

**Club members, Jr. Optimist leaders and District Officers are bcc'd this note. Editor, Tom Neal**

## **Sunnyside Newsletter** Oct. 8, 2023

### **Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club**

***"We provide hope and a positive vision, as we bring out the best in our youth, our communities, and ourselves."***

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### ***Making a Difference, Today!***

#### **Club Business Meeting This Wednesday at 7:30am**

Time to get cookin' with club activities and planning for this next Optimist year. Come join the fun and help figure out how we will be Making a Difference each day this year.

#### **Installation Dinner Review**

Our annual Farmington/ Farmington Hills **Optimist Installation Dinner** was held last Wednesday, Oct 4<sup>th</sup>, at the Longacre House. Members and spouses attended and enjoyed an evening of fun and the installation ceremony. It was great to see the following spouses at the event: Agatha Lynn, Craig Rodeheffer, MarySue Munter, Andee Mosher, Mary Catherine Clappison, Irina Burrous and Peggy Fowler. See attached pictures. Lt. Gov. Cathy Neal installed the Alving Lynn as President and gave him a "Let's Get Cookin'" apron. Congratulations new Board of Officers and Directors!

#### **Super Zone Zoom Meeting, Monday, October 16<sup>th</sup>**

Monday, October 16th, 7-8:30 pm. Meet members of other nearby clubs, learn about projects and other opportunities to help kids in our community. Meeting Link: Meeting ID 814 9981 9057, Passcode 0fSwG3

#### **Boo Bash at Heritage Park, October 29**

Volunteers needed 11-3 to hand out candy to trick or treaters at Heritage Park. Costumes strongly suggested. This is a good opportunity for members who can't make the 7:30 am

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meetings to participate in a project to help kids in our community. We need your help!

Let Alvin Lynn (alvin.lynn256@gmail.com) know if you can help.

### **1<sup>st</sup> Qtr. District Optimist Conference – Nov. 10th-11th**

It will be held in Bay City, MI at the Double Tree Riverfront Hotel. Rooms are \$119 per night (Call 989-891-6000 to make reservation by Oct. 20th. Code: Michigan District Optimist)

### **Choose Optimism Podcasts**

Here is the link to a number of podcasts:

RSS Feed <https://feeds.captivate.fm/chooseoptimism/>

- How to conduct a world class Oratorical Contest
- Optimism Brings Out the Sunny Side in Life
- The JOI of Optimism

**Website:** [f2hoptimists.org](http://f2hoptimists.org) [new members can join on front page of website.]

**Facebook:** Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club

### **Calendar**

Oct 11*	Club Business meeting
Oct 16	Super Zone Zoom Meeting, 7:00pm
Oct 18*	Club Meeting – speaker, FH Chief John Unruh
Oct 25*	Principal's Breakfast
Oct 29	Boo Bash @ Heritage Park, 11:00am
Nov 1	Board Meeting on Zoom
Nov 8*	Veterans Breakfast w/State Dir. of Amer. Legion
Nov 15*	Speaker: Gerrard Allen, new CEO of Chamber
Nov 29*	Speaker: Hiking the Pacific Crest Trail, Jeff Ely

\* 7:30am-8:30am at First Presbyterian Church of Farmington.

### **Birthdays**

#### **October**

9 – Bill Dwyer

14 – Nicole Blackmon Hunt

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- 21 – Susan Walker
- 25 – Cathy Neal
- 25 – Randy Patterson
- 26 – Tom Neal
- 29 – Jeff Clatterbaugh

### **Attachments:**

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**FFH Optimist Installation 2023**



**New Members  
Anne Sebesta & Dan Fantore**



**Roxanne Fitzpatrick & Andee Mosher**



**President Alvin Lynn &  
Lt. Gov. Cathy Neal**



**Terry Tipton & Agatha Lynn**

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What words do you think of when you think of "Optimist"?

83 responses

*"I wanted to share our icebreaker today which involved us making a word cloud based on what "optimism" means to them." - Hannah Henderson, Teacher Leader Farmington HS JOC*

