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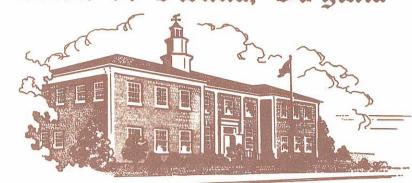
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NEWSLETTER

February, 1968

NEWS CHECKLIST . . .

COMMUNITY CENTER "OPEN HOUSE" February 22nd, from 11:00 a.m., until 9:00 p.m. See Page 2.

VIENNA WINS NATIONAL AWARD in Cleanup Contest. See Page 3.

PUBLIC HEARING ON MAPLE AVENUE ZONING CHANGES continued to February 12th. See Town Calendar on Page 4.

TOWN AUTO TAG APPLICATIONS MAILED. See Page 2 for purchase procedure.

TOWN ELECTION scheduled for June 11th. See Page 4 for deadline on registration dates.

"THE DANGEROUS YEARS", a film on juvenile problems, will be shown at the MAYOR'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE meeting, Tues., Feb. 13th, 8 p.m. Citizens invited to attend.

Reminder of PRE-SCHOOL EYE TEST CLINIC at Community Center on Feb. 16th, from 10 to 4:00 p.m.

"LAND OF THE DRAGON" to be presented by VIENNA-OAKTON HAMSTERS Feb. 16 & 17, 23 & 24. See Page 4.

Fellow Citizens of Vienna:

More than 20 years of combined effort on the part of many individual citizens, community organizations, and the Town government, will be rewarded with the completion of the two-story addition to our Community Center.

The opening of the first portion of the building, less than two years ago, made it possible to offer a year-round recreational program. The facilities and space now available at the Community Center will enable us to broaden our cultural and civic opportunities, as well as increase our recreational programs.

The financing of a major portion of this building through public subscription was a unique venture in itself, almost unheard of in our modern era, and is now being emulated by several other communities in Northern Virginia.

In reality, our Community Center is a gift of the citizens of Vienna to ourselves and to our children, as our investment and faith in the future of our Town. We in the Town government sincerely hope that every resident of Vienna will derive a real benefit and enjoyment from its regular use.

As your Mayor, it is my pleasure to extend a personal invitation to you to come and see your new Community Center building. A special 'OPEN HOUSE" has been arranged on Thursday, February 22nd, from 11:00 a.m., until 9:00 p.m. We hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

James C. Martinelli

VIENNA'S GROWING RECREATION PROGRAM

Vienna first created a Town Recreation Department in March of 1962. The new Department was headed by a part-time Recreation Director, and was established to provide summer playground programs.

From this small beginning six years ago, the Town's recreational activities have grown and diversified. The completion of the first wing of the Community Center in April of 1966, and the appointment at that time of a full-time Recreation Director, provided Vienna residents with a year-round recreational program, as well as a facility which permitted the broadening of recreational and cultural opportunities for all ages.

With the combining of the Town's Parks and Recreation Departments under the new Department of Parks and Recreation last year, and the decision to move ahead with construction of the Community Center's two-story addition, a comprehensive program of adult and youth recreational activities and instruction courses was made possible.

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COMMUNITY CENTER FACILITIES

The original wing of the Community Center contained the offices, kitchen, rest rooms, lobby, and a large all-purpose room. The new addition includes a music room, storage room, and a lounge on the lower level. On the upper floor are rest rooms and two large meeting rooms on either side of a center hall. Each of these two rooms may be partitioned off with folding doors to make a maximum of seven smaller meeting rooms.

The addition is so constructed that groups using the two-story wing will have easy access to the kitchen facilities. A patio has been constructed in the "L" formed where the two buildings join. Doors leading from the new wing, and from the all-purpose room, to the patio provide additional space for use during warm weather.

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"OPEN HOUSE"

Thursday, February 22nd, has been set aside for a special "OPEN HOUSE", to afford all residents of Vienna an opportunity to visit the Community Center and see the new facilities. The building will be open from 11:00 a.m., until 9:00 p.m.

You are invited to use the ping pong, shuffleboard, games, and other facilities available. Visitors are welcome to visit the following classes which will be in session during the day: PRE-SCHOOL, 9:30-11:30 a.m.; BEGINNING OILS, 9:30-11:30 a.m.; OILS & ACRYLICS, 12:30-2:30 p.m.; TAILORING, 7:00-9:00 p.m.; VIENNA-OAKTON HAMSTERS, play rehearsal, 7:30-8:30 p.m.

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TOWN AUTO TAGS TO GO ON SALE MARCH 15

Applications for Town auto tags were mailed to Vienna residents this week, with instructions for ordering and receiving tags by mail included with the forms. Applications received by mail will be processed and the tags mailed immediately after March 15th. Town auto tags may also be picked up in person at the Department of Finance, Vienna Town Hall, through April 15th.

TOWN HALL PROFILE

In forthcoming issues of the newsletter, it is planned to present a short biographical sketch and photograph of key personnel in your Town government. Since this newsletter is devoted primarily to the Community Center and our recreation programs, it is a pleasure to present the Director of Parks and Recreation, Mr. Judson D. Hockman.

As Vienna's first full-time Recreation Director, Mr. Hockman took over his duties in February of 1966. Well qualified for the post, "Jud" came to Vienna from Front Royal, Va., where he served in a smiliar capacity for more than four years.



Jud graduated from Lynchburg College in 1957, with a B.A. Degree in Physical Education. He has since received his Master's Degree in Education from the University of Virginia. He served three years with the U.S. Army Military Police Corps. He and his wife and son, Dale, reside in Vienna. Jud has twice been the recipient of the Jaycees Distinguished Service Award; once in Front Royal, and the second, the year following his arrival in Vienna.

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FEE SCHEDULE FOR COMMUNITY CENTER USE

In order to maintain the Community Center and its programs, a fee has been established for use of the facilities. The following are standard fees for Vienna organizations.

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	First Hour	Hour	All Day
Small Rooms	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$24.00
(40-50 people)	47 50	\$5.00	\$40.00
Medium Rooms (60-90 people)	\$7.50	\$5.00	
Large Rooms	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$75.00
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VIENNA WINS "DISTINGUISHED SERVICE" AWARD

Vienna received a runner-up award in the National Cleanup Contest, which is sponsored annually by the National Clean Up-Paint Up-Fix Up Bureau, for its entry on the "My Kind of Town - Vienna" campaign. This is the first year Vienna has entered the contest, thereby joining more than 200 cities and towns throughout the country. A plaque will be presented to Town officials at the national conference in Washington on February 20th. Following the conference, the scrapbook entry will be returned to Vienna for display. We hope everyone will have an opportunity to see it, and that it will encourage more participation in our beautification program during the coming year.

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* * * FLY YOUR FLAGS ON GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1968 * * *