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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Fellow Optimists,

Thanks for a great August! Special Shout-Out to Rick Pundmann for another success Mustang Club Show at the dealership on August 5th. His generous donation to the club is much appreciated! Fred McGinley deserves significant thanks as well for his work with the Festival of the Little Hills. Though food sales were down, the level of work and preparation necessary to pull the event off remains monumental. Thanks to Fred and all who helped - including Rocky and his Junior Optimists from Hardin! Finally, a good time was had by all at the last Optimistic Hour of my Presidency on August 24th. Without Roger there, we forgot to take a picture, of course....dab nab it. Oh well - we had fun, trust me.

Please mark you calendar for the Annual Installation Dinner at Pio's on October 11th at 6:30 pm. We will install new officers, (including new President, Mr. Jack Ross!) for the year and bid thanks to those whose term expires. It is always a good time. Tickets are \$30 per person and you have a choice of Prime Rib or Salmon - both delicious! Invitations were emailed to all members.



## ANOTHER AWARD

Jack Ross says, "Congratulations Club."

This award is given to an Optimist Club that donates at least \$10 per member to the Optimist Foundation Program.

## FESTIVAL OF THE LITTLE HILLS

AUGUST 2017

Thanks to the twenty-seven volunteers who contributed their time. Fred

**NEW GRILLS HELPED TO MAKE THIS YEAR'S EVENT MORE EFFICIENT AND ENJOYABLE FOR ALL.**



**ALL'S READY FOR ANOTHER DAY OF SERVICE AND FUN.**



FIFTEEN JOOI MEMBERS

**VOLUNTEERED ASSISTED AND WERE MUCH APPRECIATED.**



THE CLEAN-UP CREW

**PUT THE FINISHING TOUCHES ON A SUCCESSFUL WEEKEND WITH A JOB WELL DONE.**



## BIRTHDAYS

Bob Beckman 9/3

Andrew Stewart 9/7

Larry Kraft 9/19

Tina Queen 9/19

Dean Krogmeier 9/22

Dale Westby 9/22

## ANNIVERSARIES

Mark/Jodi Cook 9/3

Dean/Mary Krogmeier 9/7

Missy/Tom Palitzsch 9/7

Jack/Debbie Ross 9/18

Chris/Jean McCoy 9/19

Jackie/Tom Borgmeyer 9/22

Barbara/Buddy Hall 9/28

## PROGRAMS

Tuesday 9/5

Jenny Armbruster

Director of Community  
Services - NCADA

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Tuesday 9/12

Lauren Richardson (4-H)

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Tuesday 9/19

Laura Bruly

Hopefest Event

Board Meeting @ 1:00

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Tuesday 9/26 TBA

## COMING EVENTS

ANNUAL

INSTALLATION DINNER

10/11 @ 6:30 PM



WHO WILL  
YOU INVITE  
TO JOIN  
YOU IN  
OPTIMISM?