

**Meeting Reminder: Hybrid**

We are now able to meet again at Goodwin House. Come join us in person and enjoy breakfast. You can still join us on Zoom [https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77153119272?pwd=0r6ro3oy3Qt\\_MAPsdHmUoEVB69LB5p.1](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77153119272?pwd=0r6ro3oy3Qt_MAPsdHmUoEVB69LB5p.1) Meeting ID: 77153119272, Passcode: xrt4TN if you are not comfortable meeting in person (or just want to sleep in).



**Today's Speaker: PDG Harry**

PDG and current BXRC Membership Director Harry will speak about ways to increase club membership.

**Upcoming Speaker: 22 Jul, Donney John, NOVA ScriptsCentral**

Dr. John is the Executive Director of NOVA ScriptsCentral a non-profit pharmacy that provides lifesaving medication and education to uninsured patients in Northern Virginia. He is a practicing pharmacist, patient advocate, healthcare consultant and entrepreneur. Dr. John has considerable expertise in the areas of precision medicine, patient engagement, population health management, health disparities and mobile health technology solutions. Dr. John holds a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from St. John's University in Queens, New York and has completed a pharmacy residency with Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences.



**Mustang Selling Events**

The Mustang is on a road trip! This weekend, we are participating in the Fauquier County Fair in Warrenton. The fair/sales hours are Friday, 15 Jul 1 PM – 11 PM and Saturday, 16 Jul 8:30 AM – 11 PM. We have not been to this location before, but according to the organizers the heavy foot traffic is 4 PM -11 PM Friday and all day Saturday. We usually do extremely well in the Warrenton area, so we are hoping for a very successful event. This was a pop-up event, so please help if possible. (POC: Jim)

**Mustang Sales**

As of 14 July, we have raised about \$35,425. Our stated goal is \$141,000.

**Mustang Raffle Planning Meetings**

All club members are invited to our Mustang Raffle planning meetings. The next meeting will be on 22 Jul after the regular meeting. Future meetings will be every two weeks or as needed. If you want to join via Zoom, it will be the same link as the regular meeting.

**Calendar Call: 16 Jul, Hidden Oaks Nature Center Reopening**

Please join Hidden Oaks Nature Center staff and volunteers for the Grand Reopening Saturday, 16 Jul from 10 AM – 1 PM. They will honor their supporters including grant providers Transurban 495-95-395 Express Lanes, Rotary Club of Bailey's Crossroads, Friends of Hidden Oaks, family of Jean Laub and Fairfax County Park Foundation. The salute will be during our opening remarks at 10 AM. Starting at 10:30 AM, everyone is invited to join in a celebration of story, song, dance and more around the new building. (POC: Kevin)

**Calendar Call: 17 Jul, Lunch and a Movie**

Come join us at the Fair City Mall on 17 Jul for lunch and a movie. Lunch will be at 1 PM at Mama Lucia Pizza. Show time for the movie "Mrs. Harris Goes to Paris" is 2:20 PM at Cinema Arts Theatre, steps away from Mama Lucia's. (POC: Gloria)

**Calendar Call: 24 Jul, Latino Month with the Park Authority**

The Fairfax County Park Authority is helping to celebrate Latino month with events around the county. On 24 Jul, they will be at Justice Park from 2-4 PM. They will have a table with information and specimens to show and touch, including a fox, a beaver and a turtle. If you can help, they are in need of two volunteers to help in a hands on interaction with the public. Spanish speakers are not required. The volunteers will be helping staff and don't need to know intimate details of the critters they are helping to show. (POC: Kevin)



<u>Today's Program</u>		<u>Rotary Birthdays</u>	<u>Rotary Anniversaries</u>
Pledge of Allegiance	Announcements	Kathleen K., 15 Jul	None
Invocation	Program / Speaker		
Birthdays / Songs	4-Way Test		
Guests			

**Speaker Schedule**

15 Jul	PDG Harry, Membership
22 Jul	Dr. Donney John, NOVA ScriptCentral
29 Jul	Arlington Spellbinders: The Art of Oral Storytelling
5 Aug	D'Ivonne Holman, Director of Development, The Lamb's Center
12 Aug	Eddy, Introductory Talk
9 Sep	DGE Rene', How I defeated the Trifecta of Death - My Journey to Health
7 Oct	Club Forum #2
4 Nov	DG Shelia

**Calendar Call: 30 Jul, Food Packaging Event**

The Bailey's Crossroads Lions Club is sponsoring a food packaging event on Saturday, 30 Jul. Set up is at 1 PM and then the event starts at 2 PM. Event takes place at Woodrow Wilson Library, 6101 Knollwood Dr., Falls Church (next to Bailey's Elementary School). BXRC's donation of \$600 was matched with a grant from LOVF, so we will package about 4,000 meals in about an hour or two. The meals of fortified pasta will be distributed throughout the Bailey's Crossroads community. (POC: Pam)

**Membership Banns for Alif**

The BXRC board approved the application of Alif for membership. Alif was a previous member and will be returning. If no negative votes are heard within two weeks, he will become a member of BXRC again.

**Another Nationals Baseball Game Opportunity**

If you missed the Rotary Night with the Washington Nationals a few weeks ago, you have another opportunity. The Falls Church Rotary Club is hosting their own Rotary Night with the Nationals. Game date is Saturday, 16 Jul at 4 PM. Seats are in section 306 and cost \$40 each. Contact Joseph Scheibeler with the Falls Church club at 703-329-6839 or email [joseph.scheibeler@usps.com](mailto:joseph.scheibeler@usps.com). As an added bonus, it is the Nationals Annual Star Wars Day and the first 10,000 fans get the Juan Solo (Soto) bobblehead.



**Editor's Prerogative**



Last week, my brother and I got a chance to see some minor league baseball games. We traveled to Fredericksburg to see the Nationals Low A club (the beginning of the minor league road to Washington). If you were with us at the National Mustang convention in 2019, you will know where the Fred Nats play their home games; the stadium shares its parking with the convention center. The stadium is nice, since it was built in 2020. We saw Lynchburg (our hometown team growing up) defeat Fredericksburg. I was featured on the stadium video board. We got a few autographs. I paid \$17 for a burger and bottle of water. Are those Major League prices? The next night, we went to Richmond to see the Richmond Flying Squirrels tangle with the Reading Fightin' Phils (where do they get these

great names). Richmond is a much older stadium, built in 1985. It was built for the Atlanta Braves AAA team (one step below the majors) and saw many of the Atlanta greats go through there on their way to "the show." Now Richmond is the AA team of the San Francisco Giants (two steps below the majors). It was a great game. Richmond fell behind but clawed (didn't know flying squirrels had claws) their way back to tie it before going down to defeat. I got a really good picture of a play at the plate. I like minor league baseball. Its fun to be close to the action.

