# OPTIMIST

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O2Go

**Thursday** 

April 12th

Yellow House

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(Details to follow)

### OPTIMISTIC HOUR CONTINUES TO BE A POPULAR EVENT



On Thursday, March 15th Optimists gathered at Grappa Grill for an "Optimistic Hour" of fun, food and fellowship.

Thanks to Jean Kent for arranging this event.

Attending were (l. to r.) Mike Ebert, Fred McGinley, Sharon North, David Borgmeyer, Helen Reiling, Jean Kent, Hugh Orr, Mark Cook, Gerry Prinster, Carl Sandstedt, Paul Hauser, Jackie Borgmeyer, Jodi Cook and Roger Deppe

### WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBER

The Board approved the membership application of Judith Meredith at the March Board Meeting . Judith is a professional counselor

### SPAGHETTI DINNER

Lynne Little, Carl Sandstedt and Sharon North are planning a great day of fun, work and fellowship for Friday, April 13th. See Dale Westby for tickets. It is hoped that every member will purchase and sell tickets this year. Sign-up sheet avialable at noon meetings.

### **GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Fred McGinley, Dave Borgmeyer and Missy Palitzsch would appreciate your help and participation in this year's golf tournament at Bear Creek Golf Club. Save Monday, June 18th, for a great day of helping, playing, eating and raising funds for the youth.

## OFFICER - BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 17TH.

Gerry Prinster and Sharon North have agreed to serve as the nomination committee again this year. If you are interested in serving a term as a Board Member or Officer, please contact Gerry or Sharon. Officers serve for a one-year term; Board Members serve for a two-year term.

### EMO DISTRICT MEETING - APRIL 27/28

Club members are welcome to attend.

See Fred McGinley if you are interested in attending.

### FOURTH OF JULY FLOAT

The club will enter a float in the July 4th parade again this year. Mark and Jodi cook will be hosting a "let's build it together" party (TBA) at their home. Send your ideas and suggestions to Mark.

### PIO'S CLOSED TWO WEEKS IN JULY

We will not have noon meetings on July 3 or July 10th.

#### DOCUMENTATION PROJECT

Fred is attempting to get our procedures recorded and organized to help officers and chairpersons carry out their responsibilites. "Past experience is a good teacher." If you serve as a event/activity chairperson or have served in the past, please send any procedural documentation to Fred.

### FRIEND OF YOUTH

OPTIMIST CLUB WEBSITE: http://scoptimists.weebly.com/

#### BIRTHDAYS

Bob Frankman 4/2 Hugh Orr 4/8 Chris McCoy 4/12 Barb Hall 4/30 ANNIVERSARIES

Bob/Blanche Avery 4/21

### NOON MEETINGS

Tuesday 4/3
David Bortfeld
Sports/Physical Therapy
Tuesday 4/10
Karen Seive
Youth in Need
Tuesday 4/17
Board/Officer Election

Board Meeting @ 1:00

Tuesday 4/24
Larry Kluesner
Lewis & Clark
Boathouse Museum

### **EVENTS**

APRIL
O2Go 4/12
Spaghetti Dinner 4/13
Cookout 4/21
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MAY

Respect for Law Day 5/8 Scholarship Winners 5/15 Optimistic Hour 5/17 \* \* \*

JUNE

Fishing Derby 6/2
24th Annual Golf
Tournament
Bear Creek Golf Club

6/18

Cookout 6/23

JULY

Cookout 7/21

AUGUST

Healthy Living Fair 8/7 Festival - 8/17-19

> SEPTEMBER Cookout 9/15 Healthy Living Fair

**Installation Banquet**