

# A Proclamation in Recognition of Youth Appreciation Week

*Whereas*, the vast majority of youth are concerned, knowledgeable and responsible citizens, and

*Whereas*, Optimist International has since 1956, developed and promoted a program titled Youth Appreciation, and

*Whereas*, the citizens of \_\_\_\_\_ have indicated a  
(city, county, state, province)

desire to join the Optimists in expressing appreciation and approval of the contributions of youth,

\_\_\_\_\_ therefore proclaims \_\_\_\_\_ as Youth Appreciation  
(name and title) (date)

Week in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(name of city, state, county or province)

*By this action*, let it be known that we have faith in the ability of today's youth as they assume responsible roles in the future of mankind.



\_\_\_\_\_  
(name and title of governing official)