

# CogNotes

# The Rotary Club of Swarthmore September 23, 2010

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September is **New Generations** Month



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#### **Coming Program & Events**

Oct 7 Guy Gardener, Former Astronaut, President, Williamson Free School "From the Heavens to the Williamson School"

Oct 14 Perri Evansen "On Real Estate"

# Oct 21 Richard Noonan, WSSD Superintendent

Introduction by Board Chair Mary Gay Scanlon (Invited)

Oct 28 Josh Twersky
"The Ins and Outs of Health Care
Reform"

#### **Today's Program:**

Gary Cummings, Town Manager Nether Providence

#### **Table Grace:**

Lord, show us how we may help mankind to attain nobler standards of humane living.

We are plagued by the worst of our religions and beliefs and not the best.

Inspire in us a greater concern for human rights and teach us the art of living in peace. Use us to these ends and strengthen us to live under your guiding hand. Amen.

The Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian

# 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?



#### Last Week's Speaker:

## District Governor Joan Batory

**Joan Batory,** our District Governor, visited our club to thank us for our community and international service.

She updated us on polio eradication efforts where our \$21000 raised so far in the last few years immunized 32000 children

She then bestowed two district recognition awards to Ken Wright and Brian Casey.

Finally, she challenged us to bring in the most new members in the district this year to receive a fascinating gift.

Mike Malone.

#### **Guests Last Week:**

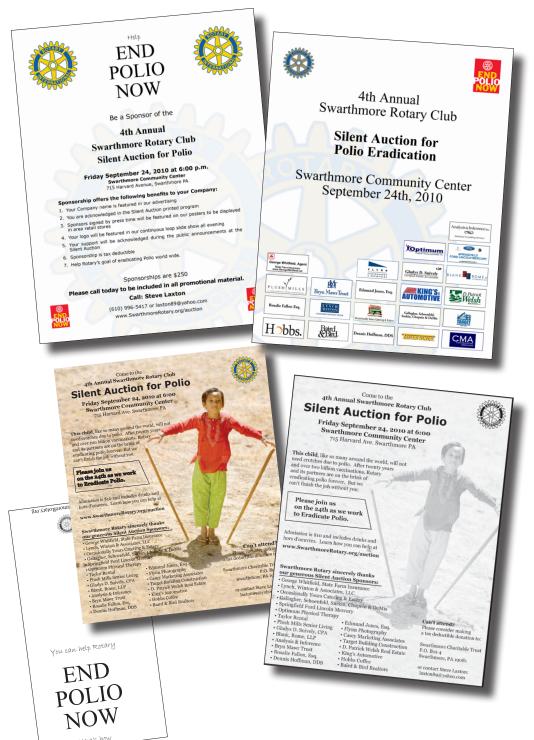
Joan Batory, Joke Williams, Julio Alicea

# Come to the 4th Annual Swarthmore Rotary Club Silent Auction for Polio Friday September 24, 2010 at 6:00 Swarthmore Community Center 715 Harvard Ave. Swarthmore PA

#### Silent Auction - It's Here!

Tomorrow at 6:00, the 4th Annual Silent Auction takes place at the Swarthmore Community Center.

With 22 Sponsors and over \$17,000 in auction items, this is shaping up to be a great evening. The only thing left to do is show up with our bidders and have a great time.



#### **Silent Auction**

days until September 24th.



SwarthmoreRotary.org/auction

#### Happy Dollars Total to date:



\$1258 (2097 children immunized)

All for the eradication of Polio.

#### **Service Quotation**

"We are prone to judge success by the index of our salaries or the size of our automobiles, rather than by the quality of our service and relationship to humanity"

- Martin Luther King



## Ken Wright Receives District Governor's Citation

**Ken Wright**, Past Club President, PHF, Rotarian of the Year 2008, RI Service Above Self Award Recipient, and Fun Fair Chair, added another Honor to his long list of accolades.

Last week, visiting District Governor Joan Batory, presented Ken with a District Governor's Citation in recognition of his outstanding work for the club, in particular, the Club's annual Fun Fair.

Congratulations Ken!