



# THE ORACLE

Optimist Club of Plant City  
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## NEXT MEETING IS JULY 30

Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 30 at Steppin' Stone Farm. This is our annual summer family event with the girls at Steppin' Stone. Please plan to attend and bring the entire family! Details are below.

## STEPPIN' STONE FAMILY SUMMER PICNIC JULY 30

Plans are complete for our annual summer retreat to Steppin' Stone Farm and the annual Family Picnic. Event Coordinator Walt Arnold ([walt34@gmail.com](mailto:walt34@gmail.com) or 813-752-1602) has worked out all the details for this fun time for all. Please mark your calendar now for Monday July 30 - arrive at 6:00pm, eating at 6:30pm. The Club will provide everything but dessert, *so be sure to bring a homemade dessert to share with the group.* So far, we have over 30 signed up to attend. ***Please contact President Jeff Arnold ([arnoldjef@gmail.com](mailto:arnoldjef@gmail.com) or 813-707-8373) and give him your RSVP head count.*** This is a family event, so plan to bring everyone for the fun!

## GREAT CROWD AT THE LAST MEETING

An impressive group of over 12 members and a guest attended the July 16 Steak Night meeting on the Rec & Parks admin patio. Glad to hear that Bernie is back home and Paul is recuperating from his broken ankle.

## OFFICER SELECTIONS FOR THE 2007-2008 YEAR

Thank you to every one that stepped up to the plate and volunteered to give your time and talent to the Club by serving on our administration. Nominating Committee Chairman Dave Robbins ([drobbins11@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:drobbins11@tampabay.rr.com) or 813-754-2257) reports the following board members and officers for the 2007-2008 year starting October:

### 2007-2008 OFFICERS

Jack Holland, President (813-752-2057)  
Jeb Hicks, 1st Vice President (813-754-8804)  
Mike Williamson, 2nd Vice President (813-757-6570)  
Paul Woods, Secretary/Treasurer (813-752-0356)  
Walt Arnold, Sergeant at Arms (813-752-1602)

### 2007-2008 BOARD MEMBERS

Jeff Arnold, Past President  
**2007-2009:**  
Scott Lawson - Jeff Ogden - Pat Stottlemeyer  
**2007-2008:**  
Walt Arnold - Dave Robbins - Steve Kennedy

## GET YOUR GOLF TEAM AND SPONSORS READY!

Have you secured your golf foursome yet? How about that hole sponsor you were thinking about contacting? Well, time is running out and September 22 will be upon us before you know it. Be sure to get your team coordinated and committed and get those hole and event sponsors confirmed! Golf Tournament Coordinators Walt Arnold ([walt34@gmail.com](mailto:walt34@gmail.com) or 813-752-1602) and Jeb Hicks ([shicks5@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:shicks5@tampabay.rr.com) or 813-754-8804) need your help! Give them a shout and get those teams and sponsors finalized!

## UPCOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- √ Monday, July 30 - Steppin' Stone Farm Summer Picnic, arrive 6:00pm, eat 6:30pm at the Farm.
- √ Monday, August 6 - meeting at ABC Pizza, 7:00pm. Agenda: Golf, PPK (9/29), Installation Banquet
- √ Monday, August 20 - Steak Night meeting at the Rec & Parks patio, 7:00pm. Agenda: Golf, PPK, Installation
- √ Plan ahead... Saturday, September 22 - Golf Tournament at Walden Lake Golf & Country Club

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