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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	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, River Bend 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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We're Glad To Be at Great Falls Rotary!

Tysons Corner Rotarians appreciate the invitation of the Rotary Club of Great Falls to share breakfast with you this morning at the first joint meeting of the Rotary Clubs of Great Falls and Tysons Corner.

In case you're not familiar with us, the Rotary Club of Tysons Corner was chartered in April 1983. We meet at the Tower Club on Leesburg Pike, just behind the Marriott, every Thursday morning at 7:30 a.m. We currently have about

40 members spanning three generations.

The Tysons Corner Club supports local groups including Alternative House (for teenagers), Alzheimer's Family Day Center, and the Lewinsville and Pimmit Hills senior centers.

Our Club also awards college scholarships to graduates of local high schools.

Please join us soon at Tysons Corner!



Strike Up the Band:

Woody Wingfield describes the bands and ensembles that make up the City of Fairfax Band Association (CFBA) at our Aug. 22 meeting.

Woody is a CFBA board member and trumpeter. The association offers performing opportunities for musicians of all ages and abilities from across Northern Virginia.



Poolside Prez: President Tim Long (left) holds court amid an idyllic setting at the Club's Picnic and Pool Party on Aug. 10. The fun-filled event took place at the home of Brian Mansir and Catherine Ahearn (who snapped this photo). Our thanks again to our gracious party hosts!

Still Time To Enjoy Nationals, Help End Polio

The Washington Nationals have extended their discount coupon promotion to Rotary for all 2013 home games. For every ticket sold, the Nats will donate \$5 to Rotary's PolioPlus program.

You can find a flyer on the District 7610 website (rotary7610.org) that describes the season-long dis-

count coupon program.

If you'd like to enjoy an evening at Nationals Park – and help end polio at the same time – simply go to nationals.com/tickets and enter promotion code ENDPOLIO to view the sections and discounts available for all remaining home games.

Future Speakers

Sept 5	Teri Doke	Former D.C. Secretary of State
Sept 12	Pres. Tim Long	Club Assembly
Sept 25	TBA	Guatemala Literacy Project
Oct 17	Michael Caplin	Tysons: The New Downtown

Three Ways To Help

At every Tysons Corner breakfast meeting you can contribute to three good causes:

One-third of the weekly raffle money goes to the RCTC Foundation to fund the Will Soza Memorial Scholarship.

Your loose change in the basket helps the Sabin Institute battle Neglected Tropical Diseases.

Your Happy Talk dollars help The Rotary Foundation eradicate polio through PolioPlus. Give generously!

Thursday Thought:

"Heaven goes by favor. If it went by merit, you would stay out and your dog would go in."

— Mark Twain

SAVE THE DATE...

Thursday, Aug. 29: Fairfax County Firefighters' Backpack Drive, Penn Daw Fire Station No. 11, 6624 Hulvey Terrace, Alexandria, 8:30 a.m. The event lasts all morning, so there's still time to get there from Great Falls!

Sunday, Sept. 29: Second Annual Walk for Water to benefit Rotary water projects in Zambia. Burke Lake Park, 7315 Ox Road (Route 123), 8 a.m. The course is flat and stroller-friendly. See Tim Long for details.

Did You Know...

Great Falls President Zaheer Poptani got his start in Rotary at the Tysons Corner Rotary Club in 2010. He now leads a club with more than 90 members!

Dinner Schedule for Alternative House

Sep 4	Michael San Juan	Oct 9	Ross Anderson
Sep 11	David Young	Oct 16	Sam Roudebush
Sep 18	Daniel Edgell	Oct 23	David Danner
Sep 25	Dick Streaan	Oct 30	Ingrid Parris-Hicklin
Oct 2	Bill Schipper	Nov 6	Glenn Rounsevell

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.

www.thealternativehouse.org