Sun East Charitable Foundation

Serving the Greater Brandywine Valley

Mission

To provide funding for organizations and charities that serve the health and well-being of children and families who are in need of financial support in the Greater Brandywine Valley Area.

Provide funding for scholarships or educational and development opportunities to students who work towards the betterment of society.

To manage funds responsibly and fairly to organizations that provide humane and developmental services to the community.

To represent Sun East Charitable Foundation with integrity and honesty.

Vision

To foster collaboration and involvement in programs that build goodwill and service to the community.

To help citizens without resources improve their health and well-being.

Your Impact on the Community
A Message from the Executive Director

I am honored to serve as Executive Director for the Sun East Charitable Foundation, an organization which gives back to the community by providing heartfelt support to those in need, and to work with our dedicated board members, who strive to make sound decisions in how to best use our resources to accomplish our mission. We would not, however, be able to make the positive impact we have in our community without you.

Your contributions have provided funding for the health and welfare of children and families throughout the Greater Brandywine Valley, including many who have experienced trauma due to illness or economic circumstances and those with special needs. Your donations support initiatives in education, helping our youth grow through learning opportunities and scholarships, and preserving historical monuments in the Brandywine Valley so that future generations will be able to experience our country's past. Your generosity helps fund programs for our veterans and their families to honor them for serving our country. Thank you for your support.

To learn more, join us for a special meeting on July 24 to elect officers and review how your Foundation is received in the Greater Brandywine Valley.

Denise Romanelli

Foundation Supports Historical Living

Passport to History

The Delaware County Historical Society created its Passport to History® Program to Bring History to Life for children and their families across Southeastern Pennsylvania.

Children receive a passport that will grant free admission to the historical sites throughout the Brandywine Valley.

The sites include colonial homes, churches, mills, museums, and the Brandywine Battlefield Park.

As students make their journey to the sites designated on the map, they get their passports stamped. Schools will honor students with five stamps within a twelve month period with an award with prizes and certificates of achievement.

The Sun East Charitable Foundation funded $1,000 towards this educational program in 2014. For more information on the Historical Society, visit their website at **www.dchs-pa.org.**

Brandywine Battlefield

The Sun East Charitable Foundation endorses the continuing education of local history by funding the Brandywine Battlefield with a contribution of $2,000 in 2014.
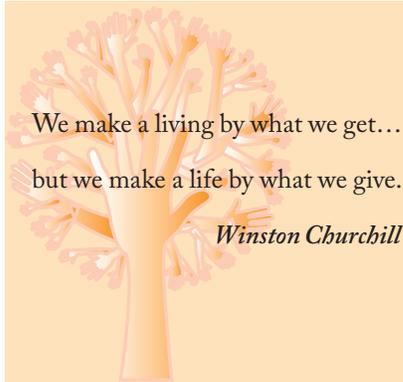
The Battlefield is under attack of diminishing funds that threaten the existence of the historical park and museum. These quality educational programs enrich learning through actual lifestyle tours of the site that demonstrate colonial life and the military influence.

Families can tour the battlefield and experience revolutionary camps of the colonial soldiers at the Battle of Brandywine September 11, 1777.

Visit their website and experience the history of Brandywine Battlefield **www.brandywinebattlefield.org.**

Brandywine Battlefield, George Washington Headquarters

**Sun East
Charitable Foundation**
Special Meeting

Date: July 24, 2014

Time: 2:30 pm

Location:

Sun East Federal Credit Union

4500 Pennell Road

Aston, PA 19014

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Upcoming Foundation Events

The Sun East Charitable Foundation Annual Golf Outing Benefitting Elwyn's Development Center

September 22, 2014

Springhaven Club, Wallingford, PA

www.suneastfoundation.org

The beneficiary of the golf classic is Elwyn's Development Center which provides a dynamic and nurturing environment for children with special needs from 6 weeks through 5 years of age that encourages creativity, self-discovery and independence.

Elwyn began as one of the first schools for children with disabilities over 160 years ago. Now, Elwyn serves over 13,000 people in multiple states every year. They provide a variety of special needs services which are funded by the support of generous patrons. Over the years, this golf tournament helped raise thousands of dollars for Elwyn. **www.elwyn.org**

Headstrong Annual Lacrosse Tournament

October 11 & 12, 2014

Ridley High School

Folsom, PA

The HEADstrong Foundation is committed to being a resource for blood cancer patients and their families. Dedicated to assist them navigate the harrowing ordeal of cancer by sharing the experience of the founder, Nick Colleluori, lending guidance and providing essential services with emphasis placed on sustaining and improving quality of life during the process.

www.headstrong.org

Unite For Her

Since 2009, Unite for HER has worked to bridge the gap between the medical and wellness communities by educating women diagnosed with breast cancer about complementary therapies, providing them with a compassionate resource for support, knowledge and healing.

Harvest Event – October 23, 2014

www.uniteforher.org