

NOONER NEWS

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WEEKLY MEETING

Notes by Heather Craaybeek, Photos by Joanna Boyd

Fred welcomed everyone and thanked them for showing up a 2nd time. Lunch was chicken, Brussel sprouts and Rice.

Invocation

By Phather Phil

Heavenly Father As Optimists we all work toward making our mission statement come true. We do this by volunteering to do a lot of the little things that will bring the activity to fruition. On the surface many of the jobs appear insignificant, but are in reality are like a piece of a puzzle. They are necessary to complete the picture. For all those who don't get in the spotlight, help us to recognize their efforts with encouraging words and a pat on the back for a job well done. We are friends and there is no better way to express a friendship. Amen!

MEMBERSHIP GROWTH:

Guests, Readings & Inductions:

⇒ **Ellie Parker introduced her son, Mark, and his bride, Niamh Mil-**

*“Keep your face
to the sunshine
and you cannot
see a shadow.”*

Helen Keller (1880-1968)
Author, political activist, 1st deaf/
blind person to earn a Bachelors
degree



Debe Dockins entertained the crowd with Erma Bombeck history.

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Ellie Parker's son, Mark, and his new IRISH bride, married 8 days!

by. Met in Japan. They've been married 8 days!

READINGS:

- ⇒ **Mike Bevis sponsors Bill Powell of FranNet has attended several meetings and has submitted an application. UC and Xavier grad. A real marketing pro and former glee club member has vowed to make it his mission to help Tim Clemmer learn to sing Happy Birthday. (what?!?!?!?! That's why we come to lunch on our Birthday Tuesday!)**
- ⇒ **Karen Young's fiancé Ralph Moon has submitted A Friend of Optimist membership**

INDUCTIONS: none today.

Awards and Recognition

Congratulations to Charlie and Judy Goodwin for receiving the Community Founders Award from the Centerville Washington Foundation. The award will be presented on Wednesday evening October 22 at Yankee Trace. Anyone who would like to honor Charlie and Judy the ceremony by attending please let me know.

Our own Harry Bossey is running for county auditor. Yard signs are available in the lobby.

Upcoming Service Projects & Announcements

Haunted Trail: Gary Miller & Greg Fay are still in need of trail guides for Wed 10/22 and thurs 10/23

Avenue of Flags: Our next Flag Days are Fri 11/7 and 11/8 for delivery and Wed 11/12 for pick up. We will have 27 teams and need 60 helpers. See Tom Novak.

Childhood Cancer Committee: Build a Bear is coming up 10/23 at Dayton Childrens. There was a planning meeting 10/9 at 6:30pm at Panera. If you're interested in participating see Nancy Lehren.

Member News

Please keep Molly Petsch in your thoughts and prayers as she undergoes hip replacement surgery on Tuesday.

Joan Cordonnier had hip surgery on Monday.

Ed Case is doing well after his surgery on Thursday.

Joan is recovering nicely and says Hi!

Happy Birthday Wishes to:

Today Donna Robinson. Wes Cleaves, Chuck Dickerson and Ron Fraser on 10/15. Craig Dring 10/16

Gary Anderson 10/20



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Oct. 14- Luncheon meeting. Speaker: Debe Dockins- Presentation on Humorist Erma Bombeck.

Oct. 21- Luncheon meeting. Speaker: Ashley Schiffer- Choices.

Oct. 22 & 23- Haunted Trail

Oct. 23- Build a Bear

Oct. 25- Wheelchair Basketball- Watts Middle School

Oct. 28- Luncheon meeting. Firefighter/ EMT Awards.

Nov. 4 – Luncheon meeting – Youth Appreciation

Nov 7 & 8 –Flag Delivery Day

Nov. 8 – Tree Lot Set Up

Nov 8 – Competitive Wine Tasting, Social.

Nov 12–Flag pick up.

Dec 2. No noon meeting

Dec 9–Larry Hansgen Voice of UD basketball

Dec 16 -- Nan Whaley, Mayor of Dayton

Dec 23 No Noon Meeting



How much is this Shameless Self Promotion going to cost me? (subject to county audit)

Advertising Committee: Do you have experience in PR, marketing, advertising or graphic design? Please join Myron, Val, Heather & Mike Bevis to strengthen the message of our club. Email heather@rsvpohio.com to participate.

Competitive Wine Tasting: Non members and Non drinkers welcomed! Saturday, November 8th, 7:00pm – 9:00pm Infiniti Showroom on Loop Road, Cost per person: \$10 for light appetizers. Each person (or couple) is to bring 2 identical bottles of \$9-\$12 wine which allows for 10 wine tastings. How it works: Each guest/couple will bring two bottles of identical wine. One to enter, one that will be taken home by the winner. Wines will be numbered and bagged to remain anonymous. Guests will taste and rate the entries. The person who brought the highest scoring bottle will take home all the other bottles. RSVP Donna Huss donna.huss@twc.com

UD Optimist Club Kathleen Jablinsky reported they are doing well and have 80+ members and are involved in many projects including Haunted Trail.

Wheelchair Basketball Tourney 10+ players will take on the professionals of the Moraine Minutemen. Oct 25th from 5pm-7pm at Watts Middle School. Please message Chris Dwenger if you're interested in playing. Members please come out and show your support.

Speaker Our own Debe Dockins entertained the crowd with her humorous stories of Dayton's Erma Bombeck.

Sergeant At Arms CRAIG DRING!!! and Scott Langer

Buy stock in Scott as your sergeant.

Myron would you like to share about the PGI board. Are you not the district PGI rep? And did you leave this board in Columbus?

Bob Burkman how nice was it to hold onto that bell all year?? Pay up.

Random-phone-call-of-the-week was answered by no one today.

Jerry Stahley for posing as the grim reaper.

Joe Madden why is Bob Bargmeyer listed as Roger on the roster? And Debe Dockins has been a member for how long? But her husbands name is on the roster not hers.

Harry Bossey blurted I'm not talking to you—to a sergeant.

Chris Elrod while we appreciate the Girl Scout Cookies after last weeks lunch...why were they expired? (I ate them anyway so Thanks!)

Heather was fined for misnaming the Sargeant at arms as the Ron Tinnerman.

Late were Ron Tinnerman, Dr Dan, Chris Elrod and Chris McAlpine.

Happy Bucks

Myron ran the Human Services 5k. Ellie proud to introduce her Irish Daughter in Law, Niamh Milby.

Harry Bossey thanked Dave Kay for bringing his signs last week.

Art Hung thanked Doc Goodwin for performing a surgery on his wife then the same one on his child 25 years later.

Tom Riley's daughter got married—only one left!

Doc Goodwin was so pleased his wife could win an award to recognize her achievements. (He added to go along with the 1000's covering his walls.)

Fred Polizzi gave a happy buck for being part of such a great club.

Blanca shared a picture of her new "son" a 2lb Chihuahua puppy. She claims she went shoe shopping and came home with it.

50/50 Drawing 688 Bob Collins

Next week's program announcement

Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about our service projects

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OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL

F O U N D A T I O N

DIME-A-DAY

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BILL STONE

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488. GARY SMIGA
462. BILL STONE
506. KELLY STONE
534. Mike BEVIS
535. TOM NOVAK

Optimist Creed

PROMISEYOURSELF

To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind. To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.

To make all your friends feel there is something in them.

To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.

To think only of the best, to work only for the best, and expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.