

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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President Rocky opened the meeting at 6:45 a.m. this morning. There were about 37 in attendance this morning.

Eric Showalter gave the invocation and **Frank Henderson** led the flag salute.

Birthdays this week are **Craig Wright, Donna Jewell, and Rick Woodbury**. However none of the above was present so the choir was able to rest for another week.

Jett Lill, son of Dan Lill, was a guest of his dad this morning.

We had with us this morning, 6 or 7 members of the **Southwest Optimist Club**. They were doing a club visit. Sorry, but was unable to catch all of their names.

Marvin Smith needs help in the concession stand on July 18 & 19, and July 25 & 26th for the weekend ball tournaments. **Please**, if you sign up to help and are unable to be there, either get someone to work in your place or let Marvin know so he can get someone. There were 6 persons signed up to work last Monday evening and only 2 showed up.

Rocky read a note from a visitor to our complex, and she praised us about how clean the concession stand was and also the cleanliness of our restrooms. She thanked us for our efforts.

Gary Domer thanked **Linda Lanning** for planting the flowers and keeping them watered. **Diana Bates** planted the area around the flagpole.

Steve Schiffelbein talked about a Jr. Viking Basketball tournament coming up on July 13th. **Mike Stock** heads up this program.

We are now in our 6th week of baseball. There will be 10 teams in the tournament for the weekends of July 18th & 19th, and July 25th & 26th. This will be a busy and fun weekend so plan to come by and watch a few of the games.



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

Dan Lill reports that pizza/cookie sales are around \$ 43 to \$ 44 thousand. Sales are down from last year. Please mark your calendar to help unload the truck on July 24th around 4:30 p.m. Dan thanked **Sharlene Showalter and Frank Law** for their help in collecting forms and money last week. He also thanked **Charlie Galligher** for getting the money deposited quickly.

Alan Rose and Dennis Richter are asking for help making lunches for the golf tournament. They also need coolers and door prizes. If each person in the room would donate a prize or money we would have prizes for each player.

Dave Stotts donated 4 tickets to the Kansas Shrine Bowl in Emporia on July 26th. Donations for the tickets will be put in the jar for complex improvements.

Today's Program

Jane Metzger, Director of Meals on Wheels, was this morning's program. They serve Shawnee/Jefferson counties. They serve 1100 meals a day. She says that 700 of the meals are for home bound persons and 42 are served to persons over 90 that are still living in their own homes. They even have a 101 year old person who still goes to the center. They are needing volunteers to deliver these meals so if you are free a day or two you might think about this.

Next Week's Program

Lynn Jenkins, Candidate for Congress will be here. She is running for the congressional seat held by Nancy Boyda. Her primary opponent will be former U.S. Rep. Jim Ryun, who served five terms before being defeated by Boyda in the 2006 election.

Today's pot winner was **Dan Lill**.

Kent Hurn's name was drawn for the progressive pot but he was not present to win.

The meeting closed with the creed led by **Jake Fleenor**.