



Service and Fellowship
in McLean

Rotary Club of McLean eWheel

Tuesday, May 13, 2014

Club #5817

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If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 05/02 - Kathleen Martin
- 05/05 - William Reed
- 05/05 - Bill Stell
- 05/08 - Martha Child
- 05/29 - Stan Richards
- 05/31 - John Rosenbaum

Future Speakers

May 13, 2014

Mr. Mark Brunner
Defence (personnel, budget, and Virginia's role as one of 6 sites for Unmanned Aerial Testing site)

May 20, 2014

Mr. Todd Dempsey
Youth Service Award Luncheon

May 27, 2014

Mr. George Atwell
Mr. Paul Harris/Rotary International Story

Guests

- George Winters** (guest of Bob Rosenbaum)
- Jack Calhoun** (guest of Rick Neldon)
- Mike Heilmann** (guest of Shannon Owens)
- M. Faraz Siddiqui** (guest of Dana Sippel)
- Lathan Turner** (guest of Glenn Yarborough)

Visiting Rotarians

- Tin Lay Raschid** (Falls Church)
- Joe Cacciapaglia** (Vienna)

Agenda - May 13, 2014

Noon - Meeting Call to Order

- Greeter - Jan Auerbach
- Song - Paul Ward
- Pledge - Jan Auerbach
- Invocation - Paul Ward
- Happy Talk - Richard Golden
- 50/50 Raffle - Paul Ward
- 4-Way Test - Jan Auerbach

12:20 Begin Program

- Welcome guests and visiting Rotarians - Sergeant At Arms
- Announcements
- Happy Talk

12:40 pm - Speaker

1:15 pm - Adjourn

Program - May 6, 2014

Paul Ward regaled the club with stories and pictures (including birds, dolphins, sloths, monkeys, and butterflies) from his recent International Expeditions tour on the Amazon River in Peru. Some interesting facts about Peru and the Amazon River:

- The Amazon River is the largest river in the world, and the Amazon has the highest density of birds/plants in the world.
- Peru's government is a constitutional government and it is compulsory for all citizens between 19 and 70 years old to vote.
- Peru's literacy rate is 90%, unemployment is 9.5%, and 81% of the country is Catholic.
- Peru is slightly smaller than Alaska, and has a population of 29 million, half of whom are under the age of 25 years old.
- Paul and Pat Ward had a great time, especially since there was an open bar on their river vessel, the "Estrella Amazonica."

Announcements - May 6, 2014

- Stand-in President **Cherry Baumbusch** announced that **Glenn Yarborough, Thimir Al'Hashimi, and Vance Zavela** were pictured in the newspaper.
- **Joe Cacciapaglia** announced the Vienna Rotary Club is sponsoring their annual "Viva Vienna" event on Memorial Day weekend, May 24-26. Please see www.vivavienna.org for additional information.
- **Bob Jansen** reminded everyone about McLean Day on May 17th. Please come and help get the word out about Rotary!
- **Vance Zavela** announced District 7610 and the Washington Nationals are teaming up on August 16th. \$5 of each ticket sold will go to Polio Plus, so come and watch the Nats beat the Pirates!

Happy Talk - May 6, 2014

- **Chet Gray** was happy not to be the first person wearing shorts this spring. That honor was bestowed upon visiting Rotarian Joe Cacciapaglia.

<p>50/50 Raffle Brian Pence won the small pot of \$18. Congrats!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪Dominic Alexander was happy his father's surgery went smoothly. ▪Paul Sawtell was happy to remind the club about Lois Wilson's prestigious Service Above Self award. ▪Joe Cacciapaglia was happy to provide free carabiners, which he informed us could hold up to 150 lbs. of unruly child(ren). ▪Todd Dempsey was mandatorily happy. ▪Doug Megill was happy to be celebrating his 30th anniversary of employment with McLean Insurance Company. ▪Shannon Owens was happy to see her daughter in the Wizard of Oz, and also happy to make it through 5 workouts with Tae-Bo creator Billy Blanks. ▪Ed Holman was happy to have enjoyed a wonderful trip to California, including a visit to the Holman Ranch and Winery. ▪John McEvilly was happy to announce his granddaughter is already a great negotiator, talking her way into getting a lollipop and hairpin. ▪Ben Lacy was happy to announce a 10% increase in his merit scholarship to law school at Hamline University in Minnesota. ▪Bob Rosenbaum was happy to tell us a "Cinco de Mayo" joke. ▪Bob Nath was happy to have family from many different time zones coming together for the best holiday of all – Mother's Day! ▪Vance Zavela was happy to see Tin Lay Raschid, thankful for the free carabiner from Joe Cacciapaglia, and glad his daughters did well in softball – Catherine survived 12 games in two weekends, and Diane beat Falls Church as the starting pitcher. ▪Bob Hahne was happy to learn a new way to raise funds quickly after seeing McLean Little League raise \$6,000 for the three best parking spaces. ▪Paul Ward was happy to see his daughter who was visiting from Kenya. ▪Dana Sippel was happy to acknowledge it's Nurse's Week, and meeting a nice male nurse named Dana when his wife had an unfortunate trip to the ER.Tin Lay Raschid was happy to invite one and all to a fellowship dinner with Falls Church Rotary, and also to recognize Tom Mangan's wife Ling for receiving the Rotarian Spouse/Partner Award.
<p style="text-align: center;">Upcoming Events</p> <p>McLean Day (May 17, 2014)</p>	

Make Up Meetings at Local Clubs

<p>Annandale Juke Box Diner, 7039 Columbia Pike, Annandale Wednesday at 12:15 PM</p> <p>Arlington Gates of Ballston Community Center 4108 North 4th Street Arlington, VA</p> <p>Ashburn 1757 Golf Club, 45120 Waxpool Rd, Dulles Thursday from 12:00 PM - 1:15 PM</p> <p>Bailey's Crossroads Goodwin House Bailey's Crossroads, 3440 South Jefferson, Falls Church Friday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Burke Brion's Grille, 10621 Braddock Rd, Burke Tuesday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Crystal City-Pentagon Crystal City Sports Pub, 529 23 St. Arlington Wednesday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Dulles International Airport Hilton Washington Dulles in the Cardinal Lounge, 13869 Park Center Rd, Herndon Friday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Dunn Loring-Merrifield Shula's in the Tysons Marriott, Leesburg Pike Friday from 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM</p>	<p>Fairfax American Legion Post 177, 3939 Oak Street, Fairfax Monday at 12:15 PM</p> <p>Falls Church Harvest Moon Restaurant, 7620 Arlington Blvd, Falls Church Thursday at 6:30 PM</p> <p>Great Falls River Bend Golf and Country Club, 375 Walker Road, Great Falls Thursday from 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM</p> <p>Herndon Amphora Diner Deluxe, 1151 Elden Street, Herndon Wednesday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Reston Hidden Creek Country Club, 1711 Clubhouse Road, Reston Wednesday at 12:15 PM</p> <p>Sterling Bungalow Lakehouse 46116 Lake Center Plaza Sterling Monday at 12:15</p> <p>Tysons Corner Tower Club, 8000 Towers Crescent Drive, Vienna Thursday at 7:30 AM</p> <p>Vienna Westwood Country Club Wednesday at 12:15 PM</p>
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