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The Optimist Club of Monaco South - Denver, Colorado

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John Moser led us with the Invocation on this very beautiful but cold day after Christmas. The meeting room was unusually full of short people.

## GUESTS

We had many future members this morning. They are as follows: Jeff & Scott Middleton, Billy, Bob, and Ruth Swigert, Jamie Oswalt(Morgan), Evan Sotiriou, Andrea & Amy Mauro, Julie Sorensen, Mia & Philip Salinas, Lisa & Matt Gustas, Eric & Katie Campbell, Paul & Scott Pasternack, Sheila and Kathy Jeffries, and Melinda & Jennifer Gloor. We also had Gene Morgan, father of Bill. Welcome, everyone. Glad to have you with us.

## GET WELL SOON

A special "Get Well " to Joe' Eddy, who just got home from the hospital. Please hurry up and get better. I'm sure your kids can't live too much longer on Bill's cooking!!

## TREE LOT

Joe Marci announced those gentlemen that helped out this year with 9 hours or more. They were Kent Gloor, Charlie Korsoski, Bill Morgan, Bill Litchfield, Mike Lively, Ralph Pederson, Don Thompson, John Young, Bill Eddy, Bob Avery, Bill Swigert, Mike Shirack, Bob Finklemeier, Dave Butler, Paul Bernard, Mark Campbell, Peter Dashiell, Ron Gustas, Dave Roberts, Ken Schlagel, Larry Sward. Those with 20 hours or more were:

21 Pat Bush, Bob Hugo	41½ Tom Evans	56½ Oscar Sorensen
26½ Tom Mauro	47½ Marlin Kent	66½ Lupe Salinas & Curt Jeffries
31 Coy Horton	54 Curt Lorenzen	69 Joe Marci
38½ Frank Middleton	56 Randy Hampton	

Monaco South put in a total of 906½ hrs., and Heather Ridge 66 hrs. Thanks to all those who helped.

## CHRISTMAS BASKETS

We had 11 Optimists show up at Howards house last Sat. to distribute baskets. They were: Oscar Sorensen, Tom Evans, Marlin Kent, Ron Gustas, Howard Engleberg, Pat Bush, Bill Litchfield, Mike Shirack, Curt Lorenzen, Tom Mauro, Curt Jeffries. It was reported that these families really appreciated the help, and the optimists involved had a great time. Good Job, Guys!!

## EXCELSIOR CHRISTMAS PARTY

Bill Swigert informed us that the annual event went just great. Due to the number of girls present, each optimist and wife had two girls. Extra presents were supplied by the club, so every girl received a gift. Those attending were: John & Claire Young, Curt & Cindy Lorenzen, Bill & Carolyn Morgan, Curt & Dottie Jeffries, Sheila Jeffries, Kathy Jeffries, Coy & Ruthie Horton, Bill & Diane Swigert. Good food and much caroling gave way to a most enjoyable evening for all.

## VISITATION

On Monday, Dec. 22, a visit was made to the South Denver Club, who meet at Strawberrys. We had nine members present, so this qualified as an official visitation. Members present were: Curt Lorenzen, Tom Mauro, Doug Morton, Bill Morgan, Jerry Whitlow, Pat Bush, Oscar Sorensen, Gil Duran, and Bill Anderson. We also now have a membership bet with them which involves a case of Heinekens. They are in need of members, so lets hope they win!!

## BOARD MEETING

President Curt reminded us that the January Board Meeting will be held Tue., Jan 6, at Curt Jeffries house (2998 So. Verbena Way). Attendance for board members is mandatory, and for all other members is welcomed. If you have not done so, attend a meeting and provide some input for a better club.

## PROJECT BUSINESS

Bill Morgan announced that he still needs men willing to teach a project business class at one of our junior high schools. This program is not only very beneficial to kids in learning our Free Enterprise System, but is also a lot of fun. If you can help out, please contact Bill (722-7094).

SANTA PROJECT

Bill Litchfield announced that this project carried out on Christmas Eve gave two families a Christmas they otherwise would not have had. Trees, food, presents, and Good Will were delivered. It is not clear who had the best time; the recipients or the benefactors!!

EXCELSIOR BOWL-A-THON

Curt Lorenzen informed us of this upcoming fundraiser - a bowl-a-thon to help raise funds for a new facility at the Excelsior campus. We will be joining with four other clubs to form teams. If you can help, please see Pres. Curt.

PROGRAM

The Amazing Jeffries made his grand entrance, and held the kids spellbound for a half an hour. Among his many sleight of hand tricks could be heard "how did he do that? Thanks, Arch, for a most enjoyable time!!

MIKE MILLER AWARD

We had eight lucky recipients this A.M.: Matt Gustas, Katie Campbell, Evan Sotiriou, Joey Marci, Melinda Gloor, Philip Salinas, Pat Bush, and Little Al Brunner.

CALENDAR

January 13                      Citizenship presentation at Southmoor (10:15)  
Programs scheduled for the months of Jan. and Feb. will include Jake Jabbs, a rep. from the Nuggets, and Delta Air.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!  
PLEASE DRIVE CAREFULLY

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*	<u>MEETING PLACE</u>	*
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*	AZAR's 7105 East Hampden Ave.	*
*	DENVER, COLORADO	*
*	Every FRIDAY morning at 7:00 A.M.	*
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