

PARTICIPANTS:

The Center is non-denominational and serves all people aged 60 or older that live within the City of Alexandria.

NEW PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION:

A short registration process is used to assess a prospective participant's needs and to meet Administrative requirements. Please call 703-751-2766 to make an appointment.

SENIOR OPPORTUNITIES:

The Center promotes happiness and independence through health and wellness, social, educational, recreational, and cultural opportunities. Referrals are made to other services throughout the community. Nutritious lunches are served daily.

CENTER LOCATION:

The Center is located at **4650 Taney Avenue, Alexandria**, across the street from the Patrick Henry Elementary School and Rec Center. Take Seminary Road to North Jordan then turn right on Taney Avenue.

TRANSPORTATION AND MEALS:

The City of Alexandria provides door-to-door bus transportation and daily lunch. Registered participants can make bus or meal reservations by calling 703-751-2766, one day in advance before 11:00 am.

PARTNERS OF ST. MARTIN DE PORRES SENIOR CENTER:

This senior center is a partnership funded by the City of Alexandria Department of Community and Human Services Division of Aging and Adult Services.

HELPFUL INFORMATION SOURCES:

- **City of Alexandria Division of Aging and Adult Services: 703-746-5999**
- Alexandria DOT Transportation: 703-746-4079
- Alexandria Meals-On-Wheels: 703-836-4414 x.110 Marshall Hespe
- Alexandria Senior Taxi: 703-746-5999 x1
- Arlington County Agency on Aging: 703-228-1700
- Fairfax Area Agency on Aging: 703-324-7948
- Legal Services of Northern Virginia: 703-778-6800 Mon-Thurs 9:30-12:30, 1:30-3:30
- Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance: 703-548-4227, 703-548-4881
- **Catholic Charities Diocese of Arlington Senior Services: 703-751-2766**

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES SENIOR CENTER STAFF:

Juanita Balenger, Senior Center Program Director

Luis Angel, Senior Center Assistant Director

Maria Mellor, Activities and Food Service Assistant, Volunteer Coordinator



ST. MARTIN DE PORRES SENIOR CENTER

ALL SENIORS WELCOME!

Welcome Back!!

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4650 Taney Ave. Alexandria, VA 22304

Phone: 703-751-2766

www.cdda.net/seniorservices/

CENTER OPEN: MONDAY – FRIDAY
8:30 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

FIELD TRIPS

Reminders

Additional Closures:

Monday 1/19 President's Day

-Bus reservations must be made at least one day in advance by 11 am.

-Lunch reservations must be made at least one day in advance by 11am.



Happy Birthday!

February Birthdays!

01 – Elida Arevalo

12 – Asfaw Bisha

14 – Veronica McFarland

15 – John O'Neil

26 – Alejandro Rivera

Our Birthday Party will be on Thursday, February 22

Snow Policy:

If the ALEXANDRIA Schools are delayed 2 hours, the center is CLOSED but staff will be at the center.

If the ALEXANDRIA Schools are closed, the center is CLOSED but staff will be at the center

To check on line, Please go on either wtop.com/closings-and-delays/ (look under **OTHER for the senior center**) or ccda.net/seniorservices/ for any closures.

Wednesday, February 14: Valentine's Day Party at the Lee Center

We will be attending the Senior Services of Alexandria Valentine's Day Party. Please come dressed in red, pink, white, or anything with hearts to be in the festive mood. If you plan on attending, and do not need transportation, you still need to RSVP. Seating on the bus is **FULL**, if you would like to still attend the party, you will need to arrange your own transportation. Last day to sign up is February 7th at 11:30am. Please sign up with Maria **in person while she is in her office to reserve your spot.**



Wednesday, February 28: National Museum of American History

We will be going on a trip to see displays of the heritage of the United States. The main exhibit we will be visiting would be to see the original Star-Spangled Banner. Seating on the bus is limited to 24 seats, open on a first come first serve basis. Bus pick up begins at 8:30am and we will be leaving the center at 9:30. Last day to sign up is February 27th at 11:30am. Please sign up with Maria **in person while she is in her office a to reserve your spot.**