

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. Al Ferrell gave the invocation. Then we recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

BIRTHDAYS: Jerry Glasgow, Oct 6.
The choir rested!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

“Made From the Heart Holiday Craft Fair,” 8th Annual Optimist club event at the Activity building, November 3, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. Booth spaces for handmade crafts are \$45 and \$55. Seven booth spaces remain for crafters. It likely will be a full house with a total of 31 craft vendors.

CraftFair@sunriseoptimist.org

Optimist football program is nearing completion of 8 weeks. Playoff schedules are set. Banners on fences at both football fields located at Seaman Middle School and Logan advertize all three Optimist athletic programs: football, basketball and baseball.

Optimist Annual dues statements are in the mail!

RC Airplane show date change to Oct 7, 1:00 pm to dark, dinner at 5:30 pm, North Topeka Sardou bridge.

Optimist club paid off \$50,000 loan and contributed \$3,365 to the club’s

Endowment Association fund which now has \$70,000 invested with interest to be used for post-secondary scholarships to Seaman high school graduates.

PROGRAM:

Oct 2: Dustin Mengarelli, Regional Supv of Public Lands, Ks Dept of Parks & Wildlife

Northeast Kansas Region 2 has 15 employees to manage 110,000 acres with 5 reservoirs, 23 wildlife areas and 15 state fishing lakes. Primary tasks are managing wetlands, controlling invasive plants and trees and hunter education.

He is from Girard, KS and was center & guard position for K-State football team. He graduated in 2007 and has worked 10 years for the state agency. He has 2 children and lives in north Topeka area.

Looking Ahead:

Oct 9: Nate Hill, Edward Jones (former TV News anchor)

Oct 16: Lana Gordon, Ks Dept of Labor

Oct 23: Richard Carlson, Secretary of Ks Dept of Transportation

Drawings this week:

Weekly: Frank Yeoman

Progressive: #25 Scott Ferguson

President’s Quote:

“Autumn is the mellower season, and what we lose in flowers we more than gain in fruits.”

- Samuel Butler



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The Sunrise Optimist Club of North Topeka invites you to the:

8th Annual
“Made from the Heart”
Holiday Craft Fair



Saturday, November 3, 2018
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Sunrise Optimist Activity Center

720 NW 50th Street, Topeka
(North across NW 50th Street from Seaman High School)

Give Original Hand-Crafted
Gifts for the Holidays

FREE ADMISSION

Concession Stand Available

(Operated by Sunrise Optimist Club members)

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