

OPTIMIST TREE LOT



MILITARY DISCOUNT CUSTOMER GIVEAWAYS

2025

Optimist Members and Friends:

Every year the generous **TAX DEDUCTABLE** donations from our members, friends and customers, make it possible for us to provide a **10% Military Discount** to the significant number of military families that purchase trees and accessories at the Tree Lot. A sign is posted at the Cash Register table, informing eligible customers, that possess a valid Military ID, of the 10% discount. This discount takes away from the Tree Lot profits we use to support our many youth projects in Manhattan. **Your welcomed donation of \$75 funds 6-8 discounted trees and accessories.**

A second **TAX DEDUCTABLE donation** option, makes it possible for us to provide “giveaways” to customers and their families. The “giveaways,” consist of a variety of **items**, mostly for children, that include coloring books, a variety of toys and candy, handed out at Santa’s Workshop, located in the Maroon Shed at the Tree Lot. As in prior years, we are requesting our “giveaways” be funded with donations from our members, friends, and customers, with a recommended donation of \$75.

Please make your **TAX DEDUCTABLE** checks** payable to:
Manhattan Optimist Foundation

****** Indicate on the Memo Line of the check "Customer Giveaway" or "Military Discount" -- or both

The mailing address for donations is:
Bruce Bidwell
1524 Nichols Street
Manhattan, Kansas 66503-2442

Thank You, for your continued support of the Manhattan Optimist Club and the Youth of Manhattan.