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KFC specialist Randy Hampton led us this morning in giving thanks for a beautiful day along with good friends. We had another good turnout with 45+ members.

GUESTS

Joe Marci invited his friend John Stoffel to join us, as well as John Fontes, who was Tom Marquez guest. Welcome, gentlemen, please come again.

DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

This is your last chance to sign up for the second quarter board meeting if you already have not. Again, it will be held Sun., Feb. 8, in Colo. Springs. If you would like to go, there is always plenty of room, but you need to contact Curt Lorenzen for lunch reservations. The club picks up the cost for all members. All members attending must wear their Optimist pins.

EXCELSIOR BOWL-A-THON

This event has finally arrived. It is Sat., Jan. 31, at 11:00am. Monaco South has fielded two teams, and will be donating the remainder of the Christmas Party money - \$230. If you would like to bowl, or would like to root the team on, please come.

TRI-STAR BASKETBALL

Randy Hampton announced that the competition will be held next week on Sat., Feb. 7, at 2:00 to 5:00. All kids from 8 to 13 are welcome to compete. We always need to show as much support as possible, so please try to show up and give Randy a hand. It is being held at Holm School.

BOWLING

Our illustrious bowling team redeemed itself last night by winning all four games. The effort was led by Bill Morgan, who bowled a 207 game, and ended up with a 526 series. Carl Burgess was a close second, with a 204. Congratulations, guys!! How come you never bowled like that when I was on the team??

VISITATION

On Thur., Jan 29, our club made an official visitation to the Heather Ridge club. As you know, this is the club we sponsored some three years ago. Their president was presented with a check for \$230 for their manpower on the tree lot. Thanks, guys! Members present were: Joe Marci, Bob Hugo, Bob Avery, Curt Lorenzen, Oscar Sorensen, Tom Mauro, Bill Morgan, Lupe Salinas, Bill Eddy, Tom Marquez, Pete Peterson, Tom Evans, Jerry Staples, John Young, Larry Stevensen, Bill Swigert, and Kent Gloor. This club's most active project is working with Excelsior, and they have been doing a great job.

BOARD MEETING

President Curt reminded us that Tue., Feb. 3, is the next scheduled monthly board meeting. All board members must attend, and all members are welcome and urged to attend. It will be at Curt Jeffries house, at 2998 So. Verbena Way.

GREAT AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP TOUR

Charlie Korsoski reminded us that next Fri., Feb. 6, is the day scheduled for the Super Citizen winners to collect their prize. They will be accompanied by several of the members from our club for a tour of the Air Force Academy. This program is the largest our club runs, and is definately making some better citizens. Charlie will report on this trip in two weeks.

SUPER BOWL

Even tho me'n the Broncos lost, apparently someone did win. The football pool run by Pat Bush, of which half the proceeds went to youth soccer, produced Mike Shirack as a \$100 winner. See Mike, it pays to be an Optimist!!

BETTER AIR

As it was so aptly put by the announcer, Frederico called, and asked that we take down the signs that we put up. So on very short notice, those that got hornswaggled into putting up the signs got assigned to take them down tomorrow. Thanks guys, I will breathe better for your efforts!! Also, Get well soon to the chairman of this activity - Bill Litchfield.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Tom Mauro announced that the nominating committee for officers for next year will meet on Thur., Feb. 5, at 7:00pm, at Tom Mauro's house. (7834 E. Colgate Pl.) Those appointed to the committee are asked to attend.

WIVES TO BREAKFAST

This once-a-year activity is soon approaching. Again, we will have the three finalists of the Essay Contest present to give their essays. Speaker for the day will be Jake Jabbs. As usual, it promises to be a great time, so bring your wife or significant other!!

50's PARTY

No, gentlemen, this event has not been forgotten!! Thanks to the efforts of Randy Hampton, Bob Avery, and Curt Lorenzen, it is in the planning stages. If you are interested in helping in the planning, please give Randy a call. (750-3031)

PROGRAM

Our speaker this morning was none other than fellow member Mike Flannagan. Mike has been with Re-Max central for 15 years, and is a very qualified speaker on real estate. Mike reminded us that even though the Colorado economy is down, more commercial land was sold in 1986 than any other year. The New tax laws will have an affect on investments, but certain strategies can be worked out to make the new law work for you. Mike also indicated that very rarely is real estate a bad investment, and at this time it is a buyers market, because of all the forclosures in the residential market. Thanks, Mike, for a most informative discussion.

MIKE MILLER AWARD

Dave Butler, Tom Mauro, and Tom Marquez shared in this morning's booty. Mike Miller was rumored to have asked for a recount.

CALENDAR

January 31	Excelsior Bowl-a-thon
February 3	Citizenship awards at Southmoor
February 6	(P)Lisa Bailey - Project Business
	Citizenship winners visit to Air Force Academy
February 7	Tri-star Basketball Competition at Holm
February 8	District Board Meeting at Colo. Springs

NEWSFLASH!! Patrick Bowlen is apparently moving the team to the Phillipines. Their name is to be changed to "The Manila Folders"

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