



# JACKSONVILLE JOTTINGS

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*Friend of Youth*

*Mission Statement—By providing hope and positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in youth, our communities and ourselves.*

## Welcome to 2025!

### Happy February Birthdays!

Dennis Coster 2/12  
Donald Bennett 2/25



### Stock Market Challenge

Entries are on their way. Please support our fund raising efforts with your \$25 donation!

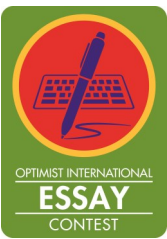
### Upcoming Calendar Dates

Next club meeting Thursday 2/6 at 7 pm, Zoom  
Fireworks meeting Monday 2/10 at 8 pm, Zoom  
February 28 last postmarked date for Stock Market Challenge  
Essay Contest Winners Thursday April or May.

## 2024 in Review



**HOB** at Towson University

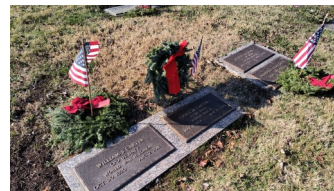


40th Anniversary Dinner



Carroll Manor teacher's Appreciation

Jacksonville Elementary books donation



Wreaths Across America



Fireworks

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**CLUB MEETINGS**

First Thursday of the Month  
7:00 PM  
Call to confirm.

**Meeting Site**  
St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church  
3911 Sweet Air Rd.  
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