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The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB

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Meetings: Thursday, 12:15 pm
Washington Golf & Country Club
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**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Thursday, April 26 –MIDDAY MEETING

Chalisa Bracken, LeaderBoost LLC

“The Leadership Game Experience”



Chalisa Bracken is a Certified Leadership Trainer, coach, and speaker with the John Maxwell Team. She is a U.S. Marine Corps veteran and an experienced leader with a passion for training organizations and leaders to improve growth and engagement, while decreasing turnover and maximizing efficiencies.

Her life work and passion has been to serve others, adding value and encouraging them to live to their highest potential through growth and transformation. She has over 20 years' experience in leadership and sales roles in both the large corporate setting (pharmaceutical, medical device, and capital equipment industries) and small business owner (senior veterans in-home care).

Chalisa is one of a few hundred people in the world who are certified to facilitate The Leadership Game, a one of a kind communications and leadership transformation experience. This tool pulls teams together in a fun, non-confrontational environment where they can tackle challenging topics and formulate resolutions.

Last Week – The AREF Scholarship Awards Banquet



As we all know (don't we?) last Thursday was our AREF Scholarship Awards Banquet. And we have all read (haven't we?) the excellent recap of the event that ARC President David sent to every member yesterday. So just for the record, we offer these points:

- Undrakh Tsend of Yorktown HS was winner of The Arlington Rotary Scholarship.
- Kervin Galdamez of Arlington Community HS was winner of the American Challenge Stipend imo Audra Rafter.
- In the photo at right, we see Yorktown HS Counselor Espinoza, Undrakh Tsend, the Tsend family, and Kervin Galdamez and his father.
- The event earned a total of well over \$9000 to AREF for future scholarships.
- It was fun! We had a very good turnout, people enjoyed the food and camaraderie.
- This result was due to the contributions of a host of people, including everyone who contributed, attended, sponsored, offered an auction item, invited a friend – including President David Sutfin, who forgot to thank himself! - in short, a team effort.
- We owe a vote of special thanks to our sponsors, noted below.



Other Upcoming Events and Programs

Apr 24 (Tuesday) -- 7:00 pm – ARC member Chelsi Dildine hosts Elder Care Attorney Gene Robinson for an educational seminar on Elder Care Law at the Holiday Inn in Ballston (4610 Fairfax Dr, Arlington). Attendance and parking are free and open, but space is limited so please RSVP to chelsi.dildine@edwardjones.com.

Apr 25 (Wednesday) -- ARC networking event to meet local business people and professionals, Holiday Inn Ballston, 5:00 PM. Arranged by Chelsi Dildine. See page 1 to sign up.

Apr 30 (Monday) – Members assist AFAC with food packaging, 7:00 – 8:30 pm (approx.).

May 3 – ARC Lunch meeting: Art Haupton, “Restaurants in Arlington”

May 9 (Wednesday) – Evening event: ARC/NEXCO happy hour, Me Jana Restaurant. A club-sanctioned happy hour and networking opportunity. You can register [here](#), using the offer code NEXCOMAY to attend free.

Greeters for April: Tom Johnson and volunteers

NOTE: If you are a greeter and cannot arrive 15 minutes before any weekly meeting during your month, IT IS YOUR REponsibility 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.

KELLEHER



ROBERT F. KELLEHER
(Age 84)

Of Arlington, Virginia passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at Arlington Hospital. He was born on September 27, 1933 in Brockton, Massachusetts to Patrick and Maude Kelleher. He was a United States Army veteran and received degrees from Boston College, Northeastern University and the Wharton School of Banking. He was involved in many community organizations throughout his life including the Knights of Columbus, the Boy Scouts of America and the Arlington Rotary. He was preceded in death by his parents and sister. He is survived by his wife, Nancy, to whom he was happily married for 63 years, his sons, Robert and James, his daughter, Ann, his daughter-in-law, Maureen, his son-in-law, Chris, his grandsons, Chris, Sean, James and Patrick, and his granddaughters, Amanda and Jessica. A mass of Christian Burial will be held at Saint Agnes Roman Catholic Church, 1910 Randolph Street, Arlington, Virginia at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, April 20, 2018 followed by a committal at Columbia Gardens Cemetery. The family requests that donations to the Bishop's Lenten Appeal or the Boy Scouts of America be made in lieu of sending flowers.

Belated Farewell – Bob Kelleher

Last week, the news of ARC Member Robert Kelleher's funeral services didn't reach us in time for publication, but a separate announcement was sent a day later and several Rotarians and former Rotarians attended.

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-- 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?