

ROTARY CLUB OF ASHBURN, VIRGINIA

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Aneesh Chopra to speak on Thursday, April 11



Born the son of immigrants in Trenton, New Jersey, Aneesh Chopra has spent his life focusing on education and innovation. Aneesh's father immigrated to the United States in 1966, and enrolled in the engineering program at Villanova University. He would go on to earn three patents for his work in the refrigeration industry. His mother began a career as an entry-level clerk and worked her way up to become a financial project manager. Aneesh's family worked hard to lift themselves into the middle class

and give their children access to great public schools and all of the opportunities afforded by a strong education.

Aneesh attended Johns Hopkins University and then the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard. After graduate school, Aneesh worked in the private sector, including a job at the Advisory Board Company – a healthcare think tank dedicated to helping hospitals better serve patients. While at the Advisory Board Company, Governor Mark Warner appointed Aneesh to several councils and commissions. Through this work, Aneesh decided he wanted to pursue his lifelong dream of entering public service. He began full-time service to the Commonwealth when Governor Tim Kaine tapped him to serve as Virginia's Secretary of Technology. In this position he traveled throughout Virginia helping families and small businesses harness the power of technology and innovation to find pragmatic solutions, create jobs and improve their quality of life.

In 2009, based on his record of success in Virginia, President Obama appointed Aneesh as the nation's first Chief Technology Officer. In this role, Aneesh was charged with promoting innovation to address the nation's most urgent priorities — from creating jobs to reducing health care costs and keeping our nation secure. As with his work in Virginia, Aneesh brought new energy to tackle some of our nation's biggest problems. Upon Aneesh's departure to run for office, President Obama said, "his legacy of leadership and innovation will benefit Americans for years to come, and I thank him for his outstanding service."

Reminder:

The Service Committee will meet at 11 AM on Thursday April 11.

Agenda:

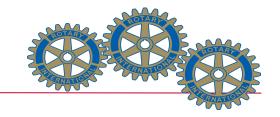
- 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Invocation
- 3. Lunch
- 4. Introduction of Guests
- 5. Club Announcements
- 6. Guest Speaker Presentation
- 7. Upcoming Events
- 8. 50:50 Drawing/Happy Talk
- 9. Four Way Test
- 10. Adjourn 1:15 PM
- BOD Meeting following Club Meeting when scheduled.

The Four-Way Test

"Of the things we think say or do:

- 1) Is it the TRUTH?
- 2) Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

The Hub



Rotary Roundtable Referrals / Business Mixer April 16 at Palio in Leesburg

Sponsored by Rotary Club of Leesburg—
Daybreak on Tuesday, April 16 from 5:30—7:30
PM.

Palio of Leesburg 2 West Market Street Leesburg, VA 20176

COMMITTEE MEETING REMINDERS:

Membership Committee: 1st Thursday, 11 AM

Service Committee: 2nd Thursday, 11 AM

PR Committee: 3rd Thursday, 11 AM

BOD Meeting: 3rd Thursday, immediately following

the club meeting.

Fund Raising Committee: 4th Thursday, immedi-

ately following the club meeting.

Quote of the Week

"A cardinal principle of Total Quality escapes too many managers: you cannot continuously improve interdependent systems and processes until you progressively perfect interdependent, interpersonal relationships."

- Stephen Covey

Celebrate Prevent Cruelty to Animals Day—April 10!

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Upcoming Meetings & Special Events

April 11: Aneesh Chopra

April 18: Joanne Hart, Executive Director—Loudoun Therapeutic Riding, Inc.

April 25: Kate Zurschmeide, Great Country

Farms—CSA's

Weekly Greeter Schedule:

April 11: Jimmy Olevson

April 18: Jeff Perry

April 25: Keith Reeve

Note: All Meetings, unless otherwise noted, will be held at the 1757 Golf Club from 12:00 to 1:15 PM.