



## NEWS RELEASE

### Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club Donates \$3,000 to Delaware Burn Camp

**(Millsboro) (August 8, 2016)** — As part of its mission to serve the local community, The Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club presented a \$3,000 donation to Paul Dorey, Treasurer, Delaware Burn Camp on August 8, to kick off the weeklong camp held at Camp Barnes. Long Neck Sunrise Rotary club member, and member of the Camp Board of Directors, John Lattomus was instrumental in establishing the camp seven years ago to serve youth who have suffered serious burn injuries. The Long Neck Sunrise Rotary organization has been supporting the club every year as a result. This year the group assisted with camp set up and helping the staff and campers get acclimated upon their arrival.



Nine children attended the camp sponsored this year, seven males and two females. The youngest was eight years old and the oldest was 24. Camp Counselor Jaime Locklear, had been a camper himself for nine years before transitioning to the role of counselor. In addition to activities held at the camp, campers were treated to a visit to Fun Land and Laser Tag.

Donations and volunteer efforts from organizations like Rotary, help to defray the costs per camper which range between \$900 and \$1,200. "Rotary's continued support is a great help to these special burn victims," noted treasurer Dorey upon receipt of the \$3,000 donation,

Members of Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club present \$3,000 donation to Paul Dorey, Treasurer, Delaware Burn Camp.

(l to r) Rotarian Judy Mangini; Paul Dorey; Judy Hall, President, Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club, Rotarian Dan Reed; Rotarian and Camp Vice President, John Lattomus; Rotarians Mike Hall and Paulette Rappa.

"We are delighted to be able to help such a wonderful organization," states current Long Neck Rotary President, Judy Hall. "Helping youth is one of the major thrusts of Rotary, and having this camp in our own region gives us the opportunity to provide hands-on help as well as financial support."

portion of the proceeds earmarked for the Burn Camp. In addition to the donation, Long Neck Sunrise Rotary club members volunteer each year for one day of camp to assist with camp activities.

To raise funds, The Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club sponsors an annual golf tournament each year, with a major

#### About Rotary

The Long Neck Sunrise Rotary Club meets weekly at 7:30 am on Tuesdays for breakfast at the Ocean Grill II on Long Neck Road. Visitors and prospective members are always welcome.

Rotary brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. Rotary connects 1.2 million members of more than 34,000 Rotary clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas. Their work impacts lives at both the local and international levels, from helping families in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world. For more information, visit [Rotary](#).

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