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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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Today's Speaker

Annette Jahnel

Searching for Galileo

Today we welcome Annette Jahnel, author, photographer, and adventurer. She will describe her exploits as the first woman to circle the planet, entirely by herself, in a 2005 Renault Kangoo (aptly nicknamed the "Wishmobile").

Annette's presentation is titled "Searching for Galileo," based on

the book she wrote about her globe-trotting journey, *My Year of Beds*.

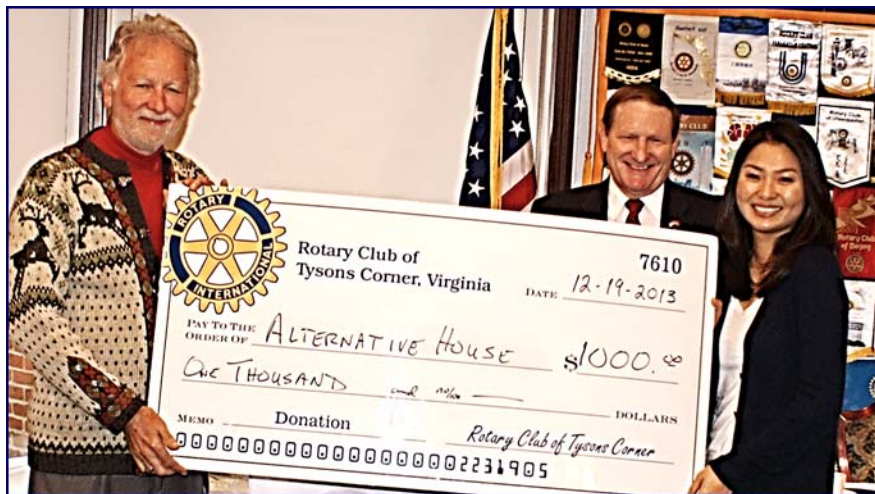
"There are ten times as many people in the world today as there were four hundred years ago ... so where are my ten Galileo's," she asks.

On tour from South Africa, Annette is a creative force whose pursuits range from Trompe l'oeil (an art technique for creating 3D illusions) to conceptual art. She calls herself a "Swiss army knife of creative skills."



Christmas Magic: Ellen Maloney gets a chance to meet Santa Claus in person at the Club's Holiday Breakfast on Dec. 19. The 3-year old daughter of Campbell and Susanne (and granddaughter of James and Elizabeth) had a moment with Santa (aka Todd Meloy) she'll long remember! More party photos on page 2.

Holiday Party Spreads Cheer to Local Groups



Above: At the Club's holiday festivities on Dec. 19, President Tim Long (left) and RCTC Foundation Treasurer David Danner present a "Big Check" to Jade Leedham of Alternative House. Left: Robin McGlothlin addresses the party after receiving a check for the newly re-named Insight Memory Care Center.

Future Speakers

Jan 9	Dan Buuck	Home Builders' Outlook
Jan 16	Joint Meeting With Great Falls Rotary Club	KGB: Rest of the Story
Jan 23	President Tim Long	Club Assembly
Jan 30	Capt. Will Bailey	Classification Talk

Slate of 2014-15 Officers, Directors

President	Richard Lanier
President Elect	Richard Strean
President Nominee	Open
Secretary	Daniel Edgell
Treasurer	Huong Van

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Programs	Ross Anderson
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SAVE THE DATE...

Saturday, Feb. 22:
Washington Wizards "End Polio Now Night" vs. New Orleans Pelicans, Verizon Center, 7 p.m.

SNOW POLICY

- MEETING CANCELED if Fairfax County schools are closed.
- MEETING HELD if school openings are only delayed.

ThursdayThought:

"Free cheese is only found in a mousetrap."

— Arseniy Yatsenuk,
Ukraine politician

(Referring to loans promised by Russian president Vladimir Putin)

Dinner Schedule for Alternative House

Jan 8	Isabel Kelly	Feb 12	Marshal Hyman
Jan 15	Burt Heacock	Feb 19	Richard Lanier
Jan 22	Suzanne McDougall	Feb 26	Katherine Barnett
Jan 29	Rick Kaplar	Mar 5	Sam Roudebush
Feb 5	Will Bailey	Mar 12	Moe Levy

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 www.thealternativehouse.org