

## **CLUB YOUTH APPRECIATION WEEK COMMITTEE**

**PURPOSE:** To dedicate the second full week in November for recognizing and appreciating local youth for their efforts in community service and other areas of excellence.

**PERSONNEL:** The Committee should consist of 1-6 members including the Chair. The Committee should have contact with organizations where young people are involved.

### **DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- To plan new, and continue developing existing Youth Appreciation Week Programs annually for the Club. Dates?
- Consider monthly or weekly recognition programs
- Contact local newspapers as well as radio and television stations to include information regarding the recognition of the “good kids” in the community.

**RESOURCES:** “Web-site” <http://www.optimist.org/> and click on Forms & Publications.

- Review the on-line directives of the Optimist International Programs Planning Guide at “Club Programs of Community Service.” Select the Youth Appreciation Week tab.
- Review the Youth Appreciation Planning Pages.

**ACTION PLANS:** Plan, promote and conduct a Youth Appreciation Week activity that will showcase and recognize the abilities and potential of young people today.

- a) What is going to be done?
- b) Who is going to do it?
- c) When is it going to be completed?