

# **NORTH PERIMETER OPTIMIST CLUB**

***"Optimists...Bringing Out the Best In Our Youth, The Community, and Ourselves"***

## **NEXT WEEK'S MEETING:**

**<<<TUESDAY, MARCH 21<sup>TH</sup> 7:00 AM>>**

**Campbell-Stone, 350 Carpenter Dr., Sandy Springs**

## **NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKER**

**\*\*\* Billy's Special...Bill Comer \*\*\***

## **UPCOMING SPEAKERS & EVENTS & PROGRAMS**

**April 4<sup>th</sup>: Debbie Dooley..Tea Party Patriots...Bill Comer**

**April 8<sup>th</sup>: Easter Egg Hunt at Hammond Park**

**May 5-8<sup>th</sup>: Quarterly Conference at Marriott Windward Pkwy. District \ Oratorical Finals.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES, ETC.**

**LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 13 Members, our guest speaker and one guest.**

**GUESTS: Mike Merlot, Guest of Ed May**

## **UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

4/4 Pat Harris

4/5 Norm & Lois Plotkin

4/8 Sarah & Charles Moore Anniversary

4/7 Bob Zehnder

4/9 Juanita Alvarez

4/13 Tony & Peggy Clarke

4/17 Lois Plotkin

4/22 Mary Drye

4/23 Barbara & Jack Liptak

4/25 Bill Harris

4/30 Joe & Jin Pyen

## **LAST WEEK**

**LAST WEEK'S SPEAKER: MICHAEL PERRY, Sandy Springs Parks & Recreation was our speaker. Mike has been in the business for many years and spent the last twenty five years as head of the Alpharetta Parks & Recreation. He is just learning the ropes here in Sandy Springs and is working on a master plan for the city. Sandy Springs problem is lack of green space that can be used as a park, and Mike said that any type of development is always met with resistance. He also said that many residents would like a dog park in more than one location.**

**#1 TICKET: MARK CADY**

**#2 TICKET: PHYZ LEMMOON**

### Thoughts for the Day:

“Do not allow negative thoughts to enter your mind for they are weeds that strangle confidence.”..Bruce Lee, martial artist

“Truth-tellers are not always palatable. There is a preference for candy bars.”..Gwendolyn Brooks, poet

“No one is going to pay much attention to the person who has no confidence in themselves.”...Napoleon Hill, author.

“In most cases men willingly believe what they wish.”...Julius Caesar, emperor

### **2016-2017 Officers & Directors**

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**Club Meets Each Tuesday at 7:00 AM at Campbell-Stone,**  
**350 Carpenter Drive, Sandy Springs, GA 30328**  
**Board Meeting the last Friday of each month at J.Christophers 7:00 AM**  
***All Members Welcome!***

## **OPTIMIST CREED.....*Promise Yourself.....***

- To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.***
- To talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person you meet.***
- To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.***
- To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.***
- To think only for the best, to work only for the best, and to expect only the best.***
- To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.***
- To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.***
- To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.***
- To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.***
- To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.***