

# Governor Sandy's *SHINING STAR CLUB* Award Program

There are some basic activities that every Club should be involved in each year. Completing these activities tells an observer that the Club is a growing, vital organization. To recognize those Clubs, Governor Sandy is pleased to present the Shining Star Club Award Program. This program, which is based on the "old" Honor Club requirements, is meant to encourage Clubs to be actively involved in all aspects of Optimism, and to complete those activities that every Club should do each year to remain a healthy, growing Club.

Each Club that completes the program will receive a Shining Star banner patch from Governor Sandy at the awards breakfast in February following the end of her term in office.

There are 7 requirements:

1. A net gain in membership of 5 members
2. Pay all obligations to Optimist International and the District
3. Complete 3 service projects
4. File the Officer-Elect and President's Pride reports on time
5. Submit at least 1 CPA book in the District competition
6. The Club must be represented at 2 or more District meetings or the International convention
7. The Club must recognize at least one of their members for their contributions to the Club

Club Services/Tracking Chair David Prather will be keeping an eye on your progress throughout the year, and will send your Club regular status reports so that you know exactly where you stand. To help David, we ask that you send him your Club bulletin, or update him about your projects and other activities. Club bulletins that David receives will also be posted on the District web site so that everyone can see what your Club is up to!

The status reports will be provided by email, so please be sure that David has your Club President's and Secretary/Treasurer's email address. If there are other members who would like to see their Club's report, give that email address to David, and he'll be glad to add it to his list.

To contact David, you can call him at (502) 875-2028, email him at [dlprather@bellsouth.net](mailto:dlprather@bellsouth.net), or send regular mail to 315 Cedar Way, Frankfort KY 40601.

Let's make ALL of our Clubs *SHINING STARS!*

