Community Resources

Get Acquainted with Arlington

Ballston BID
www.ballstonbid.com
Information on Ballston Business Improvement District including a business directory, helpful resources and a calendar of events

Clarendon Alliance
www.clarendon.org
Online dining and shopping guide, events and calendar for Clarendon area

Arlington Convention and Visitor Service
www.stayarlington.com
Information on Arlington’s urban villages, listings of hotels, events, arts/culture, restaurants, nightlife, shopping and attractions with downloadable Visitor’s Guide

Arlington County
www.arlingtonva.us
General website including information for residents, businesses, visitors, human services, county government and online services

Arlington Chamber of Commerce
www.arlingtonchamber.org

Ballston-Virginia Square Civic Association
www.ballstoncivic.org
Area community group addressing issues affecting Ballston-Virginia Square neighborhood

Arts in Arlington

Arlington Cultural Affairs/Commission for the Arts
www.arlingtonarts.org
Resources for arts in Arlington including listings for theatre, dance, visual arts, music, literary, film, advocacy, heritage arts, public art, special events, children’s programming. Includes job bank.

Arlington Arts Center
www.arlingtonartscenter.org
Listings for exhibits, workshops, open studios and exhibitions

Artisphere
www.artisphere.com
Arlington urban arts center with galleries, ballroom and theatres

Arlington Citizens for the Arts (Arts Advocacy)
PO Box 5584
Arlington, VA 22205
703-532-3082
Nonprofit advocacy group representing all the arts in Arlington
**Media In Arlington**

**Arlington Patch**  
http://patch.com/virginia/arlington-v
Local online newsletter with news, features, events pertaining to Arlington and nearby areas

**Clarendon-Courthouse-Rosslyn Patch**  
www.clarendonpatch.com  
Local online newsletter with news, features, events pertaining to Clarendon/Courthouse/Rosslyn and nearby areas

**Arlington Now**  
www.arlnow.com  
Online resource for latest news, views, things to do around Arlington

**Volunteering in Arlington**

**Volunteer Arlington**  
http://departments.arlingtonva.us/dhs/  
Promotes civic engagement and active volunteer participation. Opportunities to volunteer in Arlington County in Environmental Services, Fire, Human Services, Libraries, Parks, Recreation and Cultural Resources and Police Departments

**Community Volunteer Network**  
arlingtoncvn.blogspot.com  
Social network of young adults making a difference in Arlington through volunteering, building networks, socializing and developing leaders.

**YMCA**  
http://ymcadc.org/page.cfm?p=37

**Volunteer Resources**  
Check the brochure rack across from the bulletin boards on first floor of Founders Hall (near the bridge) for additional resources. See http://ularlington.gmu.edu/campus-and-community-resources/ for additional information.

**Housing in Arlington**

**Off-Campus Housing**  
och.gmu.edu  
One site for housing listings, roommates, sublets, furniture, carpools

**Apartment Guide to Arlington**  
www.apartmentguide.com/apartments/Virginia/Arlington/

**Housing Postings**  
See “Housing Resources” bulletin board on third floor of Founders Hall (near Room 313) and “Rent” postings on the bulletin boards on first floor of Founders Hall (near the bridge) and second floor of Founders Hall (outside Room 220) for additional listings regarding rentals, roommates and sublets.

**Craig’s List**  
Site for housing listings, roommates, sublets, furniture, carpools, etc.

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