



The Medium

JOYBELLS PRESENT CONCERT

The “Joybells” from Melmark, in Berwyn PA will present a concert at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Media on May 22, 2008. They will perform following the luncheon at 12:15 and the Townhouse Restaurant in Media.



Under the direction of Sue Graves and Joyce Klinck, this unique hand bell choir present a varied repertoire that includes sacred, classical, popular, Broadway, Disney, patriotic, and Christmas selections o their 5-octave Schulmerich hand bells, silver melody bells, hand chimes, and percussion.

The “Joybells” tour extensively and have

performed for churches, schools, colleges, and corporate/community events from Maine to Florida and throughout the Midwest. They have played on television, for Governor Thornburgh’s inauguration, twice with the Brass Ensemble of the Philadelphia Orchestra, and have had the privilege of performing three times at

The White House.

Melmark is a non-profit provider of residential, education, therapeutic, and recreational services for people with mental retardation and physical disabilities, fully licensed by the Pennsylvania Departments of Public Welfare and Education.

Reception Committee		Program	
Date	Chairperson	Greeter	Speaker/Subject
May 8	Penelope Reed	Jack Sproul	Media Fair Trade
May 15	Martin Sarkees, Jr.	George Slick	Tyler Arboretum - FIELD TRIP
May 22	John Schlesinger	Dennis Slostad	Joybells of Melmark
May 29	Fran Smith	Jeffrey Smith	Lisa Carroll, CID of DelCo
June 5	Martin Brian	Jim Thomas	Classification & Rotary Foundation
June 12	Greg Torre	William Tyson	A Trip to Africa
June 19	Lawrence Weathers	Randolph Winton	ASPCA Nicole Williams

CALENDAR OF EVENT

Rotary Board Meetings - Second Tuesday of every month.
The meetings will be held at 12 p.m. at the Towne House.

Rotary Foundation Meetings - Fourth Thursday of every month.
The meeting will be held at 11 a.m. at the Towne House.

Schedule of Events for Rotary District 7450
More information can be obtained at www.rotary7450.org.

A copy of the Rotary Foundation of Media by-laws, latest Treasurer's report and guidelines for requesting funds are available at <http://www.mediarotary.org/foundation/>. A comprehensive list of recipients is also available for your perusal.

Sunshine Committee
Let Lynne Green know about anyone who is ill, has passed away, has gotten married, has had a new baby, etc. Please contact her via email at pgs8@comcast.net.

Website
www.mediarotary.org

ROTARY CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES

At the last board meeting, we discussed membership. The board recommended having Rotary Information on the Thursday following the Board Meeting each month, having the 3rd Thursday be "Membership Day" (with a few minutes to talk about what it's like to be a Rotarian), and the 4th Thursday being Induction Day. This will allow for names to be placed in the Medium with enough time for the 7-day notice. As of now, the schedule is:

April 24	Member Induction
May 13	Board Meeting
May 15	Rotary Information/ Membership Day
May 22	Member Induction
June 10	Rotary Information
June 19	Membership Day
June 26	Member Induction

District 7450
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Bill Strine - Club Membership
John Schlesinger - Public Relations
David Belanger - Rotary Foundation
Bryan Messick - Service Projects
Ken Delmar - Vocational & Program
Lynne Green - Social
Barbara Laurenzi & Rosemarie Halt - Fall Fantasy Auction

Executive Secretary - Don Bak
Recording Secretary & Medium Editor - Courtney Ballauer

DELAWARE COUNTY WOMEN AGAINST RAPE



Last week, Candice Lineham from Women Against Rape (WAR) came to speak to the club. One of the pamphlets that she handed out included the following information:

Why Education is Critical

Rape and other forms of sexual assault are more widespread than ever before: sexual assault is the most rapidly growing violent crime in America. Rape statistics are sobering:

- More than 700,000 women

and about 35,000 men are raped each year.

- 54% of victims reported that the rapes occurred before they were 18 years old.
- Nearly three quarters of sexual assaults are committed by someone known to the victim: a friend, acquaintance, cohabiting partner or family member.

Research shows that one of the best ways to

reduce the incidence of sexual violence is to educate children and adults about the realities of rape and other sexual assaults. For more than 25 years, Delaware County Women Against Rape has been providing sexual assault education programs to the people of Delaware County.

Education Programs

DCWAR educators use proven instructional

methods to explain why sexual assaults occur, and reinforce the idea that everyone, no matter what age, has the right to personal safety. We discuss risk-reduction strategies and behaviors that can enhance personal safety. Our goal is to teach people how to live more safely in an increasingly dangerous world.

DCWAR education and risk reduction programs are tailored to the needs of each group. Even very young children can learn how to protect themselves. We provide programs to public, private, and parochial schools, from pre-kindergarden through high school, and to students in technical schools, colleges, and universities. We offer programs for community groups and for the workplace. We provide in-service training to police officers, social workers, medical professionals, and educators.

MEDIUM FILLER

Help! I need new information for the Medium. I'm running out of filler. Do you know anything interesting and Rotary-related? How about some personal information for a "Meet the Members" section.



This Medium needs some spicing up and I'm ready to do it. If you have any information, please get it to me at an upcoming meeting or email it to me at cballauer@riddlehospital.org. If you are in charge of getting a speaker, or have already done so, please get me some information on that speaker before they come to the club and I'll put a blurb in the Medium to announce them. Any help is welcomed! Thanks!

Courtney

DONATIONS TO VFW HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Below is a list of requested items for our active military from this area.

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| Coloring Books | Baby Wipes |
| Crayons | Cotton Balls |
| Small, Safe Toys | Q-Tips |
| Silly String | Toiletry packets |
| Tooth Paste | Tooth Brush |
| Powdered Drinks | Sunglass Inserts |
| Training Pants | Toilet Tissue (1-ply) |
| Donations | CHOCOLATE |
| etc. | |

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians:

- May 1
Bill Strine
May 12
George Saulnier



Please don't forget to sign in!

Phones must be on vibrate - \$10 charge if they ring.

Rotarians are responsible for all information changes with Courtney Ballauer.

Thanks!



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Service Above Self

George A. Albany, III – Banking, Savings Bank
 Teresa Angarita – Construction Company
 Don Bak – Architect
 Courtney Ballauer – Community Health
 Edward J. Beadle – Dentist
 Lewis B. Betty, Jr. – Law – Probate
 Jonathan Becker – Estate Attorney
 David L. Belanger – Library Administration
 Joseph S. Bodalski – Financial Consultant
 Mike Boettcher - Surf Shop - Retail Manufacturing
 Valarie Bradley – Real Estate Inspections
 Marcus Brettschneider - Packaging
 Martin Brian – Pharmacist
 Jeffry Cadorette – Property Management
 Anthony Cavaliere – Banking
 George Cristoforidis – Home Health Care Equipment
 Bruce Clark – Municipal Manager
 Jim Clyma – Real Estate – Commercial

CLASSIFICATIONS

William K. Davis – Community Planner
 Kenneth Delmar – Plastics, Packaging
 Robert L. Dimond – Veterans Affairs
 Michele Edgcumbe - Non Profit Director
 Robert W. Edmondson –
 Al L. Elko – Accounting – CPA
 Virginia Falkenbach – Computer – Web Design
 Nancy A. Geisel – Real Estate – Sales
 Michael Gibbons – Music Producer
 Tom Gibson – Public Relations
 Ellen Gorby – Salon/Spa
 Lynne L. Green – Realtor Leasing
 Tom H. Gregory – Printing – Quick Copy
 William S. Gross – Retail Men’s Clothing
 Karin Gustafson – Advertising/Promotion
 Ted Hadley - HONORARY
 Rosemarie Halt – Pharmacist
 Stanley T. Hibberd – Casualty Insurance
 O. Warren Higgins – Law – Retired
 Walton B. Hill – Education – Technical College
 Sally Holub – Magazine
 John Hontz – Education – Music
 Andrew Hunt – Investment Representative
 Peter E. Irish – Automotive Sales/Leasing
 Eugene L. Kane – Medicine – Optometrist
 Alex E. Karkenny – Stock Broker
 Denise Kerr – School Superintendent
 Reverend Robert Kesel – Clergy – Presbyterian
 Joseph Kleschick – Ship Building
 Terrance A. Kline – Law
 Pat Kosinski – Non Profit Director
 Narendra Krishna, MD – Ophthalmologist
 Jim Larsen - In-Home Senior Care
 Barbara Laurenzi – Banking – Business Banking
 Nicholas Lippincott – Law – Litigation
 Peter A. Mardinly – Law – Tax
 Lori Markusfeld – Fundraising
 Carole McMahon – Home Healthcare
 Victor A. Menghetti, Sr. – Veterinarian - HONORARY
 Bryan Messick – Banking
 Dale Moppert – Bank – Retail

David E. Pergrin - HONORARY
 Ted Pleibel, III – Sign Maker
 Evelyn Preising, MA –
 Penelope Reed – Theater
 Dennis Rehrig – Med-Chiropractor
 Roger Ricker – Theater
 J. Nelson Rigby – Funeral Director
 Martin T. Sarkees, Jr. – Accountant
 George S. Saulnier – Law
 John J. Schlesinger – School Administrator
 Mollie Shiflet – O’Brien – Law – Real Estate
 George H. Slick - Superintendent Emeritus
 Dennis Slostad – Architect - Commercial
 Fran Smith – Insurance Consultant
 Jeffrey A. Smith – Borough Manager
 Warren D. Smith – Dental Laboratory
 Larry V. Smoose – Clergy
 Jack Sproul – Laundry – Coin Op
 Robert L. Stahl – Decorator
 Linda E. Stone – Commercial Banking
 Walter Strine, Sr. - HONORARY
 William B. Strine – Engineer – Consultant
 James W. Thomas – Springfield Ford, Inc.
 Jay A. Thomas – Automobile – Retail
 Greg Torre – Alarm Service
 William Tyson – Oil Refining
 John D. Vairo – Higher Education Administration
 Lawrence Weathers, III – Auto-Leasing, Sales, Service, Parts
 Mark Whitehead - Education
 Randolph B. Winton – Money Manager
 Jack Wisniewski – Retired – Helicopter Engineer
 Jackie L. Woolfall – Marketing & Public Relations
 Andrea Youndt – Director - YMCA

NEWEST MEMBERS

Jim Larsen, & Michele Edgcumbe

BIRTH YEARS

I am currently working on getting the directory up and running and need everyone’s birth year. This information will be for secretarial purposes only and will not be distributed with the roster. A roster will be circulating at the meetings. Please update your birth year and any other incorrect information.

Thank you for your attention in this matter. ~Courtney

MAY 15

On May 15, we will be taking a Field Trip to the Tyler Arboretum. Please meet there at 12:15 for our regular meeting.



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