



# JACKSONVILLE JOTTINGS

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**OPTIMIST**  
INTERNATIONAL

*Friend of Youth*

*Optimist International Mission Statement—By providing hope and positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in kids.*

## REPORT: Independence Day Celebration Saturday June 29

Income:	Raffle	\$4,001.61	(\$368 less than 2018)
	Business Donations	\$4,300.00	(\$700 less than 2018)
	Personal Donations	\$ 220.00	(\$80 less than 2018)
	Bucket collection	\$2,152.98	(Yah! \$392.38 MORE)
	Vendor income	\$ 450.00	(still waiting for 1 more)
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$11,124.59</b>	

Expenses:	Raffle	\$ 500.00
	Fireworks	\$ 6,941.00
	Sayter Hill Band	\$ 600.00
	Cubie the Clown	\$ 250.00
	Permits	\$ 50.00
	Toilets	\$ 670.00 est
	Vol Fire Co donation	\$ 200.00
	Ravens Roost “	\$ 200.00
	Cub Scout “	\$ 50.00
	Printing, supplies, etc	\$ 650.00 est
<b>TOTAL as of 7/19</b>		<b>\$10,111.00 est</b>



### Events:

- Carroll Manor Travel baseball game
- Hula hoops, bean bag toss, bubbles, press on Independence Day tattoos
- Cubie the Clown
- Satyr Hill Band
- Carroll Manor Rec Council dance group
- Scout Troop 444 color guard



### Fantastic Fireworks, Inc.

Sunday June 29 Clean Up



It was a team effort to organize, fundraise, set up, DO IT, and clean up. Letters, permits, calls, raffle, ordering, printing, counting, trash, raking! We presented a quality community activity. Thank you to our Board of Directors and members.

Chair, Carol Porcher

### St. Vincents' at the Villa Fair

Carol Porcher, Chair—The theme for this year's St Vincents' was "Super Hero". The children enjoyed an afternoon of arts and crafts, games, face painting and food. Carol Porcher and Mary Ann Hand enjoyed the day. Thank you to those that helped.



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**CLUB MEETINGS**

First Thursday of  
Month  
7:30 PM  
12900 Jarrettsville  
Pike

## 35th Club Anniversary September 19

SAVE THE DATE! Thursday 9/19 on your calendar to celebrate our great year and all that came before us. Join us for dinner. More information will be coming.

## Membership Meeting —Thursday August 1

Dave's house at 7:30



### Happy July & August Birthdays!

Tom Hodgins	7/13
Stephanie Maskovyak	7/23
Bob Cook	7/28
Bob Pearce	8/21
Larry Daniels	8/27
Carol Porcher	8/28



Baseball, buckets, balloons, dance,  
bubbles, band, balls,  
hula hoops, tatoos,  
and  
Clean up crew!

## Independence Day Festivities    Thank you to all!

### Vendors:

Charcoal Deli  
Mike Carrico—The Glow Stick Guy  
Jeff Jobe - Ice Cream  
Glenn McCalley—Funnel Cakes

### Jacksonville Optimist Volunteers:

Carol Porcher, Chair  
Committee: Barbara Crain, Adam Drescher, Dave Ward, Fred Figlewski, Carol Applegate,  
Pam McCollum, Mike Borowitz, Mary Ann Hand.  
Chad Casserly, Mary Lu Hartley, Steve Porcher, Fran Betty, Laura Figlewski

Mark Hand

Sarah and Byron Hull

Ravens Roost members

Cubie the Clown

Jacksonville Volunteer Fire Co.

Baltimore County Police—Cockeysville Precinct

Baltimore County Dept of Recreation—for stage

Jacksonville Elementary School

Fantastic Fireworks, Inc.

### Donations:

Donald Bennett (Optimist)  
Dr. David Page, Smilepage (Optimist)  
David Gilmore, donated raffle tickets (Optimist)  
Helen Petrich (Optimist)  
Bradleys Wine and Spirits  
Brawner Builders  
Brooks Huff  
Gaylord Brooks Realty  
Greater Jacksonville Assoc.  
In House Jewelers  
Jacksonville Chiropractic  
Jacksonville Senior Center  
Jacksonville Veterinary  
L.H. Zinkhan  
Manor Merchants (Our largest contributor)  
Paper Mill Insurance  
Paper Mill Pharmacy  
Reservoir Dental  
Sweet Air Plumbing  
Wells Fargo, Steve Nuetzel



A super thank you to all the Greater Jacksonville Optimist members who donated water, supplies, snacks, sweat equity, hours of planning and implementation, purchasing, and sighs of relief as the first fireworks lit up the sky over Jacksonville. Please forgive any missing information or thank yous. There are so many people that helped this project.

The members make me a proud president!  
Carol Applegate

**Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY) May 23-26**

Carol Applegate, "HOBY Grandma" attended the 4-day high school sophomore leadership seminar at Mount St. Mary's University. 231 MD students attended. Volunteer service is encouraged.



Maryland Leadership Seminar  
**HOBY**

40th Annual Seminar  
Optimist table—Mark Harris & William  
Feuer

Making children's Super Hero capes for  
hospital patients—cutting, pinning sewing  
94!

Speaker Sandy Queen  
Auditorium  
WLC judges—Ken Bollinger  
College Fair