

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	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:

Dan Buuck National Association Of Home Builders

This morning we welcome Dan Buuck, building codes specialist and program manager for the National Association of Home Builders. He will give us an overview of today's housing market and where it's heading.

Dan tracks and analyzes building codes and industry standards. His

areas of expertise are accessibility, plumbing, mechanical, fuel gas, and related green codes. He has worked in the area of building codes for 10 years, beginning as a building inspector.

Dan has a bachelor's degree from St. Olaf College in Minnesota and an engineer's degree in architecture from Germany. He has earned various certifications through the International Code Council.

Dan was slated to speak on Feb. 13 but got snowed out.



Wearin' o' the Green: Looking very Irish are David Danner (left) and Assistant Governor Bob Hahne, celebrating St. Patrick's Day at the Old Brogue Pub in Great Falls. The occasion was a joint Rotary Happy Hour on March 18 for the Great Falls, McLean, and Tysons Corner clubs.



Cleaning House:

Rotaract Club members Yani Arica (left) and Lauren Rose (right) pitched in at Carpenter's Shelter in Alexandria on March 8 and reorganized the toiletries closet. Assisting them at the homeless facility was Youth Service Chair Suzanne McDougall, who took this picture and serves as liaison to the Rotaract Club.



2014 Spring Wine Tasting Gala

**Saturday, April 5, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.
Gannett Building**

**Purchase all tickets and sponsorships
online at RotaryOnTheVine.org
or link from tysonsrotary.org**

Future Speakers

Apr 10	Greg Meacham	Forensic Accounting
Apr 17	Amb. Mike Marine	Sabin Institute

Turning Bad Into Good



Apoorva McIntosh is living proof that the worst experiences in life can be turned into positive forces for good.

Speaking at our March 20 meeting, Apoorva shared her remarkable life's journey that found her nearly murdered by her mother, abducted and tortured as a teenager, and later trapped in an abusive marriage. Today she is an inspirational speaker and founder of the LADV (Life After Domestic Violence) Foundation.

Apoorva's message: Forgive those who hurt you and move on, because everything that happens is part of the plan for your life.

SAVE THE DATE...

Saturday, April 5: Spring Wine Tasting Gala at Gannett Building, 7-10 p.m. See Catherine Ahearn to volunteer.

April 24-27: D7610 "Spring Reunion" Conference at Wyndham Virginia Crossings Resort, Glen Allen, Va. Register at rotary7610.org.

Thursday, June 19: Installation Dinner at Wildfire Restaurant at Tysons Galleria, 6 p.m. Details on menu and cost to follow.

Thursday Thought:

The main reason for saying "et cetera" is to make people think you know more than you actually do.

Dinner Schedule for Alternative House

Apr 2	Campbell Maloney	May 7	David Young
Apr 9	Gray Mosby	May 14	Dan Edgell
Apr 16	Brian Mansir	May 21	Dick Streaan
Apr 23	Huong Van	May 28	William Schipper
Apr 30	Michael San Juan	Jun 4	Ross Anderson

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