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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

September 6, 2023

THIS WEEK:

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\$6.00 per member

Coffee & Breakfast

**Meeting at 7:30 AM at 401 West 70th street
School District Boardroom**

Speaker: Clyde Doepner - Minnesota Twins Curator

We heard from [Taryn Ellis](#), Vice President of the Richfield Youth Basketball Assn. As she visited our club to pick up our donation of \$500. To this youth League, which serves about 300 boys and girls.

Welcome to our visitor [Beth L. Reed](#), a fairly new resident of Richfield who is looking for a group to join. She will visit again on Sept 13th.

Don Anderson & Tom Tuttle attended the DMM convention in Grand Forks, ND And related information they picked up while attending. Don said they packed Over 1200 lunches as a work project outside of the convention.

Mike Sandahl and his wife Sue celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary !

We heard a bit about the John Deere factory in Waterloo, Iowa from a group Of optimists who traveled there to tour the factory. [Doug Waller](#) led the group Including [Tom Tuttle and Floyd Sjostrand](#). They say the new tractors are HUGE.

Cashier: Sept 6, 2023 John Ashmead

Bring your friends, neighbors, relatives to hear Clyde Doepner.
It would be nice to fill the room.

We will have coffee and donuts for breakfast this week. YUM !

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.