

The Optimist Club of Treynor, IA

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Treynor Music

John Klein introduced speaker Linnea Casey at the Treynor Optimist Club on September 24. She is a Student Intern in the Treynor Community School District Instrumental Music Department for grades 5 to 12.

Linnea is from Griswold, Iowa, where her mother is the vocal music instructor for grades 6-12.



Christian faith is foremost in Linnea's life. She continues to use her musical gifts of piano playing and song leading in the church.

Linnea is a student at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls. Once her internship at Treynor is

successfully completed she will graduate with a degree in Instrumental Music Education. Linnea is enjoying her time at Treynor and commented on the dedication of Treynor's instrumental music students. She is working toward learning all instruments; the flute, however, is her specialty.

Linnea concluded with a beautiful performance of an Andersen etude Adagio Patetico on the flute.

Meeting Minutes

President John Klein called the September 24, 2016 meeting of the Treynor Optimist Club to order at 8:00 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by the prayer offered by Gary Guttau.

John Klein provided a joke. Ann Vorthmann contributed \$1 for Bragging Rights, reporting on a T-Shirt honoring the military and coinciding with

Homecoming's superhero theme, "Real Superheroes don't wear capes, they wear dog tags." Heidi Lunn won the 50/50 and the attendance prize was not collected.

Bill and Ann Vorthmann's wedding anniversary and Dee Guttau's birthday were acknowledged. Dee provided her famous cinnamon rolls for all to enjoy.

Heidi Lunn and Ann Vorthmann received Optimist membership packets and pins.



4-Hers from the Silver Keg Feeders 4-H Club, Jamie Poland, leader, Rachel Phelps, Hailee Poland, Cale Vorthmann and Brock Poland accepted the clubs Can Kennel proceeds. Each of the 4-Hers and Ms. Poland shared 4-H experiences from the past year together with some future projects.



John Klein announced the generous donation from Casey's General Store Contributions Committee of four cases of can-recycle-bags for use in the community Can Kennel. Thank you Casey's Contribution Committee and our local Casey's for arranging the donation.

The Treynor CSD Weekly Bulletin and Homecoming Week schedule were provided.

Kirk and Lynell Vorthmann are building the Optimist Homecoming float, "Captain Optimist." The theme is "Helping Our Youth Soar to New Heights."

John Klein discussed the NFL Combine (f/k/a Punt Pass and Kick) which the Cardinal Core is

heading up. Volunteers are needed to distribute Cardinal Pride yard signs beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 25; and members were encouraged to attend the Cardinal Core meeting on October 5 at Silos.

An invitation from TS Bank for the TS Promise Youth Rally was announced. This year's faith-based youth rally will take place on Wed, Oct 26 from 7-9 p.m.; doors will open at 6:30 p.m.. The event will be held at the Treynor Community Center. The event will feature live music by Orphan's Cry and inspirational speaker Kyle Scheele. For more information, contact Rachel Cain at TS Bank 712-487-0427.

Calendar

Sept 30 - Homecoming

Birthdays

Sep 22 - Dee Guttau (recognized)

Oct 17 - Marsha Underwood

Oct 29 - Bill Vorthmann

Anniversaries

Sep 26 – Bill & Ann Vorthmann (recognized)

Oct 13 - Dale & Dianne Willenborg

Oct 17 – Dennis & Kay White **Speakers**

Programs

Sept – Ken Graham

Oct - Bill Vorthmann

Nov - Judy Guttau

Dec - Chuck Nielsen

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Notes from Ann Vorthmann