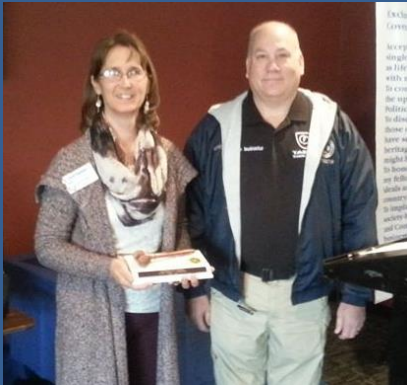




## District Convention Update

The Colonial District Convention was held in January 31 and February 1, the club and its members received a number of accolades for the service provided the club and community. Those awards include the District Quality Club Award, Mike Staley is the recipient of Outstanding District Director, Lynne Creasy the recipient of the Outstanding Club President, Joan Silver the recipient of Outstanding Club Treasurer, and this very newsletter received the Outstanding Club Newsletter Award.

Lynne Creasy (L) is pictured below receiving her Outstanding Club President from Mike Staley (R).



Joan Silver (L) is pictured above receiving her Outstanding Club Treasurer Award from President Lynne Creasy (R).

## Youth of the Month

A local student was the recipient of the club Youth of the Month Award at the February 6 meeting. Victoria Davidjohn a senior at EC Glass has been involved in student government, forensic team, stage productions, ACE, created the "EC Glass" compliments twitter page. Victoria attended the summer program MITES at M.I.T. and has a full scholarship to Princeton.



Youth of the Month, Victoria Davidjohn is pictured to the left. Pictured below is Youth of the Month Committee Member Ben Copeland (L) and Victoria (R).



## Upcoming Events

- **This Meeting, Regular Club Meeting:**  
February 20, 2015 at Noon  
Phase 2 Restaurant  
4009 Murray Pl.
- **Freedom Shrine Installation:**  
February 21, 2015 at 8:00 AM  
Linkhorne Middle School  
See Mike Spencer to assist.
- **February Club Board Meeting:**  
February 24, 2015 at 5:30  
**\*\* LOCATION CHANGE!**  
**Due to a conflict, we will need to meet at the Advantage Real Estate Office, 101 Tradewynd Dr. Change is for February only!**
- **Next Regular Club Meeting:**  
March 6, 2015 at Noon  
Phase 2 Restaurant  
4009 Murray Pl.



Stand Up America Campaign is January through March. See below for more information on this program!



## Meeting Spot

The club board and officers have been discussing and looking into another meeting venue. A location has been identified as a possible spot with lots of promise. To test this location out, we will meet there in March (March 6 and March 20) rather than Phase 2. The location is Choice Hibachi Buffet, 2623 Wards Rd. near the Mall Entrance. They have a webpage - [www.choicehibachibuffet.com](http://www.choicehibachibuffet.com) - so surf by and take a look at the menu, they offer a variety of foods - from classic American favorites to exotic Chinese and Japanese specialties such as sushi and a hibachi grill. The price will be \$10 (including tax and tip) for the self-serve buffet and drink.



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**February Board Meeting – Location Change**

The snow storm on February 16-17 has caused a conflict with our usual meeting spot, for the month of February only the Club Board Meeting will be held at the Advantage Real Estate Office.

**Socks for Homeless Veterans Campaign**

The American Legion Veterans Council is hosting its first annual socks for homeless veterans drive. Most don't realize how important a pair of socks can be for someone who is homeless or underprivileged. The goal of the drive is to provide new socks for homeless veteran men and women in the central Virginia area. The Exchange Club will support this campaign by collecting socks at the two February meetings (6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>). Please bring in new socks (white athletic type is preferred) to the meeting so they can be collected for the Veteran's Council.

**January through March is Stand Up America Campaign!**

The months of January, February, and March are the Exchange Club Stand Up America Campaign. How does it work –



share your experiences as a member of Exchange and invite someone to a meeting. If the person joins the club, their dues are waived for one quarter. A great opportunity to get new members on board!



**Just One More!**

When you joined Exchange you made a commitment to service and sharing the experience of the club with others. To be a success we need everyone involved in the club, if everyone had the attitude "Each One, Reach One" because it takes just one person to make a difference, you could make a significant impact. Who could you impact; it might be an abused child, a senior citizen, a person with disabilities, or a veteran. Who is the most important person in Exchange – you are the most important – the ONE!