

Women's Philanthropy Council

MISSION STATEMENT

Seeking, receiving and managing funds and real personal property for the benefit of Optimist International and its Member Clubs in its charitable, literary and educational activities.

VISION STATEMENT

We envision a Foundation that can provide significant funding for Optimist International's youth and service programs and is proudly supported by individual Optimists, their Clubs, and the community at large.

PURPOSE STATEMENT

Optimist International Foundation is created and shall be operated exclusively for the charitable, literary or educational purposes of Optimist International, a Missouri not-for-profit corporation, classified as a public charity under section 509(a)(1) within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as now in force or afterwards amended.



Helping Optimists Help Kids!



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St. Louis, MO 63108

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The giving circle of the Women's Philanthropy Council begins with a restricted gift of at least \$100

Name: _____

If an Optimist, Club Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

My Gift of \$ _____ is enclosed

*If paying by check, please make payable to OIF;
note WPC in memo*

If paying by credit card, please complete form below:

Visa MC Discover Amex

Account #: _____ Exp. ____/____

Signature: _____

I have received my pin: Yes No

Please mail donations and completed forms to:

Optimist International Foundation
PO Box 952126
St. Louis, MO 63195-2126

WHAT WE DO

The Women's Philanthropy Council (WPC) was formed in 2005 to support the work of the Optimist International Foundation. Members reach out to women as donors and assist in shaping their philanthropy.

Research shows that women tend to give where they believe they make a difference with their gift regardless of the amount of the gift.

Beginning October 1, 2021, all donations raised through the giving circle of the WPC will be used to underwrite World Oratorical Championship scholarships for young women that win the Regional Contest from the US and in the Caribbean.

It is important to note that your contribution to OIF designated to support the efforts of the WPC will be counted as a restricted donation and will not be credited to your annual giving or that of your District/Club. It will count towards lifetime giving.

