



Dear More to Explore Sponsor,

The Healthy Eating & Active Living (HEAL) action team of the Healthy St. Mary's Partnership is finalizing details for the *2019 More to Explore Program* for St. Mary's County. The *More to Explore Program* encourages all community members to get outside and explore local parks, historic sites and farmer's markets through an annual passport challenge. The *More to Explore* passport guides participants to these locations and offers prizes to those who visit multiple sites. This program works in tandem with the St. Mary's County Library summer reading program, which allows individuals to participate online or with a hard copy of the passport booklet. For more information, please visit: <http://healthystmarys.com/more-to-explore>.

**Sponsors are crucial to the ongoing success of this program and provide the means to offer a printed booklet option at no cost to community members.** We have enclosed information on sponsorship for 2019 and are hoping for your support. There are various levels of sponsorship available and all donations are tax deductible. If you would like to support the *2019 More to Explore Program*, please mail your completed sponsorship form and check to:

Attn: Jacqueline Heaney  
Healthy St. Mary's Partnership  
c/o St. Mary's County Health Department  
PO Box 316  
Leonardtown, MD 20650

**Checks should be made out to the Minority Outreach Coalition of St. Mary's County with "More to Explore" indicated in the memo section.**

Thank you for your consideration and support of this program. If you would like more information, please contact:

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The Healthy Eating and Active Living (HEAL) action team of the Healthy St. Mary's Partnership brings together local organizations and community members to coordinate local action around healthy eating, active living, and weight management. Partners include: St. Mary's County Recreation & Parks, MedStar St. Mary's Hospital, St. Mary's County Health Department, St. Mary's County Government, The Minority Outreach Coalition, St. Mary's County Public Schools, Department of Economic Development, College of Southern Maryland, Bread of Life Food Pantry, University of Maryland Extension, St. Mary's County Library, UnitedHealthCare, St. Mary's County Tennis Association, Healthiest Maryland Businesses and more! For more information or to join visit: <http://healthystmarys.com/HEAL>.





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*Cardinal Gibbons Park \* Chancellors Run Regional Park \* College of Southern Maryland, Leonardtown Campus \* Dorsey Park \* Elms Beach \* Fifth District Community Park \* Great Mills Canoe/Kayak Launch \* Greenwell State Park \* Home Grown Farm Market \* Historic St. Mary's City \* John G. Lancaster Park \* Jon V. Baggett Park at Laurel Grove \* Miedzinski Park \* Myrtle Point Park \* Nicolet Park \* Piney Point Lighthouse Museum & Historic Park \* Point Lookout State Park \* Seventh District Park \* Sotterley Plantation \* St. Clements Island Museum \* St. Mary's County Public Libraries \* St. Mary's River State Park \* Town of Leonardtown \* Water Trail: Port of Leonardtown to Leonardtown Wharf*

## More to Explore

The *More to Explore Program* encourages all community members to get outside and explore the amazing parks, historic sites and farmer's markets that St. Mary's County has to offer!

## Annual Challenge

Families sign up at their local library OR print the passport from [healthystmarys.com/more-to-explore](http://healthystmarys.com/more-to-explore). Participants can earn prizes for visiting multiple sites listed in their passport and by entering the secret code they find on the *More to Explore* sign at each site. While the prize period is limited, the passport can be used year round as a guide for exploration!

## Make a Difference

Sponsors are crucial to ensuring the continued success of this program. Nearly **1,000 individuals** participated in the *More to Explore* challenge last year. As a sponsor, you are showing your commitment to a healthier St. Mary's.

## Sponsor Recognition

As a donor, your business name will be listed on the program website, press release, and printed materials for 2019. You will also receive a special thank you in the Healthy St. Mary's Partnership Newsletter and on the *More to Explore* Facebook page, reaching over 1,000 local subscribers!

## SPONSOR INFORMATION

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Donations of any amount are welcome! Funds are used to print program materials (passports, flyers, etc.), to maintain outdoor program signs, and to purchase prizes.

Donation Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

All donations are tax deductible, checks payable to: The Minority Outreach Coalition of St. Mary's County. **Please indicate MORE TO EXPLORE in the memo.**

Mail this completed form and check to:

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If you are unable to contribute funds, but are interested in other options, such as donating prizes, please call: (301) 475-4200 or e-mail [christina.bishop@stmarysmd.com](mailto:christina.bishop@stmarysmd.com).

## Coordinated by the Healthy Eating & Active Living Action Team:

St. Mary's County Recreation & Parks, MedStar St. Mary's Hospital, St. Mary's County Health Department, St. Mary's County Government, The Minority Outreach Coalition, St. Mary's County Public Schools, Department of Economic Development University of Maryland Extension Office, College of Southern Maryland, Bread of Life Food Pantry, St. Mary's County Library, University of Maryland Extension, UnitedHealthCare, St. Mary's County Tennis Association, Healthiest Maryland Businesses and more!

