



# “Optimist OPTICS”

*"Helping Kids, Now and for the Future"*



John Perkins - President

## Optimist Club of Evansville - Downtown

### This Week's Program

Feb 28th - Abigail Adler  
Ronald McDonald House

### Next Week's Program

Mar 14th -  
TBA



Ed Harrison Memorial Golf Scramble

Financial Support

YMCA Camp Carson



Our meeting on Wednesday, February 14 was a used as a business meeting, as our speaker was out with the flu. President John led the group in the invocation and pledge to our flag. We were missing our optimist creed flags this meeting due to a key mix up. President John stated that we would do an extra great job next time to make up for it.

President John walked the group through committee sign up chart and briefly went through the projects that we covered last year. The committee listing was circled throughout the group and several signed up for spots on the listing. The listing will be sent out to the members via email to complete the listing for the remainder of the year.

There were a few returnees that missed the meeting in memorial of Don Julian. Mike briefly recapped the meeting, which several mentioned they really enjoyed. Ron has posted a video of Don on the Facebook page so members who missed the meeting can view the tribute to a wonderful man's life.

Mike and Gary gave a great update on the 100-year anniversary celebrate that they have been working on with the club. While it is a few years away, they emphasized that we need to continue thinking about fundraising as we need to get the program completed and printed well in advanced. Gary also mentioned that it would be nice to have the member's picture taken for the directory. Additional ideas were shared with the group regarding organization, sponsorships, etc.

John Perkins



**Meetings: 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 11:45am**  
**Old National Bank Building, Downtown; Blue and Gold Room**  
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