

Rotary



# THE ARCLIGHT

The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the  
**ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB**  
**October 1, 2018**

<http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org>

Meetings: Thursday, 12:00 pm

The Marriott Residence Inn at Courthouse  
1401 N. Adams St., Arlington, VA 22201

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*Chartered July 4, 1929 – Now In Our 90th Year*



BE THE INSPIRATION

## ARC Has A New Home!

Please check out our masthead at the top of this page. Notice anything different? At its meeting 2 weeks ago, our Board agreed to make the Residence Inn (Courthouse) our new permanent location. Future weekly meetings of the club will be held here.

## Thursday, October 4 - Lunch Program 12:00-1:30

Stephanie Ku

## Offender Aid and Restoration of Arlington

Stephanie Ku, OAR's Marketing and Communications Associate will tell us about **Offender Aid and Restoration of Arlington**, a community-based nonprofit organization working with men and women returning to the community from incarceration and offering alternative sentencing options through community service. OAR is part of the public safety family and partners with the Arlington County, among other stakeholders, to ensure a thriving community. We will meet at our new location, the Residence Inn (Courthouse).



## Near-Term Events (Stuff That Wasn't On The Calendar Last Week)

1. Rotarians of our club can attend a meeting with members of our Interact (high school level) Club, 3:15 PM, Tuesday, October 2. Get in touch with David Baas or President Robert for details.
2. October 4 (Wednesday), 5:00 PM, at Tupelo Honey (1616 N. Troy St. – corner of Wilson Blvd.), a happy hour where our “new” members can learn a bit more about Rotary from our “older” members to help them decide what areas of club activity they are most interested in. Whether you’re “new” or “old,” please feel free to join the discussion.

## Focus On “Drink A Little, Help A Lot!” – Monday, October 22

Three weeks to D-Day (Drink-A-Little Day). Have you got your tickets yet? How many friends are you bringing with you? How many raffle tickets have you sold? Status updates:

- We have made a selection of 9 affordable wines of several varieties and types; and 4 locally brewed seasonal craft beers for tasting.
- Our website includes an information page ([www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org/wine](http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org/wine)) for members and the public with full information about the event. Have a look at it yourself!
- The event publicity flyer is attached to this email; please send it on to everyone you know and urge them to come.
- The flyer has a clickable link to the information page and from there to our [secure purchase page](#) to buy tickets (admission and raffle) and donate. (Also reach the purchase page from our home page using the “Donate/Buy Tickets” tab.)
- Volunteers are still needed to help run the event – sign up with Sherry Rock soon.

## Adopting Glebe Road



One of our regular projects – definitely a “hands-on” type (although Gary has a fix for that) is picking up the litter along a short stretch of Glebe Road. This week, litter didn’t have a chance as seven stalwarts materialized for the job (some reliving their boot camp days). Besides those in this pic, Steve K, Ken, and David S. were also volunteers.

## Last Week

Dr. P.J. Maddox, a Rotarian of the Merrifield Club and District 7610 Lt. Governor for Youth Service, shared observations from her years of involvement in Rotaract clubs, and offered some advice on how to form a club and make it successful. Among the key points were that more Rotaract clubs these days are centered, not on universities/colleges as in the past, but on a geographic area; and their membership tends to run a bit older than the typical college student.



## Other Upcoming Events and Programs

Oct 10 -- Happy Hour, Pinzimini at the Westin Gateway Hotel, 6 – 8 pm.

Oct 11 – Lunch Program: Gary Long, ARC Membership Chair, on membership recruitment/retention

Oct 18 – 11:00 AM – Special Board Meeting with DG Yarborough, followed by our regular meeting at 12:00. Lunch Program: The annual visit of our Rotary District Governor, William “Glenn” Yarborough, Governor, Rotary District 7610.

**OCT 22 (MONDAY) – “DRINK A LITTLE, HELP A LOT!” CLUB WINE/BEER TASTING FUNDRAISER AT NRECA, 6:00 – 8:30 PM.**

Oct 25 – NO midday meeting.

Oct 30 – (Monday) 6:30 PM - Assisting AFAC – details to follow.

Nov 1 – Lunch Program: Andra Watkins, “Why I Walked 444 Miles to Make a Memory.”

Nov 8 – Lunch Program: PDG Juanita Cawley, District Chair for The Rotary Foundation: "TRF and Peace"

Nov 11 (Sunday) – Blood drive at the Rock Spring Congregational United Church of Christ, 5010 Little Falls Rd., Arlington (intersection of Little Falls and Rock Spring Rd). Co-sponsored by ARC.

Nov 14 – November's Club Happy Hour, Pinzimini Bar, Westin Hotel, Ballston, 6 – 8 pm.

Nov 15 – Lunch Program: TBD. Possibly we will join the ISCC for their annual lunch (probably Nov. 14) in lieu of our own meeting.

Dec 7 – Club Business Meeting and Election of Officers.

Dec 13 (tentative) – Our special Winter/Christmas meeting. Details TBD.

## **Greeters for October: Bud Martin, David Sutfin**

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 **Steve Silcox**, [scsilcox@gmail.com](mailto:scsilcox@gmail.com), with any questions.

### **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?

### **ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB**

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