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free outdoor Rosslyn
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Meet Ed Brogan,
Hyatt Arlington's new
General Manager
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New streetscape
elements installed at
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COMMUNITY

Celebrate Rosslyn

You're invited to Rosslyn's **City Social**, our annual event celebrating the neighborhood and bringing together community stakeholders. This year, **Mary-Claire Burick**, president of the Rosslyn BID, will kick off the event by highlighting Rosslyn milestones from the past year and announcing some exciting new initiatives. Following the presentation, we invite everyone to enjoy appetizers, wine, beer, live music and giveaways and, for the first time at City Social, a **bourbon-tasting bar** with experts from our newest neighborhood restaurant, **Barley Mac**. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to get the inside scoop on what's in store for Rosslyn next year while getting to meet key community members in the neighborhood.

Register by May 6 at rosslynva.org/citysocial.

CEB WATERVIEW CONFERENCE CENTER 1919 N LYNN ST
WEDNESDAY, MAY 11/ 5:45-8PM/ROSSLYNVA.ORG/CITYSOCIAL

CITY SOCIAL
THE ROSSLYN BID'S ANNUAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY MAY 11, 5:45-8PM
CEB WATERVIEW CONFERENCE CENTER

CULTURE

Dark Star Park Day August 1

Located at 1655 N. Fort Myer Drive on the southern edge of Rosslyn, **Dark Star Park** features large spheres designed to resemble fallen, extinguished stars. It is Arlington's first major commissioned art project. Dark Star Park Day is August 1. If it's sunny, at precisely 9:32 a.m. on that morning, different elements of the park create shadows that align in an aesthetically pleasing way. Dark Star Park is a wonderful spot to visit on this day or any day.

To learn more about this neighborhood landmark and important piece of public art, visit rosslynva.org/darkstarpark.

DARK STAR PARK 1655 N FT MYER DR
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/DARKSTARPARK

RETAIL

Barley Mac Joins Rosslyn's Growing Dining Scene



The Barley Mac team is happy to be in Rosslyn. The restaurant has a full-service bar that offers specialty bourbons.

With a full-service bar featuring specialty bourbons, Barley Mac restaurant has arrived in Rosslyn at 1600 Wilson Blvd. A new venture from the owners of the popular **A-Town Bar & Grill** in Ballston and **Don Tito** in Clarendon, Barley Mac has the feel of a neighborhood tavern. "We want it to become a great place for food and drink in Rosslyn that everybody knows," says co-owner **Scott Parker**. "We hope it will be here 20 or 30 years from now."

BARLEY MAC 1600 WILSON BLVD
571.800.3070/BARLEYMACVA.COM

BUSINESS

UVA's Darden School Coming to Rosslyn



In August, the University of Virginia's **Darden School of Business** will begin offering its MBA for Executives and Global MBA from a new facility at 1000 Wilson Blvd. in Rosslyn. Business leaders accepted into the program will be able to choose their base learning location as either Charlottesville or Rosslyn, although they will spend time at both campuses. The Rosslyn program will be taught by the school's top-ranked faculty. The Darden MBA is ranked No. 2 in the world by The Economist and No. 1 globally in general management by The Financial Times.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA DARDEN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS / DARDEN.VIRGINIA.EDU



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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY

ARLINGTON MAKES PLANS FOR PARKS AND PUBLIC SPACES

Arlington County is seeking community input on how to improve parks, public spaces, trails and recreational facilities. Through an initiative called **Arlington POPS: A Plan for our Places and Spaces**, the County will offer many opportunities for residents to engage in this project and share ideas. For more information, including upcoming meeting dates, visit projects.arlingtonva.us and search for "Pops."

BUSINESS

COUNTY APPROVES ROSSLYN PLAZA

In mid-March, the **Arlington County Board** approved a major redevelopment of Rosslyn's east end. Called **Rosslyn Plaza**, the phased project will take place over the next 25 years. It includes plans for a vehicle-free esplanade, large public park and five new buildings with views across the Potomac.

BUSINESS

CENTRAL PLACE PROJECT EVOLVES

Plans for Rosslyn's **Central Place** continue to evolve. The project developer, **The JBG Companies**, hopes to further enliven the public plaza with more **outdoor restaurant seating**. They also hope to add an outdoor terrace to the **public observation deck** atop one of the towers. Called **site-plan amendments**, these changes will need to be approved by Arlington County. The mixed-use development, under construction near the Rosslyn Metro station, is expected to be completed in 2017.

COMMUNITY

NEW STREETSCAPE ELEMENTS INSTALLED

A sneak preview of Rosslyn's future streetscape has been installed at N. Oak St. and Wilson Blvd. The new outdoor furnishings include benches, a newsbox corral, bike racks and an informational marker that recounts Rosslyn's history. Developed by the Rosslyn BID's **Urban Design Department** and designed by the industrial designer **Ignacio Ciocchini**, designer of **Bryant Park** furnishings in New York City, these sleek, modern features will one day be installed throughout Rosslyn.

GREAT OUTDOOR DINING

COMMUNITY



Amuse Terrace

Located on the ground floor of **Le Meridien Arlington** and open for breakfast, lunch and dinner, **Amuse Terrace** offers **breathtaking views** of Washington, D.C. and the Potomac. It has **lounge-style furniture** and **fire pits**. Their bar menu features more substantial fare and treats such as house-made potato chips, deviled eggs and flatbreads.

AMUSE TERRACE

1121 19TH ST N/LEMERIDIENVA.COM/TERRACE



Heavy Seas Alehouse

Heavy Seas Alehouse is located on the corner of North Oak and 18th Streets and has a spacious, shady terrace on a quiet neighborhood street. They offer **specialty beers** and **cask ales**, including eight beers from their brewery in Baltimore, Md. Pair them with their menu of boldly flavored dishes for a perfectly balanced meal.

HEAVY SEAS ALEHOUSE

1501 WILSON BLVD/HEAVYSEASALEHOUSE.COM



Key Bridge Terrace

Key Bridge Terrace (KBT) is a great spot for an **outdoor meal** or after-work **happy hour**, offered weekdays from 5-7 p.m. KBT serves delectable food specials, such as Korean-inspired short rib tacos, a pulled jerk chicken sandwich and pimento arancini. The new spring bar menu includes an expanded wine list and local microbrews.

KEY BRIDGE TERRACE (AT HYATT ARLINGTON)

1325 WILSON BLVD/ARLINGTON.HYATT.COM



Kona Grill

Serving upscale American cuisine, including award-winning sushi, **Kona Grill** has a sleek, modern bar that opens onto an outdoor dining area. They're open for **lunch and dinner**. Take advantage of some of their **regular specials**, including ½-price bottles of wine every Wednesday, early and late-night happy hours, and all-day happy hour on Sunday.

KONA GRILL

1776 WILSON BLVD/KONAGRILL.COM

NOTEWORTHY

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The Sandbox is open!

Located near the intersection of Lee Hwy. and N. Nash St., **The Sandbox at Gateway Park** is open for the season. Take your little ones for some fun in the sun while you relax in one of our Adirondack chairs.



COMMUNITY

Spring Plantings

The weather is warm and Rosslyn is in full bloom. We hope you enjoy the more than **13,700 daffodils, hyacinths** and **tulips** we planted throughout the neighborhood.



RETAIL

Vietnamese favorites at Delightful Food Court

Delightful Food Court, on the first floor of 1911 N. Ft. Myer Dr., serves delicious pho, bánh mì and Vietnamese iced coffee. More info: delightfulfoodcourt.net.



RETAIL

Rosslyn dining in Arlington Magazine

In March, Arlington Magazine's Neighborhood Guide featured Rosslyn dining. We've linked to the article on our website, rosslynva.org/news/articles. Check out their tips on where to go!



SIGNATURE EVENTS

ROSSLYN CINEMA

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT IS AN "INCREDIBLE JOURNEY"

FILMS

6/3 E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial
 6/10 Beethoven 2 (Kid-Friendly)
 6/17 Eat, Pray, Love
 6/24 Indiana Jones Raiders of the Lost Ark
 7/1 Coming to America
 7/8 Dirty Dancing
 7/15 Finding Nemo (Kid-Friendly)
 7/22 Casablanca
 7/29 Top Gun
 8/5 Up (Kid-Friendly)
 8/12 Roman Holiday
 8/19 Casino Royale (2006)
 8/26 The Notebook

FREE

ROSSLYNVA.ORG/ROSSLYNCINEMA



NEW MOBILE BAR
 WINE/BEER
 5PM TO SHOWTIME

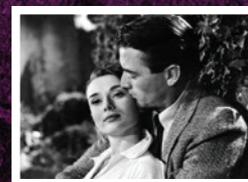
INDIANA JONES / JUNE 24

FREE/GATEWAY PARK/DUSK

This year, our outdoor film festival features movies in which our favorite characters undertake **Incredible Journeys** to find happiness, love and adventure! Bring a blanket or low chairs and a group of friends to enjoy a night under the stars with some of the best-loved movies of the past century.



FINDING NEMO / JULY 15



ROMAN HOLIDAY / AUG 12

BIKE TO WORK DAY

GET IT IN GEAR. Ideally situated between the Custis and Mount Vernon Trails, Rosslyn is extremely commutable by bike. Biking to work saves money, helps you stay in great shape and in some cases can even be faster than driving a car or taking public transportation. So whether you ride regularly or have been meaning to get back out there, **Bike to Work Day** provides the perfect motivation for doing so. This year, as in previous years, **BikeArlington** and the **Rosslyn BID** will be hosting a Bike to Work Day pit stop in **Gateway Park** at the corner of Lee Highway and N. Lynn St. The pit stop will offer tons of great giveaways, including gift cards and bike socks. There will also be live music, a photo booth and other fun activities!

BIKE TO WORK DAY GATEWAY PARK 1300 LEE HWY
 FRIDAY, MAY 20 / 6:30AM-9:00AM / ROSSLYNVA.ORG/BIKETOWORKDAY

SIGNATURE EVENTS AT-A-GLANCE

MAY

CITY SOCIAL
 Rosslyn's Annual Meeting
 May 11/5:45-8PM
 CEB Waterview Conference Center
REGISTER: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/CITYSOCIAL

BIKE TO WORK DAY
 May 20 / 6:30-9AM
 Gateway Park / 1300 Lee Hwy
REGISTER: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/BIKETOWORKDAY

JUNE

SUMMER BOOTCAMP (Session 1)
 June 1-July 2 / Mon and Wed
 6-7PM and Sat 9:30-10:30AM
 Gateway Park / 1300 Lee Hwy
REGISTER: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/JUNEBOOTCAMP

ROSSLYN CINEMA
 Every Friday / Bar opens at 5PM
 Movie starts at dusk.
 Gateway Park / 1300 Lee Hwy
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/ROSSLYNCINEMA

JULY

LAVABARRE IN THE PARK
 June 28-July 26 / Tuesdays 6-7PM
 Gateway Park
REGISTER: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/LAVABARRE

ROSSLYN CINEMA
 Every Friday / Bar opens at 5PM
 Movie starts at dusk.
 Gateway Park
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/ROSSLYNCINEMA

AUGUST

SUMMER BOOTCAMP (Session 2)
 Aug 1-Sept 3 / Mon and Wed
 6-7PM and Saturdays 9:30-10:30AM / Gateway Park
REGISTER: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/AUGUSTBOOTCAMP

ROSSLYN CINEMA
 Every Friday / Bar opens at 5PM
 Movie starts at dusk.
 Gateway Park
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/ROSSLYNCINEMA



SUMMER BOOTCAMP

WORK OUTSIDE. Get beach-ready with this 60-minute, HIIT (High-Intensity Interval Training) workout series! **Register online** to work with our professional trainer in Rosslyn's Gateway Park. This workout is great for all fitness levels! **Reserve your spot** for Session 1 and/or Session 2 online.

SUMMER BOOTCAMP GATEWAY PARK / 1300 LEE HWY
 SESSION 1 / JUNE 1-JULY 2
 SESSION 2 / AUGUST 1-SEPTEMBER 3
 MON + WED, 6-7PM, SAT, 9:30-10:30AM
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/JUNEBOOTCAMP
ROSSLYNVA.ORG/AUGUSTBOOTCAMP

LAVABARRE IN THE PARK

FLEXIBLE + FIT. Rosslyn's own LavaBarre brings you free hour-long barre classes in Gateway Park. Barre combines ballet-barre, Pilates, yoga and strength training. Whether you're a barre devotee or a newbie, now's your chance to check it out.

LAVABARRE IN THE PARK GATEWAY PARK / 1300 LEE HWY
 TUESDAYS, 6-7PM / JUNE 28-JULY 26 / ROSSLYNVA.ORG/LAVABARRE





HYATT ARLINGTON'S ED BROGAN

COMMUNITY

Five Minutes with Ed Brogan

In September, **Ed Brogan** became the new general manager of **Hyatt Arlington**, one of Rosslyn's finest hotels. We asked this veteran of the hospitality industry what his goals are for the coming year, what he likes best about his work and what he does for fun.

Rosslyn: How did you get your start in the hospitality industry?

Ed Brogan: I studied Hospitality Management at Penn State University. To be honest, I think I chose this major because I wanted to do something business-related that didn't require me to take Chemistry! My first job was as a bellman at the Valley Forge Hilton. It was a great experience that allowed me to learn the hospitality business from the ground up.

R: What qualities do you think make someone a good general manager?

EB: To me, being a good GM means having the wisdom, courage and compassion to lead others with authenticity, humility and service.

amount of respect for the jobs that they do each and every day.

R: What do you like about your work?

EB: I love being in a job where every day is different. I've always really enjoyed watching my employees learn and grow. It's one of the most rewarding aspects of my job. Several years ago, I managed two phenomenal employees, a food and beverage director and a director of rooms at a hotel in D.C. Today, both are successful GMs: One is in Pittsburgh and the other is in Atlanta. I oversaw their development but I learned a lot from them as well. Managing employees is always a two-way benefit.

R: What are some of your goals for Hyatt Arlington?

EB: My goals align with Hyatt's goals to become the preferred hospitality brand that is loved by colleagues, guests, owners, operators and community members. The Hyatt Arlington has a great team in place. We continue to look for new ways to

provide our guests and customers with unique, memorable experiences while staying in the hotel or spending time at cityhouse restaurant or our banquet facilities.

R: What do you do when you're not at work?

EB: My family is very important. I've been married for 26 years. I'm very proud of my three children and spend a lot of my free time watching them play sports. I also like to run and enjoy being outdoors.



R: How many people report to you?

EB: I am fortunate to come to work each day with a great professional team that inspires me to be my best. I'm responsible for about 125 people. By now, I have met just about all of them. We have some dedicated employees who have been here 30+ years. They take great care of our customers and I have a tremendous

amount of respect for the jobs that they do each and every day.

HYATT ARLINGTON
1325 WILSON BLVD / 703.525.1234
ARLINGTON.HYATT.COM

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MORE UPCOMING EVENTS

NATIONAL CHAMBER ENSEMBLE ALL ABOUT DVORAK

ROSSLYN SPECTRUM, 1611 N KENT ST
SATURDAY, 5/7, 7:30PM

Celebrate Mother's Day weekend with this concert featuring Dvorak's Piano Quintet in A Major, Op. 81, and Songs My Mother Taught Me. This is the final performance of the National Chamber Ensemble's ninth season. For tickets, visit nationalchamberensemble.org.



NETHERLANDS CARILLON CONCERTS

MARSHALL DRIVE NEAR US MARINE CORPS WAR MEMORIAL
SATURDAYS, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST, 6-8PM

A hidden gem! Bring a picnic and enjoy sweeping views of Washington, D.C., while guest artists play two-hour-long concerts on the carillon's 50 bells. Schedule coming soon. Visit rosslynva.org/events for updates.



AMERICAN PARKOUR BEAST COAST JAM

GATEWAY PARK, 1300 LEE HWY
SATURDAY-MONDAY, 5/28-5/30

This annual gathering of top parkour athletes from all over the world will take place in Gateway Park and other locations in the D.C. region. More info and registration at beastcoast.americanparkour.com.



MARINE CORPS SUNSET PARADES

US MARINE CORPS WAR MEMORIAL
TUESDAYS, 5/31-7/26, 7PM / 8/2-8/16, 6:30PM

A summer tradition since 1956, the Marine Corps Sunset Parade is a great opportunity to see a world-class military ceremony and show support for women and men in uniform. For details visit www.barracks.marines.mil/parades/sunsetparade.



SAVE THE DATE: 2016 ROSSLYN JAZZ FEST

GATEWAY PARK, 1300 LEE HWY
SATURDAY, 9/10, 1-7PM

Save the date for the 26th Annual Rosslyn Jazz Fest. Enjoy free, high-energy performances by some of the most innovative jazz musicians today. rosslynva.org/jazzfest

MORE EVENT INFO: ROSSLYNVA.ORG/EVENTS

Please note that event information in this publication is current as of April 6, 2016. However, event dates and times may change, particularly for events that are several months away. Visit rosslynva.org/events to confirm all schedule information.



ROSSLYN BID WELCOMES NEW STAFF

It's been a busy year here in Rosslyn. In late 2015, we said goodbye to some longtime staff, but had the pleasure of welcoming several new team members, including **Sophie Barral**, events manager; **Maureen Goldman**, director of marketing and communications; and **Kesi Lumumba**, administrative assistant. We are glad to have them on board!

"Joining the Rosslyn BID team has been such a joy," says Goldman. "From working on our website redesign to planning events that will engage residents and employees, we strive to make Rosslyn the place to be. One of the benefits of working for the BID is that we get to interact with our businesses, residents, employees and retailers. We are constantly developing new programming to engage our stakeholders and always welcome community input."

ACCESS EVEN MORE ROSSLYN INFO ONLINE: ROSSLYNVA.ORG

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