

# HIGHLIGHTS

## Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

We are on the worldwide web: [www.sunriseoptimist.org](http://www.sunriseoptimist.org)

President **Dave Ireland** opened this morning's meeting at 6:45. The attendance was about 30 this morning.

**Linda Lanning** gave the invocation and **Brad Harrelson** led the flag salute.

**Gary Slimmer** announced that he has an application from Dode Lesser but does not have a check yet.

There were no birthdays or guests this morning.

Hunter Safety is in full swing now and starting the 2<sup>nd</sup> week. **Marvin Smith** was not present to report on how the concession stand was doing however.

Thanks to **Marvin and Michael Smith** for re-roofing 3 dugouts at the complex. These are now ready for the approaching ball season.

**Gary Domer, Maurice Minihan, Matt Smith, & Dave Ireland** worked Saturday morning on trenching and getting ready to move the overhead wiring underground. This will give an unobstructed view of the new flagpoles that are being installed in front of the building.

**Steve Schiffelbein** reminded everyone that the deadline for the registration forms for summer league baseball is April 1<sup>st</sup>. This will be Wednesday of next week already.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Solider Township Fire Dept will hold its annual pancake feed here at the SOC Building on March 28<sup>th</sup>. Please plan to attend this fund-raiser for you local firefighters. They are on call 24/7 to serve you in case of an emergency.

The Arab Shrine Temple, at 1305 Topeka Blvd. will have their annual Pancake Feed, on Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 7-11 a.m. Tickets are \$4.00 advance from Ernie Douglas or Dave Stotts.



Today's pot winner was **Cylde McNorton**.

The progressive went unclaimed today.

This morning we had our Boys' Oratorical Contest. The lone participant was **Josh Whisler**, a 9<sup>th</sup> grader from Seaman. He did an excellent job and was awarded a 1<sup>st</sup> place medal. Josh will now advance to the Zone contest.

The judges were **Brad Harrelson, Jerry Holly, and Rolf Chappel**.

### Help Wanted

We need someone to cook breakfast for the club on the mornings of April 21 and April 28<sup>th</sup>. If interested please call **Linda Lanning** at 246 - 1480.

### LOOKING AHEAD

April 4<sup>th</sup>, Race Cars from Thunderhill on Display, at SOC parking lot, from 10-2 and concessions will be served.

### Future Programs

March 31<sup>st</sup>, Steve Bushnell, Seaman HS Baseball coach.

April 7<sup>th</sup>, Steve Anson, Washburn U, Head Baseball Coach.

April 14<sup>th</sup>, Optimist Essay Winners, Seaman Student of the Month.

April 21<sup>st</sup>, Brad Rahe, Banner Creek Observatory at Holton.

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