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The Optimist Monthly

Friend of Youth

Upcoming Events

October

10/01: Arlington County Update. Arlington County Board Chair, Jay Fissette, will fill us in on the latest goings on in Arlington. Also, Past president Brian Kellenberger will bring on the 2014-2015 Optimist team. [See our new officers and directors, below]. WGCC at 12:15.

10/07: Optimist Board Meeting. Madison Community Center at 6:30.

10/15: Sean McCarthy.



September

9/03: Non-Profit Fundraising. Jennifer Paquette Galloway, President of the Wolcott Hill Group in Arlington, gave us her tips for non-profit fund-raising, which included the use of targeted mailings.



Thank you, Matt Kuhns, our incoming President-elect, for this speaker!

9/17: Where Do Runaway and Abused Kids go in No. Va.? Jade Leedham, Director for

Thank you, Stephen Toth, for inviting this speaker.

10/22: Meet 'n' Greet.

Please join us and bring a prospective member.

Willow (on Fairfax Drive) from 5:30 to 7:00.

November

11/05: Health Care and Aflac Insurance. Hillary Radolek. WGCC at 12:15.

11/05: Optimist Board Meeting. Madison Community Center at 6:30.

11/19: Inter-Service Club Council Luncheon. This year's luncheon will feature Congressman Jim Moran. Knights of Columbus from 11:15 to 1:30.

11/25: Christmas Trees Arrive. Please help us unload our first shipment of Christmas trees. Traditional Wells Fargo

Development of the Alternative House in Dunn Loring, explained how this group, founded in 1972 as a shelter for runaway youth, now provides many services to



help abused, pregnant, and at-risk kids from the Metro area, including youths from Arlington. Thank you, Kip Byrne, for arranging to have this dynamic speaker to inform us of the many ways they are helping those who need it most.

Tribute to 2013-2014 Optimist Club President Brian

Kellenberger. Please take a look at a few of the many photos capturing Brian's substantial contributions to our Club during this past year:

parking lot, at 8:00 am.

11/26: Meet 'n' Greet.

Please join us and bring a potential member! Willow from 5:30 to 7:00.

11/29: Christmas Tree Lot Opens. Please consult your schedule and work with Sandy and your lot captains if you need to switch times.

December

12/03: Arlington Club Memories. Dick Rhoads, past Arlington Optimist Club president, will speak to us recalling events from his 30 years of involvement in Arlington and our Club. Thank you, Dick McHugh, for arranging for this speaker. WGCC at 12:15.

12/17: Annual Christmas Breakfast. Please bring your spouse to our annual



gala! Thank you again, Brian Kellenberger, for your tireless efforts to make this another memorable event. WGCC at 8:30.

Your FY 2015 Optimist Officers and Directors:

The following Optimists, elected at the June 18 Luncheon, are the Club's officers and directors for the 2014-2015 fiscal year (beginning October 1):

Officers:

- Mark Whinton, President (automatic)**
- Brian Kellenberger, Past-President (automatic)**
- Matt Kuhns, Pres-Elect**
- Larry Gaydos, Treasurer**
- John Farina, Secretary**
- Sandy Bushue, Vice**



President,

**- Richard Knight, Vice
President**

New (2-yr) Board Members:

- Greg Clough

- John Karinshak

- Linda Chandler

**Board Members with One
More Year:**

- Mark Zetlin

- Ned Thomas

- Bob Patton



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