

Optimemo

NEXT MEETING
January 18, 2006

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Gasthaus 12:00 Noon

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 9, 2006 is the date of the Club Oratorical Contest and your help would be most appreciated! Oratorical Contest Chair Art Hopkins shall circulate a sign-up sheet at upcoming meetings and has a number of responsibilities to fill.

Nut Sales: Don't forget to give Andy LaVoi any money made off of nut sales. Andy also needs all the clear plastic sign "standups" returned to him so that they can be used next year.

Next Board Meeting: Tuesday, February 7 at 7:30 a.m., Kalypso Restaurant. *Please note that this is the first Tuesday of the month.*

LAST MEETING

Assistant Fire Chief (and Optimist Member) Steven Howard gave a presentation on the unfortunate fire which recently consumed a large portion of the Evangelical & Reformed United Church of Christ. Steve's PowerPoint presentation included 'before and after' photos as well as photos of firefighters combating the blaze. Our own Joe Jackson is a member of the Church, and many past Club members worshipped there as well. Steve explained how the investigation into the cause of the fire eventually resulted in the conclusion that candles which had not been put out led to the tragic fire. Thank you very much, Steve, for an informative, educational presentation.

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

January 18: Presentation on the Waukesha Optimists' new website by Miles Eastman

February 1: Jim Pialla, presentation on his recent trip to Turkey

LAME LAWYER JOKE OF THE WEEK

Q: What's the problem with lawyer jokes?

A: Lawyers don't think they're funny, and nobody else thinks they're jokes!