



The Rotary Wheel

The Rotary Club of Ambler
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"Service Above Self"

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DECEMBER IS FAMILY MONTH

The Wordsworth Interact Club has submitted a video to Rotary International's Interact Video Contest. You may view at: <https://youtu.be/4J3AnF3EliI>. After viewing vote for the Wordsworth Interact Club's video by December 16th at: http://on.rotary.org/IVA_2016

President Cary opened the meeting and then asked us to silence our cell phones. Our song of the day was, "God Bless America." Lamont Satterly offered today's invocation.

Next week is our Annual Holiday Dinner which will begin at 6:00 P.M. Friends and family are invited. Adults \$20 and children \$15. If you have not registered, call Cary Fleisher.

VISITORS / GUESTS:

- **Ed O'Brien** was a guest of Leslie Heffernen.
- **Danielle Rock** was a guest of the Club.
- **Eileen Cella** was a guest of Anne Dunnington and she has been submitted for membership in the RCA.
- **Tom and Lisa Sheridan**, parents of our Student of the Month were guests of the Club.

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

- **Phil Albright** said that he has missed a lot of meeting recently, but on Oct. 6th was his 30th anniversary as a member of the RCA.
- **Walt West** returned to the Club after spending 3 days in the hospital and recouping at due to a case of Pneumonia.
- **Bernie Fanini** said that she has lived in Ambler for 16 years and as a member of the RCA she was a Marshal in the Ambler Holiday Parade.

Don't forget to contribute to the Rotary Foundation. The easy way to donate is by following the EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year). That's \$100 each year. As this year is the 100th Anniversary of the foundations first contribution of \$26.50, RI is asking every member to donate an additional \$26.50. So a \$100 donation turns into \$126.50. Donation may be given to **Geff Ries** up through our Holiday dinner next week.

January 4th we will hold elections for next year's new slate of new officers and Board members.

The following three members have agreed to serve for 3 years if so elected on January 4th meeting. If you would like to nominate someone else, get that to **President Cary** ASAP. Nominated to take office on July 1, 2017 and serving for three years are:

- **Bob Ames**
- **Jan Sandler**
- **Bernie Fanini**

Clint Ehlers has been nominated to serve as Second Vice President.

Scott Stimson is looking for some names or ideas for speaker. Surely you know some organization or celeb that could come speak to us. Thanks from Scott.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH:



Are we lucky or what? We work with 5 local high schools and see 10 extremely talented, articulate, and dedicated students each year. Today we were honored to have **Jessica "Jess" Sheridan** from Germantown Academy as our Student of the Month.

Jess works with Face to Face, The Community Cupboard in Ambler as well as playing basketball for GA, She plans to attend Bucknell University in the fall.

Her father was so impressed with the RCA that he gave us a check for \$500.

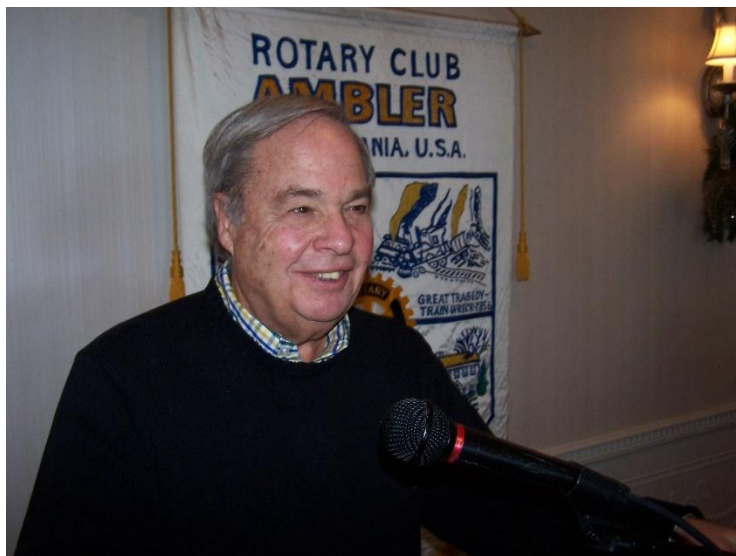
PROGRAM:

Today's speaker, **Elliot Schwartz**, is a member of the Chestnut Hill Rotary Club, owner of Carol Schwartz Gallery in Chestnut Hill and President of the Board of the Philadelphia Theater Company.

He spoke about his late wife, who founded the Gallery and the gallery's involvement in Jewish art, fine art, vintage posters, custom framing and art consultation.

In his spare time he is involved in the Philadelphia Theater Co. at the Suzanne Roberts Theater. Elliot reviewed the basic concept of the Theater – a 270 seat theater and the types of shows they try to produce. Visit their web site at:

<http://philadelphiatheatrecompany.org>



50/50:

Bernie Fanini drew the white tee and received a free lunch. There were 50 white tees and 1 red tee. Next week's jackpot will begin at around \$50.



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. Let him help you schedule your contact. Remember that our programs are a vital part of each weekly meeting.

DECEMBER

21 - Holiday Dinner: 6 PM - **FAMILIES AND GUESTS ARE INVITED**

28 - **No meeting**

JANUARY 2017

4 - Business meeting and Election of new Board members and Second V.P.

11 -

18 - Spring House Shopping Center--Steve Paccione/Craig MC Anally

25 - Wissahickon Valley Public Library--Anne Frank

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

50/50

Greeters

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JANUARY 2017

4 - Ehlers

Albright

Ritter

Greenbaum /Schueler

11 - Bass	Satterly	Fanini	Mayor / DeTato
18 - McAneney	Kadel	Kennedy	Myers / Ries
25 - Phillips	Heffernen	Lightkep	Booth / Daniels

FEBRUARY

1 - King	Frank	Kline	deSousa / Target
8 - DuPlat	Marinucci	Braunewell	L Paccione / Swansen
15 - Kelly	Parkinson	Snyder	Stimson / Dunnington
22 - Urban	McAuliffe	McGee	Albright / Ehlers

MARCH

1 - Murphy	Greenbaum	Geraldino	Snyder / Daniels
8 - Ries	Ames	Fanini	Kline / Kadel
15 - Booth	Bass	Schueler	Wenckus / Kennedy
22 - S Paccione	Target	Heffernen	Weber / Arya
29 - Phillips	DeTato	Frank	McGhee / Gerhard

DISTRICT 7430 STUFF:

Please enjoy the latest issue of the Shining Star* District 7430 Newsletter.

Here is the link <https://clubrunner.blob.core.windows.net/00000050086/en-ca/files/homepage/linda-s-star-update-december-2016/LindasStarUpdateDecember2016.pdf>

On March 11, 2017 at 6 PM District 7430 is holding a Gala to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of The Rotary Foundation.

In January 2017 registration we will open.

Location: Pine Crest Country Club, Montgomeryville PA

What to Expect:

- Happy hour
- Dinner
- Silent Auction
- Music and Dancing
- Keynote Speaker - **David Forward** author of "Doing Good In The World"
- Other surprises
- Bring yourself, encourage other Rotarians to come, bring guests and friends.

Thanks for all you do for Rotary

Doug Cook DG 2015 - 2016

[Sail & Serve to the Dominican Republic](#) Mar 26, 2017 - Apr 02, 2017

- [Regional 4 Way Test Speech Contest](#) TBD Apr 22, 2017 10:00 AM
- [Rotary District 7430 Conference](#) Eden Resort May 05, 2017 - May 07, 2017

- [District Training Assembly](#) Montgomery County Community College May 20, 2017 8:00 AM

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