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

October 8, 2015



October is Economic and Community Development Month

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Locally and Around the World for over 75 Years**

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Today's Program:

Elizabeth Bromley, TCLR Co-Director, will take us inside the Creative Living Room. From the Dream Business of Four Women to an Exciting Non-Profit: The Life of TCLR and it's Hope for the Future.

Table Grace

Father, for families in which we have been nurtured; for the bonds that bind us to sons and daughters, fathers and mothers; for the larger family in which you have placed us as your children, we give you thanks. Show us how to live caringly and to express our gratitude as we practice "Service Above Self." Amen.
Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian

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Last Meeting's Program: Club Assembly

It is possible that Ed Jones, a Rotarian for over 50 years, may find Assemblies to be old hat. I, a Rotarian of slightly over one year, find the discussion of various Rotary topics that make up an Assembly to be among the most interesting of meetings. Mike Malone, Chair of the Grants committee, told us an organization can request a grant for a specific project, which they need to describe in their application, and not to support their annual budget. He invited us to nominate organizations for grants. An example of a grant is a \$1000 award to an organization to buy mattresses for the homeless.

Joe Lesniak made a pitch for the Rotary Leadership Institute. He said going to the three day-long sessions was a great way to meet fellow Rotarians.
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Coming Programs & Events

Oct 15 Ben Yagoda, University of Delaware Professor of English & Journalism, will talk about his recent book, *The B-Side: The Death of Tin Pan Alley and the Rebirth of the Great American Song*.

Oct 22 Jeff Havilland, DCLC tutor and his adult learner.

Oct 29 No Meeting (New Member Cocktail Party)

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

The Pledge of Allegiance



Four Way Test:

Of the things we think, say and do:

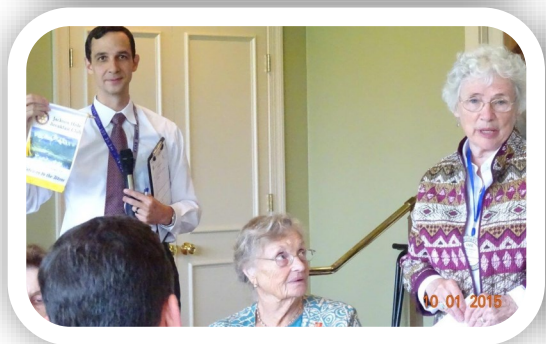
1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all Concerned?



Guests:

Amy Han, Jae Kang, and Melissa Bradley, Members of Rotaract

IMAGES OF LAST WEEK'S CLUB ASSEMBLY!



"We kid, we laugh, because we care" - Hillard

Speaker: Continued from Front

It is all about Rotarians exchanging ideas. Joe is so positive about the Institute he offered to drive us to the first session and buy us lunch. Joy and Lisa were proud to present a presidential citation to the past and present presidents of Swarthmore College Rotaract. They said this was a very successful group and commended the three October is "meat month" at Chester Eastside food pantry according to Barbara, our liaison there. Barbara has a basket available for contributions at each meeting.

EASTSIDE MINISTRY REPORT

Barbara Whitaker-Shimko has taken over Cathy's Eastside Ministry food pantry and would like to share, "October is MEAT month for the pantry. Please bring a can or two of any kind of meat or fish to put in the Eastside pantry basket. Thank you!"

Happy Dollars Total for 2015-16:

\$770



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

"Do what you can to show that you care about other people and you will make our world a better place."

- Rosalynn Carter, Age 88, served as the First Lady of the United States from 1977 to 1981

Rotary Celebrations

Birthday:

Josh Twersky 10/11

Member Anniversary:

Ann Seidman 10/11

Wedding Anniversary:

None

STOP HUNGER NOW

Saturday, October 17th

Swarthmore College | 9AM - 12PM

Sign-up Online or at the Meeting

