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Optimist Club of Richfield, MN Dakotas-Manitoba-Minnesota District Club Number 35125

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In Today's Spotlight



**Sarah
Schultz**

U. S. Postal Service

In The Weeks Ahead:

Program:

Today - Sarah Schultz

Mar 29 - Ann Rodenberg - 2nd Harvest

Apr 5 - Kathy Sullivan - Operation Dignity

Apr 12 - Business Meeting

Breakfast Supplier:

Today - Mike Fogarty

Mar 29 Deanna Wahlen

Apr 5 Don Anderson

Apr 12 John Ashland

Our speaker last week was **Marilyn Sharpe**

Marilyn talked to us about Parenting Education. She has been a parent educator for over 39 years, so she knows a thing or two!

The No 1 vocation of all of us should be to raise the next generation. Two times when brain cell growth is booming is ages birth to 3, and again in the 7th to 9th grades. We need to work on food & housing insecurity. You cannot teach a hungry child.

Parents should model the values they want their kids to follow. Kids believe what you **DO**, not what you say! Catch kids doing good things. Separate their behavior from their personhood. Love them unconditionally. Affirm and correct their behavior.

Marilyn challenges all of us to be a triple A (AAA) person:
– be **A**uthentic – be **A**vailable – be **A**ffirming



Linda Grulke has accepted the position of OI Foundation Rep. Please join in the Dime-a-Day drive. **Why not make it 10.9589041095 and write your check for \$40.00 !**

Good to see our surgery-recovering members back; **Linda Grulke & Rich Fick**

Deanna Wahlen has not only seen the light, she bought 2 of them! Harbor Freight is so good!

Pat Dale spent time with a friend from Japan. Now he is going to Europe (Paris, Berlin, Copenhagen) to see his son who is studying in Denmark.

Arnie Odefey noted that he has another toe surgery in the offing. We wish him well.