



# OPTIMIST CLUB OF CERRITOS

## Optimist International

### Membership Application



PLEASE PRINT

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Email 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Were you a Jr. Optimist? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Full-Time College Student: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Anniversary Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Your Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THIS APPLICATION

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Optimist Club of Cerritos

Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Individuals who have committed sexual offenses against children may be denied membership and/or have their membership revoked.  
By signing this form, you consent to being photographed and grant permission for your photo to be used for club promotional purposes across all platforms.

### What Club Projects or Programs would you consider supporting?

- |                                         |                                              |                                             |                                                   |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Essay Contest  | <input type="checkbox"/> Oratorical Contest  | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Appreciation | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle School Track Meet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trunk or Treat | <input type="checkbox"/> Tri-Star Basketball | <input type="checkbox"/> School STEM        | <input type="checkbox"/> Respect for the Law      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Party  | <input type="checkbox"/> Installation Dinner | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Picnic      | <input type="checkbox"/> Childhood Cancer         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising    | <input type="checkbox"/> COC Foundation      | <input type="checkbox"/> Club Newsletter    | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Photo Contest      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Membership     | <input type="checkbox"/> Finance             | <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting Programs   | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service        |

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# *The Optimist Creed*

## *PROMISE YOURSELF...*

*To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.*

*To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.*

*To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.*

*To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.*

*To think only the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best.*

*To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.*

*To forget about the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.*

*To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature a smile.*

*To give so much of your time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others*

*To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.*

**Author - Christian Larson**