

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

We met at the PAD because it was Election Day.

Judge Frank Yeoman called the meeting to order.

Richard Sundermeyer led the invocation.
Charlie Galligher led the Flag Salute.

Marshall Madill is our newest member. Marshall works as an agent for the Integrity Insurance Agency. He and his wife are avid motorcycle riders and bowlers.

Dave Jackson had a birthday on Nov. 7th. We "Sang."

Plan to help with the pancake feed on November 17th. Packets have been distributed to the players. We have two shifts available to work.

On that same Saturday, November 17, the 2nd annual "Made from the Heart" Holiday Craft Fair will be held at our activity center. Handmade craft vendors are invited to reserve a booth space for \$45, \$55, or \$60 (depending on the size of the booth you need) Set-up time will be Friday, Nov. 16, from 2-8 PM. We need help on Friday setting up. We need everyone to get out and help with these two projects! Thanks.

The time for our annual Christmas tree sales is just around the corner. We will have 150 trees. A signup sheet will be circulated soon. Plan to help with this project. It will be at the same location.

Lee Wallace is currently at the Mayo Clinic. He has severe headaches.
Clyde McNorton has returned home.

Program- Rose Mentzer told about the history of the Pad.

Annual dues statements have been sent out. Please either bring these to the meeting and give them to Charlie Galligher, or send them to him.

The 1st Quarter District meeting will be held on Friday and Saturday, November 9-10 in Olathe (First Baptist Church, 2024 E. 151 Street)

A 5K Fun Run/Walk/Crawl will be held on Saturday, Nov. 10th at noon in Ozawkie. Pre-registration entry fee is \$20. All proceeds go to assist with medical expenses associated with the treatment of Prostate Cancer for Alan Rose. Alan had successful surgery.

Future Programs-

Nov. 13th- Tom Mach, Author of the book, "Angels at Sunset."

Nov. 20th- Joe Zima, Retired USD 501 attorney and movie critic.

Nov. 27th- Don Welborn, cowboy poet.

Judge Gently

Pray don't find fault with a man who limps,
Or stumbles along the *road*,
Unless you have worn the shoes that he wears,
Or struggled beneath his *load*.
There may be tacks in his shoes that hurt,
Though hidden away from *view*.
Or the burden he bears placed on your back,
Might cause you to stumble *too*.
Don't sneer at the man who is down today,
Unless you have felt the *blow*,
That caused his fall or felt his shame,
That only the fallen *know*.
You may be strong but still the blows,
That were his, if dealt to *you*,
In the selfsame way, at the selfsame time,
Might cause you to stagger *too*.
Don't be too harsh with a man who sins,
Or pelt him with word or *stone*,
Unless you are sure - Yes, doubly sure -
That you have no sins of your *own*.

For you know, perhaps, if the tempter's voice,
Should whisper as soft to *you*,
As it did to him when he went astray,
It might cause you to falter *too*.

Closed with the creed.

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Meetings: Every
Tuesday 6:45 AM
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