

Rotary



THE ARCLIGHT

The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB
December 4, 2017

<http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org>

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

Chartered July 4, 1929 – Now In Our 89th Year



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Wednesday, December 6 – Happy Hour, Ballston Westin

Thursday, December 7 - Lunch Program at the WGCC, 12:15-1:30

**Elenor Hodges, Exec Director, Arlingtonians for a Clean Environment
and Al Larsen, Environmental Protection Agency**



Elenor Hodges has been ACE's executive director since 2000. Her previous experience includes environmental consulting with DynCorp, developing the Animal Tracks environmental education program for Wal-Mart and program management in the education department at National Wildlife Federation.



Al Larsen, as an attorney specializing in energy, environment, and natural resources, concentrating on renewable energy resources, then as senior officer of a wind energy company, and later with EPA, has seen energy and environmental policy from all sides.

Today's theme centers on how, in an environment of myriad choices and a welter of new laws, regulations and practices, individuals can take steps themselves, NOW, to tackle environmental problems of to reduce energy usage.

Also This Week

This is our annual club business meeting. Nominations for club officers for RY 2018-19 (who will take office as of July 1, 2019) will be announced, and the election held. Please plan to attend.

Last Week

Former CIA Operations Officer Duane Evans related the story of putting teams together for operations in Afghanistan immediately after the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001 and of his experiences on the ground in/around Kandahar – the same story he tells in more detail in his recently published memoir, "Foxtrot in Kandahar."

Salvation Army
See Page Three for Photos of our Bell-Ringers In Action

Greeter Team for December: Bob Kelleher and Cast Members

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

Last Meeting of the Year Next Week

Yes indeed, 2017 is nearly over! Two thoughts related to that:

Don't forget, next week, **December 14, is our annual Christmas holiday season special lunch**, right here at the WGCC. Bring your spouses, partners, and friends; dude up a bit if you want; arrive at 11:30 for a bit of holiday cheer if your schedule permits; and come enjoy a festive end to the Rotary year. Please note, the cost is higher than our normal lunch; we are awaiting word from the WGCC.

Also, if you had in mind to make a list-minute tax-deductible check or cash contribution to our Arlington Rotary Educational Foundation or to The Rotary Foundation, December 14 is the last best chance to hand in a check. Contributions to either organization can of course be made online up to the last day of the year.

THE ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST

-- OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY, OR DO --

IS IT THE TRUTH?

IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?

WILL IT BUILD GOOD WILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?

Upcoming Events and Programs

Dec 14 – Annual Christmas/Winter Luncheon at the WGCC.

Dec 21, Dec 28, Jan 4 – No meetings. Enjoy your holidays!

Jan 11, 2018 – No meeting at WGCC, Speaker is Johnathan Thomas, of the Arlington Historical Society, on the history of the Washington Golf and Country Club. Venue to be announced.

ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB

P.O. Box 100038

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22210

ROTARY CLUB NUMBER 5787, DISTRICT 7610

CHARTERED JULY 4, 1929

2017-2018 OFFICERS

PRESIDENT

PRESIDENT-ELECT (RY 18-19)

PRES-NOMINEE (RY 19-20)

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

TREASURER

SGT.-AT-ARMS

DAVID SUTFIN

ROBERT MARTINSON

TBD

SHANNON PRENDERGAST

KIM DURAND

LINDA VALENTINO

HUGH BARTON

2017-2018 DIRECTORS

MEMBERSHIP

SERVICE PROJECTS

TRF/FUNDRAISING

CLUB ADMIN

PUBLIC IMAGE

WEBSITE/SOCIAL MEDIA

YOUTH PROGRAMS

GARY LONG

JOHN BECKER

SHERRY BARNDOLLAR ROCK

DAVID SUTFIN (AD INTERIM)

LA DONNA SIMON

KIM DURAND

DAVID BAAS

ARLINGTON ROTARY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

PRESIDENT, SHERRY BARNDOLLAR ROCK

TREASURER, STEVE KLEMP

