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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

March 8, 2023

THIS WEEK: Wednesday March 8, 2023

\$5.00 Coffee and ?

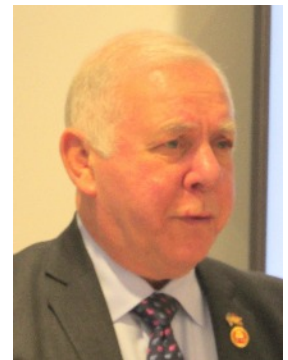
Meeting at 7:30 AM in the Richfield District Boardroom

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

Speaker: David Kriesel-Koll

Member Bio Series

Our speaker last week was [Alex Plechash](#), a local member of the National Republican Committee. Alex told of just returning from California where the Committee met to elect a national chairperson, and they re-elected Ronna McDaniel. The RNC sets the platform for the party and holds a nominating convention every 4 years, The next will be in 2024 and will be held in Milwaukee, WI.



Alex is on the Presidential Debate sub-committee. They have decided that every candidate must pledge to support the nominee or they cannot participate in any debate.

Alex is also a current council member in Wayzata, MN

Our member Jim Schwanebeck passed away on February 28, 2023.

A celebration of life will occur on Monday, March 13 at 11:00 AM

At Mount Olivet Lutheran Church, 50th St and Knox Ave. S.

Visitation will start at 10:00 AM at the church.

Please keep his wife Linda in your prayers.

Happy Belated birthday to Mike Fogarty on February 25th !

Cashier: March 8 - John Bjostad

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.