

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.

Karen Ireland led us in the Invocation.

Dave Ireland led the flag salute.

Damon Putnam and Gordon Myers have birthdays this week.

Our 28th annual golf tournament will be held on Friday, July 25th. We need T-box advertizing, goody bag stuffers, door prizes etc. We have tickets for the golf ball drop.

The 6th annual Kansas District Childhood cancer benefit golf tournament will be held on Friday, August 8th at Falcon Ridge golf course in Lenexa Kansas. Our club has in the past been a major contributor.

Program- Nick Jordan, Secretary of Kansas Department of Revenue.

Future Programs-

Next week- Don Jenkins on his family experience in Ukraine.

July 22- Dr. Bill Wagnon on the Richie House

July 29- Derek Schmidt, Kansas Attorney General

August 5- Meet at Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church.

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! Thanks to Bruce Lanning and Marvin Smith for mowing this past week.

Our summer baseball program is going strong. We have 56 teams and 623 participants. The softball tournament will be held this weekend. The baseball tournament will be held on July 18-19. This is week six- we have two weeks remaining.

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

Plan to help on July 17 with the pizza and cookie dough pick-up evening! We need help from 3 PM until 8: 30 PM. Bring any three wheelers that you have to help get the materials from the truck inside, and then into cars. Thanks!!

The North Topeka Community band will present a concert in Garfield Park at 7:30 PM on July 14th. Put this date on your calendar and join us for a great social evening in the park!

Ernie Douglas won the ticket drawing.

Eric Schultz won the progressive drawing.

The next Board meeting will be held on July 22nd.

President's quote- "God created war so that Americans would learn geography"
Mark Twain

Meeting adjourned with the Optimist Creed.

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