



Optimist Club of Ausable Port Franks

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NEWSLETTER

What's Happened!

Summer Vacation is officially over. But that doesn't mean our club was hibernating this summer.

In June our club was represented well at the Youth Grad Dance. This is a joint effort by many clubs in our area to put on a dance for the grade 8 graduates of many schools in the area. All kids had an amazing time.

In July we helped out the APF Jr Optimist Club with their concert. This club is learning how to conduct events and meetings. They have many great ideas for upcoming events. So be prepared to get a call when they're looking for adult support!

Once again this year the Kids Fishing Derby was held in August. What a wonderful success it was too! 32 kids were fishing off the banks of Mudd Creek. All the fishing was followed up with hot dogs and prizes back at the hall. Thanks to all the volunteers who came out and helped put on this great event for the kids.

Later in August was the District Convention held in Wallaceburg. We had 9 delegates from our club in attendance at the convention. As our Zone was the Convention Committee, responsible for planning all the activities of the weekend. Our

club was then in charge of the Governor's Ball on the Saturday night. A lot of hard work went into the planning of the weekend and the Ball. Thanks to all the members who came out and helped with the weekend and the committee.

What's Going On!

Club Golf Tournament

It's only days away. Once again this year our club will be whacking around the little white ball all for fun. All of this is this Saturday September 6th. See you on the links!

Zone Meeting

The first Zone Meeting of the 2008 - 2009 year is October 7th. Yep that's our first dinner meeting of the new year also. The last 2 years APF has been blessed with the Zone Lt Governor being from this club. This year again the incoming Lt Governor is from the APF Club. So Lt Governor Elect Tracy Huxley has asked that her first Zone meeting be held at her home club. It would be wonderful to have record numbers in attendance for this meeting. All clubs from the zone are expected to be in attendance on October 2nd. Let's show them what APF is made of!

Upcoming Year's Meetings

As it has been in the past you can expect that the dinner meetings will be held the 1st

Tuesday of the month. Breakfast meetings will be held the 3rd Sunday of the month. We are always looking for people to chair the breakfast meetings. If you are interested please let Optimist Lorie know.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

- 6th - Golf Tournament, Sand Hills
- 20th - Meat Raffle, Grogs 2-4pm
- 21st - Breakfast Meeting, 10am
- 26th - Much Music Video Dance, Kimball Hall, 7-10pm
- 29th - Executive Meeting, 7pm

OCTOBER

- 7th - Dinner/Zone Meeting, 6:30pm
- 18th - Meat Raffle, Grogs 2-4pm
- 18th & 19th - Tea Room
- 26th - Breakfast Meeting, 10am (tentative)
- 21st - Executive Meeting 7pm

NOVEMBER

- 4th - Dinner Meeting, 6:30pm
- 14th & 15th - 1st Quarter Board, Stoneridge Inn
- 15th - Meat Raffle, Grogs 2-4pm
- 16th - Breakfast Meeting, 10am
- 18th - Executive Meeting

DECEMBER

- 2nd - Dinner Meeting, 6:30pm
- 16th - Executive Meeting, 7pm
- 20th - Meat Raffle, Grogs 2-4pm
- 21st - Breakfast with Santa