



OPTIMIST CLUB OF ST. CHARLES

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE...

November brings opportunities to help the youth of our community. We must continue to recruit new members who will continue the important work of our club. Please plan to attend Youth in Government Day; this is an important day for our high school students. It's not too early to think about a Christmas party for the children. I'm in favor of having a party; please let me know your thoughts. Also, Blackhurst elementary is in need of coats and shoes for many of their students. Think about purchasing a child's winter coat and pair of shoes to donate to Blackhurst.

Remember, recite the Optimist creed to yourself when you wake up in the morning and memorize it to share randomly with others.

OPTIMISM - that's why we're members!

Happy Thanksgiving, Fred

MEMBERSHIP NOTE

The club is starting the year with 65 members.

In order to be an Honor Club this year, we will need to add 5 new members.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBER

Steve Sullenschutter

CONGRATULATIONS TO JACKIE BORGMEYER

"Best of St. Charles County - Community Volunteer"

CONGRATULATIONS TO DR. JEFF MARION

School District of St. Charles has selected Jeff to be their Superintendent as of 7/1/2012.

ANNUAL BUDGET GOES TO BOARD FOR APPROVAL

IN NOVEMBER

Treasurer, Dave Borgmeyer, has presented a balanced budget for 2011-2012

OCTOBER COOKOUT

Sixteen members served the public on Saturday, October 15th at Fred's Muffin and Car Care Shop. Thanks to the following, a profit of \$200 was achieved:

Dave Borgmeyer, Jackie Borgmeyer, Mark Cook, Dulcie Coulliard, Flash Fingerlin, Dave Hallemeier, Lynne Little, Jeff Marion, Fred McGinley, Hugh Orr, Rick Pundmann, Carl Sandstedt, Marion Schmidt, Ralph Sundermeier, Gary Webbink, Dale Westby.

Send your thoughts about future cookouts to chairman - Mark Cook.

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CLUB TO SPONSOR CCC

5K-WALK/RUN

Please contact Fred McGinley to volunteer your help. Start with offering to co-chair the event.

BELL RINGERS NEEDED

Flash has agreed to chair this event and will need your help in December.

Christmas Project

The board is seeking ideas for this year's Christmas project. In the past we have adopted a family, held a party for children and donated to the Salvation Army. Send novel ideas to Fred so the board can select the "best" idea for this year.

BIRTHDAYS

Joe Kloeppel 11/1
John White 11/14
John Sarantakis 11/20
Pat McDonnell 11/23
Ed Gettemeier 11/29

ANNIVERSARIES

Clark/Pam Cilek 11/7
Ernie/Peggy Dempsey 11/23

NOON MEETINGS

Tuesday 1

Jason Sandfort

"Running the Boston Marathon"

Tuesday 8

Cindy Adams

Fair Winds-Rivers Edge
Retirement Center

Tuesday 15

Youth in Government Day
Board Meeting @ 1:00

Tuesday 22

Gary Steinhoff
Boys & Girls Club

Tuesday 29

Ed Gettemeier
Principal - Hardin Center
"Young Leaders - special project"

EVENTS

NOVEMBER

Youth in Government 11/15

DECEMBER

Optimistic Hour 12/21

Please Remember to silence
your phone during the meeting.

Thanks



Veterans Day



FRIEND OF YOUTH

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



WHAT DOES IT TAKE TO HAVE A SUCCESSFUL OPTIMIST MEETING?

**Thanks to all the weekly
workers who make my job
easier! Fred**

BOB'S SET-UP AND TAKE-DOWN



CLARK'S ACCOUNTING FOR MEALS



HELEN'S THOUGHT FOR THE DAY



JACKIE'S GREETING AT THE DOOR



JEAN'S HOSPITALITY WITH GUESTS



HUGH'S PRAYER FOR THE DAY



RICK'S JOKE OF THE DAY



JENNY'S EXCELLENT SERVICE



PLEDGE BY A MEMBER (FLASH, THIS TIME)



EVERYONE'S PARTICIPATION - PROMISE YOURSELF...

