

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

Celebrating 50 years of service to Youth & North Topeka!

Judge Frank Yeoman called the meeting to order.

Gary Slimmer led us in the invocation.
Lloyd Becker led the Flag Salute.

Words of wisdom: "The wise stand out because they see themselves as part of the Whole. They shine because they don't want to impress. They achieve great things because they don't look for recognition. Their wisdom is contained in what they are, not their opinions. They refuse to argue, so no-one argues with them."

We "sang" Happy Birthday to Eric Showalter, Rick Schmidt, Dave Ireland, and Richard Sundermeyer.

Lonnie Morris was a guest of Alan Rose. Lonnie suggested a possible club fund raiser that involved a 7 day cruise. We are checking on it further.

We were reminded to invite friends and acquaintances to attend our meetings and join our club.

We need sponsors for teams in our basketball program. Contact Mike Stock or Pete Foster. Each sponsorship costs \$80.

Our next 5th Tuesday gathering will be on October 30th.

On October 9th, we will meet at the Holiday Inn on highway 24 because another event is scheduled in our building. We will also meet at the Pad restaurant on election day in November.

Charlie Galligher won the ticket drawing.
Ben Brower won the progressive drawing.

Program-- Linda Sloan talked about the Kansas Koyotes indoor football team. The season begins in March.

The NOTOMA parade will be held on Saturday, October 11. It

will begin at 11 AM in Garfield Park and proceed south on Quincy. Lining up will begin at 10 AM. Contact Gary Slimmer for more information.

Dave Ireland, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following candidates for the next year:

President- Frank Yeoman

Vice President- Chance Harris

Board Members- Dale Long, Dan Lill, and Al Ferrell

Gary Domer moved that nominations cease and to cast a unanimous vote for these candidates. The motion passed.

Congratulations and thanks to these individuals for agreeing to serve!!

The Board is meeting tonight. One topic to be studied is if there is a way that our club can be determined to be tax free. A lawyer will be present to give input.

Charlie Galligher announced that we will have a work day on Friday, September 28th beginning at 8 AM. Bring weed-eaters and other equipment. We want to "Get the complex in top shape."

Future programs-

Next week- Fred Patton will introduce Bill Sheahan, candidate for Shawnee County Treasurer.

October 2- John Alcalá, Topeka City Commissioner and candidate for Kansas Legislature.

October 9th- Meet at the Holiday Inn on Highway 24.

Chuck Sodergren explained the history of NOTOMA and what it has accomplished since it was organized.

Thanks to members Dave Jackson and Gary Slimmer for leadership in this organization.

Closed with the creed.

