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### HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Town offices will be closed on Thursday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day. Refuse will be collected as normal on Thursday.

### WATER QUALITY REPORT

See pages 4-9 for the 2013 Water Quality Report for the Town of Vienna and surrounding service area.

# COMMUNITY CENTER **STUDY PUBLIC FORUM: JULY 16**

Provide your input during the second public forum on the future of the Community Center on Tuesday, July 16, 7 pm at the Community Center

July 4th Festival Thursday, July 4, 11 am - 4 pm

#### Vienna Community Center

The Vienna Parks and Recreation Department invites you to enjoy food, games, rides, arts & crafts, a chili cook-off, community booths, antique cars, family games and music! In the event of rain, call (703) 255-7842 for cancellation information. Ticket sales for rides and attractions end at 3:30 pm.

# Main Évents

Vienna Community Band, 11 am Enjoy the Oldies with Ron Moody and the Centaurs, 12:15 pm Chili cook off, arts and crafts, antique and classic car show, 11 am - 4 pm

Kid's Craft Corner Kids off all ages can create a variety of fun

arts and crafts, 2 pm - 3 pm

# NEW THIS YEAR: Pooches on Parade

Pet lovers are invited to bring their pets dressed in their finest 4th of July costumes and participate in the July 4th Pooches on Parade. Register at the gazebo at 12 pm; parade starts at 1 pm on the infield. Free! Sponsored by Town of Vienna and the Hope Center.

July 4th Fireworks Show Southside Park, 1315 Ross Drive SW

Fireworks Show begins at 9:15 pm

#### Entertainment by Fat Chance begins at 7 pm at Yeonas Park

Seating available at Yeonas Park with limited seating available at Southside Park. Spectator seating areas open at 5 pm. Lawn chairs are prohibited on baseball fields at Yeonas Park. Restrooms available. Vienna Little League concession stand open. No dogs, alcohol or glass items permitted.

Rain Date for Fireworks Only: Friday, July 5

Thanks to Vienna Little League for making Yeonas Park available. For a detailed map of the fireworks show site, visit <u>www.viennava.gov.</u>

### Road Closures & Parking

*The following streets will be closed to vehicular traffic beginning at 7:30 pm:* Patrick Street, Patrick Circle, Ross Drive from Cottage Street to George Street, and

George Street from Cottage Street to Ross Drive. Parking available at Cedar Lane School and Thoreau Middle School. Visit <u>www.viennava.gov</u> for additional public parking opportunities.

# TOWN COUNCIL ACTIONS

The following items are extracts of recent Town Council actions and are not official meeting minutes. The most recent approved Town Council minutes, agendas and meeting videos are available online at www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=567. All votes are unanimous unless noted otherwise.

#### May 13, 2013

- Held a public hearing on proposed water and sewer fees.
- Adopted a tax rate of \$.2288 (or 22.88 cents) per \$100 of assessed value for the Fiscal Year 2013-2014. (Polychrones *voting Nay*)
- Adopted Fiscal Year 2013-2014 water rate of \$4.75 per 1,000 gallons and sewer rate of \$6.66 per 1,000 gallons, effective July 1, 2013.
- Adopted the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 budget in the total amount of \$32,272,761. (Polychrones voing Nay)
- Set a public hearing on changes to the Vehicle License Fee ordinance for June 3.
- Awarded a sole source

contract for medical services for Town employees to INOVA Health Services of up to \$15,000.

- Awarded a sole source contract for telecommunication services to Siemens Enterprise Communications, with payment of up to \$25,587.72.
- Increased the contract with the Davey Tree Company by \$12,500.
- Awarded a contract to Silver Communications for printing of the Parks and Recreation quarterly brochure in the amount of \$14,389.
- Awarded a contract for additional engineering services to Wiley|Wilson for a total

amount of \$26,553 for work on Mill Street NE and Follin Lane SE.

- Approved 206 and 210 Glyndon Street SE and 301 and 303 Locust Street SE subdivision public improvements into the Town system for maintenance and reduced the surety amounts to \$4,886.53 and \$5,118.60, respectively.
- Approved an increase in HD Supply Waterworks by \$4,000 and approved an after-the-fact payment of \$12,481.17.
- Approved an increase in the contract with Sagres Construction Corporation by \$113,184 to complete the Spring Street SE construction project.

#### (*Cole Abstained*)

Approved riding Fairfax County contract with Systems Furniture to purchase 11 new chairs for the Council dais for a cost of \$14,719.76

### **UPCOMING** COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARINGS

All public hearings are held at Town Hall, 127 Center St., S at 8 pm unless otherwise noted.

#### Upcoming Public **Hearings**:

July 1: "Street Tree" Definition - Town of Vienna Code, Chapter 17, Subdivisions, Article 1, In General, Section 17-1, Definitions

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#### **RECYCLING EVENTS**

The following recycling opportunities are provided by Fairfax County. For more information on these events, contact Ben Boxer at (703) 324-5052 or visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/living/recycling.

Wednesday, July 10: Business Hazardous Waste Clean-up Day for Conditionally Exempt and Small Quantity Generators, 9 am to 2 pm, I-66 Transfer Station, 4618 West Ox Road, Fairfax

Saturday, July 20: Document Shredding Event, 8 am to 12 pm, Oak Marr RECenter, 3200 Jermantown Road, Oakton

Sunday, July 21: Electric Sunday, 10 am to 3 pm, I-66 Transfer Station, 4618 West Ox Road, Fairfax

Vienna Newsletter

#### **Town Green Needs New Friends**

By Edythe Frankel Kelleher, Vienna Town Council Member



It's been six years, and here I am again, asking you to become a patron of the arts in your own backyard. In 2007, I wrote in this space about the brand-new

Vienna Town Green and its summer concert series. I was determined to pay for the concerts with private funds, so they wouldn't be subject to cuts during tight budget times.

It was just me on the phone that first season, raising \$12,000 in sponsorships. But then I was joined by a small cadre of volunteers, and a larger group of donors called the "Friends of the Vienna Town Green." We had special polo shirts, and Friends volunteers staffed a table during Town Green concerts. We handed out program flyers, with information on how others could donate, too. The Friends donations sponsored several concerts.

A volunteer committee took over much of the fund raising for the second season, and for the third and subsequent seasons a professional fund raiser was brought in. However, that individual has gone on to a new job, and sponsorships are dwindling in the continuing tight economy.

Nearby park concerts are not funded with tax dollars, either. Friends groups in other communities fund the "Nottoway Nights" and "Spotlight by Starlight" (Mason District Park) concerts. Vienna's Summer on the Green attracts hundreds of people each week; we can certainly match the enthusiasm and tenacity of residents of those other places.

So please be a patron of the arts by becoming a Friend. No donation is too small. For most, your donation is tax-deductible. Beginning July 1, 2013 you can donate online by visiting the Town's website at <u>www.viennava.gov</u> and selecting: "I want to...make an online payment" from the drop down menu on the front page. You can also go directly to the donation page at <u>https://www.velocitypayment.com/</u> <u>client/vienna/donations/index.htm</u>, (available beginning July 1, 2013.)

For those wanting to volunteer, there will be an initial meeting on Wednesday, July 24 at 7:30 pm in the Community Center. Don't worry if you'll be on vacation. Just send your e-mail to me at <u>ekelleher@viennava.gov</u> and I'll invite you to the next meeting.

Friends of the Town Green Meeting: July 24, 7:30 pm at the Vienna Community Center. Open to all interested in volunteering.

#### WOLFTRAP STREAMBED RESTORATION: A CITIZEN'S PERSPECTIVE

#### *By Beth Corrigan, Community*

*Enhancement Commission Guest Writer* What is going on at our local streambed? I asked myself this question recently on my walk along Follin Lane near the Navy Federal Credit Union. I found answers through the Town's website and with Cathy Salgado and Leon Evans with the Town's Department of Parks and Recreation.

Apparently, this has been in the works as far back as 2008 with letters going out to residents in the immediate area. When you drive down Follin Lane you will see large machinery, orange plastic fencing and a new mulch path detour. Be careful as you pass because it is eyecatching.

This stream restoration project is funded by our Fairfax County Stormwater tax dollars. This is one of many projects selected to amend the negative impact development has had to the natural environment. The primary objective is to prevent further erosion of Wolftrap Creek's banks and expand the aquatic and natural habitat.

The plans are detailed and professional. The project is fully underway and should be largely completed by Labor Day with the possible exception of fall replantings.

I walked Reston's restored Glade stream and Snakeden stream valleys to get a feel for our streambed's future. I liked the results. I'm looking forward to getting our area "cleaned up". The noticeable deterioration had caught many of my neighbors' attention as well as mine. Please don't panic when many of the debris/trees come out, and when man tries to re-create the natural. We'll likely be better off. I'm still walking and watching with interest.

#### A Note From the Town on the Wolftrap Stream Restoration Project:

This project is Vienna's first example of a way to repair natural areas that have been impacted by previous years' development. As the project draws to a close in late August, the Town and Fairfax County will be hosting a special ribbon cutting ceremony to welcome the public to the revitalized area located in Wildwood Park. This project was made possible through a partnership between the Town of Vienna and the County of Fairfax. For more information, visit <u>www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=500</u>.

# THE TOWN OF VIENNA 2013 WATER QUALITY REPORT MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

This is the Town of Vienna's fifteenth annual report to inform you about your drinking water quality. As a part of the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires all water utilities across the nation to mail their customers a Water Quality Report by July 1 every year. Our goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water and we want you to understand our efforts to protect your water supply.

The quality of your drinking water must meet state and federal requirements administered by the Virginia Department of Health and the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). We constantly monitor the water supply for various contaminants to ensure we meet all regulatory requirements. The tables in this report list only those contaminants that had some level of detection. Many other contaminants have been analyzed but were either not present or were below the detection limits of the laboratory equipment. Most of our water quality data is from testing done in 2012; however, the Commonwealth allows us to monitor for some contaminants less than once a year because the concentration of these contaminants does not change frequently. Even though some of our data may be more than one year old, it is accurate.

On page two of this report, we have provided detailed information regarding an omission in our sampling requirements in 2012, during which time we did not collect and analyze water samples for lead and copper. In order to rectify this omission, we collected and tested 30 samples between February 19 and 22, 2013 and provided the samples to the Virginia Department of Health. The results indicated that the samples were below the established action levels and we are now in compliance. In addition, we will continue to monitor for lead and copper throughout this year.

Is your water safe to drink? Absolutely! We're proud to share our water quality test results with you. For further information, please call the contact number below.

Sincerely, Mercury Par

Town Manager

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Substances (referred to as contaminants) in source water may come from septic systems, discharges from domestic or industrial wastewater treatment facilities, agricultural and farming activities, urban storm water runoff, residential uses and many other types of activities. Water from surface sources is treated to make it drinkable. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water possesses a health risk. More information can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. Environmental Protection Agency/Center for Disease Control guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

#### NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

In keeping with National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, we are informing you that we may be in violation of state regulations. We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. Vienna is required to test for lead and copper every three years and during 2012 we did not monitor or test or did not complete all monitoring or testing for lead and copper and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time. **There is nothing you need to do at this time.** 

We are attempting to prevent further violations by ensuring that all required sampling in our distribution system is done in accordance with the state drinking water regulations. Further violations will be reported as required by state regulations in order to increase consumers' awareness of conditions that exist in their public water system.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

For more information, please contact Vienna Water and Sewer Superintendent Donald Kahn at (703) 319-8610 or <u>dkahn@viennava.gov</u>.

#### HOW DO I READ THIS CHART?

Our water is tested to assure that it is safe and healthy. Contaminants in the drinking water are routinely monitored according to Federal and State regulations. The table contained in this report shows the most recent results of our monitoring. Typical sources of contamination show where this substance usually originates. The following definitions are provided to help you better understand terms and abbreviations.

- The Washington Aqueduct sampling program includes cryptosporidium. Their results and information are included.
- Non-detects (ND) laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- Parts per million (ppm) one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- Parts per billion (ppb) one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- Parts per trillion (ppt) one part per trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years or a single penny in \$10,000,000,000.
- Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.
- Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity, or cloudiness, of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person. Turbidity is monitored because it is a good indicator of the effectiveness of the filtration system.
- Action Level (AL) the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- Treatment Technique (TT) a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set at very stringent levels by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. In developing the standards EPA assumes that the average adult drinks two liters of water each day throughout a 70-year life span. EPA generally sets MCLs at levels that will result in no adverse health effects for some contaminants or a one-in-ten-thousand to one-in-one million chance of having the described health effect for other contaminants.
- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) the maximum level of total chlorine allowable by regulation.

#### WATER QUALITY RESULTS

- I. **Microbiological Contaminants** Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. () No. Laboratory results indicated that coliform bacteria were present in one test out of 360 samples.
- II. Lead and Copper Contaminants Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

Contaminant	Units of Measurement	Action Levels	MCLG	Results of Samples for the 90th Percentile Value	Action Level Exceedence?	Sampling Year	# of Sampling Sites Exceeding Ac- tion Level	Typical Source of Contamination
Lead	ppm	0.015	0	0.001	NO	2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Copper	ppm	1.3	1.3	0.10	NO	2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems

# IV. **2012 Finished Water Characteristics, Source Monitoring for Regulated Parameters** – Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

Inorganic/ Synthetic/ and Metals	Units of Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Level Detected	Violation?	Range of Detec- tion at Sampling Points	Sampling Year
Arsenic	ppb	0	10	0.6	NO	ND - 0.6	2012
Atrazine	ppb	3	3	0.1	NO	ND - 0.1	2012
Barium	ppm	2	2	0.046	NO	0.025-0.046	2012
Chromium	ppm	100	100	2	NO	ND - 2	2012
Combined Radium 226/228**	pCi/L	0	5	1.2	NO	ND - 1.2	2011
Fluoride	ppm	4	4	0.9	NO	0.5-0.9	2012
Nitrate (Nitrogen)	ppm	10	10	3	NO	0.3-3	2012
Nitrite (Ni- trogen)	ppm	1	1	0.02	NO	ND - 0.02	2012
Selenium	ppb	50	50	1	NO	ND - 1	2012
Simazine	ppb	4	4	0.05	NO	ND - 0.05	2012
Total Organic Carbon	% removal	N/A	TT (0% - 45% required)	30% - 38%	NO	17% - 58%	2012

Notes:

\*\*Most recent monitoring for this parameter was 2011.

Contaminant	Treatment Technique Limits	Level Detected	Violation?	Sampling Year	Typical Source of Contamination
Turbidity*	1.1 NTU Maximum 2. 0.3 - 95% of the time	0.25 =highest single hourly measurement. Lowest monthly percentage of samples meeting turbidity requirements =100%.	NO	2012	Soil runoff

III. **Turbidity** – Were there any detections? (X) Yes, as described below. ( ) No.

*Notes:* \*The turbidity level of filtered water shall be less than or equal to 0.3 NTU in at least 95% of the measurements taken each month and shall at no time exceed 1 NTU.

	Typical Source of Contamination
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	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards/manufacturing of glass and electrical products
	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops.
	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from steel and pulp mills
	Erosion of natural deposits
	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum
	factories
	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
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	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from petroleum refineries; discharge from mines
	Herbicide runoff
	Naturally present in environment

Contaminant/ DBPs/ Disin- fection By- products	Annual MCLG (ppb)	Average MCL (ppb)	System Running Annual Average (ppb)	System Range (ppb)	Violation?	Sampling Year	Typical Source of Contamination
TTHMs (Total Trihalometh- anes)	N/A	80	44.77	6 - 74	NO	2012	Byproduct of chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (5)	N/A	60	31.32	2.75 - 57.0	NO	2012	Byproduct of chlorination
Total Chlorine	4 ppm	4 ppm	2.50 ppm	1.1 - 2.7	NO	2012	Disinfection additive

#### PERCHLORATE RESEARCH

Perchlorate is a naturally occurring as well as man-made compound. Its presence in drinking water is currently unregulated and utilities are not required to monitor for it. The Washington Aqueduct has been voluntarily monitoring for perchlorate since 2002. The EPA initially established a reference dose of 24.5 parts per billion (ppb) for perchlorate and beginning in 2009 has proposed an interim health advisory of 15 ppb. A reference dose is a scientific estimate of a daily exposure level that is not expected to cause adverse health effects in humans. The reference dose concentration was used in EPA's efforts to address perchlorate in drinking water and to establish the interim health advisory. In 2011, finished water sample results for perchlorate collected by Washington Aqueduct at both treatment plants ranged between none detected and 3.7 ppb. If you have special health concerns, you may want to get additional information from the EPA at www.epa.gov/safewater/ contaminants/unregulated/perchlorate.html or contact the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, TTY711.

#### LEAD IN DRINKING WATER

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Town of Vienna is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in private plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 15 to 30 seconds or until it becomes cold or reaches a steady temperature before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at www.epa.gov/safewater/ lead or by calling the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, TTY 711.

#### TURBIDITY IN DRINKING WATER

Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea and associated headaches.

#### **OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Decisions concerning Vienna's water are made by the Town Council. Regular meetings are normally held the first and third Mondays of the month (except July and August) at 8 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Town Hall.

#### WATER SOURCES

For the calendar year 2012, the Town of Vienna was supplied with treated surface water from the Potomac River by the Fairfax County Water Authority (FCWA) and the City of Falls Church. The Town purchases treated water from the Washington Aqueduct supplied by Falls Church.

#### 2012 SOURCE WATER CRYPTOSPORIDIUM INFORMATION

Cryptosporidium was monitored in the source water monthly in 2012 but was not detected in any sample. The only detection of Cryptosporidium that has occurred since the initiation of source water monitoring was in October 2005.

#### 2012 SOURCE WATER GIARDIA INFORMATION

Giardia was monitored in the source water monthly in 2012. One Giardia cyst was detected in one sample resulting in a single detected concentration of 0.19 cysts/L for February 2012.

This report contains important information about your drinking water. For more information or assistance with understanding the important information contained within this document, contact Donald Kahn, Town of Vienna Water and Sewer Superintendent by phone at (703) 319-8610 or by e-mail at <u>dkahn@viennava.gov</u>.

*El informe contiene informatión importante sobre la calidad del agua en su comunidad. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.* 

# YOUR WATER/SEWER BILL HAS A NEW LOOK

Your Town of Vienna water and sewer bill has been redesigned! Your next bill will feature the new design; the postcard format is gone and you will instead receive a 8 1/2 x 11 size paper bill in a standard envelope. The new bill format is better organized, easier to read and contains more information like consumption history and graphs. We hope you enjoy the new look! Questions? Contact Water and Sewer Customer Service at (703) 255-6385 or water@viennava.gov.



### JULY EVENTS AT VIENNA'S SATURDAY FARMERS MARKET

Located at 301 Center Street South (the Faith Baptist Church parking lots), the Vienna Saturday Farmers Market is open each Saturday from 8 am to 12 pm. The Vienna Volunteer Fire Department (VVFD) parking lot is available for Farmers Market patrons when there is not a conflicting VVFD event; be sure to check the lot's status before parking. This summer, the market is gearing up with corn, berries, tomatoes and melons. On July 6, TJ Michaels will be on hand creating balloon artistry for the kids. On July 13 Faith Baptist will be entertaining kids with a water fun day on the front lawn (shorts/tops or one piece required) and the market will be hosting the Vienna Choral Society and The Shepherd Center of Oakton Vienna. The market is sponsored and operated by the Optimist Club of Greater Vienna. Visit us at <u>viennafarmersmarket.com</u> or Like us at Facebook Vienna Farmers Market.

# CHANGES TO VEHICLE LICENSE FEE DEADLINE

On June 17, Town Council approved changes to the Vehicle License Fee ordinance. The main changes are to move the due date to October 5 of each year and to change the vehicle license year to the calendar year. The due date of October 5 coordinates with the Fairfax County personal property tax due date and should be easier to remember. When October 5 falls on a weekend, the due date is the following Monday. In 2013 the due date is Monday, October 7. For more information, call the Vehicle License hotline at (703) 255-5735 or email <u>vehicle@viennava.gov</u>.

Monday, 1st: Town	Thursday, 18th: Board of
Council Meeting	Architectural Review
Tuesday, 2nd: Windover	Thursday, 25th:
Heights Board of Review,	Community Enhancement
7:30 pm ( <i>if needed</i> )	Commission,
	7:30 pm
Thursday, 11th: Town/	
Business Liaison	Tuesday, 30th:
Committee Work Session,	Transportation Safety
6:30 pm	Commission
Wednesday, 17th: Board	
of Zoning Appeals	

businesses will celebrate milestone anniversaries during the month of July: Nicholas Chimney Stove and Fireplace and Starbucks Coffee #706, 20 years; Daly Associates, LLC, Portamedic and Topix Crystal, 10 years.

# **NEWS FROM VIENNA PARKS & RECREATION**

*All classes are held at the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry Street SE, unless otherwise specified. Register for Parks & Recreation classes online at: <u>www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?NID=545</u>.* 

#### JUST FOR TEENS

**Friday Night's Teen Hall Party,** from 8 pm to 10 pm, enjoy a game of pool, ping pong or a video game tournament. All rising 6th to 9th grade members are invited. Dates include July 12, 19, 26, August 2 and 9.

#### POTPOURRI

The Vienna Scavenger Hunt runs now through August 16. Participate in a six category photo scavenger hunt around Vienna! Submit a photo CD and entry form by August 16, to have a chance at being Vienna's #1 Recreating Family! The winning family will have their photo taken and featured in next season's quarterly brochure. For more information, contact Enrique Guzman at (703) 255-6352 or eguzman@viennava. gov.

**Vienna Youth Players Present: AIDA** on August 2, 3, 9 and 10 at 7:30 pm and on August 11 at 1 pm. Tickets go on sale July 8 at the Vienna Community Center.

**Sign up for Summer Camps** with Vienna Parks and Recreation. Your child will enjoy a variety of camps ranging from fishing to gymnastics, from tennis to computers - there's something for everyone! View the Vienna Parks and Recreation Summer Camp brochure online at <u>www.viennava.gov/Archive.</u> <u>aspx?AMID=62</u> and see what's available!

#### JUST FOR YOUTH

**Summer Stories and Sprinklers** will be held on the Town Green on Wednesdays from June 26 through August 10. Kids of all ages and their parents will enjoy a story at 1 pm and families are invited to run through the sprinklers at 1:30 pm. Free. Summer on the Green is a series of free performances presented by the Town of Vienna

and its sponsors. All performances are held at 6:30 pm (unless otherwise noted) on the Vienna Town Green, 144 Maple Avenue E. Please bring your chairs and/or blankets. No alcoholic beverages are permitted and we recommend leaving your pets at home.

June 26: Mr. Gabe, Sponsored by Cuppett Performing Arts Center June 28: Sarah Bennett Swanner - Soulful Blues, Sponsored by the Michele Dandre Group June 30: Richard Walton Group -Iazz July 10: Peter McCory One Man Band, Sponsored by Cuppett Performing Arts Center July 12: Difficult Run Jazz Band July 14: Annandale Saxophone Ensemble July 19: Annapolis Bluegrass July 20: Open Mic Night July 21: Vienna Community Band July 28: Village Jazz Band, Sponsored by Tysons Corner Center August 2: Clarence Buffalo - Soulful Blues August 4: SoHo Down -Country August 9: The Kingsley Winter Band - Rock, Sponsored by Dr. Allen Garai - Garai Orthodontic **Specialists** August 10: Open Mic August 11: Wayne Tympanick - Jazz/ Dixieland August 16: U.S. Navy Band Cruisers August 18: Bill Emerson and the Sweet Dixie Band - Bluegrass

### WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES

These businesses received business licenses during the month of May.

Maxime Hair Salon Beauty Salon 139 Park St SE (703) 281-7373

Yours Truly Boutique

*Boutique* 527 Maple Ave W (757) 615-4922

Mission Sync Consultant (571) 488-5934

Prestige Lawn and Landscapes Lawn Care 115 Pleasant St NW (703) 449-6026 Kiln and Co Pottery Studio 132 Church Street NW (703) 674-7607

> **Curry Mantra-3** *Restaurant* 262 Cedar Ln SE (703) 675-7194

Elevation Burger Restaurant 142 Branch Rd SE (571) 334-6739

Sound Hearing Center Sales - Hearing Aids 303 Maple Ave W - G (301) 214-2424 **Urban Mattress** Sales - Mattresses 229 Maple Ave E (703) 261-4585

Genesis Natural Medicine Sales - Vitamins and Supplements 165 Maple Ave E (703) 200-8760

**Lillique Medspa** *Spa* 303 Maple Ave W - B (571) 882-1817

# HAPPENINGS AROUND OUR TOWN

Your old magazines and paperback books are welcomed by detainees at the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center through the Literacy Project, sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution, Fairfax County Chapter. Regular donors may leave publications in sturdy plastic bags at the usual location on the last Tuesday of each month from 9 am to 7 pm. (Be sure to remove mailing labels from magazines.) First-time donors may call Florence Roseborough at (703) 281-2498 for information.

PFLAG Fairfax, a community group for Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, and FLY, a social group for LGBTQ youth and allies ages 12 (with parental permission) to 19, will meet concurrently on Tues., July 2, 7:30-9:00 pm in the Program Building at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, 2709 Hunter Mill Road. FLY also holds Teen Lounges on the third Friday of every month, alternating movie/pizza nights at UUCF with meet-ups at various locations. E-mail wf.pflag@gmail.com or go to FLY's Facebook page for time and place. www.facebook.com/groups/fly.pflag/

The McLean Branch of the American Association of University Women will collect used books, CDs, DVDs and software at the Sun Trust Bank, 515 Maple Ave E, on Sat., July 20 and Aug. 10, from 10 am to 4 pm. No records, tapes, textbooks, encyclopedias, (except Encyclopedia Britannica) magazines or books in poor condition will be accepted. These collections are in preparation for the McLean AAUW 44th Annual Used Book Sale at the McLean Community Center on Sept. 20 - 22, 2013. Sale proceeds provide scholarships for women. For more information, contact (703) 527-4206 or visit <u>www.mcleanaauw.org.</u>

The Buffalo Soldiers of Northern Virginia Motorcycle Club is in the process of petitioning the State of Virginia to develop a license plate which will honor the 9th and 10th Cavalry "Buffalo Soldiers". If the State is to create the Buffalo Soldier's Commemorative License Plate, they must obtain four hundred and fifty (450) pre-paid applications, and submit to the Virginia General Assembly by October 31, 2013. One application per vehicle. The cost of this license plate is the customary fee of \$10 and \$20 for personalized plates. If you would like to participate, or have any questions, please feel free to contact Joan Thomas at (703) 586-8466 or joanthomas17@ hotmail.com.

**Breakfast Buffet**, Sun., July 21, from 8 am to 12 pm, Vienna's American Legion Post 180, 330 Center Street, N, Vienna 22180. Adults \$8, children \$3: omelets, scrambled eggs, blueberry pancakes, bacon, etc. For more information, call (703) 938-1379.

**Historic Vienna, Inc.** is asking for photographs of Vienna, taken any time in the 20th century. We are particularly interested in photos of places which no longer exist or which have substantially changed over the years. All photos will be scanned and returned. This is in support of our oral history project, collecting the memories and histories of Vienna citizens. For information please e-mail <u>hvioralhistory@gmail.</u> com.

Violinist Dr. Rami Kanaan and pianist Bettye Cooley will perform three pieces by Mozart at the Oakton Church of the Brethren, 10025 Courthouse Rd., on Sat., July 13, 7 pm to 8 pm. Through a lecture-recital format, Dr. Kanaan will talk briefly about Mozart's life and characteristics of the Classical musical style, using short excerpts of the music to demonstrate different points, before the two musicians perform each piece in their entirety. The performance is free admission, with donations accepted. For more information, visit www.oaktonbrethren.org or call (703) 281-4411.

**Red, Hot and Blue**, original art at the Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St NW, 10 am to 4 pm, Tuesdays through Saturdays, July 2 through 27. Meet the artists and enjoy light refreshments at the Second Sunday reception, July 14, 2 pm to 4 pm. Drop by the Art Center for a demonstration on encaustic painting by Dick Neff, Thurs., July 11, 7:30 pm. Free and open to the public. Summer art classes for adults and children can be found on the web site at <u>www.ViennaArtsSociety.org</u> or by calling (703) 319-3971.

**Vienna Choral Society Summer Singing Workshop** - Vocal Theory and Technique, Sat., July 27, 9 am to 4 pm. Open to all voice types and skill levels. Tickets online at <u>http://summer2013beorg.eventbrite.com/ Masterclass;</u> spots are limited. This workshop is presented and endorsed by the Vienna Choral Society and The Reston Chorale and led by members of their artistic staff.

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#### **THIS MONTH IN HISTORY** From the Vienna Newsletter Archives

**July 2003:** Vienna's Community Enhancement Commission recognized Robert Zillian, 507 Heritage Lane NW, with a Beauty Spot Award for his construction of a safe and comfortable school bus stop at 618 Upham Place NW.

**July 1993:** In response to a request from the Town, the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) has installed a "No Turn on Red When Pedestrians are Present" sign on southbound Nutley Street at Virginia Center Boulevard to improve pedestrian safety near the Vienna Metro Station. VDOT also studied the timing of the pedestrian signal at that intersection and concluded that sufficient crossing time exists.

**July 1983:** A Gamefield Fitness Course, featuring 15 exercise stations, is now open behind the Community Center along the W&OD Trail. The facility is designed for use by senior citizens, but persons of all ages and levels of fitness can benefit from the exercises. Each station has a descriptive sign to guide participants through the exercise.

**July 1973:** Among the special events scheduled for this year's July 4th celebration at the Community Center are entertainment by Paul Puckett and The Country Folk with special guest star Charlie Waddell, the singing State Senator, and the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department will conduct a flying watermelon contest with a fire hose.

# REGISTER FOR AUGUST RAD CLASSES

The Vienna Police Department, in conjunction with the Rape Aggression Defense (RAD) System and Navy Federal Credit Union, is proud to offer personal safety classes for women. RAD is a system of self-defense that is provided in cities and on college campuses throughout the United States and Canada.

Each three-hour class involves classroom and hands-on training in personal safety. Within this safe and controlled environment, role playing can be conducted to help develop skills.

Registration is now open for the August 4-day session to be held on August 5, 7, 12 and 14, at the Navy Federal Credit Union's training center. Call (703) 255-7805 or visit <u>www.viennava.gov/index.aspx?nid=196</u> for more information.

# **REAL ESTATE TAX DUE**

The first installment on 2013 Town of Vienna real estate taxes is due on Monday, July 29, 2013. If you have not received your bill by July 15, please call the Town's real estate office at (703) 255-6325.