

HIGHLIGHTS

Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

Judge Frank Yeoman called the meeting to order.

Our sympathy is extended to Lee Wallace whose Mother died.

Richard Sundermeyer led the invocation. Tyler Sundermeyer led the Flag Salute.

James Mlynek has a birthday this week.

The time for our annual Christmas tree sales is here. So far we have sold 21 trees. We especially need help on week-ends. A sign-up sheet has been circulated with two shifts each day. Plan to help with this project. It will be at the same location.

Our newest member, Marshall Madill, was inducted. Marshall was introduced by Dave Jackson. He works as an agent for the Integrity Insurance agency. He and his wife are avid Motorcycle riders and bowlers.

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

Program- - Don Welborn, cowboy poet.

Future Programs:

Next week- December 4- Seaman High School basketball coaches Steve Alexander and Craig Cox.

December 11- Charles Moore, Artist and owner of Murals by Moore. Seaman student of the month.

December 18- Nancy Johnson, Exec Director of the Community Resources Council.

December 25- No Meeting, Merry Christmas

January 1- No Meeting, Happy New Year

Dale Kelley won the ticket drawing.

Paul Wurtz won the progressive drawing



The Tri-star basketball program will begin at 1:00 on Saturday December 8th at Logan. We need 10 volunteers. Let president Yeoman know if you can help. We also need sponsors for our basketball program. Contact Pete Foster about being a sponsor.

The Area Behind My Ears

By Charles D. Sodergren November 25, 2012
 "Be sure to wash the area behind your ears" was my mother's wise advice,
 "He isn't even dry behind the ears!" is a statement I've heard more than *twice*.
 To avoid allowing people to judge whether that area of my body is faulty or *fine*,
 From now on I will always attempt to stand at the back of the *line*.

Choosing our Priorities

By Charles D. Sodergren
 In life we must determine what activity we consider our priority number *one*,
 It could be making a positive difference in the world or just pleasure and having *fun*.
 Should we concentrate on cleaning the cobwebs in our life and scrubbing the *floor*?
 Or should developing positive relationships with others count even *more*?
 Babies grow up all too fast, We've learned much to our *sorrow*,
 Cleaning and scrubbing can wait until *tomorrow*.
 Time rocking a baby or visiting with family and friends is time very well *spent*,
 If we choose to put these things first in our life, we won't have reason to *repent*.

Closed with the creed.

