

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

President Ernie Douglas rang the bell and called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM and gave the invocation. Then we all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

BIRTHDAYS: Bruce Lanning, June 9.
The celebration choir rested.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Baseball fund raiser: orders due by end of week.

Baseball Concession stand begins May 29; volunteers needed. Contact Rolf Chappell, 357-1557 or 217-1181 cell.

32nd Annual Bob Cutter Golf Classic, 9:30 am, July 27, Ozawkie golf course.

Band Concerts at Garfield Park Gazebo, 7:30 pm, June 18 & July 2.

Youth Football Clinic, July 21: 3 hrs for coaches, and 2 hours for coaching & players, ages 1st thru 6th grades.

PROGRAM:

June 5: Tom Ellis, Crossing the Kansas River

Based on research documents at the Kansas Museum of History such as books with diaries of travelers and settlers and land survey records, Mr. Ellis discovered that there were ferries at multiple sites between 1825 – 1860. There remains today a hard rock crossing just west of the current Willard bridge.



In the 1820s, prairie fires kept the tall grass from growing. Fur trappers from St. Louis established the first trading post near Mission Creek at Willard. They also set up a trading post near Ft. Collins, Colorado to trade with Sioux tribes.

Flat bottom boats were powered by poles, paddles or ropes. Some boats at ferries had a keel. Fees were \$5 per wagon and \$1 per man & his horse. Military at Ft. Leavenworth used ferries also.

Looking Ahead:

June 12: Girls' State (Mya Kramer), Boys' State (Tristan Hahn)

June 19: Jake LaTurner, Kansas State Treasurer

June 26: Amber Oetting, Kansas Gas Service.

Drawings this week:

Weekly: Lloyd Becker

Progressive: #42 Linda Lanning

50/50: Steve Schiffelbein

Vice-president vacancy needs volunteer.

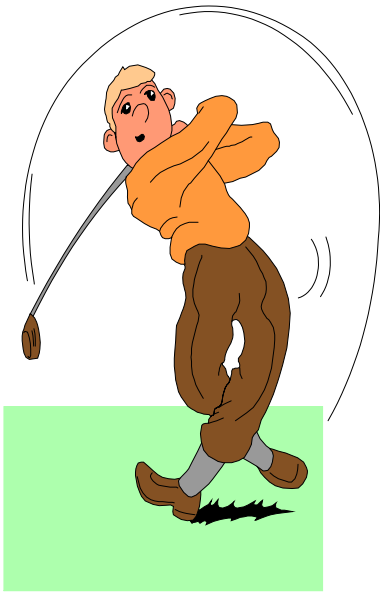
President's Quote:

“The grateful mind is constantly fixated upon the best. Therefore, it tends to become the best. It takes the form of character from the best and will receive the best.”

- Wallace D.
Wattles

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Sunrise Optimist Club of North Topeka announces the



32nd Annual Bob Cutter Golf Classic

Friday, July 27, 2018
Lake Perry Country Club
Ozawkie, Kansas

Tournament Host: Sunrise Optimist Club of North Topeka
Celebrating our 32nd year of hosting a Golf Tournament!

TEE TIME: 10:00 a.m., but be there by 9:30 for lunch and pre-tee instructions.

LUNCH: Sack lunches with water or sodas will be available to all golfers at no charge.

COST: \$75 per player entry fee (\$300 per team) This price includes green fees, cart, mulligans and prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams for two different flights.

SPECIALS: There will be prizes for Closest to the Line, Longest Drive, Closest to the Pin and Longest Putt.

FORMAT: Traditional four(4)-person scramble format with a shotgun start. The field of entries will be divided into two(2) flights with awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in both flights. Any ties will be determined by handicap holes.

Available now ONLINE Registration!

Goto: <https://app.eventcaddy.com/events/bobcutterclassic>

Scan here for more information: →



Traditional paper Registration Forms will also be available.

Anticipated Tournament Sponsors for 2018:

Ñ Golf package: Lake of the Ozarks(Golf & lodging, Waters Edge Motel/Indian Rock Golf Course)

Ñ Boulder Creek Golf Course, Boulder City, Nevada

Ñ Great Life Golf and Fitness Ñ Lake Ridge Bar & Grill Ñ Western Associates

Ñ Rose Muffler & Car Care Ñ Eagle Bend Golf Course, Lawrence, Kansas

Raffle and Auction items will be available!

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Sponsorship Opportunities

● Major Sponsor - \$500 ● Great Golf Ball Drop Sponsor - \$300

Lunch Sponsor - \$200 ● Beverage Sponsor - \$200 ● Hole Sponsor - \$125

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact Scott Souther, 785-250-8102, Dan Lill, 785-414-0018 or Alan Rose, 785-640-2340



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For an entry fee of \$10.00 (per ball) participants will be entered into The Great Golf Ball Drop to take place at Lake Perry County Club on Friday, July 27, 2018. Participants will be assigned a numbered golf ball or balls, depending on their purchase, and may enter multiple times.

Then, at the conclusion of the 32nd Annual Bob Cutter Golf Classic, all the numbered golf balls will be dropped from a lift hovering over a pre-selected hole on the course at Lake Perry Country Club. The first purchased golf ball in the hole, or the one closest to the hole, wins the grand prize. Additional targets will be placed on the area surrounding the hole for each of the other prizes.

1) If multiple balls go in the hole, the first purchased ball that is at the bottom of the hole will be determined the first place winner.

2) If no balls go in the hole, then the first purchased ball landing closest to the hole will be determined the winner. The winning ball closest to the hole will be determined by measuring from the center of the hole to the ball. The decision of the judges will be final.

You must be 18 years or older to enter and you DO NOT have to be present to win. The cash prizes will be based on a percentage of the proceeds, determined by the number of chances sold. 1st place =15%, 2nd place = 10%, 3rd place = 5%. Winners will be notified by phone.

A complete list of the rules can be obtained by contacting the golf committee members below. All proceeds will go to the Sunrise Optimist Club of North Topeka to fund the many valuable programs provided to the youth of northern Shawnee County.

Golf Committee Members:

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