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THE ARCLIGHT

The Weekly Members' Bulletin of the
ARLINGTON ROTARY CLUB
January 28, 2019

<http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org>

Meetings: Thursday, 12:00 pm

The Marriott Residence Inn at Courthouse

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BE THE INSPIRATION

Lunch Program January 31, 12:00 noon

Joe Lott, ARC Member and

President, Art Eclectic (www.arteclectic.com)



ARC member Joe Lott will be giving a talk on Japanese woodblock prints. An avid collector for over 30 years, Joe will explain why he has a passion for this type of affordable art, a brief history of 19th and 20th century prints, and a short overview of some favorite artists and their work.

(At left is “Snow at Shiba Gate” by Hasui Kawase.)

Last Week – Community Service

At our meeting January 24, club members and others who helped put together the no-sew blankets on January 21 displayed a few of their warm and colorful products before turning them over to the Aspire! rep (center) who will have them distributed to the kids.



Last Week's Speaker



Sam Wolbert, President and CEO of the Animal Welfare League of Arlington, described the work of AWLA as “improving the lives of animals.” As the organization celebrates its 75th anniversary this year, it will open a new building with much improved facilities. Sam noted that the relatively animal-enlightened nature of the Arlington County government, and of Arlingtonians, has helped make AWLA one of the best animal welfare organizations in the country in terms of

getting its animals adopted fairly quickly. The organization’s contract with the county to provide animal control services helps provide funds too.

Member Donations Summary for 2018

Experts agree that the new tax law means a lot fewer taxpayers will be itemizing deductions. Nevertheless, AREF Treasurer Steve Klemp is prepping members’ end-of-year summaries of their donations sent out sometime this week.

Other Upcoming Events and Programs

Feb 7 – Lunch Program: Bud Martin, ARC Member - Classification Talk

Feb 13 – Monthly Happy Hour at Pinzimini, in the Ballston Westin. 6 – 8 pm.

Feb 14 – Lunch Program: Mitch Oplalski, Synergy Home Care

Feb 21 – Lunch Program: Keith Oberg, CEO Emeritus, “Bikes for the World”

Feb 22 – Informal lunch, time/place TBD, no speaker, just a chance to get to know one another better. Members, family members, and your guests welcome. (See Olivia Adams’s note to all members on Friday). Could become a quarterly event! Enthusiastic member response already suggests that it will.

Feb 28 – Lunch Program: Jyl Pomeroy, Coordinator for Mental Health, Arlington Free Clinic, “Depression”

Greeters for February: Chelsi Dildine, Jeff Sutton, La Donna Simon

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, 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?

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