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Welcome to the 35th Annual ARLINGTON COUNTY FAIR!

August 10, 2011

I'm so excited to welcome you to the 35th Annual Arlington County Fair! We've worked all year to make this fair the best ever and hope each and every one of you will leave with memories that will last a lifetime. Whether your favorite part of the fair is the food, rides, vendors, or shows – or all of the above – there are more fun activities than ever for kids of all ages.

This year, we're proud to feature several new attractions: action-packed performances by the Harlem Wizards; interactive learning inside the Civil War HistoryMobile; and thrilling stunts from the Star Family Circus.

We've also brought back some of your favorite activities from the past, including racing piglets, pony rides, and outdoor movie nights.

When you're ready some relief from the heat, be sure to visit our indoor vendors or catch a performance on the indoor stage. The fair features over 150 exhibitors, including crafters, community groups, and local businesses, and over a dozen free shows.

Finally, don't forget to take a trip down the midway and go on some rides! For the best view of the fair grounds, I highly recommend a ride on the ferris wheel after dark.

Everything I'm so proud to share with you now is thanks to the dedication of a number of individuals who share their enthusiasm and dedication with the fair throughout the year. Big thanks go to my fellow Board members:

Amy Doane	Arlene Krohmal	Perry Blatstein	Linda Simmons
Scott Perry	Jackie Abrams	John Kaneshige	Cassandra Winger
Rachel Sparico	Lisa Barrera	Meredith Meade	

The fair has also received great support from Arlington County Government and we are especially thankful for the assistance of Susan Kalish and Laura Corridon. Many thanks also go to our awesome volunteers and to Katie Younger for sharing your time and talents with the fair.

If you'd like to get involved in planning the fair or if you have feedback to help us improve in future years, please email me at arlingtoncofair@gmail.com or find me on the fair grounds.

I hope you have a wonderful time over the next few days – and we look forward to seeing you again!

Tiffany

Tiffany A. Kudravetz, Chairperson
Arlington County Fair Board of Directors

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Hours of Operation

Date	Indoor Hours	Outdoor Hours
WED, August 10	N/A	5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
THUR, August 11	7 p.m. - 10 p.m.	11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
FRI, August 12	10 a.m. - 9 p.m.	10 a.m. - 10 p.m.
SAT, August 13	10 a.m. - 9 p.m.	10 a.m. - 10 p.m.
SUN, August 14	11 a.m. - 5 p.m.	11 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Location

Thomas Jefferson Community Center
3501 Second Street South, Arlington, VA 22204

T-Shirts and Totes!

Remember the Arlington County Fair with a t-shirt or grocery tote.
Adult T-Shirts: \$15; Youth T-Shirts: \$10; Eco-Tote: \$3

Social Media

Follow us on Twitter: @arlingtoncofair or #arlcocofair
 Like us on Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/arlingtoncofair>
 Visit our website: www.arlingtoncountyfair.us

Shuttle

Shuttles will run every 30 minutes each day during the Fair's operating hours from the Ballston Metro, the Arlington Career Center, and the I-66 parking garage. Parking is complimentary at shuttle locations. A \$1 fee for shuttle services each way will be charged and collected upon arrival at and departure from the Fair grounds. Children 12 and under and seniors 65 and over ride for free. Onside ADA parking is available at the Fair site in the parking lot located directly in front of the Thomas Jefferson Community Center.

Photo of the Day Contest

Get your camera out and have fun at the fair! The Arlington County Fair invites you to submit your favorite photographs from this year's fair for our Photo of the Day contest. Each day, we will select one winner who will receive an official 2011 fair t-shirt and four ride tickets. All entrants will also be entered to win a prize pack for the 2012 fair, which includes two t-shirts and 10 ride tickets. You may also have your photograph featured on our website, fair program, or competitive exhibits guide.

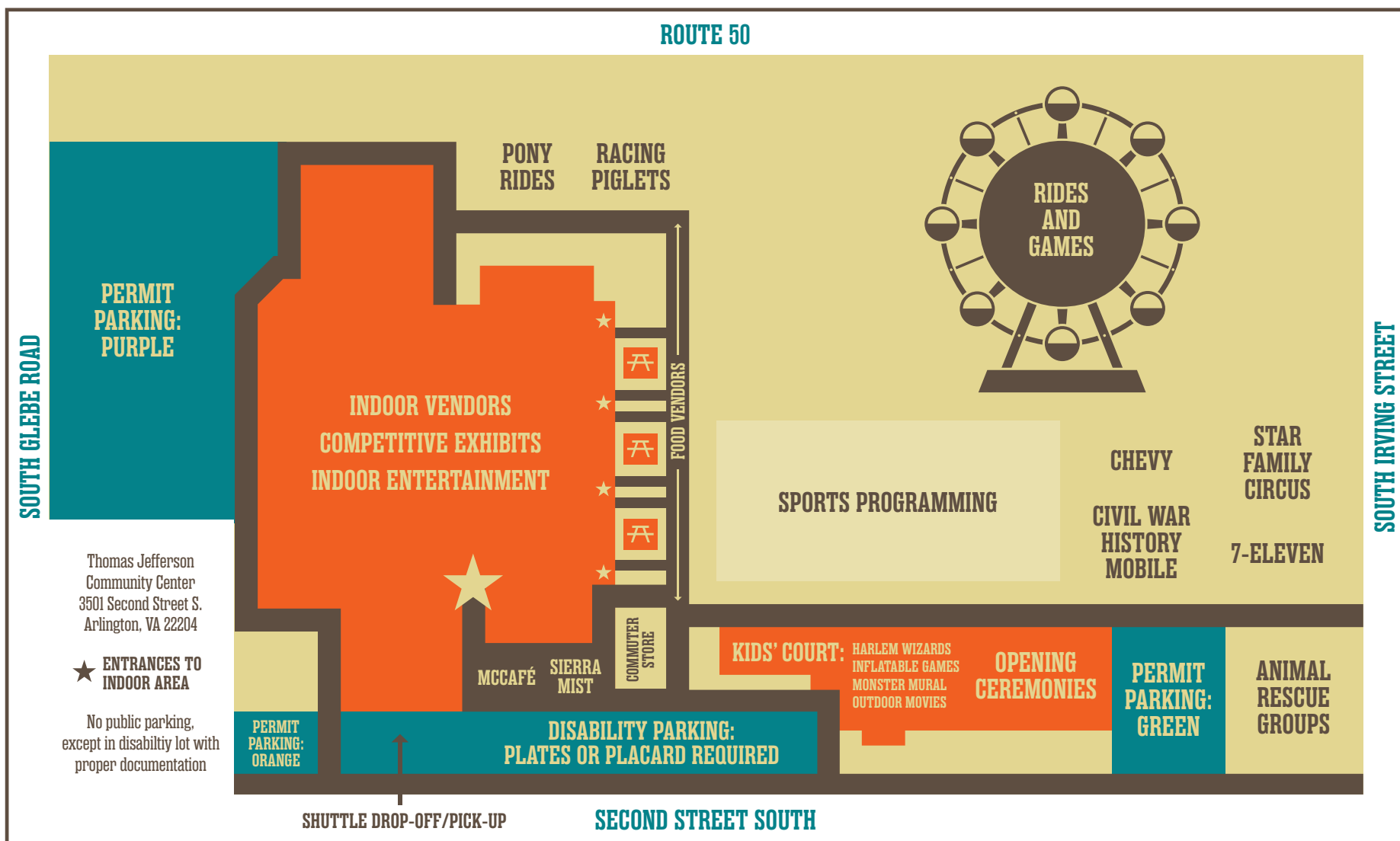
Please send your entries to arlingtoncofair@gmail.com along with your name and your neighborhood. Photos will be judged on subject, creativity, composition, and how well they capture the spirit of the Arlington County Fair. Winners will be contacted directly by e-mail with instructions on prize pick-up.

By submitting a photograph, you agree to the following:

- Materials that are obscene, vulgar, sexually-orientated, hateful, threatening, or otherwise violate of any laws are strictly prohibited. If such photographs are received, proper action will be taken and you will be disqualified from the contest.

- No copyrighted images will be accepted. Each photograph must be your own and taken during the 2011 Arlington County Fair.
- You give the Arlington County Fair permission to use your photograph in future promotional materials and to have your name (first name only) and neighborhood shared along with your picture in our online photo album.
- Photographs must be attached in .jpg format.
- There is a limit of 10 photographs per day.
- No alternative prizes will be offered if the winner is not available to accept the prize offered. Prizes are not transferrable.

To view photographs that have been submitted and see a list of winners, visit our photo album on Facebook at www.facebook.com/arlingtoncofair. Good luck!



Entertainment Details

2011 OPENING CEREMONIES

The Arlington County Fair Board of Directors is proud to partner with Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall and the Arlington County Police, Fire, and Sheriff's Departments to host Opening Ceremonies for the 35th Annual Arlington County Fair on Thursday, August 11th, at 6:00 p.m. Entertainment will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a performance by the Old Guard Fife and Drum Corps. The program will begin at 6 p.m. with a joint presentation of Colors by the U.S. Army Color Guard and Arlington County Color Guard. The program will include remarks from a County Board member and the Arlington County Fair's Board of Directors. We will also have a moment of silence and musical tribute in remembrance of the victims of the September 11, 2001 attacks. All fair-goers are invited to participate in this event.

HARLEM WIZARDS



The Harlem Wizards have a unique mission: create awe-inspiring events throughout the country. Whereas an NBA team's success is measured in wins and losses, the Wizards victory lies in the millions of smiles they are responsible for across the world. This world class organization brings theatrics, exciting tricks, humor, fitness and dazzling showmanship — just a few reasons to check out the Harlem Wizards! All shows are free and run for 30 minutes, with time for autographs and pictures with the performers afterward.

STAR FAMILY CIRCUS



Star Family Circus will thrill the audience through an exciting family-friendly show. The circus will feature Motorcycle Daredevils performing in the "Globe of Death," fabulous acrobats, stunts on the "Giant Space Wheel," as well as beautiful and talented performing animals. Each circus performance is free and lasts 30 minutes.

CIVIL WAR HISTORYMOBILE

Arlington residents will be among the first in the commonwealth to see the "Civil War 150 HistoryMobile," a tractor-trailer museum exhibition that highlights the impact of the national conflict on the people of the Old Dominion. Designed in partnership between the Fredericksburg/Spotsylvania National Military Park and the Virginia Historical Society, the 53-foot-long HistoryMobile is an exciting addition to the Arlington County Fair. Its exhibits look at the war through the eyes of civilians, slaves, and soldiers. Admission to the HistoryMobile is free, but food and drinks are not permitted.

KIDS' COURT

At the heart of Arlington County Fair are families. Face painting, inflatables, the monster mural, and other games and activities fill the Kids' Court with fun for children. Thursday is Kids' Day at the Fair and families with kids of all ages are welcome to join in the special activities. Be sure to visit the basketball court to experience the excitement. All activities on the Kids' Court are free!

PONY RIDES

Back this year by popular demand, we will have pony rides for kids! Look for the ponies just past the food vendors and right next to the racing piglets. Due to the size of the ponies, Pony Rides, Ltd. requests that riders weigh 85 pounds or less. There is a fee of \$5 per ride. You can also purchase a photograph to commemorate the ride for \$7 or a straw cowboy hat for \$5. If you'd like the whole package, \$15 will cover the pony ride, picture, and cowboy hat!

Though the pony rides will be open the entire fair, the ponies must eat and rest every once in a while. Therefore, short breaks will be scheduled throughout the day. If you arrive during a break, you will see a sign with the time the pony rides will resume.

OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHTS

Come watch a movie at the Fair the way they were originally intended: outside on a big screen! Friday night's movie will be "Never Say Never" and Saturday night's movie will be "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows." The movies will be shown on the Kids' Court and will start as soon as the sun goes down.

Some chairs will be provided, but feel free to bring your own chairs or blankets to sit on. You may also bring snacks and non-alcoholic beverages to enjoy during the show!

RIDE TICKETS

Cole Shows Amusement Company will return to the Arlington County Fair to provide amusement rides, midway games, and delicious food for fair-goers of all ages. All of the most popular rides from past years, including the Zipper, the Heart Flip, and the Rainbow, will be back! For more information, visit Cole Amusements online at www.colerides.com.

Ride tickets may be purchased on the fair grounds at the following prices: single tickets for \$1, 24 tickets for \$20, and 48 tickets for \$40. Details on the number of tickets required for each ride are posted at the ticket booth.

COMPETITIVE EXHIBITS

Competitive exhibits are at the heart of the Arlington County Fair providing the opportunity for community members to use their own talents and gifts. In 2010, Arlington County was represented by more than 1,500 entries. The theme for Competitive Exhibits is "Tell Arlington's Story" and directly ties to the Arlington County initiative to celebrate Arlington's rich cultural diversity. Information and guidelines can be found in the official Competitive Exhibits Guide located online at <http://arlingtoncountyfair.us/CE.html>.

Outdoor Entertainment

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10TH

5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Civil War HistoryMobile
5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Pony Rides
7:00 p.m. Star Family Circus
9:15 p.m. Star Family Circus

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11TH

11 a.m. – 6 p.m. Kids' Court
11 a.m. – 7 p.m. Civil War HistoryMobile
11 a.m. – 10 p.m. Pony Rides
11:30 a.m. Racing Piglets
12:00 p.m. Star Family Circus
1:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
2:30 p.m. Racing Piglets
4:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
4:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
5:30 p.m. Racing Piglets
6:00 p.m. Opening Ceremonies
7:30 p.m. Star Family Circus

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12TH

10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Civil War HistoryMobile
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. Pony Rides
11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Kids' Court
11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sports Programming
10:30 a.m. Racing Piglets
11:30 a.m. Star Family Circus
12:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
1:00 p.m. Harlem Wizards
2:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Animal Rescue Groups
3:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
4:00 p.m. Harlem Wizards
4:30 p.m. Racing Piglets
6:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
6:30 p.m. Harlem Wizards
7:00 p.m. Star Family Circus
8:00 p.m. Outdoor Movie: "Never Say Never"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH

10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Civil War HistoryMobile
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. Pony Rides
11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Kids' Court
11:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Animal Rescue Groups
12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sports Programming
10:30 a.m. Racing Piglets
11:30 a.m. Harlem Wizards
12:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
12:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
2:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
2:30 p.m. Harlem Wizards
3:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
4:30 p.m. Racing Piglets
5:30 p.m. Harlem Wizards
6:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
7:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
8:00 p.m. Outdoor Movie: "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows"

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH

9:30 a.m. – 11 a.m. Walk Arlington Route (off-site)
11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Civil War HistoryMobile
11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. Pony Rides
11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Kids' Court
11:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Animal Rescue Groups
11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sports Programming
11:00 a.m. Racing Piglets
12:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
1:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
2:30 p.m. Racing Piglets
3:30 p.m. Star Family Circus
4:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
6:00 p.m. Racing Piglets
7:00 p.m. Star Family Circus

Indoor Entertainment

Please visit the Visitors Information Center for full Indoor Entertainment schedule

All fair-goers are invited to visit our indoor stage to watch some of the area's most talented groups perform. From singers to dancers to an afternoon of Bingo, there's sure to be something fun for everyone!

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12TH

2:00 p.m. Bingo
7:00 p.m. Shannon Simmons
8:00 p.m. Potomac Harmony Chorus

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH

2:00 p.m. Country Steppers
4:00 p.m. Patchwork Dancers
5:00 p.m. Merry Makers
6:00 p.m. Old Dominion Cloggers
7:00 p.m. Midnight Special Quartet
8:00 p.m. LTA Improv (The Little Theater of Alexandria)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH

1:30 p.m. Calico Cloggers

Arlington County Partnerships

PARTNERSHIP WITH TELL ARLINGTON'S STORY

The Fair joins the Arlington County Government in celebrating Arlington's rich cultural diversity through the Tell Arlington's Story initiative. Fair-goers of all ages will be invited to participate in a variety of events, celebrations, and story-telling. Activities at the Fair include competitive exhibits, story-telling, and sharing Arlington experiences to expand the growing video library on the County website. For more information about Tell Arlington's Story, please visit www.arlingtonstory.us.

PARTNERSHIP WITH ANIMAL WELFARE LEAGUE OF ARLINGTON

The Animal Welfare League of Arlington (AWLA) and local animal rescue groups will provide entertainment and information about healthy pets at this year's Fair. AWLA's programming includes presentations by wildlife (raptor) rehabilitators to show measures taken to rehabilitate birds that are injured so that they may return to their natural habitat. The rehabilitators explain what community members should do if they see a wild animal that appears to be injured. Additionally, several area rescue groups will bring dogs to interact with fair-goers while they share information on the specific breeds and proper animal care providing information on safe pet adoptions and how you can help foster dogs. Groups that will be involved include Homeward Trails, A Forever Home, Virginia German Shepherd Rescue, Oldies But Goodies (Cocker Spaniel) Rescue, and AWLA's Pit Crew.

PARTNERSHIP WITH WALKARLINGTON WALKABOUT

The Arlington County Fair is proud to partner with WalkArlington and the Columbia Pike Revitalization Organization for the debut of Pike Hike II, the County's newest Walkabout. The guided walking tour, led by County Board Chairperson Christopher Zimmerman, will debut on Sunday, August 14, from 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Starting and ending at the Arlington Career Center, the Pike Hike II route highlights international culinary hot spots, one-of-a-kind shops, landscaped apartments, rolling parkland, quaint bungalows, historic churches, a campus of County facilities and resources, and the popular Sunday Columbia Pike Farmers Market. After hiking the Pike, walkers are encouraged to grab a snack at the Farmers Market and catch a shuttle from the Career Center to enjoy the final day of the fair!

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Food Vendors

A & B Soft Serve – Ice cream cone or dish; waffle cone or bowl with sprinkles; waffle sundae; ice cream float

Capital Empanadas – Savory empanadas - meat, chicken, veggie, and cheese. sweet empanadas - guava-cheese, nutella, dulce de leche caramel. yuca and plantain chips, sodas, and water.

Cherokee Cuisine – Krispy Kreme burger; fajitas; quesadillas; burritos; taco salad; po boys; sweet potato chips; flavored onion blossoms; chicken tenders w/ fries; turkey kielbasa tortilla wraps; shawarma; tea, lemonade; smoothies; deep-fried Klondike bars

Family Grill – Kebabs; fried rice; lo mein; pad thai; egg rolls; corn dogs; lemonade; iced tea; water; sodas

Four Seasons Grill – Gyros; steak & cheese; cheese kebab with pita; falafel; grape leaves plate; turkey legs; chicken fajita; cheese fries; Greek salad; Italian or Polish sausage; lemonade

I Love Thai – Pad thai; noodles; fried rice; spring & shrimp rolls; Thai iced tea; lemonade; water; soda

International Grill Company – Gyros; steak and cheese; sausage; fries; corndogs; falafel; Greek salad; grape leaves; lemonade; soda

MacBrand Foods – Sausage; cheesesteaks; hamburgers; hot dogs; corndogs; blooming onions; fries; turkey legs; funnel cakes; lemonade; tea; soda; water

Nittaya Grill – Chicken teriyaki; fried rice; lo mein; fish sandwich; funnel cake; sodas; lemonade

Orient-Bowl – Fried rice; lo mein, egg rolls, corndog; corn on the cob; sodas

Rivera's – Carne asada; guanaca platter; Salvadorean platter; pollo asada; yucca con chicharron; platanos fritos; pupusas; tacitos; corn on the cob; cold drinks; pina colada (no alcohol)

Other Vendors

A Little Nudge: C11

A Single Wire: E14

A.B. Hats: F07

Advanced Chiropractic of VA: E03

Advanced Health Center: M15

Amazing Skylights, Inc.: B08

American Home Improvements Services: J09-J10

Ameritech Construction Corp: F18

Amway by Dale: G07

Arbonne International: C04

Arlington Academy of Hope: C05

Arlington Committee of 100: L12

Arlington County Civic Federation: J18

Arlington County Democratic Committee: G04-G05

Arlington County Republican Committee: C09-C10

Arlington Dogs: D06

Arlington Gay & Lesbian Alliance: G02

Arlington Green Party: C13

Arlington Learning in Retirement Institute: J21

Arlington Partnership for Children, Youth and Families: L08-L09

Arlington Philharmonic Association: B11

Arlington Referral Team: K02

Arlington Street People's Assistance Network: D06

Arlington YMCA: B09-B10

Arlingtonians for a Clean Environment: D04

Arlingtonians Meeting Emergency Needs, Inc: L11

Armine's Design: F15

Artful Winery Crafts: F14

Artisphere: F24

Animal Welfare League of Arlington: A05-A06

Balance Family Chiropractic Center: L06

Ballston Animal Hospital: C22

Bath Fitter: H23-H24

BB&T: F22

Bedrocks Bounty: M14

Beekeepers Association of Northern Virginia: C17-C18

Brighter Day Beads: F21

Capital Art: M13

Capital Remodeling Incorporated: H07-H08

Cherrydale Baptist Church: B16-B17

Cherrydale Mason Lodge #42: E05-E06

Christ Church of Arlington: D11

Christian Science Reading Room: C15

Citizens for the Classics: C06

Colibri Crafts: F16

Compassion for Animals: J07

Cook Bros: H01-H02

Creations by Diane: F06

Customer Connect, LLC: D05

Dead Bat Designs: M03

Discovery Toys: C16

Divine Diaper Cakes: E17

Dominion Electric Power: G23-G24

Dreamhome Remodeling, Inc: D18

Edward Jones: C14

Embellishments by Sharon: D20

Emmanuel Presbyterian Church: G06

Encore Stage & Studio: G11

Endepence Center of Northern Virginia: C19

Etz Hayim: D13

FACETS: J14-J15

Faith Lutheran Church: D22

Fantasy & Things: D16

Friends of Arlington's David M. Brown Planetarium: G03

Geeta's Creations: F10

Gray Ghost Glassworks: F09

G's Glory Handbags: G15-G16

Heirloom Maps: H19-H20

Hull Hearing Aid Services, Inc: B13

Immaculate Gifts and Crafts: C23

India Imports, LLC: C03

Interiors by Joyce: E10

Ismega Designs: F04

JESS3: H04

Joy to the Wood: M12

Kalakala: G12

Kenya Zambrano State Farm Agency: E04

LeafFilter North of Virginia, Inc: B05

Leafguard of Maryland & N. VA: G01

League of Women Voters of Arlington: H21

Legion of Mary, Arl. Regia: D14-D15

Liberty Mutual Insurance: D10

Mary Kay, Inc: F05

Mastershield VA/MD: B14

Mid-Atlantic Waterproofing: D17

Mystic Lines: H15

Nantu Tamia Creations: B06-B07

National Aquarium: M09-M10

National Federation of the Blind, Potomac Chapter: F20

New Earth Frames: E11-E12

New York Life: D12

Night Owl: M07

Nmandi African Origins: G09

Not Afraid to Dye: F11

O'BeeJue: C24

OAR: D21

Octo Puzzles: F12

Our Savior Lutheran Church and School: B12

Owens Corning: B01-B02

Paiges Promotions: D09

Painted Coins/Wearable Art: J16

Pink Live Accessories: C12

Pool Terry: G14

Potomac Harmony/Showtime Chorus: B03-B04

Purse Strings 'N Things: E07-E08

Renewal by Andersen of Northern Virginia: D03

Scroll Saw Magic: E15

Senior Adult Council & Arlington Aging and Disability: J19-J20

Sharp Shirter: J11

Silver Moon: J13

Standing Stones Solutions: C20

Sticks & Stones: C24

Stop Child Abuse Now of Northern Virginia (SCAN)

TCS Building, Inc: G08

The Beard Corporation: F03

The Gideons International: C21

The Pampered Chef: E20

The Woodman's Wife: F13

Thirty-One Gifts by Rocio: G07

Thompson Creek Windows: K01

Tiac Art outside

Today's Accessorized: J12

Trudia's Accessories: E09

Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington: C08

Usborne Books: D23

Virginia Right to Life: C07

Washington-Lee High School Alumni: E18-E19

Waters Woods: K19-K20

Watkins Products: E21

Windows Direct-VA.com/NorthernVirginiaContractors.com: K09

Windows Plus, LLC: L07

Wireworks: E13

Worth Cooley Prost: H16

Yarn Chef Creations: D07

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