



# The Arlington Connection

The school bus driver on route 607 opens the door, hops out of the bus and welcomes the children to the first day of school at Taylor Elementary with a high five.

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### SENIOR VOLUNTEERS

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### WEDNESDAY/SEPT. 6

**Volunteers Needed.** 6-7 p.m. at Gates of Ballston, 4108 4th St. North. Learn about volunteering with AHC's After-School Program. Email Cindy Rozon at [rozon@ahcinc.org](mailto:rozon@ahcinc.org) or visit [www.ahcinc.org/volunteer/](http://www.ahcinc.org/volunteer/).

### MONDAY/SEPT. 11

**Placement Exams for ESL Classes.** 9 a.m. or 6 p.m. at ASyphax Education Center, 2110 Washington Blvd. #106. English as a Second Language for Adults, Arlington Public Schools' REEP Program is giving placement exams for the Sept. 25-Dec. 15 session. Classes to be held at Syphax Education Center. Morning and evening classes available. Tuition is \$200 or \$285 for people who live or work in Arlington; \$350 or \$470 for people who do not. Exams are free. Call 703-228-4200 or visit [www.apsva.us/leep](http://www.apsva.us/leep).

### TUESDAY/SEPT. 12

**Volunteers Needed.** 6-7 p.m. at Gates of Ballston, 4108 4th St. North. Learn about volunteering with AHC's Teen Tutoring program. Foster both academic and life skills to help teens graduate from high school and maximize their potential. Tutors are paired with one student during the school year for one hour once a week between 6 and 8 p.m. Email Cindy Rozon at [rozon@ahcinc.org](mailto:rozon@ahcinc.org) or visit [www.ahcinc.org/volunteer/](http://www.ahcinc.org/volunteer/).

### WEDNESDAY/SEPT. 13

**Substance Abuse Seminar.** 6:30 p.m. at Yorktown High School, 5200 Yorktown Blvd. Director of Student Activities Michael Krulfeld will kick-off the club's fall program season with a special presentation, followed by dinner. \$25 per person. Email [BSCRSVP@gmail.com](mailto:BSCRSVP@gmail.com) or call 703-241-0390.

### THURSDAY/SEPT. 14

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### FRIDAY/SEPT. 15

**Application Deadline.** The Energy Masters Training program, serving Arlington and Alexandria, is now accepting applications on a rolling basis for the positions of community adult and student apprentice. The program trains volunteers in energy

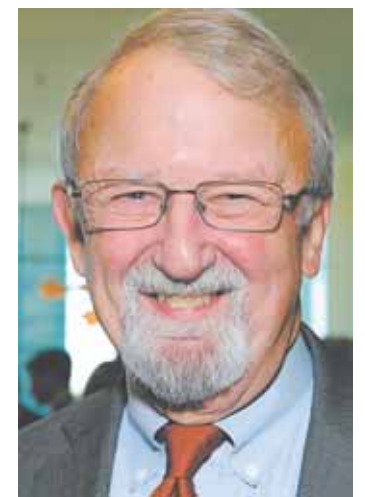


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## Award Recipient

**Lifelong Arlington resident John G. Milliken was picked to receive the 2017 "William T. Newman, Jr. Spirit of Community Award" by the Arlington Community Foundation. Milliken was chosen for his work in the areas of affordable housing, transportation, and community planning. The award will be presented at the 2017 Spirit of Community Luncheon on Thursday, Nov. 9 at the Renaissance Arlington Capital View Hotel.**

efficiency, water conservation, and community education and outreach. To apply, student apprentices must be in college or high school and over 16 years old. Training will begin in late September. Visit [www.ArlingtonEnvironment.org/energy](http://www.ArlingtonEnvironment.org/energy).

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### SEPT. 20, 21, 29, 30

**Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur** are the most important holidays on the Jewish calendar. Kol Ami opens its doors to visitors and does not require tickets to attend these services. It accepts donations, but turns no one away. Erev Rosh Hashanah is observed on Sept. 20 and Rosh Hashanah on Sept. 21. Kol Nidre is observed on Sept. 29 and Yom Kippur on Sept. 30. Kol Ami holds services and other events at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington, located at 4444 Arlington Blvd. More information and registration is available at [KolAmiVirginia.org/high-holy-days/](http://KolAmiVirginia.org/high-holy-days/).

### SATURDAY/SEPT. 30

**SafeChurch Workshop.** 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Arlington, 2609 N. Glebe Road. Prevention of Child Sexual Misconduct Workshop. Visit

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**Principal Harold Pellegreen, in his fourth year at Taylor Elementary, says the first day for kindergarten and first grade is focused on getting the children to school, having lunch and accounting for how they will get home and getting them there safely. "Anything else is a bonus." He says the first week is about establishing a routine.**

PHOTOS BY SHIRLEY RUHE/THE CONNECTION

## Welcome Back

Children skip down the sidewalk, buses roll up and let off their passengers laden with backpacks, and the morning ritual of raising the flag begins. Tuesday, Sept. 5 was the first day of school at Taylor Elementary.



First grade teacher Lauren Lachewitz uses a glue gun to finish a sign for the wall that says "We Are Happy to Help." She said that she loves her new small tables. "They are brand new and just fit in my classroom of 20, not like the large wooden tables we had in the past." Principal Harold Pellegreen says the tables arrived last Friday unassembled so "I came at 6 a.m. this morning to put them together."



Second grade teacher Shannon Smith says she has taught everywhere from Florida to Michigan to Aruba. She says currently they are testing a "no homework" policy in second grade. She said this will be the second year, and they don't have the final results yet. "However, last year both parental feedback and student data was overwhelmingly positive. It gave the kids more family time and they could just be a kid."

Meghan Reed, fifth grade teacher, points out the new flexible seating in her room. There are seat discs on the floor, pillows, stand up desks. Reed says research shows when the child can personalize their seating and have self choice, they are more focused and engaged in learning. Today's lesson begins with a letter by each student to the teacher. It will give the teacher information about each student, then on to math. "We do fractions, long division, variables, and decimals is huge."



# Back to School

## Next: Engaging the community in their schools.

BY VERNON MILES  
THE CONNECTION

Arlington's children aren't the only ones this fall who have as signed homework. Several School Board issues coming up during the fall to help shape the future of Arlington Public Schools (APS) will require extensive community feedback.

On an annual list of School Board priorities to be discussed at the Sept. 7 School Board meeting, the top item is the new strategic year plan. The current strategic plan is coming up on the end of its six-year cycle, so Bellavia said the School Board will be asking the public to be involved in setting the goals and priorities of the 2018-2014 strategic plan.

In September 2019, the new Stratford Middle School will have its first opening day as a neighborhood middle school. Stratford Middle School is estimated to have 1,000 seats with a maximum budget of \$36.5 million. According to Frank Bellavia, APS communications coordinator, a new middle school will mean new boundaries. No dates have been set yet, but throughout the fall Bellavia said the School Board will begin re-drawing the lines this fall. Then, in Spring 2018, the School Board will begin working on new elementary school boundaries for the Alice West Fleet Elementary School scheduled to open in Fall 2019.

Stratford isn't the only new education space becoming available in the next few years. APS administration will be leaving their current building and moving into a new space in early 2018, leaving the current structure at 2110 Washington Blvd available. The School Board won a victory early in 2017 when the County Board shot down a proposal to protect

the building as part of a local historic district, which would have limited the School Board's ability to make changes to the site. Bellavia said the School Board will be approaching the community with questions about what they think should be the instructional focus at the education center. Options include to incorporate the building into the nearby Washington-Lee or to make it a standalone facility.

The School Board will also be considering changes to the Career Center. On June 29, the School Board adopted a plan to accommodate rising numbers of high school students through expansions of the education center and career center rather than construction of a new high school with 800-700 new seats available at each. By May 2018, the superintendent must make recommendations to the School Board regarding program/instructional focus for the sites, whether or not high school boundary adjustments will be necessary, and a proposed budget. On the list of upcoming School Board priorities, there was also a note saying the School Board will develop policies involving use of technology, including personal devices, within schools.

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### STOP FOR BUSES

As the school year kicks off, Arlington's streets will start to be a little more crowded with yellow buses circulating around Arlington's neighborhoods. With frequent, and lengthy stops, it can be tempting to swerve left and pass the bus.

Don't.

Not only does driving around endanger the students who might be crossing the street in front of the bus, in Virginia it is also illegal to pass a school bus with its stop arm out. 2018 is the second year of a program that added cameras to the sides of each school bus activated when the stop arm opens up.

The camera captures the license plates of passing vehicles and will report them for a \$250 ticket if seen going around the bus.



## PEOPLE

# NVSO Hits Full Gear with 752 Participants

## Twenty years, thirty events for Senior Olympian Toftoy.

BY SHIRLEY RUHE  
THE CONNECTION

**T**he deadline for Northern Virginia Senior Olympics (NVSO) has passed with 752 competitors signed up for one or more of the 70 events offered this year. NVSO begins Sept. 9 with the Opening Ceremony including running of the Olympic torch around the track at Thomas Jefferson Community Center followed by track and rowing events and diving later in the day. NVSO continues until Sept. 20 with events at 28 park and community and senior centers around Northern Virginia.

Eighty-two-year-old Charles Toftoy says he was selected to carry the torch last year. Toftoy says he has been competing "for I would say over 20 years." Toftoy says he was a sprinter in school running the 100-yard dash and then got talked by a friend into running a marathon. "I got hooked but after running the Boston Marathon I thought enough of that. What's next?" He said, "I turned to the Triathlon (run, bike, swim). I really loved that." That eventually led to the Senior Olympics.

But Toftoy stressed that anyone can enter NVSO. "The whole purpose is to put an emphasis on good health, having fun to-

gether. It is a diverse group of people from all walks of life." Toftoy added, "I'll help guys 96-years-old hit the softball off the tee. I'll hold them up. The softball throw has a lot of enthusiasm." And he says there are sports that people in wheelchairs can do like Scrabble, cribbage, bunko and dominos. and rapid chess, a new sport this year. Vera Punke, 102-years-old, has entered duplicate bridge and Maira Kennedy will compete in the 100-year-old category for Wii Bowling.

Toftoy says he has participated in 27 different sports in his 20 years and with the addition this year of singles, doubles and mixed doubles pickleball he will increase that number to 30. "I used to do so many events but I have scaled back." He says he was in too many events. "I was surprised I got obsessed with pickleball since I started it last December so I spend more time."

He points out that pickleball is the fastest growing sport. "It's very unique with so much tactics and strategy. There are so many skill sets you have to learn. For instance," he said, "there is dinking where you just put the ball over the net and it lands in the kitchen. It has to bounce once." Add to that the side spin "where you come across the ball at about 40 degrees and it hits here and goes across to a person's backhand."

There is only one sport that Toftoy has entered only once. "I decided not to do row-



**Charles Toftoy sits with his turbo-jav, a shorter and lighter version of the long javelin, which is illegal in Arlington. He will be participating in his "20th or so" Northern Virginia Senior Olympics in several sports including the cornhole toss, the 400-meter walk and his newest obsession, pickleball.**

ing again because it was too hard. You'd have to really work at it to be good, and there were too many other things." For now that involves playing pickleball three times a week year round. And Toftoy thinks next year he will enter eight ball pool. "But that

competition is scheduled at the same time as pickleball this year. And I'll probably throw the turbo-javelin again next year."

He remembers when he was practicing the long javelin at Washington-Lee High School baseball park. "I had the cones all lined up and ready to go. Two men in suits and ties came running across the field waving their arms." It turns out it was the superintendent of parks and that the long javelin is illegal in Arlington. This led to the 500 gram turbo-jav event instead.

Toftoy says he thinks the most difficult sport he has entered is the running long jump. "It's really tough on the knees." He says years ago he was competing in the Virginia senior games in the running long jump and wanted to make it to National. "My first two tries I was off the line with my feet. I only had one try to go. After all the training I was sweating it out." But he made sure his feet didn't go over the line and third time around he made his longest jump ever and got a gold medal.

Toftoy says he keeps trying to realize his age so last year he took a senior fitness survey. "I had to do all of these things. My physical age turned out to be 57 so when people ask me how old I am, I just tell them 57."

For more information on the schedule and venues contact nvso1982@gmail.com or the hotline number 703-228-3300 ext 9996.

## "FLOURISHING AFTER 55"

"Flourishing After 55" from Arlington Office of Senior Adult Programs for Sept. 10-16.

**Senior centers:** Lee, 5722 Lee Hwy.; Langston-Brown Senior Center, 2121 N. Culpeper St.; Walter Reed, 2909 S. 16<sup>th</sup> St.; Arlington Mill, 909 S. Dinwiddie St.; Aurora Hills, 735 S. 18<sup>th</sup> St.

**Senior trips:** The Mushroom Festival, Kennett Square, Pa., Sunday, Sept. 10, \$9 plus \$3 admission fee; Harley Davidson Factory plus Shoe House, York, Pa., Wednesday, Sept. 13, \$76 (includes lunch); Wolf Trap,

Steve Martin and Martin Short, Thursday, Sept. 14, \$100; Eisenhower National Historic Site, Gettysburg, Pa., Saturday, Sept. 16, \$28 (incl. lunch). Call Arlington County 55+ Travel, 703-228-4748. Registration required.

### NEW PROGRAMS

**Dramaturgy** by theatre educator Michael Heinlein, Mondays beginning Sept. 11, 1 p.m., Langston-Brown. \$72/9 sessions. Register, 703-228-6300.

**Informal current events discussion**, Monday, Sept. 11, 10 a.m., Walter Reed. Details, 703-228-0955.

**Medicare updates**, Monday, Sept. 11, 1 p.m., Aurora Hills. Register, 703-228-5722.

**20<sup>th</sup> Century American music**, Monday, Sept. 11, 1 p.m., Langston-Brown. Details, 703-228-6300.

**Technology Tuesday**, Walter Reed, Sept. 12, 1 p.m., Facebook review. Register early, 703-228-0955.

**Estate planning for one**, Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1 p.m., Lee. Details, 703-228-0555.

**Partner dance lessons**, beginner, Wednesday, Sept. 13, 2 p.m., Lee. Register, 703-28-0555.

**Study of American English words**, Wednesday, Sept. 13, 11 a.m., Lee. Details, 703-228-0555.

**Dramatic reading**, "Charleston Revisited," by playwright Tony Gallo, Wednesday, Sept. 13, 8 p.m., Arlington Mill. Details, 703-228-7369.



## Pop-up Library Extended

**Crystal City Pop-up Branch Library will be open through June 2018, thanks to an agreement reached between Arlington County and landlord JBG Smith. The county opened the pop-up library at 2100 Crystal Drive in September 2016, with an initial operating term due to end in December of this year. It offers books, audio visual materials, games and tech access, along with community meeting space, workshops, book groups and other gatherings, including art exhibits. JBG will continue to provide the 1,222 sq. ft. of space that library occupies rent-free. Beginning in January 2018, JBG also will be responsible for common area maintenance expenses, real estate taxes and electricity associated with the space the pop-up library occupies in the 2100 Crystal Drive Center.**

## Additional Victims Sought

The Arlington County Police Department's Special Victims Unit are seeking additional witnesses or victims related to a suspect who has been charged in an incident involving female victims in the area of the Custis Trail.

At approximately 4:37 p.m. on Aug. 23, police responded to the 1900 block of N. Calvert Street for the report of an assault and battery. Upon arrival, it was determined a female victim walking on the bike trail was touched inappropriately by a male suspect. While investigating the incident, officers located a second female victim who reported the same male suspect grabbed her around the waist. The female victim was able to free herself from the suspect. The suspect then pulled down his pants and exposed his genitals to the victim. Responding officers canvassed the area and located a suspect matching the victim's descriptions in the 3300 block of Lee Highway.

Investigators believe there may be additional victims. Anyone who had previous contact with the suspect is asked to call Detective J. McGrath of the Special Victim's Unit at 703-228-4244 or Jmcgra@arlingtonva.us. Information may also be provided anonymously through the Arlington County Crime Solvers hotline at 1-866-411-TIPS (8477).





By CARLIN ANDERSON/BRIDGES TO INDEPENDENCE

## 'Safe At Home'

In early August, Bridges to Independence, a private, nonprofit organization serving families experiencing homelessness in Arlington County and the City of Alexandria, held its 12th annual "Safe At Home," Kickball Tournament to raise funds for vital services that help lead individuals and families out of homelessness and into stable, independent futures. There were 28 kickball teams in the tournament, including a team from Grace Community Church in Arlington (above).

### SCHOOL NOTES

Email announcements to [arlington@connectionnewspapers.com](mailto:arlington@connectionnewspapers.com). Deadline is Thursday at noon. Photos are welcome.

**Jessica Snellen**, a resident of Arlington majoring in clinical health studies, was named to the dean's list in Ithaca (N.Y.) College's School of Health Sciences and Human Performance for the spring 2017 semester.

**Willow Nelson**, a native of Arlington, graduated Cum Laude from Ithaca (N.Y.) College's

School of Communications with a degree in cinema and photography in May 2017.

**Arianna Hume**, of Arlington, qualified for qualified for the summer 2017 dean's list at Belmont University (Nashville, Tenn.).

**Andrew Taylor Norville**, of Arlington, graduated from Clemson University (S.C.) with a Master of Real Estate Development in real estate development.

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# OPINION

## Disparity, Poverty Hidden by Communities' Wealth

**“How hard would it be for someone to invite me in for a bowl of soup?”**

BY STEPHANIE BERKOWITZ  
NORTHERN VIRGINIA FAMILY SERVICE

**T**he U.S. Census Bureau confirmed in July what we already know: many Northern Virginia residents are doing well financially. In fact, Loudoun County, the City of Falls Church and Fairfax County are the three wealthiest jurisdictions in the U.S. while Arlington and Prince William counties and the City of Fairfax also rank in the top 20.

### COMMENTARY

The new Census Bureau numbers mask the fact that there are pockets of poverty throughout our region, and many of our neighbors are struggling.

Having worked at Northern Virginia Family Service (NVFS) for 18 years, I have met countless residents who come to us for help finding affordable housing, food, healthcare, medications and job training. Without support, these issues continue to negatively impact the families around us, creating larger barriers to self-sufficiency and the opportunity to thrive in our booming region.

I'm thinking of Zaheer Iqbal, who emigrated to the U.S. from Pakistan with a master's degree in English literature, a Fulbright scholarship and having worked with the U.S. military in Pakistan fighting the Taliban. In spite of his experience and education, the best job he could

find was cleaning toilets and working as a cashier at an Annandale gas station. (Did I mention he also speaks seven languages?) Zaheer “graduated” to a job as a hotel night clerk in Fairfax, leaving that job every morning to go to our six-month Training Futures job program. Training Futures saw his potential and helped him make valuable connections within the business community. He recently landed a job with a government contractor. But it took Zaheer four years of sleepless nights and uncertainty about how he would support himself and his twin boys to get to that point.

When I think about the disparity in our region, I think of the 77-year old woman who has been coming to our Hunger Resource Center in Manassas on and off for 20 years as her situation changes. (She asked that I not use her name because she doesn't want her family to know she continues to rely on the food bank.) When she was raising her son as a single mother and working as a waitress, there were times when she had to choose between paying the mortgage and feeding her family. At one point, her house was in foreclosure. Today, she is living off her monthly social security check, which doesn't cover her basic expenses. She is drawn to the fruits and vegetables at the Hunger Resource Center and, on the days they have eggs, she “celebrates” by making an omelet. As a senior living alone, she says she feels invisible to her neighbors. “How hard would it

be for someone to check up on me or invite me in for a bowl of soup?” she asks through tears.

And when I think of the challenges facing so many of our neighbors I am thinking of Carla Rocha, who grew up in Reston and graduated from high school in Sterling. All she wanted was a safe, affordable place to live with her son. Instead, she lived in her car, slept on friends' floors and stayed in transitional housing provided by Second Story – one of many outstanding nonprofits in Northern Virginia that provide a safety net for vulnerable children and youth.

Carla moved five times in six years. “I could adapt easily,” she told me. “It was harder on my son. That is a lot of change for a kid.”

With support from nonprofits like NVFS and Second Story, Carla has a great job and has been able to buy her own place. But for many other residents, living wage jobs and affordable housing remain elusive.

For nearly 100 years, NVFS has been committed to helping vulnerable residents become self-sufficient. If you are proud to call Northern Virginia home, help us in creating a stronger community where all families and individuals can thrive. Maybe you can start by inviting someone in for a bowl of soup.

The writer is president and CEO of Northern Virginia Family Service.

## #CallTextLive — A Hashtag to Remember

BY WENDY GRADISON  
CEO, PRS, INC.

**I**t's been a tough year in Northern Virginia as youth and young adult suicides be reaved families, communities and schools. Many adult family members, friends, neighbors and colleagues were lost to suicide as well. In the aftermath, lives were cut short and so much promise left unrealized.

### COMMENTARY

Suicide, a serious issue locally and nationally that claims the lives of 44,000 people annually, is the 10<sup>th</sup> leading cause of death nationwide and second leading cause for people aged 15-24.

At PRS, Inc., a nonprofit that runs Northern Virginia's crisis hotline and textline, we are marking September's Suicide Prevention Month by launching the #CallTextLive Campaign. We've teamed up with Connection Newspapers for this third annual campaign to engage the community in discussing suicide and encouraging people to get help by calling or texting a hotline.

Using the hashtag #CallTextLive, the Campaign works to educate the community about resources available and actions they can take to bring awareness to suicide prevention and intervention. In fact, a simple call or text to a crisis hotline or textline often provides the empathetic, trained voice that someone in crisis needs to reduce his/her pain and provide alternatives and connections to care.

The #CallTextLive Campaign has a variety

of events and actions to bring suicide prevention to the forefront. Throughout the month, we will post these on a web-based interactive calendar at [www.prsinc.org/calltextlive](http://www.prsinc.org/calltextlive). In addition, we will be sharing tips and resources via social media and asking people to share their stories and photos on PRS Facebook, Twitter and Instagram using #CallTextLive hashtag as well as posting Stories of Hope — video vignettes from survivors, family members, and hotline volunteers.

A highlight of the month is Selfie Day on Sept. 21 when friends, community, and clients show support by tagging themselves on selfies on our Facebook and other social media pages using #CallTextLive. We have t-shirts available for purchase for PRS Selfie Day. We also encourage the community to join the PRS team (with #CallTextLive t-shirts) for the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention Fairfax Walk on Sept. 16 and the NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness) NOVA and Loudoun Walks, which are both taking place Sept. 23.

For every death, 278 people manage to move past thoughts of suicide and survive. PRS supports this through its CrisisLink program, which handled nearly 34,000 crisis calls and exchanged over 33,000 crisis text messages from the Northern Virginia region last year. Any time of the day or night, the PRS CrisisLink Hotline can be reached at 800-273-TALK [8255] and the textline by texting “CONNECT” to 85511.

Making a call or sending a text to PRS CrisisLink saves lives. Removing the stigma around reaching out, discussing issues that

contribute to suicide and encouraging people to get help is key. By participating in #CallTextLive, we can turn up the volume, and make it OK to have a conversation, make a call or send a text.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Stand Against Hate, Bigotry

To the Editor:

Much attention has been given to the recent White Nationalist/Neo-Nazi rally and counter-protest in Charlottesville. Fewer people realize that a microcosm of this event occurred right here in our small corner of Arlington. On Friday, Aug. 25, five men and one woman gathered in the parking lot of an Arlington Strip Mall (the site where a former Nazi leader was killed in 1967) to salute a Nazi flag. No counter-protesters were there to stand against them, but hours later, after hearing of the earlier event, dozens of local residents were prompted to show up on the same spot to express opposition to the hateful, violent beliefs of the Nazi sympathizers.

The leader of the group New Order which staged the salute said they embraced the growing polarization in our county as a sign that their movement was gaining ground in America. The point of the demonstration in his words was to test the true willingness of our

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# LETTERS

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“liberal” community to accept diversity of viewpoints.

So let's be clear. Embracing diversity of viewpoints does not mean staying quiet in the face of a Nazi premise of Aryan superiority as a master race. Or remaining mute to a history of mass Jewish extermination and other Nazi atrocities. This group stood in salute of a philosophy put into action that brought on a world war where many of our American veterans fought and died. Nazism isn't a “diverse point of view” — it is a parade of horrors too terrible to commit to words. Thankfully, we are seeing that wherever this ugly “polarization” raises its Trumpian head — Charlottesville, San Francisco, and in our own community of Arlington, there are people ready to oppose an aspirational racial hierarchy that has already cost millions of lives. If we don't make it clear that we will stand against hate, bigotry, racism and Nazism, then we will have to question whether we are capable of repeating Germany's history and losing our humanity as a people and a country.

**David Robeck**  
Arlington

## American Values

To the Editor:

*The following open letter was addressed to Republican gubernatorial candidate Ed Gillespie.*

On Aug. 11 and 12, we saw violence and hate we hoped we would never again witness on American soil. In Charlottesville, Neo-Nazis and white supremacists took to the streets, marched with torches, gave Nazi salutes, shouted that Jews “will not replace them,” chanted the Fascist slogan “Blood and Soil,” proclaimed white supremacy, and murdered a woman who was brave enough to stand up to them. Then, instead of clearly rejecting this evil, the President of the United States twice defended those marching with the very Neo-Nazis who unleashed this deadly violence on one of Virginia's greatest cities.

After President Trump's press conferences, we were left shocked and then deeply saddened. Let's be clear. “Very fine people” don't march with people who are holding Nazi flags and chanting anti-Semitic slogans. We were heartened to see, in the wake of Donald Trump's horrifying comments, that leaders in both parties came to-

gether to reject hate and renew our nation's founding principles of equality and inclusiveness. But instead of joining these leaders — including many prominent Republicans — we understand you have refused to speak out against the President's reaction to Charlottesville.

As Jewish members of the Virginia General Assembly, we write you because, as Virginians and Jews, we find your failure to denounce the President's reaction to Nazism deeply disturbing. The events in Charlottesville recall the darkest moments in both the history of this country and the Jewish people. What we saw on Friday and Saturday was an assault on our democratic society and the very values this country was founded upon. Yet the President of the United States, the leader of our country, has not once but twice defended those who would march with the Neo-Nazis and their ilk.

Our country at its best has been a beacon of hope and safety for all peoples. Hundreds of thousands gave their lives so that the forces that destroyed Europe would never set foot on American soil. President Trump's reaction to Charlottesville represented a be-

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## ONGOING

**Featured Artist.** Through Sept. 29, 11 a.m. at the The Arlington Artists Alliance Gallery Crystal City Shops, 2100 Crystal Drive. See Ginger Sanaie, Watermedia exhibit created with pencils, acrylic, ink and watercolor crayons. Email [art@galleryunderground.org](mailto:art@galleryunderground.org) or visit [www.galleryunderground.org](http://www.galleryunderground.org).

### Jung Min Park: Memoryscape.

Various times through Oct. 1 at the Arlington Arts Center, 3550 Wilson Blvd. Jung Min Park creates memorable urban and architectural scenes through first-hand experiences and observations of cities and sites. Call 703-248-6800 for more.

**“A Little Night Music.”** Various times through Oct. 8 at the Signature Theatre, 4200 Campbell Ave. Visit [www.sigtheatre.org](http://www.sigtheatre.org).

**Arlington Farmer’s Market.** Every Saturday, 8 a.m.-noon at the corner of N. 14th Street and N. Courthouse Road. A weekly celebration of local food including fresh produce, meats, dairy, cheese, baked goods, free range eggs, specialty items, cut flowers, plants and herbs. Email [csingiser@cfwdc.org](mailto:csingiser@cfwdc.org) or call 917-733-6402.

**FRESHFARM Market.** 3-7 p.m. on Tuesdays at 1900 Crystal Drive. Shop from local farmers and producers with seasonal fruits and vegetables, fresh-cut flowers, container plants and herbs, farm-raised eggs, all-natural meats, artisan baked goods, and specialty foods. Visit [www.crystalcity.org](http://www.crystalcity.org) for more.

**Mobile Bike Repair.** 8 a.m.-3 p.m. on Thursdays at 1900 Crystal Drive. Drop off your bike on Thursday morning and have it tuned up and ready to ride before heading home. Email [DC@velofix.com](mailto:DC@velofix.com), or phone 855-VELO-FIX for more.

**Food Truck Thursdays.** 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at 1900 Crystal Drive and 201 12th St. Actual truck schedules are subject to change so be sure to follow your favorites. Visit [www.crystalcity.org](http://www.crystalcity.org) for more.

**Healthy Lifestyle Runs.** Saturdays, 9 a.m. at Roosevelt Island, George Washington Memorial Parkway. American Cancer Society partners with parkrun USA to promote fitness in the fight against cancer. Free. Visit [www.parkrun.us/rooseveltislanddc/](http://www.parkrun.us/rooseveltislanddc/) for more.



Work by ELLEN CORNETT

## Art Exhibit

**Meet Ellen Cornett at the Artists Reception, Thursday, Sept. 7 from 5-7 p.m. at the Barry Gallery, located in the Reinsch Library at Marymount University, 2807 North Glebe Road. Artist Ellen Cornett exhibits pastel and charcoal drawing, producing a body of work based loosely on her interpretations of fairytales and stories. The exhibition will run through Oct. 8. Visit [www.marymount.edu/barrygallery](http://www.marymount.edu/barrygallery) for more.**

**Friday Night Live.** 8 p.m. Fridays at the Church at Clarendon, 1210 N. Highland St., Suite A. Local musicians perform. Free. Visit [1bc.org](http://1bc.org) for more.

**Culinaire’s Winter Lunch.** Tuesdays

through Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at The Art Institute of Washington, 1820 N. Fort Myer Drive, 12th floor. Culinaire, the student-run restaurant of the Art Institute of Washington, is now serving lunch from their winter menu on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Visit [www.artinstitutes.edu/arlington](http://www.artinstitutes.edu/arlington) for more.

**Arlington’s Historical Museum Open on First Wednesdays.** The Arlington Historical Museum is open to the public on the first Wednesday of every month from 12:30-3:30 p.m. The museum consists of exhibits chronicling Arlington County’s history from Native American settlements up to the present day. The museum will continue to be open on Saturdays and Sundays from 1-4 p.m. Admission is free. The museum is located in the former 1891 Hume School building at 1805 S. Arlington Ridge Road. Contact Garrett Peck at 571-243-1113 or at [garrett.peck@arlingtonhistoricalsociety.org](mailto:garrett.peck@arlingtonhistoricalsociety.org).

**LGBT & Straight Friends Social.** Tuesdays. Happy Hour, 3-7 p.m.; Mikey’s “Bar A” Video Wall, 7 p.m.; start time at 8 p.m. IOTA Club & Cafe, 2832 Wilson Blvd. For 21 years and older. Free. Visit [www.iotaclubandcafe.com](http://www.iotaclubandcafe.com) for more.

**Open Mic Comedy.** Wednesdays 8-10 p.m. at Ri Ra Irish Pub, 2915 Wilson Blvd. Doors open at 7 p.m. Age 21 and up only. Free show, \$25 cash prize for best joke. Call 703-248-

9888 or Visit [www.RiRa.com/](http://www.RiRa.com/) Arlington for more.

**Food Truck Thursdays.** 5:30-8:30 p.m. at the corner of North Irving St. and Washington Blvd. Find a round-up of regional food trucks. Free to attend. Visit [www.dmvfta.org](http://www.dmvfta.org).

**Invasive Plants Removal.** Work parties are held every month to keep the parks free of destructive invasive plants.

Teens, adults and families welcome. Every second Sunday of the month 2-4:30 p.m. at Gulf Branch Nature Center, 3608 Military Road; call 703-228-3403. Every third Sunday of the month 2-5 p.m. at Long Branch Nature Center, 625 S. Carlin Springs Road; call 703-228-6535 or Visit [registration.arlingtonva.us](http://registration.arlingtonva.us). Free, no registration required.

**Poetry Series.** 6-8 p.m. second Sunday of the month at IOTA Club & Cafe, 2832 Wilson Blvd. Hosted by poet Miles David Moore. Featured artists share their poetry followed by open readings. Free. Visit [www.iotaclubandcafe.com](http://www.iotaclubandcafe.com) or call 703-522-8340.

**Open Mic Nite.** 8 p.m.-12:30 a.m. every Wednesday at IOTA Club & Cafe, 2832 Wilson Blvd. Sign-up times are 7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. Bring instruments, fans and friends. Visit [www.iotaclubandcafe.com](http://www.iotaclubandcafe.com) or call 703-522-8340.

**Karaoke.** 8 p.m. on the first Sunday every month at Galaxy Hut, 2711 Wilson Blvd. Visit [www.galaxyhut.com](http://www.galaxyhut.com) or call 703-525-8646.

**Pub Quiz.** 8 p.m. every Sunday at Whitlow’s on Wilson, 2854 Wilson Blvd. Prizes for first place. Free. Visit [www.whitlows.com](http://www.whitlows.com) or call 703-276-9693.

**Storytime.** Wednesdays and Fridays, 10:30-11 a.m. at Kinder Haus Toys, 1220 N. Fillmore St. Storytime with Ms. Laura. Call 703-527-5929.

**Lego Club.** Monthly on the first Wednesday. 4-5 p.m. Glencarlyn Branch Library, 300 S. Kensington St. The library provides tubs of legos and a special challenge and after the program the creations are displayed for everyone to see. No registration required. Call 703-228-6548 for more.

**Crystal City Sparket.** 11 a.m.-2 p.m. on Wednesdays at 1900 Crystal Drive. Sparket — A Creative Market is an extension of DC’s Eastern Market with arts, crafts, and handmade goods. Free to attend. Visit [www.crystalcity.org](http://www.crystalcity.org).

**Open Mic Night.** Wednesdays, at 8 p.m., sign ups are at 7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m., at Iota Club & Café, 2832 Wilson Blvd. Free. Visit [www.iotaclubandcafe.com/](http://www.iotaclubandcafe.com/).

**Art for Life.** Third Thursday of each month. The Hyatt Regency Crystal City’s “Art for Life” Partnership with National Kidney Foundation brings a new artist each month to The Hyatt for a reception. Free. Visit [www.torpedofactory.org](http://www.torpedofactory.org).

**Brunch at Freddie’s.** Third Saturday of every month, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at Freddie’s Beach Bar, 555 23rd St. The Arlington Gay and Lesbian Alliance gathers for an all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet (\$9.99). All are welcome. No reservation is required. Visit [www.facebook.com/events/700174390103305](http://www.facebook.com/events/700174390103305).

## THURSDAY/SEPT. 7

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## FRIDAY/SEPT. 8

**Fridays at the Fountain.** 5-9 p.m. at the fountain across from 1750 Crystal Drive. A different brewery each week and local live music on the Keolis Stage. Entry is free. Every Friday through October. Visit [www.crystalcity.org/do/september](http://www.crystalcity.org/do/september) for more.

## SATURDAY/SEPT. 9

**Volunteers Needed for Senior Olympics.** 9 a.m. at Thomas Jefferson Community Center, 3501 Second St. South. Volunteers are needed to sign in competitors, time and record events and handout medals. Email [chubicki@volunteerfairfax.org](mailto:chubicki@volunteerfairfax.org) or call 703-403- 5360.

**Art With A Heart.** 1-4 p.m. at the Market Common Clarendon, 2800 Clarendon Blvd. Artists doing caricatures, face painting, auction, hosted by Touching Heart of Herndon. Call 703-901-7355 or visit [www.touchingheart.com](http://www.touchingheart.com) for more.

**2017 Rosslyn Jazz Fest.** 1-7 p.m. at Gateway Park, 1300 Lee Highway. A variety of jazz bands, presented by the Rosslyn Business Improvement District (BID) and Arlington Arts. Free. Visit [www.rosslynva.org/jazzfest](http://www.rosslynva.org/jazzfest) for more.

**9/11 Memorial 5K.** 6 p.m. The 16th Annual Arlington Police/Fire/Sheriff 9/11 Memorial 5k, ll proceeds will be donated to official charities that focus on the healing of military personnel and civilians directly affected by the war on terrorism and the attacks against America on Sept. 11, 2001. Visit [arlington911race.com/](http://arlington911race.com/) for more.

## SATURDAY/SEPT. 10

**Success in Life Lecture.** Noon at Westover Baptist Church, 1125 Patrick Henry Drive, Room 220. Robert Lewis Taylor presents You Can Win @ Life. Call 703-798-8527 for more.

**Sip and Salsa.** 2-6 p.m. at the plaza, 220 20th St. S. Wine festival with music from the Salsa Room. Presale tickets are \$20 and \$25 at the door. Visit [www.crystalcity.org/do/september](http://www.crystalcity.org/do/september) for more.

## SEPT. 9-20

**Northern Virginia Senior Olympics.** Various times and locations, more than 50 different events taking place at more than 25 venues across Northern Virginia. Call 703-403-5360 or visit [www.nvso.us](http://www.nvso.us) for more.

## WEDNESDAY/SEPT. 13

**Barcroft Gymnastics Ribbon Cutting.** 5 p.m. at Barcroft Sport & Fitness Center, 4200 S Four Mile Run Drive. Based on popular demand, Arlington County expanded its gymnastics facility with double the space for more classes and more gymnasts. Learn more at [parks.arlingtonva.us/events/barcroft-gymnastics-ribbon-cutting/](http://parks.arlingtonva.us/events/barcroft-gymnastics-ribbon-cutting/).

**Film Festival Kicks Off.** 7 p.m. at Arlington Cinema & Drafthouse, 2903 Columbia Pike. Locavore Film Series showcasing starring Academy Award winner, Ellen Burstyn in “Wish You Well,” filmed in Virginia. Visit [arlingtondrafthouse.com/](http://arlingtondrafthouse.com/) or call 703-486-2345.

## THURSDAY/SEPT. 14

**Artist Lecture.** At 7 p.m. at the Woman’s Club of Arlington, 700 S Buchanan St. An evening with author, Toby McIntosh, who will present a talk on Auriel Bessemer’s seven New Deal-era murals, installed at the historic Joseph L. Fisher Post Office in Clarendon. Email



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**Joe Keyes is one of the acts at the 2017 Rosslyn Jazz Fest, on Saturday, Sept. 9 from 1-7 p.m. at Gateway Park, 1300 Lee Highway. A variety of jazz bands, presented by the Rosslyn Business Improvement District (BID) and Arlington Arts. Free. Visit [www.rosslynva.org/jazzfest](http://www.rosslynva.org/jazzfest) for more.**



# ENTERTAINMENT

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## FRIDAY/SEPT. 15

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## SATURDAY/SEPT. 16

**BBQ, Boots and Bingo.** 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at The Columbus Club of Arlington, 5115 Little Falls Road. Food, entertainment, games, moon bounces, a fire truck, face painting and bingo. Call 703-558-0035 for more.

**Fun Day Festival.** Noon-6 p.m. at the Drew Model School & Community Center, 3500 S. 23rd St. Kids Pavillion of activities, including Gwen Brown and Mature Clientele on stage and Fish Fry, Vendors, Community Bike Ride and Basketball Game. Call 703-486-0058 for more.

**S.A.L.T. Toastmasters Club.** 2-4 p.m. at Westover Library, 1644 N. McKinley Road #3. Learn public speaking, communication, and leadership skills. This is held the third Saturday each month. Call 703-475-3208 or visit [3953561.toastmastersclubs.org/](http://3953561.toastmastersclubs.org/) for more.

## SUNDAY/SEPT. 17

**2017 Bluemont Arlington Run.** 8:45 a.m. at the Bluemont Park, 329 N. Manchester St. There will be a 5K and 10K on the Washington & Old Dominion Trail to benefit the EOD Warrior Foundation. Visit [www.eodwarriorfoundation.org](http://www.eodwarriorfoundation.org) for more.



## Jazz Fest

**Xenia Rubinos to perform at Jazz Fest, Saturday, Sept. 9, 1-7 p.m. at Gateway Park, 1300 Lee Highway.**

On Tuesday, hour-long classes are accessible to all fitness levels. The cost for an entire session of five classes is just \$20 per person. Call 703-228-6525 for more.

## SATURDAY/SEPT. 23

**Artist Lecture.** 11 a.m. at the public plaza at 1310 N. Courthouse Road. Meet the minds behind the "Meeting Bowls" when Arlington Arts presents an Artist Talk by Eva Salmerón and Emilio Alarcón of Madrid-based mmm... Email [jbyers@arlingtonva.us](mailto:jbyers@arlingtonva.us) or call 703-228-1847 for more.

## SUNDAY/SEPT. 24

**Sunday Brunch Yoga at the Pub.** 9 a.m. at Crystal City Sports Pub, 529 23rd St. S. Hour long, all-levels vinyasa flow followed by drinks at the bar. The \$10 ticket includes a brunch beverage of choice. Takes place every Sunday through December. Visit [www.crystalcity.org/do/siptember](http://www.crystalcity.org/do/siptember) for more.

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## MONDAY/OCT. 2

**ARTrageous Silent Auction.** 10 a.m.-6 p.m. at the Gallery Underground, 2100 Crystal Drive. Annual Arlington Artists Alliance silent art auction. Visit [www.arlingtonartistsalliance.org/](http://www.arlingtonartistsalliance.org/) for more.

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**Pups and Pilsners.** 2-6 p.m. at the plaza, 12th Street S. & Crystal Drive. This dog-friendly festival features a beer garden with craft brews and offerings from local breweries and a number of dog friendly attractions including a fenced dog run. Plan a picnic or grab a bite from a local Crystal City restaurant or on-site food

truck. Visit [www.crystalcity.org/do/siptember](http://www.crystalcity.org/do/siptember) for more.

## MONDAY/SEPT. 18

**Poetry Mixer.** 7-8 p.m. at Shirlington Branch Library, 4200 Campbell Ave. Informal group of local poetry writers write and read original poetry, and exchange constructive criticism. Meets every third Monday except holidays. Call 703-228-6545 for more.

**Artist Talk with Donald Lipski.** 7 p.m. at Columbia Pike Library, 816 South Walter Reed Drive. Lipski will discuss his creative process in creating artwork for the public realm in a moderated discussion with

Arlington County Board Member Christian Dorsey. Free. Call 703-228-5990 for more.

## TUESDAY/SEPT. 19

**Wine and Food Tasting Party.** 6-8:30 p.m. National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, 4301 Wilson Blvd. Sample food, wine and take part in the raffle in support of Arlington Thrive. Visit [www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org](http://www.arlingtonrotaryclub.org) for more.

## SEPT. 19-OCT. 17

**Yoga in the Park.** 6-7:30 p.m. at Gateway Park, 1300 Lee Highway.

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Award Winner

**Jon Hensley Architects in Arlington was selected as a winner in the annual Integrity Windows and Doors 2017 Red Diamond Achiever Awards competition for its Modern Cedar Addition project. The competition recognizes architects and builders for excellence in new residential and remodel projects.**

NEWS BRIEFS

Services at Kol Ami

Kol Ami is opening its doors to visitors and does not require tickets to attend Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services. It accepts donations, but is turned no one away.  
Kol Ami's services are led by Rabbi Gilah Langner and co-led by Kol Ami lay leaders. Children's services are led by Sariel Ende-Alonzo.  
Erev Rosh Hashanah is observed on Sept. 20 and Rosh Hashanah on Sept. 21. Kol Nidre is observed on Sept. 29 and Yom Kippur on Sept. 30. More information and registration is available at [KolAmiVirginia.org/high-holy-days/](http://KolAmiVirginia.org/high-holy-days/)  
Kol Ami holds services and other events at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington, located at 4444 Arlington Boulevard, Arlington, on the corner of Arlington Boulevard (Rt. 50) and George Mason Drive.

Anonymous Call Investigated

At approximately 6:05 a.m. on Aug. 17, the Emergency Communications Center received an anonymous call from a subject claiming to be holding a family hostage in the 1200 block of Ft. Myer Drive. Due to the elevated level of threat by the caller, the Arlington County Police Emergency Response Team and Arlington County Fire Bomb Squad were deployed. Members of the SWAT Team made contact with the occupants of the residence and during the course of the investigation, it was determined that no crime had occurred. A sweep of the residence was conducted with negative results. The all clear was given at approximately 8:48 a.m.  
Reporting false information to the police is a crime. The investigation into the identity of the caller is ongoing. Anyone with information related to this investigation should call the Arlington County Police Department at 703-558-2222. Tips can also be provided anonymously to Arlington County Crime Solvers at 1-866-411-TIPS.



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## WELLBEING

# Healthy and in Season

From juicy apples to hearty cabbage, how to reap the health benefits of fall produce.

BY MARILYN CAMPBELL

With her one-year old daughter in tow, Ellen Knight poked at apples and caressed peppers on a Sunday morning at the Bethesda Farmers Market. The activity is part of her weekend ritual, searching for the freshest, most flavorful seasonal fruits and vegetables to use in meals throughout the rest of the week.

"I'm a little neurotic about produce and farmers markets," she said. "I try to only buy at farmers markets and only buy what's in season. I'm excited about fall and the new changes in what's coming in from the local farms."

As the weather gets cooler and temperatures drop, the bumper crops of fall can be found in flavorful abundance at farmers markets, grocery stores and even backyard gardens. Among the most nutritious and readily available produce are cabbage, peppers, squash, beets and other root vegetables, says Chef Pete Snaith of Culinaria Cooking School in Vienna.

"The fall harvest is a glorious time for peak-of-the-season vegetables and fruits," he said. "Farmers markets will be piled high ...."

With a flavor that can be the basis of both sweet and savory dishes, sweet potatoes are one of the most nutritious foods to debut in fall, says nutritionist Allison Speer of the Speer Nutrition Group in Alexandria. "They're loaded with potassium and vitamin E," she said. "In fall there's a greater variety available like Purple Stokes, Garnet and Hannah."

Choose small or medium-sized sweet potatoes that feel heavier than they look, advises Speer. "Store them in a dark place and keep them cool, but not cold," she said. "Letting them get cold ruins the flavor."

Winter squash is an umbrella term for a wide-range of squash varieties with thick, tough skins, such as butternut and acorn. Most readily available beginning in early fall and slow to go bad, winter squash can be stored whole for several weeks, says Arlington-based dietitian Melissa Hawkins, RD. "They are full of vitamins A and C," she said. "They also have a lot of potassium and fiber, which can make you feel



PHOTO COURTESY OF CULINARIA COOKING SCHOOL

**This roasted beet salad is an example of a healthy preparation method for fall produce, says Chef Pete Snaith of Culinaria Cooking School.**

full and satisfied for a longer time."

Hawkins also touts the versatility of winter squash. "I like to use butternut squash or pumpkin in soup," she said. "Acorn squash can be made into a puree. One of my favorite things to do is to spiralize winter squash to make spaghetti or noodle-like strands that I use instead of pasta. It's super easy and deeply satisfying."

Though its trendier cousins kale and Brussels sprouts get more hype, Hawkins says that cabbage is a versatile superfood that should not be overlooked. "There are so many varieties like Savoy and Napa and it's full of vitamins C and B6 and fiber," she said. "Leafy greens in general, like chard, mustards and kale, are nutrition powerhouses and are at their best in the fall."

Cabbage and other greens are low and calories and can be prepared in a myriad of ways, adds Speer. "One of the simplest ways to cook them is to roast them or stir fry them," she said. "Cabbage can also be stuffed or turned into slaw."

Most commonly seen in dark red, beets come a variety of colors like white, pink and orange. They're earthy, sweet and nutritious, says Hawkins. "Eating beets is almost like taking a big multivitamin," she said. "You're getting vitamins, A, B and C, plus iron, potassium, folic acid and beta-carotene."

Beets can be eaten raw or prepared in a variety of ways, says Speer. "You can roast them, puree them or even make beet chips," she said. "They can stain your hands and clothing so you have to be careful when handling them."

Among the foods most often associated with fall are apples. With varieties ranging from tart Granny Smiths to sweet Fujis, there's an orb for every palate, says Speer. "Apples are packed with fiber and vitamin C," she said. "You can slice them or eat them whole, so they're accessible and easy to carry and eat."

Select apples that are firm and without blemishes or bruises, and coat them with lemon juice after they've been cut to keep them from turning brown, advises Speer.

Choosing produce that is fresh and in-season, makes it easier to prepare them with little fuss so that their nutritional value is preserved. "Fresh vegetables deserve quick, simple, healthy preparation," said Snaith "Steaming, blanching, grilling, and roasting quickly come to mind. Apples, watermelon, and peaches are abundant now as well. You can top off a delicious meal with a light dessert of baked apples or grilled peaches with homemade vanilla ice cream."

## Roasted Beet Salad

2 each, red and golden beets, wash but not peeled.  
2 TBSP, olive oil  
3 oranges, peeled and segmented  
1/4 cup, fresh mint, chiffonade  
4 oz., feta cheese, sliced into 1/2" cubes or crumbled  
1 mango, sliced in 1/2" cubes  
micro greens or pea shoots (optional)

Vinaigrette  
1/2 cup, olive oil  
2 TBSP., balsamic vinegar  
1 TBSP., orange juice  
salt and pepper to taste

1. Preheat the oven to 400° F.
2. Coat the beets with the olive oil and season with salt and pepper. Place the beets in a roasting dish and cover. Place in the oven and roast for about 1 to 1 and a half hours or until tender. Remove from the beets from the oven and let cool. Peel when cooled. Cut into 1/2" pieces
3. While the beets are roasting, prepare the vinaigrette. Place the ingredients in a bowl and whisk to combine.
4. Place the beets, mango, orange, and pea shoots in separate bowls. Drizzle each with a tablespoon of vinaigrette and toss to coat.
5. Arrange the salad attractively on the plate. Top with pea shoots and drizzle with the vinaigrette and top with the mint.

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# From Bank to Brothel to Beer Garden

**Columbia Pike's newest restaurant in its oldest building.**

BY VERNON MILES  
THE CONNECTION

For years, Tony and Michelle Wagner watched the abandoned property across the street. It was the kind of building that had been beautiful once, but years of neglect had left it in a state of disrepair. The squat, two-story grey building at 2900 Columbia Pike had opened as a bank in 1902, making it the oldest building on Columbia Pike. Since then it had operated as a brothel, then as Blanca's Restaurant, but it had been empty for years. Tony Wagner said customers would regularly come into their wine bar, Twisted Vines, and ask about the property. Like their customers, the Wagners wondered who would eventually do something with the property.

When nothing happened, the Wagners took things into their own hands.

After a year of delays, on Sept. 5, BrickHaus finally opened to the public at 2 p.m. Ten minutes later, the restaurant was



Tony Wagner (left) and Michelle Wagner.

past capacity and visitors had to be turned away.

"It feels fantastic," said Tony Wagner. "Everyone has been really patient. We're ecstatic to be here. It's been a lot of work."

The bones of the old bank are still very much a part of the new restaurant. The tile floor is the same from the original bank, as



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BrickHaus, the new American-style beer garden on Columbia Pike.

are the cast iron railings. Tony Wagner thanked the Arlington Historical Society for its help in dealing with the county's historical building protections.

BrickHaus is an American-style beer garden. Beer gardens have been a rising culinary trend in America, and many focus around importing beers from Germany. But

Tony Wagner said the idea of beer gardens in Germany is to represent the local community and serve as a gathering place, so the Wagners decided to focus on local, domestic products. Of the 24 beers on tap, all but four are local brands like Port City and DC Brau. The other four are German.

In fitting with the aim to be a community gathering place, many of the patrons on the opening day were local residents of Columbia Pike.

"It's finally open," said Evey Staff. He and his brother Greg Staff are lifelong Arlingtonians who live down the street. The Staff brothers said they've been watching this building's development for years.

"It's really convenient having it here," said Evey Staff.

Greg Staff said Columbia Pike's restaurants and retail generally cater to locals, and BrickHaus seemed to fit right in with the local atmosphere.

"We've really seen the Pike change over the last ten years," said Greg Staff. "It's awesome seeing places like this come in."

Christine Kovach, an Arlington resident, and her friends cramped against the wall under the stairs, noted that the opening day was particularly crowded, but said that BrickHaus' atmosphere still seemed cool and fits in as a community restaurant.

## Pentagon Chapter NSDAR Attends National Convention

More than 3,500 members of the Daughters of the American Revolution convened in the nation's capital in June for the 126<sup>th</sup> Continental Congress, the latest gathering of the longstanding service organization's annual meeting. In attendance were Nancy Hill, Regent; Angela Hill, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Regent; Karan Reidenbach, Chaplain; Janice Manen, Past Chaplain; Danielle Huntley, Recording Secretary; Susan Wilvert, Treasurer and Past Regent; Susan Ohle, Registrar and Past Regent; Ann Parham, Librarian and Membership Chairman; and Andrea Buel, District V Vice Director and Honorary Regent of the Pentagon Chapter NSDAR, which is chartered in Arlington.

Members served as delegates and one member served as a page. Members attended business sessions, the annual Virginia Luncheon which is held at the Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center, the Patriotism Luncheon and the Junior Luncheon.

The keynote speaker for the 126<sup>th</sup> Continental Congress Opening Night Ceremony was retired NASA Flight Director Eugene Kranz, who was also awarded the DAR Medal of Honor. Additionally, the ceremony recognized retired NASA Mathematician Katherine Johnson, also with the DAR Medal of Honor, and California State University Monterey Bay President Eduardo Ochoa with the DAR Americanism Medal.

A special presentation during the Opening Night Ceremony put a spotlight on the upcoming 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the United States in 2026 and the leading role DAR will be playing in the preparations. DAR Honorary President General Lynn Forney Young was recently appointed to the U.S. Semiquincentennial Commission. The DAR also announced a major investment in the commemoration: a donation to Independence National Historical Park of 76 trees planted in honor of the Spirit of '76 that inspired the colonists to declare their independence. At the evening ceremony honoring the nation's military personnel and veterans, the keynote speaker and Margaret Cochran Corbin Award honoree was General Lori Robinson, USAF. As commander of the U.S. Northern Command (USNORTHCOM) and the North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD), Robinson is the first female officer to command a major Unified Combatant Command in the history of the United States Armed Forces. She is the highest-ranking woman in U.S. military history.

At the evening ceremony dedicated to education, the DAR Excellence in American History Book Award was presented to "Washington's Immortals: The Untold Story of an Elite Regiment Who Changed the Course of the Revolution" by Patrick O'Donnell.

To learn more about the work of the DAR, visit [www.DAR.org](http://www.DAR.org).

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### GET MORE WITH SNAP

**Arlington and Alexandria Farmers' Markets** accept SNAP/EBT (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) cards for purchases. SNAP/EBT customers can purchase farm fresh produce at local area farmers' markets and get matching bonus tokens to add to their purchases. Virginia Cooperative will be on-site at several local farmers' markets of Alexandria and Arlington to provide more information on SNAP and offer food tastings, prizes and more at the Arlington Farmers' Market, N. 14th and Courthouse Rpad (second Saturday of the month) and Columbia Pike Farmers' Market, 2820 Columbia Pike (third Sunday of the month).

### ONGOING

**Aging Matters.** 2-3 p.m. Tuesdays on WERA 96.7 LP FM on Arlington's community radio station. Each week host Cheryl Beversdorf interviews individuals with expertise about a broad array of aging related topics affecting the lives of older adults and their loved ones. Visit [www.facebook.com/agingmatterswera](http://www.facebook.com/agingmatterswera) to listen to programs.

**Volunteer Bike Repair Night.** First Tuesday of the month, 6-9 p.m. at Phoenix Bikes, Barcroft Park, 4200 S. Four Mile Run Drive. Volunteers gather to refurbish bikes, sort parts

or help with essential tasks. No experience necessary.

**Public Financial Fraud, Waste and Abuse Hotline.** On Tuesday, Nov. 15, the Arlington County launched a new public hotline that offers a confidential and secure way to report suspected incidents of financial fraud, waste and abuse. Anyone can submit a complaint to the hotline at 1-866-565-9206 or at [arlingtonva.ethicaladvocate.com](http://arlingtonva.ethicaladvocate.com). The hotline website is available in English and Spanish. Phone calls can be taken in many languages.

**The Arlington Food Assistance Center's** Plot Against Hunger program is again seeking local vegetable gardeners and farmers willing to grow and donate fresh produce to the AFAC food pantry. AFAC can provide free vegetable seeds to those who pledge to donate produce from community or personal gardens. Seeds available now at AFAC, 2708 S. Nelson Street, during regular business hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and Saturdays 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Visit [www.afac.org/](http://www.afac.org/) or contact Puwen at [Puwen.Lee@afac.org](mailto:Puwen.Lee@afac.org) or 703-845-8486.

Created by the **Arlington Initiative to Rethink Energy (AIRE)** in partnership with the Arlington Public Library, the nation's First Energy Lending Library made its debut on Earth Day. Meant to resolve energy issues in the Arlington community, efficiency tools such as thermal imaging cameras, energy meters and books play a vital role in achieving a "greener" home. Open Sun-Sat 10 a.m.-9 p.m. 1015 N. Quincy St. Visit [library.arlingtonva.us/locations/central-library](http://library.arlingtonva.us/locations/central-library) or call 703-228-5990.



In July 2017, 305 Arlington homes sold between \$2,470,000-\$9,000. This week's list represents those homes sold in the \$2,470,000-\$380,000 range. For the complete list, visit [www.ConnectionNewspapers.com](http://www.ConnectionNewspapers.com)



Five Points intersection is slated for upgrades.

Making ‘Five Points’ Safer

A project to boost safety and mobility at the Cherrydale neighborhood’s “Five Points” intersection is officially underway. Survey and geotechnical work are being conducted, and will soon be followed by traffic modifications, excavation and concrete work.

The project, designed to support the revitalization of Lee Highway in Cherrydale, will upgrade traffic signal equipment and streetlights, add bike lanes, improve crosswalks and transit stops, widen sidewalks, add street trees and provide ADA accessible curb ramps. It should be finished in summer 2018.

Work hours will be 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday in the project area along N. Quincy Street).

Construction crews typically will close one travel lane adjacent to the work area with drums/cones while maintaining one lane of traffic in each direction.

All businesses located within the project area will remain open.

Sidewalk detours and temporary crosswalks will be used to maintain pedestrian access throughout the project area.

Several bus stops will be temporarily relocated during construction. Notices will be posted in advance on bus stop flags, and will say where temporary bus stops will be located.

Foundation Names Trustees

Jeanne Broyhill and Avril Ussery Sisk have been elected president and vice president, respectively, of the Arlington Community Foundation’s Board of Trustees for FY 2018. David Briggs and Mary Margaret Whipple will continue to serve as treasurer and secretary, respectively, for FY 2018. The Foundation’s Board of Trustees also includes: John Andelin, Susan T. Anderson, Patricia Connally, L. Karen Darner, Vicki Foster, Greg Hamilton, Kevin Jones, Joe McMahon, Jr., Stephen Messinger, Margaret Richardson, Dr. Matthew D. Shank, Nancy Snell, Joe Wholey, and Michelle Zook.

Fiscal Year 2017 was a record-breaking year for the Foundation in terms of funds raised and grants distributed. The Foundation supports the Arlington community with initiatives such as: new Community Impact Grants; a record number of scholarships awarded to high school students to graduate from college; and the Nonprofit Resource Center and its recent Bridges Out of Poverty training to nonprofit and county staff.

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883 KENTUCKY ST N .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$849,883	..... Detached .....	0.18	.....	22205	BROCKWOOD
2405 INGE ST .....	4	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$845,000	..... Detached .....	0.12	.....	22202	AURORA HILLS
5732 8TH RD N .....	4	3	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$844,000	..... Detached .....	0.17	.....	22205	BON AIR
3716 5TH ST S .....	4	3	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$839,900	..... Detached .....	0.15	.....	22204	ALCOVA HEIGHTS
4531 40TH ST N .....	4	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$835,000	..... Detached .....	0.24	.....	22207	GOLF CLUB MANOR
1965 ADAMS ST N .....	3	3	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$830,000	..... Townhouse .....	0.02	.....	22201	POTOMAC RIDGE
320 BRYAN ST N .....	4	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$825,000	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22201	LYON PARK
4027 25TH RD N .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$825,000	..... Detached .....	0.21	.....	22207	LEE HIEHGTS
1621 WAKEFIELD ST N .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$820,000	..... Detached .....	0.22	.....	22207	WAVERLY HILLS
6656 26TH ST N .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$819,000	..... Detached .....	0.18	.....	22213	TUCKAHOE GARDENS
4714 WASHINGTON BLVD .....	3	1	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$815,000	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22205	WAYCROFT
16th ST N #354 .....	2	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$809,000	..... Garden 1-4 Floors .....	.....	.....	22209	GASLIGHT
1627 GREENBRIER ST .....	4	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$800,000	..... Detached .....	0.16	.....	22205	TARA
3511 13TH ST S .....	3	2	2	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$791,900	..... Townhouse .....	0.07	.....	22204	MAJESTIC OAK
3600 GLEBE RD S #1119W .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$790,000	..... Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....	.....	.....	22202	THE ECLIPSE ON CTR PARK CONDO
1227 CLEVELAND ST N .....	2	1	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$771,000	..... Detached .....	0.13	.....	22201	LYON PARK
2001 UPTON ST .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$769,000	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22207	WAVERLY HILLS
1945 WOODLEY ST N .....	3	2	2	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$765,000	..... Townhouse .....	0.04	.....	22207	RICHARD R BASSETT
4705 7TH ST S .....	5	3	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$760,000	..... Detached .....	0.31	.....	22204	BARCROFT
5653 19TH N ST .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$760,000	..... Detached .....	0.11	.....	22205	ARLINGTON
2414 GEORGE MASON DR N .....	4	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$757,277	..... Detached .....	0.22	.....	22207	GARDEN CITY
3426 GEORGE MASON DR N .....	3	3	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$751,000	..... Detached .....	0.23	.....	22207	STRAITFORD HILLS
613 TAYLOR ST S .....	4	3	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$750,000	..... Detached .....	0.21	.....	22204	NORTH BARCROFT
2020 KENTUCKY ST N .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$750,000	..... Detached .....	0.16	.....	22205	LEEWAY HEIGHTS
879 JEFFERSON ST .....	4	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$750,000	..... Detached .....	0.31	.....	22205	SUMMIT & VEITCH
4024 17TH ST N .....	7	5	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$735,000	..... Detached .....	0.11	.....	22207	CHERRYDALE
3015 GRANT ST S .....	3	1	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$725,000	..... Detached .....	0.22	.....	22202	AURORA HILLS
3521 8TH ST S .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$725,000	..... Detached .....	0.18	.....	22204	ALCOVA HEIGHTS
2016 LEXINGTON ST N .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$725,000	..... Detached .....	0.11	.....	22205	PARKHURST
1615 GLEBE RD .....	4	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$725,000	..... Detached .....	0.12	.....	22207	WILLET HEIGHTS
3726 18TH ST N .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$725,000	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22207	CHERRYDALE
4649 5TH ST S .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$721,000	..... Detached .....	0.18	.....	22204	BARCROFT
2146 N POLLARD ST .....	3	1	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$721,000	..... Detached .....	0.15	.....	22207	CHERRYDALE
3800 FAIRFAX DR #1606 .....	2	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$715,000	..... Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....	.....	.....	22203	TOWER VILLAS
2313 9TH ST S .....	4	3	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$715,000	..... Townhouse .....	0.04	.....	22204	ADAMS COURT
5607 9TH RD N .....	3	2	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$715,000	..... Detached .....	0.18	.....	22205	ARLINGTON
3454 25TH CT S .....	3	2	2	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$714,000	..... Townhouse .....	0.03	.....	22206	BOWMANS HILL
2239 COLUMBUS ST N .....	4	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$711,000	..... Detached .....	0.12	.....	22207	LEE HEIGHTS
615 IVY ST .....	4	3	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$706,000	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22204	ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
2108 LOWELL ST S .....	4	4	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$705,000	..... Detached .....	0.11	.....	22204	NAUCK
1811 14TH ST N #C301 .....	2	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$704,500	..... Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....	.....	.....	22209	RHODES HILL SQUARE
1928 LANGLEY ST S .....	5	3	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$700,000	..... Detached .....	0.07	.....	22204	NONE
5417 4TH ST S .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$699,900	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22204	GLEN CARLIN
316 FENWICK ST S .....	3	1	1	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$699,000	..... Detached .....	0.16	.....	22204	ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
2115 MILITARY RD .....	5	3	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$695,000	..... Detached .....	0.15	.....	22207	CHERRYDALE
2058 VERNON ST N .....	3	2	0	.....	ARLINGTON	.....	\$692,500	..... Detached .....	0.14	.....	22207	WAVERLY HILLS

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Address .....	BR	FB	HB	....	Postal City ...	Sold Price ....	Type .....	Lot AC	PostalCode .....	Subdivision
5635 25TH RD N .....	4	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$691,123	Detached .....	0.13	22207	ALLENCREST
5901 5TH RD N .....	3	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$688,000	Detached .....	0.16	22203	BOULEVARD MANOR
1201 N. GARFIELD ST #319 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$680,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	STATION SQUARE
3625 10TH ST N #608 .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$675,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	MONROE
5240 5TH ST N .....	2	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$661,000	Detached .....	0.16	22203	BON AIR
3800 LEE HWY #306 .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$659,900	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22207	CHERRYDALE
820 POLLARD ST N #908 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$650,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	HAWTHORN
5644 19TH ST N .....	4	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$650,000	Detached .....	0.11	22205	LEEWAY HEIGHTS
2611 ROCKINGHAM ST .....	2	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$650,000	Detached .....	0.15	22207	BERKSHIRE GARDENS
2627 KENMORE CT .....	2	3	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$649,000	Townhouse .....	0.03	22206	SHIRLINGTON CREST
806 GEORGE MASON DR S .....	4	2	2	0	ARLINGTON	\$640,000	Detached .....	0.18	22204	ARLINGTON
1530 KEY BLVD #526 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$635,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22209	THE ATRIUM CONDOMINIUM
1205 GARFIELD ST N #807 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$629,500	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	STATION SQUARE
820 POLLARD ST #303 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$625,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	HAWTHORN
1020 HIGHLAND ST #522 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$622,500	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22201	CLARENDON
1135 UTAH ST N #1135 .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$620,500	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22201	BALLSTON COURT CONDO
1600 OAK ST N #1722 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$619,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22209	THE BELVEDERE
3504 22ND ST S .....	4	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$615,000	Detached .....	0.10	22204	NAUCK
1313 BUCHANAN ST .....	5	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$615,000	Detached .....	0.14	22204	BARCROFT FOREST
1201 NASH ST #205 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$612,500	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22209	ROSSLYN
4335 36TH ST S .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$609,500	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
1151 EDISON ST S .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$605,000	Detached .....	0.13	22204	COLUMBIA FOREST
2400 CLARENDON BLVD #814 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$600,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	THE CHARLESTON
4105 32ND RD S .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$600,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON GREENS
1205 GARFIELD ST N #706 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$599,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	STATION SQUARE
3145 STAFFORD ST S .....	3	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$599,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
4420 FOUR MILE RUN DR S .....	3	3	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$593,000	Townhouse .....	0.03	22204	BARCROFT TOWNS
1276 WAYNE ST #501 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$588,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	THE WILLIAMSBURG
1201 GARFIELD ST #106 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$585,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	STATION SQUARE
5924 1ST ST N .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$575,000	Detached .....	0.14	22203	BOULEVARD MANOR
1314 RANDOLPH ST S .....	3	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$567,500	Detached .....	0.24	22204	ARLINGTON
901 MONROE ST #1408 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$565,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	VIRGINIA SQUARE
1300 CRYSTAL DR #404S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$563,500	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22202	CRYSTAL GATEWAY
820 POLLARD ST #503 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$562,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	HAWTHORN
141 ABERDEEN ST S .....	3	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$560,000	Detached .....	0.36	22204	ARLINGTON FOREST
617 S GLEBE RD .....	3	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$555,000	Detached .....	0.25	22204	SARAH E BAILEY ESTATE
1321 ADAMS CT #206 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$545,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22201	COURTHOUSE HILL
901 MONROE ST N #1203 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$545,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	VA SQUARE CONDO
306 WAYNE ST S #F .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$540,000	Townhouse .....		22204	PENROSE
2625 VEITCH ST .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$540,000	Townhouse .....	0.53	22206	LONG BRANCH PARK
2512E ARLINGTON MILL DR #5 .....	3	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$540,000	Townhouse .....		22206	WINDGATE II
27 EDISON ST S .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$525,000	Detached .....	0.14	22204	ARLINGTON FOREST
4536 34TH ST S .....	2	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$525,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON ARBOR
3503 19TH ST S .....	1	3	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$516,000	Detached .....	0.10	22204	NAUCK
3414 WAKEFIELD ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$514,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
2943 COLUMBUS ST S #2835 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$512,500	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
2231 CULPEPER ST .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$512,000	Detached .....	0.11	22207	COTTAGE PARK
4911 31ST ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$510,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
2400 CLARENDON BLVD #306 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$500,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	CHARLESTON CONDO
4782 21ST RD N .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$500,000	Townhouse .....	0.03	22207	GLEBEWOOD VILLAGE
3185 STAFFORD ST .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$499,900	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGE
1101 ARLINGTON RIDGE RD #307 .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$490,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22202	THE REPRESENTATIVE
3036 ABINGDON ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$490,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
851 GLEBE RD N #1301 .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$487,108	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	THE CONTINENTAL
1515 ARLINGTON RIDGE RD #603 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$485,000	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22202	PENTAGON RIDGE
3373 WAKEFIELD ST S #A .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$479,900	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON COMMONS
4720 30TH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$475,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
4711 31ST ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$475,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGE
3356 WAKEFIELD ST #A .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$474,900	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON COMMONS
1021 GARFIELD ST #202 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$473,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	CLARENDON 1021
1301 N COURTHOUSE RD #1407 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$470,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	WOODBURY HEIGHTS
4669 36TH ST S #A .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$469,900	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
3509 STAFFORD ST S #B .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$469,900	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
3250 UTAH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$462,500	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
3434 SOUTH WAKEFIELD ST .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$460,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON MEWS
1633 10TH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$457,500	Townhouse .....	0.02	22204	CARRINGTON VILLAGE
6932 FAIRFAX DR #400 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$455,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22213	FALLS STATION
3605 25TH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$451,000	Duplex .....	0.06	22206	FORT BERNARD HEIGHTS
3033 COLUMBUS ST S #A1 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$451,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
2842 S BUCHANAN ST .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$451,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
1320 WAYNE ST N #208 .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$450,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22201	COURTHOUSE HILL
888 QUINCY ST #405 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$450,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	BALLSTON
2877 ABINGDON ST .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$446,500	Attach/Row Hse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
1021 GARFIELD ST #139 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$445,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	CLARENDON 1021
900 STAFFORD ST #1518 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$445,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	ALTA VISTA
820 POLLARD ST #405 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$445,000	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22203	HAWTHORN
4817 29TH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$443,550	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON VILLAGES
4858 10TH ST S .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$443,500	Townhouse .....	0.02	22204	COLUMBUS SQUARE
2909 18TH ST S .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$440,000	Detached .....	0.13	22204	NAUCK
130 BEDFORD ST N #B .....	2	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$439,000	Townhouse .....		22201	BEDFORD PARK
5051 9TH ST S .....	2	2	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$436,000	Townhouse .....	0.02	22204	ARLINGTON RUN
1110 BARTON ST #303 .....	3	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$430,000	Townhouse .....		22204	ARLINGTON VILLAGE
517 VEITCH ST S .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$430,000	Duplex .....	0.06	22204	PENROSE
3491 UTAH ST S .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$430,000	Townhouse .....		22206	FAIRLINGTON
2100 LEE HWY #219 .....	2	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$422,500	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22201	THE ASTORIA
851 GLEBE RD #714 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$417,500	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	CONTINENTAL
1800 WILSON BLVD #201 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$417,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22201	TILTON BERNSTEIN
1050 STUART ST N #122 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$415,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	BALLSTON PARK
1515 ARLINGTON RIDGE RD #605 .....	2	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$415,000	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22202	PENTAGON RIDGE
2310 14TH ST N #304 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$407,500	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22201	COURTHOUSE HILL
2400 CLARENDON BLVD #902 .....	1	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$405,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	THE CHARLESTON
3721 KEMPER RD S .....	3	1	1	0	ARLINGTON	\$405,000	Townhouse .....	0.06	22206	NAUCK/SHIRLINGTON
4089 FOUR MILE RUN DR S #401 .....	2	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$404,000	Garden 1-4 Floors .....		22204	WEST VILLAGE OF SHIRLINGTON
2220 FAIRFAX DR #PH02 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$400,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22201	PARK AT COURTHOUSE
880 POLLARD ST #402 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$400,000	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors .....		22203	BALLSTON 880
2503 WALTER REED DR S #C .....	3	2	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$400,000	Townhouse .....		22206	THE ARLINGTON
2200 WESTMORELAND ST #531 .....	1	1	0	0	ARLINGTON	\$398,000	Mid-Rise 5-8 Floors .....		22213	WESTLEE
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# LETTERS

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trayal of that noble legacy and our core American values.

Donald Trump is the leader of your party. Your refusal to speak out against him is a colossal failure of leadership, a moral abdication, and deeply troubling to Virginia's Jewish community. We urge you to break your silence and immediately denounce Donald Trump's hateful and inadequate response to the Charlottesville attack.

We are living through a moral reckoning, a time when all citizens of our great commonwealth and nation are called to defend the most fundamental values of our democracy. We ask you to immediately stand up, loudly and clearly, against those who would condone violence and hatred.

As Americans, Jews, and Virginians, we urge you to join us and immediately condemn the President's dog-whistle defense of Nazism.

Senate Democratic Leader **Dick Saslaw**, Sen. **Adam Ebbin**, Del. **Eileen Filler-Corn**, Del. **Marcus Simon**, and Del. **Mark Levine**

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Rehabilitation Project for Marine Memorial

A multi-million dollar project to rehabilitate the U.S. Marine Corps War Memorial, commonly referred to as the Iwo Jima Memorial, and improve surrounding parkland began Aug. 15, temporarily limiting some public access through February 2018.

The project, announced in April 2015, was made possible through a \$5.37 million donation from businessman and philanthropist David M. Rubenstein to commemorate the bravery of U.S. Marines who gave their lives to defend freedom and to honor the continued patriotism and sacrifice of America's military families.

The memorial will be surrounded by scaffolding during much of the project and the loop road and parking spaces will be closed. Pedestrians will still have access to the memorial plaza from Meade Street. Visitors are encouraged to use public transportation. The memorial is within a 15-minute walk of both the Rosslyn and Arlington National Cemetery Metro stations. There will be a small tour bus pick-up and drop-off area along Meade Street.

The National Park Service will re-gild the engravings on the sculpture's pedestal, clean and wax the sculpture and granite base, and improve lighting, landscaping, and infrastructure. This gift will also provide the funding needed to enrich educational materials and park signs.

The road will be rebuilt in its current configuration, but with materials to better support the heavy weight of the tour buses that use the road daily.

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## Nothing To Do With Cancer, Almost



By KENNETH B. LOURIE

How lucky am I? In the last two days, I have been the extremely lucky, though presumably random, recipient, of not one but two unsolicited phone calls offering me FREE accommodations at any number of Marriott and Hilton hotels, fairly reputable brands, I'd say. All I have to do is transport my wife, Dina, and myself to the agreed-upon hotel during the designated window of opportunity and voila, a semi-unencumbered vacation for two awaits. And believe me, the offer couldn't have come at a better time. Let's be honest, what more than a cure does a "terminal" cancer patient need than a reasonably priced, stress-free get away from his every day? Need I even characterize that previous question as rhetorical?

Now since I hung up rather quickly, I don't have all the details, other than their phone numbers of course. Because, as you might imagine, I still have a few questions I'd like answered — you know, to optimize the benefits/coordinate the timing of our vacation. But the 'unsolicited' nature of the call didn't enable me to organize my thoughts and ask all the appropriate questions. Nevertheless, the opportunity seems worthy of a follow-up phone call.

Ideally, what I'd like to do is bracket my vacation/air fare and the miscellaneous travel expenses I'm undoubtedly going to incur around the respective properties' availability. Meaning, I'd like to fly once and stay twice; staying in their respective properties in the same city/location switching out of Marriott after my first free weekend stay and then booking into the Hilton for my next free weekend stay (and I'd be willing to pay for my mid-week excursion during the transition). In effect, making the trip a two-for-one as opposed to a not-going-at-all. And in so arranging, using as much of corporate America's largess and marketing budget as is cleverly possible for a non-corporate America employee to exploit. Not having pursued this possible presumption quite yet because I've just had chemotherapy on Friday and I'm not really in the mood to tangle with a fast-talking, smooth operator, who though he/she may have my best travel plans at heart, may not exactly be feeling my strain. So I'm going to wait a few days until I regain my bearings — and patience, and tolerance and call them back unsolicited at a time convenient for me but possibly not so for them and see if we can make a deal.

Because, to tell you the truth, if I could coordinate two hotel reservations — along with all the amenities with which I'm likely to be showered for accepting these extraordinarily generous offers, combined with some free air miles I've accumulated with United Airlines/their travel partners, this indeed could be the trip that my oncologist encouraged us to take when he first delivered the life-changing/life-ending prognosis: "13 months to two years" back in late February 2009. Further adding that, before starting chemotherapy, was as good as I would likely feel for a long time. And as I have come to learn, the quality of my life is very important to my oncologist.

At that time however, I didn't feel the need and/or wasn't motivated to follow my oncologist's suggestion; I wanted to get started on my treatment. Now, eight and half years later, perhaps the timing is better, especially given that it presents itself at the beginning of a new Redskins football season. And if I may quote the late, great, former, head coach of the "Over the hill gang," George Allen: "The future is now." So let me sift through the offers this week and see if I can indeed take the "trip we've always dreamed of." I know it's often said that you can't go back. Maybe we can still go forward.

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