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

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September is New Generations Month

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Today's Program:

Club Assembly

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.

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Last Week's Speaker: David Bloom by Rich Shimko

David Bloom of Swarthmore introduced two of his colleagues from Wilmington Trust to talk about the economic outlook and the economic policies of the two presidential candidates. Mark Dinacci started his talk by quoting John Kenneth Galbraith "The only purpose of economic forecasting is to make astrology look respectable". He then proceeded by giving us his forecast. Marc said they believe economic growth will continue to be slow but steady. Inflation will increase slightly but remain at a healthy level. He also said China's rate of growth will decrease but they will not have a recession. Because the U.S. will remain strong, Wilmington Trust is investing primarily in U.S. stocks and bonds.

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Coming Programs & Events

Sept 22: Historian Tom Childers will talk about his book Soldier From the War Returning: The Greatest Generation's Troubled Homecoming from World War II

September 29: Jim Hazard, long time genealogical researcher, will talk about "Family History and the Swarthmore Friends Historical Library".

***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: Brian Laniak from Wilmington Trust; Francie Cross of District, Jim Snively (Gladys's husband), Adam Seltzer (Ann Seidman's son-in-law), and Chenin Fava (Craig's son).

Summer is over and the Rotary District 7450 "SUPER SEMINAR" series is here for 2016-2017 !!!

"SUPER SEMINARS" are evening meetings that provide "Service Above Self" content, ideas, initiatives, sharing and best practices to YOU and your fellow members of the Swarthmore Rotary Club. These programs are a GREAT opportunity to share your successes and learn from fellow Rotarians about how to make a "Service Above Self" difference in your community.

Our Lineup of GREAT PROGRAMS for EVERYONE!

"SUPER SEMINAR" #1 - Community Service

October 17 (Monday) – District Areas 7,8,9

"SUPER SEMINAR" #2 - Rotary Foundation

November 3 (Thursday) – District Areas 7,8,9

"SUPER SEMINAR" #3 - Membership

December 15 (Thursday) – District Areas 7,8,9

"SUPER SEMINAR" #4 - Gundaker Foundation

January 26 (Thursday) – District Areas 7,8,9

"SUPER SEMINAR" #5 – Youth Service

March 30 (Thursday) – District Areas 7,8,9



SEMINAR LOCATIONS

District Areas 7,8,9 - West Chester University Graduate Center

SEMINAR COSTS

All SUPER SEMINARS are only \$20 per person. This includes a nice sandwich dinner side dishes and refreshments.

JOIN US !!!

Click on the registration links above to register ASAP! As the name says, these Seminars are going to be absolutely "SUPER" for YOU, "SUPER" for your CLUB and "SUPER". To register, see the links in Dave Haradon's email of September 6

Happy Dollars 2016-17: \$733

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

"WE RESERVE OUR DEEPEST RESPECT AND ADMIRATION FOR THOSE WHO VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE AND GIVE THEIR LIVES TO HELP KEEP OUR NATION SECURE" - Mitt Romney, American businessman and former Presidential candidate.

Rotary Celebrations

Birthday:

Todd Kitchin 9/17

Theresa Hartzell 9/21

Member Anniversary:

(none)

Wedding Anniversary: (none)



Anne Hansen, with her trophy for winning the bbq cookoff at the tailgate before last Saturday's soccer game. On the right is Warren Sell, president of the Chester club.

Speaker: *Continued from Front*

Susan O'Donnell compared the candidates' economic policies and said Trump will sharply reduce all types of taxes which will result in an increase in the deficit of about one trillion dollars a year. Clinton will slightly raise taxes, mostly on the rich, which will result in a decrease in the deficit of about 0.1 trillion a year. Clearly, a Trump victory will give trickle down economics another chance to prove itself.

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.
**Or just bring them to a
meeting.**