

## **2012 Convention Resolutions Report:**

To be presented by Past Governor Jim Lynge

### **Be it resolved:**

**That we**, the Convention delegates, extend our sincere appreciation to the Convention Team for the hospitality and fellowship that has been extended to all Optimists, delegates and guests of this, the Twenty-Eighth Annual Convention of the Central Ontario District of Optimist International. We especially wish to thank all those Optimists who have been involved in organizing this convention for their untiring efforts to make the Twenty-Eighth Annual Convention a success.

**That we**, the Convention delegates, express our sincere thanks to Past Governor Sheril Thomson, for her service to the Central Ontario District in coordinating our Quarterly Conferences and activities during this year of “Sowing the Seeds for the Growth of Tomorrow” 2011-2012.

**That we**, the Convention delegates, express our sincere appreciation to our spouses, friends and families, for their continuing encouragement, support and participation in club programs and activities in our communities for the good of Optimism.

**That we**, the Convention delegates request that District Secretary/Treasurer Susan Lynge, express in writing to Benny Ellerbe, Executive Director of Optimist International, the appreciation of the Central Ontario District, for all the services rendered by both Optimist International and Optimist International Canada, under the direction of Jacques Pelland, to our District during 2011-2012, and to extend our most sincere thanks to all of the staff for an excellent job in the administration of our organization in a manner which adds continuity of good leadership and growth of Optimist International.

**That we**, the Convention delegates, recognize the special contributions made by International President Jack Creswell and International Vice President Dwight Phillips to the well-being of the Central Ontario District.

**That we**, the Convention delegates, express our sincere gratitude to Governor Anne Donkers, First Man Bob, and the “Sowing the Seeds for the Growth of Tomorrow” team, the Lieutenant Governors, District Chairpersons and District Secretary/Treasurer Susan Lynge, for their outstanding efforts for the Central Ontario District and in the pursuit of Optimism.

**Be it so resolved** by this the Twenty-Eighth Annual General Assembly of the Central Ontario District of Optimist International on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012.

