

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

Farmington/Farmington Hills Sunnyside Newsletter

Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club

Mission: *By providing hope and positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in youth, our communities, and ourselves.*

Wednesday's Meeting Features Essay Winners

We will meet in-person at **the First Presbyterian Church of Farmington at 11 Mile & Farmington Roads**. (Enter on backside of building) Come meet and share a continental breakfast starting at 7:30 am. The meeting will begin with a social time. We will hear from each essay winners. (See attached list of winners.) You have the option of joining by zoom at this link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89926299765>

New Optimist Welcome (NOW) Orientation Feb. 9, 7:00 pm

What friends might you have who would be interested in learning about optimism. Spouses are welcome, too. Here is your chance to invite them to join this gathering.

It will be via zoom from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Ask someone NOW.

Zone 12 Gathering for All Members Tonight!

Our Lt. Gov. Sean Mueller, is hosting a gathering for all members in our zone tonight. You are welcome to join the social time to talk Optimism. Link is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87295804411>

Website: f2hoptimists.org

Facebook: Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club

Calendar

Feb. 3 National Optimist Day

- Feb. 3 Zone Gathering <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87295804411>
- Feb. 9 Essay Winners at First Presbyterian Church + virtual
- Feb. 9 New Member Orientation at 7:00 pm by zoom
- Feb. 12 2nd Quarter District Conference Zoom
- Feb. 16 Club Business meeting
- Feb. 23 Club meeting, Nicolas Kristock, Fleece & Thank You
- Feb. 27 JOI Team Building Event @ Costick Center

Attachments:

- Newsletter PDF
- Leslie Rebtov Optimist Essay Contest Winners PDF
- New Member Orientation Invite 2-9-22 PDF
- 2022 Club Oratorical Contest Flyer PDF

Diane Hague, AAUW, receives Thank You mug for speaking at club meeting.



LESLIE REBTOY OPTIMIST ESSAY CONTEST

**The topic Is: "How Does an Optimistic Mindset Change My Tomorrow?"
[Two contests: Middle School & High School]**

**Hosted by: Farmington/Farmington Hills
Breakfast Optimist Club**

Wednesday, February 9, 2022

Winners are:

Middle School Contest

1st place – Camille Quenioux, Warner Middle School

2nd place – Mallory Dilluvio, Warner Middle School

3rd Place – Gabriella Garth, Homeschooled

High School Contest

1st place – Yash Mehta, North Farmington High School

2nd place – Jhanavi Bharathwaj , Farmington High School

3rd Place – Carrington Wash, Mercy High School



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11 Mile & Farmington Roads
7:30 am, Wednesday, February 9, 2022**

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New Optimist Welcome Orientation Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club

*Welcome to bringing out the best in our youth,
our communities and ourselves.*



You are invited to our orientation...

When: **Wednesday Evening** 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm, February 9, 2022

How: **Zoom call** hosted by Tom and Cathy Neal
Send email to Tom to register: ttneal@sbcglobal.net
Here is link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85251647625>

Who: New members and potential new members plus spouses are invited to join the zoom session.

Purpose: To socialize and learn about optimism and our club's activities here in the cities. How can you help make this a better world?

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Did you know that people who are optimistic live a longer and healthier life?

[Our website: f2hoptimists.org](http://f2hoptimists.org)

The Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club *Presents*

The 2022 Club Oratorical Scholarship Contest



“Staying Optimistic in Challenging Times”



This is an amazing opportunity for students ages 19 and under to demonstrate their public speaking skills, participate in a healthy competition and win a First, Second or Third place winner cash prize of **\$250, \$200** or **\$150**.

1st and 2nd place winners will compete in the Michigan District Oratorical contest and compete for cash prizes of **\$2500, \$1500** or **\$1000** for 1st, 2nd or 3rd place.

The World Oratorical Championship will be held in July for a chance to win a scholarship award of **\$22,500**.

Local Club Contest

Saturday March 12, 2021, 10:00 am to 12:30 pm via Zoom

Students interested in participating in this great opportunity, please visit our website <https://www.f2hoptimists.org> for further information and to apply. You may also email our Oratorical Contest Chair, Nicole Blackmon, at nicole@strategicimageconsultant.com