

Blue Ridge – Leesburg Torch Club of Leesburg
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International
Torch Clubs

Torch Club Tuesday, April 19, 2022, at 6 p.m.

Please note we are not meeting at the Club House – carpools will be arranged. Directions will be provided. The majority of our members responded that they would prefer to go to Belmont Country Club this month.

Belmont Country Club
19661 Belmont Manor Lane
Ashburn, VA 20147
703-723-5330

Gated community. When you enter, state you are going to the Belmont Country Club for the Torch Club event.

For reservations, contact **Charlotte Fedders, (301) 351-8672 or CLfedders@gmail.com**. Dinner is \$35 and you must make a reservation to attend. Please make your reservation no later than **April 12**. Pay by cash or check at the door.

Speaker: Wes Henderson
Topic: Lansdowne Wood's Beekeepers Club

The Beekeepers Club was formed by LWVA Policy Resolution Number 28 on 1 April 2020. Wes Henderson will speak about Beekeeping at LWVA. Our happy hives are located south of The Overlook down the hill by the pond. We have a bench on top of the hill for observers. Normally, Italian Honeybees are not aggressive but will sting to defend their hive or if threaten. That is why we wear the protective gear when inspecting the hives. Our bees forage all over LWVA and have been seen over at Riverbend and Potomac Ridge gardens. Surprising of the thousands of bees are in our hives only a small portion have the role of foragers, the majority stay right in the hive, tending to the young and making honey. The number of Bees has multiplied since bringing them home to LWVA. We have added special boxes to start collecting honey. We harvest our LWVA Honey, so watch for notices of Honey for sale. All proceeds go to supporting the Beekeepers Club keeping it self-sufficient. For additional information you can reach out to Wes Henderson - lwvabeekeeper@gmail.com

Dinner Menu

SPRING SALAD: Spinach, Strawberries, Toasted Almonds, Goat Cheese, House Made Balsamic Vinaigrette

ENTREES, choice of:

SPINACH & FETA CHEESE STUFFED CHICKEN

Caramelized Onion & Herb Risotto, Baby Carrots, Marsala Sauce
or

VEGETABLE NAPOLEON Layered Grilled Portobello
Mushrooms, Roasted Red Peppers Wilted Spinach, Crispy
Wontons and Mozzarella Cheese, Basil Pesto

Special dietary requests can be accommodated such as chicken with no stuffing or no rice

Note: we were advised that the Vegetable Napoleon is not as filling as a pasta dish, but we thought it would be more to the liking of our members.

DESSERT:

Triple Chocolate Charlotte

BEVERAGES

-Coffee & Hot Tea Station

-Water Station

Cash Bar \$7.00 for house wine \$5.50 for beer

President: Brenda Brohard (Potomac Ridge)

Vice President: Chris Blake (Potomac Ridge)

Treasurer: Murray Bradley (Blue Ridge)

Secretary: Anne A Thomas (Potomac Ridge)

Reservations: Charlotte Fedders (Potomac Ridge)

Members

Ken Aumack, Shirley Aumack, Raymond Beery, Fred Bishopp, Jr., Chris Blake, Penny Blake, Murray Bradley, Page Bradley, Brenda Brohard, Catherine Curley, Nancy Downey, John Downey, Charlotte Fedders, Joe Gibson, Rosa Gibson, Warren Grossman, Kenton Hamaker, Peggy Hamaker, Judy Kory, Wayne Kaiser, Peggy King, Shirley Laing, Virginia Laughlin, Eva Leavitt, Michael Leavitt, Dan Lyons, Marian McGrosky, Sue Merk, Anne Miller, Jack Miller, Joyce Mitchell, Pat Monahan, Bonnie Olenn, John Porter, Memory Porter, Rose Ann Porter, Ann Robinson, Elizabeth Rubio, Travis Sample, Albert Schlabach, Beth Schlabach, Magdalene Schram, Marilyn Schwing, Catherine Shepard, Hugh Sockett, Ann Sockett, Janet Taliaferro, Anne A Thomas, Anne H Thomas, Bill Thomas, David Thomas, George Viener, Ursula Wagman, Britt Wilford, Dona Wolf, Anita Zatz