HUB CITY OPTIMIST CLUB
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## Facebook: Hub City Optimist Club of Saskatoon Inc.

HAPPY HCO NEW YEAR: Message from Past President Brent:
What a year it's been! It was my honor to be President of this fantastic club! As I look back on the year I have memories of a team working together all with one goal in mind,
"Optimist Mission by providing hope and positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in kids."
I'm proud to say I'm a member of this dedicated (from the heart) group. Thank you everyone for your support and to our new President Jasmine, I wish you a fantastic year and you have my full support.
STEAK NIGHT: Friday, September 15 - Dave K.
Location: Pleasureway Pub in Sasktel Sports Centre, 150 Nelson Road
Fantastic food, great fundraiser! Thank you to all that worked; Dave K., Jim D., Brent C., Kryssy B. and Cheryl C.
BLADES 50-50 TICKET SALES: Contact James D. and Brent C.
The new season of The Saskatoon Blades has begun. This is a large fundraiser for us.
We sell 50-50 tickets at select home games and are required to provide 4-5 people.
1st game for us is Friday, September 22. The whole schedule for us is in Goods and Goodies farther down.
To participate in selling call Brent C.

## Credit for Dues: 4 credits/game

$5^{\text {th }}$ ANNUAL SASKATOON FIRE FIGHTERS GALA: Stephanie C.
Poster is on the website (choose fundraiser).
Volunteers are needed! Contact Jim D.
Credit for dues: 15/book of 8 (doubles at $\mathbf{3}$ books, $3 /$ prize (doubles at 5 prizes, 10 credits for working event (3-10).
$1^{\text {ST }}$ QUARTER BOARD MEETING: Lloydminster, AB
Friday, October 20 and Saturday October 21
Anyone interested in going contact Brent C.
We will be presenting our scrapbook for judging.

## Credit for Dues: $\mathbf{3}$ credits/meeting $\mathbf{x} \mathbf{2}$ days of meetings $\mathbf{=} \mathbf{6}$ credits <br> WATSON ATV RALLY AND CHARTER PARTY Brent C.

Saturday, October 28
If planning to attend please tell Brent C. By Saturday, October $21^{\text {st }}$ so car pools can be arranged.
Also, if you have a vehicle please let Brent C. know to arrange car pools.
Credit for Dues: $\mathbf{2 0}$ credits
CREDIT FOR DUES: Cheryl C.
We are starting a new year of Credit for Dues. The first 100 credits will pay your dues for the HCO year of October 1, 2018 to September 30, 2019. After the first 100 your credits will accumulate to win prizes.
Any questions contact Cheryl C.

## GENERAL MEETING:

Venice House on Central Avenue. Large meeting room.
Start: 6:30 PM. We will order dinner first then start the meeting.
Monday, October 2- Passing of the gavel, induction of new executive and Optimist of the year is announced.
Monday, November 13- Guest speaker Jeff O'Brien.
Monday, December 11- Christmas get-together. "Work In Progress" will play Christmas music.
Credits for Dues: Members: $\mathbf{3}$ credits, Guests: $\mathbf{3}$ credits to the member that brings them.
BINGO: Coordinator: Bonnie W. (Contact Bonnie or Brent to work a bingo)
Friday, October 13: 6PM-midnight and midnight-3AM
Saturday, October 21: 6PM-midnight and midnight-3AM
Credits for Dues: Member working bingo will get 9 credits ( 8 hr . Bingo + $1 / 2$ before and $1 / 2 \mathrm{hr}$. after bingo) BLADES 50-50 SALES: James D. and Brent C.
Credits for Dues: 4 credits per game.

| GAME \# | DAY | DATE | TEAM | TIME | VOLUNTEER ARRIVAL TIME |
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| 1 | Friday | September 22, 2017 | Swift Current | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 2 | Friday | September 29, 2017 | Medicine Hat | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 5 | Wednesday | October 18, 2017 | Vancouver | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 6 | Tuesday | October 24, 2017 | Victoria | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 8 | Friday | November 10, 2017 | Swift Current | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 14 | Tuesday | December 12, 2017 | Lethbridge | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 17 | Wednesday | December 27, 2017 | Prince Albert | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 19 | Friday | January 5, 2018 | Red Deer | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 20 | Saturday | January 6, 2018 | Kootenay | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 21 | Wednesday | January 10, 2018 | Medicine Hat | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 26 | Wednesday | January 31, 2018 | Red Deer | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 27 | Tuesday | February 6, 2018 | Kootenay | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 31 | Sunday | February 25, 2018 | Moose Jaw | 2:05 PM | 12:30 PM |
| 33 | Tuesday | March 6, 2018 | Edmonton | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |
| 36 (last reg. game) | Saturday | March 17, 2018 | Prince Albert | 7:05 PM | 5:30 PM |

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES FOR 2017 More will be added as they become available
Approx. Number of Credits for Dues (based on 1 credit/hour worked)
$5^{\text {th }}$ Annual Saskatoon Fire Fighters Ladies Gala: October 14
$1^{\text {ST }}$ Quarter Board Meeting (Lloydminster, AB.): October 20, 21
Watson ATV Rally and Charter Party: October 28
Midtown Plaza set-up (decorating): November 11 and 12
Santa Parade (CSV): November 19?
Sutherland School holiday lunch: December
Secret Santa: December
Midtown Plaza take-down (decorations): December 27 and 28

## COMMITTEES

Social Committee: Chairperson Stephanie C.
Food Service (order and pick-up): Chairperson Dave K.
Bingo: Chairperson Bonnie W., Co-chair Brent C.
NOW Meeting: Chairperson Brent C.
Zone Meeting: Chairperson Brent C.
Sutherland School Grade 8 Grad: Chairperson Dave K.
Canada Day: Chairperson Brent C.
Cruise Weekend: Chairperson Dave K.
Respect For Law Poster Contest: Chairperson Stephanie C., Co-chair Cheryl C.
Midtown Plaza set-up and take-down (decorating): Chairperson Brent C.
Santa Parade (CSV): Chairperson Phil H.
Sutherland School Holiday Lunch: Chairperson Dave K.
Secret Santa: Chairperson Jasmine C., Co-chair Brent C.
Gala: Chairperson Stephanie C., Co-chair Cheryl C., Ellen G., Kryssy B., Shelley M., Brent C., Jasmine C., James D., Shayne A., Bea M., Brent D. and Gayleen F.

Meeting Coordinator: Chairperson Cheryl C.
Credits for Dues Program: Chairperson Cheryl C.
Goods and Goodies: Chairperson Cheryl C.
Scrapbook: Chairperson Kryssy B.
EXECUTIVE: 2017-2018

PRESIDENT: Jasmine Card
PAST PRESIDENT: Brent Card
PRESIDENT - ELECT:
VICE PRESIDENTS:
DIRECTORS: TWO YEARS: Kryssy Babich and Ray Preston
ONE YEAR: Bea Markowsky and Jessica Nunes
SECRETARY/TREASURER: Brent Card

## GOODY FOR GOODIES

Halloween Snack Mix
1/2 Cup blood drops (red hots)
1/2 Cup cats eyes (blanched almonds) or (gum drops)
1/2 Cup cats claws (sunflower seeds)
1 Cup chicken toenails (candy corn)
1 Cup colored flies ( M \& $\mathrm{M}^{\prime}$ s)
1 Cup butterfly wings (corn chips)
1 Cup ants (raisins)
1 Cup earthworms (cheese curls)
1 Cup cobwebs (Triscuits) or (Golden Grahams)
1 Cup snakes eyes (peanuts)
1 Cup bats bones (shoestring potatoes)

Preparation: Mix together in a large bowl. Serve with several pints of blood (cherry punch).

## 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, to work only for the best, and to 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 you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that 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.

