



The Rotary Club of Doylestown

**2015-2016 Year in Review
(Year of the Bruce)**

What is Rotary?

The mission of Rotary International,
a worldwide association of Rotary clubs,

is to provide service to others, promote high ethical standards, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.





The Rotary Club of Doylestown

A volunteer service organization
whose members donate their
time and resources to help others
in the community and throughout
the world.

The **Object of Rotary** is to encourage and foster the **ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise** and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- **First** - The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- **Second** - High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- **Third** - The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- **Fourth** - The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



The 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 **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

The **Five Avenues of Service** are Rotary's philosophical and practical framework.

1. **Club Service**, actions within this club to help it function successfully.
2. **Vocational Service**, promoting high ethical standards in businesses and professions, recognizing the worthiness of all dignified occupations, and fostering the ideal of service in the pursuit of all vocations.
3. **Community Service**, efforts to improve the quality of life of those who live within this club's locality.
4. **International Service**, activities to advance international understanding, goodwill, and peace by fostering acquaintance and through club activities and projects designed to help people in other lands.
5. **Youth Service**, recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities, involvement in community and international service projects, and exchange programs.

AREAS OF FOCUS

We direct our efforts in six areas to enhance our local and global impact. Our most successful and sustainable projects and activities tend to fall within the following areas:

Promoting peace
Fighting disease
Providing clean water
Saving mothers & children
Supporting education
Growing local economies



TELLING OUR STORY

We are neighbors, community leaders, and global citizens uniting for the common good.



JOIN LEADERS

Connect with leaders from all continents, cultures, and occupations.



EXCHANGE IDEAS

Expand your network-and your worldview.



TAKE ACTION

Help us create lasting change in communities around the world.

TELLING OUR STORY

Core ideas to describe Rotary:

- Rotary joins leaders from all continents and cultures
- Rotary exchanges ideas, bringing our expertise and diverse perspectives to help solve some of the world's toughest problems.
- Rotary takes action to bring lasting change to communities around the world.

Join leaders, Exchange ideas, Take action!



Rotary Logo



Rotary Mark of Excellence



Changes by the 2016 Council on Legislation

- Clubs may decide to vary their meeting times, may meet online or in person, and may decide when to cancel a meeting, as long as they meet at least twice a month.
- Clubs have flexibility in choosing their membership rules and requirements.
- The six membership criteria was removed and replaced with a simple requirement that a member be a person of good character who has a good reputation in their business or community and is willing to serve the community.
- Clubs may offer additional membership types such as associate, corporate, family membership or others.

Club Service

Rotary Leadership Institute

Bob Tessier and Jim Wagner, attended
in King of Prussia on Saturday, November 7, 2015



Rotary Leadership Institute
is scheduled for

November 12, 2016

at

**Bucks County
Community College**

Newtown



District Conference

April 8-10, 2016

The Inn at Pocono Manor

District Training Assembly

De Sales College, Center Valley
May 14, 2016

Attending from Doylestown were Amy Parenti,
Gail Linenberg and John Ortolf



District 7430
District Training Assembly
Saturday, May 14, 2016: 7:45 AM – 2:00 PM

Club Leadership

Club President Bruce Rutherford
President Elect Amy Parenti
Vice President Allen Childs
Past President John Ortolf

Secretary Karen Lasorda
Asst. Secretary John Halderson
Treasurer Chris Nardo

Administration Chair Jane Moore
Beakfast Club Chris Nardo &
Ray Minick

Membership Co-Chair Keith Cianfrani
Membership Co-Chair Gail Linenberg

Foundation Chair Josh Quinn
Fund Raising Linda McCrillis

PR Chair John Ortolf
Facebook/Twitter Chuck Pressler

Sgt-at-Arms Chuck Pressler

Club Service

Service Projects Chair

4 Way Test Bfast

Car Show

Community Grants

Dtown Kids Fishing

VIA Designer House

BB/BS Holiday Cards

Memorial Day Parade

Ride for Heroes

Bill Shoffler

Janet Mintzer &
Karen Lasorda

Bruce Rutherford &
Gary Funk &
Ray Minick

Bill Shoffler

Max Rose

Ro Molyneux

Karen Lasorda

Nicholas Malloy

Bruce Rutherford

Youth Pgms Co-Chair

Youth Pgms Co-Chair

Scholarship Chair

RYLA, Camp Neidig

Interact CB West

Interact CB East

4 Way Speech

Max Rose

Jo-Anne Atwell

Bill Shoffler

Dave Woffindin

Jo-Anne Atwell

Ro Molyneux

Linda McCrillis

Members in leadership positions - 23

Club members beginning of year – 60

Club members end of year - 75

MEETING ATTENDANCE - Make up for an absence by:

Within **14 days** before or after a missed meeting:

1. attend the regular meeting of another club or
2. attend a regular meeting of a Rotaract or Interact club or
3. attend a convention, council, or committee of RI
4. *is present at the usual time and place of a regular meeting for the purpose of attending such meeting, but that club is not meeting... or*
5. participate in a club service project or **community event**, or
6. attend a board meeting or a committee meeting, or
7. participate through a club website in an interactive activity requiring 30 minutes of participation.

Members Excused from Attendance Requirements

“Rule of 85”

If the member's age and years of membership is 85 years or more, they are excused from Rotary attendance requirements

Rotary Club Constitution

Excused Members (21)	
William Angell	William Norcross
Fred Beans	Christopher Nurney
Richard Dommel	Charles Pianko
Robert Eichfeld	Serge Roman
John Gilhorn	Max Rose
William Goldman	James Schmitt
Daniel Green	Russell Schulz
Thomas Kube	John Strong
Ahmed Mazaheri	William Thomas
Richard Millham Sr.	William Vantine
Nicholas Molloy	

New Members

New Members



Carol Ferguson

August 5, 2015



Deric Wertz

August 25, 2015



Dr. Mark Hoffman

December 16, 2015

New Members



Robin Wagner
January 6, 2016



Eric Jozefiak
January 6, 2016



Peter Williams
January 6, 2016

Rick Milham
January 6, 2016



New Members



Jeremy Molish
January 12, 2016

Chris Brockett
January 12, 2016

**Dr. Pamela
Ginsberg**
January 20, 2016



New Members



Scott Nickett
March 2, 2016

Lisa Wuko
March 15, 2016



Rob Fravel
March 29, 2016

New Members

Ron Gentile

April 6, 2016



Peter Rall

May 4, 2016

New Members



Ann Ciliberto
May 17, 2016

Linda DiMaro
June 8, 2016



We wish a warm welcome to our 17 **new members!**

Carol Ferguson

Deric Wertz

Mark Hoffman

Eric Jozefiak

Rick Millham

Robin Wagner

Peter Williams

Chris Brockett

Jeremy Molish

Pamela Ginsberg

Scott Nickett

Lisa Wuko

Rob Fravel

Ron Gentile

Peter Rall

Ann Ciliberto

Linda DiMario

Classification Speeches

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Rick Milham
February 2, 2016



Dr. Pam Ginsberg
February 10, 2016



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Chris Brockett
March 2, 2016



Eric Jozefiak
March 22, 2016

Programs – Speakers

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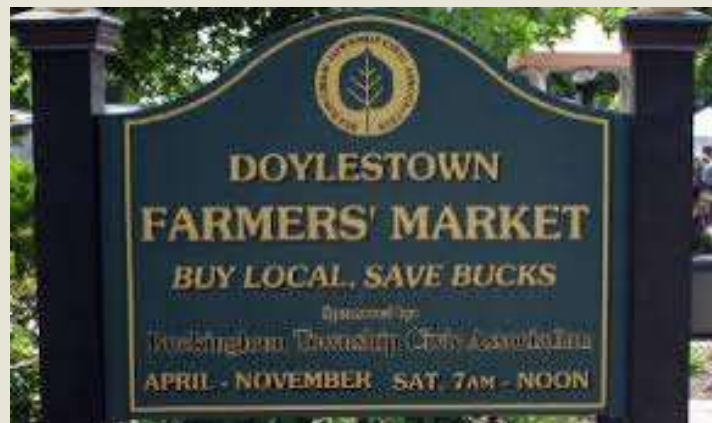
Morgan Marks
Rotary Peace
Fellow Nominee,
July 8, 2015

Jim Schmitt
Aviation Career
August 19, 2015



Programs – Speakers

Armene Modi
Update on India
Dairy Coop
September 3, 2015



Jan Thompkins
Doylestown Farmer's
Market
September 16, 2015



District Governor
Doug Cook
provided insight into the
district and
Rotary International on
September 30, 2015



Programs – Speakers



Daniel Salau Rogei
Maasai Update
October 7, 2015



Programs – Speakers



Jenna Archuletta,
Rotary Foundation
Major Gifts Officer
October 28, 2015



Capt. M. Shafi of the Rotary
Club of Dhaka West,
Bangladesh joined us for our
October 28, 2015

Programs – Speakers



Andrew Keen

Rotary Club of West Chester
RI Grant for Tanzania
November 18, 2015

Bill Shoffler

Rotary Foundation Month
November 3, 2015



Programs – Speakers



Mikolaj Sniegowski,
our exchange student
History of Poland
December 1 & 2, 2015

Programs – Speakers



Ina Burmeister, Gallup N.M.
Rotary Club & **Mary Lee Reiff**,
Americans for Native Americans
discussed service opportunities
to assist Native Americans
January 20, 2016



Bill Hoblin & Mandy Mundy
Network of Victim Assistance
(NOVA) December 8, 2015



Programs – Speakers



Bob Eichfeld
The Middle East
January 27, 2016

Alan Hartl,
Chief Executive Officer of the
Lenape Valley Foundation
February 17, 2016



Programs – Speakers



Dr Brannon Claytor
Rotaplast Mission
February 24, 2016

Becky Van Dine
Child, Home, & Community
February 9, 2016



Programs – Speakers



Emi Yamazaki

2013-2014 exchange Student
March 9, 2016



Octavio Roca Martinez,
Central Bucks Rotary Club
exchange student on
Bolivia
April 6, 2016



Programs – Speakers

Judy Goldlust
Kibbutz Life in
Israel
April 5, 2016



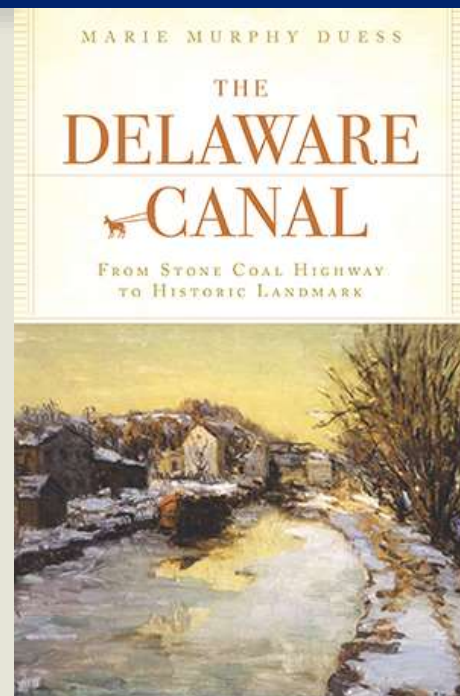
John Nanni
The 3 P's of Polio
April 20, 2016



Programs – Speakers



Local Artist
Susan Evershed
April 19, 2016



Marie Murphy Duess The
Delaware Canal: From
Stone Coal Highway to
Historic Landmark.
May 18, 2016



Programs – Speakers

Jim Schmitt
Permaculture
April 12, 2016



Jim Sanders
Director of Development at
the Doylestown County
Theater
May 24, 2016



Programs – Speakers

Leland Felt

Bucks County Choral Society
May 25, 2016



Sandeep Kumar

President Elect of the Rotary Club
of Coimbatore Cotton City, India.
May 25, 2016

Programs – Speakers



JoAnn Perotti

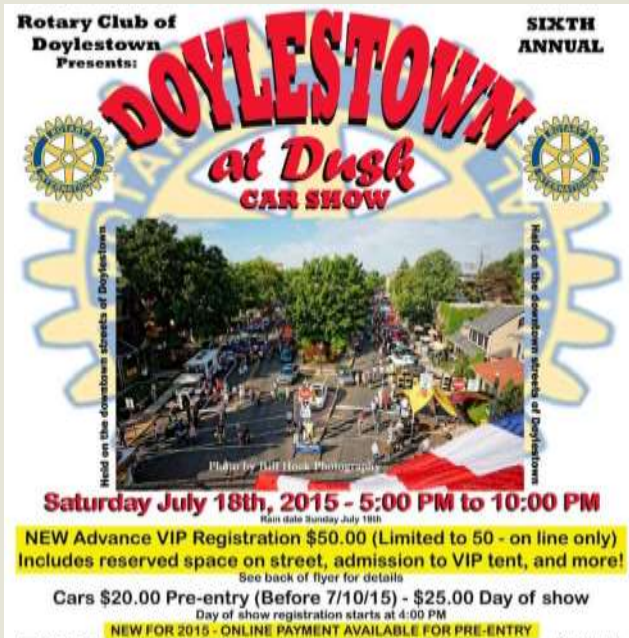
Director of Strategic
Services, Bucks County IU
June 7, 2016

Herb Klotz

Engineers Without Borders
project at the Centennial
School in Sierra Leone..
June 1, 2016



Community Service



Doylestown at Dusk Car Show July 18, 2015



"Turn the Towns Teal"

to promote awareness of
ovarian cancer, volunteers
tied teal ribbons around
lampposts and trees
throughout Doylestown
August 29, 2015





Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Bucks County, INC.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters
Holiday
Gift Cards
December 2015



Four Way Test Awards Breakfast

April 27, 2016
The Doylestown
Country Club



Four Way Test Awards

April 27, 2016

Barbara P. Clark-Non-Profit, Linda A. Felt-Healthcare, Dr. Joseph Ohrt-Arts and Culture, Bob and Pam Byers-Business, Inge Karlberg-Stannik-Education

Francesca Crimi-Student Essay Winner, William “Bill” Lieser-Community



Community Grants

April 27, 2016

\$2,000	Aid for Friends	\$3,000	Credit Counseling
\$3,000	Ann Silverman Health Clinic	\$1,000	Doylestown Fire Dept
\$3,000	Bucks County Opportunity Council	\$1,500	Doylestown Youth Fishing
\$2,000	Bucks County Quality Child Care	\$1,780	Network of Victim Assistance
\$2,000	Camp Discovery	\$2,000	Shelter Box USA
\$3,000	Child Home & Community		

Total Grants
\$24,280





Doylestown Youth Fishing Program Volunteers and Funding

Clean-Up Day and Three Fishing Days
March – June 2016

Volunteers for the May 2016 Village Improvement Association

Designer House

Fundraising for The Doylestown Hospital
coordinated by Ro Molineux

**Foxwood
Manor**
Jamison, PA





Memorial Day Parade Volunteers

May 30, 2016

Driving Dignitaries and Veterans



The Rotary Foundation



- The Rotary Foundation helps fund our humanitarian activities, from local service projects to global initiatives.
- The Foundation also leads the charge on worldwide Rotary campaigns such as eradicating polio and promoting peace.
- Rotarians and friends of Rotary support the Foundation's work through voluntary contributions.
- Clubs can apply for grants to invest in projects they direct.

Rotary Foundation Recognition

- **Every Rotarian Every Year** – Any amount
- **Sustaining Member** - \$100 per year
- **Paul Harris Fellow** - \$1,000 contribution
 - Multiple fellow with additional \$1,000 gifts
 - Points to recognize someone else
- **Paul Harris Society** - \$1,000 annually
- **Major Donor** - Cumulative donations of \$10,000



Contributions by Club Rotarians to The Rotary Foundation

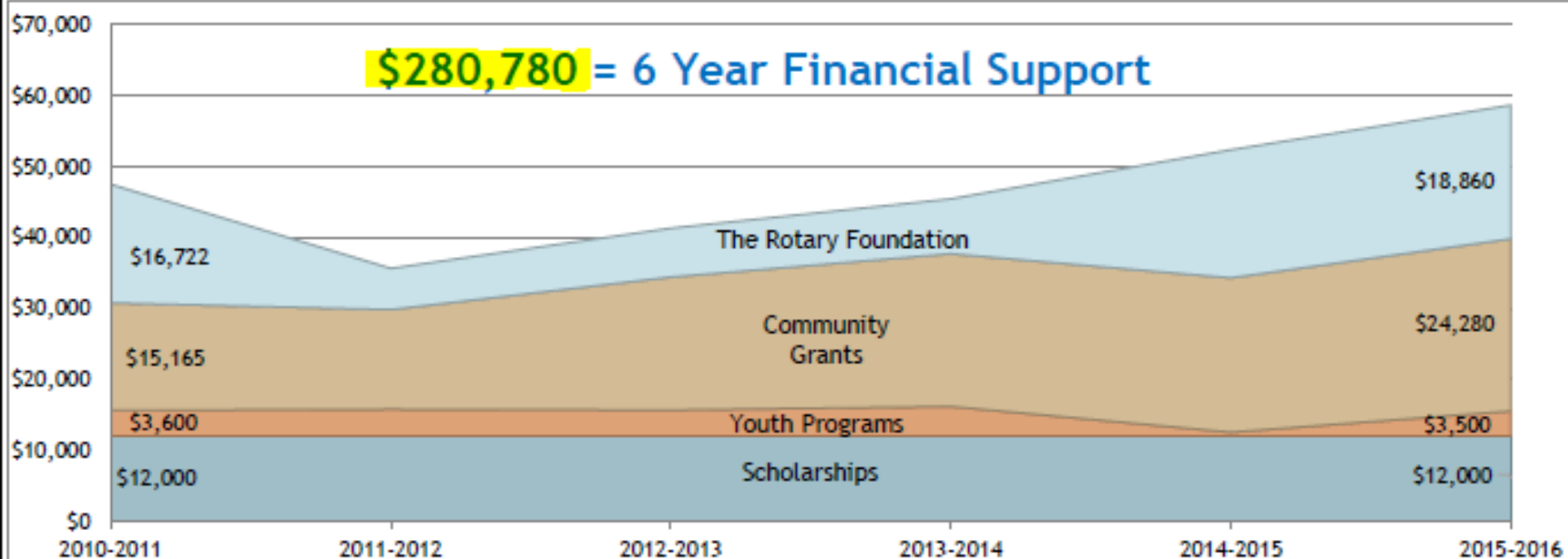
Doylestown, PA

Total Contributions

2015 - 2016	\$18,860
2014 - 2015	\$18,069
2013 - 2014	\$7,728
2012 - 2013	\$6,908
2011 - 2012	\$5,810

The Rotary Foundation

Rotary Club of Doylestown - Local & International Financial Support



Contribution Type	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	TOTAL	%
Scholarships	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$72,000	26%
Youth Programs	\$3,600	\$3,773	\$3,657	\$4,144	\$500	\$3,500	\$19,174	7%
Community Grants	\$15,165	\$14,030	\$18,720	\$21,554	\$21,760	\$24,280	\$115,509	41%
The Rotary Foundation	\$16,722	\$5,810	\$6,908	\$7,728	\$18,069	\$18,860	\$74,097	26%
TOTAL	\$47,487	\$35,613	\$41,285	\$45,426	\$52,329	\$58,640	\$280,780	100%

International Service

Doylestown Rotary gave a \$3,000 grant to the Allentown West Rotary Club/ Engineers Without Borders Centennial School reconstruction project in Sierra Leone



Doylestown contributed \$2,000 to the Rotary Club of Harleysville project supporting the Nigerian
Intercontinental Education Community Center



International Service



**\$2,000
per year**



Malawi Sanitation Project

Rotary International Grant #78212



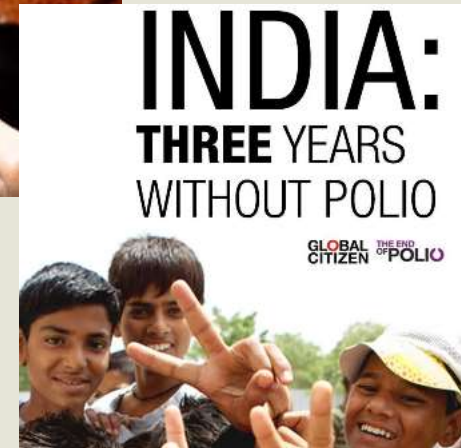
The **Rotary Club of Doylestown** and The **Rotary Club of Bwaila** (Malawi) partnered with Rotary International to fund the construction of 16 eco-sanitary latrines in Malawi, Africa. Project complete in February 2015

Argentina Friendship Exchange

Hosted by Doylestown

April 24-27, 2016





Jane Moore traveled to India to participate in Rotary's **Polio Immunization Program** in Delhi, Agra, & Jaipur, India.
February 13 to 24, 2015

Rotaplast



Rotaplast International provides free surgery to children in developing countries born with cleft lip and cleft palate.

District 7430 sponsors a Rotaplast mission every two years. \$80,000 - \$100,000 is needed for each mission along with 10 non-medical volunteers.

Youth Service

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Exchange Student
Mikolaj Sniegowski
from Poland

Doylestown Rotary Scholarships 2016

Three, four-year awards,
\$12,000 per year

Our 28th year!

Youth Service



**Erin Kim
CB South**

Doylestown Rotary 2016 Scholarships

**Not Shown
Ashlyn Kahlenberg
C.B. East**



**Marguerite DiGiorgio
CB West**

Youth Service

Interact



Central Bucks East

Ro Molyneux
club advisor
(turned over to the
Central Bucks Rotary)



Central Bucks West

Jo-Anne Atwell
club advisor



Youth Service

Four Way Test Essay & Speech Contest



Francesca Crimi
2016 Club Winner
April 27, 2016

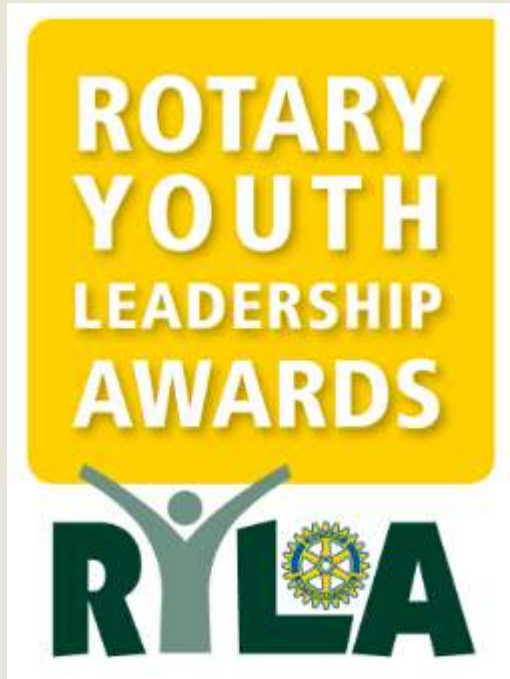


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Youth Service

Camp Neidig



2013 Attendees with David Woffindin

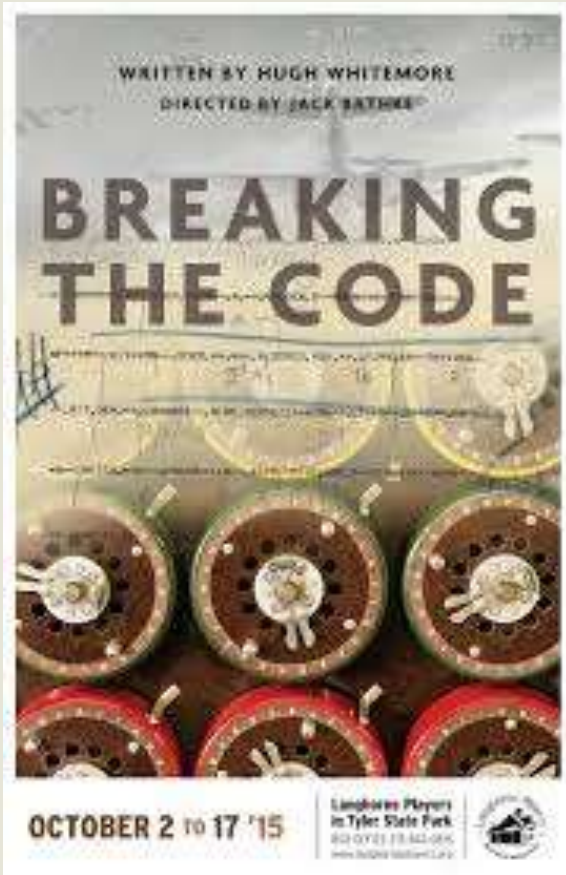
Club Social Events

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Club Picnic at the DCC August 26, 2015



Club Social Events



Breaking the Code Langhorne Players October 14, 2015



For Alan's mother, Sara Turing, **portrayed by the brilliant Carole Mancini** (A LP vet whose father worked as a code-breaker!), life is much simpler.⁸¹

Club Social Events



**Town and Country Players
of New Hope on November 11, 2015**

Club Social Events



Club Holiday Party at MOM's on Wed Dec 16, 2015

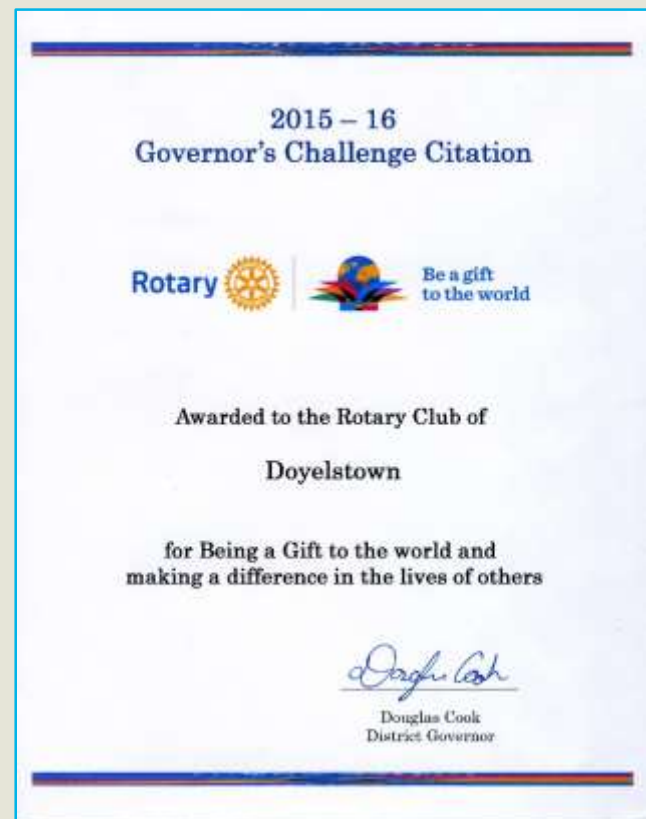
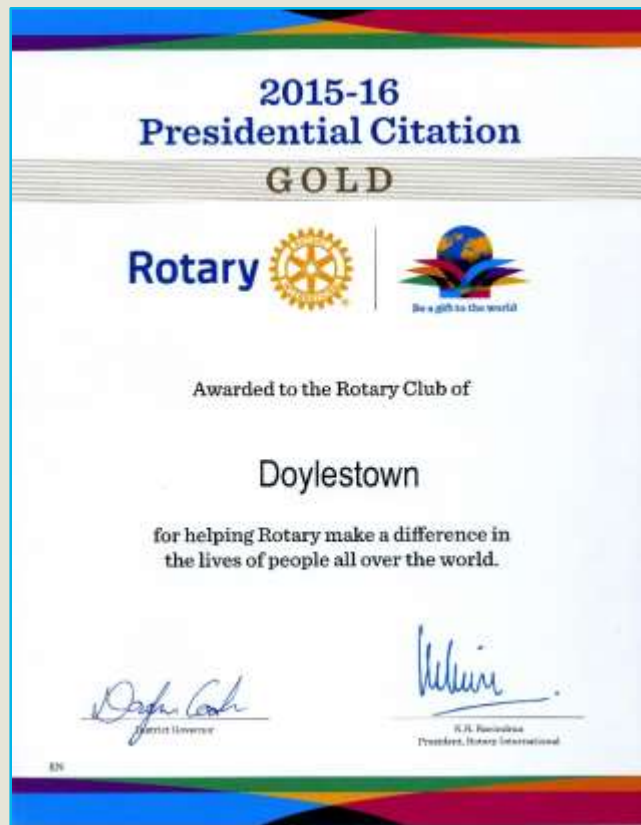


Wait, Don't Leave Without Me – A Celebration of Travel

January 13th, 2016 at the Doylestown Library



Club Awards



President Bruce Rutherford



Thank You,
For a great Rotary Year!