

# HIGHLIGHTS

## Newsletter of the Sunrise Optimist Club

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

President Chanc Harris called the meeting to order at 6:45 AM.

Dan Lill gave the invocation.

Ernie Douglas led us in the flag salute.

We had no guests this morning.

Birthdays Charles Nicolay-2<sup>nd</sup> and

Linda Lanning-5<sup>th</sup> we did sing!

The next Sunrise Board of Directors meeting will be January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Dave Ireland thanked all that helped Monday tearing down the north Christmas tree lot. Dale Long, Cory Long (son), Prestyn Long (grandson) Al Ferrell, Charles Galligher, Rolf Chappell. Vince Weber and Eric Wilson. Thanks a lot!!!

The Contractor installing the turf for the ball diamond will be using the east half of the inside of our building to sew the turf together beginning in January.

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015, at 6pm at the Optimist Building we will have a meeting to discuss the upcoming Clay Shoot. Mark your calendars for April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2015 for Sunrise Optimist Clay Shoot. If you would like to help plan this fundraiser please join us the 6<sup>th</sup> to plan and discuss.

**DIME-A-DAY:** Optimist International and Optimist International Foundation coexist as two separate organizations that support each other. Optimist International Foundation is the fundraising arm of Optimist International, and works to develop funds to support the endeavors of Optimist International and its mission. When Members and Clubs make a contribution to support Optimist International Foundation, they are, with that gift, supporting Optimist International itself and themselves as a Club as well. With just one dime a day, you can become part of the

movement of "Helping Optimists Help Kids" and become part of a large group of Foundation supporters who realize what a difference they make every day in the lives of children. Would you consider making a gift of just a dime a day to assist the charitable work of Optimist International?

The Dime-A-Day level is reached by a contribution of \$36.50 to the Foundation within one Optimist Year, and is recognized by the presentation of a pin.

**BUILDING A FUTURE WHERE EVERY KID COUNTS – CAN YOU SPARE A DIME A DAY?**

**FUTURE PROGRAMS:**

Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> -- Josh Whisler, Junior at College of the Ozarks, Branson, MO.

Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> – Larry Mah, Shawnee County Treasurer on Hiking the Appalachian Trail.

Student of the Month.

Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> – Bob Fisher, World's Fastest Free Throw Shooter.

Drawings- Weekly: Ernie Douglas  
Progressive: Carol Bausch

President's Quote –

I hope that in this year to come, you make mistakes. Because if you are making mistakes, then you are making new things, trying new things, learning, living, pushing yourself, changing yourself, changing your world. You're doing things you've never

done before, and more importantly, you're doing something. Neil Gaiman

Closed with the OPTIMIST CREED.



Meetings: Every  
Tuesday 6:45 AM  
720 NW 50<sup>th</sup> St, Topeka