

## **Georgetown Village**

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#### **MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU!**

Dear Georgetown Village Members,

Star Wars fan or not, be sure to put May 4<sup>th</sup> on your calendar for our 4<sup>th</sup> annual Georgetown Village spring benefit and plan to help us honor G.V. Vice President, Tom Birch. Tom recently stepped down at the end of his deeply appreciated sixth term on the Georgetown Advisory Neighborhood Commission and has served countless local non-profits in addition to Georgetown Village throughout his career both as legal counsel and volunteer.

Many of you may be unaware that in order to maintain our current dues level we must raise nearly half of our yearly budget through our annual fundraising event. As someone who knows the Village best, whether you receive services or provide them or both, you understand the importance of helping the Village continue to expand and improve its programs and services for all of us. YOU can help by sending the names and addresses of friends and businesses you think might want to support the Village and attend our event. Please let us know if you'll add a personal note of encouragement on the letters seeking sponsorships, which we'll start mailing in the next couple of weeks. Together we can make this our very best and most successful benefit ever!

I hope to see you at one of our upcoming programs organized by our creative and industrious Program Committee, now chaired by Nancy Regan. If you have ideas of places you'd like to visit or activities of interest to our members, please share them with her. It doesn't take a lot of time to participate on one of our committees: Program, Membership, Communications, Special Events or Development, but your ideas and assistance will be valued by your fellow members. Please let Lynn know your interests and talents and the committee chair will give you a call.

Gail Nordheimer, President



#### **Mondays**

**February 6**

**5:30-Happy Hour-Daily Grill**

**February 13**

**10:15 am-Book Discussion-  
Being Mortal by Atul**

**Gawande 3315 Q Street NW**

**4:45 pm-Streaming of Atul  
Gawande Interview GV Office**

**February 20-GV Office Closed**

**February 27**

**10:30 Brain Games- GV Office  
1680 Wisconsin Ave-RSVP**

#### **Tuesdays**

**February 21**

**5:30 Happy Hour-Daily Grill**

**February 28**

**Movie Night & Dinner Out**

#### **Wednesdays**

**February 1 & 15**

**10:30-Portable Electronics  
Support Group-1680 Wisconsin  
Ave. NW**

#### **Thursdays**

**Feb. 2, 9, 16, & 23**

**10:30 am Coffee Talk**

**St. John's 3240 O Street NW**

**February 2 & 16**

**1pm Trader Joe's**

#### **Fridays**

**Safeway Transportation**

**February 3**

**12:00 -Concert & Luncheon at  
the Arts Club of Washington-  
Cost \$20 for 3 course  
luncheon-RSVP-GV office**

#### **Saturday**

**February 11**

**9:00 am NBC Tour-4001  
Nebraska Avenue NW**

## **Concert and Luncheon at the Arts Club of Washington-February 3 at 12:00 pm**

Join with members of Georgetown Village to enjoy the music of the District 5 Woodwind Quintet as they kick off the 2017 season for the Arts Club's Friday Noon Concert Series. There is no charge for the concert and these concerts are free and open to the public.

Following the concert, member Charlotte Streidel has made reservations for us to enjoy a 3 course luncheon for only \$20 at the Arts Club. Please bring cash to reimburse Charlotte for the luncheon. If you would like wine with your lunch there is an additional \$4.00 charge. RSVP to the GV office by Wednesday, February 1, if you would like to join us for this lovely afternoon. The Arts Club of Washington is located in Monroe House at 2017 I Street NW, in Foggy Bottom.

## **GV Tour of NBC Studio with Tom Kierein-Saturday, February 11 at 9:00 am**

Join us for a very special guided tour, offered by NBC's award winning meteorologist Tom Kierein. A member of the American Meteorological Society (AMS), Kierein is an experienced teacher of weather and astronomy. He has conducted numerous seminars in broadcast meteorology and will be giving us a behind the scenes tour of the studio and allow us to watch a live broadcast. Kierein holds the AMS Television Broadcast Seal of Approval and has won EMMY awards for Best Weathercaster and for his storm coverage. The NBC Studio is located at 4001 Nebraska Avenue, NW. Call the office to sign up by Wednesday, February 8.

**This Saturday outing is a perfect opportunity for our working members to enjoy a Georgetown Village activity, we hope you will join us!**

## **Atul Gawande-Monday, February 13, 2017 at 10:15 am & 4:45 PM**

### **Join Us to Celebrate 15 Years of the Village Movement**

To celebrate its 15th anniversary and the Village movement it inspired, Beacon Hill Village in Boston has invited Villages around the country to participate "virtually" in an event featuring Dr. Atul Gawande, MD, MPH, author of the seminal book Being Mortal. The event will be live-streamed to Villages across the United States and Georgetown Village will broadcast the live event on Feb. 13, 2017, at 1680 Wisconsin Avenue NW starting promptly at 5:00 pm. We will be serving pizza and other refreshments to the attendees. **RSVP by February 8-202-999-8988.**

The Book Discussion Group will discuss Being Mortal at 10:15 am February 13 at 3315 Q Street NW, home of Margot Backas.

## **Metropolitan Opera's La Traviata -Saturday, March 11 at 12:55 pm**

**Another great opportunity for working members** to join Georgetown Village for a Saturday screening of La Traviata at Regal Gallery Place, Stadium 14. We can provide you with transportation and Nancy Regan, our program chair, will pick up the tickets and you will reimburse her at the theater. The cost of the tickets are \$27.00. If you want to go with Georgetown Village, you must RSVP by February 10 so that Nancy can order the tickets.