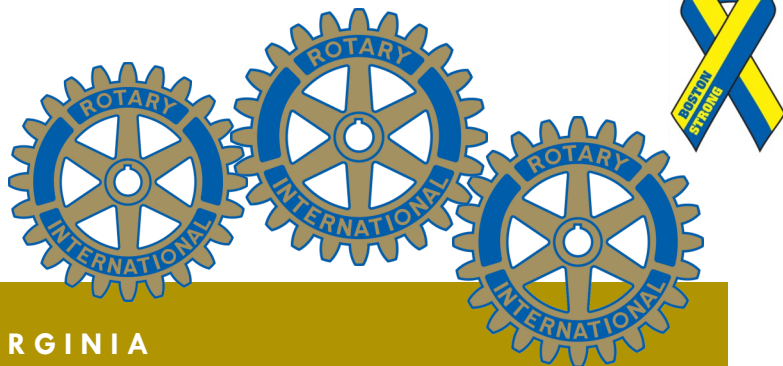


The Hub



ROTARY CLUB OF ASHBURN, VIRGINIA

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Bonnie Inman, Executive Director of Loudoun Interfaith Relief will speak on Thursday, May 16.

As the population of Loudoun County has increased, the number below the poverty line has also increased and, accordingly, so has the number of families and individuals we help. This past year, LIR directly served more than 75,000 individuals (over **19,000 families**). Last fiscal year, LIR was able to provide enough food to prepare almost 790,000 **meals**.

LIR is a **food pantry**, meaning we supply perishable and non-perishable food items directly to clients. A **food bank** stores thousands of pounds of food, including food for USDA. Food banks do not directly supply food pantries; for a small fee food pantries such as LIR can buy food from them. LIR is part of the Lord Fairfax Food Bank, which is overseen by the Blue Ridge Food Bank. Everyone is ultimately governed by Feeding America. Feeding America is the national network that includes more than 200 food banks and food rescue organizations throughout the country.

Ultimately, the goal of LIR is to provide support and assistance so that families can live in our community without a need for our services. We have had success in this goal, but new families and individuals are constantly challenged in their lives. And, unfortunately, there are those who will always need LIR (such as the elderly and the sick.) Accordingly, we continue our efforts to address the hunger problems of a growing community with rapidly growing needs.

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
11. BOD Meeting — following Club Meeting when scheduled.

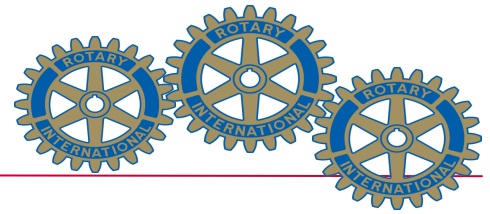
The Four-Way Test

“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?”

UPDATED 5/15

The PR Committee will meet at 3PM on Wednesday, May 15 at the “V” on Waxpool Rd. The BOD will not meet on Thursday.



Making the Difference with Star Spangled Babies and NOVA Diaper Bank

We are collecting the following items:

Diapers	Wipes	Onesies
Pacifiers	Baby Wash	Sleepers
Rattles	Baby Powder	Bibs
Bottles	Diaper Cream	Socks






Providing baby essentials to local military families expecting new additions to their families
 Providing Diapers for the youngest members of families in need in our community

Visit your local VCB branch for more information and other ways we are making a difference in our communities.

Quote of the Week

“I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination.”

- Jimmy Dean

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, immediately following the club meeting.

Bike to Work Day is Friday, May 17 !

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Upcoming Meetings & Special Events

May 16: Bonnie Inman—Executive Director Loudoun Interfaith Relief

May 23: Stephen Maro and Marc Benezra—Classification Talks

May 30: Susan Mandel Giblin - Executive Director Loudoun Volunteer Caregivers

Weekly Greeter Schedule:

May 16: Lynde Scheffer

May 23: Michael Schimmel

May 30: John Seeley

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