

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

President Chanc Harris called the meeting to order.

Dave Ireland led us in the Invocation.

Marvin Smith led the flag salute.

Mike Stock and Dan Carlson had birthdays this week.

Welcome to John Kabus, our newest member.

Our prayers go out for Richard Sundermeyer who was hospitalized for peritonitis.

Our 28th annual golf tournament will be held on Friday, July 25th.

Program- Shelly Simoneau, Elmont Elementary teacher and author.

Future Programs-

Next week- Frank Chafflin, WREN radio general manager

June 10- Report by American Legion Boys and Girls State Attendees- Sam Moylan

(sponsored by Legion Post 400) Grant Boyd (sponsored by Legion Riders 400)

Michael Devoe and Tucker Morey (sponsored by Don Pekrul) and Reid Morgart (sponsored by Sunrise Optimist Club).

We have a Childhood Cancer donation box set up at our meetings. A Camp Hope and Camp Quality Kansas wish list is available. These programs work with childhood cancer patients.

We need volunteers to mow the complex. Call president Chanc (785 554-5771) to join a mowing team! Our mower is back from the shop and ready to go. The rain has caused the grass to grow.

Our summer baseball program begins this week. We have 56 teams and 623 participants. More kids can be added.

Volunteers are needed to help with concessions for ball games from 5:30 to 8:30 Monday thru Thursday this summer. Contact Rolf Chappell.

Dan Lill needs help handing out Pizza and Cookie Dough sheets to teams this week.

He especially needs help picking up the sheets for three evenings after the sales have been completed. We are hoping that each player will sell 10 packages or donate \$50.

The North Topeka Community band will present concerts in Garfield Park at 7:30 PM on June 2nd, 30th, and July 14th. The Kansas National Guard band will play at 7:30 PM in Garfield Park on June 16th. Put these dates on your calendar and join us for a great social evening in the park!

Gary Slimmer won the ticket drawing. Dan Lill won the progressive drawing.

A daytime bus trip to the "NEW THEATRE" in Overland Park to eat a gourmet lunch and see the Broadway show "Smokey Joe's Café" will take place on Wednesday, August 20th. Talk to Stanley Stotts for details and to sign up.

President's quote "Tell me and I forget, Teach me and I remember, Involve me and I learn." Ben Franklin

We need 4 volunteers to help hand out numbers at the Kick Start bar, Highway 24 and Kansas Avenue, on June 28th for the Childhood Cancer motorcycle ride.

Lloyd Becker brought his own mower to our complex last week and mowed. Thanks to Lloyd!

Meeting adjourned with the Optimist Creed.



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Meetings: Every
Tuesday 6:45 AM
720 NW 50th St, Topeka