

# HIGHLIGHTS

## Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

**Celebrating over 50 years of service to Youth & North Topeka!**

President Ernie Douglas rang the bell and called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM to a rather small gathering of Optimists. Al Ferrell gave the invocation. Then we recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**BIRTHDAYS:** No Sunrise Optimist members are celebrating a birthday this week!

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

This is the second week for Sunrise Optimist football for 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade teams at Logan, 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade teams at Seaman middle school & 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade teams at Seaman high school. And all seems to be going very well with the program.

Friday night October 25<sup>th</sup>, before Senior night at the Seaman football game the Sunrise Optimist Club and the Jr. Vikings football club will be hosting a chili feed.

Then a few nights later on Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> it is "Trunk or Treat" in the parking lot between Seaman High School and Seaman Stadium.

Optimist basketball league: Boys and girls leagues (1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grades) will be offered in both Fall (games begin November 2) and Winter (games begin January 18). Registration at

<https://www.playsunrise.org>

No registration forms will be distributed from USD 345 schools.

**9<sup>th</sup> Annual Made from the Heart, Holiday Craft Fair:**  
9 am – 4 pm, November 2,  
Optimist building.

Help is still need with mowing and trimming around the complex!

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

It is time for some member of the club to step up and take on the role of President for the club! Not ready to be President than how about serving as Vice-President for a year and prepare for becoming President. Contact Ernie Douglas or Charlie Galligher.

### **PROGRAM:**

The program scheduled for this morning, Marcella Vasquez, Hercules Ductworks & Fabrication did not make it.

### **Looking Ahead:**

**September 17:** Bruce Steinbock, Washburn University Asst Athletic Director of Development

**September 24:** Sunrise Optimist Board of Directors meeting report and Seaman High School/Sunrise Optimist Student of the Month.

**October 1:** Dr. Steven Noble, USD 345 Superintendent

### **Drawings this week:**

Weekly: Ernie Douglas

Progressive: #62 Eric Schulz

### **President's Quote:**

"Despite the general pessimistic attitude in the world today, I am nothing but an Optimist. – Hans Hofmann

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**OPTIMIST CREED.**



**\*\*NEW FALL 2019\*\***  
**3/4 & 5/6 BOYS**



# **FALL BASKETBALL 2019**

**1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys**  
**5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys**

**1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Girls**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls**  
**5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls**

**Registration Begins August 1<sup>st</sup> for  
Sunrise Optimist Fall Basketball  
programs!**



**All registrations for basketball  
will be handled ONLINE.**

**Forms will not be sent home from school  
with students.**

**Registration Begins August 1<sup>st</sup> ! Go to:  
<https://www.playsunrise.org>**

**Hurry! Registration closes Saturday, September 14th!  
League Begins November 2<sup>nd</sup>**

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