



# Treynor, Iowa



Integrity/Growth/Service  
Intégrité/Croissance/Service

## Optimists

L.W. "Les" Harvey, Editor

6th Ed.—47th Issue—P.O. Box P, Treynor, IA 51575—September 15, 1988  
(712) 487-3836 (Not a toll call from Omaha/Council Bluffs)

### CLUB MEETING: SEPTEMBER 17, 1988

Breakfast at 7:00 a.m. Shortline Cafe

Meeting at 7:30 in Office of Treynor Record---

---PROGRAM: You introduce your guest. AND FOOTBALL COACH RANDY DONAHUE will spend some time talking with and to us.

NOTE: President William Burris asks that each of us bring a guest (who is a prospective member). Activities of the morning will include introduction of guests and discussion of future role of the Optimist Club (especially with new members.)

### SUMMARY: CLUB MEETING, SEPT. 10, 1988

President William presided as six members gathered for food, fellowship, and the business of Optimists.

---Plans for filling cisterns did not materialize. Another date will be announced. Those present could account for only one more cistern to be filled in response to requests from the community.

---Ken Koehler forfeited \$16.50 in the attendance drawing.

---Pres. Elect Charlie Branham will attend the Zone Meeting at IWCC Saturday, Sept. 17.

---We need gate keepers for the football games. Call Pres. William if you can help. The dates of Oct. 7 and 21 are still not filled.

---Question: What is status of fifth quarter program?

### OCT. 1--NEW OFFICERS & BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pres. Elect Charles Branham, Vice Presidents James Clausen & Keith Denton; and Board Members Dave Sevcik, Gerald Forristal, Fritz Holst, Ed Underwood, Al Strohhahn, and Bryce Strohhahn will begin the new OPTIMIST YEAR, Oct. 1, 1988.

--NOTE: Ken Graham will continue as Secretary/Treasurer and Fritz Holst has been appointed Sgt.-at-Arms.

NOTE: Starting with the Oct. 6 issue of the Newsletter WE NEED AN EDITOR! Please volunteer now to Charlie Branham! (Note: Your present editor will not be a member as of Oct. 1.) (Comments as an editor's privilege: Your editor, although semi retired must make his business produce a respectable income. Working weekends is essential. He has made only one of the past seven meetings. There is little likelihood the weekend situation will change. Editing a small newsletter on information gleaned from some who do attend meetings is time consuming; usually not completely accurate; and really no fun. About three hours a week or more are spent in the total process. Your editor is not one who feels paying membership dues without involvement in the Program is adequate. So, until he is financially able to forego working Saturdays, he has discontinued his membership as an Optimist.)

### WERE YOU INVOLVED IN THE MD "DRIVE" LAST WEEK END?

If you watched any TV Sunday and Monday, you were involved although possibly passively!! It was difficult to watch TV without becoming emotionally involved.

As Optimist Members we were invited to participate with other Optimist Clubs in and around Council Bluffs. This was to be "active" participation in what is generally termed the "fishbowl action." As of this writing, your editor is not aware of any member who was able to "get actively involved."

If you were actively involved, please let your President know. We wish to "give credit" and also, "get it on the record."

### YOUR PRESIDENT NEEDS VOLUNTEERS FOR COMMITTEES

Some of the committees needed: Youth Activities, Publicity, Finance, New Club Building, Programs Each Week, Fellowship, M.D.A. Fishbowl, Youth Appreciation Week, Oratorical Contest, Punt-Pass-Kick, Tri-Star in BB, Club Relations, Drug Abuse Program, Essay Contest, Membership, and Project Scrapbooks. There are others.

Call Charlie now and volunteer!!!!