

**PROCLAMATION**  
**“Optimist International Childhood Cancer Awareness Month”**

**WHEREAS**, cancer takes the lives of more children than any other disease today; and

**WHEREAS**, tens of thousands of children and teenagers worldwide will be diagnosed with cancer each year; and

**WHEREAS**, childhood cancer spares no one, affecting kids from every socioeconomic background; and

**WHEREAS**, Optimist International prides itself on “Bringing Out the Best in Kids” and is firmly dedicated to ridding the world of childhood cancer through the Childhood Cancer Campaign.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Lydia E. Lavelle, Mayor of the Town of Carrboro, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim the **month of June** as **Optimist International Childhood Cancer Awareness Month**, as Optimist Clubs around the globe will unite in their efforts to rid the world of childhood cancer.

This the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 2014

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Lydia E. Lavelle, Mayor