



34th Annual Rockville Science Day Sponsorship Opportunities

Sponsorship Levels	Donation	Examples of Impact*	Your Benefits
GOLD	\$10,000+	Provides resources to support RSC's <i>Community STEM Days</i> for one full year bringing hands-on STEM learning to over 3,000 visitors of all ages	All of the benefits below plus a dedicated press release announcing your partnership with RSC. Logo placement on select event signage.
SILVER	\$5,000	Provides scholarships for 20 children to attend RSC summer camp at reduced cost	All of the benefits below plus recognition at RSC's Leaders in Science awards brunch
BRONZE	\$1,000	Purchases new tools and equipment available for the public's use at the Makerspace	Recognition on Science Day print materials and the RSC website. Logo placement on Science Day t-shirts

*The examples listed are just a few of the ways that your organization's donation can impact the Rockville Science Center's reach. We are happy to tailor the area of impact in order to meet your organization's community outreach goals.

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The deadline to sign up as a sponsor for Rockville Science Day is **March 14, 2025**

The Rockville Science Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and all donations are tax-deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

More About Us: Your Questions Answered

Rockville Science Day

When and where is Rockville Science Day? April 27, 2025, Noon - 5:00 PM, at Montgomery College (Rockville campus)

Is this a new event? 2025 marks the 34th year of Rockville Science Day!

How many people attend? Last year, we had approximately 4,000 visitors of all ages and 100 exhibitors from across the region making it the largest STEM festival in Montgomery County.

What happens at Rockville Science Day? It's all about learning and fun! Our exhibitors (including government agencies, biotechs, universities, corporations, nonprofits, robotics teams, and interest groups) provide an opportunity for the public to interact directly with the scientific community and experience hands-on learning in a wide range of STEM fields. Visitors of all ages are engaged through the exhibits and many return year after year to explore and learn.

Rockville Science Center

What is the Rockville Science Center and where are you located? The Rockville Science Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that was incorporated in 2009 as an outgrowth of the Rockville Consortium for Science which dates back to 1989. We have two locations in Rockville Town Square: our storefront (36C Maryland Ave) and the Rockville Makerspace (33F Maryland Ave).

What does your organization do? While Rockville Science Day is our flagship event, we work throughout the year to bring STEM education and mentorship opportunities to learners of all ages (we like to say 7-97!). Some of the programs we offer include classes (life science topics, robotics, programming, etc.), summer camps, two monthly online lecture series, field trips to local science-related sites, special interest clubs (math, chess, amateur radio), and scouting programs. Our Makerspace offers the community free access to a wide variety of tools and equipment and a membership-based Tool Library. We are especially proud of our high school Explorer Post engineering teams (over 50 students strong this year!) who compete against teams from across the US and consistently place at or near the top every year. In fact, last year's drone team placed first in the advanced division at the UAS4STEM competition in Oshkosh, WI. You can read more about our organization and the programs we offer at rockvillesciencecenter.org.

Why should I support the Rockville Science Center? We need your help to bring cutting edge STEM programs to all in our community regardless of their ability to pay. Montgomery County and surrounding jurisdictions serve as a hub for science and technology in our region, but without access to hands-on education and mentorships, the future workforce may not keep pace with demand. The Rockville Science Center is committed to providing exciting, hands-on programs that inspire students to continue their learning in the STEM fields. In addition, our programs for adults extend learning, create community, and help build a better place for all of us to live. Your sponsorship will help us expand our programming and reach more of the underserved populations in our region. Let's bring the exciting world of STEM to everyone!

Want to learn more?

Contact Alison Chacon (achacon@rockvillesciencecenter.org). We'd love to talk with you, give you a tour of our facilities, and share more about our exciting work and how you can make an impact!