

This Month in History

from the Vienna Newsletter archives

NOVEMBER 1995 – The Vienna Police Department has created a Youth Resource Officer position, funded through a federal grant, in response to the many and diverse problems among Vienna's juveniles. The Youth Resource Officer will assist troubled juveniles and their families and develop positive, proactive programs in the schools and the community such as this month's drug awareness seminar for parents.

NOVEMBER 1985 – The Town of Vienna was saddened by the death of long-time Director of Finance W. Gordon Brady. Mr. Brady was Vienna's first Director of Finance. He developed a sound accounting system for the Town at a very difficult time in its financial history and was always recognized as a person of unquestioned integrity. Mr. Brady also participated in many Vienna Halloween Parades as a member of the Shriners drum and bugle corps.

NOVEMBER 1975 – After nearly nine years, the debates concerning the width of Park Street, S.E., may be over. Council agreed at its November 17 meeting to pursue construction of Park Street to a maximum width of 36 feet its entire length from Maple Avenue to Fardale Street. The street is currently only 18 to 20 feet wide, has dangerous soft shoulders and poor drainage. The estimated cost of the project is approximately \$1 million.

NOVEMBER 1965 – The new Master Street Plan will guide Vienna's future street construction program. The Town is now acquiring the right-of-way necessary for the widening to four lanes of the remainder of the east end of Maple Avenue to the town limits. The project, when completed, will extend from Park Street to Tysons Corner.

Visit the Town's Web site at www.ci.vienna.va.us

Recycle Motor Oil, Antifreeze, Batteries

The next quarterly recycling day for used motor oil, antifreeze and car batteries is Saturday, December 3, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Northside Property Yard, 600 Mill St., N.E. Citizens can dispose of vehicle waste products in a convenient and environmentally responsible way. For more information, call 703-255-6381. On the last recycling day, September 10, approximately 200 gallons of oil, 12 gallons of antifreeze and 25 batteries were collected.

Too often, used oil is improperly poured down storm drains or into sewers. Just one quart of oil can pollute 250,000 gallons of water, releasing toxic metals such as lead, cadmium and arsenic into the environment. Recycled oil is a valuable resource that can be re-manufactured into new fuels.

Antifreeze, like oil, can contaminate water and should never be disposed of in drains or sewers. In addition, antifreeze stored around the house presents a great danger to children and pets; it tastes sweet but is deadly poison.

Improper disposal of automobile batteries is a leading cause of lead contamination in landfills and energy recovery facilities. In Virginia it is illegal to dispose of automobile batteries with refuse.

TOWN OF VIENNA

Holiday Schedule

Town Hall will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25, for the Thanksgiving holidays. NO CURBSIDE RECYCLING ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

Leaf Collection

Fall leaf collection continues this month, November 7-16 and November 28-December 10 in south Vienna, and November 17-26 on the north side of town. To ensure pickup, leaves must be at the curbside prior to the first scheduled collection day for your area. Once your street has been covered, crews will not double back. Because of leaf collection, no Special Pickups will be made until January 2005. For more information, call the Public Works Department at 703-255-6381.

Veterans Day

Vienna's annual Veterans Day ceremony will be held at American Legion Dyer-Gunnell Post 180, 330 Center St., N., at 11 a.m. Friday, November 11. The public is invited to attend. For more information, call 703-938-9535.

Snow Brochure Inside

See pages 5 and 6 for a brochure on the Town's snow removal program. Tear it out, fold it up and save it all winter as a handy reference.

NEWSLETTER

November 2005

Real Estate Tax Due Next Month

The second installment on 2005 Town of Vienna real estate tax bills is due on December 5. Mailed payments must be postmarked on or before that date to avoid penalties and interest. Late payments will be assessed a penalty of 10% or \$5, whichever is greater, along with interest at 10%, which accrues until payment is made.

If you pay your real estate taxes directly to the Town rather than through a mortgage company and you do not receive your bill by November 15, please call the Real Estate Office at Town Hall, 703-255-6325.

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.

To pay by credit card online, go to www.ci.vienna.va.us/Town_Departments/onlinepay.htm. To pay by phone with a credit card, call 1-888-2PAYTAX (1-888-272-9829) and use the Jurisdiction Code 1094 for real estate. Make sure you record the confirmation number given to you at the end of the transaction, as this will serve as your proof of payment.

Town of Vienna property owners must also pay Fairfax County real estate tax. For information on County tax payments, call 703-222-8234 or visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dta/homepage.htm.

Proposed Ordinance Would Ban On-street Boat, Trailer & RV Parking

At its November 21 meeting, the Town Council will hold a public hearing on a proposed ordinance to prohibit parking of watercraft, boat trailers, motor homes and camping trailers on public streets. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Town Hall. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend the hearing and express their views on this issue.

The proposed ordinance was prepared at the request of Council in response to changes made by the Virginia General Assembly last session that allow Fairfax County and towns within its boundaries to regulate parking of these vehicles. If adopted, the ordinance would take effect February 1, 2006, after which vehicles parked in violation of the ordinance would be subject to parking citations and could be towed at the owners' expense.

NEW IN TOWN? There's a welcome packet especially for new residents. Stop by Town Hall and pick one up or call 703-255-6330 to have one mailed to you.

<p>POLICE FIRE & RESCUE EMERGENCY 911 (Voice & TDD)</p>	<p>Vienna Town Hall 127 Center Street, South Vienna, Virginia 22180-5799 Business Hours Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.</p>	<p>PRSR STD U.S. POSTAGE PAID Vienna, Va. Permit No. 36</p>
<p>VIENNA POLICE DIRECT 703-938-4900 (Voice) 703-255-5730 (TDD) NON-EMERGENCY 703-255-6366 (Voice) 703-255-5730 (TDD)</p>	<p>The Town of Vienna does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs or activities. The Director of Public Works has been designated to coordinate compliance with the non-discrimination requirements.</p>	
<p>VIENNA TOWN HALL 703-255-6300 (Voice) 703-255-5735 (TDD)</p>	<p>This document will be made available in large print or on audio cassette upon request. Call 703-255-6330, TDD 703-255-5735.</p>	
<p>COMMUNITY CENTER 703-255-6360 (Voice) 703-255-5739 (TDD)</p>		

HOLIDAY STROLL ON HISTORIC CHURCH STREET



**Monday, November 28th
6:00-9:00 p.m.**



*Church Street will be closed between Lawyers Road and Mill Street.
Stroll amid the sights and sounds of the holiday season
and visit our Church Street merchants.*



🎄 Santa will arrive at the Freeman House on an old-fashioned fire truck around 6:30 p.m.

🎄 Mayor Seeman will light the holiday tree at Church & Mill Streets at 6:45 p.m.

🎄 Horse-drawn carriage rides available

🎄 Roast marshmallows at supervised "bon fires"

🎄 Musical entertainment provided by:
Vienna Community Band Trombone Ensemble
Wolftrap Elementary School Chorus
First Baptist Church Chorus
Vienna-Falls Sweet Adelines
"Work in Progress" Band

**The Holiday Stroll is sponsored by
Historic Vienna, Inc., and the Town of Vienna.
For more information, call the Vienna Parks & Recreation Department
at 703-255-6360.**

www.nvmr.org. The Town's red caboose will also be open to the public that day, courtesy of the Optimist Club of Vienna.

Go Warhawks! James Madison High School sports teams got off to a great start this year with the Madison golf team taking the Liberty District title last month. The school is seeking an Activities Bus Driver. Candidates must have a valid CDL and clean driving record. This is a paid position. Volunteers are needed to take tickets at home sporting events.

Northeast Vienna Citizens Association (NEVCA) will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, November 30, at the Vienna Community Center. For information, call Dan Mulville at 703-938-1791.

Newcomers Club of Vienna and Friends will hold a luncheon meeting at noon Thursday, November 10, at Marco Polo Restaurant. The meeting will feature a silent auction of gift items, books and baked goods. For more information, call Barbara Power at 703-978-8572. Other club activities include a book exchange, day trips and tours, and bridge and bowling leagues.

Pickleberry Pie, Inc., is a national non-profit group that provides free concerts for hospitalized children. Vienna music instructor Irene Light is the liaison for the organization in our area. This month storyteller Barbara Effron will perform at Inova Fairfax Hospital for Children and the Georgetown Hospital Pediatrics Division sponsored by the Shelley A. Marshall Foundation. Financial donations are needed to continue and expand the program. For information, call Irene Light at 703-281-1536.

Breakfast buffet, sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary Unit 180, is held on the third Sunday of each month from 8 a.m. to noon at the Legion Post, 330 Center St., N. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under age 12. For more information, call 703-938-9535.

Open house at Christian Assembly Academy, 8200 Bell Lane (off Cedar Lane toward Gallows Road), will be held on Monday, November 14, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The non-denominational Christian school has been educating children in



Holiday Greetings

Historic Vienna Inc.'s 2005 Christmas card is now available at the Freeman House general store and museum, 131 Church St., N.E. Cards are sold in a package of eight for \$7.50 and feature a sepia-toned photograph taken in front of the Freeman House of a family preparing to take a sleigh ride through the snow. Store hours are Wednesday through Saturday from noon to 4 p.m. and Sundays from 1 to 5 p.m. For more information, call 703-938-5187.

grades K-8 for over 20 years. For information, call 703-698-7458 or visit www.christianassemblyacademy.net.

Upcoming programs at Patrick Henry Library: "A Glimpse of Antarctica" 7 p.m. Monday, November 28. Writer/photographer John Luck will describe his adventures. On Saturday, December 3, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. the High Country Basketry Guild will sponsor a basketweaving workshop for adults. Bring

a lunch. Both programs are free of charge; to register, call 703-938-0405.

Emergency Veterinary Clinic of Northern Virginia, serving the Vienna community for more than 25 years, will be renamed the Hope Center for Advanced Veterinary Medicine on November 1. The full-service facility, which includes internal medicine, cardiology and surgery, is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year at 416 Maple Ave., W. Phone 703-281-5121 or visit www.hopecenter.com.

Names in the News ...*(continued)*

Congratulations to town resident **Janie Martensen**, who says, "Without being able to train on 123 I would never have met my goal of attending the Senior Olympics." She ranks 9th in the nation in the 100-meter dash following the 2005 Senior Games held in Pittsburgh this summer.

Vienna is the 4th best community in the nation according to *Money* magazine, and **Jammin' Java** is the 4th best place to hear live music in the Washington, DC, area according to the washingtonpost.com's 2005 Best Bets Readers' Choice Awards.

HAPPENINGS AROUND OUR TOWN

Harvest Bazaar and Fall Festival, sponsored by the Vienna Woman's Club, will be held at the Vienna Community Center on Saturday, November 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults; free babysitting and children's activities provided. The bazaar features crafts, used books, baked goods and refreshments. Proceeds go toward scholarships and community service projects.

5K Turkey Trot, sponsored by the Vienna Jaycees, is scheduled for 8 a.m. Sunday, November 13, beginning at the Vienna Community Center. The registration fee is \$25 for ages 15 and older (\$5 discount for ages 14 and under), and proceeds benefit the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department. For a printable entry form and more information, visit www.viennajaycees.org. To register online, go to www.active.com.

Citrus sale, sponsored by the Vienna Ayrhill Lions Club, will be held November 18-20 at the Danor Plaza Shopping Center (Blockbuster). Stock up on healthy goodies for the holidays.

"Treasury of Art," annual juried show and sale sponsored by the Vienna Arts Society, is scheduled for November 18, 19 and 20 at the Vienna Community Center. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Free admission. All work is for sale. For information, call Jackie Liedl at 703-273-1631.

Works by Vienna Arts Society members are displayed and sold at the Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St., N.W., and the gallery in the Village Green Shopping Center. For information, call 703-319-3971 or visit www.viennaartsociety.org.

Food drive for CHO (Committee for Helping Others), sponsored by the Northeast Vienna Citizens Association, will be held November 1-December 31. Donations of canned ham, stew and other meats are especially appreciated. Bring donations to Town Hall, Vienna Community Center, Patrick Henry Library, Bikes@Vienna and Connell's Valet.

CHO is preparing for holiday distribu-

tions to area families in need. Food gift cards, gift certificates for local stores, gently used bikes and coats, and new toys and games for children may be brought to Vienna Presbyterian Church on Friday, December 16, for distribution the following day. Volunteer help is also welcome. For more information, call Carolyn Mysel at 703-938-7213

Art & Craft Showcase, sponsored by the Northern Virginia Handcrafters Guild, will be held November 25, 26 and 27 at the Vienna Community Center. Admission is \$2 per person. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. Over seventy-five juried Guild members will offer fine art, collectibles, gift items and decorative accessories for the home. See samples at www.nvhg.org.

Book signing at the Freeman House, 131 Church St., N.E., on Sunday, November 13, from 2 to 4 p.m. Vienna resident Connie Stuntz will sign copies of her new book, *Views of Falls Church, Virginia: Including Its Western Neighbors thru the 1881-1889 Diaries of Edmund Flag, Esq.*, which is for sale in the Freeman House old-fashioned general store. The 206-page hardcover book contains over 100 photographs and includes much information about Vienna.

Vienna Health Fair will be held on Sunday, November 13, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Vienna Adventist Academy, 340 Courthouse Rd., S.W. The fair will include flu shots plus vision, hearing, glaucoma, cholesterol, glucose and spinal screenings and evaluations. For information, call 703-751-5373.

DMZ to Delta Dance, hosted by Vietnam Veterans of America, Northern Virginia Chapter 227, will be held on Thursday, November 10, from 8 p.m. to midnight at the Holiday Inn Rosslyn. All veterans, their families and friends are welcome. Tickets are \$25 per person, and proceeds go to support the chapter's veterans and community service programs. For more information, call 703-255-0353 or visit www.geocities.com/vva227.

Chapter 227's regular monthly meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, November 17, at Neighbor's Restaurant in the Cedar Lane Shopping Center.

Community blood drive will be held at Louise Archer Elementary School on Monday, November 7, from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Child care will be available. To make an appointment, call the school at 703-937-6200. Walk-ins are also welcome.

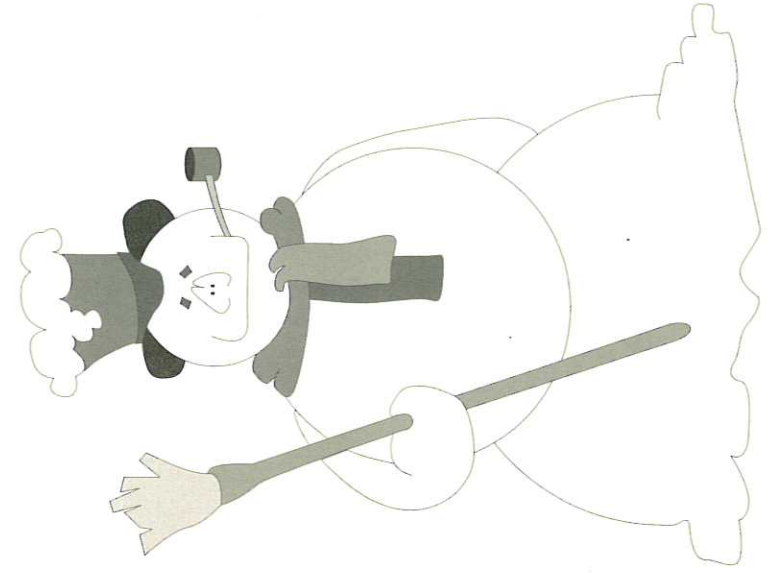
Donations for wounded service men and women hospitalized in Iraq continue to be collected by the American Legion. Most-requested items include CDs, DVDs and pocket books, and new men's and women's underwear, socks, T-shirts, sport shorts, flip-flops/shower shoes and toiletry items. Town residents may drop off donations at Vienna American Legion Post 180, ATTN: Joyce, 330 Center St., N.

Flu shot clinic, sponsored by Vienna NARFE Chapter 1116 (National Association of Active and Retired Federal Employees) in conjunction with MedStar Health Visiting Nurses Assn., will be held at the Vienna Community Center on Tuesday, November 1, from noon to 4 p.m. The fee is \$35 per person (free of charge for those covered by Medicare Part B). NARFE's monthly meeting will also be held at the Community Center on November 1 beginning at 1:30 p.m.

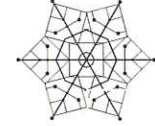
Welcome Club of Northern Virginia invites newcomers and other interested residents to its annual silent auction, bake sale and luncheon at 11 a.m. Thursday, November 3, at International Country Club in Fairfax. For reservations and more information, call 703-242-0217 or e-mail Jtowers39@cox.net. The club also sponsors bridge, golf, theater and other special interest activities.

Northern Virginia Model Railroaders will host an open house at the Vienna Railroad Station, corner of Dominion Road and Ayr Hill Avenue, N.E., on Saturday, November 12, from 1 to 5 p.m. Admission is free; donations accepted. See an operating HO scale model railroad. For information, call 703-938-5157 or visit

Town of Vienna Snow Removal Program & Winter Weather Guide



November 2005



Town of Vienna
127 Center St., S.
Vienna, VA 22180-5799

Closings & Cancellations

For information on town government closings, cancellations and other snow-related items, residents can call the Vienna Newsline, 703-255-6333, or visit the Town Web site, www.ci.vienna.va.us, 24 hours a day. Also stay tuned to local TV and radio stations for updates.

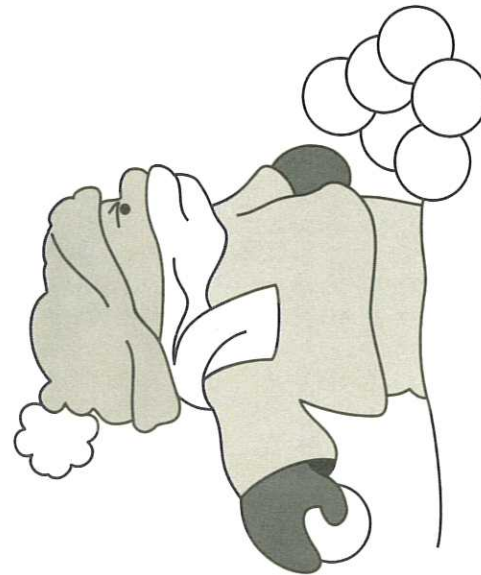
The Vienna Community Center follows Fairfax County Public Schools' snow schedule. If schools are closed, activities at the Community Center will be canceled.

Snow Removal Award

This winter, if you feel that any businesses or citizens have done an excellent job in removing snow from their driveways and/or sidewalks, or helped others in removing snow, please nominate them for a Snow Removal Award. To make a nomination and for more information, e-mail tbt@ci.vienna.va.us or call the Planning and Zoning Department at 703-255-6341.

Keep These Phone Numbers Handy

Police/Fire & Rescue Emergency	911
Vienna Police Direct	703-938-4900
Public Works Department	703-255-6381
Weekends/Evenings	703-255-6366



NEWS FROM VIENNA PARKS & REC

For more information about any of the activities listed below, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department at 703-255-6360. All activities are held at the Vienna Community Center unless stated otherwise.

AT THE TEEN CENTER

Jewelry design for 6th graders will be held on Friday, November 11, from 3:30 to 6 p.m. Create your own original jewelry with glass beads, hemp rope and more. Admission and materials are free of charge.

Craft It Night for middle school students will be held on Friday, November 18, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Create a masterpiece using beads, picture frames and more. Admission and materials are free of charge.

Babysitting fundamentals, for boys and girls age 12 and older, will be offered on Saturday, November 5, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Learn how to care for infants and young children, including bathing, games/activities, basic first aid, diapering and safety practices. The fee of \$30 per person includes a manual and certificate upon completion. Bring a bag lunch and a doll.

MANAGING YOUR MONEY & YOUR ESTATE

Estate Planning Made Simple will be presented on Monday, November 14, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Attorney David Hoffman will explain the fundamental laws behind estate planning. This seminar is free of charge, and no advance registration is required.

POTPOURRI

Home Makeovers, a three-part series with Remax realtor Denene Crabbs, will be held November 2, 9 and 16 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Topics include creating an allergen-free home, which home improvements most enhance the resale value of your home, and retirement lifestyle options. Free of charge; registration required.

Auditions for the Vienna Theatre Company's winter production, "Enchanted April," will be held November 2 from 7:30 to 10 p.m. and November 3 from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.

portation, orientation at the Jamestown Visitors Center and self-guided walking tours of Jamestown Settlement and Jamestown Island. Sponsored by Vienna's Virginia 2007 Committee and Vienna Parks and Recreation.

Radio City Christmas Spectacular Saturday, November 19. Leave the Community Center at 8 a.m. and return around midnight. The cost of \$95 for town residents includes transportation and ticket to the matinee performance starring the world-famous Rockettes. Participants will also have time to enjoy the "Big Apple" before and after the show.

Murder mystery luncheon Wednesday, November 16, at the historic Town Hill Inn, located in Maryland along the "National Road." Leave the Community Center at 8:30 a.m. and return around 5:30 p.m. The cost of \$70 for town residents includes transportation, tour of the inn, lunch and an audience participation murder mystery with prizes for those who correctly guess whodunnit.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Pottery show and sale will be held at the Bowman House Arts and Crafts Center, 211 Center St., S., on Saturday, November 12, from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Admission is free. The show will feature handbuilt and wheel-thrown items crafted by students and teachers in the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department's pottery program.

Quarterly coin and stamp show November 5 and 6. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. Free admission. Sponsored by the Northern Virginia Coin Club. For information, call Darren M. Coker at 703-532-6640.

DAY TRIPS

Visit historic Jamestown on Tuesday, November 1. Leave the Community Center at 8 a.m. and return around 8 p.m. The cost of \$60 per person includes trans-

Snow Removal

Sanding and salting operations begin immediately at the onset of snow and ice. Plowing begins when snow has accumulated two inches or more, with the primary streets listed below receiving top priority:

Maple Avenue
Nuttley Street (Marshall to Malcoln)
Park Street (Maple to Fardale)
Center Street (North and South)
Kingsley Road (Nuttley to Cottage)
Courthouse Road
Locust Street (Branch to Park)
Lawyers Road
Malcoln Road
Old Courthouse Road
Creek Crossing Road
Cottage Street
Church Street
Tapawingo Road (Park to Nuttley)
Follin Lane
Branch Road
Beulah Road
Cherry Street (Center to Park)
Marshall Road
Electric Avenue

Once these streets are passable, snowplows can then move into residential subdivisions following established routes. If the primaries require salting/sanding/plowing again after one pass, this will be done before going to the secondary streets.

Snow Emergency Routes

Snow emergency routes within the town are marked by signs. No parking is allowed on these main streets during snows so that plows can do a more efficient job. Vehicles must have chains or tires approved for use during snow emergencies.

Parking During Snows

When snowplows are at work, residents are asked not to park on any street posted as a "snow emergency route," and on non-snow emergency routes residents are asked to park only on the side of the street with even-numbered addresses. This parking plan is voluntary but strongly recommended to enable snowplows to maneuver more easily. It is best not to clear your private driveway until the snow plow has cleared the street because it is not possible to keep snow from closing up the driveway area.

Clearing Sidewalks

Residents who are physically able are requested to shovel sidewalks next to their property for the safety of pedestrians, especially schoolchildren. Vienna area teens are available to shovel snow and help with other odd jobs through the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department's Job Bank. The teen and the person needing the work decide on the amount to be paid for the service. Teens can sign up with the Job Bank at the Community Center, and residents can call 703-255-6360 to be matched with a young worker.

Town businesses that hire snowplows to clear their parking lots are asked to make sure that snow is not piled onto adjoining sidewalks or pushed into the street. This creates a serious hazard for pedestrians.

Clearing Fire Hydrants & Water Meters

Residents who can be asked to assist the Water and Sewer Division in clearing ice and snow from fire hydrants near their homes. In case of an emergency, firefighters will be able to respond much quicker if the hydrants are accessible.

During winter weather, please keep water meter enclosures clear of snow and ice. If the meter cannot be read due to obstructions, an estimated bill must be rendered.

Vienna's Community Enhancement Commission

Invites You to Join in the Annual

TOWN CLEANUP DAY

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5th

9 a.m. to 12 noon

RAIN OR SHINE!

❖Individuals, families & community service groups welcome❖
❖Cleanup assignments can be tailored to you & your group❖

❖Garbage bags & gloves provided❖

❖Check-in at the Vienna Community Center
for bag & glove pickup❖

❖Walk-ins welcome on Cleanup Day❖

❖Organizations asked to sign up in advance❖

Information, 703-255-6360

Vienna Parks & Recreation

Some Frequently Asked Questions About Snow Removal

Q: Which streets are plowed first and why?

A: Primary streets, which are most important for emergency situations, followed by secondary streets and cul de sacs.

Q: Why don't they plow from curb to curb?

A: Plow crews are trying to open area streets for emergency access with the initial pass. When primary streets are clear, crews will return for additional plowing.

Q: Why do I sometimes see a snowplow going down the street with its blade up?

A: It may be going to a preassigned area, applying sand or returning to the property yard for more sand.

Q: Why don't they plow my cul de sac better?

A: Maneuverability in cul de sacs is very difficult for snow plows, and cars parked on the street can make plowing nearly impossible.

Q: Why do they plow the snow onto my yard?

A: This occurs mainly on corner lots in order to widen the intersection for increased safety.

Q: Where should I put the snow when I dig my car out so it won't be plowed in again?

A: To the edge of the roadway.

Q: Is there an ordinance requiring residents to shovel sidewalks?

A: The Town of Vienna has no such requirement, mainly because it would impose a hardship on elderly and disabled residents.

Q: Who is responsible for clearing business parking lots?

A: The business owner.