

# CALENDAR

All meetings are held at Town Hall

**THURSDAY, MAY 2**

Police Chief's Advisory Committee, 7 p.m.

**TUESDAY, MAY 7**

Town election. Polls open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Vienna Community Center.

Windover Heights Board of Review, 8 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 8**

Planning Commission, 8 p.m.

**THURSDAY, MAY 9**

Town/Business Liaison Committee, 8 p.m.

**SUNDAY, MAY 12**

Mother's Day.

**MONDAY, MAY 13**

Town Council, 8 p.m.

**TUESDAY, MAY 14**

Mayor's Advisory Committee, 8 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 15**

Board of Zoning Appeals, 8 p.m.

**THURSDAY, MAY 16**

Board of Architectural Review, 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY, MAY 18**

Armed Forces Day.

**MONDAY, MAY 20**

Town Council, 8 p.m. Meeting will include public hearing on the proposed FY 1997 budget.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 22**

Planning Commission, 8 p.m.

**THURSDAY, MAY 23**

Beautification Commission, 8 p.m.

**MONDAY, MAY 27**

Memorial Day. Town Hall closed. Trash collected as usual for residents on the Monday/Thursday route.

**TUESDAY, MAY 28**

Transportation Safety Commission, 8 p.m.

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## TOWN OF VIENNA

### Your Vote Counts! Town Election Tuesday, May 7

Polls open 6 a.m.-7 p.m.  
at the Vienna Community Center

**FOR MAYOR**

Charles A. Robinson, Jr.

**FOR TOWN COUNCIL**

Albert J. Boudreau

Steven D. Briglia

George E. Lovelace

For election results, call the Vienna Newsline, 255-6333, one to two hours after the polls close.

### ★Memorial Day★

Town Hall will be closed on Monday, May 27, for Memorial Day. Trash will be collected as usual that day for residents on the Monday/Thursday collection route.

The community is invited to attend the annual Memorial Day ceremony conducted by the American Legion Dyer Gunnell Post 180 at Flint Hill Cemetery in Oakton. The ceremony will begin with a concert by the Vienna Community Band at 10 a.m. featuring music selected especially for Memorial Day.

The American Legion Auxiliary of Post 180 will conduct its annual Poppy Promotion throughout Vienna during Memorial Day weekend. The poppies are made by hospitalized veterans, and money raised during the poppy promotion will go to veterans' hospitals in Virginia.

# NEWSLETTER

May 1996

## Public Hearing May 20 On FY 96-97 Town Budget

At its May 20 meeting, the Town Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed Town budget for fiscal year 1996-97. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Town Hall. At the hearing, citizens will have the opportunity to comment on the proposed budget and ask questions about the appropriation of Town funds for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Copies of the proposed budget are available for review at Town Hall and Patrick Henry Library. A "Budget in Brief" summary may be obtained free of charge at Town Hall, and the entire budget document may be purchased for \$10.

The proposed general fund budget of \$10,983,917 is based on a real estate tax rate of 31¢ per \$100 of assessed valuation, an increase of 1¢ over the current rate, or \$22.56 more per year for the average homeowner (property valued at \$216,518). The Town of Vienna has not increased the tax rate since 1992.

The proposed water and sewer fund budget is \$3,780,164. An overall increase of 15¢ in the combined water and sewer rate has been proposed. For the average customer (usage of 25,000 gallons per quarter), the rate adjustments would add about \$3.75 to the quarterly bill. The major reason for the increase is that many of the projects funded by the 1996 bond issue are water and sewer system related and, therefore, the water and sewer fund must assume a greater portion of the debt service cost. These projects, which include increasing water pressure, waterline cleaning, and installation of new waterlines, will result in improving the condition of the system infrastructure and thereby prolong its useful life.

The proposed budget was prepared by the Town Manager and his department heads under guidelines that called for continuation of Town services at existing levels, replacement of equipment that has surpassed its normal useful life, and infrastructure maintenance, all with a minimal increase in taxes and service charges.

The Town Council has held a number of budget work sessions since the proposed budget was presented last month, and as a result, the budget discussed at the public hearing may differ from that originally proposed by the Town Manager. If Council considers it necessary, a final budget work session to discuss comments made at the public hearing will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, June 1. Adoption of the budget is scheduled for the June 3 Council meeting.



**REMINDER TO BUSINESSES:** The deadline for filing your business, professional and occupational license (BPOL) return is May 1. For information, call the Finance Department at Town Hall, 255-6321.



## Planning Commission Hearing May 8 On Revised Rental Property Ordinance

At its May 8 meeting, the Town Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on a proposed ordinance regulating residential rental property. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Town Hall.

The original ordinance has been revised extensively to address concerns raised about various legal issues. The purpose of the ordinance remains the same, however, to reduce the number of zoning violations associated with single-family rental properties and to provide the Town with enhanced enforcement authority to deal with violations that do occur.

The ordinance would require the owner of a single-family house to acquire a certificate of occupancy before renting the property and agree to comply with all applicable zoning, maintenance and health requirements. Violations could result in the revocation of the occupancy certificate. Inspection of the property for suspected violations could be made only with the consent of the tenants or by obtaining a search warrant.

Copies of the proposed ordinance are available for review in the Planning and Zoning Department at Town Hall. For more information, call 255-6341. Following the public hearing, the Planning Commission will forward a recommendation to the Town Council, which will conduct its own hearing before voting on adoption of the ordinance.

## Don't Let Pets Run Afoul of the Law

The Town of Vienna has a "pooper scooper" ordinance that requires dog owners to clean up after their pets when out for a walk. Please be a responsible pet owner and don't allow your dog to foul the lawns of neighbors. The mess and smell are very offensive, especially in hot weather.

Also, signs are posted in several Town parks to remind pet owners that dogs are not allowed on athletic fields, tennis and basketball courts, playgrounds and picnic areas because of the nuisance and potential health hazard to park users. The Town Animal Warden is authorized to fine pet owners found in violation of these laws.

Dogs must be confined to the owner's property unless on a leash. Dogs found running at large may be picked up by the Animal Warden. Owners charged with dog-at-large violations must appear in court. Fines increase with each offense to a maximum of \$500.

### TOWN OF VIENNA NEWSLETTER

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#### VIENNA TOWN COUNCIL

Charles A. Robinson, Jr.

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Steven D. Briglia Vincent J. Olson

Martha Jo Garvie Rodger W. Seeman

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

The Town Council invites citizens to submit comments for publication in the *Newsletter*. Please include your name, address and daytime phone number.  
(This information will not be published.)

## Town Council Action

All Town Council votes are unanimous unless noted otherwise.

### MARCH 4, 1996

- Conducted a joint public hearing with the Planning Commission on a proposed new zoning category for the Church Street business corridor.

- Recommended the following citizens to the Fairfax County Electoral Board to serve as Town election officials on May 7: Robert Bingham, Harry T. Shiveley, Cathryn A. Thompson, Corinna S. Hanna, Marianna Parrish, Joanne D. Scott, Katherine Harris, Michael E. Clark, Perry Lear, Joanne C. Cook, Patricia Polychrones, Leonard Taney, Constance Wax and Arnold Perko. The following citizens were recommended as alternates: John A. Pavlick, Robert Burns, Shirley Ann Gourley, Beverly Harris, Donald Reed and Helena Borsa.

- Appointed Councilman Steven D. Briglia as Council's representative on the Local Administrative Retirement Committee for Town employees.

### MARCH 18, 1996

- Conducted a public hearing on the Town's 1995 Comprehensive Plan.

- Approved the official statements required for the 1996 bond issue.

- Adopted an amendment to the sign ordinance concerning free-standing signs in shopping centers.

- Appointed Linda A. Powell as the southeast quadrant representative on the Beautification Commission to fill the unexpired term of Laurie Cole.

NEW IN TOWN? The Public Information Office has prepared an information packet especially for new Vienna residents. Come by Town Hall and pick one up, or call 255-6330 to have one mailed to you.

## NEWS FROM VIENNA PARKS & REC

For more information about any of the activities listed below, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department at 255-6360. All activities are held at the Vienna Community Center unless stated otherwise.

### SPORTS & FITNESS

**Vienna Tennis Tournament** June 7-9 at Meadow Lane and Glyndon Parks. Categories are men's and women's singles, doubles and mixed doubles, and ages 35+ and 45+ men's singles. Entry fee \$12 for singles, \$20 per doubles team. Entry deadline May 29.

**Outdoor volleyball tournament** Saturday and Sunday, May 18 and 19, at Southside Park. Four levels of competition in men's, women's and coed divisions. Entry fee \$10 for Mid-Atlantic Volleyball members, \$15 for non-members. To register, call (301)881-SPYK.

**Volleyball specialty clinics** 8:30-10:30 p.m. May 2, 9 and 16 for beginner/intermediate players; May 23 and 30 for advanced players. Cost \$15 per clinic. To register, call (301) 881-SPYK.

### SENIOR CITIZENS

"Let's Get Fit" on Tuesday, May 21, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Dr. Dennis P. Hogan from the Oakton Chiropractic Center will help seniors set up an exercise program to fit their lifestyle. Free of charge.

**Pickleball tournament** 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Wednesday, May 8. Doubles competition with partners chosen at random. Players of all ability levels welcome. No entry fee; register by May 6.

### MANAGING YOUR MONEY & YOUR ESTATE

**Investment seminar** 7-9 p.m. May 7, 14 and 21. Financial advisor Kevin P. Davis will discuss how to set up an investment portfolio, when to buy and sell, how interest rates affect bonds, and what to look for in

mutual funds. Free of charge; pre-registration required.

**Learn the truth about trusts** 10-11:30 a.m. Monday, May 6. Attorney David G. Hoffman will discuss revocable trusts, minor's trusts, life insurance trusts, marital trusts, state and federal tax implications, funding, and choosing a trustee. Free of charge.

### BUS TRIP

**Day at the casinos** in Atlantic City Thursday, May 16. Charter bus will leave the Community Center at 9 a.m. and return about midnight. Cost of \$30 per person includes transportation and casino package. Reservation deadline May 9.

### JUST FOR TEENS

**Vienna 500** remote control car race, sponsored by the Vienna Teen Council, on Saturday, May 18. Ages 10-13 race from 12 noon to 1 p.m. and ages 14-17 from 1 to 2

p.m. Entry fee \$1, with a percentage donated to charity. Register by 5 p.m. May 14.

### POTPOURRI

"Country Strutting" family dance party 2-4 p.m. Sunday, May 19. Beginners welcome; host Pinky O'Neil will teach the two-step and all the popular line dances on the spot. Tickets \$5 in advance (\$2 for children aged 8-16), \$6 at the door (\$3 for children). Bring your own sodas and snacks to share.

**Family movie** 8:30 p.m. Friday, May 17, at Glyndon Park. Free of charge; refreshments for sale. Bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating. Parents must stay with their children. Call ahead to find out what movie will be shown.

**Arm chair traveler** series takes you to Scotland on May 3 and Germany May 17. Programs begin at 1 p.m. Free of charge; advance registration requested. Participants encouraged to share their own travel stories.



Jake DeArmitt as Ben Franklin, Sal Buscema as John Adams and Will Hayden as Thomas Jefferson are among the cast of the Vienna Theatre Company's production of the hit Broadway musical "1776." The show continues this month at the Community Center with performances May 3, 4, 10, 11, 17 and 18 at 8 p.m. The May 10 performance will be signed for the hearing impaired. Tickets are \$9 general admission and \$8 for students and senior citizens.



## Photo Contest Winners Announced

Congratulations to the winners of the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department's annual amateur photography contest. Bruce Furr received the Best in Show award, and the People's Choice award went to Arthur Sellers. Other winners are listed below.

**First Place** - Carol Satterlee, Peg Clampet, James Wang, Sandra Delzell, Nora May, Seymour Kaitlin, Arthur Sellers, Thomas Cocke III (two categories), Bruce Furr (four categories), Jan Bender

**Second Place** - Arthur Sellers, Carla Steckley, Sandra Wilkerson Manuel, Carol Satterlee, Thomas Cocke III, Seymour Kaitlin, Jack Duckworth (two categories), Brian Rawdon, Susan Thomas, Daniele Plasecki (two categories), Edwin Mosser, Gloria Lopez

**Third Place** - Jan Bender (three categories), Vukosava Hodzic (two categories), Sandra Wilkerson Manuel (two categories), Barbara Reinwald (two categories), Richard Hu, Edwin Mosser, Anne Nenninger, Jane Hatch

**Honorable Mention** - Jane Hatch, Carla Steckley (three categories), W.S. Graybeal, Franklin Coleman, Daniele Plasecki, Ruth Furr

For the first time this year, there was a separate contest section for students in grades 7-12. These winners are:

**First Place** - Michelle Gerster (three categories), Laura Greco, Caroline Carr, Lynn Pierson (two categories), Branko Hodzic (two categories)

**Second Place** - Liz Schuster, Shannon Duckworth, Michele Gerster (two categories), Caroline Carr, Lynn Pierson, Branko Hodzic

**Third Place** - Laura Greco (three categories), Caroline Carr

## Please Follow Special Pickup Rules

To dispose of unwanted furniture, appliances, building materials, brush and other debris not included in the regular trash collection, residents can order a Special Pickup. Place discards at the curbside, then call the Special Pickup recording *promptly* at 255-5727.

Each residence is entitled to receive two free Special Pickups per year, with a limit of one dump truck load per pickup.

- Building materials generated by residents themselves will be picked up. Concrete and other masonry items are limited to 300 pounds per residence.

- Sod, small stumps, brush, trees and limbs of a diameter greater than 1½ inches and less than 6 inches and no more than 8 feet in length will be picked up.

- Discarded furniture, swing sets and playground equipment will be picked up.

- Up to 300 pounds of scrap metal and small automobile parts such as engine blocks, transmissions and tires will be picked up. Tires must be removed from the rim.

- Two major appliances per residence will be picked up. Old heating oil tanks will not be picked up.

- Paint cans, insecticides, and other hazardous wastes will not be picked up. For information about hazardous waste disposal, call 324-5068.

- Please separate brush, appliances, building materials, etc. from each other. This makes it easier for pickup crews to salvage recyclable items, reducing the amount of debris taken to the landfill.

- For the safety of Special Pickup crews, please separate large pieces of glass from other discards.

- Residents of corner lots are requested to place discards in front of the property, not on the side.

- Please keep Special Pickup items away from regular trash and recyclables, fire hydrants, water meters, gas valves, fences and utility poles.

Residents are reminded to call the Special Pickup number as soon as debris is placed at the curbside. Piles of trash that go uncollected for weeks on end because of residents' failure to call for a Special Pickup are an eyesore and a potential health and safety hazard.

## Beauty Spot from Your Community Beautification Commission

Vienna's Community Beautification Commission recognizes town residents and businesses for improvements to their property, volunteer cleanup efforts, and other worthy beautification projects.

This month's "Beauty Spot" awards go to:

- Marshall Road Elementary School, 730 Marshall Rd., S.W., for its contributions to this year's Arbor Day celebration.

- Mattress Discounters, 342 Maple Ave., W., for the attractive renovations to the store.

- Laurie Genevro Cole, 200 Owaissa Ct., S.E., for her dedication and leadership while serving as a member of the Beautification Commission.

- Frank Boyko, 806 DeSale St., S.W., a citizen who helps keep Vienna clean and free of litter.

Citizen suggestions for Beauty Spot awards are welcomed. For more information, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department at 255-6360.

**BEAUTY TIP:** Any home, street or community can be brought to life by the addition of new spring flowers, shrubs and blooming trees. Each citizen is encouraged to take a personal survey and then help enrich the beauty of our town.

## Trash Contaminates Mulch Deliveries

Last fiscal year, the Public Works Department collected 3,345 tons of leaves and 886 tons of brush, much of which was ground into mulch and delivered to residents. Unfortunately, some folks found their mulch contaminated with bits of household trash.

When cleaning up the yard, remember that your brush and leaves will be recycled, saving the Town thousands of dollars in disposal fees each year. Please keep them free of trash, dirt, and other debris.

# Vienna Festival

## FESTIVAL

Along Vienna's Historic Church Street

**Special Events**

- Arts & Craft Vendors
- Live Music & Entertainment
- Wide Assortment of Food & Drink
- Carnival Rides For Adults & Children

**SAT., MAY 25TH**  
4:00 P.M. - 10:30 P.M.

4:00 p.m. - Carnival & Food open  
6:30 p.m. - Entertainment begins  
**ALSO**  
10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Annual Booksale  
at Patrick Henry Library.  
1 p.m. Annual Pet Show at Vienna  
Elementary School grounds.

**SUN., MAY 26TH**  
12 NOON - 6:30 P.M.

"Street Festival" including  
arts, crafts, commercial  
vendors, food concessions,  
entertainment and  
carnival rides.  
There will be NO "rain date."  
\*Information: 703-255-4742



## Residential Parking Areas Require Permit

All persons living in the restricted residential parking areas in southwest Vienna — 700 block Kingsley Road, 700-900 blocks Meadow Lane, 1000 block Delilah Drive, 600-700 blocks Tapawingo Road, 914 Myers Circle and 715 Marshall Road — are reminded that their vehicles must display special decals in order to park on the street during the restricted hours.

If you have not yet obtained the new green decal (blue decals have expired), please come to Vienna Police headquarters as soon as possible to receive yours. Bring your driver's license and registration for each vehicle with you. The new decals are good through 1998.

Temporary parking permits are available for guests of residents in the restricted areas. No permit is required for vehicles making delivery or service calls.

## Town Employees Earn Certification

Town landscape horticulturist Mark R. Allen has been designated a certified arborist by the International Society of Arboriculture. Allen has been with the Parks Maintenance Division for five years and is responsible for planting and maintaining park and street trees as well as ornamental landscaping at Town-owned buildings, parks, and certain right-of-way and utility strips. He previously cared for the grounds at Mount Vernon.

Kelly L. Williams, Meter Service Worker II in the Public Works Department, recently received his Class V waterworks operator's license from the Commonwealth of Virginia. Since coming to the Town in 1992, Williams has been commended by many Vienna residents for his professional and courteous manner, and he received an Outstanding Performance Award from the Town last year for streamlining water service testing and maintenance procedures, thereby saving money and reducing complaints.

## July 4th Booth Space Available Now

The Vienna Parks and Recreation Department is now accepting applications for booth space at this year's July 4th celebration. Food, game and activity booths must be sponsored by local non-profit organizations. The 10' x 10' spaces cost \$20 each. This is an opportunity for organizations to raise money while participating in a community tradition that is enjoyed by thousands of Vienna residents and visitors each year.

There are also approximately 100 spaces available at \$40 each for private and commercial arts and crafts vendors interested in selling items at the July 4th celebration. Handcrafted items of high quality will be given preference.

The deadline to register is June 14 or until all spaces are filled. Applications are available at the Vienna Community Center, or call 255-6360 for more information.

The celebration is scheduled for Thursday, July 4, on the Community Center grounds (rain date for fireworks only July 5). Booths are to be open from 12 noon to 6 p.m.

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Vienna's July 4th All-American Chili Cook-off, sponsored by the Casinova Pod of the Chili Appreciation Society, Inc., for the benefit of the Optimist Club of Vienna, will be held at the Town's July 4th celebration. Those interested in participating in this year's cook-off should contact Bill Gratz, 2892 Melanie Lane, Oakton, VA 22124, or call 281-3135.

## Welcome New Vienna Businesses

The following business licenses were issued during March:

Belle Maison (Gifts & accessories) 137 Church St., N.W. 242-6505	Decision Dynamics (Consulting) 409 Glyndon St., N.E. 319-3944	Espresso D'Inapoli (Coffee & sandwiches) 167 Maple Ave., E. 319-0431
Mary Anne Nulty (Psychotherapist) 340 Mill St., N.E. 319-3750	Par on Parcel (Packaging) 137 Church St., N.W. 242-6505	Vienna Trophies & Awards 320 Maple Ave., E. 255-3805
Stickdog Information Service Company (Computer service) 143 Church St., N.W. 319-1692	Tricon Food Service Consultants (Kitchen design) 115 Beulah Rd., N.E. 242-7020	Kirtland C. Peterson (Consulting) 540 Marshall Rd., S.W. 287-9100
John S. Gardenier (Tax preparation) 115 St. Andrews Dr., N.E. 281-9016	Wennermarketing (Marketing consultant) 101 Sharon Ln., N.W. 242-9437	Accent on Flowers (Florist) 431 Maple Ave., W. 242-6607
Five Star Bicycle Sales & Service 504 Moorefield Rd., S.W. 855-3483	Herbally Yours (Mail order herbs) 1116 Ware St., S.W. 255-6653	Someday Creations (Crafts) 302 Old Courthouse Rd., N.E. 242-1226

**Vienna Farmers' Market** at Not-toway Park opens May 8. Local produce will be offered each Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., rain or shine. In addition, master gardeners will offer advice at a plant clinic from 9 a.m. to noon.

**Tour historical sites** associated with Civil War Confederate Col. John Singleton Mosby on Saturday, May 18. A charter bus will leave at 9 a.m. from the Freeman House, 131 Church St., N.E., and return at 5 p.m. \$20 for Historic Vienna members, \$25 for non-members. Send checks to Historic Vienna, Inc., P.O. Box 53, Vienna, VA 22183. For more information, call 938-5187. Reservation deadline May 11.

**Vienna Light Opera Company** will present "Naughty Marietta" May 3 and 4 at 8 p.m. on the Annandale campus of Northern Virginia Community College. \$15 general admission, \$12 for students and senior citizens. Tickets available at Gordon Keller Music Co., 132 Church St., N.W., or from the Arts Council ticket office, phone 642-0862. For more information, call 281-2570.

**Community blood drive** Thursday, May 16, from 12 noon to 6 p.m. at the Vienna Community Center. To make an appointment and for more information, call the Vienna Regional Chamber of Commerce at 281-1333. The general requirements for blood donor eligibility are minimum age of 17 (no upper age limit), good general health with no minor illness symptoms for three days, and minimum weight of 110 pounds.

**Vienna Volunteer Fire Department Ladies' Auxiliary** has presented the fire department with a check for \$35,000, which was raised through activities sponsored by the auxiliary throughout the past year. 1996 marks the 93rd anniversary of VVFD, which appreciates the community's continuing support.

**American Association of Retired Persons** Chapter 754 will meet at the Vienna Community Center at 12:30 p.m. Monday, May 20. For information about the meeting or the benefits of joining AARP, call Emilie Larson, 938-1379, or Mary Lou Pattan, 281-2377.

**Vienna Community Band** will present a free outdoor concert as part of the annual ViVa! Vienna! Town Festival at 6 p.m.

## AROUND OUR TOWN

Saturday, May 25, at Church and Mill Streets, N.E. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

The Vienna Community Band's Saxophone Quartet will present a Mother's Day concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at the gazebo on the lake at Meadowlark Gardens Regional Park (rain date June 2).

**South Vienna Association** will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, at the Vienna Community Center. All citizens are welcome to attend.

**Rabies vaccination clinic** for dogs and cats 12 noon-2 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at the Fairfax County Government Center, 12000 Government Center Pkwy., Fairfax (loading dock area, use lefthand parking lot closest to the building). Vaccine for animals over a year old costs \$6 and provides protection from rabies for three years. For animals under a year old, vaccine costs \$4 and protects for one year. For more information, call the County Animal Shelter at 830-1100.

**Vienna Woman's Club** annual English garden tea will be held on Saturday, May 18, from 2 to 4 p.m. Musical entertainment will be provided by Lorrie Kelley with "Twice Shy." For more information, call Beth, 978-3425, or Stefania, 573-3926. The Woman's Club is always looking for a few good women to share their interests and skills in helping the community.

**Used book sale**, sponsored by Friends of Patrick Library, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, May 25, at the library, 101 Maple Ave., E. Proceeds benefit the library's gift fund. For more information, call 938-0405.

**Old Dominion Chrysanthemum Society** annual mum plant sale 9 a.m.-12 noon Saturday, May 18, at Crossman United Methodist Church, 384 Washington St., Falls Church. Large selection of plants plus free expert advice on how to care for mums. Old Dominion Chrysanthemum Society

meets at 8 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month at the Falls Church Community Center. For more information, call Virginia Moore at 768-6853 or the Center, 241-5077.

**Vienna Photographic Society** welcomes guests at its May 1 meeting, 7:45 p.m. at the Vienna Community Center. Nikon representative Scott Andrews will talk about the newest cameras, lenses and flashes. For more information, call Carla at 476-6016.

**North East Vienna Citizens Association** will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 21, at the Vienna Community Center, the last meeting till fall. NEVCA is celebrating its first anniversary and will elect officers for next year. All interested citizens are welcome to attend.

**Vienna Choral Society**, joined by members of the Vienna Community Band, will present "An American Scrapbook" at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 1, at the Vienna Community Center. The program will feature songs from *South Pacific*, music by Aaron Copeland, and other selections. \$10 general admission, \$7 for students and senior citizens, and \$15 family discount rate. For more information, call 938-4839 or 573-4018.

**"Festival in the Park"** Saturday, May 11, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Vienna Community Center. The festival will include live entertainment, food, arts and crafts, games, exhibits, a raffle and much more. Sponsored by the NAACP Fairfax County Chapter. For more information or to apply for a booth space, call Mae Chapman at 354-5190.

**Ayr Hill Garden Club** will sell plants at its booth at ViVa! Vienna! on Sunday, May 26. Also, tickets will be sold for a chance to win patio planters. Proceeds go to the club's community beautification projects.

**Vienna letter carriers** will be participating in the U.S. Postal Service's annual one-day food drive on Saturday, May 11. Leave non-perishable food items for your carrier to pick up that day, or bring items to the Post Office throughout the week of May 6. For more information, talk to your letter carrier or call the Post Office at 938-2125.