



# The Rotary Wheel

The Rotary Club of Ambler  
P.O. Box 81, Ambler, PA 19002-0081  
Chartered December 11, 1925 Club Number 5416  
"Service Above Self"

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[www.rotarydistrict7430.org](http://www.rotarydistrict7430.org) - district web site  
[www.amblerrotary.org](http://www.amblerrotary.org) - our web site

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### *August 31, 2016 MEETING:*

**Vice President Paul Kelly** opened the meeting by asking us to silence our cell phones. We then recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Our song of the day was "You're a Grand Old Flag." **Dick Booth** offered today's invocation.

The Ambler Rotary Mixer is scheduled for 5pm on September 29 at the Fireside in Ambler. This is a mixer where we bring spouses, family and friends together for rotary fellowship.

The RI convention will be held in Atlanta Georgia in June 2017. Early registration discounts are available through December 15, 2016. See the district website for more information.

The Hatboro Rotary Club is hosting a lobster festival known as "Lobster Pot" on September 10, 2016 from 4 to 10pm. Tickets are \$35. Contact Jack Groves at 215-343-1511 for more information.

### *VISITORS / GUESTS:*

- **Jan Sandler** (proposed new member) was in attendance.

### *COMMUNITY IN CELEBRATION (a.k.a. HAPPY DOLLARS:*

- **Paul Kelly** and **Steve Bass** contributed in honor of Gene Wilder.  
Among his many quotes a favorite comes to mind "*If you aren't gonna tell the truth, then why start talking*".

### *PROGRAM:*

**David Maola**, CEO of the Ruttenberg Autism Center, was our guest speaker. The mission of the Ruttenberg Autism Center is to provide expert assessment, treatment and support services to individuals and families affected by Autism Spectrum Disorder. ASD is the fastest growing developmental disability in the United States. Dr. Ruttenberg, for whom the center was named, is the founder of the Center for Autism in Philadelphia, a sister entity to the Ruttenberg Autism Center. Both centers provide evaluation and assessment to people of all ages to determine an

initial diagnosis or confirm a previous diagnosis. The programs available include a pre-K program, a full- day treatment program, outpatient programs, after school programs and consultation services. For more information see [www.ruttenberg.com](http://www.ruttenberg.com).

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**Alain DuPlat** drew the white tee and received a free lunch. There were 30 white tees and 1 red tee. Next week's jackpot will begin at \$792.

**SPEAKERS:** (*Scott Stimson*) who do you know that you can invite to speak to us? Do you know any professional ball players, actors, TV or radio personalities, or famous people? **Call Scott** at 610-279-1991 or send him an e-mail at [sstimson@tompkinsfinancial.com](mailto:sstimson@tompkinsfinancial.com). Let him help you schedule your contact. Remember that our programs are a vital part of each weekly meeting.

## SEPTEMBER

7 - Ambler Yards - Marc Policarpo

- 14 - Dr. Pollock - President Montgomery County Community College
- 20 - Board Meeting at Ambler Savings Bank
- 21 - The Path Forward Foundation - David Trevaskis and Carl Pierce
- 28 - Business Meeting

**OCTOBER**

- 1 - Oktoberfest
- 5 - Angel Flight East - Ellen Williams
- 12 - Ambler Main Street-Liz Kunzier
- 18 - Board Meeting at Ambler Savings Bank
- 19 - Social Security Cash Flows - Rosemary Dempsey
- 26 -

**NOVEMBER**

- 2 -
- 9 -
- 15 - Board Meeting at Ambler Savings Bank
- 16 -
- 23 -
- 30 -

**DECEMBER**

- 7 -
- 14 -
- 21 - Holiday Dinner: 6 PM
- 28 -

**CLUB ASSIGNMENTS:** (Arlene Daniels) If you can't fulfill your service obligation, please provide a suitable substitute and then call Arlene at 215-219-7620 to let her know who will be taking your place.

Set-up

Take-Down

Invocation

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Greeters

**SEPTEMBER**

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|----------------|----------|----------|---------------------|
| 7 - DuPlat     | deSousa  | Ritter   | Greenbaum / Gerhard |
| 14 - Ries      | Satterly | Schueler | Arya / Daniels      |
| 21 - Geraldino | Bass     | Kline    | DeTato / Albright   |
| 28 - Lightkep  | Frank    | Ames     | Ehlers / McGee      |

**DISTRICT 7430 STUFF:**

*Upcoming events*

- Yvette M. Palmer Purple Pinkie 5k Lehigh County Community College Oct 22, 2016

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL STUFF:**

**Are you willing to be third class, and serve?**

Third class ticket holders have a heart for service. Unlike first and second class, they don't mind getting out and getting their hands dirty. In her blog for Rotary Voices, Rotary member Tiffany Ervin explains why Rotary needs more third class ticket holders.

[Read Ervin's blog post](#)

[Learn more about the lifecycle of a service project](#)

