

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

Check us out on the internet: www.sunriseoptimist.org

Meeting called to order by Karen Ireland
President's quote: "Be thankful for the beauty, the peace, and the marvel found in nature and focus on the priceless value of friendship"

Eric Showalter gave the invocation.
Maurice Minihan led the flag salute
Dale Kelley won the weekly drawing.
Brad Nelson won the progressive drawing.

Mollie Ann Gibson was a guest. She is a past Oratorical contest winner. She needs volunteer judges for a speech contest for Christian Home School students. To volunteer call 286-2477.

Gary Slimmer had his 70th birthday- we sang?

We are participating in the "Buy one get one free" fundraiser program. Tickets are \$20 and are available at weekly meetings.

The 3 on 3 basketball tournament at Logan has been canceled due to a lack of participants.

Thanks to Rolf Chappell, Wes Sturgeon, Sydney Hayes, Al and Barb Ferrell, and Dave Ireland for working indoors Saturday.

Steve Schffelbein announced that summer baseball and softball forms are out. The deadline for signing up is April 1st. Team sponsors are needed. Cost is \$75 a team.

Hunter's safety programs on March 22 and 24 and 29 and 31. We need your help on concessions.

The zone 3 oratorical contest will be held at KSU on March 19th at 1:00.

The District 3rd quarter conference is on April 9th in Derby Kansas. The district oratorical contest will be held then. Our own Frank Henderson is chairman. Cost for the day is only \$15.

The Seaman Athletics Booster Club will hold a dance and fund raising auction on March 26th.

The annual Boys Oratorical contest was held. The topic this year is "If I were the leader of the free world, the first issue I would address would be--" Results:

1st- Jayce Yoder

2nd- Ian Michaelson

3rd- Josh Whisler

Honorable mention-

Ryan Kelly and Grant Waters

Judges- Wes Sturgeon, Rolf, Chappell, and Frank Yeoman

Future Programs:

Next week- March 22- Greg Simms, Red Cross

March 29- Essay winners- Fred Patton is heading this up.

April 5- Meet at the Pad

April 12- Washburn University Tech and Seaman Student of the month.

We plan to have a club Garage Sale on April 30th

Washburn Tech Open House on Saturday April 16, noon to 4PM

Myra and I will be on vacation in Cancun Mexico next week and I will miss next Tuesday's meeting. Bruce and Linda Lanning have agreed to write up the newsletter next week- Chuck Sodergren

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