



# The KIWANIS BANNER

The official bulletin of the Kiwanis Club of Wilmington, Delaware, Inc.

September 20, 2017

KIWANIS CLUB OF WILMINGTON, INC.  
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Welcoming New Members!  
Earl Cooper Inducted September 6, 2017



“SERVING THE CHILDREN OF THE WORLD”

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world, one child and one community at a time.

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**Board of Directors**

**Class of 2016-2017**  
Anthony Albence  
Charma Bell  
Van Olmstead

**Class of 2017-2018**  
Janet Potts  
John Sheridan  
Dave Wilson

**Upcoming Meeting Topics & Important Dates**

- Sept. 20 Marty Hageman, Downtown Visions  
Please bring a donation for Boys and Girls Club Kindergarten Program. Requests include: dress-up Wear, blocks (wooden, legos, various shapes and Sizes), musical instruments, math related items for centers such as counting cubes, flash cards, dominoes, etc.
- Sept. 26 Reading at The Salvation Army, 10 am
- Oct. 4 Induction of new Kiwanis Club officers
- Oct. 16 The Salvation Army Annual Dinner  
Board meeting rescheduled
- Oct. 18 Quarterly Police, Fire, and EMS awards
- Oct. 23 Board meeting at The Salvation Army, noon
- Oct. 27 Brandywine High School Key Club’s Trunk or Treat in the school parking lot in the evening...come out and see a Key Club in Action!

**Kiwanis International**

Changing the world by serving children, one child  
and one community at a time

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Chris Coons	September 9
Ed Bauer	September 16
Joe Dulin	September 22
Carl Colantuono	September 24
Pat Bartoshesky	September 27

#### THE OBJECTS OF KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL

**To give primacy** to the human spiritual rather than the material values of life.

**To encourage** the daily living of the Golden Rule in all of human relationships.

**To promote** the adoption and the application of higher social, business and professional standards.

**To develop**, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.

**To provide**, through Kiwanis clubs a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities.

**To cooperate** in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism, which makes possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.

## KIWANIS CLUB OF WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

Wednesday, September 20, 2017

### Lunch Meeting

THE HOTEL DUPONT 12 Noon

Welcome	President Betty Olmstead
Star Spangled Banner	Everyone
Pledge of Allegiance	Everyone
Invocation	
LUNCH	
Introduction of Guest	President Betty Olmstead
Program	Marty Hageman Downtown Visions
Announcements	President Elect Carl Colantuono
Happy Dollars	Doc
50/50	Doc
God Bless America	Everyone



## Marty P. Hageman

Downtown Visions

Martin P. Hageman is the Executive Director and Corporate Secretary of Downtown Visions, the management company for Wilmington's Downtown Business Improvement District. In that capacity he represents the 7,000 Downtown property owners, more than 400 businesses and more than 2,000 residents. Downtown Visions provides a number of services that enhance existing City services, services such as uniformed Goodwill Ambassadors

who patrol our Downtown, acting as the eyes and ears of the police, as well as being a uniformed deterrent to crime. They also facilitate the City's video safety program. Cleaning Ambassadors who provide public maintenance. In addition, employees are involved in retail recruitment and retention, the programming of Rodney Square and H.B. DuPont Park, special events, a Main Street program with an award winning façade improvement program and as they also act as advocates for the Downtown Community. He has served in that capacity since 1994. Prior to his employment with Downtown Visions he served 22 years as a member of the Wilmington Department of Police. He began his career as a foot patrol officer assigned to Downtown and held several progressively responsible positions including, Detective, SWAT team member, Commanding Officer of the Community Affairs Division, Public Information Officer, Patrol Lieutenant and upon his retirement was the Commanding Officer of the Drug, Organized Crime, and Vice Division.

A graduate of the Salesianum School, Mr. Hageman holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice from Wilmington University, where he graduated Magna Cum Laude.

He also serves on several Downtown Boards and Committees including WILMAPCO's Wilmington Initiative Committee, The City of Wilmington's Mayor's Economic Development Cluster and Business Roundtable, The Wilmington Arts Marketing Committee, Main Street Wilmington's Board of Directors, Wilmington Renaissance Creative District Steering Committee, New Castle County Chamber's Wilmington Business Leaders Group, Wilmington Marketing Alliance, Cease Violence Wilmington Board of Directors and the Wilmington Video Camera Committee.



## Kiwanis Mourns the Loss of its Own Remembering Bob Hallsted

December 19, 1915— September 8, 2017

"Robert Hallsted passed away quietly on September 8, 2017. Son of Harry and Marie Tullis Hallsted, Bob was Born December 19, 1915 and raised in a farm near Clanchester, Ohio. He graduated with honors from Wilmington College, OH in 1937 and began a teaching career originally with Camden OH H.S. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps in September, 1941 and earned his wings as a navigator. Following a few months as an instructor, he was transferred to the Air Transport Command and assigned to the New Castle Army Air Base in DE. While stationed there in 1943 he met his wife of 64 years, Alice Brown. During the war he travelled to every continent except Antarctica as his missions ferried troops and wounded soldiers around the world. Finishing his service in Tokyo he was promoted to captain and received an air medal.

He and Alice returned to Camden to resume teaching and he earned a master's degree at Ohio State. He then moved permanently to Claymont, DE and began teaching at Wilmington High School. During the next 26 years he earned his Ed.D. at Columbia Teachers College, served as Principal of Warner Junior High School and finished his career as Director of Personnel of the Wilmington School System. After retirement he served as Executive Director of the Delaware Association of School Administrators for 6 years.

Bob was a longtime member of Peninsula-McCabe United Methodist Church and served as past president and a member of Wilmington Kiwanis Club for 50 years. At age 94 he joined the Claymont Lions Club and also cruised to Antarctica to complete seeing all the continents. Bob loved helping organize biennial Hallsted reunions, woodworking and making furniture, golfing, playing bridge and poker, and following his beloved Cincinnati Reds and Ohio State Buckeyes."

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