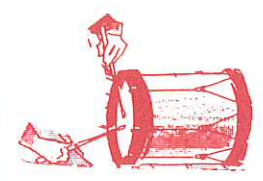


CONTEST SLATED FOR BEST DECORATED HOUSE, BUSINESS

Vienna will offer separate prizes for the best decorated house and business establishment as part of the Fourth of July celebration. The contest is a joint operation by the Bicentennial Commission and the Department of Parks and Recreation. Individuals and businesses wishing to compete for the prizes should register at Town Hall by July 1. (Use form supplied below.) Supplies for decorations are available at Peter Pan Variety Fair, the official supply outlet designated by the Bicentennial Commission.

JULY FOURTH DECORATION CONTEST ENTRY FORM

Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone _____



TOWN HALL JULY MEETINGS

Town Council meets July 9 and 16.
 Planning Commission meets July 11 and 25.
 Board of Zoning Appeals meets July 18.
 Architectural Review Board meets July 19.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

July 9--TOWN COUNCIL. Public hearing on ordinance amending Chapter 18, Article 22, Section 18-222, regarding Certificate of Occupancy.
 July 11--PLANNING COMMISSION. Public hearing on ordinance to amend Chapter 18, Article 2, 11 and 16 relative to cafeterias.
 July 16--TOWN COUNCIL. Public hearing on application submitted by J.A. Coval, trustee, to rezone Lot. No. 20, located at 121 Beulah Rd., to C-1, commercial and Lot No. 19 in the 400 block of Church Street, N.E., to C-1, commercial.
 July 18--BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS. Public hearing on variance request, Section 18-24D, by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kines, for an inclosed car port 12.6 feet to side property line at 320 Owassa Dr. Public hearing on variance request, Section 18-24E, by William M. Cramer, to allow construction of a deck to within 32 feet of rear property line at 1008 Avery Court, S.W.. Public hearing on a use permit request by Northern Virginia Motel Assoc., to allow use of 400 block, Lots 140 and 141, Maple Ave., W., for a motel.
 July 23--TOWN COUNCIL. Public hearing on ordinance to amend Chapter 18, Article 2, 11 and 16 relative to cafeterias. Public hearing on proposed vacation of a portion of Howard Street.

PHONE NUMBERS

Town Hall.....938-8000
 Police.....938-4900

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BIG JULY 4TH PLANNED

Plans are being finalized for the large Fourth of July celebration planned for the Community Center.

Town Parks and Recreation Director Judson D. Hockman said this year's activities will probably be the best ever. "Last year people had more fun at the festivities than any other time during the year in Vienna," he said.

Plans for this year's celebration include 70 booths sponsored by local organizations. Booths will include antique sales, exhibits, carnival games and a flea market.

There will be country, folk and rock music, and several games for the youngsters, including relay races, grease pole climb and group singing.

There will also be entertainment, barbecue chicken and a beer stand for adults.

The day will conclude with a large fireworks display.

Booths will open at 9 a.m. with the other events starting at noon.

Parking will be available at lots on Maple Avenue. Cherry and Center streets will be closed to traffic.

Among the many carnival games will be "Dunk the Mayor." Contestants throw a ball and if it hits the target the Mayor gets dunked in a barrel of water.

RAYMOND HICKS BECOMES TOWN'S NEW COUNCILMAN

Raymond E. Hicks, 54, was sworn in as the newest member of the town council. Hicks won the seat in the town's May 1 general election.

Hicks, employed with Rockwell International, fills the seat vacated by retiring L. Dean Wallace.

He has served as a member of the Board of Zoning Appeals, Highway Safety Commission, Planning Commission and the Mayor's Advisory Committee.

He has served as a member of the Vienna chapter of the American Field Service; president, vice-president and board member of the Vienna Little League; treasurer and board member of the Vienna Babe Ruth League; on the finance committee of Vienna Youth, Inc., and as a coach in the Pigtail--Ponytail League.

Hicks and his wife, Marjorie, reside at 209 Glyndon St., N.E., with their five children, Tom, John, Cyndy, Louise and Barbara.

JULY 4TH ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE INSIDE

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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Only newspapers will be picked up on circled dates.

FOURTH OF JULY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

All events will be at the Community Center.

- 9 a.m.--Nearly 70 booths open with displays, exhibits, carnival games and antique sales. The booths are sponsored by local businesses and organizations.
- Noon--Rock music and blue grass concerts. The concerts will continue until 4 p.m.
- Noon--Games for children and adults. The games, planned for all ages, will continue until 4 p.m. Ribbons will be awarded to all winners and an award will be presented to the Over-All Champion. Games will include three-legged races (father and son, and mother and daughter,) egg toss, potato carry, goldfish fishing for the younger children and many more games.
- 4 p.m.--Silver Wing Indian Show.
- 5 p.m.--Grease Pole Climb.
- 5:30 p.m.--Dinner Hour. Included on the menu are hamburgers, hot dogs, barbecue chicken, soft drinks, beer, popcorn, sno-cones, peanuts, cookies, cake, ice cream and more.
- 7:30 p.m.--Evening program begins. Special featured entertainment by Paul Puckett and The Country Folk. Special guest star will be Charlie Waddell (the singing state senator from Loudin Countv.) Also appearing with Paul Puckett and the Country Folk will be the Vienna Falls Chapter of Sweet Adelines. There will be a sing-along with residents of old past favorites and patriotic songs. Excerpts of the Declaration of Independence and a poem about the flag will be presented by local teenagers.
- 8:45 p.m.--Fireworks display.



The Fifth Annual Vienna In- vational Slowpitch Softball Tournament will be coming to a close on July 4.

The tournament begins June 30 with 40 teams from through- out Northern Virginia.

Final championship games will be played July 4, at the South Side field throughout the day.

The Vienna Police Department will demonstrate the "Seatbelt Convincer" throughout the July 4th activities with the Vienna Highway Safety Commission.

Vienna Volunteer Fire Dept., will conduct a flying watermelon



contest with a water hose.

Foreign visitors will be guests of the town's at the celebration. This will be the 25th year foreign guests have celebrated July Fourth with town residents. Those wishing to sponsor a visitorsfor the day and evening should call the Mayor's office, 938-8000.

Flags of 50 states will be flown around the Community Center's grounds. There are still some states that are without sponsors. Those who wish to sponsor a state should call the Mayor's office, 938-8000.

COUNCILMAN L. DEAN WALLACE
RETIRES AFTER 15 YEARS

Councilman L. Dean Wallace re- tired after 15 years of service on town council.

First elected to the council in 1958, Wallace has served continuous- ly in that capacity except for six months (May 1964 to August 1964) when he was elected mayor by his fellow councilmen to complete the unexpired term of the late Guy M. Wilson.

He was mayor pro tempore from 1960 to 1964.

Wallace moved to Vienna in 1954 with his wife, Juanita. They have two daughters.

A contracting officer with the Navy, Wallace holds a master's degree from the University of Iowa. He is a commander in the Navy Re- serve, a Mason and a member of the Vienna Presbyterian Church. He is a veteran of World War II and the Korean War.

Wallace announced his retirement in December 1972. His vacated seat will be filled by Raymond Hicks, a former member of the Board of Zoning Appeals, who was elected to the seat in the town's May 1 general election.

In his farewell speech to the council, Wallace said, "The reason this town ticks is because there are a lot of people performing civic duties often untold or unsung, in our churches, our service clubs, our garden clubs, our women's clubs, youth activities and projects of all kinds, and yes, the town boards and commissions. These people are conscientious, dedicat- ed and desirous of keeping Vienna, 'Our Kind of Town.' Let's not forget them.

"When I was elected to council in 1958, I had two main objectives and I have tried to keep them; one, to represent all the citizens--now nearly 18,000--to the best of my ability, and two, to control and direct the change and growth of Vienna."

Wallace told the council he expected them to be prudent on the expenditure of funds and to be cautious on rezoning.

TOWN POLICE PLAN
BICYCLE AUCTION

The Vienna Police Department will auction off several bicycles at Town Hall, July 13.

The bicycles have been accumulat- ed over the past several months by the town's police department and have gone unclaimed.

Chief of Police Vernon L. Jones said many of the bikes that will be auctioned off are in very good condition.

The bikes will be on display at Town Hall from July 1 to when bids are opened at 2:30 p.m., July 13.

Only sealed bids will be accepted.

PLANNING COMMISSION
MEMBER RESIGNS

Ray Gooding, a member of the town's planning commission, re- signed recently due to health rea- sons.

Gooding, a resident of Vienna since 1957, was also chairman of the Highway Safety Commission.

He has served as president and vice-president of the East Vienna Woods Civic Association.

Gooding, who lives at 506 Alma St., S.E., is retired from D.C. government. He worked in the city's Department of Highways and Traffic.

MISLEADING PARK MAP

The map of parks and hiking and bike trials leading into Technology Park in the May Newsletter was mis- leading.

The park and trials do not con- tinue through the section of Wolf Trap Creek along Delano Drive.

The town wants to eventually ex- tend the trial through the Delano Drive section with easements grant- ed by residents living along the creek.

RESIDENTS ARE REMINDED THAT THERE WILL BE NO TRASH COL- LECTION ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 4.