



## Washington Optimist Club Invitation and Application for Membership

Your Name _____	Birthdate _____
Nickname _____	Employer _____
Home Address _____	Job Title _____
City, State Zip _____	Bus. Address _____
Home phone _____	City, State _____
Cell phone _____	Zip _____
Email _____	Work phone _____

**Purposes of an Optimist Club:**

To develop Optimism as a philosophy of life utilizing the tenets of the Optimist Creed;  
 To promote an active interest in good government and civic affairs; to inspire respect for law;  
 To promote patriotism and work for international accord and friendship among all people;  
 To aid and encourage the development of youth in the belief that the giving of one's self in service to others will advance the well-being of humankind, community life and the world.

Committee	I Want to Serve	Committee	I Want to Serve	Event	I Want to Help
Annual Banquet		Major Projects		Annual Banquet	
Bike Safety Rodeo		Membership & Social		Bike Rodeo	
Breakfasts		Nominating		Breakfasts	
Bylaws		Oratorical Contest		Corn Stand	
Childhood Cancer		Programs		Waffle Stand	
Christmas Love Offering		Public Relations			
Christmas Trees		Raffle			
Essay Contest		Scholarships			
Fair		Swim Lessons			
Finance					

Candidate a former member? Yes or No

Annual dues are \$100. East Missouri Optimist District receives \$3.50 of this amount. The treasurer will bill you for your dues. Recognizing the importance of rendering personal service to my community in cooperation with other civic-minded persons, and appreciating the opportunity afforded me to enjoy the good fellowship and prestige of Optimist International, I hereby accept membership.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor

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Personal Information for Club Newsletter-page 2 (Optional)**

Interests and Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

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Spouse or significant other \_\_\_\_\_

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Children (Names and Ages) \_\_\_\_\_

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Education (Schools Attended and Study) \_\_\_\_\_

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Spouse/significant other's Employer \_\_\_\_\_

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Other service organizations to which you belong \_\_\_\_\_

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Anything interesting about you that you want to share with the club \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Inducted \_\_\_\_\_