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Lebanon   
Optimist Club

# The Sunny Side

*The newsletter of The Lebanon Optimist Club*

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## Upcoming Dates:

May 13 — Dinner Meeting  
6:00pm Acapulco  
Speaker: Kim Gates  
Warren County Career Center  
Adult Education Coordinator

May 20 — Board Meeting at  
LCNB Ops Center 5:30  
Blues Planning Meeting immedi-  
ately after beginning around 6pm

May 27 — NO MEETING  
Memorial Day

June 10—Dinner Meeting  
6:00pm Acapulco  
Lebanon Police Division Recogni-  
tion of the Officer of the Year

## You spoke. Our board listened.

We thank everyone who completed our survey a couple of months ago. As a result of that survey, our board decided to change our meeting schedule so that more of our members can attend. Beginning in May, we will discontinue lunch meetings opting for 2 dinner meetings each month on the 2nd and 4th Mondays.

In addition, we received a letter from Golden Lamb informing us that our meal pricing would increase from \$18 to \$22 and asking us to charge a participation fee for anyone attending a meeting who was not purchasing a meal. Our board discussed this and decided to ask our members for their opinions on the changes. At our dinner meeting last week, after some discussion members attending were asked for their opinions in writing. As a result, the decision has been made to change meeting locations.

Our May 13 meeting will be held at Acapulco in their private dining room. Members will be able to select your meal from the full menu and will pay your own restaurant check.

Our June 10th meeting will also be at Acapulco with the same arrangement. This meeting will be our annual celebration of the Lebanon Police Department, and we will award the Officer of the Year for 2024.

We are excited about the possibilities this change brings. We will be able to enjoy more variety of meeting locations, food choices, and programs. We have discussed several things including:

- ◆ Rotating Restaurants
- ◆ Pot Luck in the LCNB Ops Center Break Room
- ◆ Dessert and Coffee instead of a full dinner
- ◆ Catered meals at the LCNB Ops Center Break Room

We are also moving to a format of having only one speaker a month, at our first meeting of the month allowing for student recognitions, club business, and more social opportunity at the second meeting.

Our club leadership is really trying to do what our members want to do. If you have some ideas, we'd love to hear them. What would you like to see? Reach out to any board member and share your thoughts.

## Bring A Guest!

How many friends do you know who would like to learn more about our club and what we do? Invite them to a meeting!

We would love to meet your friends and show them what our Lebanon Optimist Club

Our Club Calendar is always available on our website homepage.  
[www.lebanonoptimist.com](http://www.lebanonoptimist.com)

**Promise Yourself.....**

**To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true!**