced his son, **Daniel**, this morning. Daniel was collecting donations for the American Heart Association and thanked everyone for giving.

Pres. Rocky introduced **Beverly Claykamp** to the club this morning. She is a member of the National Guard and also a financial advisor.

David Ireland introduced **Curtis Henderson** again this morning. Curtis has filled out his application for membership. **Welcome to the club, Curtis.**

Duane Reed's birthday is this coming Thursday, so we got to sing again this morning. How wonderful it sounded.

The Founders Day celebration scheduled for April 19th has been postponed. It seems as though the 3rd Qtr. Board meeting is the same weekend. A new date will be selected at a later date.

Our bean feed will be this Saturday evening beginning at 6:00 p.m. Cost will be \$ 5.00 per person. This is a membership drive also, so bring a guest. We would like to see 100% of our members in attendance at this also. Please plan to attend and feel free to bring a pot of beans or cornbread if you so desire.

The SOC Board meeting will be on Monday evening, March 10th at 6:30 p.m.

The Seaman High School Musical will be this weekend at the high school. This year they are performing "Damn Yankees". It will be held in the recently remodeled auditorium.

The Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church is having a pancake and French toast feed this Saturday in the club building from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. A donation of \$ 3.50 is suggested.

Solider Township Fire Dept will also have a pancake feed on March 22nd at the building. We encourage everyone to attend both events.

Eldon Reed won the pot this morning.

The progressive pot would have been won by **Dale Langley** had he been present.

Gary Slimmer conducted the Boys Oratorical contest this morning. There was only 1 contestant today. His name was **Levi Keller** and his topic was "Why Me? Why Not?"

The judges were **David Kensinger, Dustin Hardison, Rolf Chappell** and **Amelia Bailey**. Thanks to all who participated.

Next week the program will be the Essay contest winners and also the Student of the Month will be presented.

March 8 – Pleasant Hill UM Church pancake feed. 7-11 a.m.

March 8 – Bean Feed

March 10 – SOC Board Meeting

March 22 – Fire Dept pancake feed

April 19 – 3rd Qtr Board Meeting

Be sure to attend the bean feed this Saturday night at the SOC Building. 6 p.m.

Meeting closed with the Creed.

