

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 promptly at 6:45 AM with 36 members and guests in attendance.

Lloyd Becker led us in the Invocation.
Brody Rose led the Flag Salute.

Dave Stotts, Dennis Reedy, and Brody Rose have birthdays. We "sang." After hearing our rendition of Happy Birthday, none of the football players in attendance was brave enough to admit they had a birthday even if they had one.

Steve Schiffelbein won the ticket drawing. #29 was drawn for the progressive drawing and Douglas George would have won had he been attendance. Therefore, the pot continues to grow.

Gary Slimmer introduced Patrick Donnelly. Pat lives at 2020 NW 62nd St and enjoys yard work and traveling in his motor home.

Announcements an Updates:

The Sunrise Board of Directors will next meet at 6:00 PM, Tuesday, September 16th at he Sunrise Activity Building.

Welcome our new Bulletin Editor, Karen Ireland starting October 1, 2014.

With the addition of Charles Nicolay and Gary Scarlett the club has reached their goal of 25% of the membership enrolling in the Optimist International Foundation's Dime-A-Day program. Now let us see if we can get 50%!

We still need to add two(2) members to be an Honor Club this year. We started the year at 102 members; we are currently at 101 members. To be Honor we need to end the year at net +1 in membership.

Do you have a fundraising idea? It is time to generate goals for the next year. Give your suggestions to President Chanc Harris or any of the members of the Board of Directors.

President Chance read a Thank you from Gary Domer for the help at last weekend's Rodeo. Club members helping were Dave & Karen Ireland and their grand kids, Al & Barb Ferrell, Dale & Claudia Long and Tyler Mosiman representing the Seaman FFA.

The Sunrise Optimist Sports Complex will be hosting a University of Kansas Softball Satellite Camp on Sunday, September 14, 2014. There is a Coaches Clinic from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM, followed by a Hitting Clinic beginning at Noon until 3:00 PM. The Hitting Clinic is open to any and all players grades 3 to 12. Go to www.kusoftballcamp.com for details and to sign up!!

Program: Seaman High School head football coach Blake Pierce introduced Assistant coach Mike Lincoln and the four team captains; Wyatt Hendricks, Reed Fehr, Brett Lichter and Ethan Brunetti. Coach Pierce and the team are excited about the coming season with a change to a spread offense, with the quarterback at "shotgun" and running without a huddle. There is a three-way battle at quarterback between Wyatt Stinson, Dalton Cowan and Hunter Williams. There are 91 players in the program, distributed fairly evenly over the four(4) grades.

Future Programs:

Next week, September 2: Dawn Strecker, Associate Director, Doorstep, Inc. September 9: Seaman High School Student of the Month September 16: Secretary Robin Jennison, Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism September 23: To be announced September 30: Doug Fehr, Shawnee County Sheriff Deputy and Seaman Highs Resource Officer and Randy Diederich, Seaman USD 345 head of Security.

President' Quote: Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything. George Bernard Shaw

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Tuesday 6:45 AM
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