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# Christian D. Larson

*Partners*

One of the highest honors we can give to a generous supporter of the Foundation is the honor of becoming part of an exclusive group of donors known as the Christian D. Larson Partners. Named after the author of 'The Optimist Creed', this giving level was adopted to recognize donors who contribute a one-time \$1,000 unrestricted gift. Participants who become members of the Christian D. Larson Partners join an elite group of individuals dedicated to following the Creed, and to helping fund the Foundation's mission through their personal giving.

**Approved Guidelines:**

- Memberships are numbered.
  - Membership numbers are assigned on the date the actual check, cash or stock is received by the Foundation's bank or brokerage account – not based on pledge date.
  - Memberships became available on gifts beginning July 5, 2006. Past gifts do not qualify.
  - Memberships are available to individuals only (not couples, not Clubs); however, they may be given by a Club or individual in honor or memory of someone.
  - Individual members may or may not be Members of Optimist International.
  - Gifts must be for unrestricted use by the Foundation.
  - Gifts can be one-time gifts or cumulative.\*
  - Gifts are credited to the writer of the check and included in recognition totals.
  - Christian D. Larson Partners receive a plaque presented by the DFR. (If a Christian D. Larson Partner is not a Member, the plaque will be mailed.)
- \*Donors may combine multiple unrestricted gifts in one Optimist fiscal year to achieve the \$1,000 level. The membership number will be assigned on the date of the gift reaching the \$1,000 contribution.

**I want to help with my \$1,000 unrestricted gift! Assign me a number in the Christian D. Larson Partners.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Club Number \_\_\_\_\_ Member Number \_\_\_\_\_

Wording for engraved plaque: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is my check made out to Optimist International Foundation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to my:  MC  Visa  Discover  American Express

Account # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

For more information about becoming a member of the Christian D. Larson Partners, please call 1-800-500-8130.

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