



# BAY CITY NOON OPTIMIST NOONER

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

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September 7, 2021  
Meeting Every Tuesday, DoubleTree Hotel 12:15 p.m.



## September 7:

Today’s guest speaker was **Dr. Ashley Blake** from *ENCOMPASS Therapy Center*. The Encompass Therapy Center (ETC) is dedicated to improving the quality of life for individuals through implementing evidence-based teaching strategies, and encompassing the core values of care, compassion and integrity with their clients.

Encompass Therapy Center implement evidence-based practices to individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder. They also use Applied Behavior Analysis under the supervision of a Board Certified Behavior Analyst to increase socially significant behaviors. In addition, they offer Speech and Language Therapy through one-on-one services with a Speech-Language Pathologist. The center also specializes in pediatric feeding services. Other staff members include Behavior Consultants, Registered Behavior Technicians and Behavior Technicians who are all well trained and experienced.

Further information can be had by visiting their website: <https://www.encompasstherapycenter.com>

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**President Roberta:** There is a Retirement Get together at the Bay City, City Hall for her, and everyone is invited.

Our club will once again be working at the *Drydock Beer Garden* on September 15, 16, 17, and 18th, and there will be live music on the 16th and 17th.

There will be no meeting next week, the 14th, as there will be the planning session that day, to be held at **Jeff Staudachers** Complex.

**Karen:** The incoming *Michigan District Governor*, **Dan Mills**, will be here on September 16 and will be joining us at the Drydock for a drink or two.

## QUARTER CUP AND 50/50

**Bobbi** had the chance to win the 50/50, Butt drew the wrong card, Natalie beyer had her name drawn for the “Quarter Cup”, but she was not present.

## MEMBER WELL BEING OR IN THE NEWS

Nothing reported

## HAPPY BUCKS - FINES - JUST BECAUSE

### Happy Bucks

**President Roberta:** Looking forward to retirement

**Carrie:** Puppet Program that she does

**Sandy D:** Grandsons football standings

**Jeff:** Happy to see some faces he had not seen in awhile

**Karen:** Great Convention

### Just Because: None offered

**Karen and Bobbi**

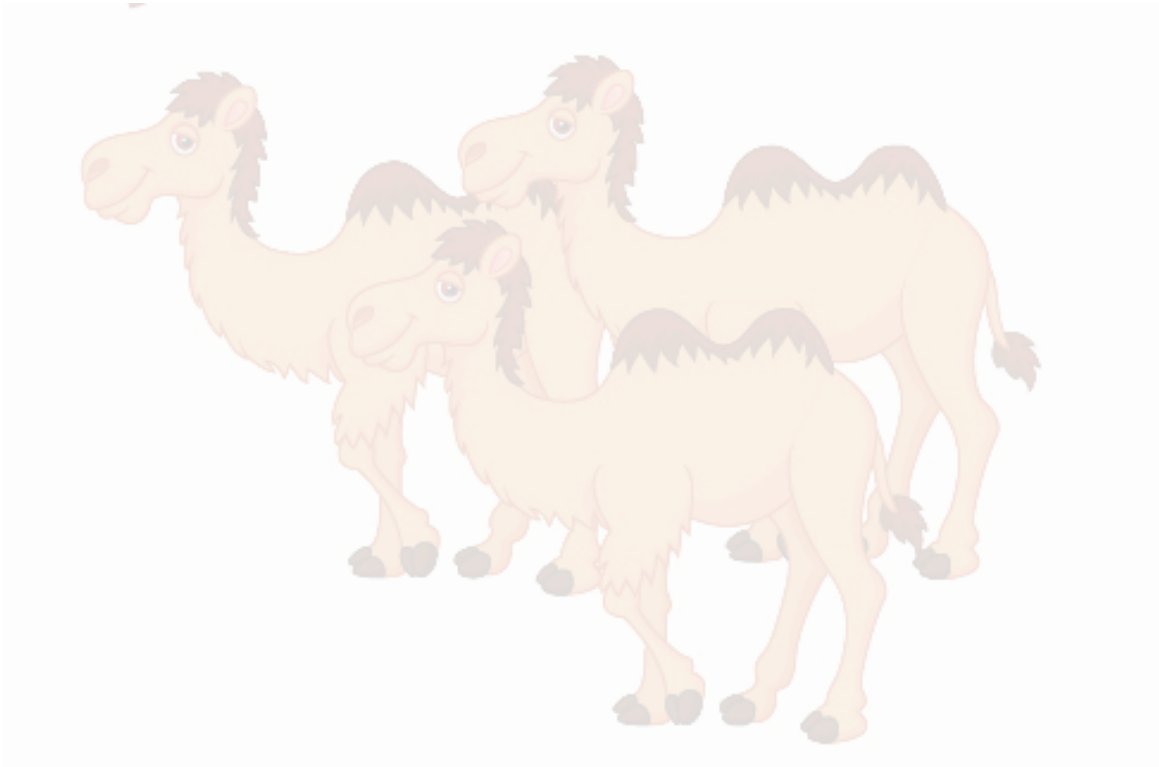
CAMEL RACES  
October 23, 2021



| September    |                   |
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| September 7  | Branden Minuth    |
| September 17 | Jo Ellen Strieter |

| October    |                |
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| October 23 | Patrick Rokosz |
| October 25 | Guy Greve      |
| October 25 | Patti Krenz    |

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



# CAMEL RACES

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# 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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**President:** Roberta Spencer    **Vice President:** Rick Donahue    **Treasurer:** Karen Monville  
**Secretary:** Holli St. Laurent    **Immediate Past President:** Carrie Rostollan

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## Board of Directors

| 2020-2021       |                 | 2020-2022     |                  |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| Jeff Staudacher | Sandy Dabrowski | Bobbi Gellise | Becky Tillman    |
| Paul Gaiser     | Susan Carmien   | Rich VanTol   | Kirsten Wellnitz |

**Programs:** Paul Gaiser

**Essay:** Roberta Spencer

**Camel Races:** Bobbi Gellise & Holli St. Laurent

**Summer Party:** Karen Monville

**Oratorical:** Sandy Dabrowski

**Travel and Adventure:** Guy Greve

**Youth Appreciation:** Kirsten Wellnitz

**Christmas Party:** Karen Monville

**Bulletin:** Dana & Karen Monville

**N.O.W Program:** Rick Donahue