# TOWNE LAKE OPTIMIST CLUB

# **Club Highlights**

#### October – December 2020

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### RECOGNITION

We start our new year by thanking the Individuals and Businesses that support our *Flags for Kids Program*. Through your financial support we help agencies and organizations provide food, backpacks, education, life skills and more for youth in Cherokee County.

We also want to say 'thank you' to our Boy Scout Troops for answering the call and placing the United States Flags in the Towne Lake area.

#### Q1 CHARITY AND ORGANIZATION SUPPORT UPDATE

First quarter contributions provided over \$4,000 to organizations including Lekotek (photo 1), Bend Your Knee Foundation, Woodstock Public Safety (photo 2), Holly Springs Police Foundation (photo 3), Cherokee County Sheriff's Department (photo 4), St. Michael's House (photo pg2), and Boy Scout Troops 639 & 641.

### **GUEST SPEAKERS**

First quarter guest presentations included Lisa Nevitt from *Lekoteck* and Lori O'Sullivan *St. Michael's House*.

"How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world." Anne Frank

https://www.brainyquote.com/quotes/anne\_frank\_105642

### WEEKLY MEETINGS UPDATE

Coronavirus certainly changed how people communicate, educate and do business. We are thankful for technology and our Club took advantage of *Zoom* early on to keep our members connnected.

We resumed in-person meetings October 2020 and today we meet weekly inperson and via Zoom. You will find us **Tuesdays at Noon** in **The Tavern** – **Towne Lake Hills East Golf Course**, and on **Zoom**.

"You" are invited to join us and explore membership opportunities.





#### "Friends of Youth"

#### **Our Mission**

"By providing hope and a positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in youth and adopt optimism as a philosophy of life." Thank you to the staff at The Tavern for great food and service!

#### FACEBOOK PAGE

Thank you Amanda, Charlice and Alex Dukes for coordinating efforts making our **Towne Lake Optimist Club Facebook Page** public once again.

https://www.facebook.com/Towne-Lake-Optimist-Club-916279998451376/

Please visit our Page where you can learn about Optimists and specifically what's happening in the Towne Lake Optimist Club.

'Like', 'follow', 'share' our Page. We appreciate your support!

### WEBSITE

Our website presents photo highlights, provides information about Optimist International, our Club's activities, access to the *Flags for Kids* subscription form, contact tool and directions to our meeting location. Please visit: <u>http://www.townelakeoptimists.com/</u>

# FLAGS FOR KIDS SUBSCRIPTION

Looking to subscribe to our *Flags for Kids* program? Email <u>dennis.arneson@comcast.net</u>, or click on the website link above and complete the subscription form, or print and mail form to the address at the bottom of this newsletter.

# FLAG WORKDAY

December workday - members and families inspect flags preparing for President's Day February 2021



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