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THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

From the Vienna Newsletter Archives

June 2005: Dominion Virginia Power and the Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority (NVRPA) have signed an agreement to enhance tree preservation along the W&OD Regional Trail. The agreement provides guidelines to plant and maintain "the right tree in the right place" and also governs the use of herbicides by Dominion.

June 1995: The grand re-opening of Patrick Henry Library is scheduled for June 24. The library expansion includes space for over 100,000 items, quiet reading room, children's room with its own information desk, 65-seat meeting room, eight-seat conference room, eight terminals for the online catalog, lounge seating for homework and research, periodicals display and improved access for people with disabilities.

June 1985: The Vienna Woman's Club recently planted a Canadian hemlock tree at the Town's Bowman House Arts and Crafts Center on Center Street. The tree was dedicated to outgoing member Mrs. Hill, who has belonged to the club for the past 23 years.

June 1975: The Town of Vienna was officially recognized as a Bicentennial Community, Wednesday, May 21, by the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration (ARBA). Vienna was recognized because of its "meaningful Bicentennial activities." In order to receive the honor the Town had to have an active Bicentennial Commission with useful, sound and active programs.

Business Anniversaries!

The following businesses celebrated milestone anniversaries during the month of June:

40 Years
Buswell And Bennett Commercial Cleaning

30 Years
CJS Associates

25 Years
Coolwinds

15 Years
ABCO Data Systems, INC.

10 Years
Clear View Homes LLC
Diana S. Gibb, LLC
Sodexo Management, INC
The Dandelion Patch, INC
Vienna Barber/ THO V. HO

5 Years
C. Mack Solutions, LLC
Knicely Movers, LLC
Randi Simenson
The Tango Boutique, LLC
William Chappell, INC.

WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES

These businesses received business licenses during the month of May.

Carolyn Ubben Architect PLLC
Architect
507 Ridge Rd SW
(703) 389-1786

Pleasant Dental
Dentist
112 Pleasant St NW B
(703) 272-7688

Dogan & John Hair Salon LLC
Beauty Salon
527 Maple Ave W
(202) 664-0244

Liz Brinson, CST
Massage Therapy/Bodywork
243 Church St NW 300A
(301) 562-9899

Michelle's Beautique
Beauty Salon
305 Maple Ave W D
(571) 485-0495

Sallie Twentyman, MSW, LCSW
Psychotherapist
129 Park St NE 12B
(703) 944-4009

Larsa
Computer Service
305 Maple Ave W D
(601) 307-4766

Clarity
Restaurant
442 Maple Ave E
(703) 539-8400

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Election Results

Three Councilmembers were chosen in the May 5 election. Incumbents, Carey Sienicki and Howard Springsteen have been re-elected. Sienicki has served on the Vienna Town Council since 2011 and Springsteen has served on the Town Council since 2009. Newly elected Councilmember Tara Voigt will begin her term on July 1.

The vote totals are as follows:

- Sienicki: 389
- Springsteen: 383
- Voigt: 386

Out of 10,483 registered voters, 471 voted; a 4.5% voter turnout. Thank you to all citizens who took the time to vote as well as those who served as election officers.

Curious to know what life was like in 1890, the year that Vienna was established?
The United States Polo Association was formed in New York City on June 6. Also, the United States Census began using an automated tabulating machine with punch cards invented by Herman Hollerith. It was a historic moment in the history of computing, eventually Hollerith's company became IBM.

Vienna's Evening in White

Tickets available to Town of Vienna residents beginning June 1, 2015

In Celebration of Vienna's 125th Anniversary
The Town presents Vienna's Evening in White
Saturday, September 12, 2015
7 p.m. - midnight
Hosted at a secret outdoor Vienna location
Exclusive to Town of Vienna Residents and their guests
Purchase online at viennaeveninginwhite.com
Seating is Limited
Dining – Live Music – Dancing

ENJOY STORIES AND SPRINKLERS ON WEDNESDAYS

Each Wednesday from June 24 through August 5, children can enjoy stories at the Historic Vienna Little Library located behind the Freeman Store, 131 Church Street NE at 1 p.m. At 1:30 p.m., families can enjoy a run through the sprinklers on the lawn of the Town Green.

This event is free and appropriate for all ages.
Sponsored by Historic Vienna, Inc.

Take in an evening of entertainment and fireworks on a new night this year, Friday, July 3, 2015!

Music will be provided by Fat Chance at 7 p.m and the fireworks show will begin at 9:15 p.m at Yeonas Park . See you there!

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.

All votes are unanimous unless noted otherwise.

April 13, 2015

- Approved increasing the expenditure for Datamatx to $26,700 in the Water and Sewer Fund.
- Awarded the auditing services contract to Robinson Farmer Cox under RFP 15-04.
- Approved the Final Plat and specific modifications and waivers from the Vienna Town Code for Onondio Cove. This approval is further conditioned upon the formal approval of the proposed partial vacation of Ninovan Road, SE as requested by the applicant.
- Adopted the Ordinance to Vacate the portion of Ninovan Road SE, east of Tapawingo Road and adjacent to 911 Ninovan Road SE, accepted payment of $21,306.00 from Satpal Sahni of Swan Homes, LLC for the vacated portion.
- Approved the proposed ordinance to re-number the Code of the Town of Vienna, Chapter 18, Zoning, Article 14, CMP Industrial Park Regulations, Section 18-95.1.
- Adopted an ordinance to amend the Code of the Town of Vienna, Chapter 17, Subdivisions, Article 5, Improvements, Section 17-67.1 Dedication of Sidewalks for Single-Lot Development; and Section 17-67.2 Completion of Sidewalks for Single-Lot Development.
- Adopted the Pedestrian Master Plan resolution.
- Approved the Solid Waste Management Plan Update.
- Increased contract IFB-15-08 with ABS by $35,843 to install various HVAC items, winterize our system and include on-call electronic control maintenance.
- Approved the installation of the TSC recommended lane striping in the 400 Block of Center Street, North.
- Withdrew request for consideration of the vacation of a portion of Locust Street SE.
- Approved additional A&E fees, under RFP 14-03, to Lukmire Partnership for the Vienna Community Center gymnasium redesign in the amount not to exceed $29,802.

April 27, 2015

All items approved 6 - 1, with Councilmember Kelleher absent.

- Approved the Police Department to ride NJPA contract #100614 for the purchase of an in car video system for the patrol fleet, at a total cost of $103,960.
- Approved the partial bond reduction for public improvements located at the 301 & 303 Niblick Drive SE subdivision to a surety amount of $26,932.43 to be held until the remainder of the public improvements are completed.
- Awarded a $50,000 design contract to Rinker Design and Associates for the Park & Locust Street mini-roundabout design.
- Approved the additional $5,000 design work, RFP 12-01 with RDA for the John Marshall Drive NW sidewalk project.
- Awarded a $310,000 Westbriar Drive NE sidewalk construction contract to Sagres Construction.
- Approved the Memorandum of Understanding agreement with Fairfax County for the Wolftrap Creek Stream Restoration Phase II Project and authorized the Mayor to execute the agreement pending final legal review by the Town Attorney.
- Increase FY15 spending with Espina Paving, Inc., IFB 14-21 by $82,000.00 to $343,565.00 from accounts #10414-47402 for $62,000.00, and #50111-47408 for $20,000.00.
- Approved an additional emergency expenditure of $15,000.00 with HD Supply.
- Awarded a $38,000 fuel management and fuel dispensing equipment replacement contract IFB 15-10 to Jones and Frank.
- Adopted a proposed ordinance to re-number the Code of the Town of Vienna, Chapter 18, Zoning, Article 14, CMP Industrial Park Regulations, Section 18-95.1

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Deadline for the July issue is June 10.

A special thank you to Councilmember Emil Attansai for his p.3 article in last month's Town Newsletter. His service on the Town Council has been appreciated by all.

UPCOMING COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARINGS

No public hearings currently scheduled in June. Visit www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=453 for up-to-date public notices.

HAPPENINGS AROUND OUR TOWN

Store and Museum, 131 Church Street NE. www.historicviennainc.org

The Freeman Store's new Adventurer's Guide, $3, is a booklet of fun activities for kids to do while exploring the Store and Museum. It includes a sew-on patch. www.historicviennainc.org

Oakton Church of the Brethren.. Flea Market Set for June 6, a community flea market, with food and a bake sale, is set for Saturday, June 6, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., rain or shine, at Oakton Church of the Brethren, 10025 Courthouse Rd., Vienna, Va. Sales space is available for a $15 donation to the church and must be reserved in advance. For information or to reserve sales space, see www.oaktonbrethren.org or call 703-281-4411.

Vienna Woman's Club Commended on it's 60th Anniversary, at the club's annual scholarship awards evening on April 29th, Del. Mark Keam presented President Diane Abel with House Resolution No. 302, approved by the House of Delegates. The Resolution noted the accomplishments of the club over the past 60 years, including help ing establish the Patrick Henry Library, and volunteering at various local charities like Alternate House and Food for Others. The Resolution concluded with an expression of the House of Delegates' respect and admiration for {the club's} work on behalf of the residents of Vienna and Fairfax County."

Level Up Sports Clinic Registration is now open. This summer Faith Baptist Church is once again offering a free basketball and soccer clinic for grades K-6. Cost: Free. Dates: July 7th-9th (Tuesday-Thursday) Grades: Rising Kindergarten - 6th graders Sports: Soccer and Basketball Hours: Soccer 9 -11a.m.; Basketball 1-3 p.m. Register online at www.believegrowchange.org/levelup.php

Week of Hope: This summer 700 students and adults from all over the country will come to Faith Baptist and participate in service projects all over the Fairfax County. They arrive on Sunday evenings in groups of 120. As a thank you for their 7 weeks of service we are looking for groups or individuals to sponsor a thank you meal for 120 people once a week for 7 weeks this summer. If you or your organization are willing to sponsor one meal, or part of a meal this summer please contact Shannon Mathews at shannon@believegrowchange.org or 540-841-9293. These volunteers pay to come serve us all summer, so we would really love to bless each group as they come in once a week!

Photography Lecture "Through the Eyes of a Photojournalist" Wednesday, June 3 at 7:30 P.M. at the Oakton Elementary Auditorium Rm 123, 3000 Chain Bridge Rd Oakton, VA 22124 www.vpsva.org/. Free and open to public. The Vienna Photographic Society is hosting a presentation by Essdras M. Suarez is a two-time Pulitzer prizewinning photojournalist and former 12-year staff photographer with the Boston Globe. His presentation evening is "Through the Eyes of a Photojournalist" touching on his experience in photojournalism (conflict and disaster) as well as his experience in travel destinations (including Cuba) and portraiture. Details at www.vpsva.org/

The Mayor Meets with the Teen Council

Mayor DiRocco, President Sydney Scafidi and members of the Teen Council met in the month of May to discuss how the Teen Councilmembers can help in and around the community. President Scafidi and Vice President Reese Noyes both take their roles seriously and with the help of the Teen Councilmembers, both leaders have made a tremendous difference this year.

The Teen Council is structured much like that of the Town Council. The teens gather to implement ideas and plans to better strengthen the community. Mayor DiRocco gave the teens insight and shared vital information on how the Town Council handles Town business and community issues.

The Teen Councilmembers are made up of Vienna teens ranging from 6th grade to 12th grade. Meetings are held at the Club Phoenix Teen Center bi-weekly and start promptly at 6:30pm. Vienna teens interested in joining the Club Phoenix Teen Council please contact Recreation Program Coordinator Brain Hanifin at bhanifin@viennava.gov or (703)255-6352.

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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 a.m. to 7 p.m. (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, June 2, 2015, 7:30-9 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, Program Building, 2709 Hunter Mill Road, Oakton. FLY also holds Teen Lounges on the 3rd Friday of every month, alternating between movie and pizza nights at UUCF and outside venues. E-mail wf.pflag@gmail.com for information on both groups or visit www.pflagdc.org. Visit FLY on Facebook at http//www.facebook.com/groups/fly.pflag/

The Women's Center, presents Strength Building for a Solid Foundation: A personal leadership program for Middle School and High School girls. In this week long summer program students will use discussion, movement and the arts to connect to others and work with their own strengths and challenges. The program is designed by Women's Center professionals to: construct courage, cultivate confidence, care for connections, and create calm. Register for the dates & locations most convenient for your family:

July 6 – 10 Middle School Girls, 9 a.m. -12 p.m. Falls Church High School

July 6 – 10 High School Girls 1 – 4 p.m. Falls Church High School

July 27 – 31 Middle School Girls 9 a.m. -12 p.m. Vienna Presbyterian Church

July 27 - 31 High School Girls 1 – 4 p.m. Vienna Presbyterian Church

August 3 – 7 Middle School Girls 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Lewinsville Presbyterian Church

August 10 – 14 Middle School Girls 9 a.m. -12 p.m. Vienna Presbyterian Church

August 10 – 14 High School Girls 1 – 4 p.m. Vienna Presbyterian Church

To register or for more information, email programs@thewomenscenter.org or call (703) 281-2657. www.thewomenscenter.org

A Breakfast Buffet will be offered Sunday, June 21, from 8 a.m. to noon, Vienna American Legion Post 180, 330 Center St., N. Adults $9, children 12 and under $3. Get omelets, scrambled eggs, blueberry pancakes, bacon, etc. For more information, call 703-938-6580.

The Vienna Arts Society, a 501 c 3 non-profit organization dedicated to "enriching our community through the arts", announces the following special events at the Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant Street, NW, Vienna VA 22180: **"Happiness Is ? "** Members of the Vienna Arts Society exhibit and sell original artworks in several continuing shows in the area. Drop by the Vienna Art Center, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Tuesdays - Saturdays, June 2 – 27, to see the current exhibition. While there you can pick up a map showing where artists are showing other works in town. Meet the artists and enjoy light refreshments at a reception Saturday, June 6, 4 – 6 p.m. **Mary Ellen Larkins**, whose exquisite glass *objets d'art* are featured in local galleries and at C'Ville Arts in Charlottesville, Virginia, will demonstrate painting on glass with enamels on Thursday, June 11, 7:30 p.m. **Gentle Community Yoga**- Thursdays from 8:45 - 10 a.m. All levels welcome. Those new to Yoga will learn what it's all about and strengthen their core. Those with experience will find their level. Bring a mat and a towel or small blanket. Please register by emailing ArtCenter@ViennaArtsSociety.org All events are free and open to the public. www.ViennaArtsSociety.org 703-319-3971

Vienna's Meadowlark Botanical Gardens Needs Volunteers. Like digging in the dirt? Love beautiful surroundings? Like meeting interesting people and making new friends? Come volunteer with the horticulture staff at Meadowlark Botanical Gardens, 9750 Meadowlark Gardens Court, Vienna, VA. We need help propagating plants, planting, weeding, and generally keeping these beautiful gardens looking their best. No experience necessary. Tools and gloves are provided. Let us know what morning each week you would like to help. We are a 10 minute drive from downtown Vienna--come join us! To find out more, contact Tammy Burke, Senior Horticulturist, at tburke@nvrpa.org.

Historic Vienna Inc celebrates the year's second Sunday Afternoon on Church Street, June 28, 1-5 p.m. We'll have old-fashioned games for kids of all ages: Come play tiddlywinks, jacks, hoops, hopscotch and more with us. Try hand cranking homemade ice cream. There will be vintage items and used books for sale, and local history authors will talk about and sign their books. Freeman

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COMMENT FROM THE COUNCIL TABLE

By Laurie DiRocco, Mayor

Residents are outside walking and biking; flowers are in bloom; the parks are filled with families; the smell of fresh grass fills the air and the days are longer – it is springtime in Vienna! The Town of Vienna continues to celebrate its 125th anniversary. The kickoff began at the re-enactment and birthday party in February. The cold and sunny day brought hundreds of people to the Freeman Store to celebrate the start of a small Town in Fairfax County. I enjoyed playing Orin Hine, the first Mayor of the Town. Major Hine, the New Yorker who came to Vienna in 1866, sold real estate, valued education and helped establish the first Town ordinances. The Town is also celebrating its 125th with Afternoons on Church Street. The Town has set aside the last Sunday of the month from May through October to close Church Street to vehicular traffic and allow the merchants to bring their wares to the street. The Church Street restaurants will have additional outdoor seating and there will be wine and beer tastings. There will be a theme for each Sunday. Hopefully you attended the Avenue of Art theme on May 31st hosted by the Vienna Arts Society. The next one will be on June 28th and the theme is Stories and Scavengers. It is hosted by the Vienna Library, so bring your children and learn more about Vienna history!

Lastly, the Town is hosting a lovely Evening In White celebration. Residents have to pre-register and pay ahead of time for this fun-filled event. This dinner party is being held at a secret location. Resident wear all white and bring their own dinner and drink, but the location is decorated and has a wonderful band to play for the evening. Wine and beer will also be sold at the event. Registration for the event starts on June 1st. More information can be found on the website, www.viennaeveninginwhite.com .

Last month the Town celebrated Volunteer Day on April 14th and I held a Volunteer Recognition Reception at the Vienna Fire Department. I am extremely grateful the Town has so many wonderful volunteers who affect the community in positive ways. The 125th events are being organized by a number of volunteers. People who enjoy giving their time to making Vienna a great place to live, work and play. I want to thank the many volunteers who are helping the Town celebrate the year of its birth, the Town staff who are working hard to organize and support the events, and for the many innovative volunteers from 1890 that had the idea to incorporate as a Town. Enjoy your time as the slower months of summer approach and take the opportunity to linger in Town. Hope to see you strolling down Church Street!

Show Appreciation to Vienna Businesses this Summer

By Mike Gadell, Town/Business Liaison Committee

It's time to shake off the cold weather and enjoy the many things that make Vienna a great place to live, work and play. Summer is here so it's a great time to discover new shops and restaurants. It's also a great time to visit the ones you have not seen since the winter holiday shopping season.

The businesses in our Town don't just trade dollars, they help make Vienna a vibrant community. Shops, restaurants and services that have chosen to locate their businesses here create commerce. Did you know that our local businesses build our community by supporting the many events in our town? For example, "Concerts on the Green", "July 4th Celebration" and everyone's favorite "Halloween Parade" and "October Fest". Also, the Town's newest event "Afternoons on Church Street", supports all businesses on Church Street and is anticipated to increase visitors to our local businesses this season, "Afternoons on Church Street" will be held on the last Sunday of the month from May-October. These are all events made possible by the many shops and services that support and give back to our community in so many ways.

This June, show your appreciation to the local businesses in Vienna, while you're out shopping, take a moment to say thank you to the people who make our local community strong. The easiest way to show your appreciation is to continue to shop at our local businesses that give back to the community in one way or another. Dollars spent in Vienna – stays in Vienna. Go Local, Shop Vienna!

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR APPOINTMENT BY TOWN COUNCIL TO VARIOUS BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES, ETC.

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ AGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME TELEPHONE NO.: _____ CELL PHONE NO.: _____

EMAIL: _____

YEAR MOVED TO VIENNA: _____ REGISTERED VOTER IN TOWN OF VIENNA? _____

EXPERIENCE THAT WOULD PREPARE YOU FOR SERVICE AS AN ADVISOR TO TOWN COUNCIL:
(Do not list employers' names or attach resume.)

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ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS: (Please list courses taken that would relate directly to public administration/problem solving.)

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Membership on boards and commissions often entails several evening meetings throughout the year. Normally, most boards and commissions meet at least once monthly, with an occasional extra meeting per month.

CAN YOU EXPECT TO BE AVAILABLE FOR THESE MEETINGS? _____

IS THERE ANY PARTICULAR EVENING(S) PER MONTH ON WHICH YOU COULD NORMALLY NOT BE AVAILABLE?

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HAVE YOU SERVED, OR DO YOU CURRENTLY SERVE, ON BOARDS OR COMMISSIONS OF OTHER JURISDICTIONS?
_____ IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

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IN WHAT CIVIC OR SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS ARE YOU ACTIVE?

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WOULD YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN SUCH ORGANIZATIONS OR YOUR PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION(S) OR BUSINESS ACTIVITY POSE ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR INAPPROPRIATE ASSOCIATION AS A MEMBER OF A TOWN BOARD OR COMMISSION?

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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.

White Elephant Bingo and Ice Cream Social, is presented by The Shepherd's Center of Oakton-Vienna and Vienna Parks & Recreation Department. Attention Mature Adult, join your friends for an afternoon of traditional bingo in a friendly atmosphere while you win white elephant prizes. This event will be held at the American Legion 330 N. Center St, lunch is from 12-1 pm, ice cream will be served at 1 pm, and Bingo will start at 1:30 pm. Bingo cards are $2 for 2 cards (limit 2 cards per person). Please bring in a white elephant item in good condition to donate to our prize table. Registration is required, please call 703-281-0538.

JUST FOR ADULTS

Pottery Lab is open to all adults in the pottery program. $25 per person for unlimited lab time on each day offered, $15 for 25 pounds of clay, glazes and firings. Only clay purchased from the Parks and Recreation Department may be used in the studio. This lab will open on June 20.

Handbuilding class will begin on June 11. Students will learn various methods of handbuilding pots for both functional and decorative use and will learn a variety of glazing and decorating techniques. Advanced students entering the class are encouraged to develop and work on specialized projects.

JUST FOR MATURE ADULTS

Writing Circle: Nourishment meets once per week for four consecutive weeks. The class will use writing prompts and discussion to explore different angles of a common theme. This particular class will explore the many ways individuals are enriched through new experience, creativity & imagination, community & connection, and mind, body & spirit. Class will begin June 4 at 1 p.m.

Women's Heart Health lecture will be held June 15 at 10 a.m. Join a representative from the American Heart Association to learn about risk factors and how making positive changes can put an end to heart disease, the No. 1 killer in women. Topics that will be discussed include: nutrition, low sodium recipes, cardiovascular facts,
stroke facts and CPR training cards. This is a free lecture however registration is preferred.

COMMUNITY TRIPS

Riverside Theatre in Fredericksburg, VA presents "My Way", a musical tribute to Frank Sinatra. During the performance you will be served a three-course gourmet meal brought to your table for an additional level of service not commonly found in dinner theaters. This trip will take place on June 17 at 10 a.m.

Now Registering for Summer Camps!

Vienna Parks and Recreation offers a variety of summer camps for kids of all ages. Camps fill quickly, so register now to ensure a fun-filled summer for your child! View the Summer Brochure online at www.viennava.gov.

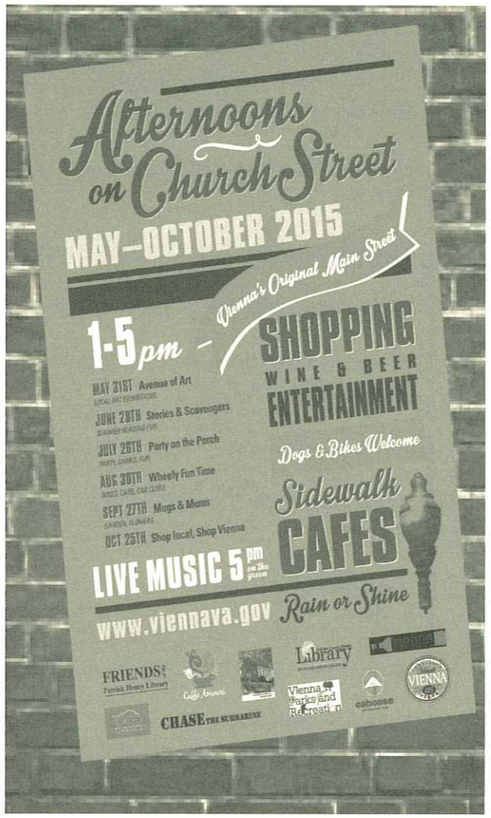
Some Camps that begin in June include:

- Playground Camp
- Teen Excursion Camp
- Tennis 1: Fundamentals Camp
- UK Elite Petite
- Madison Warhawk Football Skills Camp
- Adrenaline Dance Camp
- Fishing Camp
- Computer Animation with Muvizu
- Chess Camp
- Live Action Flix
- Little Shots Tennis Camps
- MVP Elite Girls Lax

More camps begin in July and August. Visit www.viennava.gov for more information.

The Vienna Community Learning Garden

The Vienna Community Learning Garden welcomes all those interested in helping plant, maintain, develop and beautify this public space located behind the Community Center adjacent to the WOD. It is a group effort work-in-progress, intended for public use, viewing and maintenance and all are welcome. If you have creative planting ideas, experienced gardening tips, or just enjoy getting your hands dirty and being outside stop by and check us out. No long term commitment involved. Moving? Cleaning out? We will gladly accept any gardening tools, rakes, shovels, etc that you no longer need. Contact MaryWoodsVienna@gmail.com for pick up, questions or more specific information.



Summer on the Green

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 p.m. (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.

Wednesday, June 3 – The Great Zucchini
Friday, June 5 – Vienna Idol – *Location: Caffé Amouri*
Saturday, June 6 – Vienna Idol – *Location Caffé Amouri*
Sunday, June 7 – The Splinters
Wednesday, June 10 – Captain All-Star
Friday, June 12 – Annapolis Bluegrass
Sunday, June 14 – Fat Chance – Rock
Wednesday, June 17 – Rocknocerous - *Sponsored by Vienna Moms, Inc. and Whole Foods*
Friday, June 19 – Andrew Acosta and the Old-Time String Band
Saturday, June 20 – School of Rock Best of Season
Sunday, June 21 – NRJ – Classic Rock and Country
Wednesday, June 24 – Peter McCory and One Man Band
Friday, June 26 – Karl Stoll and the Danger Zone – Blues and Rock and Roll
Sunday, June 28 - Beetles and Bubblegum Experience
Sunday, June 28 – TBA
Wednesday, July 8 – Lorenzo the Great
Friday, July 10 – Nitehawks Swing Band
Sunday, July 12 - Bill Emerson and the Sweet Dixie Band
Wednesday, July 15 – TBA
Friday, July 17 – Sarah Bennett Swanner – Soulful Blues
Sunday, July 19 – Vienna Community Band
Wednesday, July 22 – Mr. Gabe and the Circle Time All-Stars
Friday, July 24 – Feedback – Rock
Sunday, July 26 – Afternoons on Church Concert - 5 p.m.
Friday, July 31 – Wayne Tympanick Quartet – Jazz/ Dixieland

Solarize Vienna Sunsets June 30

The Town-sponsored program to reduce the cost and complexity of going solar will wrap up June 30. To access the program's bulk purchasing discounts, residents and businesses have until the end of the month to register at SolarizeVienna.org. As of May 18, the program had drawn a strong response, enrolling more than 125 participants for either a Home Energy Checkup or a Solar Assessment.

The Energy Checkup is free and includes a home evaluation, advice from a certified energy coach and installation of more than $100 of energy-efficient products including CFL light bulbs and smart power strips. The Solar Assessment will determine if your home is a good candidate for solar. Five contracts for solar panels have been signed as of May 18. A Solarize informational meeting will be held June 9 at Town Hall, 127 Center St. at 7:30 p.m.

RECYCLING EVENTS

The following recycling opportunities are provided by Fairfax County. For more information on these events visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/living/recycling.

Saturday, June 20: *Document Shredding*, 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., Herndon High School, 700 Bennett St., Herndon, VA. Event Contact: Erica Carter, 703-324-5313

VIENNA RECYCLING EVENTS

Saturday, June 6: Recycle motor oil, antifreeze and car batteries, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., Northside Property Yard, 600 Mill Street NE (703) 255-6380

WOULD YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN SUCH ORGANIZATIONS OR YOUR PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION(S) OR BUSINESS ACTIVITY POSE ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR INAPPROPRIATE ASSOCIATION AS A MEMBER OF A TOWN BOARD OR COMMISSION?

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IN A FEW WORDS, PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR INTERESTS IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND INDICATE HOW YOUR APPOINTMENT TO A BOARD OR COMMISSION WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE OVERALL QUALITY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN VIENNA:

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WHICH BOARD OR COMMISSION INTERESTS YOU MOST?_____

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NOTE: The Town's boards and commissions have a small number of members and relatively few vacancies occur each year. Your application; therefore, may not be acted on immediately but may be held in a citizen "talent bank" until such time as a vacancy, or other Town project, matching your abilities and interests is available. This application is subject to disclosure under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act. Your interest in serving the Town is sincerely acknowledged and appreciated.

Planning Commission – Approves preliminary plats of subdivisions, prepares the Comprehensive Plan for the future development of the town, hears and makes recommendations to Council on rezoning requests and other planning and zoning matters.

Board of Zoning Appeals – Authorized to hear and decide appeals of any decision made by the Director of Planning and Zoning, grant variances from the zoning code, approve conditional use permits and interpret the zoning map.

Board of Architectural Review – Examines and approves plans for commercial buildings, signs and landscaping to ensure that new construction is not bizarre or garish and is harmonious and compatible with existing buildings.

Transportation Safety Commission – Studies intersections, traffic signs, speed limits and other matters relating to street safety and makes recommendations to Council.

Windover Heights Board of Review – Approves new construction and major exterior alterations of buildings within the Windover Heights Historic District in northwest Vienna to ensure that they are in keeping with the old and historic architectural aspect of the surroundings.

Town/Business Liaison Committee – Makes studies and offers recommendations to Council on matters affecting the town's businesses and their relationship with other segments of the community.

Community Enhancement Commission – Created to act as the focal point for beautification and litter control programs.

Bicycle Advisory Committee - Serves as an advisory committee to the Town of Vienna's Transportation Safety Commission (TSC) by providing citizen input in planning the bicycle transportation infrastructure improvements and in promoting bicycling initiatives within the Town of Vienna.

The Pedestrian Advisory Committee - Serves as an advisory committee to the Town of Vienna's Transportation Safety Commission (TSC) by providing citizen input in planning the pedestrian infrastructure improvements and in promoting pedestrian initiatives within the Town of Vienna.

Public Art Commission - Advises and assists the Town Council on matters relating to the advancement of public art in the Town, including the development and funding of a public art program.

DROP OFF OR MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE AT VIENNA TOWN HALL, 127 CENTER ST. S, VIENNA, VA 22180, OR E-MAIL TO CLERK@VIENNAVA.GOV.

More information on Town Boards and Commissions is available at www.viennava.gov.

Community Enhancement Committee Exciting Oppurtunities

By Susan Stillman, Chairperson, Community Enhancement Commission

June is the last month for Solarize sign-ups & June 13th is the Native Plant Sale.

June 30th, 2015 is the last day to sign up for Solarize Vienna! Why is this important? Solar power on your home is easier and more economical than ever. You get a discount and ease of purchasing from the group bulk purchasing power and you get the 30% Federal Investment Tax credit. This tax credit, however, goes away the end of 2016. To qualify for the ITC your system has to be installed and operational before the end of the calendar year. In 2016, the people who didn't take advantage this year are going to be rushing in and you may not get in the queue in time. If you are interested, go to SolarizeVienna.org and sign up. You'll get a FREE energy check-up to make your home more efficient and a FREE solar assessment to determine if your home is appropriate for solar panels.

And on June 13th from 8AM til 1PM at the Town Green, the CEC will be hosting a native plant sale. Last fall's sale was so successful that we decided to have a spring sale, too! Native plants are easier to grow, require less water once established and support the birds and other animals that are native to our area. By planting natives you help make a pathway for bugs, pollinators and birds to feed as they move through the area. Mix some in your garden and see how they work for you!

Real Estate Tax Due Next Month

The first installment on 2015 Town of Vienna real estate tax is due on July 28. Mailed payments must be postmarked on or before that date to avoid penalties and interest. For your convenience, an overnight drop box is located at the front door of Town Hall.

Tax bills will be mailed out the first week of July. If your Vienna taxes are paid through your mortgage company and you receive the tax bill, please notify your mortgage company immediately. If you have sold the property and are not responsible for the tax bill you receive, please notify the Real Estate Office immediately at (703) 255-6325 or realestate@viennava.gov.

To pay by credit or debit card online, visit www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=255.

NCAGC District III Garden Clubs in collaboration with the Town of Vienna Presents Garden Tour And Faire

June 13, 2015, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Tour of 5 private Gardens in Great Falls – Fairfax – Vienna
10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Garden tour proceeds will be used to help restore the Gazebo at Green Spring Gardens and District III initiatives.
Tickets may be purchased: online at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/district-iii-garden-tour-2015-tickets-15966523301
Tickets are $20

Small Standard Flower Show
Free, Noon – 4 p.m.
Historic Freeman Store, 131 Chruch St. SE

Town of Vienna Community Enhancement Commission Native Plant Sale – 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Vienna Vendor Faire - Vienna Town Green
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Vendors to date include:
Audubon Society of Northern Virginia
Fairfax Master gardeners Association
Prior Unity Garden
Haymarket Town & Country Garden Club
Fairfax Ferns Garden Club
Ayr Hill Garden Club
Damselwings Press
Virginia Native Plant Society

We still have space available in for the Vienna Vendor Faire.
Visit http://www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=1184

Stormwater Action Plan

In Vienna, when it rains almost all of the stormwater in Town is collected by a series of ditches, inlets and pipes that drain directly to our local streams and eventually into the Chesapeake Bay via the Potomac River. That water picks up a harsh variety of elements including oils, bacteria, phosphorous, nitrogen and sediments. Eventually that contaminated water drains right into our streams and directly pollutes our local and regional waterways. In order to help reduce these pollutants the Town has in place various measures and programs that are regulated by the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and by the Federal Clean Water Act. The Town operates its local storm drain system, which is regulated, under a state permit called a Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System, otherwise known as our MS-4 Permit. Specific measures include public education and outreach, public involvement, illicit discharge detection and elimination, construction site stormwater control and post development stormwater management.

In accordance with the Clean Water Act, the DEQ has also set specific reductions of pollutants, including phosphorous, nitrogen and sediments. These pollutants draining from Vienna that enter the Chesapeake Bay are called Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs). Our MS-4 Permit requires the Town to develop and implement a Chesapeake Bay TMDL Action Plan that details specifically how these reductions will be achieved. In general the plan proposes to meet the reduction requirements through methods including our long-standing street sweeping program and through a cooperative agreement with Fairfax County with which major stormwater improvement projects will be implemented. Examples of large projects include various stream restoration projects including the recently completed Wolftrap Creek Phase 1 restoration and the current projects on Hunters Branch and Wolftrap Creek Phase 2. A draft Action Plan has been prepared and available for public review and comment.

Highlights of the plan are:

- Continue the erosion and sedimentation program with all new development or construction projects.
- Continue mechanical street sweeping to collect pollutants before they enter streams.
- Begin annual steam inspection to identify maintenance issues or improper discharges into our streams.
- Continue major stream restoration projects like the recently completed Wolftrap Creek project.

Your feedback and comments are very important to us, the plan can be found on the Town Website at this link: http://www.viennava.gov/documentcenter/view/2590, or at the Department of Public Works at Town Hall.

JUNE TOWN MEETINGS

Meetings are at Town Hall, 127 Center Street S, at 8 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

Monday, 1st: Town Council Meeting

Tuesday, 2nd: Windover Heights Board of Review, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, 8th: Town Council Work Session

Wednesday, 10th: Planning Commission

Thursday, 11th: Town/Business Liaison Committee, 7 p.m.

Monday, 15th: Town Council Meeting

Wednesday, 17th: Board of Zoning Appeals

Thursday, 18th: Board of Architectural Review

Wednesday, 24th: Planning Commission

Thursday, 25th: Community Enhancement Commission, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, 30th: Pedestrian Advisory Committee, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, 30th: Transportation Safety Commission

Community Recognition!

Nerd Wallet has listed the Town of Vienna as #4 in their 2015 list of "Best Cities for Young Families in Virginia." Vienna was recognized for having an incredible value for housing dollar. In addition, the Town earned a Great Schools ranking of 8, and over 36% of households are families with children, nearly double the statewide average. Way to go Vienna!

SHOP go local VIENNA