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Dear Friend of the Optimist:

Do you enjoy working with children? Do you feel reward in helping others? Are you looking for or know someone who is looking for community involvement? Do you have ideas to share for fund raising?

Why not get involved with the Optimist? We are looking for people who are willing to donate a few hours a month to help others. Do you know where the funds go that we raise in the community?

Here are just a few of the projects the Hilliard Optimist Club is currently involved with.

We donate \$5,000.00 to one boy and one girl at the Hilliard High Schools. That is \$10,000.00 to Davidson and \$10,000.00 to Darby. Next year this will include Bradley.

Scholarship money is also awarded in our annual Oratorical and Essay Contest.

As many of you are aware we have a Football and Basketball program for youth.

We will be contacting you to let you know about our monthly Social Meetings where we exchange ideas and get to know the families of other Optimists.

If you would like to find out more about how you can get involved please contact any one of our Board Members.

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We have elections coming up soon so if you would like to run for a position we would welcome your interest.

Yours in Optimist

Hilliard Board Members