

A free series presenting a wide range of speakers and topics of interest to our community.



Sundays at Two 2025



Melvin Veney
Veney's: The Making of a Northern Neck Small Business Icon
January 12

Veney's Heating and Air, over its first five decades, has established itself as a Northern Neck small-business institution. What -- and who -- is behind it? And how has it overcome substantial challenges and laid the groundwork for a robust future? A hint: It's all in the family.

Brad Perry
NASA & Me: From Apollo to James Webb Space Telescope



January 19

This Sundays at Two Presentation will highlight Brad Perry's Apollo Command Module he and his father built in the basement of their home in Albemarle, North Carolina, and Brad used to simulate the Apollo 16 mission in real time in April 1972.



Terry Burke
Why America Is Losing "The War On Drugs"
February 2

During 30 years with the CIA and DEA, Burke was in this "war" at every level. From undercover assignments in Laos, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India, and Holland, domestic tours in Florida, Colorado, and Arizona, to eventually running the DEA as Deputy and Acting Administrator, he experienced the drug issue not only at the enforcement level, but in dealing as an agency head with the Justice Department, Congress, White House and the media.

Dan Noreen
Myths & Facts About Organ Donation & Transplantation
February 16



United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS) is the mission-driven non-profit serving as the nation's transplant system under contract with the federal government. They lead the network of transplant hospitals, organ procurement organizations, and thousands of volunteers who are dedicated to honoring the gifts of life entrusted to them and to making lifesaving transplants possible for patients in need.



Michael Conlin
AI 101: Demystifying Artificial Intelligence
March 16

AI (Artificial Intelligence) has become a topic of everyday conversation. GenAI (Generative AI), in particular, is decidedly the 'flavor of the month.' But what is the reality behind the hype? And how does AI work? Mr. Conlin will explore the trends and dynamics of AI through a variety of lenses: media, math, money, mechanics, marketing, and the potential for mayhem from The Singularity.

Peter Theroux
In Obscura: Adventures in the World of Intelligence



March 23

A career writer and intelligence officer learns that career success and personal fulfillment come not from recognition and fame, but from hidden life and mission focus in the shadows.