

The Optimist Club of Treynor, IA Iowa District, Zone 3, Club Number 40-109

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NEWSLETTER

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February 2, 2013



Treynor Basketball

Chad Nelson spoke at the Treynor Club on 2 February. He is in his 5th year in Treynor teaching math. He is also the assistant basketball and baseball coach and 4th year as

the basketball the WIC won conference. They have won 16 games in a row, starting the season with five new players.

This will be Chad's first year as the head golf coach. He is expecting a good number of players and is looking for an assistant coach.

For baseball, they have 38 boys signed up this year. They normally have under 30. The new batting cage in the fitness center will help tremendously.

There are 10 students in calculus, 20% of the Senior class, which is a very high percentage. Two of the students received perfect scores of 36 on the Math Calendar

Feb 9 - Pinewood Derby, 9:00 a.m.

Feb 13 - Can Kennel Sorting, probably 3:30 p.m.

Feb 27 – Can Kennel Sorting

Birthdays

Jan 19 – Dennis White (recognized)

Feb 12 – Richard Vorthmann

Feb 13 - Gary Funkhouser

Anniversaries

Feb 6 - Jon & Debra Jacobsen

Programs

Feb - Bob Mantell (1st two weeks)

Optimist the golf coach

This is the fifth straight team

size school.

portion of the ACT. That is almost unheard of in any

Meeting Minutes

Ken Graham opened the meeting on February 2. Ken Graham and Richard Vorthmann provided jokes and Ken Graham provided an Iowa trivia question before the Pledge of Allegiance. Dee Guttau offered the opening prayer.

Richard Vorthmann celebrated his birthday today and provided breakfast. Ken Graham contributed to the Youth Fund in recognition of his aunt who turns 100 tomorrow. Arlyn Norris contributed to recognize his son who will complete adoption of a daughter on February 4. Jeff Jorgenson celebrated having lunch with Congressman Latham.

Saturday, Feb 9 is the Cub Scout Pinewood Derby. Judges are needed.

Feb 23 is the regional optimist meeting at St. John United Church of Christ. Cost is \$10. Ken Graham says this is one of the best meetings he has attended. A guest won the 50/50. Marsha Underwood won the attendance award. There were 15 members and 8 guests at the meeting.

Feb - Jon Jacobsen (2nd two weeks)

Mar - Dale Willenborg

Apr - Chad Guttau

May - Gary Funkhouser

Jun - Gary Guttau

Speakers

Jan 26 - Eric Koch U.S. Constitution and his Campaign experiences.

Pravers

Feb 2—Mick Guttau

Feb 9—Judy Guttau

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Would You Work For This Company?

Do you fancy working for a company that has a little more than 500 employees and has the following statistics?

- 29 have been accused of spousal abuse
- 7 have been arrested for fraud
- 19 have been accused of writing bad checks
- 117 have directly or indirectly bankrupted at least 2 businesses
- 3 have done time for assault
- 71 cannot get a credit card due to bad credit
- 14 have been arrested on drug-related charges
- 8 have been arrested for shoplifting
- 21 are currently defendants in lawsuits
- 84 have been arrested for drunk driving in the last year ...

Can you guess which organization this is?

(Answer: US Congress)