

How You Can Help

Event Sponsorship Opportunities:

Title Sponsor: \$3,500—PLATINUM

SOLD - Harlan C. Parker, Insurance Agency

- Complimentary table for eight
- Event Signage and Recognition
- Display Table

Event Sponsor: \$2,500—GOLD

SOLD - Enterprise Bank & Trust

- Complimentary table for six
- Event Signage
- Display Table

Dinner Sponsor: \$2,000—SILVER

- Complimentary dinner for four
- Display Table

Entertainment Sponsor: \$1,000—BRONZE

- Complimentary dinner for two
- Display Table

Program Sponsor: \$500

- Table Signage

Placemat Ad Logo

- _____ \$250 _____ \$100 _____ \$50

Designated logo placement
on placemats

Sponsor Payments

Payable to:

Optimist International Foundation (OIF)

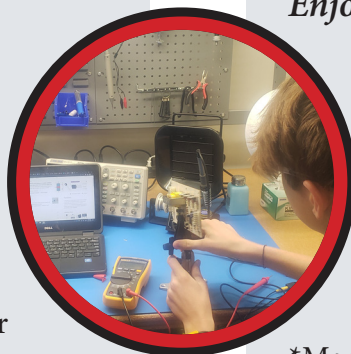
Memo: Olathe Noon S&P Fund

Mail to: Ruth Nelson

15572 S. Blackfoot St. • Olathe, KS 66062

Your sponsorship donation is tax deductible.

OIF is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization.



Individual Tickets

\$30 per person

\$50 per couple

* \$15 Kids meal - ages 6-12

(Ages 5 and under are free)

*Enjoy a delicious meal and support
Technical Education*

8 oz K.C. Strip

Baked Potato

Salad

Garlic Bread

Iced Tea/Lemonade/Coffee

Dessert

*Mac-N Cheese/Hot Dog/Drink/Dessert

Sponsorships and dinner tickets

may be purchased online:

www.olatheNOONoptimist.org

Pre-order by September 8, 2025

Late reservations call:

(816) 863-6144

Based on space available.

Take a
“STEAK”
in the future

Community, Civic Groups

Parents, and Students

“Plug In” to educate and support
tomorrow’s skilled workforce needs!

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3rd Annual Scholarship

STEAK FRY

Thursday, September 18, 2025

5:30 to 8 p.m.

The Heritage Center at Mahaffie
1200 E. Kansas City Rd. • Olathe, KS 66061

Sponsored by:

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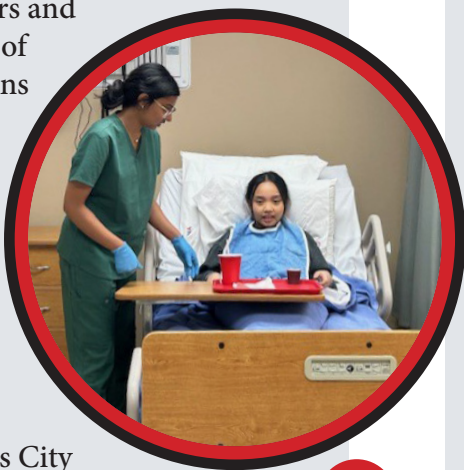


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The Goal

Together, the Olathe Noon Optimists and the Olathe's Two Year Academies are teaming up to host an Annual Scholarship STEAK FRY to raise post-high school educational funds for graduating seniors and create awareness of career path options in Technical Education!

A scholarship (up to \$4,000 annually) will be directed to Johnson County Community College or Kansas City Kansas Community College for completion of the student's technical career path. (A tool allowance may be available).



Why

Nationally, there is a critical shortage of qualified workers to meet the needs for essential services, such as plumbing, HVAC, auto repair, culinary, etc.

The key is building awareness among parents, students and community. Technical Education is a viable option as a career choice. It is hands on training, less costly and there are opportunities for growth and a variety of career paths offering substantial living wages and job security.

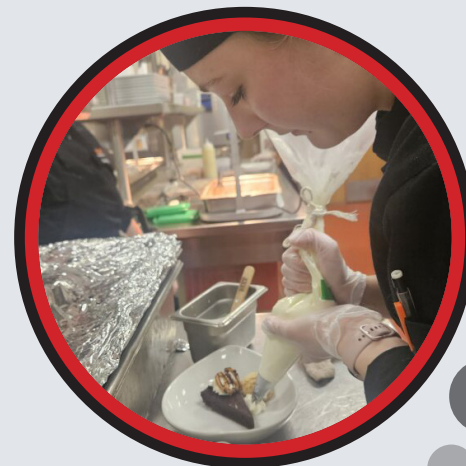
For The Future

A positive future for skilled workers is predicted over the next decade as seniors retire and as new skill sets will be needed to meet the evolution of new products and services.

High school students seeking certification and associate degree programs will be in demand and can anticipate life-time earnings in the range of \$30,000 to \$62,000 or beyond based on their skill sets. Entry-level workers may anticipate earning \$16 to \$20 per hour (based on Kansas labor statistics).

Sample Incomes:

Auto Mechanics	\$35,000-\$60,000
Construction	\$26,000-\$43,000
Culinary Arts	\$36,000-\$62,000
Electrical	\$37,000-\$68,000
HVAC	\$35,000-\$61,000
Nurse	\$66,000-\$135,000
Welding	\$35,000-\$65,000



Ask Yourself:

- Who are you going to call when you need a mechanic, a plumber, an electrician?
- Who is building the houses, the equipment, making the parts we need?
- Who is making it possible for you to have a great night out at your favorite restaurant?
- Who is creating, building and maintaining our insatiable social media appetite?
- Who is providing daily care for our aging parents or incapacitated adults needing special services?
- Who will help keep your pets healthy and well cared for when needed?

By taking a "STEAK" in the future and supporting Technical Education you can help ensure a strong workforce for generations to come.

For information call 816-863-6144, or e-mail rnelson1021@sbcglobal.net.