



# DVSA Newsletter

### President's Message

Dear DVSA Members,

I hope all of you enjoyed your summers, as we continue with lovely weather this fall. I would like to update the membership on upcoming dates and activities:

- Our holiday luncheon will be held on December 9 at Springfield Country Club, and I am looking forward to our usual spirited gathering. We have invited the Wiley Group, a local Registered Investment Advisor that provides financial and retirement planning, to provide a brief update on the economy, both US and world trends, new normal in the low interest rate environment, and where to invest.
- Our 2015 luncheon dates are May 12, September 29, and December 15. We appreciate any suggestions for luncheon speakers.
- See in other sections of this newsletter updates on DVSA members' donations to food cupboards, of which we should all be proud. We also have opportunities for high school student tutoring, also mentioned in this newsletter.

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### Winter Holiday Luncheon

**Date:** December 9, 2014 - Tuesday

**Place:** Springfield Country Club  
400 West Sproul Road  
Springfield, PA 19064  
610-690-7600

**Time:**  
Social Time 11:30 – 12:30  
Lunch and Program 12:30 – 2:30  
More Social time 2:30 – 3:15

**Speaker: Wiley Group -  
Speaking about the economy and investments.**  
(See registration form inside)

## Contact Info -

For Employee/ Retiree Benefits Information –

New Aetna phone # **866-643-8742**

Aetna RHA (billing & general) -  
[www.RHAGroup.net](http://www.RHAGroup.net)

Aetna Navigator (claims & medical info) -  
<https://member.aetna.com>

Aetna online Pharmacy - **866-612-3862**

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For the Delaware Valley Sun Alumni Group  
Website: [www.dvsa.co](http://www.dvsa.co)

## President's Message (continued from pg. 1)

- The board will undergo its annual change of directors, and as a result, we have a couple of director openings. Joining the board provides you with the opportunity, in only 3 meetings, for the fun of planning DVSA activities! So, we welcome your self-nominations.

Finally, I will transition from board president to program manager as of the 1st of the New Year. Jim Cichon will ably succeed me as president.

**Reminder to all**, please renew your DVSA membership for 2015. January 1, 2015 starts a new year, and renewals begin with the December luncheon registration process.

Best regards to all and Happy Holidays,

Pat Renzulli

## **Food Cupboard**

The DVSA has contributed \$2100 for 2014 from our Food Cupboard program to 3 local food banks in the Greater Philadelphia area. Members, give yourselves a big round of applause!! Through your tremendous generosity, the DVSA was able to contribute over \$80,000 to worthy organizations since 1990. You should be very proud of yourselves! A detailed list of these contributions are listed on our website ([www.dvsa.co](http://www.dvsa.co)).

Donation requests can be sent, as always, to your Board of Directors for consideration at [DVSApresident@gmail.com\(?\)](mailto:DVSApresident@gmail.com)."

## **Volunteer Opportunity**

. The [Philadelphia Math and Science Coalition](#) of the [Philadelphia Education Fund](#) is partnering with **RSVP of Montgomery County** to provide both in classroom or Online volunteer STEM Tutors for the 2014-2015 school year at [Kensington Health Sciences Academy](#) in Philadelphia.

### ***What Do Math & Science Tutors Do?***

IN PERSON - Tutor students for 2-4 hours per week for one semester either in a classroom with the teacher present to help individual students and small groups of students with daily work. Tutor hours/time can be negotiated to fit your schedule

**or**

IN PERSON - in a supervised after-school program from 3-4 PM at the school's 12 Center

You may volunteer 1 or more days per week. Orientation and training provided.

Volunteers must obtain current [Pennsylvania State Police](#) and [child abuse](#) clearances.

**or**

ON-LINE -Can't commit to in-classroom tutoring? Tutor Algebra ONLINE from your office or home, sharing a virtual white board and classroom with your student.

### **To register or to find out more:**

Classroom STEM tutoring contact Eric Langenmayr at [ejlangen@gmail.com](mailto:ejlangen@gmail.com) ,  
Online STEM tutoring - contact Margie Singer at [margiemyfreetutor@rsvpmc.org](mailto:margiemyfreetutor@rsvpmc.org),  
**610.834.1040 ext 26**, or visit  
[myfreetutor@rsvpmc.org](http://myfreetutor@rsvpmc.org)

  
Seasons Greetings

## **Sunoco - 1608 Club – now open to DVSA members**

A link for the 1608 Club booklet and the membership form has been added on the DVSA website. Only active DVSA members may view the link which can be found under the Benefits tab. The social and travel organization is managed by Sunoco employees. 1608 Club sponsors many interesting events at discounted rates. Annual dues are \$12. Membership year is May 1 through April 30. However, you may join at any time.

## **Holiday Support to our Fundraising –**

During the December events, we ask for donations not only to the food cupboard but to other organizations that need our support.

Giving to those in need has always been a part of the former Sunoco culture, and it is part of our organization's mission at DVSA. We have donated over \$80,000 since our founding to charitable groups involved in food distribution. Details of our donations are on the website.

Please consider giving, even if you are not attending the luncheon, use the luncheon form, and mail in your donation. "Tis the Season !

**Children's Hospital** or CHOP as it is known locally is one of the top children's hospitals in the country.

**Ronald McDonald House** – The Philadelphia Ronald McDonald House has been in operation for 38 years, helping families by providing a place for the family to stay, while their children are cared for in local hospitals.

## **Special Program for the Holiday Luncheon**

We plan on having a drawing for four \$25 Sunoco gift cards at the December luncheon. Please sign up for the luncheon for an opportunity to win a perfect stocking stuffer! Bring a guest, anyone attending can win. You must be present to win.

## **Changes in the DVSA Board**

DVSA has two Board openings for 2015. It is a three year commitment and will give you an opportunity to work with former Sunoco colleagues to shape our organization and membership. There are only three Board meetings per year, each lasting about two hours. If interested, please contact any DVSA Board member or contact Pat Steadman at 610-220-1404.

## **Benefits News**

The Sunoco retiree medical subsidy benefits continue. The HR department has updated the Frequently Asked Questions on our website. For details, see the website under the "Benefits" tab. The bottom line is that they estimate (with no guarantees) that the subsidy fund will last until 2020.

**REMINDER –  
Renew for 2015**



## **[www.DVSA.co](http://www.DVSA.co) Login Instructions:**

The first time you want to login to any of the secure areas of our site, you must enter your email address, and then select "forgot password" just below the password fill in block. You will go to an authentication screen and re-enter your email address and the code on the screen. You will then receive an e-mail with instructions on how to setup your private password. Remember your password and next time you will just go right in with no problems.

**Delaware Valley Sun Alumni  
Winter-Holiday Luncheon 2014**

I/we will attend the luncheon on:  
Tuesday, **December 9, 2014** at Springfield Country Club.

**Please PRINT clearly**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ e-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Check here if new address

Member name Tag nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest name Tag nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Luncheon (\$20/person or \$40/ with guest for dues-paying members) \_\_\_\_\_

(\$30/person or \$60/ with guest for non-dues-paying members) \_\_\_\_\_

Donations: Food Cupboard \_\_\_\_\_

Ronald McDonald House \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Hospital \_\_\_\_\_

2015 Dues (\$15.00) \_\_\_\_\_

Total in this payment: \$ =====

Menu Choices (write 2 if guest is having same item or 1 in each box if different)

Salmon

Turkey

Vegetarian

email address verification: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

Mail check, made out to "Delaware Valley Sun Alumni" along with this page

**Del Valley Sun Alumni**

**PO Box 174**

**Paoli, PA 19301**

- OR -

**Register online at [www.DVSA.co](http://www.DVSA.co) and you can now pay online via PayPal**

**If you mail in this form and a check, please do so by Nov 28<sup>th</sup>, 2014.**