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

Established - May 8, 1958 - Now in our 64th year of serving Richfield

May 17, 2023

THIS WEEK: Wednesday May 17, 2023

\$6.00 Coffee and ?

Meeting at 7:30 AM in the Richfield District Boardroom

401 West 70th Street (Just East of Harriet Ave.)

Speaker: Richfield Mayor Mary Supple - "State of City"

Last week our speaker was Brad Pierce, North Star Senior Developer with Young Life. Brad's main job now is fund raising for camps & hiring local leaders. He talked about how youth today is more globally connected via social media. Young Life works to build unconditional relationships with young people. Young Life has a camp in MN known as Castaway Club. Kids who go there say it was the best week of their life. Young life centers on youth because decisions made up to age 26 will change/affect the rest of your life.



Our club donated \$380. To Sheridan/Centennial Special Ed. group to assist their field trip later in May. Eric Anderson is shown accepting the check from President Don Anderson.



Beginning June 7, 2023, our meetings will be held at Village Shores, located at 66th & Lyndale Ave. They will provide breakfast for \$6. We will be there at least through August, 2023 & then make a decision on meeting location.

Cashier: May 17 _____

To all Norwegians, "Happy Syttende Mai" on May 17th

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.