

# 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.

Richard Sundermeyer gave the invocation. Vince Weber led us in the flag salute.

**Birthdays this week:** Eric Schulz (22<sup>nd</sup>) Dale Kelley (24<sup>th</sup>) and Paul Wurtz (24<sup>th</sup>). Dale is living at Atria West if you'd like to send him a card.

**Need HELP with concessions This week-end Softball Tournaments** – Sat. 8-10, 11-1, last game at 3:30. Thank you to Lloyd Becker, Rolf's wife and Grace for helping last week-end.

Dan Lill would like to thank everyone that helped with the pizza & cookie dough. Especially Linda Reed (computer skills) Alex Cubie truck and of course Charlie Galligher.

**August 12<sup>th</sup>** – 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 31<sup>st</sup>!** We need lot's of help. Thursday night load coolers and make sandwiches. Friday need lots of helpers, registration desk and out on the course several different stations.

Sell Tickets for the Golf Ball drop \$10/ea. Last year we sold 200 this year our goal is 500! This is a FUN event! 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 had over 600 kids playing aseball/softball. That takes money to keep it going. Gary Domer has Golf Ball Drop tickets at his office, 2704 NW Topeka Blvd. Suite B or contact him at 785-256-5625. Everyone knows someone to sell at least one ticket to! Only \$10. Each.

**Today's Program:** Dave Murray, Combat Air Museum volunteer. Showed powerpoint of a new exhibit at museum a 9ft-7in model of the USS Ariskany

Essex class aircraft carrier. Three master modelers, Ted Nolde (Topeka), Larry Todd and Darren Roberts (Gardner) for several years worked on this, completing the intricate detailing required for the island superstructure, the hull and flight deck and the fleet of aircraft for the flight deck. The Oriskany served from the end of World War II until 1973. The model took about 8 years to complete.

### Upcoming Programs:

**July 28<sup>th</sup>:** Misty Kruger, Shawnee County Health Dept and Governor Elect – Kansas District of Optimist International.

**August 4<sup>th</sup>:** Julie Feldpausch, "Farming and Food", representing the National Pork Board

**August 11<sup>th</sup>:** Seaman Middle School Teacher Kyle Johnson and Seaman High School Student Dawson Podlena on their trip to Normandy France.

### Upcoming Election for Optimist Board:

Candidates are Michael Smith, Vince Weber, Dan Lill and Steve Schiffelbein. Please contact President Chanc Harris or Secretary-Treasurer Charlie Galligher if anyone else is interested.

**55<sup>th</sup> Annual District Convention:** Aug 14-16<sup>th</sup>, LaQuinta Inn & Suites Wichita East, Wichita, Kansas. Early Bird Registration by July 24<sup>th</sup>, regular registration by August 5<sup>th</sup>. KANSAS OPTIMIST rates for hotel made by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

### Drawings:

Weekly: Lloyd Becker

Progressive: Eric Wilson

**President's Quote for the Week:** We must never forget why we have, and why we need our military. Our armed forces exist solely to ensure our nation is safe, so that each and every one of us can sleep soundly at night, knowing we have 'guardians at the gate'.  
Allen West

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### Corporate Sponsors Welcome!

Opportunities:

- Beverage Sponsor - \$200
- Lunch Sponsor - \$200
- Golf Ball Drop Sponsor - \$300
- Major Sponsor - \$500

Raffle Items Welcome!

To aid and encourage the development of youth in the belief that the giving of one's self in service to others will advance the well-being of people, the community and the world.

### Special Thanks to:

Boulder Creek Golf Course, Boulder Creek, Nevada

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## 29th Annual

## Bob Cutter Golf Classic



**Lake Perry Golf Course**

**July 31, 2015**

**Prizes on Every Hole!**

*This tournament raises money to fund the many programs geared to enrich the lives of the youth of North Topeka. Our outreach is directed to the youth of our community. We provide programs and opportunities for them to acquire new skills as they grow to become productive citizens and responsible adults. We "Bring out the best in kids" by creating hope and a positive vision of the future.*

*THANK YOU in advance for your dedication to helping our youth.*

