



Club Officers for 2007-2008

President	Dale Willenborg	366-6815
V. Pres., Pres. Elect	Dick Baber	322-8074
Secretary		
Treasurer	Jeff Jorgensen	487-3355
Past President	Gary Gutttau	487-3248

Board Members

2006-2008	2007-2009
Steve Irvin	John Klein
Gerald Forristall	Bob Hibbard
Denny White	Larry Kramer

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Next Club Meeting

F The next meeting of the Optimist Club of Treynor is planned for Saturday, September 20, 2008, 7:30 a.m. at the Treynor Community Center. The speaker will be Treynor High School Athletic Director Todd Gordon. The public is invited to the meeting.

Report of Recent Club Meeting

R The Optimist club met September 13 with 17 members and one guest in attendance. President Dale Willenborg opened the meeting by leading the pledge, with Richard Vorthmann offering the devotional prayer.

I The 50/50 was awarded to Arlyn Norris. The attendance pot was awarded to Jim Clausen.

E The club recognized John Klein's birthday on Tuesday with a Happy Birthday song. Jeff Jorgensen and Dick Baber also contributed to the Youth Fund.

N New officer elections were held. Officers for the new fiscal year, starting in October, are: Dick Baber-President, Gary Gutttau-Vice-President, Jeff Jorgensen-Treasurer, and Dale Willenborg-Secretary. New Board members for 2009-2010 are John Schmitt and Judy Gutttau. Dennis White will complete the term of Larry Kramer or 2007-2008. Other board members are John Klein and Bob Hibbard.

D The Optimist Club helped the Treynor Dance Team with can kennel sorting on Wednesday at 3:30 put up flags afterwards for Patriot's Day. The flags will be taken down Sunday evening.

Treynor Softball

O Jo Ellen Travis talked about the softball season this year. Their record was 20-10 for the year. Thirteen games were rained out this year and only 6 or 7 of them were made-up. Each team can play 35 regular games in the season.

F The state athletic association has moved the season two weeks earlier and eliminated the District competition. Therefore, the first game of the season was May 19 instead of June as in past years. Since Treynor is building a new ball field, they only had home games the last week of the season.

Y All three Seniors on the team this year made Academic All WIC honors. Katie Hempel also received Academic All State honors, which requires a senior to have an ACT of 27 and a GPA of 3.75.

O Her husband, Mike Travis, spent a lot of his free time this year working on the new ball

fields. Mrs. Travis tracked his time and estimates that he spent over 400 hours working on them.

Mrs. Travis was named District Coach of the Year. She is looking forward to next year's softball season.



CALENDAR

- The September Can Kennel contributions will be for the Treynor High School Dance Team.
- 9/14 Flag takedown, 6:00 p.m.
- 9/19 Treynor Days Parade – theme is Street Signs
- 9/19 Football game tickets – 6:15 p.m.

Birthdays

- 9/9 Arlyn Norris#, 9/10 Milli Harvey, 9/16 John Klein#, 9/19 Bob Hibbard, 9/30 Tim Greiner

Anniversaries

- 9/26 Bill Vorthmann
- #=recognized to date



"Do me a favor, sweetie, next time you hit three balls over the fence, don't hit them towards my car."

OUTH