



ASHLAND OPTIMIST CLUB

Meeting Saturday Mornings @ 7:30 A.M.
Optimist Drive, Ashland, MO 65010

August 26 2017

"You cannot do all the good the world needs, but the world needs all the good you can do."

Optimist Board

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Board Meeting- Sep. 14, 2017 at 7:15 p.m.

Website: Ashlandoptimist.org

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Bingo: Sep. 1- Team One

Breakfast: Sep. 2- Barrett Glascock, Brandon Glascock, and Shawn Steelman

Program-Susan Malone

Don't forget that here will be an open swim for members and guest on Thursday, August 31 at the Ashland pool from 7:00-9:00. This will give everyone a chance to spend some relaxing time together, as well as evaluate the pool, which turned 30 years old this year.

The annual meeting and election of officers will be held on Sep. 9 in conjunction with our regular breakfast meeting at 7:30 a.m. Please attend if you are interested in who will be leading our Optimist club for the next two years.

We also have an opportunity to help the Buddy Pack program through their King of the Wings Cook Off and Raffle on Sep. 16th from 11:00-3:00 at Woody's Pub & Grub. You can put together a team and enter the competition or buy a Taste the Wings wristband for \$12 and enjoy! For more information, contact Natalie at 573-864-9497.

Bingo was up a little this week, but we still only had 127 players. We had good help on the floor and in the kitchen. Meanwhile, the rodeo on Friday night had another record-breaking night. Thanks to everyone who helped at Bingo or with the rodeo on Friday or Saturday night. The rodeo couldn't occur without all the volunteers that step up to help!

Ben Nieman is in room South 604 at Boone Hospital. Please keep him in your prayers after he experienced a fall at home.

Greg returned from the Missouri Eastern District 4th Quarter meeting with new Diamond Benefactor patch for our banner, a new picture for our Board room, and a commendation for Ernie Wren who has sponsored 50 new Optimist members during his time with our club.

He also read a very nice Thank You card that Ivan Bossert had sent to the club for paying his way to the World Championship Oratorical Competition.



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Our speaker this morning was Anna Poole, who will be a Junior at Southern Boone High School soon and was given the honor of attending the Missouri Leadership Seminar, which was held at the University of Central Missouri in Warrensburg on June 9-11, 2017. The participants are high school sophomores selected by their schools across the state of Missouri to learn about leadership. Anna told us that even though the Seminar was only one weekend long, it helped her to be more willing to speak in front of a group and to talk about her ideas.

After Anna finished speaking, she drew for our Attendance drawing. Carole Iles, Cindy Gunter, and Missy Bonderer missed their chance at riches, but the pot will have a chance to grow.

Because it was the last Saturday of the month, Ernie announced the Poker pot. There were several people with two pair, but Barbara Perry was pleasantly surprised to win with two pairs and a queen. As she left, I'm fairly sure I heard her say, "It pays to attend!"

Letitia DenHartog