



Bay City Noon Optimist Club

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"Optimist International's Club of The Year, 2013-2014"

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October 2, 2018

Meeting Every Tuesday, Boys & Girls Club 12:15 p.m.



PROGRAM for TUESDAY

October 9 Board Meeting Review

And Navigating the BCNOC's new website

October 8: Board Meeting

Thumb Bank and Trust

October 18: Bay Area Chamber After Hours

State Theatre, United Way Bay County,

Herman Hiss Jewelers.

All are on Washington Ave

October 25: Monthly Children's Birthday Party

Good Samaritan Rescue Mission

October 26-27: Michigan Optimist District Meeting

Holiday Inn, Muskegon



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

October 3

Linda Kahler

October 10

Kelly Larive

October 21

Melissa Gleason

October 23

Patrick Rokosz

October 25

Guy Greve

October 25

Patti Krenz

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

November 3

Dr. Carol van der Harst

November 12

George Klepser

November 14

Bob LaChance

November 16

Sandy Covaleski

November 19

Krystal Casey Danielak

November 29

Kerice Basmadjian

MEETING NOTES

October 2: 21 members, including two guests, at our meeting today. Our guests were our speaker, **Lindsay Bryce**, from the Saginaw ISD, and possible new member **Tina Adams**, guest of **President Rich**. Lindsay spoke on the "Math in the Mail" program. The Math in the Mail program focuses on developing mathematical skills in three-year-olds, by providing the tools needed in the home environment. The BCNOC will be supporting this program this coming year by volunteering to pack the supplies needed in the boxes every two months. **Lindsay** did a wonderful job describing the project. **Karen** sent out an email yesterday that has a video showing the program in action.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Diane T, Monday evening, October 8, we will be putting the pictures of the students recognized by Hampton Schools in their Hampton Hawks SOAR Program in frames. The BCNOC has been supporting this program from the onset of it. The framing will take place at *Wanigan's Deli* on Wenona St, near Salzburg Ave. We will get started about 6pm and then enjoy fellowship afterward; **Marlene**, Wants the members to think of what it means to them on being an Optimist, in 1 or 2 sentences. These will be posted on our Facebook site. You can send your reply to this email if you wish; **Becky T**, Riverview Discovery Island will have a presenter at the Camel Race explaining more about the project. Guy, poster and flyers for the Travelogue are now available for delivery. These will be available at our meeting, or contact him directly.

50/50 and QUARTER CUP

Well both of our members named **Dana** were unlucky today. **Dana Muscott** had her name drawn for the "Quarter Cup" but was not present, and **Dana Monville** drew the wrong card in the 50/50 drawing. While neither **Dana** will be getting a new pair of shoes this week, our members will be even happier now that both pots have grown even larger. 38 cards left

FINES, HAPPY BUCKS, and BIRTHDAYS

"Happy Bucks: **Linda K**, enjoyed the 60th Anniversary Party, and seeing Greg Wischmeyer, BCNOC President when she joined in 1990. **Bobbi**, her twins turned 34 today; **Susan C**, dressed to support United Way; **Marlene**, for the Anniversary Gala for the Rescue Mission; **Past Pres. Corrine**, Western High School's Homecoming; **Guy**, thanked the members for stuffing envelopes, **Barb, S, Karen & Dana, Chuck & Natalie**, and **Lisa O**; **Karen M**, our club finished Distinguished for last year; **Diane T**, Hampton SOAR program. **Birthdays:** **Linda K** asked for the worst rendition of *Happy Birthday*, and she got it. Something to do with being born in the Last Century. (See Page 2)

MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

Guy, Article in the Community Connection, and **Kendra** for being Credit Union Magazine's "Rock Star"

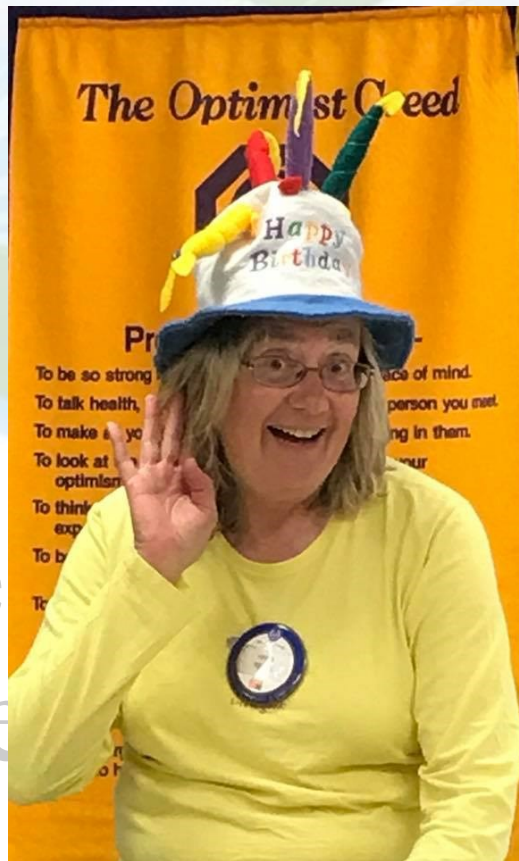
Remember to check out our social media sites:

Face Book: [Bay City Noon Optimist](#) Web page: [baycitynoonoptimist.org](#)

TRAVEL AND ADVENTURE SERIES

On November 12th, BCNOC will kick off this year's Travelogue with our first show: "Guatemala, On the Edge of Discovery". This show begins by exploring the achievements of the ancient Maya civilization, by visiting fabled places like *El Mirador*, *Tikal* and *Yaxha*. It examines the historic tension between Mayan traditions and Spanish colonialism, using the religious pageantry of Antigua's Easter Week celebration to provide a cinematic backdrop for the fascinating conversation. It documents contemporary Mayan culture in *Lake Atitlan* where weavers spin cotton by hand and rely on the natural dyes and back strap looms to create world-class textiles. This documentary provides important context for understanding and exploring the fascinating Land of the Maya.

Our narrator for this show is **Brent Winebrenner**, a widely published photographer and filmmaker with experience in over 70 countries.



Travelogue
November 12th, 2018

Yes in Deed, Born In A The Past Century!!

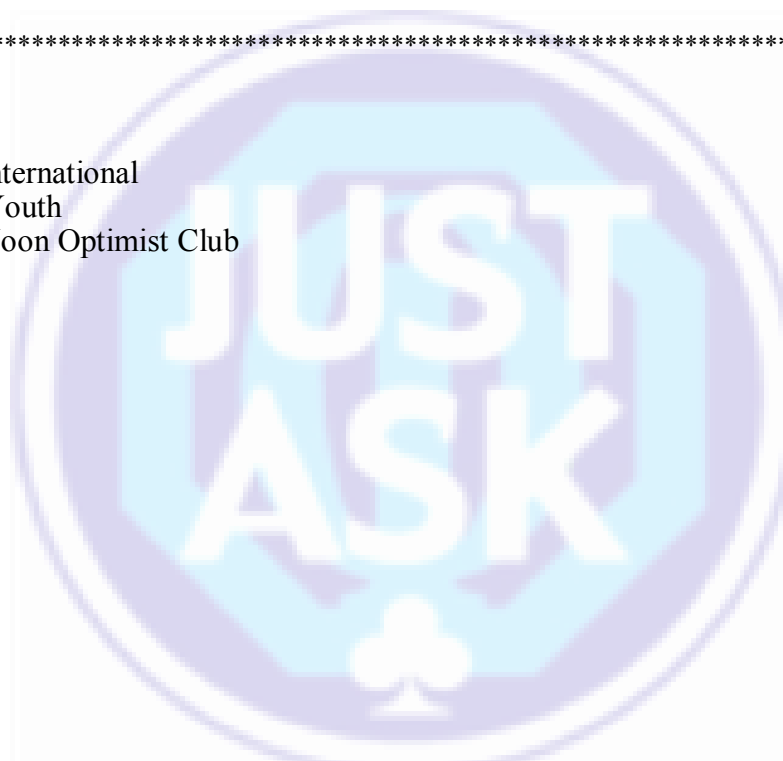
The Optimist Creed

*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 that 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 to 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 to large for worry, to noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble*



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	2018-2020	
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Oratorical: Lisa Forrest

Travel and Adventure: Guy Greve

Youth Appreciation: Jo Ellen Strieter

Christmas Party: Karen Monville

Bulletin: Dana & Karen Monville

N.O.W Program: Rick Donahue