



New Legacy League members, left to right, top to bottom: Jean Upton, Dan Upton, Joan Parlee, Joyce Hanson, Steve Hanson, Craig Hammes, Helen Hammes, Barbara Ann Price, Dr. Don Parlee, Kathy Krick, Dr. Andy Krick

Legacy donors to the Village Improvement Association of Doylestown (VIA) attended a celebration in their honor on Wednesday, April 27th. The breakfast, held at Caleb's American Kitchen in Lahaska, was the inaugural donor recognition event for members of the VIA Legacy League. Formed in July 2020, the Legacy League is comprised of individuals who have remembered the VIA through a donation in their estate plan. Due to limitations imposed by the pandemic, Wednesday's event marked the first time this group has been honored.

The VIA has long been graced with the generosity of individuals who have considered the VIA as part of their estate plan. The James-Lorah Memorial Home in Doylestown was an estate gift from a VIA founding member, Miss Sarah James. The new Legacy League derives inspiration from her

gift and the many others received by the organization over the years. "My donation to the VIA supports our Mission to help those in the community to give them a hand up rather than hand out," said VIA President-Elect Helen Hammes.

For more information about donations to the VIA, please email donate@via-doylestown.org. To learn about the Legacy League, please go to <https://via-doylestown.org/support/support-the-via-planned-giving>.

The Village Improvement Association of Doylestown is a women's nonprofit organization whose mission is to enhance the health and welfare of Central Bucks County and surrounding communities. In 1923 they founded

Doylestown Hospital and continue to govern this award-winning regional healthcare facility. The VIA also sponsors the Bucks County Designer House & Gardens, its largest fundraiser benefiting Doylestown Health and the VIA's mission. To learn more about their work, how to join or how to provide support, please visit via-doylestown.org.

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