



HOWARD SUAMICO OPTIMISTS-  Find us on Facebook
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NOTICE:

\$12.00 Lunch Price Increase

Please bring correct amount if possible.

*****THE NEW LOCATION FOR OUR NOON MEETINGS
WILL BE 1951/ROCK GARDEN**

~ELECTION RESULTS~

President: Jeff Devroy

Vice President: Alex Peterson

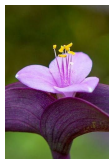
Vice President: Paula Pyle

Director: Brandon Devroy

Director: Marshall Fay

Director: Steve Kubacki

**Congratulations & Thank You
for getting involved in the Club and
volunteering your time for these very
important positions!**



Our sympathy to Steve Kersten & family. His father Elroy passed away.

<https://www.blaneyfuneralhome.com/obituary/elroy-kersten?fbclid=IwAR0qcqv-plJq-nvvwVayqRyd5libYDlojYfBjMkkcxnV9-liYx-JFLaYCss>



Howard Suamico Optimists presented a check for \$3000 to the Howard YMCA today. This donation was made possible by all of those who attended Pancakes and Porkies with Santa in December.



Josh Bushmaker was presented with a Citation for being Treasurer for the Winum District last year.



Speedy Recovery Wishes to Jim Kellam who suffered a stroke while in Florida.



MEMORIAL DAY PARADE MONDAY MAY 27TH @ 10AM

Help the club get the word out there in our community!

Got a fancy old car you'd like to show off in the parade?

**Got children or grandchildren that would like to walk the parade
and hand out candy?? Or would YOU??**

Contact Jeff Devroy 920-615-2809 or Tina@gmail.com 920-471-8264 ASAP!!

~ Foundation Corner ~



On Tuesday April 23 at the weekly Optimist lunch meeting, Paula Pyle made a generous donation in the amount of \$250.00 to the Howard-Suamico Optimist Community Foundation. Associated Bank has a program for their employees called Roots in Our Community. This program connects

colleagues with a variety of opportunities to support community engagement and volunteerism. They recognize the incredible efforts of their colleagues who offer their personal time to an array of important causes throughout their footprint. Paula has demonstrated over many years how passionate she is for the youth in this Community and her willingness to “continuously” reach out and provide her support whenever needed. As a part of the Roots in OurCommunity volunteer program, Associated Bank recognizes colleagues for their service, and awards volunteer grants to nonprofit organizations. This is based on the employees total number of hours accumulated for the year. Employees will select from their volunteer opportunities, the organizations they support and would like to donate the funds too.

Thank you for choosing the Howard-Suamico Foundation Paula!!!!



FOUNDATION BRAT FRY & BAKE SALE

Saturday May 11 (day before Mother's Day) 9am - 4pm

Location: same as past years: Piggly Wiggly

Schedules: Volunteers needed for a Am shift

and PM shift with an overlap of volunteers at noon.

We will get the Bay Port students involved again with their bake sale, which is a huge hit for Mother's Day Family gatherings. We will split the bake sale profits with the students as we have in the past where they generated over \$300 total.

Please contact Dan or myself to volunteer a few hours that day, make some baked goods or simply bring the Family out for lunch! Everyone can help in some way!!!

Thank you in advance for your support!!!!!!

Mary Joan & Dan O'Leary (920) 819-2767 or e-mail: moleary@foth.com

WINUM District Conference/Convention Dates: 2019

<http://wisconsinoptimist.org/members-clubs/conferences-conventions/>

3rd Quarter Conference – May 3 & 4, 2019

Fairfield Inn, Weston, WI

4th Quarter Conference – September 20 & 21, 2019

29 Pines, Eau Claire, WI

Optimist International Convention – July 1-3, 2019

Louisville, Kentucky

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD ANYTHING TO THE NEWSLETTER, PLEASE LET TINA SEIFERT KNOW BEFORE THE LAST WEEK OF THE MONTH TO GET IT IN THE NEWSLETTER.

**PLEASE GET THE NAMES OF YOUR SPEAKERS IN THE MONTH BEFORE ALSO:
HSOPTIMISTCLUB@GMAIL.COM**

June- Steve Dill

July – Harold Peterson

August – Tina Seifert

Sept – Mike Kerschling

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS

May 11 Brat Fry & Bake Sale

May 27 Memorial Day Parade

June 12 Golden Agers @ Rock Garden

Sept 1 Booyah Sale (Prep the day before 8/31)

Nov 7 Daddy D - The Decades (60's, 70's & 80's)

PLEASE VOLUNTEER FOR AT LEAST ONE EVENT

Howard-Suamico Historical Society

Books Needed for the Used Book Sale We are collecting used books for our annual used book sale. We have about 50 boxes of books collected and are hoping to have 200 or more boxes of books by the time the sale takes place in August. The sale will take place at Life Bridge Church, 2496 Glendale Avenue in the Village of Howard on August 8 as part of the village wide sidewalk sale. We collect books at the Suamico Village Hall, Kimps Ace Hardware and Thornberry Cottage. We will also pick up books being donated by calling Tim Rasmussen at 920-434-3514.

****A NOTE FROM KATHY ZASADA @ THE YMCA**

Wondering if you would be willing to pass on the info regarding our need for the Cellcom opportunities to your service clubs that you are involved in. If you are volunteering maybe you can encourage them to volunteer with you.

Thanks for your help, we really need a lot more volunteers so thinking of any way recruit them.

The YMCA has been fortunate to be one the charity partners for the Cellcom Marathon the past 4 years and have received over \$100,000 for our Full Circle Program for children with Autism. We are still in need of about 150 volunteers to help out in the areas the Y is responsible for. Help is needed both Saturday, May 18th and Sunday, May 19th. Please consider helping out or helping to spread the word about this great volunteer opportunity. This is a family friendly volunteer event so children and teens are encourage to volunteer too.

Saturday, May 18th Green Bay Distillery Parking Lot

Food Tent 8:30-12:00 p.m.

Beverage Tent (must be 18) 9:00- 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 19th Leicht Park (downtown)

Food Tent 8:00-12:00 p.m. or 11:30-2:30 p.m.

Beverage Tent (must be 18) 11:00-2:30 p.m.

Handing out Fruit at the finish line 10:30-2:30 p.m.

Half Marathon Course Corner Monitors (Various corners along the route)

7:30-10:00 a.m.

8:00-11:00 a.m.

*****To sign up email Kathy.wucherer@greenbayymca.org your First and Last Name, which shift you would like to do, your email and shirt size or you can sign up using the link <https://www.comevolunteer.com/events/12714-cellcom-green-bay-marathon/volunteer>**

**Upcoming Board of
Directors Meeting**

May 20 , 2019

Townline 6pm

SPEAKERS FOR MAY

Mary Joan O'Leary

MAY 7

Ron Di Orio (author of : "What Really Happened at Cormier Station: The Memoirs of a Haunted Building.") Ron Di Orio is a US Navy veteran who used to own Cloud Nine Furniture Restoration in Howard. Ron and his wife battled through several years of terrifying supernatural happenings in and around the building before finally closing the business. True Story!
His Publisher will accompany him:
Mike Dauplaise

MAY 14

Reach a Child
9th Annual Appreciation Lunch -
(Law week)

MAY 21

Oratorical/Essay Contest
Winners – sponsor Diane
Schmidtke

MAY 28

Stephanie Kaufman (YMCA)
sponsor – Katy Zasada

Tuesday Noon Meetings

April 2, 2019

Birthdays: Larry Kaderabek, Harold
Pfotenhauer

Anniversaries:

50/50: Andy Pfotenhauer

Queen of Hearts: Dave Koertge



Welcome to Shad Loch with Take 'Em Outdoors. Shad established his non profit after his terminally ill friend had the experience of getting to do a hunt as a final wish. Take 'Em Outdoors not only grants outdoor adventures to individuals with life threatening illnesses, they also arrange hunts for combat wounded veterans. They bring equipment with modifications to allow vets of all physical abilities to enjoy a safe and comfortable outdoor adventure.

<http://www.takeemoutdoors.org/>

April 9, 2019

Birthdays: Harold Peterson

Anniversaries:

50/50: Katie Peters

Queen of Hearts: Dave Koertge





May Birthdays

11 - Dale Phillips
12 - Gregg Halvorsen
13 - Mike Kirschling
14 - Vern Peterson
17 - Doug Vine

May Anniversaries

2 - Adam & Mary Kersten
3 - Darold & Pat Cichocki
8 - Vern & Wendy Peterson
8 - Ken & Mary Alice Hornick
26 - Steve and Cheryl Kubacki
26 - Gerald & Judy Van
Enkenvort
27 - Steve & Lori Dill
30 - Dennis & Jeanne Winkler

Welcome to Jim Sweeney Information & Assistance Specialists with Brown County Aging and Disability Resource Center. ARDC strives to improve lives of older adults, adults with disabilities and caregivers through collaboration and partnerships. You can support ADRC with a tasty visit to Grounded Cafe at the ADRC which is non-profit and provides individuals of all abilities job opportunities.

April 16, 2019

Birthdays: Mike Blaney

Anniversaries:

50/50: Katie Peters

Queen of Hearts: Harold Peterson



Thank you to our member Lisa Hochevar who gave an interactive presentation on mortgages. She explained many of the complicated terms related to home financing, explained the history of the mortgage industry and gave tips for first time buyers.

April 23, 2019 - Rock Garden

Birthdays: Wendy Heim & Lance Zimdars

Anniversaries: Steve & Kathleen Kersten

50/50: Jim Felmer

Queen of Hearts: Rick Colberg

**Be Doers of the Word:
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,
to 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 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.



Welcome to Eileen Gossen with NeighborWorks Green Bay. NeighborWorks strengthens our community by promoting homeownership and promoting housing choices. In addition to talking about the services offered, Eileen offered some great financial tips for retirees.

April 30, 2019 ~ ELECTION DAY ~

Birthdays: None

Anniversaries: Wendy & Ron Heim
Adam & Mary Kersten, Darold & Pat Cichocki

50/50: Steve Kersten

Queen of Hearts: Emile Gardiner



Congratulations President Jeff Devroy, VP Paula Pyle and Director Marshall Fay. Not pictured: VP Alex Peterson, Director Brandon Devroy & Steve Kubacki.

~ THE END ~

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