

# CogNotes

The Rotary Club of Swarthmore P.O. Box 4, Swarthmore, PA 19081

**November 15, 2018** 



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## **Today's Program:**

# Community Service Planning

#### **Table Grace**

As we celebrate reunions this week and rekindle the bonds of hearth and home, renew these abiding values. Make Rotary itself an extension of that larger family of caring concern. Receive, now, our thanks for all warm human ties Amen.

Frederick E. Christian

# **Coming Programs & Events**

(All meetings at The Inn unless otherwise noted)

November 22: Thanksgiving



**November 29:** Jerry Frost, Professor Emeritus Swarthmore College

**December 6:** Amber Osbourne, Swarthmore Librarian

Know someone who has an interest in any of these topics? Invite them to the meeting!

# The Pledge of Allegiance



Four Way Test:
Of the things we think, say and do:

# **Thoughts for Thanksgiving**

Spread the ideals of Rotary to your family and friends on this day of thanks

Have a meaningful conversation about ways you can all help make this world a better place



- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all Concerned?

#### Guests:

Amy Hart, Prospective Member &
Kevin Funston, Haverford Club

# November 8, 2018 Program: Marian Eberly By Rich Shimko

The motto of the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) is "Never Stop Learning". Marian Eberly,



Ed.D., OLLI's Director, explained that OLLI is hosted by Widener University and partly funded by the Osher Foundation. For an annual fee of \$275, members, who must be over age 50, can take as many courses as they want. A committee of members select courses to be offered.

According to the OLLI website, the following are some of the courses taught this fall: Understanding the Brain, Archeology, How to Live Like a Stoic, Music of the Roaring 20's, The Creative Theatre Experience, Fun with Linguistics. There was a total of 23 offered on the Main Campus.

Marian said the courses typically meet once a week for five weeks, with each class running 70 minutes. They are usually offered during the day. Marian said members can use the facilities on the Main Campus, such as the pool and the library.

You can find out more at www.widener.edu/olli.
Check the website after Christmas
to find out what courses are being
offered in the spring.





### PLEASE NOTE:

There will not be a meeting on Thanksgiving

## **PEANUT BUTTER DAY!**

When: Every 1st Thursday of the month



Please bring a jar of peanut butter to every first Thursday meeting. Cathy Darrell will transport our donations to CityTeam.

#### **Service Quotation**

"Volunteers are the only human beings who reflect our nation's compassion, unselfish caring, patience and love for one another"

Erma Bombeck



# Happy Dollars 2018-19:

\$1,121

2017-2018 total: \$4,515 2016-2017 total: \$3,756

2015-2016 total: \$3,756 2014-2015 total: \$3,168

2013-2014 total: \$2,493



All proceeds go towards Polio Eradication.

# **Rotary Celebrations**

#### **Birthday:**

Betty Ann - Nov. 16

#### **Member Anniversary**:

Hillard Pouncy - Nov. 18 Joy Charlton - Nov. 20 Craig Fava - Nov. 20

#### **Wedding Anniversary:**

Ed Jones - Nov. 16