

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

We are on the worldwide web: www.sunriseoptimist.org

President Maginot opened the meeting at 6:45

Rocky Fund gave the invocation. **Rolf Chappell** led us in the flag salute.

The weekly drawing was won by **Rocky Fund**. **Mike Brier** won the progressive pot. A drawing for passes to the Great Overland Express station was won by **Gary Domer, Dennis Richter, Rick Colton, and Chuck Sodergren**.

We are placing special emphasis this month on **“To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble”**

John Kabus was a guest of **Dave Jackson**. John is a former Seaman High school teacher who is now County Weed Director.

Happy Birthday to **Damon Putnam** and **Richard Maginot**.

Alan Rose reported on our golf tournament. Plan to help on July 29th and 30th. We will have 144 golfers involved.

Steve Schiffelbein reported on our baseball program. Tournaments are set to begin at 8 AM on the weekends of July 17 (softball) and July 24 (baseball). Come and help!

Dan Lill reported that Pizza pick-up day is July 22nd. Plan to help from 4-8 that day. We need you, your cell phone, and two-wheeler carts.

Concessions sales have been very successful. We need help on tournament weekends.

Gary Slimmer was presented a recognition pin for bringing in new members. Over the years he has brought in well over 100 new members!

Dave Ireland reported on the Optimist International meeting. **Charlie Galligher** was a featured instructor and our club was honored in many ways.

Linda and Bruce Lanning were complimented on keeping our complex mowed so well. We appreciate all that these two do!

Next week we will elect three board members and a president-elect.

Program- Shelly Buhler, Shawnee County Commissioner. Shelly is a former mayor of Rossville and her husband is a teacher and coach. Her son was named this year as the Shawnee county male athlete of the year. She explained the commissioner districts and how to contact her. Road conditions and zoning are major issues.

Future Programs-

July 20- Topeka Policeman, **Terry Ginn**, on gangs and graffiti.

July 27- **Lt. Robert Baker**, Kansas highway patrol officer on new traffic laws now in effect.

August 10- **Todd Domer**, Kansas Livestock Assn.

Love doesn't make the world go around, but it makes the ride worthwhile.

Falling in Love is easy, but staying in Love is something very special.

A friend is, as it were, like a second self.

You can't help but get older, but you don't have to get old.

A friend is someone who reaches for your hand, but touches your heart.

Wherever you are, it is your friends who make your world.

Who finds a friend, finds a treasure.

A hug and laughter is the shortest distance between friends.

Laughter is the medicine of life.

Having a place to go is a home. Having someone to love is a family.

Happiness is an unexpected hug.

The only thing that children wear out faster than shoes is parents.

Friends have a way of speaking without words.

Families are like fudge, mostly sweet with a few nuts.

To the world you might be just one person, but to one person you are the world.

To have joy, one must share it.

It is important to have a twinkle in your wrinkle.

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