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

August 16, 2023

THIS WEEK: Wednesday August 16, 2023 \$6.00 Coffee and ?

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

6501 Wood Lake Drive (NW corner 66th & Lyndale Ave.)

Speaker: KELSEY NAGEL - Richfield Chamber / Trunk n Treat

Our speaker last week was **TOM TUTTLE**, who talked to us about Negro League baseball, and especially about Ray Dandridge, one of the outstanding players. Tom had a baseball signed by Dandridge and also showed a bat signed by many, many Negro League players. Tom also talked about some of the other talented players that were a part of this league.



CLUB NEWS:

Our club picnic at Augsburg Park was a fun event last Thursday. Good to see many turnout, and some spouses!

David Kriesel-Koll amazed us with news that his little green truck just passed the 250,000 mile mark. YAY!

Pat Dale spent time in Washington, DC last week.

Arnie Odefey said his grandson Kyle came from London to visit for a few days. Kyle attended college in England and is now working there.

Cashier: August 16, 2013 MIKE FOGARTY

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.