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The Optimist Club of Monaco South - Denver, Colorado

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The invocation was given this morning by our illustrious Lieutenant Governor Frank Middleton. Frank led the prayers for a great year at the tree lot.

This was the morning of the sons. Duane Wehrer brought his son Duane, and Mike Miller brought his son Tim. Welcome, Future Optimists!!! Welcome also to George Blair, Aurora Lunch Opt. President.

Frank Middleton went over the rules for the tree lot for this year. Shifts will be for three hours each. The sign-up sheet will be at the Fri. meeting, and at the lot the rest of the week. Randy Hampton is in charge of manpower, so if you have any problems, call Randy (750-3031) Weekdays will have two per shift, and three to four on weekends. If you sign-up, you are expected to be there. If you can't, you are expected to find a replacement. If you can't, call Randy. Nine hours at the lot will get you a tree at ½ price. No other beverages other than those in the trailer are allowed on the lot; and these must be consumed in the trailer.

NEW MEMBER

Kent Gloor announced that his guest Mike Shirack filled out his request for membership. Glad to have you, Mike!!

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Oscar Sorensen indicated that we had 10 members participate in acquiring 5 T.G. baskets, and distributed them last Sat. Those were. John Young, Doug Morton, Tom Evans, Dave Roberts, Bill Litchfield, Bob Avery, Carl Burgess, Curt Lorenzen, Marlin Kent, and Oscar Sorensen. They even had money left over for X-mas Baskets. Good Job, Guys!!!

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Annual Monaco South X-mas Party will be held Fri., Dec. 12, at the Happy Canyon Clubhouse. Party starts at 7:00. As last year, please bring an hors d'ouvres. A map will be included in the newsletter next week.

BOYS CLUB DINNER

The dinner for all boys who could attend from the Boys Club was held Tue., at 5:30. had 22 Optimists there to help serve the meal as provided by Bill Walter's catering co. at cost. The boys were very appreciative, and gave the Optimists a card signed by them. Those attending were: O. C. Larson, Ralph Pederson, Coy Horton, Monte Hoyt, Bill Morgan, Howard Engleberg, Bob Avery, Lupe Salinas, Curt Jeffries, Curt Lorenzen, Russ Paul, Tom Evans, Tom Mauro, Mark Campbell, Bill Swigert, Dave Butler, Dean Sotiriou, Larry Sward, Oscar Sorensen, John Young, Kent Gloor, Bill Walters, and one of Bill's employees, Mike. As usual, this event was a smash hit!!!

BOARD MEETING

The monthly board meeting will be held Tue., Dec. 2, at Curt Lorenzen's house - 2033 So. High St. As always, all members are invited. If you haven't been to a board meeting, you should go and see how the club is run.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

President Curt announced those members who have had perfect attendance for the past year. Missed meetings may be made up by participating in activities, or by having an excused absence. Award winners are as follows:

Bob Avery Tom Evans Curt Jeffries Curt Lorenzen Ralph Pederson Duane Wehrer Pete Peterson

Al Brunner Bob Finkelmeier Marlin Kent Joe Marci Oscar Sorensen John Young

Carl Burgess Bob Hugo Charley Korsoski Tom Mauro Larry Stevenson Bill Morgan

Pat Bush Arch Jeffries Bill Litchfield Frank Middleton Bill Swigert Ron Gustas

BOW TYING PARTY

Marlin Kent reported that the Christmas Wreath bow tying party at Randy Hampton's house was a complete sucsess. Attendees partook in movie watching and popcorn eating while preparing the bows. Agood time was had by all.

PROGRAM

The program was cancelled this morning due to lack of interest.

MIKE MILLER AWARD

We had two winners this morning: Don Thompson and "Little" Duane Wehrer. CALENDAR

December 12	Citizenship presentation at Holm School
	Annual Christmas Party
December 19	Citizenship presentation at Samuels School
December 20	Excelsior Christmas Party

BRIDGE MARATHON STANDINGS

After Oct. scores were in, Curt and Dottie Jeffries were the leading couple with 3150 points. They were ably assisted by Marlin and Emma Kent who substituted for them in the first month. John and Claire Young with an outstanding 4690 points in November lead the twelve couples for the first two months. Listed below are the first half scores:

Ken & Jean Pastor 2830 John & Claire Young 7320 Coy & Ruthie Horton 5500 Monte Hoyt & Marcia Carpenter 2350 Joe & Kathy Marci 5820 Curt & Dottie Jeffries 4780 Larry & Phyllis Richter 4230 Jim & Jeanine Stookesberry 3130 Todd & Becky Olsen 4170 Dave Butler & Tob Hendrickson 5110 Bob & Janna Hugo Marlin & Emma Kent 3170

Play will resume in February. Have a Happy Holiday Season!!

Joe Marci

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Tom Evans	Paul Bernard
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