

# ***Rich - O - Gram***

Optimist Club of Richfield, MN Dakotas-Manitoba-Minnesota District Club Number 35125  
Established - May 8, 1958 - Now in our 65<sup>th</sup> year of serving Richfield

**July 26, 2023**

**THIS WEEK: Wednesday July 26, 2023**

**\$6.00 Coffee and ?**

**Meeting at 7:30 AM at VILLAGE SHORES SR. COMMUNITY**

**6501 Wood Lake Drive (NW corner 66<sup>th</sup> & Lyndale Ave.)**

**Club Business meeting**

Our speaker last week was **Mike Sandahl**, who gave us a tutorial on whiskey from Scotland, known as Scotch. He said most scotch made in Scotland is made from barley grain, and the key to the best scotch is in the aging process., from ten to forty years. Most scotch is aged in oak barrels that were previously used to age bourbon. The process on blending whiskeys started in the late 1800's. Unblended scotch whiskey is known as single malt. Mike has visited Scotland for first-hand info !



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## **Club News:**

Deanna Wahlen is recovering from her broken ankle, but will need to wear the boot for 8 weeks.

A club picnic is planned for August, and additional info should be available this week.

Cashier: July 26 Doug Waller

## **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, work only for the best, and 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 a smile.

**To** give so much time to the improvement of yourself 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.