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Nearby Clubs

Monday	7:30 am	Fair Lakes, Fair Lakes Hyatt
	12:15 pm	Fairfax, American Legion Post 177, Fairfax City
	12:30 pm	Alexandria West, Sheraton across from Steak & Ale
	12:30 pm	Sterling, Logan's Roadhouse
Tuesday	7:30 am	Burke, Brion's Grille
	12:00 pm	McLean, Redeemer Lutheran Church
	12:15 pm	Alexandria, Belle Haven Country Club
	12:30 pm	Rosslyn/Fort Myer, Holiday Inn Westpark
Wednesday	7:30 am	Crystal City/Pentagon, Crystal City Marriott
	7:30 am	Herndon, Amphora Diner
	12:15 pm	Annandale, Squire Rockwell
	12:15 pm	Reston, Hidden Creek County Club
	12:15 pm	Vienna, Marco Polo Restaurant
Thursday	7:30 am	Tysons Corner, Tower Club (8000 Towers Crescent Drive, Vienna)
	12:00 pm	Ashburn, 1757 Golf Club
	12:15 pm	Arlington, La Cote D'or (2201 N. Westmoreland St.)
	12:15 pm	Springfield, J.W. and Friends Restaurant (6531 Backlick Road)
	6:30 pm	Falls Church, Harvest Moon Restaurant
Friday	7:30 am	Bailey's Crossroads, Goodwin House (3440 S. Jefferson St., Falls Church)
	7:30 am	Dulles, Dulles Hilton
	12:30 pm	Dunn Loring, J.R.'s Stockyards Inn

Tower Talk

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Today's Speaker

Rev. Stephen Shafran Don Bosco Cristo Rey H.S.

This morning we welcome the Rev. Stephen Shafran, SDB, president of Don Bosco Cristo Rey High School in Takoma Park, Md. He will describe this unique school, which is designed for inner-city students who dream of college but have limited resources.

Part of the Catholic Archdiocese of Washington, D.C., the school enrolled its first class in August 2007 – and those students will be the first graduates in June 2011.

Father Steve belongs to the Salesians of Don Bosco, an order of priests and brothers who have been educating youth since 1859. He entered the order in 1976 and earned several academic degrees, culminating with a doctorate in educational administration from the University of San Francisco in 1994.

Previously, Fr. Steve served as president and executive director of institutional advancement of Don Bosco Preparatory School in Ramsey, N.J., for seven years.

At Don Bosco Cristo Rey High School, Fr. Steve stresses the school's goal: "Faith, Family, Future, and Fun" in education.



Know When To Hold 'Em: Monte Carlo Night on Nov. 5 will feature Texas Hold 'Em Poker (as shown above from last year's event) plus other table games. See page 2 for information on sponsoring this year's event.

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event video screen listing; emcee recognition.

See Burt Heacock or Mary Edwards for details
on additional print, website, and event recognition.

Future Speakers

Oct 28	Craig Duehring	Former Assistant Secretary of the U.S. Air Force for Manpower and Reserve Affairs
Nov 4	Andrew Wade	Water Project

Jeff Barnett Challenges Status Quo



Saying that Americans deserve leadership and accountability from their congressmen, Jeff Barnett described his bid to represent Virginia's 10th District in Congress at our Oct. 14 meeting.

Introduced by his wife, Katherine, Jeff outlined his vision that includes an emphasis on small businesses, economic growth, and lifetime education. He said he would support term limits.

A retired Air Force colonel, Jeff noted one advantage as a challenger: The current political climate does not favor incumbents.

SAVE THE DATE...

Sunday, Oct. 24: World Polio Day designated by the UN and celebrated by Rotary International.

Thursday, Oct. 28: Fire-fighters' winter coat drive. See Duane Dodwell to volunteer.

Friday, Nov. 5: Monte Carlo Night at Fairview Park Marriott, 6:30 to 11 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 9: Board of Directors meeting at office of Martin Shields in McLean, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday Thought:

A little sincerity is a dangerous thing, and a great deal is absolutely fatal..

— Oscar Wilde

Dinner Schedule for Alternative House

Oct 27	Todd Meloy	Dec 1	Bill Knowles
Nov 3	Suzanne McDougall	Dec 8	Katherine Barnett
Nov 10	Rick Kaplar	Dec 15	Chris Mullings
Nov 17	Marshal Hyman	Dec 22	Ronnie Chantker
Nov 24	Richard Lanier	Dec 29	Christoph Roessler

Dinner providers should call 703-356-6360 on the Tuesday before delivering dinner on Wednesday and ask the counselor on duty how many persons are expected to be present for the meal at 2100 Gallows Road, Vienna.

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