



**Hiram College Alumni Volunteer Day  
SITE INFORMATION SHEET**

**City:** Washington, DC / Alexandria, Virginia

**Location:** St. Martin de Porres Senior Center

Thank you for participating in Hiram's 12th Annual Alumni Volunteer Day! We're excited to continue the tradition of alumni volunteerism in the spirit of Campus Day. It will be a great opportunity to network and socialize with Hiram alumni while helping your community.

**Date:** Saturday, September 7, 2013

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. to Noon

**Site address:** 4650 Taney Avenue; Alexandria, VA 22304

**Parking:** St. Martins has a large parking lot.

**Meeting place:** Front steps of the senior center

**Contact Information at site on September 7:** Amber Kim Dewey '92 - 773.319.5372 or Gracie Ortiz/Director' St. Martins - 703.751.2766

**Project Description:** Volunteers will weed the foundation plantings around the Senior Center and spread mulch. The seniors also need help with their vegetable garden and compost bins. Volunteers with special skills such as transplanting perennials or pruning bushes would be especially appreciated but this site is appropriate for volunteers of all skill levels including families with supervised children.

**About Site:** St. Martin de Porres Senior Center helps senior citizens in Alexandria, Virginia remain in their homes by providing hot meals, activities and opportunities to socialize, all conveniently located in their neighborhood.

**Website Address:** [http://www.cdda.net/programs\\_elderly.php](http://www.cdda.net/programs_elderly.php)

**Materials Supplied by Site:** Two wheelbarrows, shovels, rakes, forks, mulch

**Things you should bring:** Be sure to wear clothes and shoes appropriate for working outside in the garden. Garden gloves and small hand tools would also be helpful. Anyone interested in bring wheelbarrows, larger tools, or perennials should contact Amber Kim Dewey.

**Restrooms:** at the site

**Directions to site:**

- Take the Seminary Road exit from I395.
- Take Seminary Road east and turn right at Jordan Street.
- Turn right at Taney Avenue. The Senior Center will be on the left side of the street across from Patrick Henry Elementary School.
- Volunteers should park in the parking lot although street parking is available and does not require a permit.

*Contact the Alumni Office at 800.705.5050 if you have any questions.*