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THE ARCLIGHT

The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB
November 21 – December 4, 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: December 1, 2016 - 12:15 PM at WGCC **Jay Fisette – Vice Chairman, Arlington County Board** **“Arlington Past and Present”**



Long-term County Board member Jay Fisette will address some of the key challenges facing the community, the evolution of the County and how things have changed. He will discuss the County's priorities and respond to questions from members and guests.

ALSO THIS WEEK: Don't forget Happy Hour Thursday evening, December 1, at The Front Page in Ballston.

Last Week: We hope everyone enjoyed the joint session we had with other Arlington service clubs under the aegis of the Inter-Service-Club Council on Wednesday November 16.

Special Plan For Next Week

Next week, we're expecting DG Janet Brown's annual visit to the club, postponed from last month. Recalling that the very first contribution ever submitted to TRF was in the amount of \$26.50, the DG suggests that every member make a special contribution of \$26.50 to Polio Plus this year, as a way of fulfilling the District goal for this worthwhile effort. President Shannon and AG Joe believe our support of this worthwhile goal should be a high priority for us this year, and suggest we show the DG a tangible signal of our commitment. So let's all of us who will be present at the meeting December 8 EITHER:

-- bring a check made out to AREF in the amount of \$26.50, ready to add to our collection bucket, or
-- scribble a note with your name on it pledging to do so, and put that in the bucket. (Note: If you pledge, for your convenience, Joe will add the amount to your January club invoice. Or you can pay him or Steve or TRF directly.)

The key thing is, as many of us as possible respond positively to the DG's proposal during her visit on December 8.

Salvation Army

Hope you have signed up for a shift at the Washington Blvd. Giant on December 10-11, to support this oldest and most-loved club community service activity. If not, check with Colleen re slots available.

Holiday Celebration – Just Two Weeks Away!

Our annual festive event to ring in the holiday season will be held December 15, 6 – 9 pm, at the William Jeffreys Tavern, 2301 Columbia Pike, Arlington. Validated parking in the garage under the building (enter from the side street beside the building). All members have received an e-mail with details of the arrangements. Please RSVP to David Sutfin with the names of your guest(s) AND your menu choices for each person in your party. Please note this dinner replaces our lunchtime meeting on December 15.

December Greeters: Joe Lott, Bob Kelleher

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.

Upcoming Events

- Nov 17 – **NO Lunch meeting at WGCC**: Please attend the ISCC meeting on Wednesday instead. HOWEVER please note that the bi-weekly club Happy Hour will proceed on 11/17, as usual, at The Front Page in Ballston, 6 – 8 pm. If you can't make the Wednesday meeting (above), why not try the happy hour for a makeup?
- Nov 24 – Thanksgiving. No meeting.
- Dec 1 – Jay Fisette, Vice-Chairman, Arlington County Board
- Dec 1 – Happy Hour, 6 – 8 pm, The Front Page in Ballston.
- Dec 8 - Visit of Janet Brown, District Governor, Rotary District 7610; + ARC Business Meeting – Election of Officers.
- Dec 15 – Evening – **MARK YOUR CALENDAR**. Our Annual Holiday Get-Together for members, partners, and guests, and the last club meeting of 2016. Six to nine PM, William Jeffreys Tavern.
- Dec 22 – No Meeting
- Dec 29 – No Meeting
- Jan 5, 2017 – Lunch Meeting at (TBD) Emily Yeiser Stepp, “Dairy Farming in the Mid-Atlantic Region” NOTE: WGCC is closed for their annual downtime for the first three weeks of January.
- Jan 26 – Dr. Sigrid Fry-Revere on Living Organ Donations

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