

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

President Victor Harris called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM.

The invocation was given by Richard Sundermeyer.
Charles Nicolay led us in the flag salute.

We observed a moment of silence on the passing of Past President (2008-2009) Dave Ireland on Friday, June 19th. Dave's memorial graveside services will be held today at the Holton Cemetery. Sympathy is extended to Karen and the family from the Sunrise Optimist Family.

Birthdays this week: Criag Wright (25th), Rolf Chappell (28th) Rolf was in attendance so the Sunrise choir sang a special rendition of "Happy Birthday"

Welcome Guests: Seaman High School Vice Principal, Mike Monaghan who is no longer a guest as he has turned in his application for membership. Thanks Mike & Welcome!

Today's Program: Matt Mannell, President, Topeka North Outreach. Topeka North Outreach was founded in 1971 and consists of 20 different area community churches. There is no paid staff and their mission is to be the "Hands & Feet of Christ". They have many community assistance programs, Matt offered how we can help NTO:

- Monetary
- Shop at Dillon's, link your Rewards card
- Link your shopping online at Amazon Smile
- Donate non-perishable items
- Donate time volunteering
- Pray

June 30th Program:
Ron Estes, State Treasurer

PLEASE VOLUNTEER to help take care of our sports complex mowing and trimming. We do take donations for gas. We have new "No Spill" Gas cans, please read and follow the instructions on the can. Contact Steve Schiffelbein.



WE NEED HELP WITH CONCESSIONS, PLEASE! PLEASE! PLEASE! PLEASE!
Please contact Rolf Chappell 357-1557

2nd Annual Arab Shrine Carnival
June 24th - 25th - 26th 6-10pm and June 27th noon - 10pm. Wrist bands available. Hwy 24 & North Kansas Avenue where Russ's Market used to be.

August 12th - New Theatre Restaurant in Overland Park, KS. It's a Musical and \$55/person Contact Dave Stotts 785-851-8445

Sunrise Optimist Golf Tournament - July 31st!
We need lot's of help. Before the event we need door prizes, beer, water gatorade/pop donated, ham/cheese/bread/chips for sandwiches. Alan Rose has golf ball drop tickets and registration forms at his office, Rose Muffler & Car Care Center, 1612 NW Topeka Blvd.

Tickets for the Golf Ball drop tsell- \$10/ea. Last year we sold 200 this year our goal is 500! This is a FUN event! For those of you that don't come to our morning meetings you need to come spend the day playing or helping with the golf tournament. Lots of things to do to make it a success. Remember this is FOR THE KIDS to help keep our baseball/basketball programs going. This summer we have over 600 kids playing baseball/softball. That takes money to keep it going.

**Drawings: Weekly: Ernie Douglas,
Progressive: #17, Bud Cook**

President's Quote for the Week: Try to make at least one person happy every day. If you cannot do a kind deed, speak a kind word. If you cannot speak a kind word, think a kind thought. Count up, if you can, the treasure of happiness that you would dispense in a week, in a year, in a lifetime!

Lawrence G. Lovasik

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