

Rotary Club of Tysons Corner

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Nearby Clubs

Monday	7:30 am	Alexandria South, IHOP, 7694 Richmond Highway, Alexandria
	12:15 pm	Fairfax, American Legion Post 177, Fairfax City
	12:30 pm	Sterling, Logan's Roadhouse, Sterling
Tuesday	7:30 am	Burke, Brion's Grille, Burke
	11:30 am	Centreville, Eggspectations Restaurant, Chantilly
	12:00 pm	McLean, Lutheran Church of the Redeemer Fellowship Hall, McLean
	12:15 pm	Alexandria, Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria
	12:30 pm	Rosslyn-Fort Myer, Vantage Point Restaurant at Holiday Inn, Arlington
Wednesday	7:30 am	Herndon, Amphora Diner Deluxe, Herndon
	7:30 am	Fair Lakes, Fairfax Marriott at Fair Oaks, Fairfax
	7:30 am	West Springfield, Springfield Golf and Country Club, Springfield
	7:30 am	Crystal City-Pentagon, Crystal City Sports Pub, Arlington
	12:15 pm	Reston, Hidden Creek Country Club, Reston
	12:15 pm	Annandale, Juke Box Diner, Annandale
	12:15 pm	Vienna, Marco Polo Restaurant, Vienna
	6:45 pm	Mount Vernon, Cedar Knoll Inn on the Potomac, Alexandria
Thursday	7:30 am	Great Falls, Riverbend Golf & Country Club, Great Falls
	12:00 pm	Ashburn, 1757 Golf Club, Dulles
	12:15 pm	Arlington, La Cote D'or Restaurant, Arlington
	12:15 pm	Springfield, JW & Friends Restaurant, Springfield
	6:30 pm	Falls Church, Harvest Moon Restaurant, Falls Church
Friday	7:30 am	Bailey's Crossroads, Goodwin House, Falls Church
	7:30 am	Dulles International Airport, Hilton Washington Dulles, Dulles Airport
	12:30 pm	Dunn Loring-Merrifield, Shula's in the Tysons Corner Marriott, Vienna

Tower Talk

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Today's Speaker

M. Joy Hayes, Ph.D.

Courageous Ethics

This morning we welcome Dr. M. Joy Hayes, principal consultant at Courageous Ethics, a consulting firm that helps organizations reduce risk and improve business outcomes by promoting ethical conduct. The title of her presentation is "Three Golden Rules of Ethical Leadership."

The mission of Courageous Ethics is to help purpose-driven

organizations develop cultures in which they habitually meet the highest standards of ethical conduct while achieving their financial and operational goals.

Dr. Hayes designs ethics training programs, and helps employers align incentives, systems, and processes with an organization's mission and goals. She works with everyone from entry-level employees to board members.

Dr. Hayes holds Ph.D. and M.A. degrees in ethics from the University of Florida as well as a B.A. degree in philosophy from Columbia College.



Helping Warriors:

U.S. Army Capt. Sean Duffy describes his work as battalion surgeon for the Wounded Warriors Battalion at Fort Belvoir, Va., at our Feb. 7 meeting. Dr. Duffy's battalion currently treats 275 soldiers. He was introduced by his mother-in-law, Katherine Barnett (right). More on page 3.

Wine Tasting May 4

The date is set! The Club's Spring Wine Tasting Gala will take place on Saturday, May 4.

The Wine Tasting Committee has begun meeting by conference call to work out the many details. The next phone meeting is scheduled for Monday, Feb. 18, at 7 p.m. Volunteers are needed! Call in at 213-493-0441, passcode 40952.

Conference in April

Plan now to attend the Rotary District Conference in April! "DISCON on the Potomac, 2013" will take place at the nearby Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel in Arlington from April 25 to April 28. It will be a joint conference for districts 7610, 7620, and 7630. Register at the district website: rotary7610.org.



Help 'End Polio Now'

The Washington Wizards are hosting an "End Polio Now" Night with Rotary District 7610 on Saturday, March 16. The game versus the Phoenix Suns is scheduled for 7 p.m. at the Verizon Center in Washington.

Tickets for the game are \$43 in the Club Level and \$30 in the Upper Level. Eight dollars from each ticket will be donated to Rotary's PolioPlus project. More information is available at rotary7610.org.

Let It Snow!

If Fairfax County public schools are closed on Thursday mornings due to inclement weather, the Club will not meet. If school openings are only delayed, we will meet at 7:30 a.m. as usual. Check local media for status of schools, as no announcement will be forthcoming from the RCTC hierarchy.

Future Speakers

Feb 21	Tasso Flocos	Changes at Tysons Corner
Feb 28	Huong Van Daniel Edgell	Classification Talks
Mar 7	Ardell Fleeson	BRAC Impact on Northern Va.
Mar 14	Dr. Stephen Fuller	GMU Regional Analysis Center



Family Tradition: Former Air Force officer Katherine Barnett (left) shares a moment on Feb. 7 with her son-in-law, Capt. Sean Duffy, U.S. Army Medical Corps. Kathy's husband, Jeff, is also a former Air Force officer. Their daughter Dr. Marit C. Duffy (Sean's wife) is a U.S. Army radiologist.

Thursday Thought:

Don't underestimate love at first sight. Many of us might not pass a second inspection.

SAVE THE DATE...

Monday, Feb. 18: Wine Tasting Committee meeting via conference call, 7 p.m. Dial 213-493-0441, passcode 40952. Everyone encouraged to participate. (Story on page 2.)

Monday, Feb. 25: Board of Directors meeting via conference call, 7-8 p.m. Details to follow.

Saturday, March 16: Washington Wizards "End Polio Now" Night vs. Phoenix Suns at Verizon Center, 7 p.m. (Story on page 2.)

Monday, March 25: Board of Directors meeting, Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, 6 p.m.

April 25-28: Multi-District Conference at Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel in Arlington. Register at rotary7610.org. (Story on page 2.)

Dinner Schedule for Alternative House

Feb 20	Dick Strean	Mar 27	Glenn Rounsevell
Feb 27	Bill Schipper	Apr 3	Laurie Kent
Mar 6	Ross Anderson	Apr 10	Bill Keen
Mar 13	Ingrid Parris-Hicklin	Apr 17	Moe Levy
Mar 20	David Danner	Apr 24	Catherine Ahearn

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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