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# Town of Vienna Newsletter

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## JULY 4TH FESTIVAL

Friday, July 4, 11 am - 4 pm  
 Vienna Community Center

The Vienna Parks and Recreation Department invites you to enjoy food, games, rides, arts & crafts, a chili cook-off, community booths, antique cars, family games and music! In the event of rain, call (703) 255-7842 for cancellation information. Ticket sales for rides and attractions end at 3:30 pm.

### Community Events

- 12 pm - Presentation of Colors by Vienna Police Honor Guard.
- 11 am to 12:15 pm - Vienna Community Band.
- 11 am to 4 pm - Chili cook off, indoor arts and crafts, antique and classic car show and inflatables.
- 1:30 pm & 2:30 pm - Old Bay Circus.

### Kid's Craft Corner

2 pm to 3 pm - 4th of July arts and crafts. The Craft Corner is free and open to kids of all ages.

### Main Stage

12:15 to 4 pm - B2B, Jimmy Buffett Tribute Band, mixing trop-rock and Crib-bean country.

## HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Town offices will be closed on Friday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day. Refuse will be collected as normal.

## WATER QUALITY REPORT

See pages 4-9 for the 2014 Water Quality Report for the Town of Vienna and surrounding service area.

Maple Avenue  
 Commercial Zoning  
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 July 7  
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## Pooches on Parade

Pet lovers are invited to bring their pets dressed in their finest 4th of July costumes and participate in the July 4th Pooches on Parade. Register at the gazebo at 10:30 am; parade starts at 11 am on the infield. Free! Sponsored by Town of Vienna, the Hope Advanced Veterinary Center, the Pet Lovers Companion and NOVA Dog Magazine.

## FIREWORKS SHOW

Southside Park, 1315 Ross Drive SW  
 Fireworks Show begins at 9:15 pm

### Entertainment by Fat Chance begins at 7 pm at Yeonas Park

Seating available at Yeonas Park with limited seating available at Southside Park. Spectator seating areas open at 5 pm. Lawn chairs are prohibited on baseball fields at Yeonas Park. Restrooms available. Vienna Little League concession stand open. No dogs, alcohol or glass items permitted.

## Road Closures & Parking

The following streets will be closed to vehicular traffic beginning at 7:30 pm: Patrick Street, Patrick Circle, Ross Drive from Cottage Street to George Street, and George Street from Cottage Street to Ross Drive. Parking available at Cedar Lane School and Thoreau Middle School. Visit [www.viennava.gov](http://www.viennava.gov) for additional public parking opportunities.

# TOWN COUNCIL ACTIONS

The following items are extracts of recent Town Council actions and are not official meeting minutes. The most recent approved Town Council minutes, agendas and meeting videos are available online at [www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=567](http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=567).

## May 12, 2014

- Adopted FY 2014 - 2015 real estate property tax rate.
- Adopted FY 2014 - 2015 water and sewer rates.
- Adopted FY 2014 - 2015 budget.
- Approved Tyler Technologies contract for administrative software.
- Approved Community Center emergency repairs.
- Approved purchase of Rectrac/Webtrac Module for on-line facility scheduling from Vermont Systems, Inc.
- Amended Town Code on minimum tree canopy requirements.
- Approved purchase of trees for Maple Ave. E. service road sidewalk project from Merrifield Garden Center.
- Approved St. Romans Dr. water main contract.
- Approved concrete repair contract to Sagres Construction.
- Approved proposed stormwater ordinance amendments.
- Increased utility marking contract with Double H Locates.
- Approved concrete curb contracts to three developer projects.
- Awarded contract to Urban, LTD for additional engineering services for Follin Lane, SE.
- Set a public hearing date to approve a conservation easement and a parking easement with the Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority.
- Approved VML/VACO finance contract.

## May 19, 2014

- Appointed Emil Attanasi to fill Council vacancy.
- Approved Village Green Shopping Center drainage contract.
- Increased Contract with Ferguson Enterprises, Inc.

## CENTER ST. RECONSTRUCTION BEGINS JUNE 30

Beginning June 30 and lasting two to three months, road crews will begin reconstruction of sidewalks, curbs, gutters and pavement along Center Street, between Maple Ave. E and Locust SE. All roadwork will be done in stages, and through traffic may be closed in both directions during portions of the project. The Town is working closely with local businesses and organizations directly impacted by the construction. Inclement weather may affect the schedule, which is subject to change. For information, and maps showing detour routes, please visit <http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=807> or email [lblandon@viennava.gov](mailto:lblandon@viennava.gov). The Town and its crews appreciate drivers' patience during this needed improvement. The Farmers' Market and all Center Street businesses will remain open throughout the construction.

## TOWN OF VIENNA NEWSLETTER

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### VIENNA TOWN COUNCIL

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Deadline for the August issue is July 15.

## UPCOMING COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARINGS

*All public hearings are held at Town Hall, 127 Center St., S at 8 pm unless otherwise noted.*

**July 7th**

1. Town Code Change Related to the Classification and Compensation Study
2. Maple Avenue Zoning District

Visit [www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=453](http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=453) for up-to-date public notices.

## COMMENT FROM THE COUNCIL TABLE

### Activating Maple Avenue

*By Edythe Frankel Kelleher, Vienna Town Council Member*



Nowadays, shopping and eating out is all about the “experience.” People no longer want to be isolated in suburban enclaves; they want the convenience of nearby transportation and services.

Vienna is well-situated to provide the best of all worlds, with single family homes and the potential for mixed-use developments. That’s why I’m excited that the Council is scheduled to take up

the “Maple Avenue Vision” concept this summer.

Vienna residents have worked for more than 15 years to create a model of what our downtown could look like in the future. The conversation included a charette in 2001, a Task Force from 2002 to about 2005, and several consultant studies. Finally, the recent Steering Committee and consultant have crafted proposed Zoning Ordinance language that would set the stage for mixed-use development, Vienna-style.

Dwellings on Maple Avenue can provide an alternative for older residents who want to stay in Vienna, but no longer want a single-family house, and for younger people who cannot yet afford a house. Also, they will bring more pedestrians to support thriving retail businesses.

Rezoning provides the opportunity for the Town to receive proffers from developers for items like public art and transportation improvements (such as shared parking, closing curb cuts and bike racks), and they allow the Council to approve the design and potential uses of the building. This is done through a transparent process that requires several public hearings. Unlike by-right development, rezoning is voluntary on the part of the Town and the property owner; it does not need to be granted unless the agreement is right.

You can participate in the Town Council’s process very soon. The Council will hear the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment at its July 7 meeting. Check out the Town’s website for additional details.

## Town Council to Receive Public Input on Maple Avenue Vision

On July 7, 2014 at their regular meeting, the Town Council will convene a public hearing to receive comments on the proposed “Maple Avenue Commercial” (MAC) zoning district. The new zoning designation is intended to help implement the vision of a mixed-use, pedestrian-friendly and economically sustainable Maple Avenue corridor between the western Town limits and East Street. The ordinance was drafted with the leadership of the Maple Avenue Vision Steering Committee, in coordination with the Town’s consultant team and staff. For more information and background on the project, please see the Town’s website at <http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=865>

## TREE VIENNA DONATION PROGRAM

*By Lani Allen, Community Enhancement Commission*

Vienna is famous for its wondrous canopy, thick with age old trees and green in both its foliage and policy. As construction rates observably increase, with this inevitably comes a loss of trees. In attempt to compensate for the gradually thinning canopy, the Community Enhancement Commission led the budding Tree Vienna initiative. Tree Vienna provides an opportunity for Vienna residents to donate money towards planting trees throughout the town. Prior to the Council’s first Tree

Vienna work session, I spoke with both Mayor Seeman and Vice Mayor Sienicki, asking them for suggestions as to how this initiative could yield the most success, discussing what groups or organizations might be interested, and how the effort might be publicized. The Council work session hosted a discussion regarding Tree Vienna’s implications, and was met with positive feedback from council members.

In late April 2014 the Town Council

approved the Tree Vienna initiative. Not only does this initiative seek to thicken the town’s canopy but it encourages residents to volunteer in a group effort to plant the purchased trees. This initiative is but a small step towards a larger goal, but it is a step in the right direction, and with help from the Vienna community, it will ultimately help keep our town green. For more information on the Tree Vienna program visit [www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=435](http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=435).

# THE TOWN OF VIENNA 2014 WATER QUALITY REPORT

for the Town of Vienna  
and the surrounding service area

## MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

This is the Town of Vienna's sixteenth annual report to inform you about your drinking water quality. As a part of the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires all water utilities across the nation to mail their customers a Water Quality Report by July 1 every year. Our goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water and we want you to understand our efforts to protect your water supply.

The quality of your drinking water must meet state and federal requirements administered by the Virginia Department of Health and the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). We constantly monitor the water supply for various contaminants to ensure we meet all regulatory requirements. The tables in this report list only those contaminants that had some level of detection. Many other contaminants have been analyzed but were either not present or were below the detection limits of the laboratory equipment. Most of our water quality data is from testing done in 2013; however, the Commonwealth allows us to monitor for some contaminants less than once a year because the concentration of these contaminants does not change frequently. Even though some of our data may be more than one year old, it is accurate.

Is your water safe to drink? Absolutely! There were no fecal coliforms detected in 2013. We're proud to share our water quality test results with you. For further information, please call the contact number below.

Sincerely,

Mercury Payton



*This report contains important information about your drinking water. For more information or assistance with understanding the important information contained within this document, contact Donald Kahn, Town of Vienna Water and Sewer Superintendent by phone at (703) 319-8610 or by e-mail at [dkahn@viennava.gov](mailto:dkahn@viennava.gov).*

*El informe contiene información importante sobre la calidad del agua en su comunidad. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.*

## GENERAL INFORMATION

As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Substances (referred to as contaminants) in source water may come from septic systems, discharges from domestic or industrial wastewater treatment facilities, agricultural and farming activities, urban storm water runoff, residential uses and many other types of activities. Water from surface sources is treated to make it drinkable. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water possesses a health risk. More information can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. Environmental Protection Agency/Center for Disease Control guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

## HOW DO I READ THIS CHART?

Our water is tested to assure that it is safe and healthy. Contaminants in the drinking water are routinely monitored according to Federal and State regulations. The table contained in this report shows the most recent results of our monitoring. Typical sources of contamination show where this substance usually originates. The following definitions are provided to help you better understand terms and abbreviations.

- The Washington Aqueduct sampling program includes cryptosporidium. Their results and information are included.
- Non-detects (ND) – laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- Parts per million (ppm) – one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- Parts per billion (ppb) – one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- Parts per trillion (ppt) – one part per trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years or a single penny in \$10,000,000,000.
- Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) – picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.
- Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) – nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity, or cloudiness, of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person. Turbidity is monitored because it is a good indicator of the effectiveness of the filtration system.
- Action Level (AL) – the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- Treatment Technique (TT) – a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) – the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set at very stringent levels by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. In developing the standards EPA assumes that the average adult drinks two liters of water each day throughout a 70-year life span. EPA generally sets MCLs at levels that will result in no adverse health effects for some contaminants or a one-in-ten-thousand to one-in-one million chance of having the described health effect for other contaminants.
- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) – the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) – the maximum level of total chlorine allowable by regulation.

## WATER QUALITY RESULTS

I. **Microbiological Contaminants** – Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.  
Laboratory results indicated that coliform bacteria were present in one test out of 360 samples.

II. **Lead and Copper Contaminants** – Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

Contaminant	Units of Measurement	Action Levels	MCLG	Results of Samples for the 90th Percentile Value	Action Level Exceedence?	Sampling Year	# of Sampling Sites Exceeding Action Level	Typical Source of Contamination
Lead	ppm	0.015	0	0.001	NO	2013	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Copper	ppm	1.3	1.3	0.0884	NO	2013	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems

IV. **2013 Finished Water Characteristics, Source Monitoring for Regulated Parameters** –  
Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

Inorganic/Synthetic/and Metals	Units of Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Level Detected	Violation?	Range of Detection at Sampling Points	Sampling Year
Arsenic	ppb	0	10	0.8	NO	ND - 0.8	2013
Atrazine	ppb	3	3	0.06	NO	ND - 0.06	2013
Barium	ppm	2	2	0.04	NO	0.025 - 0.046	2013
Chromium	ppb	100	100	4	NO	ND - 4	2013
Combined Radium 226/228**	pCi/L	0	5	ND	NO	ND	2013
Fluoride	ppm	4	4	0.8	NO	0.5 - 0.8	2013
Nitrate (Nitrogen)	ppm	10	10	3	NO	0.5 - 3	2013
Nitrite (Nitrogen)	ppm	1	1	0.02	NO	ND - 0.02	2013
Selenium	ppb	50	50	1	NO	ND - 1	2013
Simazine	ppb	4	4	0.05	NO	ND - 0.05	2013
Total Organic Carbon	% removal	N/A	TT (0% - 45% required)	38% - 40%	NO	19% - 78%	2013

Notes:

\*\*Most recent monitoring for this parameter was 2011.

III. **Turbidity** – Were there any detections? ( X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

Contaminant	Treatment Technique Limits	Level Detected	Violation?	Sampling Year	Typical Source of Contamination
Turbidity*	1 NTU Maximum ≤ 0.3 - 95% of the time	0.29 =highest single hourly measurement. Lowest monthly percentage of samples meeting turbidity requirements =100%.	NO	2013	Soil runoff

Notes: \*The turbidity level of filtered water shall be less than or equal to 0.3 NTU in at least 95% of the measurements taken each month and shall at no time exceed 1 NTU.

Typical Source of Contamination
Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards/manufacturing of glass and electrical products
Runoff from herbicide used on row crops.
Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from steel and pulp mills
Erosion of natural deposits
Water additive which promotes strong teeth; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from petroleum refineries; discharge from mines
Herbicide runoff
Naturally present in environment

Contaminant/ DBPs/ Disin- fection By- products	Annual MCLG (ppb)	Average MCL (ppb)	System Running Annual Average (ppb)	System Range (ppb)	Violation?	Sampling Year	Typical Source of Contamination
TTHMs (Total Trihalomethanes)	N/A	80	56.00	10.5 - 88	NO	2013	Byproduct of chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (5)	N/A	60	32.00	9 - 52	NO	2013	Byproduct of chlorination
Total Chlorine	4 ppm	4 ppm	2.50 ppm	1.5 - 2.9	NO	2013	Disinfection additive

## PERCHLORATE RESEARCH

Perchlorate is a naturally occurring as well as man-made compound. Its presence in drinking water is currently unregulated and utilities are not required to monitor for it. The Washington Aqueduct has been voluntarily monitoring for perchlorate since 2002. The EPA initially established a reference dose of 24.5 parts per billion (ppb) for perchlorate and beginning in 2009 has proposed an interim health advisory of 15 ppb. A reference dose is a scientific estimate of a daily exposure level that is not expected to cause adverse health effects in humans. The reference dose concentration was used in EPA's efforts to address perchlorate in drinking water and to establish the interim health advisory. In 2011, finished water sample results for perchlorate collected by Washington Aqueduct at both treatment plants ranged between none detected and 3.7 ppb. If you have special health concerns, you may want to get additional information from the EPA at [www.epa.gov/safewater/contaminants/unregulated/perchlorate.html](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/contaminants/unregulated/perchlorate.html) or contact the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, TTY711.

## LEAD IN DRINKING WATER

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Town of Vienna is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in private plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 15 to 30 seconds or until it becomes cold or reaches a steady temperature before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at [www.epa.gov/safewater/lead](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead) or by calling the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, TTY 711.

## TURBIDITY IN DRINKING WATER

Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea and associated headaches.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Decisions concerning Vienna's water are made by the Town Council. Regular meetings are normally held the first and third Mondays of the month (except July and August) at 8 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Town Hall.

## WATER SOURCES

For the calendar year 2013, the Town of Vienna was supplied with treated surface water from the Potomac River and the Washington Aqueduct supplied by Fairfax County Water Authority (FCWA).

## 2013 SOURCE WATER CRYPTOSPORIDIUM INFORMATION

Cryptosporidium was monitored in the source water monthly in 2013 but was not detected in any sample. The only detection of Cryptosporidium that has occurred since the initiation of source water monitoring was in October 2005.

## 2013 SOURCE WATER GIARDIA INFORMATION

Giardia was monitored in the source water monthly in 2013. Giardia cysts were detected in five samples with concentrations ranging from 0.04 to 0.29 cysts/L. Giardia cysts were detected in April, July, September, October and December of 2013.

## WATER AND SEWER RATES LINKED TO CONSUMPTION AS OF JULY 1

In an effort to incentivize water conservation and balance cost with consumption, the Town Council approved a new rate structure for residential and commercial properties effective July 1, 2014.

Currently, all users pay \$4.75 per 1,000 gallons for water and \$6.66 per 1,000 gallons for sewer if they are in-town or non-Fairfax County users. Under the new "block structure," the same residential consumers would pay \$4.66 per 1,000 gallons for up to 16,000 gallons, \$5.10 for between 16,001 and 32,000 and \$6.00 for 32,001 gallons or more. Residential sewer customers will pay \$5.75 per 1,000 gallons for up to 16,000 gallons, \$6.25 for between 16,001 and 32,000 and \$7.30 for 32,001 or more. Fairfax County sewer users will retain the same sewer rate. The base will go from \$8.00 to \$15.00 per quarter.

Under the new incentive plan, rates for average users should decrease slightly according to Finance Director Karen Spence. The Town's average water consumption rate is 16,000 gallons per quarter, close to the national average. "Residents who are conservation oriented and remain below the 16,000 gallons per quarter average will see their water and sewer bills decrease" Spence said. "This should be especially helpful to seniors and other low consumption users in our community" she added. More information on the new rate structure can be found at <http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=400> beginning July 1.

## SUPPORTING OUR GREEN BUSINESSES

*By Greg Bernhard, Town/Business Liaison Committee*

In previous months, you have seen us write about the importance of Vienna's Shop Local initiative. Specifically, we have presented how much more money stays within our community when residents shop locally. We encourage you to consider this when making shopping decisions, and where possible, support our local businesses.

We also know the support provided by local businesses goes beyond the dollars they reinvest back into the community. Vienna business leaders care greatly about our environment. In April, the Town of Vienna's Business Liaison Committee recognized Tim Fricker, owner of Bikes @ Vienna for his Green Business initiatives. Fricker voluntarily implemented several sustainable practices, including comprehensive recycling of metal and aluminum bike parts, packaging materials as well as bottles and cans left by customers. Bikes @ Vienna also partners with Bikes For The World to distribute rehabilitated bikes to developing countries to be used for transportation. The Town of Vienna supports these business decisions and we encourage you to ask local businesses about their green practices, and also to suggest ways for the Town and its business community to be better stewards of the environment.

## JULY TOWN MEETINGS

*All meetings begin At 8:00 pm unless otherwise noted*

**Tuesday, 1st:** Windover Heights Board of Review, 7:30 pm *(if needed)*

**Monday, July 7th:** Town Council Meeting

**Thursday, 10th:** Town/Business Liaison Committee, 7:00 pm

**Wednesday, 16th:** Board of Zoning Appeals

**Thursday, 17th:** Board of Architectural Review

**Thursday, 24th:** Community Enhancement Commission, 7:30 pm

**Tuesday, 29th:** Pedestrian Advisory Committee, 7:00 pm

**Tuesday, 29th:** Transportation Safety Commission



# NEWS FROM VIENNA PARKS & RECREATION

All classes are held at the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry Street SE, unless otherwise specified.

Register for Parks & Recreation classes online at: [www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=545](http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=545).

## JUST FOR TEENS

**Friday Night's Teen Hall Party**, from 8 pm to 10 pm, enjoy a game of pool, ping pong or a video game tournament. All rising 6th to 9th grade members are invited. Dates and themes include:

July 11 - Patriotic,  
July 18 - Favorite Sports Team,  
July 25 - Wackiest Outfit,  
August 1 - Hawaiian Luau,  
August 8 - Crazy Hair.

## JUST FOR YOUTH

### Kids Adventure Race

Are you ready to get dirty? From hay pyramids to sunken tires, this kid friendly obstacle race is fun for all! Please pre-register at the Vienna Community Center. The race will take place at Southside Park, 1315 Ross Drive, Vienna. The race will start promptly at 10:00 am RAIN or SHINE. All participants will receive a race t-shirt and light refreshments. All finishers will receive a medal. Pre-registration is required. There will be no registration the day of the race.

**Sign up for Summer Camps** with Vienna Parks and Recreation. Your child will enjoy a variety of camps ranging from fishing to gymnastics, from tennis to computers - there's something for everyone! View the Vienna Parks and Recreation Summer Camp brochure online at [www.viennava.gov/Archive.aspx?AMID=62](http://www.viennava.gov/Archive.aspx?AMID=62) and see what's available!

## JUST FOR YOUTH

**Summer Stories and Sprinklers** will be held on the Town Green on Wednesdays from June 25 through August 6. Kids of all ages and their parents will enjoy a story at 1 pm and families are invited to run through the sprinklers at 1:30 pm. Free.

## Summer on the Green July Concerts

Summer on the Green is a series of free performances presented by the Town of Vienna and its sponsors. All performances are held at 6:30 pm (unless otherwise noted) on the Vienna Town Green, 144 Maple Avenue E. Please bring your chairs and/or blankets. No alcoholic beverages are permitted and we recommend leaving your pets at home.

July 11 – Stealin’ the Deal –  
Rock and Country  
July 13 – Village Jazz Band  
July 18 – Feedback – Classic and  
Alternative Rock  
July 20 – US Navy Commodores  
July 25 – Karl Stoll And The  
Danger Zone  
July 27 – Vienna Community

## VIENNA YOUTH PLAYERS PRESENTS

### DO BLACK PATENT LEATHER SHOES REALLY REFLECT UP?

SHOW DATES:

AUGUST 1,2,8,9 - 7:30 P.M. AUGUST 10 - 1:00 P.M.

Tickets go on sale July 9

## WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES

*These businesses received business licenses  
during the month of May*

### Vogue Boutique, LLC

Consignment Shop  
175 Maple Ave E  
(571) 246-2564

### Shangri-La Day Spa

Massage Therapy  
410 Maple Ave W  
(703) 272-8222

### Maple Medical

Physican Office  
112 Maple Ave E  
(703) 865-8615

## BUSINESS ANNIVERSARIES

The following businesses will celebrate milestone anniversaries during the month of July:

30 years - McKenny Interiors; Vienna Sunoco;  
25 years - Pie Gourmet, LTD;  
20 years - Panacea, Inc.;;  
15 years - Mike's Warehouse; Patricia Velkoff, Ph.D., P.C.  
10 years - Cedar Lane Tax and Business; Nolan, Mroz, & McCormick, PLC.;;  
Wheat's Lawn and Custom Landscape

# HAPPENINGS AROUND OUR TOWN

**Your old magazines and paperback books** are welcomed by detainees at the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center through the Literacy Project, sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution, Fairfax County Chapter. Regular donors may leave publications in sturdy plastic bags at the usual location on the last Tuesday of each month from 9 am to 7 pm. (Be sure to remove mailing labels from magazines.) First-time donors may call Florence Roseborough at 703-281-2498 for information.

**PFLAG Fairfax**, a community group for Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, and **FLY**, a social group for LGBTQ youth and allies ages 12 (with parental permission) to 19, will meet concurrently on Tuesday, July 1, 7:30-9:00 pm at Unity Church, 2854 Hunter Mill Road (a temporary location for July and August.) **FLY** also holds Teen Lounges on the 3rd Friday of every month and will meet at various locations for June-August. E-mail [wf.pflag@gmail.com](mailto:wf.pflag@gmail.com) for information on both groups or visit [www.pflagdc.org](http://www.pflagdc.org). Visit **FLY** on Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/groups/fly.pflag/>

**Breakfast Buffet**, Sun., July 20, from 8 am to 12 pm, Vienna's American Legion Post 180, 330 Center Street, N, Vienna 22180. Adults \$8, children \$3: omelets, scrambled eggs, blueberry pancakes, bacon, etc. For more information, call (703) 938-6580.

**The Vienna Arts Society** celebrates summer with original art and children's classes in July and August at the Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St., NW. Drop by to see "R U Puzzled Yet?"

a giant work created by assembling dozens of large puzzle pieces which have been painted and collaged by artists. The exhibition is free and open to the public: Tuesdays - Saturdays, 10 am - 4 pm, July 1 - 26.

**The Vienna Arts Society** invites adults to support the fine arts by purchasing a \$20 ticket for "BUNCO NIGHT, a Fun Raiser" on July 24th at the Vienna Art Center. Contact the Art Center Director at 703-319-3971 or visit [www.ViennaArtsSociety.org](http://www.ViennaArtsSociety.org) for details.

**The Vienna Woman's Club** is seeking crafters and vendors for its 54th annual Holiday Bazaar to be held on Sat., Nov. 8, at the Vienna Community Center. Funds collected from the event support the club's scholarship awards. For information and application, email Diane Abel at [dcabel@cox.net](mailto:dcabel@cox.net).

**Historic Vienna, Inc.** encourages Vienna property owners who would like to determine, if their home or property is eligible as an addition to the Vienna Register of Historic Structures, Sites and Places. There are currently 25 locations on the Register. A complete listing and map may be found on the Town website at [www.viennava.gov](http://www.viennava.gov). Also on the website is a form to provide documentation, such as significant dates, identification of events or people associated with the property and a description of the process. There is no charge for the application or review; however, once a property is approved, a bronze marker is available to a property owner at a nominal cost. Please contact the Director of Parks & Recreation at 703-255-6360 or Historic Vienna, Inc. at 703-938-5187 for more information.

**Teen workshop on how to handle finances** for ages 11 - 17. Wednesdays, July 9, 16, 23 and 30, from 6-8pm at the Vienna community Center, 144 Cherry Street SE. Kids will learn how to handle their hard earned money. They will learn about credit, checking and savings. They will also learn to make the right choices as they become adults. For further information contact [lmeruvia@gmail.com](mailto:lmeruvia@gmail.com) or call 703-839-5790.

## JULY EVENTS AT VIENNA'S SATURDAY FARMERS' MARKET

The Optimist's Vienna Saturday Farmers' Market at 301 Center Street S. is open while work on Center St. goes on. The market is accessible via Park then Cherry St. or Courthouse and Locust -- take the scenic drive and find free parking in the lot for patrons or in front of the market. Bluegrass on 7/12 and 7/26 from 10 to 11:30 am. TJ Michael/balloon artist guests on 7/5 during market hours (8 am to noon). See [www.viennafarmersmarket.com](http://www.viennafarmersmarket.com) for more information.

**Historic Vienna, Inc.** is offering "Old Fashioned Summer Fun For Kids" on the side lawn of the Freeman Store, 131 Church Street NE on Saturday, July 26 at 2 pm and Saturday, August 2 at 4 pm. Children and parents are invited to play old-time games. Learn some crafts, listen to a storyteller and make and enjoy hand-cranked ice cream. Free and open to the public, reservations encouraged. For more information call 703 938 5187 or visit [www.historicviennainc.org](http://www.historicviennainc.org).

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911  
(Voice & TDD)**

**VIENNA POLICE  
DIRECT  
703-938-4900 (Voice)  
703-255-5730 (TDD)  
NON-EMERGENCY  
703-255-6366 (Voice)  
703-255-5730 (TDD)**

**COMMUNITY CENTER  
703-255-6360 (Voice)  
TTY Virginia Relay 711  
120 Cherry St., S.E.  
Vienna, Virginia 22180**

**VIENNA TOWN HALL  
703-255-6300 (Voice)  
TTY Virginia Relay 711  
127 Center Street, South  
Vienna, Virginia 22180-5719  
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## THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

*From the Vienna Newsletter Archives*

## REGISTER FOR AUGUST RAD CLASSES

The Vienna Police Department, in conjunction with the Rape Aggression Defense (RAD) System and Navy Federal Credit Union, is proud to offer personal safety classes for women. RAD is a system of self-defense that is provided in cities and on college campuses throughout the United States and Canada.

Each three-hour class involves classroom and hands-on training in personal safety. Within this safe and controlled environment, role playing can be conducted to help develop skills.

Registration is open for the summer 4-day session to be held on July 28, 30, August 4 and 6, at the Navy Federal Credit Union's training center. Call (703) 255-7837 or visit [www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=196](http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=196) for more information.

## REAL ESTATE TAX DUE

The first installment on 2014 Town of Vienna real estate taxes is due on Monday, July 28, 2014. If you have not received your bill by July 15, please call the Town's real estate office at (703) 255-6325.

**July 2004:** The Town Council will consider a request to open Church Street, N.W., to two way traffic between Lawyers Road and Pleasant Street. The subject of two-way traffic on this portion of Church Street has been debated for many years, and several traffic studies of this area have been made. The Town's Transportation Safety Commission has recommended against opening the street to two-way traffic.

**July 1994:** On July 1, the Vienna Police Department's Traffic Squad will add another member for a total of five full-time traffic patrol officers, giving the unit the man power to operate seven days a week. Also beginning in July, the police and the Transportation Safety Commission will launch a campaign of stepped-up traffic law enforcement and public education on safety issues.

**July 1984:** The Town of Vienna now has its own flag, which was officially unfurled at the July 4th celebration. Vienna resident Christopher Caldwell, a fine arts major at James Madison University, is the winner of the recent contest to design a Town flag. His design was selected by the Town Council from over 100 entries.

**July 1974:** The traditional booths and games will be on hand at Vienna's Fourth of July celebration, along with the popular "Dunk the Mayor Booth," into which residents get to dunk their favorite Council members if they hit the target with the ball.