NONPROFIT NEWS



WHY JOIN
THE
ALLIANCE?

Almost every day, I am asked, "why should I join The Alliance, Martina? It's okay, I'm happy to answer. The Alliance has been a valued community partner since 2019, distributing over 10 million dollars in grant funds across our community. Additionally, we have hosted numerous in-house training sessions, mixers, and virtual lunch-and-learns. We provide event and marketing support to various partners and members, and foster connections across Greater Prince William that provide training and employment opportunities and help meet the vast needs in our community

The Alliance connects people <u>WITH</u> resources to those who <u>NEED</u> them.

Here are three reasons that YOU should join US:

- 1. Stronger Collective Voice and Credibility: By joining us, members can amplify their advocacy efforts and gain a unified voice to advance human services. Membership also enhances credibility with funders, donors, and stakeholders, signaling a commitment to impact and high standards.
- 2. Access to Expertise, Resources, and Professional Growth: We equip leaders with valuable tools through expert guidance on grant writing and compliance, as well as professional development opportunities like webinars and trainings focused on emerging trends and best practices.
- 3. Meaningful Collaboration and Peer Support: Our network fosters powerful connections—facilitating cross-sector collaboration on programs and grants, while also offering peer support and shared learning to strengthen and sustain your mission.

I invite you to join us at our 2025 Annual Meeting to engage with our members and local leaders. Use the QR code on the next page to get your ticket today! You, and those you serve, will be happy you did.

Martina

2025 - S CAnnual Meeting

Join members and friends of
The Human Services Alliance
of Greater Prince William
to <u>CONNECT</u> with purpose-driven leaders,
<u>IGNITE</u> new collaborations,
and <u>GROW</u> your organization's impact.

September 10, 2025 9-11 am

Portuguese Cultural Center 9509 Lee Ave. West, Manassas, VA



www.TheAllianceGPW.org



Be part of Prince William County's biggest 24-hour online giving event, happening September 11–12, 2025!

PWC Gives! is a county-wide, 24-hour online fundraising event designed to promote charitable giving in and throughout Prince William County,
Virginia. The goal of the event is to bring the county's nonprofit organizations and churches together in a day of unified fundraising to bring resources to our organizations. Organizations will use the funds they raise to increase the impact they are making in our community.

Register at: www.pwcgives.org



REGISTER NOW!

JOIN US ON **SEPTEMBER 11-12, 2025** GO TO PWCGIVES.ORG FOR MORE INFO



Hosted by the Prince William County Community Foundation Email: president@pwccfoundation.org for more information

Inaugural TEENSTHE RIGHT STEPS CELEBRATION

A FREE event for middle and high school age students

Saturday, September 20 12-4pm

Cloverdale Park 15150 Cloverdale Rd, Woodbridge

CELEBRATION:

Performances and competition for youth

GROUP ACTIVITIES & ENGAGEMENT:

Interactive Activities

FREE

PRINCE WILLIAM

Parks & Recreation

12pm — 4pm RESOURCE TABLES INTERACTIVE GAMES/ ACTIVITIES

- Axe Throwing
- Tie Die
- Cornhole
- Mobile Library
- 3 Point Shooting

12pm - 12:45pm

- Flag Football/Sports Competition Sign Up
- Gift Bags

12:30pm - 3:30pm

- Game Truck
- Bounce House

1:00pm - 3:00pm

- Flag Football/Sports Competition
- Popcorn Station
- Face Painting

FOOD AND BEVERAGES

PRINCE WILLIAM



In honor of **Suicide Prevention Month** and **National Public Lands Day** you are invited to join us for a fall **Walk & Talk Wellness** at one of the participating trail locations in the Greater Prince William area. We hope you will take this opportunity to participate and learn about local resources and tools that can help support you on your journey to wellness.

Join us on September 26th, 2025 at 2pm at the Neabsco Boardwalk. Can't make it then, that's okay! You can head to one of the participating trails at anytime between Saturday, September 13th, 2025 and Sunday, October 12th, 2025 to participate. Scan the QR Codes at each trailhead to learn how to participate in additional activities for a chance to earn wellness prizes!

Participating Trails:

- Blooms Park (Manassas Park)
- Winter's Branch (Manassas)
- Silver Lake (Haymarket)
- Andrew Leitch (Dale City)
- Neabsco Boardwalk (Woodbridge)





Visit www.PreventionCoalitionofGPW.org/Wellness to learn more!











Be the Right Step for a Brighter Future

Volunteers Needed

Prince William County Office of Youth Services is looking for volunteers to support local youth through the Right Step to Opportunities program - a diversion program designed to keep young people out of the juvenile justice system and on a path to success.



Help Youth and Families

- Participate in Community Conference Hearings
- Guide youth toward better decision making and brighter futures

Requirements



Attend a

training

session



Commit to at least 6 hearings per and pass a year



Be 21 years Bring a old or older sense of fairness, background compassion check and a willingness



to listen

Office of Youth Services Volunteer **Application**



Ready to sign up?

Ouestions?

Contact the Office of Youth Services at: OfficeofYouthServices@pwcgov.org

Pasos Hacia un Futuro Mas Brillante

Necesitamos Voluntarios

Prince William está buscando voluntarios que apoyen a la juventud local por medio del programa Right Step o Pasos Derechos hacia oportunidades -Un programa de desviación designado a mantener a los jóvenes fuera del sistema judicial o legal hacia un camino de éxito.

Ayuda Jovenes Y Familia

- Participa en conferencias comunitarias y guía a la
- juventud a tomar mejores decisiones y tener un futuro brillante.

Requirements









¿Listo para registrarse?

Atender capacitación

conferencias al año

Compromiso a 6 Ser de 21 años o más y pasar verificación de antecedentes

Traer justicia, compasión, y disposición a escuchar

Office of Youth Services Volunteer Application



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Preguntas?

Contacte a la oficina de servicios juveniles: OfficeofYouthServices@pwcgov.org





EVERY CHILD DESERVES A FRESH START.



Dear Neighbor,

Heading back to school should be filled with excitement, not worry. But for too many families in our community, the start of a new school year brings the stress of not being able to afford even the most basic clothing essentials.

No child should feel embarrassed or excluded because they don't have what they need to walk into the classroom with confidence.

At Boxes of Basics, we believe every child deserves the dignity of choice, the joy of something new, and the confidence that comes from being prepared.

Thanks to donors like you, we provide custom-packed seasonal wardrobes—a full box of love—to children in need. Each box includes new and gently used clothing, new shoes, socks, underwear, a winter coat and more. For many of these children, it's the first time they've received something chosen just for them.

With your support, we can ensure that local children start the year not just with what they need-but with the confidence and sense of belonging every child deserves.

Thank you for believing in the power of basics.

Sarah Tyndall, Founder & Executive Director

WHAT'S IN A BOX?

12 mix-and-match school & play outfits



1 dress-up outfit



Pajamas



Sweatshirt or sweater



New sneakers



New socks

Winter coat



New underwear



Dental hygiene kit



2 books



Handwritten love note



HELP US PACK THE NEXT BOX



Donate by **September 15** to ensure every child starts the school year with confidence.

BOXESOFBASICS.ORG



FREE POSITIVE PARENTING class in PWC!

CHILD CARE & LUNCH provided





- *Are you parenting young children with big behaviors or strong emotions?
- *Feeling overwhelmed & stressed?
- *Does your child have other special needs? Join our Positive Parenting class on Saturday, October 18 in Dale City. WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:
 - · Positive ways to address common behavior challenges
 - How to manage stress & build family resiliency
 - · Where to go for additional help if needed



Saturday, October 18 9 AM - 3 PM at The Arc of GPW, Dale City Register at

bit.ly/PosParEngfall25

Hosted by: FORMED FORWARD

With support [Potomac Health from: Foundation

¡Clase de CRIANZA **POSITIVA GRATUITA en PWC!**

Se ofrece cuidado de niños y almuerzo gratis.





¿Está usted criando niños pequeños con grandes conductas o emociones fuertes? ¿Te sientes abrumado y estresado? ¿Su hijo tiene otras necesidades especiales? Únase a nuestra clase de Crianza Positiva el sábado 27 de septiembre en Dale City.

LO QUE APRENDERÁS:

- Formas positivas de abordar los desafíos de comportamiento comunes
- Cómo gestionar el estrés y desarrollar la resiliencia familiar
- Dónde acudir para obtener ayuda adicional si es necesario



Sábado 27 de septiembre 9 a. m. a 3 p. m. en The Arc of GPW, Dale City

Registrate en bit.ly/PosParEspfall25

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