

September 1984



VIENNA NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- 3 - Labor Day. Town Hall closed. NO TRASH PICKUP.
- 4 - Historic Windover Board of Review meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 4-21 - "Vienna/Wien" photo exhibit at Vienna Community Center.
- 5 - NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - north side of town.
- 10 - Town Council meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. Meeting will include a public hearing on proposed revisions to Spring and Fall Cleanups. (For complete agenda, call the Vienna Newslite, 938-4499, the weekend before the meeting.)
- 10-14 - Northern Virginia Senior Olympics. For information, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department, 938-8000 ext. 277.
- 11 - Mayor's Advisory Committee meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 12 - NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - south side of town. Planning Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 14-23 - Fall Tennis Tournament at Glyndon and Meadow Lane courts. For information, call Vienna Parks and Recreation Department, 938-8000 ext. 277.
- 17-23 - Constitution Week. Exercise a right - register to vote!
- 19 - NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - north side of town. Board of Zoning Appeals meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 20 - Architectural Review Board meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 21-23 - Vienna Theatre Company presents "The Music Man" at the Vienna Community Center. 2 p.m. September 29, 8 p.m. all other days. Admission \$6, \$5 for students and senior citizens. For tickets, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department, 938-8000 ext. 277.
- 24 - Town Council meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. (Call the Vienna Newslite, 938-4499, the weekend before the meeting for agenda items.)
- 25 - Transportation Safety Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 26 - NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY - south side of town. Planning Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 27 - Rosh Hashanah.

Photographs Compare Austrian, U.S. Viennas

A photo exhibit entitled "Vienna/Wien - Reflections and Analogies" will be shown at the Vienna Community Center September 4-21. The exhibit, by Austrian photographer Michael Freund, juxtaposes photographs of Vienna, Austria, and pictures of some of the towns called Vienna in the U.S.

Freund began his journey across America expecting to find roots and connections to Vienna, Austria, but only rarely did this occur. For example, he learned that Vienna, Maryland, derives its name from Vinnacokasimmon, a Nanticoke Indian emperor. (Vienna, Virginia, was named after a town in New York.)

So instead of looking for Austrian references, Freund concentrated on comparable or contrasting images between the American and European Viennas. The result is a collection of photographic twins, some almost identical twins.

The Community Center display features the portion of Freund's work covering Viennas in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, New York and Georgia.

Town Receives Finance Award

The Town of Vienna was recently awarded its fifth consecutive Certificate of Conformance in Financial Reporting for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1983.

The Certificate of Conformance is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting. Its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a municipality and is important as a means of achieving and maintaining a favorable bond rating.

Vendors Invited

Vendors are welcome at the Cunningham Park School PTA flea market, which will be held at the school from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, October 13 (rain date October 20).

The fee is \$8 for a 10'X10' space. To reserve a space, call Carol Bear, 281-0297, after 6 p.m. or Carol Spurlock, 560-4651.

Council to Conduct Hearings On Cleanups, Rec Center Use

At its September 10 meeting, the Town Council will hold a public hearing on proposed revisions to Spring and Fall Cleanup procedures. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

The revisions would limit the amount and type of debris collected as follows:

- No more than 300 pounds of concrete per residence per year.
- Leaves will not be picked up during cleanups.
- No more than 300 pounds of scrap metal per residence per cleanup. Whole automobile bodies will not be

picked up.

- No more than two major appliances per residence per cleanup.

A planned addition to the Vienna Community Center will be the subject of a public hearing at the October 29 Town Council meeting, which will begin at 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

This project was included in last year's bond issue and is planned as a multipurpose facility. Town residents and Community Center user groups are invited to comment on the design and use of the addition.

Town Hall will be closed Monday, September 3, for Labor Day. There will be no trash pickup that day.

Clydesdales Join Vienna Parade

The world-famous Budweiser Clydesdale team will be featured in the 1984 Vienna Halloween Parade. The parade, sponsored by the Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce, is scheduled for Wednesday, October 24.

Businesses, clubs, school groups and other organizations are reminded that September 25 is the deadline to submit applications for floats in the parade. Float designs should reflect the parade theme, "Halloween in the 21st Century," and all entries are subject to approval by the Chamber of Commerce Halloween Parade Committee. For details, call the Chamber office at 281-1333.

Complete parade information will appear in the October Newsletter.

Chairman Buckley

Councilman E. Ross Buckley has been named Chairman of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission (OSHRC) by President Ronald Reagan.

OSHRC is an independent federal agency that rules on job safety and health disputes arising from inspections of the nation's work places conducted by OSHA.

Registration for Fall Activities

Registration is now underway for fall classes and special activities sponsored by the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department. Class brochures containing registration forms have been mailed to all town residences, and brochures are also available at the Vienna Community Center, Town Hall and Patrick Henry Library.

Classes include favorites such as art, dance, cooking and tennis, plus several new offerings - safe driving, rhythmic gymnastics, leathercraft and herb gardening.

Vienna residents aged 65 and over may register free of charge for classes held at the Community Center.

For more information, call Vienna Parks and Recreation at 938-8000 ext. 277.

One of the most exciting activities this fall is the Mobjack Sailing Camp. Weekend sessions are scheduled for September 7-9, 14-16, 21-23 and 28-30.

The camp is for ages 10 through adult. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

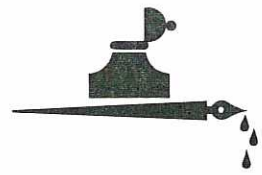
Students learn how to set and trim sails; sail into, across and away from the wind; handle the tiller; dock and leave the dock; and on-the-water safety.

The camp is located in Mobjack Bay, an arm of the Chesapeake Bay north of Williamsburg and Yorktown. The fee of \$93 per person includes food and lodging.

For more information, call Walter Warfel at 528-1267 after 7 p.m.

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Town Council Action...

June 4, 1984

* Accepted with deep regret the resignation of former Councilman Neil Walp from the board of directors of Historic Vienna, Inc.

* Directed that the employment of the Chief of Police be terminated effective June 6, granted the Chief three months severance pay and authorized him to convert 320 hours of earned annual pay to a lump sum cash payment. Directed that the Deputy Chief be reassigned to Community Relations Officer in the grade of Lieutenant, that grade being assigned to the position as long as it is filled by Lt. Tavares, after which it will revert to the grade of Sergeant. Directed recruitment for a new Chief to begin immediately, with a status report by June 25. Expressed appreciation to Fairfax County for making Maj. Donald Harper available as Acting Chief and pledged to support him.

* Approved the agreement with Fairfax County outlining the conditions of the loan of Maj. Harper as Interim Police Chief.

* Conducted a public hearing on the rezoning request by Vienna Square Joint Venture II.

* Conducted a public hearing on proposed amendments to the Historic District Ordinance.

* Denied a request to place funds in escrow rather than making off-site improvements for 311 and 313 Owaissa Rd.

* Approved a drainage agreement with Galliher Bro., Inc., to allow construction of Phase II of the Galliher projects, provided the existing storm drainage system is of proper size and construction and in sound operating condition.

* Took no action on the subject of parking in cul-de-sacs.

* Allowed Blair Road, Troy Court and Elaine Circle to remain exceptions to the ordinance governing parking in cul-de-sacs.

* Accepted the bid of \$158,211.40 by Rock Hard Exca-

vating Co. for storm drainage improvements on Park Street and Moore Avenue, funds to come from the general bond fund.

* Accepted the bid of \$77,140 by Merit Construction Associates, Inc., for storm drainage improvements on Plum and Elm Streets, funds to come from the general bond fund.

* Accepted the bid of \$8,000 by BFI Waste Systems for dumpster rental, payment to come from budgeted funds.

* Accepted the bids by Gallows Janitorial Service of \$8,700 for FY 84-85 and \$8,900 for FY 85-86 for janitorial services for Town Hall and \$12,050 for FY 84-85 and \$12,270 for FY 85-86 for janitorial services for the Community Center.

* Approved the installation of a five-section traffic signal head on the northbound approach of Nutley Street at Maple Avenue to permit traffic to turn left westbound onto Maple during the through green phase, with an appropriate sign "Left-turn traffic yield to through traffic on green." The cost of the modification will be \$1,500, to come from the general fund.

* Adopted a revised fee structure for subdivision plats, site plans and Architectural Review Board items and set the fee for a Special Pickup at \$30 per load.

June 18, 1984

* Conducted a final public hearing on the proposed Town budget and tax rates for fiscal year 1984-85.

* Increased the membership of the Transportation Safety Commission to seven citizens, and appointed Theodore Thomas as the new member for a three-year term.

* Adopted on an emergency basis an amendment to the Town Code increasing the cigarette tax.

* Approved the replacement of approximately 400 feet of sanitary sewer main, connecting three manholes, along Johnson Street, repairs to be made on an emergency basis.

* Accepted the bid by E.E. Lyons of \$234,567.89 for the reconstruction of Orchard Street, funds to come from the General Bond Fund.

* Increased water and sewer fees, effective July 1, as follows for both residential and commercial connections: sewer availability from \$1,350 to \$2,500 and tap inspection from \$15 to \$35 per tap.

* Accepted the proposal by Walter L. Ralph, Fairfax, of \$7,575 for a park survey to verify boundaries and topographic features prior to planning and constructing any new facilities.

* Following a public hearing, adopted amendments to the ordinance on historic districts.

Shop in Vienna — Support Our Home Town Merchants

Historic Vienna, Inc., to Survey Town in Preparation for 1990

As a first step in preparing for the town's centennial celebration in 1990, Historic Vienna, Inc., has begun a survey project to identify historic resources and to document the development of our community from its founding in the 19th century through its major growth period following World War II and on to the present day.

Historic Vienna needs volunteers to research documents, take photographs, identify old buildings, compile findings for a final report and many other tasks.

This is an opportunity for citizens to play a part in the Vienna Centennial and in providing a comprehensive history for future generations. Even residents who are interested just in the history of their own property are encouraged to participate in the project.

Town of Vienna Job Opening

GYMNASTICS INSTRUCTOR for recreation program beginning September 18 through the end of January for children aged 6-teens. Classes on Tuesdays & Thursdays 4-7 p.m. Strong teaching & performance background desired. Salary \$9/hour. Call 938-8000 ext. 277 for information. Completed applications must be submitted by 4:30 p.m. September 5. EOE/AA

Bridge Marathon For GOLD Fund

The Vienna Woman's Club will hold a bridge marathon in October to establish an organ transplant fund for the Northern Virginia area. This fund will be called the GOLD (Gift of Life Donors) Fund and will be administered through the Fairfax Hospital Association Foundation.

The cost to play in the marathon is \$10 per person, and the entry deadline is September 15. To register and for further information, call 938-9213, 591-5733 or 938-1931.

To volunteer and for more information, call Millie Monahan of Historic Vienna, 560-0069, or the Planning Office at Town Hall, 938-8000 ext. 267.

HVI Antique Sale

Historic Vienna, Inc., will hold its fourth annual Antique and Craft Sale on Saturday, September 22, on the Freeman House grounds, 131 Church St., N.E., from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (rain date September 29).

Antiques and crafts will be sold on the lawn, and the Vienna Community Band will perform from noon to 1 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

For more information, call 281-3469 or 938-9668.

West Falls Church-Rosslyn Bus

A new Metrobus route 66X is now operating between the West Falls Church Metro station parking lot and the Rosslyn station.

The 66X leaves every 15 minutes from West Falls Church between 6:35

Workshop Aids New Business

The Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a Pre-Business Workshop at the Vienna Community Center on Wednesday, October 3, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The workshop is designed for people thinking about starting a business and also for those already in business who feel they need more information and guidance.

Topics include forms of organization, record keeping, taxes and regulations, insurance, marketing/advertising, financial factors and the owner/manager role.

The workshop fee is \$20, which includes continental breakfast, lunch and information handouts. To register, call the Chamber of Commerce, 281-1333, by September 28.

Art on Display

Vienna Arts Society member Gen Steiner is exhibiting her new paintings in a one-person show at Town Hall through October 15.

The artist's work, in oils and acrylics, has been displayed in Northern Virginia over the past 10 years, and she has won awards in local shows, juried shows and exhibitions.

Fall Bazaar Space

Table space is available for the annual fall bazaar sponsored by the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department's Ladies Auxiliary. The bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 10, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the fire station.

To reserve a space, call Vera Lloyd at 281-3195.

The Music Man

The Vienna Theatre Company will present "The Music Man" at the Vienna Community Center September 21-23 and 28-30.

The September 29 performance is a 2 p.m. matinee. All other shows begin at 8 p.m.

Admission is \$6 per person, \$5 for students and senior citizens. Tickets may be purchased at the Community Center. For more information, call 938-8000 ext. 277.

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