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Greg Kuhn, Governor

Kent Reyling, Immediate Past Governor

Mike Novak, Past Governor

Walt Willms, Governor Elect

Rick France, Secretary-Treasurer

Lt. Governors

Zone 1- **Glen Shay**

Zone 2-

Zone 3- **Andy Tice, Plainfield**

Zone 4- **Don Wilson**

Zone 5- **Patti Scott**

Zone 6- **Melissa Eckert**

Zone 7- **Bill Cherolis, Santa Claus**

Attention:

**Committee Chairs & Lt
Governors**

The deadline for submitting articles for the next District Bulletin is October 7, 2024. Send your articles to p_grant@fastmail.fm if you have e-mail. If you prefer, send it snail-mail: 770 N County Road 625 E, Avon, IN 46123.

DON'T FORGET!

Greetings all Indiana South District Optimists

Our annual convention is approaching. I strongly encourage you to attend. We will have important sessions regarding

- training,
- recognition of accomplishments,
- recognition of special people.
- remembrance ceremony

Attending the convention will allow you to receive committee updates on all of our activities firsthand. We will also be working on the transfer of many district offices to new people, so it is vital for Lt. Governors and District Chairs facilitate a transfer of skills and knowledge to the new folks coming in.

See you there!

Proud to be an Optimist,

Sincerely,

Greg Kuhn, Governor,

2023-2024 Indiana South District

Message from Governor Elect Walt Wilms

Fellow Optimists of the Indiana South District, it is time for us to gather at our annual convention to enjoy our friendship and camaraderie as optimists and celebrate all of the positive things we've done for the youth in our district. As we remember the past accomplishments we also need to look forward to our next Optimist Year and build on our achievements. The most important organization within Optimist International is the local club. This is where the "rubber meets the road". You are the ones who have the most one on one contact with our youth, our schools and our communities. Among my goals are to increase the number of clubs as well as membership. We at the District level are here to provide you the leadership, training, and support that promote successful clubs and club activities. It is really important that each club president, secretary/treasurer, and zone lieutenant governor be in attendance to receive the training that many people have worked so hard to provide. We have a wonderful creed that shows the kind of person we are to be and advises us on the things that we should be doing. Throughout my year as Governor I look forward to visiting as many clubs as possible and observing the myriads of club activities and projects as I can. I also want to get to know as many of my fellow optimists as possible.

Indiana South District
38th Annual Convention

Friday and Saturday August 9th and 10th

Hilton Garden Inn Columbus/Edinburgh
12210 N Executive Drive
Edinburgh, Indiana

PLEASE FILL OUT PAGES 1 AND 2

Register online through <https://mp.gg/rjgmlrbzro> or complete form below and mail (Please print neatly or type)

Member name #1 _____ Name for badge: _____
Club name: _____ Zone _____
Club office held? _____ District office? _____
Member name #2 _____ Name for badge: _____
Club name: _____ Zone _____
Club office held? _____ District office? _____
Non-Member Name _____ Name for badge: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION (person submitting registration)

email address: _____ Phone: _____
Street _____ City: _____ State: _____



Governor Greg Kuhn



Governor Elect Walt Wilms

Registration Payment Form Page 2

Dinner (on your own) Montana Mike's Steakhouse 3720 Market PL Dr. Edinburgh, IN 46124 7:00 pm EST

Will you be attending? Yes _____ No _____ If so, How Many? _____

Conference Functions Require a Reservation	Price	Number	Amount
Registration Fee per Household (living in the same house)	\$5.00	<u>1</u>	<u>\$5.00</u>
Registration Fee Non-Household per Person	\$5.00	_____	_____

All American Buffet Breakfast (per person)

(Danish, Muffins, Bagels with Cream Cheese, Fresh Fruit Platter, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Bacon or Sausage, Fresh Baked Biscuits and Gravy, Regular and Decaf Coffee, Assorted Tazo Teas, and Orange Juice)

	\$14.00	_____	_____
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Deli Lunch Buffet

(Ham, Turkey, Roast Beef, Assorted Breads & Rolls, Chicken Salad, Potato Salad, Pasta Salad, Assorted Cheeses, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Chips, Cookies and Brownies)

	\$17.00	_____	_____
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Dinner Buffet

(Brown Sugar Crusted Pork Loin & Spiced Apples, Grilled Chicken with Mediterranean Relish, House Salad, Pasta Salad, Roasted Red Potatoes, Steamed Mixed Vegetables, Dessert, Water, Iced Tea, Coffee, and Rolls)

	\$29.00	_____	_____
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Package Deal

(Includes Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)

	\$49.99	_____	_____
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TOTAL AMOUNT DUE (Must Accompany This Form) \$ _____

**Deadline for lunch choice is Monday August 2, 2024. After that date lunch may be “on your own”.*

REGISTRATION FORM & REMITTANCE
 Must be received by: August 2, 2024
 Indiana South District Registrar
 Attention: Dave Osborne
 1189 Pinewood Drive
 Plainfield, IN 46168
 C (317) 538-4548 indsoptimist@gmail.com

Hotel Accommodation

Hilton Garden Inn Columbus/Edinburgh
 12210 Executive Drive
 Edinburgh, IN 46124
 Breakfast Included

BLOCK CODE: Indiana South Dist. Optimist
 Reservation due by July 31, 2024 link on
 website <https://www.indianaoptimist.org/>

Agenda for the District Convention

Agenda Overview (subject to change)

Friday, August 9, 2024

5:00 PM Joint Executive Committee and Lieutenant Governors

Call to Order – Gov. Greg
Invocation – Tony Trimble
Pledge of Allegiance – Walt Wilms
Approval of the Minutes – DST Rick France
Finance Report – DST Rick France
Policy & Zoning – Tony Trimble
Reports by Lt. Governors
Introduce 2024/2025 Lt. Gov.s
Committee Reports
New Business
Gov. Comments
Creed

Executive Committee –

Select District Distinguished Optimist of the Year
Select Humanitarian of the Year

19:00 Dinner at Montana Mike's

8:30 PM Hospitality Room

Saturday, August 10th

7:30-8:00 Past Governors Association Meeting

8:00-9:00 Old Timers/New Timers Breakfast – presentation by OI VP

9:00-9:30 General Session – Welcome – Gov. Greg , Invocation – Tony Trimble

Pledge of Allegiance – Walt Wilms

Introductions, Overview and Remarks – Gov. Greg

9:30-10:00 District Board Meeting

Call to order

Approval of minutes and financial report

Candidate Qualifications

10:00-10:30 Year in Review – Lieutenant Governors

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:00 Training A. Lieutenant Governors B. Club Presidents

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch – Committee Updates and International Convention Report

Second General Session

1:00- 2:00 Training

2:00-2:30 What Optimism Means to Me – Ken Loudenback

2:30-3:00 Memorial Service

3:00-3:15 Break

3:15-5:00 Governor Election – IPG Kent

Governor Election Results – IPG Kent

Governor Incentives and Awards

OI VP Remarks

Happy Dollars – Ron Fuhrman

Darrell's Digital Diary

Optimist Creed

5:30-6:00 Governor's Reception

6:00-8:00 District Banquet

Friday Night Dinner will be Montana Mike's at 7:00 pm EST 3720 Market Pl Dr, Edinburgh, IN 46124

Student Wins the 2024 Optimist International Oratorical World Championship

Avon, Indiana – Calleigh Neal, a Senior from Avon High School, won the **2024 Optimist International Oratorical World Championships** based on a theme of “How to Change the World with Optimism”. The Avon Optimist Club sponsored Calleigh back in February. She won their contest, then the Indiana South regionals, then the District Finals. She then went to St Louis and won the Mid-America Regional. Then she competed against the other Regions on Friday, July 19 and was declared the 1st place winner. Calleigh was awarded a \$22,500 Scholarship for the honor. The competition was held **July 18-19, 2024 at Saint Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri**. So Calleigh is the **World Champion**.



Calleigh Neal performing at St Louis

Calleigh accepting her trophy from OI President Tracey Huxley

This is the first time that the Indiana South District has had an Optimist International Oratorical World Champion. Ron Fuhrman, District Oratorical Chair, wrote WOW! We are all so very proud of you and your perseverance in your quest to be the best. An old saying "the cream always comes to the top" is true again. Calleigh has shown how if you want something bad enough you can achieve it if you stick with it. The Indiana South District Optimists are extremely honored to have you represent us in the Optimist Oratorical World Championship. Your belief in yourself will be a guiding light for you in your endeavors of the future. Thank you for believing and congratulations on a job well done. You will continue to be an inspiration to many other youths in our District for years to come.



We all will miss Merrill!



Paula on stage at Niagara Falls Opt Intl Convention



IN So District Gov Elect Walt Wilms recognized on Stage in Niagara Intl Conventio

Indiana South District Conferences for 2023-24 Year

**4th Quarter – Friday night and Saturday August 9-10, 2024 –
Annual Convention/Training**

**Hilton Garden Inn Columbus/Edinburgh
12210 N Executive Drive
Edinburgh, Indiana**

Indiana South District Jr. Optimist Golf Tournament Qualifier

This year's Jr. Golf outing was a huge success considering a late start due to the loss of our long-time golf host Deer Creek. Oak Tree stepped up and hosted our tournament and they were great to work with.

Last year, we had 33 players. This year we had 39. Out of those 39 players, 18 of them shot qualifying scores. Of those 18, 13 of them will be going on to the International Tournament to be held at Trump National Doral in Florida.

This was a record-breaking year in sponsorships. It is so good that for the first time since I have been involved, all players received their entire entry fee paid for. We really had some great donations, so we had to create a new sponsorship type called Friend of Youth for those who donated over \$500. We had 4 sponsors donate \$500 or more. Thanks to Table X for being our Title Sponsor. If your club sponsored the tournament, thank you. If your club does not sponsor our golf tournament, please add it to your budget for next year.

At the opening ceremony, we paid tribute to John Reel and Mike Woodward. Some of John's family members showed up for the opening ceremony. Adam Woodward, Mike's son hit the ceremonial for tee off the tournament.

We are trying to grow our tournament next year to get more players, and more sponsors. We will soon be putting information out for next year's tournament. We will have flyers for you to pass out at your local golf courses and to give to your middle and high schools. Please pass this information on.

I would like to thank all the committee members for all the work they did this year. Kent Reyling for coming through with the title sponsor and a Friend of Youth sponsor. Mike Novak for getting us our medallions and plaques for the tournament not only for this year but for next year as well. He also helped with the Greensburg Regional and getting players to come to the Tournament. Jack Nichols for his help with getting us our golf course but for his work on helping me with rules and all the golf side of things. Alex Overway for his work on sponsors. Jim Tribble for helping run the Terre Haute Regional and getting those players to play in our tournament. Ron Eberhart for his work at the Evansville Regional.

A big shout out to those who volunteered at the tournament. You all are rock stars. If you have never volunteered at the tournament, please consider it for next year. The kids really appreciate having them around the golf course and helping with all the things to make the tournament a success.

Get Paid for Having Fun



MEMBERSHIP
DUES? GROUPER
HELPS COVER 'EM!

Grouper +  Optimist
INTERNATIONAL

We're thrilled to share some exciting news — if you're 65 or older and live in the United States, Optimist International has teamed up with Grouper to help cover your membership dues!

What Does This Mean for You?

Grouper will assist in covering Optimist members' membership dues by providing a yearly check for those with qualifying Medicare Advantage or Medicare Supplement plans, up to \$100. This partnership ensures that both long-time members and newcomers can enjoy a break on their yearly dues just for being active and socially connected.

Signing Up with Grouper:

Ready to check if your plan includes Grouper? Simply sign up online at www.hellogrouper.com/Optimist with your health plan info. Grouper will contact you within 5 business days to inform you if you are eligible - then they will send a check regardless of when you last paid your dues.

We are excited to tell you more about how our partnership with Grouper can improve your social health and well-being. If you have any questions, please reach out to Grouper's welcoming member engagement team at 833-519-1072 or visit www.hellogrouper.com/Optimist for further information.

Indiana South District Secretary/Treasurer Needed for the coming year

Hello All,

About a year ago, I announced to several district leaders of **my intention to retire from the Secretary-Treasurer position at the end of this current Opti year.**

I approached a couple of members about stepping into the role. Neither person wanted to take it on.

So – Walt Willms and I are asking help in identifying potential capable individuals. I can provide information about the requirements and the workload for the position.

Ideally, we can identify someone soon so he/she can work with me for the remainder of the year. There is budget support for the person to attend the OI S/T training if desired. I am committed to being available for continued help after October 1st.

I also add, some Districts have split the position into a Secretary and a Treasurer. While I believe this introduces some issues to iron out, it is something to keep in mind.

Walt intends to include the S/T position into his Catch a Rising Star portion at the District Conference.

I took it on in 2015 with Pat's support for the bookkeeping. It's been enjoyable, sometimes challenging, but always rewarding.

Rick France
Secretary/Treasurer
Indiana South District – Optimist International
Past Governor 2003-2004
OI Field Representative

Updating Your Club's Bylaws

Starting Oct. 1, every Club will be required to update their bylaws. OI will not accept paper copies, so Clubs will need to use the Optimist Leaders online portal to submit updates. There is a module on how to update your Club's bylaws on the [Optimist Institute website](#). Simply choose "Quick Reference Guides" on the left-hand side, scroll down to the third row of modules, and click "View" for the "Changing Club Bylaws Online" module.

2024 – 2025 Conferences and Conventions

1st Quarter Conference – Saturday November 9, 2024 Richard A. Carlucci Recreation and Aquatic Center, 651 Vestal Rd, Plainfield, IN 46168 9:00 EST. \$20 for registration/lunch. Hotel accommodations are at the Staybridge Inn Suites 6295 Cambridge Way, Plainfield, IN 46168 [\(317\) 839-2700](tel:3178392700). \$119 a night with Hot Breakfast! More information to come.

2nd Quarter North Super Conference – Saturday January 18, 2025 Richard A. Carlucci Recreation and Aquatic Center, 651 Vestal Rd, Plainfield, IN 46168. 9:00 EST. \$20 for registration/lunch. More information to come.

2nd Quarter South Super Conference – Saturday January 25, 2025 Georgetown, IN 8260 IN-64, Georgetown, IN 47122. 9:00 EST. More information to come.

3rd Quarter Conference –Friday night and Saturday April 25 and 26 - Oratorical finals - Jasper Kimball Headquarters; 1600 Royal Street, Jasper, IN 47546. More information to come.

4th Quarter Convention— August 22, 23, 2025 Terre Haute Convention Center 800 Wabash Ave. Terre Haute IN. 47807. More information to come.

Contact an OI Department:

Optimist International is committed to providing professional and prompt service to Optimist volunteers and other interested parties. If you know which department you wish to contact, please check the e-mail list below.

You may also speak to a staff member in that department by calling (314) 371-6000 or (800) 500-8130 and requesting the extension listed next to each department. To speak to someone in the Optimist International Canada office, please call (514) 593-4401 or (800) 363-7151.

Awards	261	awards@optimist.org
LMS/Optimist Institute	210	
Communications/Social Media	236	communications@optimist.org
Executive Director	200	executiveoffice@optimist.org
Finance & Administration	202	finance@optimist.org
International Convention	205	convention@optimist.org
International Office	300	headquarters@optimist.org
International Programs	218	programs@optimist.org
Junior Optimist	218	youthclubs@optimist.org
Leadership / Personal Development	261	leadership@optimist.org
Marketing & Graphics	236	marketing@optimist.org
Member Services	247	clubservices@optimist.org
Membership	227	membership@optimist.org
New Club Building	227	newclub@optimist.org
Optimist Junior Golf	218	golf@optimist.org
Webmaster	209	webmaster@optimist.org
Canadian Service Centre	(800) 363-7151	CanadianService@optimist.org
Canadian Supplies	(800) 565-7062; www.optimistsupply.ca	info@optipromo.ca
Optimist Supply (US)	(800) 223-2203; www.shumsky.com	

Contacting Optimist Leaders:

To contact an International leader by e-mail, use their firstname.lastname followed by @optimistmail.org. For example - Cheryl Brenn: cheryl.brenn@optimist.org

OI Foundation

Dime-A-Day Level is reached by a contribution of \$36.50 to the Foundation within one Optimist Year and is recognized by the presentation of a pin.

The Diamond Level requires a minimum donation to the Foundation of \$100 annually and the donor receives a specially designed postcard and thank you message from the Foundation President.



Women’s Philanthropy Council (WPC) was formed in 2005 to support the work of the Optimist International Foundation. Members reach out to women as donors and assist in shaping their philanthropy. All donations raised through the giving circle of the WPC will be used to underwrite World Oratorical Championship scholarships for young women that win the Regional Contest from the US and in the Caribbean. It is important to note that your contribution to OIF designated to support the efforts of the WPC will be counted as a restricted donation and will not be credited to your annual giving or that of your District/Club. It will count towards lifetime giving.

Join the Presidents Club by making an initial unrestricted gift of \$250, and renew your membership each year by making an annual \$250 contribution. When you join, you will receive a prestigious Presidents Club lapel pin. Each year at the International Convention, you will be recognized with a ribbon for your badge and will be invited to attend a function exclusively for members.



Friends of Today make a minimum unrestricted donation of \$500 annually to the Foundation. Donors will receive a special plaque designed by a local St. Louis artist.

The Christian D. Larson Partners was adopted to recognize donors who contribute a one-time \$1,000 unrestricted gift. *Donors may combine multiple unrestricted gifts in one Optimist fiscal year to achieve the \$1,000 level. Partners will receive a plaque presented by the DFR.

To become a member of the William H. Harrison Society, donors must have a life-to-date of \$10,000 and contribute \$1,000 annually to the Foundation. Members will be invited to attend a recognition dinner with the Foundations' Boards of Directors at the International Convention. Members also receive a ribbon noting their Membership in Society to be worn with Convention badge.

OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Optimist International Foundation was established on February 28, 1971.

The creators envisioned a Foundation that could provide significant funding for OI's youth and service programs and which would be proudly supported by individual Optimists, their Clubs, and the community at large.

WHAT OIF DOES FOR CLUBS AND DISTRICTS

- \$5,000 TO EACH DISTRICT FOR THE DISTRICT ORATORICAL CONTEST
- \$2,500 TO EACH DISTRICT FOR THE CCDHH CONTEST
- \$2,500 TO EACH DISTRICT FOR THE DISTRICT ESSAY CONTEST
- \$5,000 FOR THE REGIONAL WORLD ORATORICAL CONTEST WINNERS FOR NON-CANADIAN WINNERS

WHAT OIF DOES FOR CLUBS

- \$15,000 FOR THE WORLD ORATORICAL CHAMPION, \$10,000 FOR 2ND PLACE AND \$5,000 FOR 3RD PLACE FOR NON-CANADIAN WINNERS
- \$2,500 TO EACH DISTRICT FOR THE DISTRICT ESSAY CONTEST
- Club Pass Through:

- If your Optimist Club is seeking grant funds or contributions for funding of your charitable community service projects or other charitable, literary or educational programs, you may request the assistance of Optimist International Foundation (OIF) as a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. This program is only available in the United States. Please find the Club Pass Through Grant Program guidelines document on the Foundation website at: oifoundation.org.

WHAT OIF DOES FOR OTHER OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL YOUTH PROGRAMS

- CONTRIBUTES \$85,000 TO SUPPORT THE JOI PROGRAM
- CONTRIBUTES TO THE JUNIOR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS


OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL
FOUNDATION

Presidents Club

The Presidents Club is a giving level that recognizes Optimists who are truly committed to the mission of the Foundation and its work to support Optimist International. By becoming a member of the Presidents Club, you are doing much more than giving a gift to change a child's life; you are making a statement that you are dedicated to the future of Optimism.

Become a member of the Presidents Club today and show your support as a steadfast Optimist and devoted friend to the Foundation. Optimist International Foundation works to raise funds to support the endeavors of Optimist International, its Clubs and its Members. The Foundation needs donors like you to continue 'Helping Optimists Help Kids'.

Join the Presidents Club by making an initial unrestricted gift of \$250, and renew your membership each year by making an annual \$250 contribution. When you join, you will receive a prestigious Presidents Club lapel pin. Each year at the International Convention, you will be recognized with a ribbon for your badge and will be invited to attend a function exclusively for members.

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Become part of an exclusive group that is
committed to making a difference.

I want to join the Presidents Club!

Name (one person only) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

_____ Enclosed is my check made out to the Optimist International Foundation.

_____ Please deduct \$ _____ from my account monthly for _____ years. (Enclosed is my voided check)

Bank Name _____

Account # _____ Routing # _____

_____ Please charge my credit card \$ _____ per month for _____ years.

MC Visa Discover American Express

Account # _____ Exp. _____ / _____ Security Code _____

Signature _____

Please return to: Optimist International Foundation • Presidents Club • PO Box 952126 • St. Louis, MO 63195-2126



Update Member Information

To ensure each Optimist Member is receiving valuable information from Optimist International, encourage each Member to update their contact information with a leader in your Club. This includes addresses, email addresses and phone numbers. Each leader (Club President, Secretary, and/or Treasurer) has a log-in for Optimist Leaders to update the Members' information.

The Optimist Club of the Year

The Optimist Club of the Year is the highest achievement an Optimist Club can attain in the Optimist organization. The recipient of this prestigious award will be chosen regardless of number of members, or region and will be known as the “Best Overall Club” in Optimist International.

The Optimist Club of the year award is presented annually to the most outstanding Club in the organization based on the following criteria:



	Maximum Points
Service projects sponsored by the Club	30 points
Member Development Programs a year (<i>i.e. PGI Program, Optimist International Conventions and Summit, etc.</i>)	25 points
Club Growth and Increased Community Awareness Campaigns (<i>i.e. NOW Program, Marketing Campaign, etc.</i>)	25 points
Increased Volunteer Member Base	10 points
New Community Efforts	10 points

Points in each category will be awarded by independent judges based upon community outreach, impact on children and Members, new and innovative ideas; and benefits to the individual Club Members.

Interested Clubs are invited to submit information as outlined on the [judging form](#). Clubs can submit any materials they chose as the items relate to the specified criteria.

The Club named Overall Optimist Club of the Year will receive one round-trip airline ticket to the Optimist Convention, a banner patch, an award, and a special article in The Optimist magazine and on the Optimist website.

Submissions: Submit the judging form and back up documentation to Leadership@optimist.org . **In the email subject line include:** Club of the Year Judging Form, Club's full name, and Club Number.

[2023-2024 Scholarships](#)

Optimist International sponsors three scholarship contests for students to earn money to pursue opportunities in higher education: The Communication Contest for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (CCDHH), the Essay Contest and the Oratorical Contest. The contests are conducted at the Club level, then Zone and Regional (if necessary) and at the District level. District-level scholarships are funded by the Optimist International Foundations and awarded by Optimist International.



We understand the importance of protecting your Optimist Club and the children you serve. IntelliCorp has partnered with Optimist International to ensure Optimist Clubs receive comprehensive and validated screening services at the lowest possible cost.

Optimist Background Check Package

The following cost-effective screening package has been created to simplify your background check process. The package uses a combination of multiple sources of criminal record information. In addition, we validate database records by returning to the source to ensure that we have the latest updates regarding your applicant's history.

Package Pricing: \$13.86

Includes:

- Validated Criminal Database
 - Validated Nationwide Sex Offender
 - Validated Department of Corrections
- Unlimited Single County Searches (7 year address history)*
- SSN Verification w/Address History
- Government Sanctions (Terrorist Search)

Notes:

*Some courts charge a mandatory fee. These are treated as pass-through fees to our clients and are clearly highlighted before processing the search.

Package Add-Ons

- Motor Vehicle Reports
- Employment Verifications
- Education Verifications
- Drug Testing
- Federal Criminal Searches
- Civil Searches
- I9/E-Verify
- Credit Reports



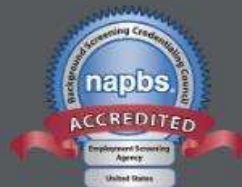
Program Benefits:

- Preferred pricing
- Criminal product validation
- Compliance information/online sample forms
- Personalized customer support
- System & product training sessions
- Secure online report ordering & retrieval

Please Note: Information and preferential pricing provided for U.S. Clubs only. Canadian Clubs should contact IntelliCorp for more information.

Sign-Up Today:

Click [here](#) and complete the first page of the registration process.



Contact:

Mike Terrell
 800-539-3717 x157
mterrell@intellincorp.net
www.intellincorp.net

Club Presidents: Please make copies of this Bulletin and distribute to the members of your club.

Useful Web Links

Optimist International Structure & Services:

http://www.optimistleaders.org/LeadershipInfo/ClubInfo/ClubAnswerBook/OI_Structure_&_Services.pdf

Club Organizational Model:

http://www.optimistleaders.org/TeachingMaterials/OfficerTraining/Club_Organization_Model.pdf

Optimist International Foundation:

The Optimist International Foundation is a 501C3 organization whose purpose is to receive and manage funds exclusively for the charitable, literary, or educational purposes of OI and its member clubs. See website link: <http://oifoundation.org/about-us/>

Official Optimist International Supplier: Shumsky www.OptimistStuff.com



Attention ALL Club Presidents

Presidents of all Clubs in the District serve as members of the District Board of Directors. Make sure to attend your Board meeting at every District Conference and at the Convention.

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