



ASHLAND OPTIMIST CLUB
Meeting Saturday Mornings @ 7:30 A.M.
Optimist Drive, Ashland, MO 65010

April 3, 2021

"You cannot do all the good the world needs, but the world needs all the good you can do."

Optimist Board

Jan Palmer	President
Lisa Barnum	VP
Dana Plunkett	VP
Missy Bonderer	Past Pres.
Barrett Glascock	Secretary
Heather Martin	Treasurer
Bruce Glascock	2021
Bernie Bartel	2021
Shawn Steelman	2022
Robert Blake	2022
John Dougan	2022

COMING UP

Board Meeting:

April 8, 2021 7:00 p.m.

**TAKE A MINUTE TO REMEMBER
 THOSE WHO MADE US STRONG:**

- Carroll Sapp – 1987
- “Buddy” Glascock – 1988
- William Burnett – 1992
- Remus James – 1994
- Ron Marley – 1997
- Cecil Vaughn – 2001
- Billy Jo Sapp – 2004
- Marvin Sappington – 2004
- Arcie Sapp – 2005
- Kenneth Nichols – 2006
- Lahmon Wren – 2007
- Joe Smith - 2009
- Jimmy Jo Calvin- 2009
- Bob Sappington – 2010
- Clifford Caldwell-2013
- Mel Rupard-2013
- Ernest Woods—2013
- John Johnson—2013
- Michael Dalton--2013
- Jim Moore--2016
- Carl Long--2016
- Don Jones-2017
- Clay Austin-2017
- Sharon Donley-2017
- Ben Nieman- 2017
- Nick Kimbler- 2018
- Barbara Perry- 2018
- Jacob Zagorac- 2019

Next Breakfast meeting: Saturday, May 8th at 8:00 a.m.
 Board meeting: Thursday, April 8 at 7:00 p.m.

If you are interested in attending the [Third Quarter Conference of the Optimist's East Missouri District](#), it is coming up April 30- May 1 at Drury Inn & Suites in Arnold, MO. This will be a wonderful conference with a chance to witness the inspirational speeches from the finalists of the Oratorical Contest. If you are interested, please contact Barrett Glascock as soon as you can so that he can get you registered.

We had our breakfast meeting this morning in the building with doughnuts that Barrett Glascock picked up from Casey's and coffee that Bernie Bartel made. We had ten members in attendance, as well as two guests: Gunny and Min Hine who moved here recently from the state of California.

The meeting started with Optimist member Dorise Slinker presenting a check for \$1,100 to President Jan Palmer from the fundraiser last Sunday in connection with Jose Jalapenos restaurant. The money was raised for the Optimist Pool.

We also received a check for \$1,500 from Moser's Annual Golf Tournament. That money will go to the Ashland Optimist Foundation.

President Jan invited everyone to participate in the weekly "Zooming Around the Districts", which is held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom. More information, as well as the link, can be found on Facebook by searching the title.

The [pool is currently scheduled to have their Open House on May 28th, with the Grand Opening being held May 29th](#). We are looking at possibly doing a scavenger hunt centered around the Optimist creed during that weekend.

Barrett ended the meeting by commenting that we are probably not looking at restarting Bingo until sometime this summer, followed by the Optimist Creed.

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