

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1
 NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - north Vienna.
FEBRUARY 4 & 5
 Coin & Stamp Show at Vienna Community Center.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6
 Town Council, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7
 Windover Heights Board of Review, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8
 NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - south Vienna.
 Planning Commission, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
 Ash Wednesday.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9
 Town/Business Liaison Committee, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 18 & 25
 Pigtail-Ponytail girls' softball registration at the Community Center, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12
 Lincoln's Birthday.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14
 Mayor's Advisory Committee, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15
 NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - north Vienna.
 Board of Zoning Appeals, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16
 Board of Architectural Review, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20
 Washington's Birthday. Town Hall closed.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22
 NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - south Vienna.
 Planning Commission, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26
 Vienna Wireless Society Winterfest at Vienna Community Center.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27
 Town Council, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28
 Transportation Safety Commission, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

COMING NEXT MONTH . . .

March 1 - Newspaper pickup for north Vienna.
 March 6 - Town Council meeting.

February 1989



VIENNA NEWSLETTER

Budget Planning Underway

Citizens who have suggestions about what items should be given priority for funding during fiscal year 1989-90 are encouraged to express their views in writing to the Town Manager.

Comments should be submitted by Friday, February 10, addressed to John H. Schoeberlein, Town Manager,

Vienna Town Hall, 127 Center St., S., Vienna, VA 22180.

Non-profit community organizations are reminded that February 10 is also the deadline to apply for donations of Town funds during next fiscal year. For information, call the Town Manager's office, 255-6370.

Town Hall will be closed on Monday, February 20, for Washington's Birthday. Trash will be collected as usual for residents on the Monday/Thursday route.

ViVa! Vienna! Seeks Workers

The Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce will sponsor ViVa! Vienna! '89, the 6th annual Town Festival, on Sunday, May 28, in the historic Church Street corridor.

The day's activities will include a Memorial Day ceremony in honor of the men and women who have served in our armed forces, entertainment for all ages, arts and crafts displays and sales, exhibits by local businesses and civic organizations, plus lots of food and drink.

This year's festival committee is eager to hear from citizens interested in working on this project. To volunteer, call the Chamber of Commerce at 281-1333.

County Amends Tax Relief Law

The Fairfax County Board of Supervisors has amended the County Code relating to tax relief for senior citizens or persons permanently and totally disabled. Household furnishings are no longer included in the computation of total assets of applicants for this tax relief.

The other change made to the County Code excludes the first \$7,500 of any income received by an applicant who is disabled. Both of these amendments became effective January 1.

The County Office of Assessments has

mailed applications to all persons who have filed in prior years or have requested to be put on the mailing list.

For more information call the Office of Assessments at 246-2437.

Oil Collection Day

The Public Works Department will accept small quantities of waste motor oil from town residents on Saturday, March 4, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Town's property yard, 247 Nutley St., N.W. For more information, call 255-6382.

Send news and comments to Vienna Newsletter c/o Town Hall.
 Deadline for March issue is Wednesday, February 15.

VIENNA NEWSLETTER

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Vienna Town Council

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255-6300

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Town Council Action

DECEMBER 5, 1988

• Approved the installation by C&P Telephone of an electronic switching cabinet on Town-owned property on Beulah Road and granted a 10-year lease or easement on the property subject to a title search.

• Adopted a resolution to the Virginia General Assembly urging continuance of the Fire Programs Fund.

• Approved the final plat for Kingcrest Subdivision, 417 Park St., S.E.

• Authorized an appraisal of Town-owned property at 430 Lewis St., N.W., with the understanding that the cost will be borne by the party expressing interest in purchasing the property.

DECEMBER 19, 1988

• Established a residential permit parking

Thanks, Five Hills!

Thanks to Five Hills Garden Club, which again this holiday season provided beautiful wreaths for the doors at Town Hall and other public buildings. The club's year-round dedication to improving the appearance of our community is greatly appreciated.

zone on Delilah Drive, S.W. Restrictions will be in effect weekdays, except holidays, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

• Approved the purchase and installation of a fax machine at Town Hall at a cost not to exceed \$2,100.

Citizens Asked to Participate In County Plan Review

Fairfax County residents are being asked to play a significant role in the major review of the County's Comprehensive Plan and in the development of a Policy Plan. The Fairfax County Planning Commission will sponsor a series of topical meetings on Tuesday nights to give the community the opportunity to work with County staff in four categories: transportation; public facilities; land use/housing; and environment/cultural resources/parks and recreation.

Two topical meetings will run simultaneously from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at Woodson High School, 9525 Main St. in Fairfax, according to the following schedule:

Tuesday, February 14 -
- Public Facilities/
Human Services meeting
- Land Use/Housing
meeting

Comments Invited

The Town Council invites citizens to submit comments for publication in the Newsletter. The deadline is the 15th of each month for the following month's issue. Send written comments to the Newsletter c/o Town Hall.

Tuesday, February 21 -
- Environment/Cultural Resources/Parks and Recreation meeting
- Transportation meeting

Tuesday, February 28 -
- Public Facilities/
Human Services meeting
- Land Use/Housing meeting

Tuesday, March 7 -
- Environment/Cultural Resources/Parks and Recreation meeting
- Transportation meeting

For more information, call the County Planning Commission at 246-2865.



CALL THE NEWSLINE

For Town Council agendas, Community Center events and other Town news, call the VIENNA NEWSLINE, 255-6333, 24 hours a day.



News from Vienna Parks and Recreation Dept.

For more information about any of the activities listed below, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department, 255-6360.

"ODD COUPLE"

The Vienna Theatre Company, directed by Norman Chaudet, will present both the male and female versions of Neil Simon's comedy hit, "Odd Couple," this month at the Vienna Community Center.

The classic characters Felix and Oscar will take the stage February 9, 11 and 17, while their female counterparts Florence and Olive will appear February 10, 16 and 18. All performances begin at 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$4.50 in advance and \$5.50 at the door.

ATLANTIC CITY TRIP

February 8 is the reservation deadline for an exciting day at the casinos in Atlantic City. The trip will be made on Thursday, February 16. A charter bus will leave the Community Center at 9 a.m. and return about midnight. The cost for transportation is \$20.

TABLE TENNIS ANYONE?

A table tennis tournament will be held at the Community Center on Saturday, February

18. The entry fee is \$3 for those aged 17 and under, and \$4 for ages 18 and over. Trophies will be awarded to the first and second place winners in each age group.

The registration deadline is 5 p.m. on February 15. Entry forms and tournament scheduling information are available at the Community Center.

CAPS HOCKEY GAME

February 17 is the reservation deadline to see the Washington Capitals take on the Pittsburgh Penguins in a game scheduled for March 3. A charter bus will leave the Community Center at 6:30 p.m. and return about midnight.

The cost of \$27.50 includes transportation and admission to the game.

BMX COMPETITION

Vienna Parks and Recreation and Peddle Masters Bicycle Shop will sponsor an indoor BMX freestyle competition at the Community Center on Sunday, February 19. Registration will be held from 9 to 11:30 a.m. preceding the competition.

Age group classifications are 13 and under, 14 and 15, 16 and 17, and 18 and over, with novice, intermediate and expert

categories for each group. Trophies will be awarded to the winners; however, this is not a sanctioned event and riders cannot receive points.

Registration and entry fee information is available at the Community Center.

SPRING ANTIQUES SHOW

The annual Spring Antiques Show and Sale will be held at the Community Center March 3-5. Hours are noon to 9 p.m. Friday, noon to 7 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Admission is \$3 for this display and sale of antiques and collectibles by over 40 dealers from all over the East Coast.

Ayr Hill Players' "Arsenic & Old Lace"

"Arsenic and Old Lace," written by Joseph Kesselring, will be performed by the Ayr Hill Players February 10, 11, 17 and 18 at 8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of the Vienna Presbyterian Church, 124 Park St., N.E. This comedy thriller in three acts is directed by Eric Puttoff and produced by Patti Hiergesell.

A contribution of \$5 is requested to be paid at the door. For more information, call 938-0643.

Town Government's 100th Year

The first woman elected to the Vienna Town Council was Clara Staats Barringer (1869-1935). She served the following terms: 1907-?, 1912-14, 1918-20, 1922-24.

Active in community affairs, a horse-woman, and a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Vienna Presbyterian Church, she also assisted her husband in the operation of their farm. The couple had no children.

In 1907, she purchased the home that still stands at 340 Glyndon St., N.E., and where her nephew, Ryneer A. Staats, and his wife live today. Her niece, Marcia Staats, lives on Wilmar Place, N.W. The Staats home-stand, where Marcia and Ryneer Staats grew up, was located on land now part of Westwood Country Club.

The month of February in Vienna's Centennial year 1990 will be devoted to the history of our Town government. Anyone who is willing to donate or lend old photos and memorabilia on this subject to the Vienna Centennial Committee is asked to call the Public Information Office at Town Hall, 255-6330.

Call these numbers 24 hours a day
 VIENNA NEWSLINE - 255-6333
 POLICE INFO LINE - 255-6363
 TOWN JOB LINE - 255-5720
 SPECIAL PICKUP LINE - 255-5727

VIENNA THEN & NOW

Town Councilwomen



Councilwoman Clara Staats Barringer
 - photo courtesy of Miss Marcia Staats



Councilwoman Martha H. Pruett

Help for Vets

A State Department of Veterans Affairs representative will be visiting Vienna's American Legion Post 180 on Mondays from 9 to 11 a.m. for the purpose of assisting veterans and their dependents with requests for VA benefits, etc.

The central office for Northern Virginia is located in Alexandria and may be contacted Monday through Friday, except holidays, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Phone 461-8975.

Mardi Gras Gala

The Green Hedges School "Mardi Gras at the Auction" will be held on Friday, February 24, at the Dulles Ramada Renaissance Hotel.

The evening begins at 7 p.m. with a silent auction and reception followed by a Cajun buffet dinner and live auction. Auction categories include weekend getaways, art objects and collectibles, dining and entertainment, hearth and home, and learning adventures.

Proceeds from the auction will be used to establish a fund for a stage and lighting for the Frances F. Kilmer Hall at the school, located at 415 Windover Ave., N.W. For ticket information, call the Development Office at 255-5463.

Mammography Van Here on Thursdays

The mammography van sponsored by Women's Imaging Network will be at the Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce, 115 Church St., N.W., each Thursday in February from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. To make an appointment and for more information, call 269-7067.

1939 Fine Week

Clear your records and your conscience during Fairfax County Public Library's "1939 Fine Week" February 1-7. All fines on material returned during the week will be reduced to 5 cents an item, no matter how many weeks, months or years have elapsed since it was borrowed.

1939 Fine Week is the library's gift to patrons on the occasion of its 50th birthday. In the early days, the library charged a nickel fine for every two weeks a book was overdue.

Fairfax County Public Library was born on February 1, 1939, when the Board of Supervisors voted to allocate \$250 for establishing a countywide library system. From this beginning, the library has grown into a network of 22 branches with a \$16 million annual budget and 2 million materials.

Citizen Comment

Glass Recycling Sites Nearby

In response to the citizen comment in the January Newsletter concerning recycling, you neglected to mention that Fairfax County has eight recycling drop-off sites for glass. Several of these are not far from the Vienna town limits (for example, Blake Lane Road Park). Please inform your readers that these recycling centers, which take glass, aluminum cans and newspapers, are available. The drop-off sites are:

- Blake Lane Road Park, 10700 Blake Ln., Oakton;
- I-66 Transfer Station, 4618 W. Ox Rd., Fairfax;
- Braddock Road Park, 13241 Braddock Rd., Centreville;
- I-95 Landfill,

9850 Furnace Rd., Lorton;

• Baron Cameron Park, 11300 Baron Cameron Ave., Reston;

• E.C. Lawrence Park, 5000 block of Sulley Rd., Centreville;

• Wakefield Park, 8100 Braddock Rd., Annandale;

• Mount Vernon Recreation Center, 2017 Belle View Blvd., Alexandria.

For more information on Fairfax County's Waste Reduction/Recycling Program, you can call 246-5052.

As a resident of the Town of Vienna and an employee of the Fairfax County government, I applaud you both for your efforts in recycling.

Newspaper Pickup Program Pays

Town ordinance prohibits mixing newspapers with trash. Residents are encouraged to place their newspapers at the curbside every other week for recycling. Newspaper pickup days are listed in this newsletter each month.

Newspaper recycling not only helps conserve a valuable natural resource, but also generates revenue for the Town. Last fiscal year, 863.36 tons of newspaper were sold for recycling for

a profit of \$19,020.95. In addition, the Town saved the \$15,324.64 it would have cost to dispose of this quantity of newspaper at the Fairfax County landfill.

Newspapers should be tied in bundles or placed in paper (not plastic) bags for pickup. Magazines, telephone directories and similar items are not recyclable and should not be mixed in with newspapers. For more information, call 255-6381.

KEEP YOUR SWEETHEART'S HEART THROBING



COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA COUNTY OF FAIRFAX

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Dear Town of Vienna Resident:

Valentine's Day is just around the corner and the Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Department would like to give you a special gift. It's a gift that may mean the difference between life and death, a gift of FREE CPR Training.

We have arranged to conduct a four-hour CPR class at Madison High School on Sunday, February 12. Certified instructors will be available to train the participants in one-person CPR and the Heimlich Maneuver. Pre-registration is required and can be done by calling 691-4CPR before February 10.

The class will begin at 1:30 p.m. and continue until 5:30 p.m. Students should plan to arrive a few minutes early to pick up materials. Much of this training is hands-on activity, so wear comfortable clothing.

According to the American Heart Association, nearly 350,000 people die each year of cardiovascular disease before receiving medical attention or reaching a medical facility. We want to help beat those odds by offering this unique training opportunity.

Thank you for your participation.


Chief Warren E. Isman
Fire and Rescue Department

* Each person who successfully completes the training will receive a CPR certificate and wallet card from the Heart Association. The program goal is to train at least 10% of Vienna residents in this life-saving technique.

* Refreshments will be served by the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department's Ladies' Auxiliary.

VIRGINIA'S LARGEST FIRE AND RESCUE DEPARTMENT

Graduation Party Planned

The parents of James Madison High School seniors are now planning their 2nd annual all-night, drug- and alcohol-free graduation party. In 1988, approximately 95% of the seniors celebrated together in a safe and fun-filled evening of entertainment, games, prizes, food and dancing.

Much of the success of this project is due to support from businesses and organizations with their contributions of prizes and money.

1989 Tax Forms

Every year at tax time, Patrick Henry Library stocks free tax forms for those who need extras. If the IRS didn't send the right forms, or if erasures left noticeable holes in your reporting, you can pick up fresh, new copies of the entire 1040 family of federal tax forms at the library.

Unlike previous years, however, the almost 60 types of supplemental tax forms, such as "Capital Gains and Losses" and "Credit for Child and Dependent Care Expenses," will not be offered in quantity. Taxpayers can order the forms through the mail from the IRS by calling 1-800-424-FORM, or photocopy originals in the library's collection for 10 cents each.

The goal is to make this special graduation party available to every senior. Some families are unable to afford the \$25 cost of a ticket. Last year, thanks to the generosity of the community, enough tickets were provided for students in financial need.

Donations are being accepted to ensure the success of the 1989 graduation party. Checks should be made payable to the James Madison Graduation Party and mailed to: Graduation Party Committee '89, James Madison High School, 2500 James Madison Dr., Vienna, VA 22180.

Concern Over Toxic Spills Grows

Fumes from a chemical spill in Bhopal, India, in 1984 killed over 2,000 people and injured many thousands more. This incident focused concern on whether communities in the U.S. are ready to respond to hazardous material emergencies.

In 1986, Congress passed the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act. The law provides for emergency response planning to cope with the accidental release of toxic chemicals into the air, land or water. The community right-to-know provisions will help to increase the public's knowledge and access to information

Choral Society's Valentine to Vienna

Serenade your sweetheart with the strains of Brahms' Liebeslieder Waltzer (Love Song Waltzes) at the Valentine to Vienna Concert presented by the Vienna Choral Society on Sunday, February 12, at 4 p.m. The concert, which will include other favorite love songs, will be held in the Vienna Community Center auditorium.

Tickets are \$5. Refreshments will be served. For more information about the concert or the Choral Society, call 938-5640 or 938-5264.

about the presence of hazardous chemicals in the community and releases of these into the environment. Businesses are now required to report their hazardous chemical inventories and releases.

Virginia now has over 105 Local Emergency Planning Committees (LEPC). The Fairfax LEPC has begun collecting information about hazardous materials in the area and has drafted its first emergency response plan.

For more information about this area's emergency response capabilities or the hazardous material emergency response plan, call 246-2331.