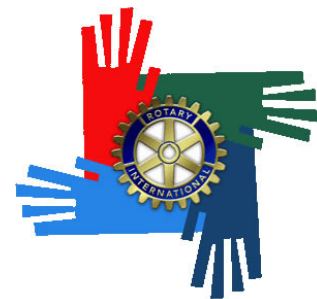




# CogNotes

## The Rotary Club of Swarthmore April 8, 2010



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April is **Magazine Month**

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### Today's Program:

**St. Sen. Ted Erickson**  
"State House Report"



**Last Week's Speaker:**

**Was unable to attend.**

### Table Grace:

Lord of the changing seasons, we pause to thank you for your never-failing faithfulness.

As the earth stirs beneath our feet and flowers and birds bedeck the barren land, we rejoice in this ageless miracle of rebirth at your hand.

Accept our thanks as we enjoy your bounty here and your blessings day by day. Amen.

The Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian

Our speaker last week was not able to attend our meeting.

Members had a discussion on a variety of topics relating to Club initiatives such as the upcoming Fun Fair on Sunday April 18th.

We welcome State Senator Ted Erickson today and look forward to an update from the State House.

### Coming Program & Events

**Apr 15 Faith Holfelder**  
"Vietnam and Rotoplast"

**Apr 18 Fun Fair**

**Apr 22 Sharon Ford, Town Librarian**  
"Libraries - Necessities or Amenities"

**Apr 29 Alfred Hurd**  
"A home for Delaware County Community Performing Groups"

**Apr 29 District Assembly**

**May 6 Dr. Mathania Weiss**  
"My Isreal, My Home, My Pictures"

**May 13 Marc Browngold**  
"Sustainable Agriculture and your Co-Op"



**The Pledge of Allegiance**

### The Rotarian's 4-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 GOODWILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

**Guests Last Meeting:**



## District 7450 Calendar: District Assembly

The District Assembly is coming up on **Friday April 29** at the Desmond Hotel and Conference Center in Malvern.

## District Conference In-District Meeting

The In-District Meeting for the District Conference (not to be confused with the District Conference meeting to take place on the Cruise Ship) will take place at the Rivercrest Golf Club on **Friday May 7**.

For more details, please see the Club Calendar on [SwarthmoreRotary.org](http://SwarthmoreRotary.org).

## District 7450 Rotoplast Committee Presents...

...a night at the **Media Theatre** with **RENT**, a sensitive and significant musical that expresses the challenges facing young artists throughout time.

**Wednesday, May 19th** at 7:30 PM with a Rotoplast Reception at 6:30 PM for our supporters.

Tickets are \$35 each and every penny goes to support surgery and change the lives of these children. Program sponsorships are only \$150 and include 3 tickets.

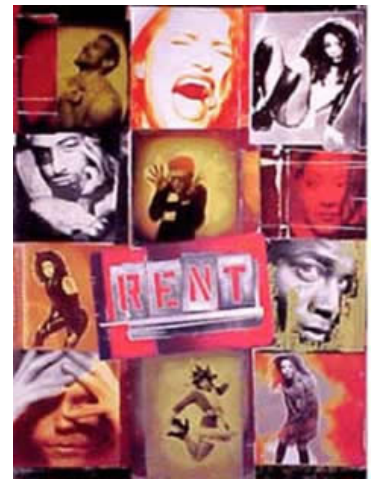
Rent is a modern version of the opera La Boheme. Set in New York's East Village, it's an emotionally stirring story of a community of young artists struggling to live and celebrate life. The show's songs range from rock 'n roll to quiet ballads and incorporate dance, pop, salsa, plus rhythm and blues.

Please join us for this great night of musical entertainment as we raise funds for our cleft lip and cleft palate surgery team that will go to change the lives of needy children in Viet Nam.

Remember that due to the generosity of the Media Theater, all proceeds will be used to provide surgery to the children in Viet Nam and fulfill their dreams.

For tickets, please contact:

**Dan Bronson** ([danbronson@epix.net](mailto:danbronson@epix.net) or 717-786-7277); or  
**Dede Carruthers** ([dedecarr@earthlink.net](mailto:dedecarr@earthlink.net) or 610-933-8822).



## April is Rotary Magazine Month

More than half the Rotarians worldwide are served by one of 31 magazines published through Rotary. These publications are produced independently by Rotarians, distributed in more than 130 countries, and published in 25 languages. They have a combined circulation of 780,000. Each magazine has a local editorial slant but includes required articles and photographs of international Rotary interest from The Rotarian.

Every two years, all regional magazine editors are invited to participate in the Regional Magazine Editors Seminar. The two-day meeting provides a forum for the editors to discuss common problems and concerns, as well as an opportunity for RI to give guidance on how best to fulfill Rotary communications responsibilities.

For further information about the Rotary World Magazine Press or for sample copies, visit [Rotary.org](http://Rotary.org).



## Rotary Club Activities in the Area



**April 17th** - Chester Pike  
"Night at the Races"

**April 18th** - Swarthmore  
Fun Fair - Downtown Swarthmore

**May 3rd** - Chichester  
3rd annual Rotary Golf Outing.  
For details, contact Peter Pagano at  
(610) 485-6200

**June 5** - Upper Darby Lansdowne  
Classic Car & Cycle Show - Rose  
Tree Park Media .