

July 21, 2021

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Optimist Club of Richfield, Minnesota
Dakotas-Manitoba-Minnesota District
Club Number 35125
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Hello fellow Richfield Optimists,

WED July 21 - 8:00 AM At LOCAL ROOTS RESTAURANT

**Our guest speaker will be : Mike Howard - MN Dist 50A State Rep.
(In the event of rain, look for an e-mail zoom sign-on)**

Last week we met at Local Roots with a small membership gathering. With no speaker, we talked about a varied amount of topics.

RICHFIELD OPTIMIST SOCIAL NIGHT OUT – organized by Deanna Wahlen

Here's the scoop - **Tuesday, July 27, 2021 at Augsburg Park -East Picnic Shelter
From 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM**

Hot dogs, Hamburgers, buns, condiments, water, utensils provided. Contact Deanna
If you can bring Chips, Desserts, Salads, Side Dishes, or Misc. Maybe bring your own chairs!

**GRAND OPENING OF AUGSBURG ADVENTURE PARK INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUND
7000 Nicollet Ave. - Next to community center**

Thursday, July 22, 2021 at 6:30 PM Ribbon cutting, music, ice cream and a story from the Mayor. Our club, as a generous sponsor, is invited to participate.

**MINNESOTA
STATE FAIR**

**Richfield Day is Friday, August 27, 2021 Doug Waller is chairing this effort. See him to sign up to work at the Optimist booth in the Education Building. 3 hour shifts
Nine to Noon, Noon to Three, Three to Six, Six to Nine.**

DMM Convention - held in Watertown, SD on August 20-21, 2021 at the Watertown Event Center. Hotel is Ramkota. See Pat Dale for details and to have club defray part of your cost.

4th of July saw 629 flags proudly waving throughout Richfield. Thanks to the Scouts for their meaningful efforts in this endeavor.



Happy Birthday to Nelson Ward on July 19, to Ron Wilhelmson on July 22 and to Arnie Odefey on July 24

The Optimist Creed

Promise Yourself

To be **SO STRONG** that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.

To talk health, happiness and prosperity
to every person you meet.

To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.

To look at the **sunny side of everything**
and make your optimism come true.

To **think** only of the best, to **work** only for the best and to
expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the **SUCCESS** of others
as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the
GREATER ACHIEVEMENTS of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance **AT ALL TIMES** and give
every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have
NO TIME to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear,
and **too happy** to permit the presence of trouble.

