



THE **ARCLIGHT**

The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB

August 15-21, 2016

<http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org>

Meetings: Thursday, 12:15 pm
Washington Golf & Country Club
3017 N Glebe Rd, Arlington, VA 22207
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Chartered July 4, 1929 – Now In Our 88th Year



Midday Program: August 18, 12:10 PM at the WGCC **Pam Hess, Executive Director, Arcadia** **“The Arcadia Center – Sustainable Food and Agriculture”**



Executive Director Pamela Hess has been with Arcadia since March 2013. She came to Arcadia from journalism. A career national security journalist, Pam covered the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan as well as the Pentagon and CIA with the Associated Press and United Press International. After a brief foray into national politics as a communications director on Capitol Hill, Pam returned to her first love: food and sustainable farms. In 2011, she took the helm of a local food and wine magazine that celebrated sustainable food and farming in the Capitol Foodshed, and in the course of it, met and fell in love with Arcadia. She brings to Arcadia a deep commitment to its mission, a large and expanding network of farmers and food advocates, and a great reputation within the sustainable food community.

Evening Happy Hour: Tonight, 6:00 – 8:00 pm, The Front Page

Last Week

Maurice I. Middleberg, Executive Director of Free the Slaves, spoke to a SRO crowd on the continuing huge problem of slavery around the world, usually involving sex trafficking or labor servitude, and almost always arising from economic desperation; and described how Free the Slaves works to put an end to it.



Meeting Venue Change – September 8

Please note the regular meeting for September 8 will be held at the Ballston Holiday Inn, 4610 N. Fairfax Dr., rather than at WGCC. Free parking. (Hint: this is the same place where we have held a couple of our special events/banquets).

August Greeters: Linda Valentino, Steve Klemp

If you are assigned to be a greeter and cannot arrive 15 minutes before any weekly meeting your month, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to make sure your partner will be in attendance or to find a substitute for yourself. Please contact club Admin. Chair, **David Sutfin**, djsutfin@gmail.com with any questions.

“Wine Helps!” – Tuesday, September 20

Publicity: We hope to attract 200 or more people to attend. So please, besides attending yourself, think more broadly – bring friends and relatives, and think of other ways you can spread the word. Posters are available to provide to your favorite merchants or to post at your organization.

Tickets are \$75 per person; a portion of the ticket price - \$25 – has been determined to be tax-deductible. The raffle tickets – to win a chef’s tasting dinner for EIGHT with wine pairings, at Proof Restaurant in DC – are \$10.

Tickets AND raffle tickets are available now. Ready to Buy? Cash and checks are welcome, make them to AREF and hand off to AREF Treasurer Steve Klemp. The club benefits (no fees). Members can also pay for tickets by credit card or Paypal at the [AREF shopping cart](#). Per usual practice, each member will be assessed \$75 in support of this event, HOWEVER that assessment is waived if you or your company is a sponsor; if you are an honorary member; if you buy at least one ticket; or if you make a donation in the amount of \$75 or more.



Upcoming Events

- Aug 18 – Happy Hour 6-8 pm at the Front Page in Ballston. Park in the Ballston Mall for \$1.
- Aug 25 – Lunch meeting at WGCC: Matt Palmer, author, The Wolf of Sarajevo
- Aug 27 – Service Opportunity - INOVA Blood Drive, Central Library. Hours to be announced soon.
- Sep 1 – Pending
- Sep 1 – Happy Hour 6-8 pm at the Front Page in Ballston. Park in the Ballston Mall for \$1.
- Sep 8 – Lunch meeting at **Ballston Holiday Inn** 4610 N. Fairfax Dr.: Michael Katrivanos, New District Brewing Company
- Sep 15 - Lunch meeting at WGCC:
- **Sep 20 -- Tuesday – 6:00-8:30, “Wine Helps!” at the NRECA Conference Center in Ballston. Save the date and invite your friends & neighbors.**
- **Sep 22 – No lunch meeting, no happy hour meeting – attend Wine Helps!**

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