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Form **990-EZ****Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income TaxUnder section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except private foundations)

OMB No. 1545-1150

2013**Open to Public Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Do not enter Social Security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning Oct 1, 2013, and ending Sep 30, 2014	
B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization Twin City Area Optimist Club Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite P.O. Box 475 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Festus MO 63028
D Employer identification number 43-1477122	E Telephone number (636) 933-4191
F Group Exemption Number ▶	

G Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual Other (specify) ▶	H Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).
I Website: ▶ N/A	
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c)(4) (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527	
K Form of organization ☐ Corporation ☒ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other	

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ. ▶ \$ 90,416.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)
 Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	7,112.
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	16,756.
	4 Investment income	4	
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a).	5c	
	6 Gaming and fundraising events		
	a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	
	b Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 0. of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	42,032.
c Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	21,377.	
d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	20,655.	
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
b Less: cost of goods sold	7b		
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c		
8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) See Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8, Other Revenue	8	24,516.	
9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 ▶	9	69,039.	
EXPENSES	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) See Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10, Other Expenses	10	29,776.
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	2,380.
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	480.
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) See Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16, Other Expenses	16	27,398.
	17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ▶	17	60,034.
18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	9,005.	
ASSETS	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	25,050.
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 ▶	21	34,055.

BAA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III. ☒ X

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV.

Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O	33	X
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)	34	X
35 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	35 a	X
b If 'Yes,' to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O	35 b	
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III	35 c	X
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36	X
37 a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions 37 a 0.		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37 b	X
38 a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38 a	X
b If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38 b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39 a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39 b		
40 a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ ; section 4912 ▶ ; section 4955 ▶		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I	40 b	X
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958. ▶		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If 'Yes,' complete Form 8886-T	40 e	X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ <u>Missouri</u>		

	Yes	No
42 a The organization's books are in care of ▶ <u>Ellen Bridgewater</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>(636) 937-9333</u> Located at ▶ <u>#6 Waggener Industrial Ct.</u> <u>Crystal City</u> MO ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>63019</u>		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	42 b	X
If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?	42 c	X
If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		

	Yes	No
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 — Check here ▶ ☐ and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year 43		
44 a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44 a	X
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44 b	X
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44 c	X
d If 'Yes' to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O	44 d	
45 a Did the organization have a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45 a	X
b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45 b	X

46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I

	Yes	No
46		X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II

	Yes	No
47		X
48		X
49 a		X
49 b		

48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E

49 a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

b If 'Yes,' was the related organization a section 527 organization?

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
N/A				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000.

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
N/A		

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000.

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer <i>Mary Hatfield</i>		Date <i>2/2/15</i>		
	Type or print name and title <i>Mary Hatfield, President</i>				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ▶ <i>Non-Paid Preparer</i>			Firm's EIN ▶	
	Firm's address ▶			Phone no.	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions. ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.
▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Twin City Area Optimist Club

43-1477122

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- g ☐ Special fundraising events**

- b** If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

Total

-

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b.
List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		<u>Oktoberfest</u> (event type)	<u>Koeze Nuts</u> (event type)	<u>6</u> (total number)	(add column (a) through column (c))
REVENUE	1 Gross receipts	17,518.	15,938.	8,576.	42,032.
	2 Less: Charitable contributions	0.	0.	0.	0.
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2).	17,518.	15,938.	8,576.	42,032.
DIRECT EXPENSES	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs	500.		814.	1,314.
	7 Food and beverages	1,736.			1,736.
	8 Entertainment	295.			295.
	9 Other direct expenses	3,816.	11,729.	2,487.	18,032.
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				21,377.
	11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				20,655.

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming
					(add column (a) through column (c))
REVENUE	1 Gross revenue				
	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
DIRECT EXPENSES	6 Volunteer labor	Yes _____ % No _____ %	Yes _____ % No _____ %	Yes _____ % No _____ %	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				
	8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d)				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: _____

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'No,' explain: _____

10 a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'Yes,' explain: _____

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|-----------|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 11 | Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? | ☐ Yes | ☐ No |
| 12 | Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? | ☐ Yes | ☐ No |

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:

a The organization's facility	13 a	%
b An outside facility	13 b	%

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name

Address 

- 15a** Does the organization have a contact with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____ and the amount

c If 'Yes,' enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ _____

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____

Description of services provided ▶

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Twin City Area Optimist Club

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Pt III, Line 31 Provided support to various local and national organizations

Numerous individuals benefited from the donations

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8 Other Revenue

Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)

Meals	24,516.
Total	24,516.

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 Other Expenses

Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)

Storage	440.
Special Meetings/Programs	252.
Meals	25,116.
Office Expenses	892.
Marketing/Publicity	520.
Website	178.
Total	27,398.

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

Purpose of Payment Scholarships

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Education	Business ☒ Person ☐ Jefferson College Foundation 1000 Viking Drive Hillsboro MO 63050	None	5,000.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property
 Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

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Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Contribution	Business ☒ Person ☐ <u>Optimist International Foundation</u> <u>4494 Lindell Boulevard</u> <u>St. Louis MO 63108</u>	<u>Foundation of Parent</u> <u>Organization</u>	610.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Dues

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Dues	Business ☒ Person ☐ <u>Optimist International</u> <u>4494 Lindell Boulevard</u> <u>St. Louis MO 63108</u>	<u>Affiliate</u>	7,269.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Dues

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Dues	Business ☒ Person ☐ <u>East Missouri District</u> <u>3790 Southern Manor</u> <u>St. Louis MO 63125</u>	<u>Affiliate</u>	1,666.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

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Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

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Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Contribution	Business . . . ☒ Person ☐ Junior Optimist Society 418 Deer Crossing Dr. Festus MO 63028	Affiliate	150.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Contribution	Business . . . ☒ Person ☐ Developmental Services of Jefferson County P.O. Box 97 Mapaville MO 63065	None	125.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
Contribution	Business . . . ☒ Person ☐ Mastodon Art/Science Fair 1000 Viking Dr. Hillsboro MO 63050	None	150.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10 Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

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Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
<u>Contribution</u>	Business ☒ Person ☐		
	YMCA	None	
	YMCA Drive		
	Festus MO 63028		100.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
<u>Contribution</u>	Business ☒ Person ☐		
	Head Start	None	
	10325 State Rd.		
	Hillsboro MO 63050		5,431.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined

Purpose of Payment Support

Class of Activity	Grantee's Name and Address	Grantee's Relationship	Amount Given
<u>Contribution</u>	Business ☐ Person ☐		
	Various	None	
	P.O. Box 475		
	Festus MO 63028		9,275.

If property other than cash was given, the following additional information needs to be provided:

Description of Property

Date of Gift

Book Value	How Book Value Determined
FMV	How FMV Determined