OPTIMIST CLUB OF ST. CHARLES



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WORDS FROM THE PREZ...

A new exciting program will be forthcoming this July. I want to use this program as a kickoff for the club's program committees going forward into the 2011-2012 school year. Remember spring and summer are the club's primary fund raising months. It is important we have strong participation in these events. Please complete your Optimist Volunteer Opportunity Form and return it to Fred McGinley.. This will help with our planning going forward.. Let's try to fill our golf tournament this year. If 36 members get one foursome to play, our tournament will be full. If you don't know any golfers, ask a local business for a sponsorship or a prize to give to the golfers. We need your help.

Fred



WELCOME TO OUR NEW **OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS** (10-01-2011 to 9-20-2012)

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It was one of the coldest cook outs on record, but the optimism of the workers warmed the hearts of the patrons. All in all it was a good effort! Thanks to the following volunteers: Bob Avery, David Borgmeyer, Mark Cook, Dulcie Couillard, Roger Deppe, Mike Ebert, Hugh Orr, Missy Patitzsch, Rick Pundmann, Marion Schmidt

COMMUNITY GARDEN DIDN'T SPROUT THIS SPRING

Changing plans by the City of St. Charles required a new look at options for the area. We'll continue to look at ways to work with the city to bring more visibility for the Optimist Club.

OI CONVENTION IN JULY 2011



RIVERFEST 2011 - FLOAT???

The Optimist Club has been invited to enter a Fourth of July Float in the Independence Day Parade. It's our 40th year! Any ideas - or more importantly, any volunteers to head up the float project?

NAME TAGS COMPLETED

Thanks to Clara Scott, all members now have name tags. Be sure to wear yours to help our visitors get acquainted

CONGRATULATIONS!

CLUB VOTES TO SUSPEND ARTICLE VIII SEC 4 TO ALLOW PRESIDENT TO SERVE A SECOND TERM IN THE Missy Palitzsch has been nominated for this year's Athena

2011-2012 YEAR

FRIEND OF YOUTH

Optimist Club Website: http://scoptimists.weebly.com/

BIRTHDAYS

5/5 Jean Kent 5/7 Geri Kloeppel 5/20 Paul Hauser 5/20 Matt Lenger 5/22 Mike Ebert

ANNIVERSARIES

5/6 David/Sharon Borgmeyer 5/28 Bob/Ruby Kisker

NOON MEETINGS

May 3

Roger Nahrup Long-Term Care Programs

> May 10 Respect for Law

May 17 Program TBA Board Meeting @ 1:00

May 24 Scholarship Winners

> May 31 **Program TBA**

EVENTS

May Cookout 5/21

June

Fishing Derby 6/4 Annual Golf Tournament 6/13 Cookout 6/25

July

Riverfest 7/4 Principal Luncheon 7/26 OI Convention Baltimore



NATIONAL B-B-Q MONTH

COMMUNITY