



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

## January 7, 2016

January is Rotary Awareness Month

Improving Lives in Communities Locally and Around the World for over 75 Years				
Community/ Vocational Service Immediate Past President Secretary Treasurer/ Budget E-Secretary/Webmaster Club Service Membership International Service New Generations Service Foundations Service Charitable Trust	Jim Sredenschek Perri Evanson Steve Laxton Josh Twersky Brian Casey Marv Gelb Craig Fava Joy Charlton Maria Zissimos Mike Malone Marty Spiegel	Table Grace"Lord of the passing years, we pause to thank you for your over -arching presence in the past and to seek the assurance of your blessings in this New Year. We live in an awesome time. Teach us to live confidently in your care and to seize opportu-	Jan 21 Dr. Valerie Smith, Pres ident of Swarthmore College Jan 28 Club Assembly at the Old Mill in Rose Valley **Know someone who has an interest in any of these topics? Invite them to	

nities to make our world a better

place for all humankind and so

to fulfill Rotary's ideals. Amen."

Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian.

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## Last Meeting's Program: Silvertones & CADES

The holiday spirit was in the air as we arrived for or traditional Christmas meeting at CADES. We were greeted by Bill Benson, CADES's

Executive Director, and the excited, smiling CADES student greeters. Rotarians were gifted with the traditional CADES seasonal artwork. We learned that Bill is retiring after 37 years. Many Rotarians have a connection to CADES including most recently George Whitfield, who is on its Board. Numerous Rotarians honored Bill during Happy Dollars, noting that he will be sorely missed.



the meeting!

The Pledge of Allegiance



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

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

### Guests:

Don Carpenter, Don Larson, Mary Laxton, Joe's son Will, Mona Sims, Gail Hale, Joan Neely.



# **SPEAKER PROFILE**

Peggy Dolan has served as Executive Director of the Kelly Anne Dolan Memorial Fund since 1976.

A graduate of Chestnut Hill College, Peggy is Chair Emerita of the Board of Directors of the American Red Cross Blood Services for the Penn Jersey Region; a board member of Mercy–Suburban Hospital; and a member of Arcadia University's Genetic Counseling Masters Program Advisory Committee. She was an original member of the Childhood Cancer Advisory Committee of the American Cancer Society in Philadelphia from 1986 to 2006 and served on the board of the Pennsylvania Association of Nonprofit Organizations from 2006 to 2009. In July 2009, Peggy was invited to take part in the Consortium for Children

and Youth with Special Health Care Needs by the Pennsylvania Department of Health. In 2008, Peggy served on the Patient and Family Issues Subcommittee in her role as member of the Pediatric Palliative and Hospice Care Task Force for the PA Department of Welfare.



## Speaker: Continued from Front

Also, per tradition, we were entertained by the Strath Haven High School Silvertones. John Shankweiler, the Director, performed his magic including the CADES students, Rotarians, and Silvertones in a rousing version of Jungle Bells. The Silvertones then sang their own version, which was a little more jazzy and a lot more musical. Other audience or chorus songs included Silent Night, Deck the Halls, and my favorite, Carol of the Bells. Finally, I ate a bunch of cookies, also as is traditional.

## Happy Dollars Total for 2015-16: \$1202

2014-2015 total: \$3,168 2013-14 total: \$2,493 2012-13 Total: \$2,345 2011-12 Total: \$2,311



(18,711 Children Immunized)

All Proceeds go towards Polio Eradication.

# **Service Quotation**

"Wherever a person turns, they can fund someone who needs them."

Albert Schweitzer, (1875-1965), German theologian, organist, philosopher, and physician

## **Rotary Celebrations**

### **Birthday:**

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Rudy Amann	1/4
Bill Hale	1/6
Gladys Snively	1/8
Member Anniversary:	
Art Baker	1/1
Betty Ann Flynn	1/5
Wedding Anniversary:	
Robin Elrick	1/1
Ken Wright	1/1

# CADES and SILVERTONES!

