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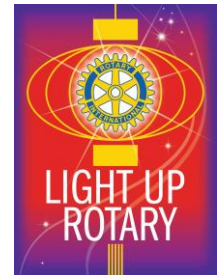
The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB

July 6 – July 12, 2014

<http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org>

Meetings: Thursday, 12:15 pm
Washington Golf & Country Club
3017 N Glebe Rd, Arlington, VA 22207
(703) 524-4600

Chartered July 4, 1929 – Now In Our 86th Year



This Week's Speaker is

Paul Ferguson

Clerk of the Circuit Courts, Arlington VA and City of Falls Church



Paul Ferguson has served as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Arlington County and the City of Falls Church since January 1, 2008. Improving technology and communicating with the public are his policy priorities.

Paul Ferguson is a 1992 graduate of George Mason Law School. Mr. Ferguson served as a Member of the Arlington County Board from 1996-2007, serving as Chairman in 1999, 2003 and 2007.

During his 12 years on the Board, Ferguson worked to ensure full funding for education and public safety. In addition, he worked to improve pedestrian safety and neighborhood conservation.

Mr. Ferguson is known as a leader on environmental issues. During Mr. Ferguson's years on the County Board, Arlington became a national leader in reducing green house gas emissions, energy efficiency, incentivizing green buildings, and minimizing discharge from wastewater treatment plants. He was the founding Board Chairman of EarthCraft Virginia, a non-profit organization providing consulting and certification for energy efficient homes and continues to serve on the EarthCraft Virginia Board of Directors.

In 2006, Mr. Ferguson was awarded the President's Award by the Arlington County Bar Association for Outstanding effort, participation, and involvement in the Association.

Mr. Ferguson has served as First Vice President of the Virginia Association of Counties. He is a former civic association president, a past member of the Virginia Board of Dentistry and former Chairman of the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission.

Mr. Ferguson is a member of the Arlington Kiwanis Club and is a member of Leadership Arlington's Class of 1999.

Mr. Ferguson is a graduate of James Madison University and Wakefield High School in Arlington. He and his wife, Karen Keyes, have two sons and live in Arlington.

Last Week

Brittany LaGanke, the Development Coordinator for Best Buddies Capital Region & **Alejandra Garcia Narvaez**, the Program Manager for Best Buddies Capital Region spoke about Best Buddies which is a non-profit organization that works to enhance the lives of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities through one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, and leadership development.

July greeters are Robert Martinson & Ward de Groot

IMPORTANT - If you are assigned to be a greeter and cannot arrive 15 minutes before any weekly meeting your month, IT IS YOUR REponsibility to make sure your partner will be in attendance or to find a substitute for yourselves.

On deck for August: August - Kim Durand & Ali Kayani

Upcoming Community Partner Events

July 18 – **Industrial Engineer’s Mundel Memorial Scholarship Fund Baseball Fundraiser**, 4:05pm, Infield gallery seats (sec 307 above 3rd base). \$35 cash or check made payable to “IIE Chapter 14” by July 10th. Contact: Joe Scheibeler at 202-268-5089 for reservations and mailing address to submit payment.

Important upcoming Arlington Rotary Club dates

- July 16- **Colleen Bonadonna**, Polio Plus Chair District 7610
“Polio Update, why “This Close” is Not Close Enough
- July 23- **Tom Young**, Author of The Hunters (website: <http://tomyoungbooks.com>)
- July 30- **Mary-Claire Burick**, President Rosslyn Business Improvement District
- Aug 6- **David Sutfin**, New Member Classification Talk
- Aug 20- **Meg Rapelye-Goguen**, MSW, Executive Director, Phoenix Bikes
- Aug 27- **Shandra Niswanter**, Development Mgr, Arlington Thrive
- Sep 3- **Mary Hynes**, Chair of the Arlington County Board
- Sep 10- **Bob Door**, Author, Air Force Veteran and Retired Foreign Service Officer
“How my book got devoured: secret stuff about books, bookstores, book publishers and book writers”
- Sep 17- **Scott Wood**, Arlington Philharmonic
- Sep 24- **Janet Brown**, District Governor District 7610
- Oct 1- **Victor Hoskins**, Arlington Economic Development Director
- Oct 15- **Lorraine Tong**, Former Senate Staffer
- Oct 22- **Linda Kelleher**, Director, Community and Resident Relations, Arlington Partnership for Affordable Housing (APAH)

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