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Let's Go for a Stroll!

Grab your walking shoes and prepare for merriment with the 2022 Church Street Holiday Stroll! The fun begins at 6 p.m. in front of the Freeman Store and Museum on Monday, Nov. 28. Enjoy live holiday music, a tree-lighting ceremony and a guest appearance by that jolly old elf himself, Santa Claus!

After the official ceremony, stroll down historic Church Street, enjoy the festive lights, and explore the holiday shopping specials inside local Church Street businesses. Grab some hot chocolate at a local business and warm yourself by a bon fire along the way. Visit historic sites such as the Freeman Store and Museum, Little Library, Caboose, Train Station, Knights of Columbus (formerly First Baptist Church) and Vienna Presbyterian's Old Chapel. While you're out and about, be sure to pick up your 2022 Town of Vienna Holiday Ornament featuring the LOVE sign along the W&OD trail at Northside Park. Ornament proceeds will support the town's public art projects.

The Church Street Holiday Stroll is a beloved town tradition that will delight all ages. For more information, call Historic Vienna at 703-938-5187 or visit www.viennava.gov/stroll. 📍



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Help Make Vienna Shine!

Get ready to put your creative flair in action with Vienna's 2023 holiday decorating contest! This year's theme is "Shine Bright, Vienna!" As in past years, businesses and residents are encouraged to create a festive, holiday display that will sparkle and glow and draw visitors to our beautiful town. Be sure to register your display between Nov. 1 and Dec. 1 for a chance to win prizes! For details and to register, visit www.viennava.gov/holiday.

Want to earn bonus points? Tap into the Town's rich railway history by putting a caboose somewhere in your display. It doesn't have to be big – just noticeable. Registered displays featuring a caboose will get a special designation on the "Shine Bright, Vienna!" map, which will be released to the public on the day judging begins, Dec. 2.

The annual holiday decorating contest is presented by the Town Business Liaison Committee (TBLC) and the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department. The TBLC judging panel will select business winners on Dec. 8. Community members will also have an opportunity to vote online for the resident and business "People's Choice Award" Dec. 2 through Dec. 9 at 12 p.m., and winners will be announced at the Holiday Reception at Town



Hall that afternoon, on the Town's social media pages and on the Town website. The winning business will receive one hour of Mayor Linda Colbert's time as a guest employee and winning residents will receive a gift card and a Town of Vienna Holiday ornament from a local business. 📌

Vienna Police to Support Cancer Charity

For the second year in a row, Vienna Police are participating in the #NoShaveNovember campaign to raise awareness of prostate cancer and to raise funds for research to help find a cure. Beginning Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2022, the Vienna Police Department's no-facial-hair dress-code policy will be relaxed a bit to enable male officers to participate in the Zero Cancer 30-day Grow-and-Give fundraising campaign.

"One of our officers, Juan Vazquez, lost his father to prostate cancer a few years ago, and it is especially meaningful to him that we participate," Vienna Police Chief Jim Morris said. "Last year, our small department raised the second-highest amount of any public safety organization in the country for the cancer charity – more than \$8,000 – and that's thanks to the generosity of our community."

Nearly 250,000 men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in the United States this year alone, and the illness is very treatable if diagnosed early. Participating officers hope that as they start to look a little scruffy in their efforts to support life-saving research, others will be inspired to learn more about the illness and donate to the campaign to help find a cure.

Last year, the Vienna Police Department more than doubled their fundraising goal of \$3,000. This year's goal is to raise at least \$5,000 for the non-profit organization. To support the Vienna Police Department's Grow-and-Give Team visit <https://bit.ly/VPDgrow2022>. 📌





Updates from Vienna Parks & Recreation



Vienna Theatre Company Presents: "Doubt, A Parable"

Vienna Community Center
Friday and Saturday
Nov. 4-5, 7 p.m.
Sunday Matinee
Nov. 6, 2 p.m.

There's still time to catch the Vienna Theatre Company's performance of this Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award-winning story that casts suspicion on a priest's behavior in a Catholic school in the Bronx in the 1960s. The play explores principal Sister Aloysius's suspicions about an inappropriate relationship in a story that is less about scandal than about nuanced questions of moral certainty. Buy tickets online at www.viennava.gov/webtrac or in person at the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry St. SE.

Pottery Show and Sale

Saturday, Nov. 5
10 a.m.–3 p.m.
Bowman House Arts and Craft Center
211 Center Street S.

Don't miss out on great gifts for the holiday season! Students and teachers will have handmade pottery available for sale. Cash or checks only.

Count your Blessings Thanksgiving Lunch

Tuesday, Nov. 15
Noon–2 p.m.
Vienna Community Center

Adults age 55+ are invited to this special dinner with turkey and all the fixings provided by the Davis Career Center with Marshall High School. Enjoy live entertainment by Rising Phoenix Performers. This event is sponsored by Vienna Parks and Recreation, the Shepherd's Center of Northern Virginia and Providence Fairfax. Cost is \$15 per person due by Nov. 10. To register, call the Shepherd's Center: 703-281-0538.

Cookies with Santa

Saturday, Dec. 3
Reservations required
Visit times:
9 a.m.–10 a.m.
10 a.m.–11 a.m.
11 a.m.–12 p.m.

Vienna Community Center

Visit with Santa and share all your holiday wishes. Stop by Mrs. Claus' cookie bar with a variety of cookies for kids and families. There will also be music, crafts, and lots of holiday spirit! For details and to register, visit www.viennava.gov/webtrac or call 703-255-6360.

Halloween Parade a Success!

Approximately 82 floats, walking groups, antique vehicles and more marched down Maple Avenue in their "Time Machine" themed Halloween get up for Vienna's Annual Halloween Parade held on Oct. 26. A big thanks to volunteers and sponsors who made this year's parade possible, with a special thanks to the parade's title sponsor, Virginia Tire & Auto. Winners will be announced at the Vienna Town Council meeting at 8 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 14 at Vienna Town Hall. A media release and social media announcement will follow.

Parks and Recreation Winter Registration Opens

Monday, Nov. 7 for Town of Vienna residents

Monday, Nov. 14 for non-residents

Explore the program guide online now and be ready to register for winter camps and classes: www.viennava.gov/parkguide

Sign up for Vienna Happenings E-Newsletter

For weekly updates on events and fun things to do around town, sign up to receive the Town's e-newsletter, Vienna Happenings. To sign up, visit www.viennava.gov/happeningssignup. Also, follow us on social media @TownofViennaVa.



Town Clean-Up Day

Saturday, Nov. 5
9 a.m.–12 p.m.
Vienna Town Green

Here's a great way for students to earn some community service hours for school! Sign up for Town Clean-up Day, help spruce up the town in time for the holiday season and encourage friends and family to do the same! After meeting at the Vienna Town Green, volunteers are assigned a town location that needs some attention. The parks and recreation department coordinates the event, providing supplies and assistance throughout the day. Pre-registration via email is recommended, not required. To register, email Brian Harrington at bharrington@viennava.gov or call 703-255-5755.



Leave the Leaves: Your Yard Will Thank You

By Patricia Esswein, Conservation and Sustainability Commission

Raking, blowing or vacuuming leaves has been a ritual of fall, but there's a better way. Mowing over the leaves, or mulch-mowing, will chop them into small pieces. The leaf mulch will fall down into the grass and decompose quickly without suffocating your lawn. Mulch-mowing will save you or your lawn service time and money, improve your lawn and help the environment.

To start, set your mower at its highest setting and take off the grass catcher. Mow over the leaves to reduce them to dime-size pieces. You'll know you're done when you can see about half an inch of grass through the mulched leaf layer. You generally can mow over leaves up to 6 inches in depth. The job is easiest when leaves are dry. If they're moist, you may need to mow a second time at a right angle to your first pass to get small-enough pieces.

The nutrients that trees moved into the leaves during the summer will return to the soil in winter. Your grass will green up faster in the spring, and you'll need less fertilizer, which will reduce polluting nutrients in stormwater runoff. After a few years, your lawn will sprout fewer dandelions and less crabgrass, because the leaf bits will cover any bare or thin spots in the lawn where weed seeds would otherwise germinate. Mulch-mowing builds better soil, which will keep more moisture and promote better root development. It won't increase thatch or disease in your lawn, and it has no effect on soil pH.

Many creatures including insects, spiders, slugs, turtles, toads, and small mammals use undisturbed leaf litter for protective habitat and as a place to forage. Some of those creatures become food for other animals, such as birds. It's a good idea to leave the leaves under trees and shrubs and in garden beds or, where space allows, pile them up and let them compost. It's free mulch!

If you must remove leaves, the Town of Vienna will pay to take your leaves to a composting facility, but your yard will lose all the benefits. To learn more about mulch-mowing, visit:

<https://bit.ly/MulchMowing> ↴



Town of Vienna Holiday Hours

Please note Town offices will be closed on the following days in November:

Veterans Day: **Friday, Nov. 11**

Thanksgiving Break: **Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24-25**

The Vienna Community Center will operate on the following adjusted schedule:

Friday, Nov. 11: 10 a.m.-10:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 24: Closed

Friday, Nov. 25: 7 a.m.-9 p.m.



Put the Freeze on Winter Stormwater Pollution

If you're tempted to treat icy driveways and sidewalks with salt this winter, you may want to reconsider. Not only can deicing salts damage your driveway over time, but they can also be harmful to plants, aquatic life, and our drinking water supplies through contaminated stormwater runoff.

When the ground freezes, it loses its ability to act as a natural filter. It instead acts as another impervious surface, conducting melted snow and ice as well as sediment, dirt, road salt, fertilizer and other pollutants into stormwater systems and through local watersheds. This runoff eventually contributes significant amounts of pollutants to the Chesapeake Bay.

Deicing salt alternatives such as potassium acetate (KA) or calcium magnesium acetate (CMA) are less damaging to homes and landscaping. If you do apply salt, do it after shoveling snow, and apply as little as possible to slick surfaces that can't be shoveled. One 12-ounce coffee mug holds enough sodium chloride deicer to treat a 20-foot driveway or 10 sidewalk squares. If it is too cold for your salt to work, use traction materials instead, like sand, wood ash, or even birdseed. After the storm, sweep up the extra salt or traction materials to use again next time.

There's one more thing you can do to reduce winter stormwater pollution. Rather than washing road salt spray off your car at home, take your vehicle to a commercial car wash where the runoff flows through drains leading to wastewater treatment facilities. 🇺🇸



Nutley Tree Replacement Phase 2 Begins

Beginning this month, the remaining 13 fragile, non-native and invasive Callery pear trees will be removed from the Nutley Street median and replaced with heartier native species, including black gum, willow oak, serviceberry and Rotundiloba sweet gum trees. The Vienna Parks and Recreation maintenance staff began the Nutley Street project in April, removing 14 Callery pear trees, which have become overabundant in the region and contributed to the reduction in the area tree diversity, threatening the ecological balance among plants and wildlife in Virginia's urban forest. The second phase of the project is scheduled to begin in early November and expected to last approximately four weeks. The project is being funded primarily by an anonymous donor.

The tree work will take place weekdays between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. and will require a temporary lane closure along the Nutley Street medians between Princeton Terrace and Courthouse Road, SW and from Courthouse Road SW to Roland Street SW. To learn more about the tree replacement project and the benefits the new tree varieties will bring, check out the video on the Town's YouTube channel: <https://bit.ly/ViennaTrees>. 🇺🇸

Maintaining a Good Town-County Working Relationship

By Councilmember Howard Springsteen



One important lesson I have learned in my 14 years on Vienna Town Council is the need for good working relationships with county elected officials. Vienna is surrounded by Fairfax County, a much larger political jurisdiction that has its own priorities, and that dynamic sometimes presents challenges for Vienna. Most have been quietly resolved in large part because of the good working relationship between Town and County through the Hunter Mill District Supervisor's Office.

Over the past 20 years, the Council has worked hard to maintain close working ties to County supervisor Walter Alcorn

and his predecessor, Catherine Hudgins. With many issues, the Council presented clear stances and obtained support of the Hunter Mill District Supervisor which resulted in prompt resolutions. I think it would be useful for residents to know some of these recent ones.

Currently Vienna and the County are partnering in a new library and parking facility. The library portion will be 35% larger than the current Patrick Henry Library. The first rough set of plans presented to Council in June were not well received. Supervisor Alcorn backed the Council concerns and the updated draft plans submitted to the Council in September were significantly better. The project is back on track.

Earlier this year the County proposed to run a 36-inch-high pressure sewer line down the center of Maple Avenue to hook up to a County line in Oakton. This was an effort to get a cheaper sewer rate for Tysons Corner development at a County treatment plant instead of using the regional Blue Plains treatment plant. This project would have resulted in

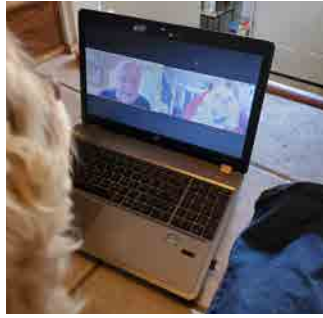
major disruptions to Maple Avenue and its business community, as well as town residents. The Council said "no way" and were backed up by the Hunter Mill Supervisor. The County then opted to go around the Town.

Our working relationship with Supervisor Alcorn's office has led to some other notable accomplishments for the Town including:

- A waiver of more than \$250,000 in County permitting charges for the new police station.
- Access to millions of dollars in County stormwater fees to fund number of stream restoration and improvements projects in Vienna.
- Completion of several joint Town-County sidewalk projects.

The Town Council has a long history of working closely with our Hunter Mill District Supervisor's Office, and that spirit of cooperation is alive and well today. The collaboration has resulted in very positive outcomes for our community, which enhances the quality of life for all Vienna residents. 🇺🇸





Mayor's Pet of the Month

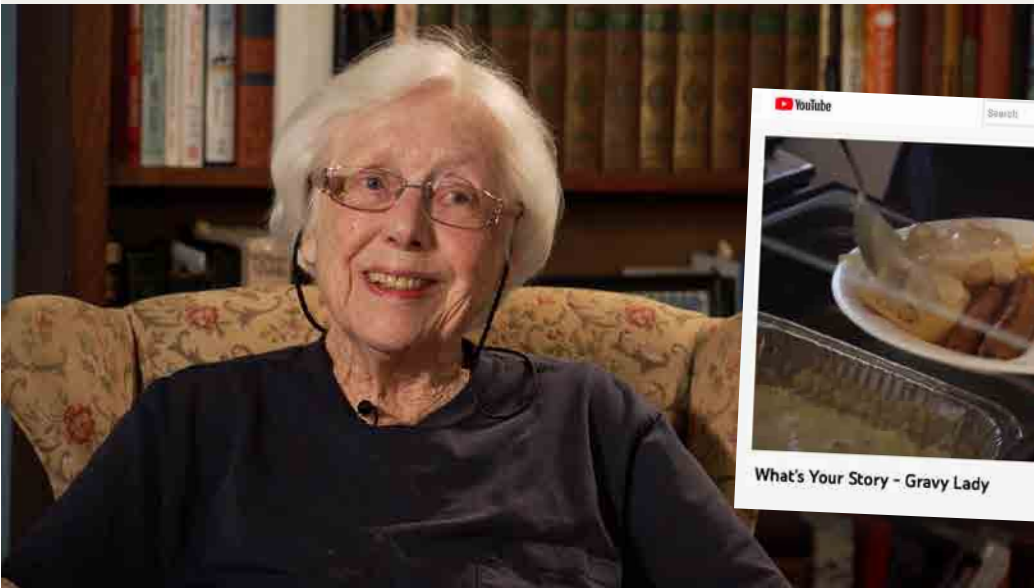
M eet Penny, a 14-year-old cocker spaniel and honorary brand ambassador for the Vienna Business Association! Despite a chronic illness that gives her many bad days, she enjoys spending time with her number one companion, VBA Executive Director Peggy James, supporting local businesses and bringing joy to those she meets at local landmarks including her most beloved location, the Vienna Town Green!

Congratulations, Penny! You're the Mayor's Pet of the Month for November! 🐾

To nominate your pet

email Mayor@viennava.gov with your pet's name, type of pet (please be specific), a photo of your pet, and three reasons why you think your animal should be recognized. Nominations are accepted on a continuing basis, and there is no deadline for submission.

American Legion's Secret Sauce



Scan with your phone to watch the youtube video!



A h, gravy! It's the finishing touch on almost every Thanksgiving table. Lifelong Vienna Resident Shirley Martin is known for her gravy-making and has been serving it up at American Legion Post 180 benefit breakfasts for years. At 97, she's still going strong, and shares her memories of Vienna from wartime to peacetime in our new video series, "What's Your Story?" See it on the Town's YouTube channel, <https://bit.ly/GravyLady>. 🐾

Topic on deck for November: Small Business Awareness

A strong local business sector is directly tied to the economic health of a community. As holiday shopping season approaches, join Town Manger Mercury Payton and Economic Development Director Natalie Monkou for an update on Vienna's local economy and the financial forecast for 2023.



On Deck with Mercury is a monthly community program that highlights Town initiatives. If you missed last month's episode about the FY24 Budget, you can still catch it and previous episodes on the Town YouTube channel: <https://bit.ly/MercuryOnDeck>.

ON DECK
WITH MERCURY

6 P.M.

NOV. 9

**TRACE THE
ZERO WASTE
STORE**



Open for business

Town of Vienna business licenses were issued in October to:

Cora Homes, LLC
Contractor
320 Maple Ave. E, Suite B

Melrose Beauty, Inc.
Eyelash Extensions, Suite 12B
129 Park St.

Virginia Hospital Center Physician Group
Primary and Specialty Care
527 Maple Ave. E, Suite 200

Vienna businesses with staying power

Congratulations to the following Vienna businesses celebrating milestone anniversaries this month.

25 YEARS
CIC

15 YEARS
CLOUD IX HOMES

5 YEARS
HEATHER'S HELPING HANDS, LLC
MAGNOLIA OF VIENNA

20 YEARS
CADDIE TOURS, LLC

10 YEARS
C2 EDUCATION CENTER
MACHINE AQUATICS SWIM SCHOOL, LLC
PAZZO POMODORO

SUNNY HAIR STUDIO SALON NUVIDA
T-MOBILE FINANCIAL, LLC
THE BLESSING CHURCH, INC.
THE SANDWICH SHOP
VERSAILLES GALLERY, LLC
VIENNA KITCHEN & BATH DESIGN



MEET THE MAYOR



Mayor Linda Colbert offers several opportunities for residents to meet with her each month:

- **Meet the Mayor:** Periodically Mayor Colbert sets up “office” in various locations in the community. The next “Meet the Mayor” is on Friday, Dec. 2, from 9-10:30 a.m. at Sweet Leaf Cafe, 262 Maple Ave., E. Stop by, grab a smoothie, and share your thoughts.
- **Business Walkabout:** The mayor and Economic Development Manager Natalie Monkou visit various businesses on the second Friday of each month.
- **Mayor’s Walk:** Join Mayor Colbert for a chat and stroll through the Town on the third Friday of each month. Meet in front of Town Hall on Center Street on Friday, Nov. 18.
- **Office Hours:** Drop in for open office hours 10-11:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, during which time the mayor will do her best to be available, or schedule a Wednesday meeting. To make an appointment, email mclark@viennava.gov or call 703-255-6304.

Mayor Colbert also does a weekly Facebook video highlighting upcoming events and Town Council business. You can catch it each Wednesday on the Town Facebook page @ TownofViennaVA. 📺

2022 Holiday Ornaments Still in Stock!



Holiday season is upon us, and the 2022 Town of Vienna Holiday Ornament is selling fast! This year’s ornament highlights the LOVE sign along W&OD trail at Northside Park, and it is available for purchase at the Vienna Community Center and Vienna Town Hall, but hurry, supplies are limited!

If you’re a collector, a few of the inaugural “Taking Flight” ornaments from 2021 are still available. The cost of each year’s ornament is \$25, and proceeds will be used to support public art projects in Vienna. For more information, email Shelley Kozlowski, Deputy Town Clerk: shelley.kozlowski@viennava.gov or call 703-255-6303. 📞



HAPPENINGS around town

Hamburger Fundraiser

Tuesday, Nov. 1
11 a.m.-9 p.m.

Enjoy a meal at Foster's Grille and support the Vienna Host Lions Club's community efforts at the same time! Simply put your receipt in our Lion's box, and Foster's will donate 20% of your purchase to Vienna Lions' youth, sight, hearing, and community programs. For more information, visit www.ViennaHostLionsVa.org.

Vienna History Presentation

Thursday, Nov. 3
7:30 p.m.

Join Historic Vienna Inc. for its meeting and presentation on the history of the District of Columbia Militia and National Guard. Featured speaker is Mike Berger, member of HVI's Board of Directors of Historic Vienna Inc. and Brigadier General (retired), District of Columbia National Guard. The meeting and presentation are free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

Virtual Art Presentation

Thursday, Nov. 10
10-11 a.m.

The Vienna Arts Society invites the public to a Zoom presentation by Amelia Hankin, Artist-in-Residence in Screen Printing at American University, Washington, DC. To learn more about Amelia and to join the Zoom, visit: www.ViennaArtsSociety.org.

NEVCA Membership Meeting

Thursday, Nov. 10
7:30 p.m.

Join the Northeast Vienna Citizens Association (NEVCA) for its membership meeting in the Seeman Auditorium at the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry St SE. Vienna Director of Planning and Zoning, David Levy is the featured speaker and will provide updates on Code Create Vienna and the Comprehensive Plan. Door prizes will be awarded.

Veterans Day Ceremony

Friday, Nov. 11
11 a.m.

Join American Legion Post 180 for its annual Veterans Day Ceremony on Friday in the Post's Patriot Hall, 330 Center St. N. Originally known as Armistice Day to celebrate the end of World War I, Congress officially changed it to Veterans Day in 1954 so the day would honor American veterans of all wars. The American Legion event is open to the public and food and refreshments will be provided following the ceremony.

Fall Bazaar and Craft Show

Saturday, Nov. 12
10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Crafts, holiday decorations, clothing and gifts will be among the offerings at this year's Fall Bazaar and Craft Show at the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department, 400 Center St. S., Vienna. The event in the Flame Room will also feature a delicious lunch menu and homemade baked goods for sale. Proceeds support fire department equipment purchases. Admission is free.

Legal Services of Northern Virginia Presentation

Saturday, Nov. 12
2-3:30 p.m.

Register for this free legal program presented by Legal Services of Northern Virginia (LSNV) at Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. E. LSNV is the largest legal aid organization in Virginia, helping thousands of clients each year in civil legal matters. It provides free legal services for Northern Virginia's low-income populations and have special grants to service elders, the disabled, veterans, and the HIV+/AIDS community. For more information and to register, visit <https://bit.ly/LSNVprogram>.

Art Reception

Sunday, Nov. 13
4-5:30 p.m.

Meet the artists and enjoy light refreshments at the Vienna Arts Society awards reception

at the Gallery in the Village Green, 513 Maple Avenue W. Explore Art Treasures III, "Mix It Up", featuring mixed-media, collage, original prints and more. Judge Susan Due Pearcy of Sugarloaf Studio will select winning artworks. Can't make the reception? The show will be open through Dec. 3. Gallery hours are Monday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Blood Drive

Wednesdays, Nov. 16 and Dec. 21
12-5 p.m.

Give the gift of life this holiday season. Blood bank supplies typically run low this time of year, and you can help by donating blood at one or both of these American Red Cross blood drives hosted by American Legion Post 180 located at 330 Center St. N. Details and advance registration information are online: www.post180va.org.

Art Show and Sale

Thursday, Nov. 17
5-8 p.m.

Meet the artists and enjoy light refreshments while exploring new original artworks, hand-made jewelry and other items at the Vienna Art Center in the Windover Professional Building, 243 Church Street, NW, suite 100 LL. Admission is free and open to the public.

American Legion Breakfast Buffet

Sunday, Nov. 20
8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Celebrate the Season with Vienna American Legion Post 180 and Joe's custom omelets, scrambled eggs, pancakes, bacon, sausage, our famous sausage gravy & biscuits and Post 180 cake. Our baker's November cake involves pumpkin & cranberries. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and younger. Proceeds are used to send local high school students to the American Legion Girls State program. For more information call 703-255-2918. American Legion Post 180 is located at 330 Center St. N.



Vienna Turkey Trot 5K/10K and Fun Run

Sunday, Nov. 20

8-9:30 a.m.

Usher in the holiday season with the 20th Annual Vienna Turkey Trot 5K/10K and Fun Run to benefit the Madison High School Band and the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department. In addition to a great run, this family event features prizes, music, refreshments, and the Finish Line Festival! The race starts and ends at the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department, 400 Center St. S. For more information and to register, visit www.viennaturkeytrot.org

Holiday Concert

Sunday, Dec. 11

5:30 p.m.

Enjoy sounds of the season with the Vienna Community Band's holiday concert at the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry St., SE. The performance is a delight for all ages! For more information on the Vienna Community Band and to find out how to join the band, visit www.viennacommunityband.org.

CHO Holiday Bike Drive

The Committee for Helping Others (CHO) is collecting bikes this holiday with a focus on bikes for older children and adults who need transportation to school and work. You can drop off bikes in the parking lot of Antioch Christian Church, 1860 Beulah Rd. or in the driveway of 317 Church St. NE or 218 Elmar Dr. SE before Nov. 15.

Holiday Tree Sales

The Vienna Host Lions Club wishes to heartily thank the Town of Vienna, the Vienna community at large and Walgreens for supporting its Annual Christmas Tree Sale and Fundraiser over the years. Regrettably, VHLC will be unable to offer trees at the Walgreens lot this year due to supply chain issues. In the spirit of the season, the Lions encourage residents to support the Optimists Club Live Christmas Tree Sale in the Giant Shopping Center beginning in late November.



Time to Fall Back!

Daylight Saving Time ends on **Sunday, Nov. 6**. Be sure to set your clocks back one hour before you go to bed on Saturday and enjoy an extra hour of sleep before the alarm goes off on Sunday morning!

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Send community news and high-resolution photographs to karen.thayer@viennava.gov. All material provided is subject to editorial review and revision and will be used as space allows. **Deadline for the December issue is Nov. 10.**

Police,
Fire & Rescue
Emergency
911
(Voice & TDD)

Vienna Police
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. SE
Vienna, VA 22180

Vienna Town Hall
703-255-6300 voice
TTY Virginia Relay 711
127 Center Street South
Vienna, VA 22180-5179
Monday-Friday • 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

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November TOWN CALENDAR

1	Windover Heights Board of Review • 7:30 p.m.	12	NOVA Model Railroaders Open House • 1-5 p.m.
4	Vienna Theatre Company - VCC • 8 p.m.	14	Town Council Meeting • 8 p.m.
5	Town Cleanup Day • 9 a.m.-12 p.m.	15	Vienna Public Art Commission - VCC • 7 p.m.
5	Bowman House Pottery Show and Sale - Bowman House • 10 a.m.-3 p.m.	16	Board of Zoning Appeals • 7:30 p.m.
5	Vienna Theatre Company - VCC • 8 p.m.	17	Board of Architectural Review • 7:30 p.m.
6	Daylight Saving Time Ends	17	Conservation and Sustainability Commission • 7:30 p.m.
6	Little Library Open • 1-4 p.m.	24	Town Offices and Community Center Closed (No waste collection) (Thanksgiving Day)
6	Vienna Theatre Company - VCC • 2 p.m.	25	Town Offices Closed (Regular Waste collection; No brush, bulk, or yard waste)
8	Election Day	26	Small Business Saturday-Shop Local!
9	On Deck with Mercury - Pre-recorded • 6-7 p.m. (Cox Channel 27; Verizon Channel 38)	28	Church Street Holiday Stroll • 6-8:30 p.m.
9	Planning Commission Meeting • 7:30 p.m.	28	NOVA Model Railroaders Open House • 6-9 p.m.
10	Town Business Liaison Committee • 7 p.m.	29	Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee • 7 p.m.
11	Town Offices Closed (Veterans Day)	29	Transportation Safety Commission • 8 p.m.

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings take place at Town Hall, 127 Center Street S.
Meeting schedule subject to change; check www.viennava.gov/calendar for updates.
VCC-Vienna Community Center