

# **Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club**

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

President Dennis Reedy rang the bell and called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM and gave the invocation. We all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **BIRTHDAYS:**

Celebrating a birthday this coming week: Larry Zirkle, May 23rd and Mike Stock, May 29th. Neither were in attendance so we did not get to sing!

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

You're Invited! As the Sunrise Optimist Endowment Association and the Sunrise Optimist Club honors and recognizes the 2017 Scholarship recipients: Walker Bassett, Hannah Lady and Jennifer Howard. Tuesday, May 23, 2017 - 6:30 PM, Sunrise Optimist Activity Center, 720 NW 50th Street.

Save the Date: Friday, July 28, 2017
31st Annual Bob Cutter Golf Classic!
The tournament committee is holding another organizing meeting this evening, Tuesday, May 23rd, 5:30 PM at Gary Domer's office. All interested are invited to attend.

Rolf Chappell is organizing the concession stand staff for the upcoming baseball/softball/tee ball season, which starts next Tuesday, May 30th! those Optimist members who have volunteered will be on the their regular

Tuesday - Thursday schedule, but help is needed to staff the stand on Friday, June 2nd. A volunteer websit has been esatablished at: signup.com/go/vimZnhd Help! Help! A 2nd & 3rd grade boys team is in need of a coach! Please help so these boys can continue to play, contact: srosummerball@gmail.com

#### Program for May 16, 2017

Gita Noble, coordinator of the Seaman High School Internship program. The program implemented by the Seaman School District, now completing its 4th year, is due to a change in emphasis or a shift to college and career orientation. The program is only available to seniors and has affected or reached a third of the senior class. Seniors need to apply to the program, write a letter of interestm has a good disciplinary record and then be interviewed by faculty. The program is being expanded to a summer program.

## **LOOKING AHEAD:**

May 30, 2017: Ken Debusk, Wildlife Damage Control

The North Topeka On the Move Association's "Concerts in the Park Series" at the Garfield Park Gazebo begins with the North Topeka Community Band on June 5th, followed by the 35th Infantry Division Army Band on June 19th. Concerts begin at 7:30 PM.

#### **Drawings this week:**

Weekly: Gary Slimmer - Again!

Progessive: #65, Dr. Steve Noble

#### **President's Quote:**

The expert in anything was once a beginner.

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