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Dr. Ed Fankhauser led us in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance today.

Guests

Along with our professional guest, Fred Pasternak, who was with us and celebrated his (?) birthday today, we had a host of guests. We had so many that it requires listing:

Henry Lansing, guest of Tom Mauro
Len Vest, guest of Tom Mauro
Keith Bouchard, guest of Duane Wehrer
Jim Witter, guest of Duane Wehrer
Rich Christy, guest of Bill Eddy
Tom Glennon, guest of Bob Avery
George Bossman, guest of Bill Walters

Now this is the kind of listing we like and it will be even better to have the listing changed from "guest" to "new member". It's great to have all of you with us -- and being Optimists, we can say -- We'll see you all again!

District Convention

President Bob gave a brief summary of this year's District Convention activities. He noted that Monaco South won first place in the District for its Citizenship Project. He showed everyone the patch which was presented by Gov. Keathley for the honor and it will be put on the Club's Awards Banner. President Bob commended both Charlie Korsoski, guiding force for the project, and Curt Jefferies who put the report together for tremendous efforts.

Canoe Trip

Professional guest, Fred, announced that the planned canoeing trip has been postponed from August 24, 25 to September 7 & 8. It seems more people are needed and this will give more time for those more people to sign up. If you're interested contact Fred Pasternak or Joe Marci.

Rugby's Paint-A-Thon

Rugby Spoden told us all about the Paint-A-Thon last Saturday (August 17) but he forgot to tell us about his birthday last week -- but he got the great singing anyway! Anyway, Rugby and his small band of painters got the mobile home of a needy senior citizen all painted, and they didn't even get tired. Good job guys.

Organization

Our worthy President Elect, Tom Mauro, again reminded everyone that a few spots are still open on next year's organization diagram. If you have a favorite activity and want to guide that, now is the time to volunteer. There are over 50 youth and community activities that our Club is involved in during the year and certainly there is one which is your favorite. If you just want to be involved in a certain activity, let Tom know and sign up for it.

Membership

Pat Bush, our membership chairman, again stressed the need to bring in six new members before September 30 in order to get Honor Club for us again this year. With all the guests we have each week, that goal should be reached soon. So bring a guest who will become a member and help earn Honor Club!

Easter Seal Benefit

Optimist softball team is the way to help the Easter Seal Benefit. We have about 14 signed up to play ball and meet the "Bush Challenge". Pat has the game scheduled for 10 A.M. Sunday, September 15, at Highland Park in Aurora. You can go to early church and be at the game by 10. See Pat to sign up.

Installation Banquet

Don't forget -- it's Friday, September 27, 6:30-9:30 P.M. at the Golden Rose Restaurant atop Lookout Mountain. The cost will be \$15.00 per person for a great Bill Walters catered dinner. Be there and support our new officers.

Golf at Grand Lake

The Club's first Annual Grand Lake Golf Tournament was a great success. The weather last Friday was good and so was the golf results. Dean Jensen, Doug Gill's guest, took low net, longest drive on #1 and closest to the pin on #16. Second low net went to Keith Bouchard, Duane Wehrer's guest, and Duane "sandbagger" Wehrer took third low net himself. Another Wehrer guest, Jim Witter, pulled in fourth low net. Finally, Rich Christy, Bill Eddy's guest finished with fifth low net. Best players in each respective group were Dean Jensen, Bill Eddy, Duane Wehrer and Tom Glennon, a guest of Bob Avery. It's not over yet -- Doug Gill has a September tournament planned and we'll get details next week.

Dues Change Notice

The Board of Directors has recommended a change in dues structure beginning October 1, 1985. A notice of such change is being forwarded to each Club member.

Essay Contest

We'll do it this year and Joe Marci will head it up. He will need some help so be a volunteer. See Joe and get the details.

Program

Tom Mauro introduced our speaker, Ed Fogle, Vice President of United Bank of Denver. Ed told us all about Municipal and Government Bond Programs - maybe not all but certainly enough to capture our interest. "Interest" - that's what it's all about but there is a relationship between more interest and more risk and that's what we need to know more about. Thanks Ed, come see us again - we like interest!

SPECIAL NOTE

We are all saddened by the passing of our District Governor Designate, Verne Shelley. Our prayers are with his family.

CALENDAR:	August 30	Junior Achievement
	September 6	Good Citizenship with Charlie Korsoski
	September 20	John Mrozek - Stapleton Airfield
	September 27	Scott Friedman - Fishin for a Mission
	September 27	Officer Installation Banquet

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