



ASHLAND OPTIMIST CLUB

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

March 17 2018

"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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COMING UP

**Board Meeting- April 12, 2018
at 7:15 p.m.**

Website: Ashlandoptimist.org

TAKE A MINUTE TO REMEMBER THOSE WHO MADE US STRONG:

Carroll Sapp – 1987
"Buddy" Glascock – 1988
William Burnett – 1992
Remus James – 1994
Ron Marley – 1997
Cecil Vaughn – 2001
Billy Jo Sapp – 2004
Marvin Sappington – 2004
Arcie Sapp – 2005
Kenneth Nichols – 2006
Lahmon Wren – 2007
Joe Smith - 2009
Jimmy Jo Calvin- 2009
Bob Sappington – 2010
Clifford Caldwell-2013
Mel Rupard-2013
Ernest Woods—2013
John Johnson—2013
Michael Dalton--2013
Jim Moore--2016
Carl Long--2016
Don Jones-2017
Clay Austin-2017
Sharon Donley-2017
Ben Nieman- 2017

Bingo: Mar. 23- Team Four

**Breakfast: Mar. 24- Ernie Wren, Jacob Zagorac, Dayton
Glover, and Dave Taylor**

Program- Lonna Trammell, Ameren UE

Bingo was down some this week, with only 136 players. The good news is that they were spending money and we were able to sell seven special games and brought in over \$600 in the kitchen.

Ben Travelos brought his father, John, and his fiancée, Ali Hultgren, to breakfast this morning to enjoy a wonderful breakfast prepared by Linda Knierim, Kristi Savage-Clarke, and Lena Long, covering for Carole Iles.

Our speaker this morning was Louise Martin, who gave us a quick overview of St. Patrick. Patrick was born in the fifth century, was kidnapped at age 16 years old by Irish pirates, escaped back to England long enough to receive training as a cleric, and then returned to Ireland to introduce the Irish to Christianity. He died on Mar. 17, which is now celebrated as his official saint day.

Approximately a third of the population of the United States has Irish roots, making it the second most prominent ethnicity after German.

Once Louise was finished speaking, our guest drew for the Attendance drawing.

There is a swimming pool clean-up scheduled for Apr. 14th, in conjunction with the Mizzou Caring for Columbia Student Service Project.

Safety of Wheels will be May 5th this year at our building. Please put it on your calendar!

Letitia DenHartog

