I want to help prepare youth for a positive future by making a tax deductible donation to Project Discovery

Please include your contact information on the other side of this panel or register online at: alexandriava.gov/PDWalkathon

WALK REGISTRATION

□ \$30 (\$25 for early registrants) Adult Walker

\$5 Student Walker

DONATION LEVELS

Sponsors

□ \$1,000 or more

\$500

Other, Specify \$

Large Donors

\$250 \$100

\$50

Other, Specify \$

HOW SHOULD WE LIST YOUR DONATION?

Corporate/Business Partner

Individual _____

Student

Walkers may also create teams. Each team member must pay a walker registration fee (\$25 Adult/\$5 Student). The top three teams with the most registered walkers will be recognized with certificates during the opening ceremony.

PROJECT DISCOVERY ADVISORY BOARD

Bruce Milton Cassandra Chess Cherie M. Brown Iburia Hall-Haynes, Ph.D. Lou Williams Judith C. Vaughn

Mike Crifasi **DeVonne Batts** Sarah Egan Warren Shawna Gary Melissa Harrington Shave Nelson

STUDENT OFFICERS

Jeslvn Hunter - President Meikiah Buster - Community Service Assistant Naima Omar - Social Media Manager Avril Veras - Event Planning Assistant Nadia Heggs - Data Collector Soliyana Wondwossen - Secretary Torrenzo Ricks - Planning Director

STAFF

Sheila Purce, Youth Development Counselor Tashana Pulliam, Secondary Schools Program Coordinator Noraine Buttar, Chief of Youth Development

PROJECT DISCOVERY

Youth Development Team **Del Pepper Building** Department of Community and Human Services 4850 Mark Center Room 5264 Alexandria VA 22311

WHO WE ARE

Each year, the City of Alexandria hosts a Walkathon, the proceeds of which benefit Project Discovery. Eighty percent of last year's Project Discovery graduating seniors continued their education at two- or four-year colleges or technical schools. Show your support by donating and attending the October 28, 2023 Walkathon at Fort Ward Park.



Project Discovery of Alexandria's WALKATHON 2023



Fort Ward Park 4301 W. Braddock Road Alexandria, VA 22304

Strides Toward Success











rtment of Communit and Human Services

Project Discovery Alexandria is a college preparatory program with a proven record.

Since 1985, Project Discovery–Alexandria has helped students become the first members of their families to attend college or technical school. Through workshops, trips to colleges and enriching experiences, students learn how to achieve educational goals, select a college, manage time, improve study skills, and apply for financial aid.

The Project Discovery of Alexandria Advisory Board sponsors the Walkathon.

ReguarEvent Day Schedule

8:30 - 9 a.m. | Registration 9 - 9:30 a.m. | Opening Ceremony 9:30 - 10 a.m. | 3K Walk (2 miles or 4x around the Park) Awarding of Prizes & Closing Remarks Parking is available throughout the park.

REGISTRATION FEES

\$5 Student Walker
\$25 Adult Early Registration (ends 10/14)
\$30 Regular Registration
Minimum \$25 Donation Stay at Home Walker
\$500+ Corporate & Individual Event Sponsors

Ask friends, relatives, co-workers, and neighbors to form a team. You may register either online at alexandriava.gov/PDWalkathon; by calling 703.746.3436; or by mailing the attached registration form.

TEAMS

Free event t-shirts for registered walkers and donors; light refreshments. Registrants will be eligible to participate in drawings for prizes!



REGISTRATION & DONATIONS FORM

□ I will participate in the WALK.

- □ I will participate in the WALK, and I am also enclosing a tax deductible contribution, payable to Project Discovery.
- I can not participate in the Walk, but I am enclosing a tax deductible contribution, payable to Project Discovery.

Name (please print):

Address:

Phone:

Day _____

Evening _____

I understand that I enter this event at my own risk and I release from all liability and hold harmless Project Discovery and the City of Alexandria and any and all agents associated with them.

> Signature (Parent/Guardian must sign if walker is under 18)

Please return to:

Project Discovery Alexandria

Del Pepper Building Department of Community and Human Services 4850 Mark Center Room 5264 Alexandria VA 22311 Phone: 703.746.3436

For reasonable disability accommodation, contact maurice.tomdio@alexandriava.gov or call 571.384.5244, Virginia Relay 711.