

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

We are on the worldwide web: www.sunriseoptimist.org

President Dave Ireland opened this mornings meeting at 6:45.

The attendance was 30 optimist and 14 National History Day Students from Seaman High School.

Chuck Sodergren gave the invocation and Dave Jackson led the flag salute.

We did not have any guests this morning other than the students from Seaman.

There were no birthdays this morning, so the choir did not get to loosen up their vocal cords.

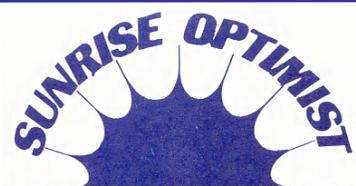
Gary Domer reported on last Saturday's workday. Only 2 showed up and worked until about noon. Lots more to do, so another workday is scheduled for this Saturday, rain or shine. We will decide what we can do at that time. Time is running out, as ball season starts in 3 weeks.

Steve Schffelbein says that we still need to get a couple of ball diamond in shape for the summer. Only 3 weeks left until it starts. We will have 63 teams playing in our program this year, so it is important that we have everything shipshape and looking as good as possible. He could use a few more umpires. We will pay \$ 10.00 per game with 2 games per evening. That's \$ 20.00 a night spending money for any of you students that need some gas money.

Dan Lill says that he will be passing out the pizza and cookie dough order forms to teams 3 weeks from today.

Marvin Smith says that his committee for selecting new officers for next year needs to meet very soon. This needs to be done this month.

Marvin also announced that he still does not have enough help to run the concession stand. Still needs help for Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday nights. Students from Seaman are also welcome to work. If we don't get the help we need to operate this, it



SUNRISE OPTIMIST
NORTH TOPEKA
Meetings: Every
Tuesday 6:45 AM
720 NW 50th St, Topeka

WILL NOT be open. You must be able to work from 5:30 p.m. to around 9 p.m., and includes clean up. If you can work on one of these evenings please give Marvin a call at 246-1864. This is very important, as it is one of our major fundraisers.

There will be a SOC Board of Directors meeting next Tuesday evening at 6:30 at the building.

The winner of the 50/50 drawing this morning was **Marvin Smith**.

The pot winner was **Gary Scarlett** and the \$\$ went to supplement his retirement fund.

The winner of the progressive pot was **Ed Albert** who was not here this week. I understand that he was he last week. I guess that you were just a week early, Ed.

Next week we will have our Student of the Month presentation.

Next weeks program will be Tracy Hammes, 9th grade principal at Seaman.

Students of Susan Sittenaur, National History Day instructor at Seaman High School, presented this week's program.

There were 14 students who came and enjoyed breakfast and then shared their History Day projects with us. There was a wide range of history subjects among them.

Seaman had the most projects qualify for the National competition. There were 5 students that qualified to be in the National competition.

Unfortunately, the Kansas Legislature has eliminated the funding for this in the schools for next year.

Our club presented the class a check for \$ 500.00 to help fund their classes.

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