

## A Proclamation from the Optimist International Board of Directors Recognizing April as Optimist Internet Safety Month

Whereas, internet safety is a growing concern facing children worldwide; and

Whereas, almost all children have access to the internet, either at home, school, a friend's house or the local library; and

Whereas, the popularity of social networking sites has shown an increase in the posting of youth and teens' personal information online; and

Whereas, Optimists have reaffirmed their dedication to the youth of today by introducing a new Internet Safety Program to educate parents, teachers and youth about the dangers of the internet;

Therefore, let it be resolved that the Optimist International Board of Directors is proud to proclaim April as the official Optimist Internet Safety Month, as Optimist Clubs around the globe unite in their efforts to protect youth from the dangers they may encounter online.

In witness whereof, be it hereunto resolved, this tenth day of December, in the year 2011.



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