

CALENDAR

Saturday, August 3

Vienna Youth, Inc., football and cheerleading registration, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Vienna Community Center.

August 3 & 4

Coin and Stamp Show at the Vienna Community Center, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Wednesday, August 7

NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY – north side of town.

Thursday, August 8

Town-Business Liaison Committee meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

Wednesday, August 14

NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY – south side of town.

Thursday, August 15

Architectural Review Board meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

Monday, August 19

Town Council meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

Wednesday, August 21

NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY – north side of town.

Board of Zoning Appeals meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

Tuesday, August 27

Transportation Safety Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

Wednesday, August 28

NEWSPAPER PICKUP DAY – south side of town.

Planning Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.

For meeting agendas, recreation activities and other Town news 24 hours a day, call the Vienna Newline, 938-4499. Get the Newline habit!

Summertime Pet Care

Your Town Animal Warden warns that high temperatures and humidity can be a deadly combination for pets as they overheat easily. Pets do not "sweat" as humans do and special care needs to be taken to prevent overheating.

Pets living or allowed outside need shelter, shade and a constant supply of cool water. Shelter is necessary to protect from inclement weather and biting insects. But the ventilation inside such a structure is limited, so the air heats quickly, reducing your pet's ability to cool himself.

Shade from trees, tall bushes and porches provides both protection from the sun and an unlimited supply of fresh air. Make sure your pet can reach a shady spot.

Water should always be available to pets. Refill overturned bowls and freshen warm water, but never give your pet ice water. It shocks the system and can cause illness.

Your neighbors may love your dog, but not when his barking awakens the neighborhood in the middle of the night. Please keep dogs from becoming a nuisance by frequent barking or howling.

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Rider Covers Sewer Backup

Under most homeowner's insurance protection, property damage caused by sewer backups is not covered. However, all insurance companies writing homeowner policies in Virginia are required by state law to offer a rider policy to cover this type of damage. The additional coverage is available at very reasonable rates. Contact your insurance company for details.

You may also wish to obtain information about flood insurance, available to Vienna residents at low rates because of the Town's participation in the National Flood Insurance Program.

Reminder About Personal Property

Town residents are reminded once again that all vehicle owners in Fairfax County must file a personal property tax return within 30 days when any change is made affecting vehicle ownership. This includes buying or selling a vehicle or a change of address.

For convenience, Vienna residents now have the option of filling out personal property tax forms in the Finance Department at Town Hall, where they will be kept for pickup by Fairfax County. However, the Town is not responsible for notification or collection of personal property taxes.

For more information, call 691-2661.

Traffic Study Begins Next Month

A townwide traffic study is scheduled to begin next month. This professional study was commissioned by the Town Council to make sure that Vienna has adequate planning for the impact of traffic generated by the Vienna Metro Station and other development.

One principal criterion for the study is protecting the integrity of the town's residential neighborhoods, as well as moving traffic.

The Town advertised for bids for the traffic study early this year. Sixteen firms received the Request for Proposals, and three proposals were submitted by the April 30 deadline. These were evaluated by Council and the Town staff, and the consultant firm Goodell-Grivas of Arlington was selected to make the study at a cost of \$15,000. This firm has conducted traffic and transportation studies for

other municipalities, including Dearborn, Mich., and Rochester, N.Y. Steven R. Shapiro, a professional traffic engineer and also a town resident, will conduct the project.

The study will cover five major areas:

1. Present and projected traffic volumes.
2. Existing and required street capacity.
3. Problem intersections.
4. Feeder bus routes.
5. Circulation improvements, including improved signal timing on Maple Ave. and controlling incursion of traffic into residential neighborhoods.

This study will be coordinated with a Transportation System Management Study of Maple Avenue being conducted by the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation.

Town/Business Liaison Committee Now Meeting on Regular Schedule

The newly formed Vienna Town/Business Liaison Committee has established a meeting schedule and rules governing its proceedings. Beginning this month, all regular meetings will be held in the Council Chamber at Town Hall the second Thursday of each month at 8 p.m. Interested citizens and business persons are encouraged to attend.

The Town/Business Liaison Committee was created by the Town Council "to study, analyze, evaluate, and offer recommendations to the Town Council on matters of public policy

which in any way may affect the Town's business community or the relationship of the business community to other segments of the Town." It is hoped the Committee will enhance understanding and cooperation among town residents, businesses and the town government.

Committee membership consists of one Town Council member, the Town Manager, four representatives of the business community and three town residents. The chairman is selected from among the business members and also must live in Vienna.

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Vienna Town Council

Charles A. Robinson, Jr., Mayor

Council Members

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Richard L. Fisher
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Town Council Action...

June 3, 1985

- Requested the Mayor to prepare a letter to the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors expressing Council's strong feeling that the planned development for the Mosscrest area (between the town line and Gosnell Rd. and between Old Courthouse Rd. and Tyson's Towns) will be too dense.

- Following a public hearing, adopted the Town budget for fiscal year 1985-86 and set the tax rates as follows: real estate, 33¢ per \$100 assessed value; bank net capital, 80¢ per \$100 valuation; utility tax, residential - 20% of first \$15, commercial - 15% of first \$300.

- Approved the landscape plans for the front yard of the Park St. Office Building, provided the suggestions of the Planning Commission and the Architectural Review Board are complied with.

- Approved the landscaping plans for JKJ Auto Body Shop, to include the Planning Commission recommendations as follows: 1. Canadian hemlocks will be planted in the rear yard next to the Regional Park Authority property to provide screening for pedestrian traffic. Trees will be set on 12 ft. centers to correspond with Galliher Business Park phases I and II. 2. Growing ground cover will be used along the front instead of grass.

- Requested the Town Manager to prepare a letter in cooperation with the president of the Townes of Moorefield Community Association asking the Fairfax County Park Authority and Board of Supervisors to defer further development of Nottoway Park until the feelings of Townes of Moorefield residents and of Council are determined.

- Approved the final plat of Moore Mews subdivision, reflecting the cemetery easement granted to the Town of Vienna and bearing cemetery restriction notes.

- Accepted a bid of \$86,642.75 by Bell Brothers, Inc., of McLean for improvements to Center St.

- Accepted a bid of \$26,400 by M&G Services, Inc., of Springfield for janitorial services at Town Hall and the Community Center.

- Voted to insert a full-page ad in the September conference issue of the Virginia Municipal League magazine at a cost not to exceed \$350.

June 17, 1985

- Following a public hearing, adopted an amendment to the zoning code to maintain current information about reimbursable expenses allowed tenants displaced by condominium conversions.

- Donated \$1,000 to the Marshall Rd. Elementary School PTA to benefit the students as it sees fit.

- Referred to the Transportation Safety Commission a petition by merchants in the Danor Plaza Shopping Center requesting reinstallation of the left-turn traffic signal at Maple Ave. into the shopping center.

- Set water rates at 92¢ per 1,000 gallons for town residents and \$1.22 per 1,000 gallons for out-of-town customers, effective July 1.

- Established a permit fee of \$50 per year for private refuse collectors operating within the town.

- Accepted a bid by Browning-Ferris Industries of Fairfax for rental of a 30 cu. yd. dumpster for fiscal year 1985-86.



Judge Philip N. Brophy administers the oath of office to Councilmen Robert W. Robinson and Rodger W. Seeman, who were re-elected in the May Town election, and to Richard L. Fisher, who begins his first term on Council.

CONVENIENT LOCATION. FRIENDLY SERVICE. TWO GOOD REASONS TO SHOP VIENNA.

SUPPORT OUR HOMETOWN MERCHANTS. IT'S GOOD FOR THE WHOLE COMMUNITY.

Jaycees Collect For Jerry's Kids

The Vienna Jaycees are raising money this summer for the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon scheduled for Labor Day, September 2. This event contributes millions of dollars each year to help prevent and find a cure for muscular dystrophy.

The Jaycees, working with Vienna merchants, have placed specially marked cannisters in stores to collect money. Their goal is to raise at least \$750 by Labor Day. This money will be presented by the Jaycees on the local muscular dystrophy telethon broadcast live from Washington, D.C.

Please be generous when you see one of these cannisters.

No HOV-3 on I-66 To Dulles Airport

The carpool restrictions on I-66 (HOV-3) do not apply to those using the road to get to or from Dulles Airport.

Air travelers or anyone with business at Dulles such as picking up or dropping off a passenger, may legally use I-66 and the Dulles Access Road any time, even during rush hours.

For more information about Dulles Airport, call the Washington Dulles Hotline, 471-4242.

Yield to Emergency Vehicles

Your Vienna Volunteer Fire Department reminds you of the law concerning emergency vehicles and what to do when one approaches.

The Code of Virginia states that when a fire engine, police car or ambulance approaches with lights flashing and siren sounding, "the driver of every other vehicle shall immediately drive to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right-hand edge or curb, clear of any intersections of highways, and shall stop and remain in such position unless otherwise directed by a police or traffic

Parks and Recreation News

For more information on any of the activities listed below, call the Vienna Parks and Recreation Department at 938-8000 ext. 277.

Trip to Atlantic City

Visit the casinos, the boardwalk and other attractions in Atlantic City on Thursday, August 22. Charter buses will leave the Vienna Community Center at 8:30 a.m. and return at midnight.

The cost for the trip is \$18 per person. A \$5 nonrefundable deposit is due on registration and the remainder by August 19.

Be the first to find out about trips sponsored by the Parks and Recreation Department. Join the Vienna Travel Club now. Membership is free. Your name will be added to the Travel Club mailing list to receive advance notice of trips to ski resorts, race-tracks, professional sports events and other destinations.

Fall and winter trip schedules will be available this month.

Little League Baseball Camp

Vienna Little League Baseball Camp for boys and girls aged 7 through

12 will be conducted Monday through Saturday, August 12-17, at Yeonas Park. Choose from sessions 9 a.m. to 12 noon or 1 to 4 p.m.

Children will learn the fundamentals of baseball or reinforce skills already learned. Participants should wear long pants and tennis shoes and bring a glove. Other equipment will be furnished.

A \$4 fee is payable to Vienna Little League the first day of camp.

Nature Program for Kids

"A Sense of Wonder," a nature program for children aged 3 to 5 and their parents will be presented at the Vienna Community Center from 1 to 2 p.m. Wednesday, August 2.

A Fairfax County Park Authority naturalist will introduce children to the wonders of nature through natural objects, games and crafts. Parents will actively participate.

This program is free but space is limited to 15 participants and reservations are required.

Classes Offered this Month

More recreation classes begin this month at the Vienna Community Center. They include:

Adventures in art for children 6-9, 10 and up.

Gymnastics camp for ages 6-teens.

Tots summer fun camp for ages 2-5.

Youth tennis camp for ages 9-15.

Gymnastics for mommy or daddy and me for ages 2-5 and parent.

Infant/toddler fitness for ages 2-6 months, 6-14 months, 15 months-3 years.

Kindergym for ages 3-5.

Pre- and postnatal exercise.

Fall Class Registration

Registration for fall classes begins August 26. Look for your class brochure in the mail soon.

BUSINESS PERSON AND CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce wishes to enlist your help in selecting nominees for the Business Person and Citizen of the Year Awards.

The awards program seeks to recognize those persons who make a distinctive contribution to improving the quality of life or the general good of members of our community.

Qualifications:

1. The nominees must contribute above and beyond normal performance of business activity.
2. Efforts must be sustained over a long period of time and/or result from an outstanding one time contribution in the last 12 months (September 1984 - August 1985).
3. Eligible recipients must have a Business or Residential address within the Greater Vienna area.
4. The "Business Person of the Year" must be nominated from the business community and the qualifying contribution must be the result of efforts not directly related to his or her normal business activity. Officers and Members of the Board of Directors of the Vienna Chamber of Commerce will not be eligible.
5. "Citizen of the Year" must be nominated from the non-business community. Eligibility will be dependent upon the nominee's significant contribution to the betterment of the community.

The deadline for all potential recipients will be October 1st.

Persons receiving awards will be honored at a special luncheon in November.

SUBMISSION OF NOMINATIONS

To expedite the submission of nominations, the following guidelines are offered to nominators:

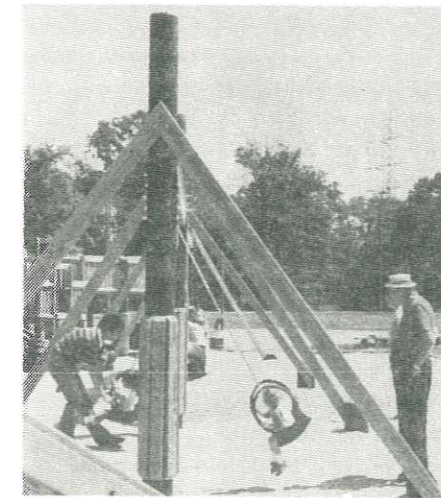
1. Prepare a concise basic statement (not more than three pages in length) which contains the following information:
 - Identification of the nominee
 - A description of the achievement as such, and a description of the nominee's role, extent of responsibility and extent to which the achievement exceeds normal performance or business activity or has contributed significantly to the betterment of the community.
 - Citations of tangible evidence demonstrating the stature of the achievement.
 - Identification of the nominator
2. To the extent feasible, supplement the basic nomination statement with pertinent exhibits, such as documents, testimonials, news stories, or other similar supporting evidence.
3. If the nominator wishes to have any of the supporting material when it has served its purpose, this should be clearly specified.
4. Note the cover sheet form on the reverse side of this page. It is designed to provide quick, positive identification of each nomination. Use the reverse side as the cover page for your nomination.

Comment from the Council Table

The Spirit of Vienna

By George E. Lovelace
Vienna Town Councilman

Maybe the five-cent cigar is gone, but if you believe the spirit of Vienna has waned in the face of increased traffic, the commercial building boom on the Town borders, and the advent of the Metrorail terminus, you haven't looked around Town lately at the new



playground facilities at our elementary schools. The latest projects completed were the creative playgrounds at Vienna and Louise Archer Elementaries.

The playgrounds were identified as needs by the PTA's of these schools, who then set out to make them a reality. I happen to know that a project like this was a brand new venture for these groups, but their desire over-

came all obstacles. The playground projects brought out citizens from all walks of life. The response came from local government, service organizations — including military, businesses, parents, non-parents, and children. Everyone participated in some way — giving money, ideas, fund raising, or physical labor.

As a result, a new dimension has been added to the well-being of Vienna citizens. Children use these playgrounds all day and evening. Grandparents can be seen at the playgrounds enjoying the young ones. People with picnic baskets have been observed taking advantage of the opportunity to be together with the family while enjoying the facilities.

The addition of these playgrounds is one more piece of evidence that the spirit of Vienna is in the volunteerism that abounds in our community. Speaking with the sponsors of the playgrounds you get a sense of joyousness when they tell how each contributor gave freely and willingly. So that when the next organization develops a project, there are grateful persons who stand ready to help. The attitude permeating our community is to rally behind others and to maintain the sense of togetherness for the benefit of all.

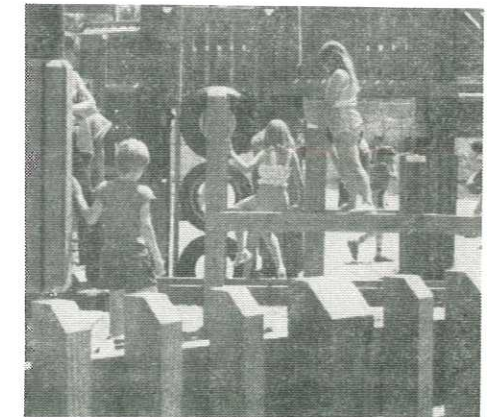
As soon as Cunningham Park Elementary School completes its play-



Councilman Lovelace

ground, all the public elementaries within the Town limits, as well as Wolfrap Elementary which some Town children attend, will be equipped with these facilities.

I know of no legislative action the Town Council could have devised that would have generated the same results, that is, bringing citizens together for a common good, benefiting



the community as a whole. The strength and uniqueness of Vienna is in the numbers who vote; attendance at Council meetings; those who serve on commissions and boards; those who raise the big issues; those who work to preserve quality Town services, tree-lined streets and well kept neighborhoods; and all those who give of their free time to make sure the children of Vienna, the blessed next generation, will have a fruitful life. This is the SPIRIT OF VIENNA. Thank you, Vienna!!!

Call for Halloween Parade Floats

The Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce invites businesses, clubs, school groups and other organizations to enter floats in the 1985 Vienna Halloween Parade.

This year's parade will be held on Wednesday, October 30. All floats should be in keeping with the parade theme of "Halloween: Yesterday, To-

day & Tomorrow."

For entry application forms and more information, call the Chamber of Commerce office at 281-1333. Specifications for floats must be submitted by September 27. All entries are subject to approval by the Chamber's Halloween Parade Committee.



"The Town's Recreation Department already is making plans for a fall program of activities to be held in the new Vienna Community Center. A Citizens' Advisory Board was recently appointed by the Town Council to recommend programs and regulations for the use of the building. In addition to supervised programs sponsored by the Vienna Recreation Department, the building will be available for suitable activities sponsored by various Vienna organizations.

"Consideration is being given for use of the building during the school year in the morning and early afternoon hours for pre-school and adult activities. After-school programs are proposed for teen and pre-teen children, with evening hours devoted to teen, family and adult group recreation."

Voter Registration

Attention new residents: If you are now a registered voter in Fairfax County you may update County voting records by mail. Change of address cards are available from the office of the County Registrar. Call 385-8100 Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If you are not registered in Fairfax County you must register in person before a registrar to be eligible to vote. Voter registration is conducted each Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Patrick Henry Library.

Lioness Club Says Thanks

The Vienna Lioness Club wishes to thank all of the participants and business sponsors in its "Mr. Legs" contest. Brian Cook, sponsored by Alabaster Watch & Clock Repair, was crowned Mr. Legs at the Town's July 4th celebration, and Rocky Craft, Junior Shoe World, was runner-up.

Thanks to everyone who generously cast votes for the Mr. Legs contestants. Over \$1,000 was raised for future Lioness Club service projects.

The Vienna Lioness Club donated nearly \$2,000 last fiscal year for sight, hearing and community service projects. These included Old Dominion Eye Bank, leader dog program, Fairfax County Schools program for visually handicapped students, telecommunications for the deaf, and many more. Funds were raised through bake sales, International Bazaar, Sweetheart Dance, and other activities.

Lioness Club members also collected 300 pairs of eyeglasses and volunteered hundreds of hours for the benefit of the community.

For more information about the Vienna Lioness Club, call Becky Beach at 281-3155.

Town Qualifies for 6th Annual Certificate of Conformance

The Town of Vienna has qualified to receive its sixth consecutive Certificate of Conformance in Financial Reporting for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1984.

The Certificate of Conformance, awarded by the Government Finance Officers Association, is the highest form of recognition in governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a municipality. It is also important as a means of achieving and maintaining a favorable bond rating.

The Town's annual financial report



Barbara Holland, president of the Vienna Wireless Society, presents a check for \$200 to Capt. Andy Clements of Vienna Law Enforcement Explorer Post 1890. The donation was made in appreciation for services the Explorers have provided to the Wireless Society and the public.

Space Available At Harvest Bazaar

The Vienna Woman's Club is accepting applications for table space at its annual Harvest Bazaar, which will be held Saturday, November 9, at the Vienna Community Center.

For information and applications, call 938-1931.

was evaluated by a special review committee composed of finance officers, certified public accountants, educators and other experts in governmental accounting and financial reporting.

Bicycle Auction

There's still time to bid on a variety of unclaimed bicycles on display at the Vienna Police Department behind Town Hall. Sealed bids may be submitted any time until 12 noon on Friday, August 9. Successful bidders will be notified by phone.

Citizen/Business Person of the Year

PLEASE USE THIS FORM AS THE COVER SHEET FOR YOUR NOMINATION
* See qualifications and submission rules on reverse side *

NOMINATION SHOULD BE RETURNED TO:

Greater Vienna Chamber of Commerce
110 Maple Avenue, East
Suite 2B
Vienna, Virginia 22180

THIS INFORMATION IS SUBMITTED TO SUPPORT THE NOMINATION OF:

Nominee's Name _____ Title _____
Business Address _____ Phone _____
Resident Address _____ Phone _____

For (Please check one):

- CITIZEN OF THE YEAR
- BUSINESS PERSON OF THE YEAR

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY:

Nominator's Name _____ (Organization) _____
Business Address _____ Phone _____
Resident Address _____ Phone _____
Signature of Nominator _____ Date _____

