



The Rotary Club of Swarthmore June 23, 2011



Visit www.SwarthmoreRotary.org June is Fellowship Month

Rotary International President

Ray Klinginsmith District 7450 Governor Assistant Governor

2010-2011 Board

President Marv Gelb President-Elect Brian Casey **Club Administration** Brian Casey **President-Nominee** Will Fairley Past President Betty Ann Flynn Secretary Madeline Bialecki **Gladys Snively** Treasurer Membership & Retention Open Dean Wolfe Sergeant-at-Arms Service Projects Mike Malone **Rotary Foundation** Craig Fava Program Hillard Pouncy **Community Service** Ken Wright Public Relations Josh Twersky Int. Service Anne Hansen/Ray Hopkins Vocational Service Randv Winton Youth Exchange Ann Seidman **Tech Specialist** Brian Casey Gundaker Harry Urian Cathy Darrell Interact Club Rotaract Club Joy Charlton Marty Spiegel Charitable Trust Brian Casey CogNotes Editor

Coming Program & Events

Installation Ceremony - Longwood

Happy New Rotary Year

Independence Day Parade

June 26 District Governor

June 30 Gudmund Iverson

Jodi Button Executive Director, Francisvale

Shelter for Small Animals

July 1

July 4

July 7

Today's Program:

Club Assembly

Joan Batory

Anne Hansen

Table Grace

Father, as we plan this holiday season for ourselves, our families, and businesses, keep before us the true meaning of recreation.

Grant renewal of energies and purposes that we may be reunited from our separate ways to carry forward the ideals of service that we hold in Rotary.

Accept our thanks for all your gifts of goodness. Amen.

The Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian



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 FRIEND-SHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



Last Week's Speaker:

Mary Gay Scanlon By Mike Malone

Mary Gay Scanlon, president of the Wallingford/Swarthmore School District, discussed the revived Foundation for Wallingford/Swarthmore Schools which is ramping up its efforts to support innovative educational efforts in the school district.

Their first project will be to expand the successful high school robotics program to the lower grades. They also want to alert businesses to the attractive state credit available only on 7/1 to reduce business taxes and contribute to the foundation. Look for a fundraiser in the fall.

Why a foundation? So that we can create alternative sources of income to support our district which is restricted to inflation linked increases in taxes.

Go to wssd.org to find out more.



Happy Dollars Total for 2010-11:

2009-10 Total: \$896 (4310 Children Immunized)

\$1690



All Proceeds to Polio Eradication.

Service Quotation

"A good example has twice the value of good advice"

– Tim Russert, Journalist and Author

2011-2012 President & Board Sworn in at Installation Ceremony

On Tuesday June 14, 2011-2012 President **Brian Casey** was sworn in by District Governor Elect **Bonnie Korengel**. Past District Governor **Hogie Hansen** then administered the oath of Office to the 2011-2012 Board. The club also thanked Club President **Marv Gelb** for his dedication and service to the club.

In his acceptance speech, incoming President Brian spoke of the need to continue our work in the 5 Avenues of Service as we celebrate our 75th year of Service Above Self.

At the same time we need to raise awareness of Rotary in the Community and appeal to the younger generations to carry on the important work in Rotary. At the same time though, while we continue the important work of Rotary, we have to have fun while we do it!



Paul Harris Awards Presented

At the Installation Dinner, Rotary Foundation Chair **Craig Fava** and President **Marv** presented Paul Harris Awards to **Dean Wolfe**, **Putty Willets and Ken Wright**.

In addition, Gundaker Rep **Harry Urian** presented a Gundaker Fellow award to **Perri Evanson.**



Independence Day Festivities

Independence Day festivities will take place on the morning of Monday July 4th.

Rotary will again provide lemonade with all proceeds going to the Alex's Lemonade Foundation.

If you are able to help out, please contact Gene Martensen or Josh Twerslky ASAP.



Dues are Due If you received and paid the invoice sent out in April, Thanks you!

If you have not yet paid your invoice, please pay the invoice *now*.

We need to get these payments on the books for this Rotary year and our treasurer is working hard to keep our books in order and she needs to post these payments before June 30 year end.

If you have any questions, please contact Gladys Snively.