



CHAPEL HILL NEWS

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Chelsi Odum * 1st Place



Oratorical Contest Winners

Meeting Notes

Program

Chelsi Odum
Oratorical Contest Winner

Humor and Insights

Phyllis shared humor this evening.

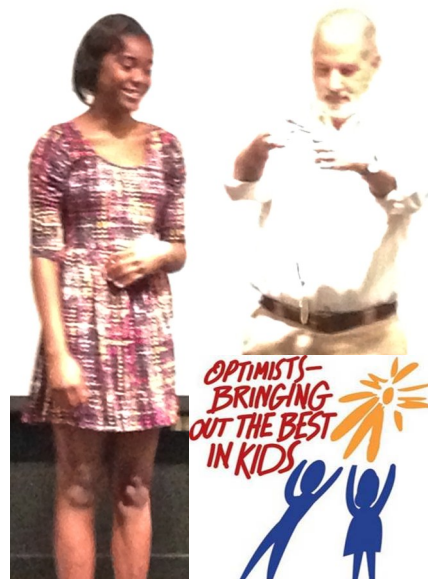
Life Membership Game

The life membership game was not played this evening.

Winners with our contest chair, Shelia Hodges-Loftin

Congratulations to **Chelsi Odum**, our club level 1st place winner, who shared her work with us this evening. We were pleased to have her family with us also. 2nd place winner, **Nola Kim-Mayer**, and 3rd place winner, **Kristen Lee**, were not able to join us tonight. Her speech was engaging and exceptionally well delivered. We wish her continued success at the zone contest, April 18th at Cameron Village in Raleigh.

Thanks to Shelia for her efforts in organizing the contest this year and to Trish for lining up our venue at the Seymour Center for the club contest and Bob for presenting medals to the winners. Two of the judges, **Nina Wright**, and **Shaketa Mills** also joined us for dinner tonight and gave Chelsi a few additional suggestions toward continued success.



Chelsi receives medal from Bob

For more information on Essay and Oratorical Contests, see our web site:

<http://www.ch-optimists.org/>

Ronald McDonald House

Phyllis will attempt to re-schedule our date for the next breakfast at Ronald McDonald House to a Saturday in July since many of our members will be out of town over Memorial Day weekend.

We have requested a scheduling change to cancel our commitment for May 25th and re-book for July 13th. Stay tuned for confirmation.



Kisses for CCC

Our collections last weekend at Willowhaven and Meadowmont produced over \$500 in contributions. Thanks to all who helped.

Sign up with Trish for future Harris Teeter collection dates:

- Apr 13 Harris Teeter Meadowmont
- Apr 14 Harris Teeter University Mall
- Apr 20 Harris Teeter Willowhaven—Horton Road

Trish is considering approaching Walmart in Hillsborough for additional collection date(s) since they worked so well with us for the Shop With A Cop program.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



- Thanks to **Trish** for setting up CCC Kisses collection dates.
- **Trish** is building a list of potential candidates to invite to an organizational meeting for a new club in **Durham**. Send her contact information for anyone you know who might be interested
- Meeting location through at least the next month will be **Nantucket Grill**
- Thanks to **Phyllis** for setting up **Ronald McDonald** breakfast dates for us to make and serve meals for the families there. Our dates are all Saturday breakfasts, where we need to arrive by 9:45 am and serve at 10 am. **1st date will be changing**, Sep 14th, Nov 23rd this year, and Jan 11th in 2014.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr 13	CCC Kisses at Harris Teeter Meadowmont
Apr 14	CCC Kisses at Harris Teeter University Mall
Apr 17	Board Meeting - 6:30 pm (note change)
Apr 18	Zone 6 Oratorical Contest, Cameron Village Library, Raleigh 7 pm
Apr 20	CCC Kisses at Harris Teeter Willowhaven—Horton Road
Apr 24	no meeting
Apr 25	Zone 6 2nd Quarter Meeting, Garner Optimist Clubhouse, 6:30 pm
May 8	Board Meeting
May 11	Mile of Hope
May 17-18	NC East District 3rd Quarter Meeting, Wilson, NC

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NC East District Convention

Plan now for North Myrtle Beach August 22-25

<http://www.nceast-optimist.org/>

