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The Rotary Club of Swarthmore
P.O. Box 4, Swarthmore, PA 19081
July 5, 2018



June is Rotary Installation Month

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Club Administration Chair	Bill Hale
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Today's Program:

**Swarthmore Mayor
Tim Kearney**

Table Grace

It is so easy for us to sing and to say, "God Bless America" on Independence Day. Forgive us, Lord, when we let any day pass without thanking you for the blessings of this great and good land, once called "Man's best hope." Purge us of stark prejudice and false pride and use us, especially in Rotary, to make this truly "One nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all." Amen.
Frederick E. Christian

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Last Week's Program: Club Assembly

By Rich Shimko

Joy used the club assembly on her last meeting as President to review the club's accomplishments during the last year. It was positive for the club and for her as she said she was surprised by how much fun it had been for her being president.

One big development was that club membership has increased by five, with eight new members while three persons left. Special mention should be given to Anne Hansen, who was named District "Woman of the Year", and Brian Casey, who received the Governor's Award. Joy said she expects the club to receive a Presidential Citation. At the end of Joy's written review of the year, she gave a good summary of why I think we all belong to Rotary:

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Coming Programs & Events

(All meetings at The Inn unless otherwise noted)

July 12: Installation Dinner at The Inn

July 19 Voice students who sing with the Chester Children's Chorus will present a voice recital.

July 24: Rotary Night at the Phillies

July 26, 6pm: Wilmington Blue Rocks vs. Salem Red Sox with Dinner

August 2: Mary Gay Scanlon, Democratic Candidate for US Congress 5th District PA
"Year of the Woman in federal and state elections – where we are and where we are going"

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



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Four Way Test:

Of the things we think, say and do:

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:

Jon Kopcik (Joe Lesniak's guest),



Dean Wolfe (1950 – 2018)

Dean Wolfe (Wolfie) passed away on June 30, 2018. Dean had been a member of the Swarthmore Rotary Club since 2009 where he has served as Sergeant at Arms and was a frequent Happy Dollars contributor.

Dean's family will receive friends on Friday, July 6 at Cavanaugh's Funeral Home, 43 E. Baltimore Pike (at Monroe), Media, from 3:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m., followed by a Remembrance Service beginning at 4:30 p.m. A toast to Dean will be held at John's Bar (behind Cavanaugh's) following the service. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Brookline Lab Rescue, <http://brooklinelabrescue.org/get-involved/donate/>.

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We are taking this as an opportunity to review the makeup of the incoming committees for the 2018-19 Rotary Year.

Club Administration Committee—Bill Hale, Chair

Club Programs	Ann Seidman
Club Communications-Cognates	Jim Leming
	Josh Twersky
	Rich Shimko
	Steve Laxton
	Brian Casey
Webmaster	Brian Casey
Attendance Secretary	Rich Shimko
Sergeant at Arms	Bill Hale
	Steve Laxton
	Steve Laxton
Greeter	Gudmund Iversen
Photographer	Jim Leming
	Cathy Darrell
Happy Dollars	

Membership Committee—Perri Evanson, Chair

Recruitment	Every Club Member
Sunshine	Cathy Darrell
Prospective Member Orientation	Ken Wright
	George Whitfield
	Anne Hansen
	Hillard Pouncy
Badges	Gudmund Iversen

(Other committee membership listings will follow in future issues)

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"greetings and laughter, good conversations, caring for others, meeting new people, learning, building community, contributing to our global and local communities in positive ways". To top it all off, at the end, Joy acknowledged the contribution of each member present personally with a well-chosen comment and a pen.



Happy Dollars 2017-18:

\$4515



2016-2017 total: \$3,756
2015-2016 total: \$3,756
2014-2015 total: \$3,168
2013-14 total: \$2,493

(22,097 Children Immunized)
All Proceeds go towards

Service Quotation

**TRUE HAPPINESS IS NOT
ATTAINED THROUGH SELF-
GRATIFICATION BUT
THROUGH FIDELITY TO A
WORTHY PURPOSE" - Helen
Keller (1880-1968),**

Rotary Celebrations

Birthday:
None

Member Anniversary:
None

Wedding Anniversary:
None

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.