



Bay City Noon Optimist Club

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“Optimist International’s Club of The Year, 2013-2014”

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May 21 - 28, 2019

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



PROGRAM for TUESDAY

June 4: Trevor Keyes
Bay Futures

June 10: BCNOC Board meeting
Thumb Bank and Trust

June 11: BCNOC Board Meeting Review

June 13: Bay Area Chamber After Hours
Weinlander Fitzhugh, Suite 204
Uptown Bay City

June 17: BCNOC Golf Outing Fund Raiser
Maple Leaf Golf Course

June 18: Alicia Wallace
Gypsy Moth Suppression Program

June 25: Payton Wolbert
HOBY (Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership)

June 27: Children’s Birthday Party at the Mission
Good Samaritan Rescue Mission

June 30—July 3 Optimist International Convention
Louisville, Kentucky

August 23-25: Michigan District Convention
DoubleTree Hotel, Bay City



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

June 3	Phil Engelhardt
June 20	Beth Gehoski
June 25	Karen Haight
June 27	Lee Thompson
June 30	Tim Ciesielski

LUNCHEON NOTES

May 21: 20 members at today’s meeting. Our meeting today was held at the Bay County Historical Museum. **Corrine Bloomfield**, *Museum Curator*, and member of the BCNOC, was our speaker and tour master. The museum is celebrating 100 years and the displays show it. This is a little unknown Gem of Bay City. The museum is open Monday through Saturday. More info can be found at: <http://www.bchsmuseum.org/>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Rich

Paul and **Marlene** are working with the Tall Ships committee and are looking for a Craft Leader, as well as volunteers to work the craft area. If interested please contact **Marlene** or **Paul**.

Chief Rick

The BCNOC Golf Outing will be June 17th at Maple Leaf Golf Course in Linwood. Still need teams, hole and major sponsors.

Karen M

Optimist International Foundation “Dime-a-Day” program was explained and she has the donation forms if you need one.

Has the 100th Anniversary Pins for Optimist International for sale for \$10

Guy:

The BCNOC Travel and Adventure series is still looking for sponsors at all levels for our 2019-2020 Travel Series.

50/50 and “QUARTER CUP”

Holli St.Laurent drew the wrong one, and **Lee Thompson** missed out on the “Big One”.

BIRTHDAYS

None admitted to

FINES , HAPPY BUCKS, “JUST BECAUSE”, MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

“Happy Bucks”:

Holli, No sure why, but she did.

Jeff, Great time at Sip and Swirl”, and spending a Quality Weekend with their Granddaughter.

Guy, found 25 year anniversary lapel pin after being lost for awhile

John, Grandson scored the winning goal in his hockey game

“Fines”:

Chief Rick, For his sometimes Snarky remarks

“Just Because”:

Karen

Remember to check out our social media sites:

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

May 28: 22 members and 1 guest today. Our guest was our speaker, **Danielle Di Amico** from the Bay County Library System.

Danielle DiAmico from the Bay County Library System kicked off her presentation with a heartfelt thank you to our club for the Buddy Benches that we donated approximately 2 years ago. Dani told us that they have been put to good use and continue to do so by both students and teachers.

Dani does outreach programs for our local schools on topics such as 'What is real and not real on the internet'. These programs are very much needed in today's society and the program is being well received. In support of these programs, Dani has received grant assistance to develop many hands on programs for the library which support STEM and STEAM opportunities of learning. These have received strong support from teachers as well as families.

In addition, Dani talked about craft programs at the library to expand on Children's creativity and build self-confidence. She was proud to report that some of the projects have even entered in competition.

In short, there is so much going on at the local libraries that is even better than the internet J. All are encouraged

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Same as last week

HAPPY BUCKS, BIRTHDAYS

Vice President Carrie:

Happy she was able to share the experience of a trip with her father to the Antique Toy and Fire Museum with her father.

Bobbi:

Thanked everyone for another successful Birthday Party at the *Good Samaritan Rescue Mission*.

Holli:

Great weekend of camping

Jennifer:

Appreciated the club's rendition of Happy Birthday

Patti:

Happy to back to a meeting after a couple of challenging months away.

Becky T:

For her Granddaughter spending the weekend with her and for announcing that the proceeds from our 3rd Annual Camel Race will be going to River Jordan, a transitional home for foster children between the ages of 14-18. More to follow coming.

Bobbi

Spent the weekend with 9 of her 11 grandchildren in a cabin, and for her 44th wedding Anniversary

John:

His daughter's birthday

Karen:

Spent the weekend in *Mackinaw City* and a day on *Mackinac Island* with son and his fiancé

John:

Sorry his missed the Children's birthday Party at the Mission

Jennifer G:

Requested the club sing as if they just inhaled Helium



Once again the pots get to grow. **Becky T** drew the wrong card, and **Mia Van Tol** was not present

I would like to thank Becky T. for the meeting notes

NEW MEMBER INCENTIVES

During the *Centennial year (2018-2019)*, *Optimist International* does offer us some membership incentives to assist us for the 2018-2019 Optimist year, which are as follows:

Persons under 30 years of age can join for \$50 dues for the first year, with no application fee.

Persons involved in the education system can join for \$50 dues for the first year, with no application fee. This is not only for teachers but is for anyone in the education system, currently working or retired.

“Homecoming” membership incentive is for former members who would like to renew their membership during this Centennial Optimist year. Their dues are \$50 for the first year, with no application fee.

Letters of invitation to renew membership have been sent to several of our past members. If there is someone you would like to invite, please contact either Rick Donahue or Karen Monville and a letter will be sent.



Jennifer G. trying to stifle a laugh during the singing of “Happy Birthday” under Helium

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Join the Bay City Noon Optimist Club

"Bringing Out The Best In Our Youth, Our Community, and Ourselves"

In recognition of 100 years of Optimist International—
1st Annual Optimist Golf Outing

Monday, June 17th— 9:00 am Shotgun Start

Maple Leaf Golf Course

158 N Mackinaw Rd, Linwood, MI 48634

\$200 / 4 Person Team

\$55 / Individual

**Grab your clubs
and join our
Club!**



18 Hole Scramble w/cart includes hot dog & chips at the turn along with a Chicken Dinner

Contests: Closest to the Pin, Longest Drive (Men & Women) & Longest Putt

Proceeds will go toward the activities of the Club that enhance the youth of our community. For more information about who we are and the programs we support go to our the Bay City Noon Optimist Club website. www.baycitynoonoptimist.org

Team Contact: _____

Address / Phone: _____

Golfer 2: : _____

Address / Phone: _____

Golfer 3: : _____

Address / Phone: _____

Golfer 4: : _____

Address / Phone: _____



**Return form and payment by June 5, 2019 payable to :
BCNOC, 2800 N Euclid Avenue, Bay City, MI 48706**

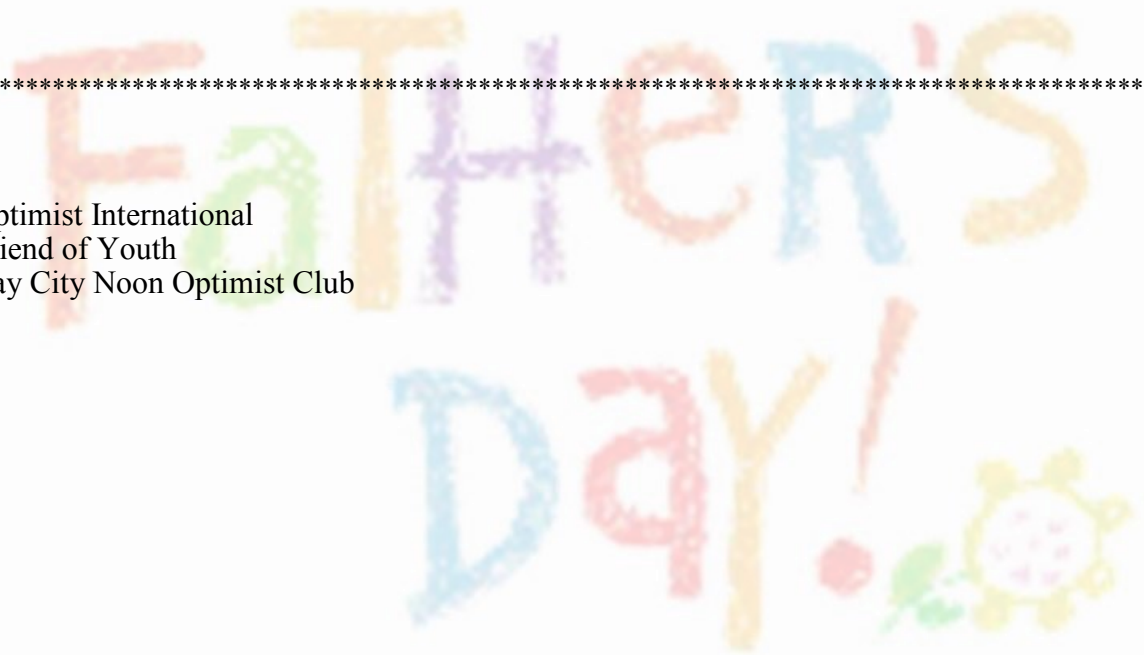
The Optimist Creed

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



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 Friend of Youth
 Bay City Noon Optimist Club



President: Rich VanTol **Vice President:** Carrie Rostollan **Treasurer:** Karen Monville
Secretary: Becky Tillman **Immediate Past President:** Corrine Bloomfield

Board of Directors

Bobbi Gellise	2018-2020 Sue Cornejo	Rick Donahue	2017-2019 Roberta Spencer
Leighsa Otto	Kate Young	Debbie VanIdour	Kirsten Wellnitz

Programs: Corrine Bloomfield

Essay: Roberta Spencer

Camel Races: Becky Tillman

Summer Party: Karen Monville

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