

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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President Dave Ireland opened the meeting this morning around 6:45. Once again there were only 34 members present this morning.

The invocation was given by **Richard Sundermeyer** and the flag salute was led by **Alan Rose**.

President Dave says that currently we need 6 new members. Please invite a guest to club as soon as possible.

There were no birthdays this morning.

President Dave says that WIBW-TV will be on site this week to prepare a story on our complex and baseball programs. You might be prepared to have a camera aimed in your direction in your around the complex this week.

Gary Scarlett says that anyone member who might be giving blood at the blood bank or other collection point to inform them that you are a member of the Sunrise Optimist Club. This may be of benefit at a later date.

Marvin Smith is still asking for workers for the concession stand this weekend and next for the tournaments. The stand will be open at 7:30 till the end of the games on Saturday. Please give him a call if you will help.

Steve Schiffelbein reports that the boy's baseball tournament will be this weekend.

Dan Lill reports that the pizza and cookie dough will arrive between 3 & 3:30 on July 23rd. This is 1 week from this Thursday. Help will be needed to unload the truck.

Dennis Richter reminds everyone that the Golf Tournament is July 31st. He has sent out 40 invitations for T-Box ads. If you or you know of anyone who would like to purchase an ad, please let Dennis know.

Alan Rose says that he now needs pop, Gatorade, meat, cheese, bread, and misc for

lunches for the golf tournament by July 30th. Help will also be needed to assemble the sandwiches.

Thunderhill Speedway invites all members to participate in a night of racing excitement and a barbeque picnic **on July 18th**. **Brisket, hot dogs, burgers, potato salad, baked beans, chips, and an evening of entertainment for only \$ 10.00 per person.** Gates open at 5, eat at 6:30, Hot Laps at 7, and races start at 7:30. This will be a FUN Night. Get your tickets now from **Gary Domer, Marvin Smith or Dave Ireland**. This is Saturday night, so if you go, give someone above a call. To date, we have not sold many tickets.

President Dave read a thank you note regarding our support of the Seaman Afterglow.

Marvin Smith thanked **Rick & Mary Colton** for filling in at the concession stand Monday evening.

The pot winner for today was **Clyde McNorton**.

Ray Droge was the winner of the progressive pot this morning.

Gary Slimmer introduced member **Gary Starr** as our program this morning. Gary is the owner of Gary's Berries and is a financial advisor with Edward Jones in Hunter's Ridge. He gave a very interesting talk on investments. If you have your money in CD's, he recommends laddering them, so that there is one coming due each month. He gave away 2 T-shirts this morning and **George Ford** won one, and **Clyde McNorton** won the other one.

The program for next week, July 21, will be **Rod Obermeier**, District Governor-Elect, and also a presentation to **Mollyanne Gibson**, Kansas District Optimist Oratorical winner.

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