



# Swarthmore Rotary Cog Notes



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## Service Quotation

"Even the smallest act of service, the simplest act of kindness, is a way to honor those we lost; a way to reclaim that spirit of unity that followed 9/11."  
Barack Obama

## Rotary Celebrations!

Birthdays



Joe Lesniak  
March 17th

Wedding Anniversaries

Michael D. Malone

## Meetings and Events

March

12th - [Meeting](#)

Speaker: Mark Hopkins, Director at Moody's Analytics  
Subject: The Next Recession

19th - [Meeting](#)

Speaker: Police Chief Stufflet, Swarthmore Police Department  
Subject: Meet the New Chief In Town

26th - [Meeting](#)

Speaker: Reception 5:30 pm at the Swarthmore Inn  
Subject: Reception 5:30 pm at the Swarthmore Inn

April

2nd - [Meeting](#)

Speaker: Barley Van Clief, PHS Tree Tenders Program Manager  
Subject: Tree Tenders Program for Chester Shade Trees

## Table Grace

By Frederick E. Christian

Lord, we thank you for the privilege of working in this favored community in your service for the sake of country and humanity. Grant us the assurance that no blessing will ever be withheld from us if we do justly and walk humbly in your sight. We thank you for our association In Rotary. In your name, we pray. Amen.

## 4 Way Test

Of the things we think, say or 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 Meeting Summary



Picture this. Two friends are chatting, perhaps over glasses of wine, when one says "I have a great idea. Let's open a wine bar". The other friend agrees. For most people, this story would end here, particularly if, as in this example, both friends had good jobs as lawyers. As Lori Kettering-Knauer told us, this is not what happened with her and her friend Jill Bennett Galeski. Two and a half years after the conversation, their dream is about to come true. The Village Vine, Swarthmore, is scheduled to open April. Lori explained what has happened during the last two and a half years. They started by learning about wines by attending a wine school in Philadelphia along with other training. They successfully navigated the complex process of obtaining a liquor license. They had to decide how much food to serve and they



March 17th

Years of Service

No Years Of Service Found

## Happy Dollars

No Report

2019-20 Happy Dollars  
for Polio Plus Fund  
(\$3 to fully protect one child)

2018-19 total: \$3,845  
2017-18 total: \$4,515  
2016-17 total: \$3,756

## Guests Last Meeting

No guests

decided to put in a full kitchen with a hood so they could serve hot food. Lori and Jill plan to have classes on wines and cheeses, be open late some nights to serve desserts and dessert wines, and host groups such as Rotary. If they have evening events they will put some life in Swarthmore Center after dark.

## February Evening Social



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