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JOHN M. GRIMLAND, JR. PRESIDENT BOX 1724, MIDLAND, TEX.

May 1, 1963

Mr. John Allen Chalk, President OPTIMIST CLUB OF COOKEVILLE 542 Washington Street, North Cookeville, Tennessee

Dear John:

Happy occasions such as anniversaries are always worthy of celebration...particularly when the anniversary marks a milestone of service to youth and community.

My heartiest congratulations, on behalf of Optimist International, to you and to all members of your club upon completion of a true Optimist year. We of Optimist International want you to know that we are proud of your club's record and accomplishments.

Anniversaries are not only a time for celebration, but a time for recapitulation as well as re-dedication...recapitulating on past performances and re-dedication to the ideals and objectives of our organization.

The objective of your club is service, and when the number of your accomplishments are multiplied by more than 2,000 clubs, you will have an idea of the greatness and importance of your club's place in your community.

Please extend my personal best wishes to your members upon your anniversary, your community leadership and for your future accomplishments.

Sincerely,

John M. Grimland, Jr. President OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL

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