



Inter-Service Club Council of the City of Fairfax

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Next Meeting:

Wednesday, 4 January, 2017
12:00 PM
Red Lobster

ISCC Minutes 2 November 2016

Service Source welcomed us at their facility in Oakton at 1200 PM. Seventeen organizations represented by 16 individuals were present. Outgoing President Larson gave the invocation and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Kathie Robertson and Dee Rushforth were guests.

Service Source also provided a delicious lunch from the café staffed by some of their clients.

Thought for the Day

"No duty is more urgent than returning thanks." James Allen

OFFICER REPORTS

Minutes of the October meeting were approved as corrected.

Vice President Jones asked that any updates to the directory be provided as soon as possible. Several organizations indicated updates were necessary.

Treasurer Lauther reported a balance as of 30 September of \$1,081.05. All clubs have paid their dues.

President Larson deferred to Business

OLD BUSINESS

Larry Larson will take over Member Organization Visits, as Pete Conklin assumes the Presidency of the Council. Other members are welcome to join in this outreach effort.

NEW BUSINESS

Instillation of Officers: Outgoing President Larson installed Pete Conklin as President. President Conklin then installed Art Jones as Vice President, Cathy Kelleher as Secretary, and Connie Lauther as Treasurer.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:47 PM.

Last Minute Thought

"To be inspired is great, to inspire is incredible." Author unknown

Maureen Andretti of Service Source then gave us a tour of their facility. They provide many services to individuals with disabilities of all types. In addition, they have a career center which is open to anyone, with or without disabilities.

City of Fairfax



**The new Leisure Times will be out soon!
Check out the new classes we have to offer.**

Festival of Lights and Carols

December 3, 2016

Old Town Hall and Old Town Square

The Festival of Lights and Carols was held on Saturday, December 3 from 12noon to 7pm. Lunch with Santa had two seating's that were held at Old Town Hall. Activities like s'mores, hot cider, photo balloon frame, petting zoo, a giant obstacle course and great entertainment took place in Old Town Square. The Jubil-aires performed holiday carols leading up to the lighting of the City's Christmas Tree. The Parks Crew have been busy hanging wreaths on the downtown lamp poles along Main Street, Chain Bridge Road,

North Street and University Drive. A big thank you to our sponsors of this event: Weber Tires for donating the cups for the cider, Fairfax Kiwanis Club for sponsoring the cider and Fair City Mall for elite sponsorship.

Volunteers Needed for Special Events

The City of Fairfax is looking for volunteers that would be interested in working a variety of special events in the city to include the 4th of July Parade, Fall Festival, Holiday Craft Show and Festival of Lights and Carols. A small time commitment (2 or more hours) is requested to help with administration duties prior to an event and working the actual event (activity leader, balloon handler, etc.) There are many fun jobs to be had. Please contact Mitzi Taylor at 703-385-1710 or mitzi.taylor@fairfaxva.gov for more information.

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Chocolate Lovers Festival Committee (CLFC). **Chocolate Lovers Festival Committee (CLFC)** is busy putting final touches on the program for the 25th Chocolate Lovers Festival to be held on February 3 & 4, 2017. The 2017 grant recipient will be selected at our December 7 meeting and we anxiously awaiting copies of the January/February issue of *Cooking with Paula Deen* where there will be an article on the Festival. For more information about the Festival or if you or your organization would like to get involved, visit our website at www.chocolatefestival.net. Have a wonderful holiday and a fabulous new year!

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Independence Day Celebration Committee (IDCC). **Independence Day Celebration Committee (IDCC)** is in full swing with 2017 July 4th preparations. The logo – VOLUNTEERS LIGHT UP FAIRFAX – was chosen as the then for 2017. Letters have been sent to local graphic designers for the logo. If you, or you know of someone would like to

submit a logo, please email Mitzi.taylor@fairfaxva.gov for rules/regulations. The evening show entertainment was selected at our November meeting and, since we decided to take off for the holidays, the logo will be selected at our January 19 meeting. A reminder that the valentines that are redeemable at the Taste of Chocolate can be purchased from the City of Fairfax Museum & Visitor's Center of the Parks & Recreation Office. The picture for 2017 depicts the "original" Woody's Ice Cream and the cost of this collector's item is only \$5 – they make perfect holiday gifts. Parade applications will be going out in January 2017 and we're hoping all of the ISCC organizations will participate in the 2017 parade. Happy Holidays to all!

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**Civitan Club of
Fairfax**

The speaker at our 1 December dinner/program meeting is Joseph Lintott with the Down Syndrome of Northern Virginia. Dealing with the handicapped, and especially the mentally handicapped, is a special emphasis for Civitans around the world.

This holiday season will see a big party for our Club on 18 December, and other parties that our Club hosts, especially at several of the small group homes that we befriend. Santa and Mrs. Santa also visit these homes and are available for appearances with other worthy groups.

By New Years we also will have completed our holiday fund-raising activities—selling White House Christmas ornaments, fruitcake, and flavored popcorn.

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Downtown Fairfax Coalition

Happy Holidays to all and please shop downtown.

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FAIRFAX FERNS GARDEN CLUB

Kitty Pozer Memorial Garden

Over the last month we continued to add plants and bulbs, as well as mulch. Other gardens were also but to bed for the fall.

Other Activities

Members decorated Fairfax Old Town Hall Monday night Nov 28 and added new electric candles this year. *Reminder: We take down the decorations on TUES night Jan 3rd. (Monday is a City holiday that week.)*

Next meeting:

Activities: Soup and Salad Dinner

Hostess: Kathy Hoffman

6:30 – 7 pm Hors d'oeuvres

7:30 pm Supper

Location: Home of Kathy Hoffman, 9192 Lake Braddock Dr., Burke, VA

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Fairfax VA Harley Owners Group

As the winter season approaches Fairfax Harley Owners Group shifts into the holiday spirit along with getting bikes and riding plans ready for next year. New destinations are eagerly anticipated and perhaps some new Harley accessories under the tree.

We continued our tradition of sharing a Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings to 132 of our fellow citizens, who happen to be

homeless, at The Lamb Center on November 23rd. Several Chapter volunteers stepped up to help prepare a tremendous and healthy feast to share. They helped with the serving and the warmth of good food and fellowship was abundant on a very nice sunny day. We are thankful indeed for this association.

We were busy on December 5th participating in Adopt-a-Spot with Patriot H-D to keep our community looking spic and span.

Over 100 Christmas Stockings are in the process of being filled to support the Salvation Army's Christmas Program. We are not sure who has the most fun, those that fill them or the families who empty them during the holidays. The Christmas stockings are now starting to return filled with gifts that will bring joy to parents and children who will likely not receive much else. Cash donations will also help fill the gift lists. Certainly the holiday spirit is in the air and we are grateful for this opportunity to share.

On December 17th we will be busy at Santa's Workshop at the Salvation Army to put bikes and other toys together and assemble gift boxes for less fortunate families. This is a great time to work for a great cause. On December 20 thru 22, we will be on hand to help deliver the Christmas packages to the families qualified by the Salvation Army. More great times.

We are aware of the blessings of being involved in our community during the past year. We are looking forward to new riding activities in 2017. Safety training and, community support activities will be similar to 2016 and a solid component of our 2017 Program.

Our Chapter membership includes 650 members who are a diverse and energetic group. The Chapter publishes a monthly newsletter and maintains its own web page at www.fairfaxhog.com.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays.

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**Fairfax City
Regional Library**

**10360 North Street
Fairfax, VA 22030**
703-293-6227 | TTY: 711
Sun.: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Mon. - Thurs.: 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Fri.: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sat.: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Genealogy Help Desk Bring your family history stumpers to an expert. Make an appointment at the Virginia Room desk or call 703293-6227, option 6. Adults.

One-on-one English Conversation Practice speaking English with a volunteer tutor. Call to make an appointment. Adults.*

Personalized Internet/Microsoft Office Tutoring Learn how to use the Web or increase your skills. Call for appointment. Age 13 & up.

Tales to Tails Read aloud to a friendly, trained therapy dog. Call for dates and times or register online. Age 6-12.

Thursday, Dec. 1, 10:30 Preschool Storytime Build your child's early literacy skills while enjoying stories, songs and activities. Age 3-5 with adult.

Mondays, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 11:00 Tuesdays in December, 2:00 Thursdays in December, 7:00 Library Tech Help Get your library-related electronic resources questions answered. Includes help with eBooks and compatible devices. Adults.*

Saturdays, Dec. 3, 10, 17, 2:00 GIVE GIVE-Growth and Inspiration through Volunteering

and Education. Volunteers from Thomas Jefferson H.S. and Robinson H.S. offer tutoring in math, reading, writing, science, social studies and ESL. School age.*

Tuesdays in December, 10:30 Tuesday Morning English Conversation Group Practice speaking English with others and improve your skills. Adults.*

Tuesdays in December, 7:00 Tuesday Evening English Conversation Group Practice speaking English with others and improve your skills. Adults.*

Thursday, Dec. 8, 10:30 Toddler Time Join us for stories, songs and activities that help cultivate early literacy skills. Age 2-3 with adult.

Thursday, Dec. 8, 7:00 Family Movie Night: The Muppet Christmas Carol Jump into the Christmas season with Kermit the Frog and all his pals in this live-action adaptation of Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol. Snacks provided. All ages.*

Saturday, Dec. 10, 10:30 Family Storytime Enjoy stories, songs and activities chosen for families. Age 2-6 with adult.

Monday, Dec. 12, 7:00 Intergenerational Origami Join us for age appropriate origami crafts. Options will run from basic paper folding to creating origami gift boxes. Supplies provided. Age 8-adult.

Tuesday, Dec. 13, 4:30 Readers' Theater Read with friends! Participants will rehearse and perform a dramatic reading together. Age 8-12.

Wednesday, Dec. 14, 10:30 Drop-In Storytime Come enjoy stories and songs, building your child's early literacy skills. Age 2-5 with adult.*

Thursday, Dec. 15, 10:30 Mother Goose Storytime Enjoy stories, songs and

fingerplays that lay a foundation of early literacy skills for your baby. Birth-23 months with adult.

Saturday, Dec. 17, 10:30 Family Math Games Join us for games that build math and logic skills for all levels. Includes tips for parents to use at home. All ages.

Monday, Dec. 19, 10:15, 11:15 Music and Movin' with Miss Susan Join Miss Susan for singing and moving to music with your little ones. Cosponsored by Friends of the City of Fairfax Regional Library. Age 6 months-5 years with adult.

Monday, Dec. 19, 6:30 Tween Book Club Come enjoy discussing books with friends! This month's selection is Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library, by Chris Grabenstein. Age 10-12.

Monday, Dec. 19, 7:00 Coloring for Adults Join us for a relaxing evening of coloring. Supplies provided. Adults.

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 2:30-4:30 Computer Deconstruction Come disassemble old computers and other electronics to learn about their component parts. Donations of old electronics are welcome. Age 12-18.

Thursday, Dec. 22, 10:30 PJ Library Book Buddies Enjoy storybooks about Jewish holidays and values and make crafts to take home. Cosponsored by PJ Library and Growing Jewish Families of the JCC of Northern Virginia. Age 6 months-5 years with adult.

Thursday, Dec. 22, 2:30 Breakout! Can you unlock the box in time? Solve a series of clues as a group to unlock the box and breakout. Age 8-11.

Tuesday, Dec. 27, 2:30 Brain Games at the Library Have fun and win prizes with our board games and card games that challenge your thinking and build your skills. Age 8-12.

Wednesday, Dec. 28, 4:30 Bilingual Storytime in English and Spanish Build your child's early literacy skills while enjoying stories, songs and activities. Age 3-5 with adult.

Thursday, Dec. 29, 2:00, 3:00 Kaydee Puppets Kaydee Puppets present "The Hurry Monster," a holiday puppet show. Cosponsored by Friends of the City of Fairfax Regional Library. All ages.

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**Friends of
Fairfax Station**

Saturday, December 3

27th Annual Holiday Train Show (10:00 a.m. ~ 5:00 p.m.)

Sunday, December 4

27th Annual Holiday Train Show (12:00 ~ 4:00 p.m.)

The Holiday Train Show is the museum's biggest event of the year.

Sunday, December 11

Holiday Crafts (1:00 ~ 4:00 p.m.)

Sunday, December 18

Museum Open (1:00 ~ 4:00 p.m.)

Sunday, December 25

Closed for Christmas

Sunday, January 1

Museum Closed

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The December meeting of the **HFCI Board will be the Annual Christmas Party which will be held at the home of Mary Petersen on December 14th**. Officers for the year 2017 will also be elected.

HFCI has one opening for a Board member. If you are interested in the preservation of history please call Hildie Carney at 703 591 5305 and join us at the party.

If you are a member of a club or organization and would like to know about what HFCI represents, ask for a 20 minute presentation. Call Al Leightley at 703 273 2089.

WHITE HOUSE 2016 ornaments are available at the Fairfax Museum for \$20. They are going fast so get yours while they are still available!

Our annual membership drive is now on. Please pick up a brochure and send in your application. One of the perks is receiving the wonderful quartley newsletter which features a local historical story each issue.

Are you interested in being a volunteer or docent for historic sites? Call 703 385 8415 and find out more about it.

Would you like to be remembered forever as a citizen of Fairfax? Buy a brick with your name on it for \$100. The bricks are placed in front of the Fairfax Museum.

Programs at the Fairfax Museum and Blenheim:

MUSEUM: Programs are at 2PM every other Sunday

Fairfax Museum and Visitor Center 10209 Main Street, 703 385 8414

December 11: "American Holiday Postcards, 1905-1915: Imagery and Context"
Speaker Daniel Gifford will discuss the uses and meanings of holiday cards in the 20th Century.

January 8: "Educating Freedmen in Fairfax County During Reconstruction"
Historian Debbie Robison will share research on the 15 schools established for African American students. Local historian and author of HFCI newsletter, Page Johnson will speak on the City's first African American school

New Exhibit: Chalkboards to Smartboards: Free Public Schools in Fairfax County and the City of Fairfax. Through July 9, 2017

**BLenheim CIVIL WAR INTERPRETIVE CENTER, 1PM
3610 Old Lee Highway**

January 28: "The CSS Shenandoah and the Last Shot of the Civil War":
Author William Connery will speak on the Confederate Navy's last ship.

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Kiwanis Club of Fairfax

We wrapped gifts for Bethany House and stuffed stockings for Salvation Army

We will buy meals for 2 families for Christmas

We will be doing Wreaths Across America

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**Knights of Columbus
Father Diamond Council 6292**

The Council holds business meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday's of the month at 8 PM in Providence Hall. Web site: WWW.6292.kofc.com.

The council has started it sale of "Keep Christ in Christmas" Christmas Card Sales until 18 December after all Masses at St Leo the Great.

Dec Activities:

- 27 Nov - 21 Dec – Christmas Tree Sales at St Leo the Great School
- 12/10 - Council Christmas Party
- 12/12 - Bingo at Fairfax Nursing Home
- 12/14 – NYC Christmas Gala Trip
- 12/17 - Christmas Basket Delivery (50+ Families)
- 12//18 – Breakfast with Santa
- 12/24 & 12/31 – KOVAR Collections

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Fairfax Lions Club



We Serve
Since 1951

Fairfax Lions Club is pleased to announce its selection by Fairfax City Chocolate Lover's Festival Committee as a recipient

of a 2017 grant from proceeds of the Feb 2017 Festival. Lions will offer free vision screening for the community at the 2017 Festival.

We are also pleased to announce "Lions Clubs International" (our Club's parent organization) has been nominated as a candidate to receive the 2017 Nobel Peace Prize; awards to be announced Oct/Nov 2017.

At our Nov 15 dinner meeting, Fairfax City Police officers - serving as School Resource Officers - spoke about pitfalls of internet and phone technology and the need to protect our children's privacy. It was an excellent presentation by Officer Matthew Lasowitz.



Lions Club President Gene Brown thanks Officer Lasowitz

We advertised in our club newsletter, ServiceSource's Blossum Daily cafe. The excellent cafe web site makes it easy for people to learn about the cafe.

<http://www.blossomdailycafe.com/Home>

Nov 22nd, Fairfax Lions delivered ingredients for a nutritious Thanksgiving dinner to 25 local area families in need of food assistance. Going hungry is an unfortunate reality for many people in Fairfax County. According to statistics from the national hunger awareness organization Feeding America, more than 76,000 residents in the Fairfax County area are "food insecure," meaning they do not know where their next meal will come from.



Ingredients for a nutritious Thanksgiving meal: frozen turkey (10 – 13 lbs.), cans of corn and green beans, can of cranberry sauce, box of Bisquick mix, box of stuffing mix, 5 lbs. potatoes, 1 lb. carrots, bag of oranges, cake mix and frosting.

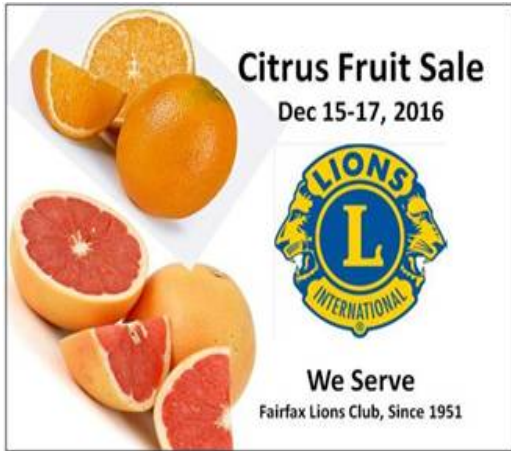
Lions continued improvements to the cabin at Northern Virginia Lions Youth Camp <http://valions.org/lyc/Index.html> Interior painting was done Nov 29- Dec 4. Work remaining includes installing new lights, electric conduit and outlets, and wall heaters. Hopefully, interior renovations will be completed by mid-December.

Eyeglass recycling: Fairfax Lions have collected 3,533 pair of donated eyeglasses since July 1, and delivered them to the Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center. Each month Fairfax Lions process donated eyeglasses for distribution to needy persons.

Our November citrus fruit sale was a big success - the weather was exceptional, resulting in oranges selling out early. We also sold out of pecans and maple syrup. Four cases of grapefruit were donated to the Lamb Center.



Lions deliver great fresh citrus fruit to our wonderful Fairfax customers!



Please consider stopping by our December 15-17 fruit sale. Stock up - the next sale is not until March 2017.

Dec 19 we will deliver Holiday Food Baskets to local needy families.

Happy Holidays!

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Our November meeting was a Club social; at Elks Lodge 8421. We had a Friendsgiving with a Thanksgiving meal and collections for needy families, character Band-Aids for the children's cancer ward, and a backpack collection for children in Peru. We started December with a bell ringing for the Salvation Army and a Club holiday party. We will be doing SafeAssuredID with the Fairfax City Police Department on Saturday, December 17th. Looking ahead to the New Year, we are getting ready for three scholarship contests: one for high school seniors, and essay contest and a communication contest for the deaf and hard of hearing.

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[1.] As of December 1, the **membership stood at 74**, 70 Active and 4 Honorary Members.

[2.] In October and November to raise scholarship funds the Club held its "**Annual Sees Candy Sales Campaign**" raising money thru this sweet-tooth effort!

[3.] In October and November the club conducted its "**annual distribution of dictionaries to third graders**" in six schools that feed students into Lanier Middle School and ultimately in to Fairfax High School.

[4.] December Saturdays of 3, 10, and 17 it's Fairfax Rotary's "**Annual Christmas Kettle Drive**" in front of Giant Food on Jermantown Road and Safeway Foods in the Courthouse Plaza for the Salvation Army's Red Kettle Program.

[5.] December 9 will be the night Santa puts in an appearance for the Club's "**Annual Christmas Party for Children**" with gifts and buffet dinner for about 40 kids and their parents - compliments of club members and their companies.

[6.] See all of the year-round activities and events of **Fairfax Rotary on Facebook** and at <http://www.fairfaxrotary.org/>.

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Salvation Army

Women's Auxiliary

The Salvation Army Auxiliary worked over the Thanksgiving weekend assembling boxes for the Fairfax Corps distribution of holiday assistance to a currently registered 876 families (1883 children). The Auxiliary will meet twice in December to sort stockings.

The Corps is still in need of bell ringers. They have 40 sites for kettles, but can't make use of all the sites without additional ringers. To volunteer please call [703-385-8700 ext 21](tel:703-385-8700). Kettles will remain out until 12/24.

The Corps served over 200 of the needy with a sit down dinner at the Waterford Fair Oaks at Thanksgiving. Servers and turkeys were supplied by the Fairfax Corps and Waterford provided the meal. In addition 146 gift cards for meals were distributed to those not able to attend the Waterford dinner.

A reminder that stockings are due 12/5, Angels are due back 12/7 , and gifts will be distributed 12/ 20 and 12/21.

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Shepherd Center Fairfax Burke (SCFB)

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SCFB is dedicated to helping older adults continue to live independently, and to providing enrichment and social networking opportunities that keep life exciting and rewarding for them. Programs include Accompanied Medical Transportation and Companion Shopping (for older people who are no longer able to drive), Friendly Callers/Visitors (for people who are mostly homebound), Caregivers Support Groups (for those who have loved ones with dementia), low-cost exercise classes (to promote strength, balance and flexibility), and Lunch N' Life, Adventures in Learning, and Wednesday at the Movies which all provide mental stimulation and socialization opportunities.

For SCFB significant future activities and for more information on the below activities see our web site www.scfbva.org:

ACTIVITIES

During October, SCFB provided 147 medical and campaign shopping drives to our clients.

LUNCH N' LIFE

Are You 50 or Better? Please join us for the next *Lunch N' Life* sponsored by the Shepherd's Center of Fairfax-Burke on January 13th at Lord of Life Church, 5114 Twinbrook Rd. Fairfax.

The Program is Osher Lifelong Learning Institute Players from George Mason University. The cost is \$10.00; checks payable to SCFB. Call Bea Stephenson for reservations at 703-273-5730 by January 13th for reservations. If transportation is needed, call the SCFB office (703) 323-4788.

RMS HOLIDAY CONCERT

TICKETS AVAILABLE from Shepherd's Center of Fairfax-Burke to the Annandale Symphony on December 8th at 4 PM. The concert is at the Ernst Cultural Center on the Annandale Campus of NVCC, 8333 Little

River Turnpike Annandale. Tickets are \$10 through the SCFB Office, 4019 Olley Lane Lobby office, Fairfax, VA.

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**Soroptimist
International of Fairfax County**

White House Ornament sales continue.

We will be providing gifts to the ladies at Bethany House again this year.

Our Christmas Party will be December 10.

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Woman's Club of Fairfax

We held our annual bake sale at the Fairfax High School Holiday Craft Fair and earned close to \$1,000 which will go towards our scholarship program. We also donated a part of the funds to Operation Smile.

Our club sponsored a needy family at Thanksgiving by providing them with a Thanksgiving meal. We are also going to "adopt" them at Christmas by bringing them a Christmas dinner and giving presents to the children.

Members of our club have filled stockings for the Salvation Army's program which distributes stockings to children whose parents are in need of assistance.

As the year draws to a close, I hope everybody enjoys the holiday season with their family and friends.



At our November meeting, the club hosted the President of the Prince William County Zonta Club, Kit Nicholas, as well as District 3 Governor, Donna Clark, from the Charles County, MD Club. After hearing about the "Final Salute" program, we agreed to join with the Prince William club to help with a clothing drive fundraiser for homeless female veterans and join with area clubs to collect clothing for a spring fundraiser. The Governor addressed us about upcoming activities including the April Area Workshops and the North American Inter-District Conference that will be held in Fairfax next June.

We also agreed to contact Federal and state legislators about Zonta International's 16 days of activism in conjunction with the United Nations (Zonta Says NO to Domestic Violence).

As part of our holiday activities, the club agreed to gather enough meat, vegetables, stuffing, potatoes, dessert, etc. to fill three family dinner Thanksgiving baskets for Cornerstone in Reston, as well as their delivery.

Last weekend, we held our club holiday party and collected presents for a family (single mom, son, daughter, and baby on the way) from the County Domestic Violence Action Center (DVAC). We will also continue our monthly food and personal item collections for the Zonta food pantry at DVAC.

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