

UPCOMING MONTHLY LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5 | NOON - 1 PM
BROADWAY BALLROOM | 115 30TH AVE E

Join us on February 5th for a fun networking game! Get to know your fellow AAYP members, connect on similar goals/interests, build professional and personal relationships, and learn what organizations are in the local community!



RSVPs are required. RSVP to ypalexandria@gmail.com by noon on **Wednesday, January 28th**.

FIRST TIME GUESTS EAT FREE IN FEBRUARY

At our February luncheon, all first time guests receive lunch on us! Any first time guests will be entered into a drawing to win a free AAYP membership for a year. Plus, any AAYP member who brings a guest has a chance to win \$45 in Chamber Bucks!



BLIZZARD SOCIAL!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14 | 7:10 PM
**PRIMEWEST HEALTH RUNESTONE COMMUNITY
CENTER | 802 3RD AVE. W**

Mark your calendars for Saturday, February 14 for our first social of 2026 to watch the Alexandria Blizzard hockey team take on the Granite City Lumberjacks! Watch your email for more details including how to RSVP.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Abi Janzen

UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS

Ribbon Cutting: Alexandria Area Youth for Christ

Monday, January 12 at 4 pm

Alexandria Area Youth for Christ | 911 Hwy. 29 N, Ste. 15

Wake Up Alexandria!

Friday, January 16 from 7:30-8:30 am

CyberTech Solutions

316 Broadway St., Ste. 9

Nonprofit of the Day: Minnesota Adult & Teen Challenge

Chamber Annual Celebration

Hosted by the **Alexandria Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce**

Monday, February 2 from 5pm-8pm

Arrowwood Resort & Conference Center

2100 Arrowwood Ln.

Register at AlexandriaMN.org by Thursday, January 22.

AAYP T-SHIRTS ARE HERE!

We're excited to announce that Young Professionals T-shirts are now available! Shirts will be sold for \$20 and will be available at our luncheons! Additionally, members who sign up for volunteer opportunities will receive a FREE shirt if they don't already have one. We have sizes S-3XL.



INTRODUCING THE 2026 AAYP LEADERSHIP TEAM!



**ARTHUR PATTENGALE,
PRESIDENT**

POPE DOUGLAS SOLID WASTE
MANAGEMENT



**BRANDON PLOTZ,
PAST PRESIDENT**

EDWARD JONES



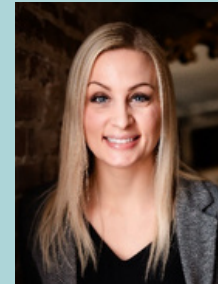
**ABBY ANDERSON, VICE
PRESIDENT**

AFLAC - LEGACY OF THE
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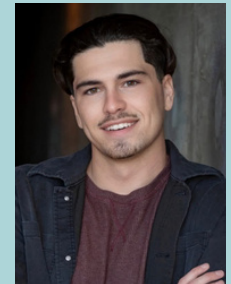
**KELSEY MEEHAN,
TREASURER**

EDGEWOOD HEALTHCARE



**TRINA WILKE,
SECRETARY**

STATE FARM - AMY
CHRISTOPHERSON



**GIDEON MORROW,
MARKETING
COORDINATOR**

ALEXANDRIA MOTORS



**COURTNEY MURPHY,
EVENTS COORDINATOR**

ALEXANDRIA AREA ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION



**LAUREN JOHNSON,
CHAMBER LIAISON**

ALEXANDRIA CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE

MISSION STATEMENT:

To enrich the lives of Alexandria area young professionals in their 20s and 30s through networking, education and community involvement.