



# The Medium

## Notice of Nomination

The Nominating Committee has nominated the following candidates to serve in the offices designed for the Rotary year beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009:

President - Barbara Laurenzi  
 President Elect - Kenneth Delmar  
 Vice President - Carole S. McMahon  
 Secretary - Andrew Hunt  
 Treasurer - Jack Sproul

The Nominating Committee has nominated the following candidates to serve as members of the Board of Directors for a term of three (3) years beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009:

John Hontz  
 Penelope Reed  
 Tom H. Gregory

Election for the Officers and Directors will be held at the Club's Regular Meeting on Thursday, December 20, 2007 at which time other nominations, if any, for said officers and directors may be made from the floor.

## Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians:

12/4 Ed Beadle  
 12/10 Lori Markusfeld  
 12/11 Larry Smoose  
 12/17 Linda Stone  
 12/22 Tom Hibberd  
 Bryan Messick

12/25 George Slick  
 12/26 Larry Leathers  
 12/28 Denise Kerr



Reception Committee		Program	
Date	Chairperson	Greeter	Speaker/Subject
December 6	Pat Kosinski	Marcus Brettschneider	Shelter Boxes
December 13	Nicholas Lippincott	Teresa Angarita	Pastor David Sheehan
December 20	Robert Edmondson	Carole McMahon	Silver Tones of Strath Haven High School
December 27	Bryan Messick	Penelope Reed	Economic Forecast - Andy Hunt Mortgage Industry - Brian Huston
January 3	George Albany	Jackie Woolfall	Chris Wheeler
January 10	Jonathan Becker	Courtney Ballauer	Detective Joe Ryan
January 17	Anthony Cavaliere	George Christoforidis	Rotary International - Jeffry Cadorette
January 24	Bruce Clark	Jim Clyma	DUI - Officer Don Sutherland, PA State Police

## Calendar of Events

40th Annual Pancake Day - March or Early April 2008

Soap Box Derby - May or June, 2008

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](http://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](mailto:pgs8@comcast.net).

Website  
[www.mediarotary.org](http://www.mediarotary.org)

## The Gundaker Foundation, Inc.

Established in 1964 to honor the life-long accomplishments of Guy Gundaker. A charter member and president of the Rotary Club of Philadelphia, he also served as president of Rotary International in the 1923-1924 Rotary year. The Gundaker Foundation is a non-profit corporation of Rotary District 7450.

The Programs of the Gundaker Foundation: National Grant Program, International Grant Program, Undergraduate Grant Program.  
(more information next week)

### District 7450

Russell DeFuria - District Governor  
Arthur Kline - Assistant District Governor  
610-459-4183  
[www.rotary7450.org](http://www.rotary7450.org)

### Rotary International

Wilfrid J. Wilkinson - President  
[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

### Club Officers 2007-2008

Nancy Geisel - President  
Barbara Laurenzi - President Elect  
Ken Delmar - Vice President  
Carole McManon - Secretary  
Jack Sproul - Treasurer  
Terrance Kline - Past President  
Ted Pleibel, III - Sergeant at Arms

### Board of Directors

Ed Beadle  
David Belanger  
Lynne Green  
Jim Clyma  
Rosemarie Halt  
Andy Hunt  
Tom Gibson  
Lynne Green  
Bryan Messick  
John Schlesinger

### Foundation Officers

Lori Markusfeld - President  
Jackie Woolfall - Vice President  
Tom Hibberd - Secretary  
Bob Dimond - Treasurer  
Bill Davis  
Walt Hill  
Sally Holub  
Narendra Krishna  
Bill Strine

### Club Chairs

Fran Smith - Gundaker Foundation  
Tom Gibson - Club Administration  
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

## Rotary Shares

As a member of Rotary District 7450  
You Are Invited To

Rotary Shares  
2008 Conference  
District 7450

Skytop Lodge  
Skytop, PA

Friday, April 25 - Sunday, April 27, 2008  
[www.skytop.com](http://www.skytop.com)

Whether you are a seasoned district conference attendee or thinking about attending your first one... this is your year! We will gather together as Rotarians to share gifts of time, talent, and treasure we give to others. We'll also share the gifts of friendship, peace, and inspiration we receive as Rotarians.

You'll network with members from 54 clubs in District 7450 along with many other Rotarians from District 7450, Eastern Pennsylvania, as District Governors Russ deFuria and Gerry Long share this exciting conference program. Be part of this historic shared district conference!

You'll experience traditional Rotary activities like golf on Friday, informative breakout sessions, the Governors

Ball and the House of Friendship as well as new activities for Rotarians and their guests such as cooking demonstrations, wine and beer tastings and local author book signings.

All work and no play is not a Rotary motto, you you'll find fun and relaxation for the whole family at Skytop - all at no extra cost!

- Guided nature hike
- Hay ride
- Indoor mini golf and outdoor putting greens
- High tea

This is a rare opportunity to experience one of the "100 Best Family Resorts in North America, Golf Digest's Best Places to Play" (rated 4.5) and member of the National Trust Historic Hotels of America at an unbelievable price. The regular weekend rate for two nights for two adults is \$1,394. Due to a wonderful deal with the hotel, as well as fundraising and sponsorships by our district, it will be less than half that price for our Rotary Conference!

Russ and Dawn deFuria invite you to "Rock The Boat" at Skytop... where you'll feel like you're on top of the

world!

Skytop Lodge, in the Pocono Mountains offers a selection of resort lodging that is as unique as the needs of it's guests. Visitors to the Poconos can choose from the grand historic Skytop Lodge, the scenic privacy of deluxe cottages, and for those who love golf, The Inn offers luxury hotel accommodations right off the golf course.

For additional information, please contact Tony DiLeva, Chairperson, Glen Mills: 610-656-2543, [pad553221@aol.com](mailto:pad553221@aol.com) or visit [www.rotarydistrict7450.org](http://www.rotarydistrict7450.org).

Due to the popularity of Skytop Lodge, a 50% deposit is due by January 25, 2008 to hold this very special conference price and your room.

Please don't forget to  
sign in at every meeting

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

Rotarians are responsible for all  
information changes with  
Courtney Ballauer.

## Aloha

You may have seen our ad in the November Rotarian. Organizing this giveaway is the major fundraiser for the Rotary Club of Upcountry Maui for this Rotary year. The response to the ad has been lower than anticipated—prompting this letter. We are hoping that many Rotarians did not see the ad but would be interested in donating to our Rotary projects while getting a good chance at an exciting time on Maui.

Interested members can donate online at <http://www.upcountry-rotary.org>, or at the mailing address in the ad.

We believe the winner of this drawing will have a great trip to enjoy or offer to a loved one. The odds of winning the Grand Prize are good: 1 in 1,000; of any prize 1 in 334 - or better!

Rules are on the website.

Mahalo for you kokua,  
(Thanks for your help),

Dick Thompson, President  
The Rotary Club of Upcountry Maui

**Enter to Win  
5 Nights in Maui, Hawaii**

First-Class Round-Trip Airfare for two  
Deluxe accommodations Wailea or Ka'anapali  
Only \$50 donation  
Must be used before Jan. 1, 2009

**Click the Button Below to Donate**

Rotary Club of Upcountry Maui  
District 5000  
PO Box 880833,  
Pukalani, HI 96788

**Only 1,000 entries are available**

Drawing to be held on or before Jan. 3, 2008  
Enter as often as you like



**WWW.MEDIAROTARY.ORG**

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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  
 Robert W. Edmondson –  
 Al L. Elko – Accounting – CPA  
 Virginia Falkenbach – Computer – Web Design  
 Daniel Fredland – Elder Law  
 Ed Garabedian – Corporate Benefits  
 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  
 Narenda Krishna, MD – Ophthalmologist  
 Barbara Laurenzi – Banking – Business Banking  
 Paul Laviola – Financial Planner  
 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  
 Randolph B. Winton – Money Manager  
 Jack Wisniewski – Retired – Helicopter Engineer  
 Jackie L. Woolfall – Marketing & Public Relations  
 Andrea Youndt – Director - YMCA

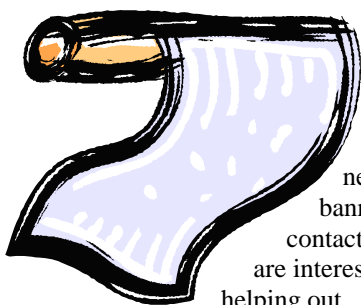
## Victorian Christmas Dinner Concert

A Victorian Christmas Concert in the style of John Philip Sousa and his Band with Christmas Dinner  
 Duet Entrée of Chicken and Salmon  
 Featuring The Upper Darby Sousa Band  
 Thomas J. Hoey, Director  
 Christmas Favorites for all, an Audience Sing-along, A visit by Santa Clause!

December 9, 2007 6:30 pm  
 Drexelbrook Banquet Facility  
 Drexelbrook Drive and Valley Road  
 Drexel Hill, PA 19026  
 Tickets 610-623-2072  
 Adults \$50. Children \$35.

A portion of the proceeds to benefit the Upper Darby-Lansdowne Rotary Club  
[www.UpperDarbySousaBand.com](http://www.UpperDarbySousaBand.com)

## Flag Needed



The club is looking for someone to sew a new club flag banner. Please contact Ted if you are interested in helping out.

## Donations to VFW

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

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	etc.