



# CogNotes

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

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August is Rotary Membership Month

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## Today's Program:

**Dr Lisa Palmer,**  
new Superintendent of the  
Wallingford-Swarthmore  
School District

## Table Grace

God, grant that today we may be disturbed by some vision of the need for justice or compassion or caring and make this Rotary the channel for renewed life or hope or aspiration for someone down on their luck. Thank you, Lord, for bringing us together and for the rich blessings of this hour. Amen.

Rev. Dr. Frederick E. Christian

## Coming Programs & Events

**Sept 1 (At the Inn at Swarthmore) Joseph Callahan,** CEO of Ciright One, "Philadelphia and the Rebirth of Technology Leadership in "Liberty Valley"

**Sept 8 David Bloom,** Managing Director of Wilmington Trust, will talk about the Economic Outlook and Market Update combined with insights into the two presidential candidates' tax policies.

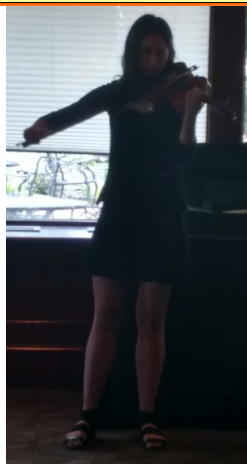
*\*\*Know someone who has an interest in any of these topics? Invite them to the meeting!*

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## Last Week's Speaker: Sylvia Durian by Rich Shimko

Sylvia Durian, a senior at Strath Haven High School, enthralled us with her violin performance. She was accompanied by her mother, Andrea Liu, on the piano. They played two pieces by Fritz Kreisler and Gabriel Faure, and several dances by Bela Bartok. Sylvia was remarkably composed as she preceded each of the compositions with some background material on each composer. For example, Kreisler originally published the piece Sylvia played under someone else's name and did not claim it for many years.



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## 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:** Mollie Shiflet (Rotarian), Steven Shi (guest of Hillard), Andrea Liu and Doug Dorian (Sylvia's parents)

## MEETINGS MOVE TO THE INN AT SWARTHMORE



### EFFECTIVE THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 1ST

After many years meeting at the Springhaven Country Club, The Rotary Club of Swarthmore is pleased to announce that we are returning to Swarthmore!

**Beginning on Thursday September 1, 2016**, the weekly meetings of the Rotary Club of Swarthmore will be held at 12:10 PM at The Inn At Swarthmore.

While we appreciate the wonderful hospitality of the Springhaven Country Club over the years, we are pleased to see Swarthmore Rotary return to Swarthmore.

### DONATIONS NEEDED!

The CityTeam Ministries food pantry needs constant replenishing. If you can donate items such as: peanut butter, tuna fish...



Please contact Cathy Darrell, who will transport any donated items.

### Speaker: *Continued from Front*

Kreisler originally published the piece Sylvia played under someone else's name and did not claim it for many years. Sylvia described it as "fun to play". In answer to a question, Sylvia said she would probably not go on to study music but wanted to continue to have music in her life. Sylvia is an example of amazingly talented and hard working SHHS students that have impressed me during my tenure on the scholarship committee.

## Happy Dollars 2016-17: \$546

2015-2016 total: \$3,756  
2014-2015 total: \$3,168  
2013-14 total: \$2,493  
2012-13 Total: \$2,345



(19,585 Children Immunized)

All Proceeds go towards  
Polio Eradication.

## Service Quotation

"Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in". - Unknown

## Rotary Celebrations

### **Birthday:**

None

### **Member Anniversary:**

None

### **Wedding Anniversary:**

Anne Hansen 8/27

Maria Zissimos 8/31



Rest in Peace, Jamie Page

Beloved son of Joy Charlton and  
David Page (pictured above  
with Jamie)