

Project NEWS

Derby-Q Features Barbecue, Brew, Kentucky Derby on May 6

Mark your calendars: Derby-Q will be held from 2-8 p.m. May 6 in Old Town Square, featuring 18 breweries from around the region. Information: www.derby-q.com, 703-385-7858.

age 21 and older. Attendees younger than 18 must be accompanied by an adult age 21 or older. Beer tickets are \$1 each; a "taste" is two tickets and a "full beer" is six tickets.

The third annual event features specialty beer tasting, barbecue vendors, live music by *Mojo Mothership* and *Anthony "Swamp Dog" Clark*, mint juleps, and the Kentucky Derby on the big screen.

Packages can be purchased in advance or at the event. Beer tasting package (\$25) includes admission, souvenir tasting glass, 10 beer tickets, and one mint julep. Unlimited beer tasting package (\$65) includes admission, souvenir tasting glass, unlimited beer tastings, and one mint julep.

General admission is \$10 for attendees



Update on Fairfax Gateway Project

Work continues on the Fairfax Gateway project, to be located at 11091-11101 Fairfax Boulevard (previously the site of American Medical Laboratories).

This mixed-use development with 403 multifamily dwelling units and 29,000 square feet of ground floor retail and office space (pictured, above) will feature a new street through the property, and open spaces and plazas along the street, Lee Highway and Fairfax Boulevard frontages.

The property is being developed by Novus Residences, a wholly owned subsidiary of Cafritz Interests, and has received a permit for some demolition on the site.

To date, the property has received land use approval, and the Board of Architectural Review has approved site design and building architecture. Administrative site plan and plat approvals are pending.

The development includes multiple buildings. The city has granted building permit approval for some of the

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Saturday May 6
2:00pm - 8:00pm
Old Town Fairfax
Downtown Fairfax
www.Derby-Q.com

Proposed Budget Discussion Concludes With Meeting and Work Sessions on May 2, 3

Citizens are encouraged to help determine the city's financial priorities by participating in the annual review of the city's proposed budget, a detailed description of how taxpayer money is spent and explanation of the city's goals, programs, and activities.

The review process concludes with a work session May 2 and with a public hearing and discussion May 3 by City Council. They will be televised on Cityscreen-12, the city television station; see page 5.

The proposed budget is available on the city website (under Popular Pages on the home page, click on "budget information") and from the Finance Department. Information: 703-385-7870.



City of Fairfax, Virginia
Proposed Budget
FY 2017 - 2018

If you're new to the city, welcome!
Call 703-385-7800
for new resident information.



continues through May 9 in and around Fairfax.
**Information: www.fairfaxspotlight.com,
 703-352-ARTS**



Fairfax Resolution 2017: Tour the City

In May, be a visitor in your own city. Participate in a guided tour of historic Fairfax and visit historic sites and buildings: see pages 7-8 for a few ideas.

The Historic Resources Office, with its partners, provides many programs: find them on the city website (under “Visitor”) and discover “historic buildings & sites” and “programs.”

Follow Fairfax Resolution in 2017 to (re) discover a city service or a treasure every month. Share a suggestion for Fairfax Resolution via WeCare@fairfaxva.gov or 703-385-7855.

May Holiday Information Government Closures

Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day

- City government offices closed
- General District Court closed
- Fairfax Museum & Visitor Center open
- CUE Bus on Saturday schedule

Holiday Refuse/Recycling Collection Schedule

- Monday, May 29: no collection
- Tuesday, May 30: Monday and Tuesday routes collected

Please note: yard debris collection may be delayed throughout city; please leave at curb for collection

Information: 703-385-7837,
RefuseRecycling@fairfaxva.gov

Farmers’ Markets Begin May 13, 14



The Downtown Fairfax Coalition Community Farmers’ Market will be held from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays May 13 through October 28.

The Sunday Farmers’ Market will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sundays May 14 through October 29.

These events are held at 10500 Page Avenue, at the corner of West and Main streets in the city. Information: www.fairfaxsatursdaymarket.com, 703-430-6164.

Plan the Future of Van Dyck Park at May 18 Workshop

The Parks and Recreation Department has launched the *Van Dyck Park Master Plan* to help plan the future of this park.

Attend a workshop at 7:30 p.m. May 18 at the Stacy C. Sherwood Community Center, 3740 Old Lee Highway.

Look for outreach sessions conducted at city special events, or attend a session organized by civic associations. Information: 703-385-7858 at www.fairfaxva.gov/VanDyck50.

Bike to Work Day May 19; Pit Stop in Old Town Square

Bike to work on May 19 — and stop by the city’s pit stop in Old Town Square, which will be open from 6-9 a.m. that day. Information: 703-385-7805. Pre-register to be eligible for a free t-shirt and raffles: www.biketoworkmetrodc.org.

Enjoy the Antique Car Show May 20

View antique cars — and see a Ford Model-T rebuilt in 15 minutes — at the Antique Car Show from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 20 at 10455 Armstrong Street (in front of City Hall).

The show is presented by Northern Virginia Regional Group of the Early Ford V-8 Club and the city.

Information: 703-273-6097, nvrg.org.

Primary Election June 13; Deadlines for Voter Registration, Absentee Voting

Residents have until May 22 to register to vote or to make changes to their registration for the June 13 Democratic and Republican Primaries for Governor and Lieutenant Governor. Sample ballots are available at www.fairfaxva.gov/vote.

In-person absentee voting is available from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays through June 9 (excluding holidays), and from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 10.

June 6 is the last day to request an absentee ballot be mailed. Information: 703-385-7890.



Memorial Day Ceremony Planned for May 29

The public is invited to a Memorial Day ceremony at 10:30 a.m. May 29 at the City Hall portico. The event is hosted by the American Legion Post 177 and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8469.

Area Graduation Celebrations

The city congratulates the Class of 2017. Northern Virginia Community College celebrates commencement at 3 p.m. May 14 at Jiffy Lube Live in Bristow, Va. (www.nvcc.edu) and George Mason University celebrates May 17-20 on the Fairfax campus (www.gmu.edu).

Many schools hold their commencement ceremonies on Mason’s Fairfax campus in May and June. These events may affect traffic in the city and adjacent to the university. Information: www.gmu.edu, 703-993-8846.

Recognize Home Child Care Providers in May

The Commission for Women encourages families who use home child care providers to recognize and thank them on National Provider Appreciation Day May 12.

For a list of permitted home child care providers within the city, visit the city website or call 703-385-7894.

City Code Limits Temporary Short-Term Lodging to B&Bs

Residential options for travel lodging and other short-term rental are popular with travelers — but homeowners should make sure they understand what City Code permits before taking in travelers.

In the City of Fairfax, residential property owners may not rent one or more rooms, or even the entire dwelling, for less than 30 days. In other words, private homes are for long-term residency and may not be treated like hotels or motels.

Rentals of 30 days or more are permitted, but all require a city business license and may also require a rental occupancy permit if the

owner does not reside in the dwelling.

However, “transient accommodations” are permitted in a residence established as a “bed and breakfast.” These facilities must be located in an owner-occupied principal, single-family dwelling unit. To establish a bed and breakfast, property owners must apply for (and receive) approval of a special use permit specifically for a bed and breakfast. The Zoning Ordinance is very specific about certain criteria, such as the location of the dwelling, use, off-street parking requirements, and signage.

Information: 703-385-7820.

Northfax Project
Northbound Rt. 123 Road Closure & Detour
continues through late December
Southbound Rt. 123 Remains OPEN

Information, updates: www.Northfax.com • 703-385-7810

May 15-22 is National Police Week; Recognize Police Service at Unity Tour Event May 12

National Police Week is observed May 15-22, beginning with National Peace Officers Memorial Day, and pays tribute to the peace officers who have died in the line of duty. Information: policeweek.org.

The City Council recognized this observance April 25 with a proclamation to the City of Fairfax Police Department.

Citizens can begin observance of National Police Week by cheering on police officers from around the nation cycling through the city May 12 in the Police Unity Tour. The bicycle tour, which begins May 10 in Richmond, travels through Northern Virginia on its way to Washington, D.C. Information:



www.policeunitytourchapter4.com.

Cyclists, including City of Fairfax Police officers, are expected to ride through Fairfax May 12, and citizens are encouraged to cheer them on. The route was being finalized at press time, but cyclists anticipate traveling through the city May 12. Community members are invited to gather in Old Town Square around 11:30 a.m. May 12 to meet public safety officers who serve our community, and to cheer on riders as they pass Old Town Square around noon. *Tour route is subject to last-minute change, so please confirm information: www.fairfaxva.gov, 703-273-2889.*



Curbside Yard Waste: Paper or Plastic?

When bagging yard waste for curbside collection, consider using paper bags. Yard waste is used to create mulch (which is made available to the public), and the plastic bags debris becomes part of the resulting mulch product. Heavy-duty paper yard waste bags are available from area hardware stores.

Of course, residents may continue to use plastic bags for yard waste.

Recycling Center Always Open; No Need to Separate

City residents are invited to use the Recycling Center open and available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, at 3410 Pickett Road. Items are not sorted — simply place all recyclables in the recycling containers.

Solid Waste Services Guide, Recycling Bins Available

What belongs in which bin at the curb? Find out in the *Solid Waste Services Guide* — download it from the city website or request a copy.

Also, residents may request new or additional blue recycling bins for curbside recycling service. Information: 703-385-7837, RefuseRecycling@fairfaxva.gov.

INFORMATION: 703-385-7837

**City of Fairfax
Animal Control
Adoption Event
11 am to 2 pm
Saturday, May 20**



**Pet Supplies Plus
11054 Lee Highway**

Kittens, cats, dogs — and more!

Information:
703-385-7919 • www.fairfaxva.gov

Learn How to Save With Solar Power

The City of Fairfax has launched its second Solarize NOVA campaign through June 30 in partnership with the Northern Virginia Regional Commission (NVRC) and the non-profit Local Energy Alliance Program (LEAP). Information: 703-517-7251, www.SolarizeCityofFairfax.org.



Solarize helps property owners install solar more easily and at a lower cost. Last year, 217 property owners signed up for information, and 10 households had solar panels installed through the program. Currently, 17 city homes have rooftop solar power installations.

Hear from solar professionals and past participants in an upcoming information session at 6 p.m. May 15 at the Sherwood Community Center, 3740 Old Lee Highway; and at 6 p.m. June 5 at the Green Acres Center, 4401 Sideburn Road.

See how a building would fare with solar installation using the award-winning tool www.novasolarmap.com: type in an address, and it analyzes the structure's roof, orientation, and shading, and calculates potential solar power generation.

Again this year, the city is in friendly competition with the City of Falls Church and Town of Vienna to see which community gets the greatest number of sign-ups as a percentage of overall population. (The city is the defending champion.)

Fairfax Gateway

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buildings, and the developer's design team is working with city staff on the remaining buildings.

In addition to completing permitting, the developer is also seeking to finalize financing for the project.

Site mobilization is expected to commence this calendar year, and construction is projected to last 24-36 months.

Stay up-to-date on these and other redevelopments in the city with information updated frequently at www.fairfaxva.gov/development.

Information: 703-385-7930.

2017 Rock the Block Schedule

*May 26: The Darby Brothers ★ June 23: The Rockets
July 28: The Reagan Years ★ August 25: Alex Hilton Band
September 22: White Ford Bronco
October 27: Vinyl Invention*



6:30 p.m. ★ Old Town Square, 3999 University Drive
live bands • beer garden • city restaurant vendor booths
bring your own lawn chair

ROCK THE BLOCK!

#TGIFairfax

Fourth Fridays ★ May through October

Info: www.fairfaxva.gov/RockTheBlock ★ 703-385-7858

Ride of the Patriots is May 28; Fairfax Boulevard Traffic Affected

Join the Memorial Day observances May 28 with a hometown parade and the annual Ride of the Patriots.

This ride honors military and public safety personnel and is a staging area for Rolling Thunder, a national motorcycle event.

From 5:30-10:30 a.m. May 28, eastbound Fairfax Boulevard will be closed from Eaton Place to Fairfax Circle to accommodate thousands of motorcycles expected to line up for the ride. During this time, westbound Fairfax Boulevard from Eaton Place to Fairfax Circle will become a two-way street.

The parade will step off at 7:30 a.m. on eastbound Fairfax Boulevard from Capt.

Pell's Crab House, 10195 Fairfax Boulevard, and will end at Patriot Harley-Davidson, 9739 Fairfax Boulevard.

Opening ceremonies begin at 8 a.m. at Patriot Harley-Davidson.

Beginning at 9 a.m., motorcycle riders will depart under police escort for the Pentagon.

Bleachers will be set up for spectators. Veterans groups will offer food and drinks along the bike lineup and in the Patriot Harley-Davidson parking lot. Parking is available at Fairfax High School.

Information: www.rideofthepatriots.com, 703-352-5400.

Volunteers Sought for Advisory Boards

- Board of Architectural Review (one vacancy for architectural historian)
- Commission for Women (two vacancies for city residents)
- Community Appearance Committee (six vacancies for city residents)
- Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (one vacancy for city resident)

Applications will be considered at an upcoming City Council meeting following submission. Unless otherwise noted, city residency is required. Submit letters of interest and résumé (if available) to City Clerk Melanie Crowder. Vacancies are subject to change. Prospective applicants who represent diverse or minority groups are especially encouraged to apply. Information: 703-385-7935.



CITYSCREEN SCHEDULE

Where to Find Cityscreen-12

- Verizon FiOS: Channel 12
- Cox Communications: Channel 12
- City website

The Fairfax Scene



Through May 14, take a tour of the city's first Net Zero Energy home.

Beginning May 15, enjoy highlights from the Fairfax High School Jazz Band Spotlight on the Arts concert.

Daily: 2 pm, 6 pm

Archived online: "special programming"
Available on city's YouTube channel

Emergency Preparedness



This series, presented by the Office of Emergency Management, focuses on many aspects of emergency preparedness, such as emergency kits, tornadoes and power outages.

Plays at 10 am and 7 pm on days when meetings/replays are not scheduled.

Encore!

Encore music performances.
Daily: 4 pm

School Board



Monday, May 1, 7:30 pm, LIVE
replays:

- Tuesday, May 2, 10 am, 7 pm
- Thursday, May 4, 10 am, 7 pm
- Archived online May 2

City Council



Tuesday, May 2, 7 pm, LIVE
replay:

- Wednesday, May 3, 10 am
- Archived online May 3



Wednesday, May 3, 6 pm, LIVE (*note time, date*)
replays:

- Friday, May 5, 10 am, 7 pm
- Saturday, May 6, 10 am, 7 pm
- Sunday, May 7, 10 am, 7 pm
- Monday, May 8, 10 am, 7 pm
- Archived online May 4



Tuesday, May 9, 7 pm, LIVE
replays:

- Wednesday, May 10, 10 am, 7 pm
- Friday, May 12, 10 am, 7 pm
- Saturday, May 13, 10 am, 7 pm
- Sunday, May 14, 10 am, 7 pm
- Archived online May 10



Tuesday, May 23, 7 pm, LIVE
replays:

- Wednesday, May 24, 10 am, 7 pm
- Friday, May 26, 10 am, 7 pm
- Saturday, May 27, 10 am, 7 pm
- Sunday, May 28, 10 am, 7 pm
- Archived online May 24

Cityscreen-12 on DVD, Blu-ray

Cityscreen-12 programs are available for loan on Blu-ray and DVD. Information: 703-385-7850, WeCare@fairfaxva.gov.

Copies of some programs may be purchased (DVD, \$15; Blu-ray, \$20). Excerpts from city programs are made upon request (DVD, \$30; Blu-ray, \$35). Information: Rachael.Roth@fairfaxva.gov, 703-385-7803.

MEETING INFORMATION AND AGENDAS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CONFIRM PRIOR TO MEETING. CONTACT INFORMATION BELOW.



PROPOSED AGENDAS

School Board

(Information: 703-385-7910)

May 1 regular meeting

- Spotlight on Learning.
- Presentation of donation check to Fairfax High School All-Night Graduation Committee.
- Student representative report.
- Presentation on City Summer School Plans.

May 15 work session

- End-of-year reports from Fairfax County Public School committee representatives.
- Finalize retreat agenda.

City Council

(Information: 703-385-7935)

May 2 work session

- Discussion and mark-up of the City of Fairfax proposed budget for fiscal year 2017-18.

May 3 work session and special meeting

- Discussion and mark-up of the City of Fairfax proposed budget for fiscal year 2017-18.
- Public hearing and Council action on an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 82 (Streets, Sidewalks and other Public Places), Article I to add new provisions relating to

minor encroachments into city rights-of-way (neighborhood entry signs, landscaping, and similar appurtenances).

- Public hearing and Council action on an ordinance amending and readopting City Code Chapter 90, Article II, Division 1, Section 90-33 pertaining to classification and taxation of certain real property in the City of Fairfax used for or zoned for commercial and industrial purposes, and to establish a separate tax rate on such real property effective as of January 1, 2017, revenues from which would be used exclusively for transportation purposes that benefit the City of Fairfax.
- Public hearing and Council action on an ordinance amending City Code Chapter 102, Article II, Sections 102-31(b) to increase wastewater rates by 10 percent.
- Public hearing on the City of Fairfax proposed budget for fiscal year 2017-18.
- Consideration of the City of Fairfax proposed budget for fiscal year 2017-18.

May 9 regular meeting

- No agenda items have been set.

May 23 regular meeting and work session

- Introduction of an appropriation resolution for fiscal year 2016-17 non-discretionary expenditures that are projected to exceed bud-

get.

- Introduction of an appropriation resolution for fiscal year 2016-17 federal and state grant expenditures.
- Introduction of appropriation resolutions for the General, Capital, Wastewater, Transit, Stormwater, Cable, Old Town, and Transportation tax funds for fiscal year 2017-18.

Planning Commission

(Information: 703-385-7930)

May 8 work session (*please note: work session is at Historic Blenheim, and is not televised*)

- Joint work session with various city boards and commissions to discuss draft actions and metrics for the 2035 *Comprehensive Plan* regarding neighborhoods; housing; and community design and historic preservation.

May 22 work session (*please note: work session is at Historic Blenheim, and is not televised*)

- Joint work session with various city boards and commissions to discuss draft actions and metrics for the 2035 *Comprehensive Plan* regarding commercial centers and redevelopment areas; and economic vitality.



City Council Reporter

March 14, 2017

Consent agenda

- Approved, unanimously, to introduce an ordinance awarding a prime lease to effect the refunding of the city's public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, Series 2011B, and public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, series 2011C, and further moved to waive the first reading and set the public hearing for March 28, 2017.

Public hearings

- Approved, unanimously, a General Development Plan Amendment pursuant to former City Code Section 110-5 (superseded by Section 110-6.4 on October 1, 2016) to allow replacement of a previously approved 3,500 square foot bank with 5,100 square feet of general retail space in the former C-2 Retail Commercial zoning district (superseded by CR-Commercial Retail zoning district on October 1, 2016) at 10120 Fairfax Boulevard (Boulevard Marketplace). (Councilmember Schmidt was absent from the vote.)
- Public hearing on the City of Fairfax proposed budget for fiscal year 2017-18. No Council action taken. (Council action and

budget adoption on May 3, 2017.)
Items not requiring a public hearing

- Approved, unanimously, to advertise a proposed 2017 real estate tax rate of \$1.0645 per \$100 of assessed value as part of the FY 2017-18 proposed budget process.

March 28, 2017

Consent agenda

- Approved, unanimously: Introduction of an ordinance amending City Code pertaining to state motor vehicle laws; consideration to receive the list of delinquent taxes from the City Treasurer in compliance with State Code, write off taxes in compliance with State Code and consideration to publish the list of delinquent taxes.

Public hearings

- Approved, unanimously, an ordinance awarding a prime lease to effect the refunding of the city's public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, series 2011B, and public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, series 2011C.
- Public hearing on the proposed budget for fiscal year. No Council action. (Council

action and budget adoption on May 3, 2017.)
Items not requiring a public hearing

- Approved, unanimously, a resolution approving a plan of lease refinancing with the City of Fairfax Economic Development Authority, providing for the early redemption of the city's public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, series 2011B, and public improvement refunding Certificates of Participation, series 2011C.

Actions out of closed meeting/Appointments to Boards and Commissions

- Authorized and approved the settlement, on the terms and conditions outlined by the city attorney in closed meeting, of City of Fairfax v. Fairfax Regency, LLC (Fairfax County Circuit Court No, 2016-95671) relating to the acquisition of certain right of way from the defendant as part of the Northfax project. Also authorized the city attorney to finalize the negotiations and any settlement agreement in this matter and to authorize the city attorney, the city manager and the Mayor, as applicable, to execute any documentation necessary to finalize the settlement and to conclude the court case.

Information Resources

City website

www.fairfaxva.gov

24-hour access, updates

Cityscreen-12

Channel 12 on cable television
and city website

24-hour access, updates

Fairfax City Alert message system

www.fairfaxva.gov/fairfaxcityalert

messages sent to subscribers
via email, pager, text and phone

24-hour access, updates

City newslines

703-273-1776

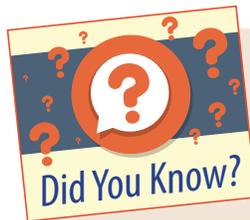
recorded information

24-hour access, updates

General Information

703-385-7855 (TTY: 711)

regular business hours



City Offers Interest-Free Home Improvement Loans

After many years, homes that once were modern and efficient may no longer meet the needs of their owners. However, qualified homeowners may have an option, thanks to the non-profit City of Fairfax Renaissance Housing Corporation (FRHC).

FRHC, in conjunction with a local partnering bank, makes available to qualified homeowners two-year home improvement loans of as much as \$250,000 with no interest paid by the borrower for the term of the loan.

Homeowners who are thinking about home improvements, including upgrading the residence, make it more energy efficient and "green" or modify it to age-in-place, may consider this program that can make home improvements more

affordable.

Loans, which are not income-sensitive, are available for modernizing or repairing owner-occupied single family detached homes. Owner-occupied duplexes are eligible if the project includes both sides and provided that both sides are homeowner-occupied.

Homes must be at least 10 years old and display a need, such as exterior or interior deterioration, functional obsolescence or lack of amenities found in today's new homes. The homeowner must reside at the property being renovated and must remain in the home for at least three years from the loan closing date.

As much as one quarter of the loan may be required to fund exterior improvements. Information: 703-385-2494.

Community Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <p>Events at George Mason University, including graduation, concerts, and student activities may affect traffic in the city. Information: today.gmu.edu, 703-993-1000</p>	<p>1</p> <p> Absentee voting available 8:30 am to 5 pm weekdays through June 9: www.fairfaxva.gov/vote</p> <p> Funday Monday, 10:30 am, Old Town Hall</p> <p> School Board meeting, 7:30 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Storytime in the Park, 10:30 am, Old Town Square</p> <p> City Council work session, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>3</p> <p> City Council work session and special meeting, 6 pm, City Hall Annex</p> <p>Board of Architectural Review meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p> <p>Environmental Sustainability Committee, 7 pm, Sherwood Center</p>	<p>4</p> <p> Four Star Combo, 6:30 pm, Old Town Square</p> <p> Fairfax Saxophone Quartet: Mozart and More, 7:30 pm, Sherwood Center</p> <p>City of Fairfax Democratic Committee meeting, 7:30 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>5</p> <p> City of Fairfax Theatre: The Importance of Being Earnest, 8 pm, Old Town Hall</p> <p> Fairfax Players: Guys and Dolls, 7 pm, Fairfax High School</p> <p>Bingo, 7 pm, Fire Station 3 (benefits the Fairfax Volunteer Fire Department)</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Old Town Fairfax guided walking tour, 10 am, Fairfax Courthouse</p> <p>Ratcliffe-Allison-Pozer House free guided tours, 11 am to 2 pm, 10386 Main Street</p> <p> Derby-Q, 2-8 pm, Old Town Square</p>
<p>7</p> <p> Mulan's Tea Room, 1 pm, Sherwood Center</p> <p>Second Sunday: Passive Resistance, Cautious Progress: The Desegregation of Fairfax County Public Schools, 2 pm, Fairfax Museum</p> <p> Tubas in the Park, 5 pm, Old Town Square</p>	<p>8</p> <p> Funday Monday, 10:30 am, Old Town Hall</p> <p>Planning Commission work session, 7 pm, Historic Blenheim</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Storytime in the Park, 10:30 am, Old Town Square</p> <p> City Council meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p> <p> Vienna-Falls Chorus, 7:30 pm, Sherwood Center</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Economic Development Authority meeting, 6 pm, City Hall Annex</p> <p>Historic Fairfax City, Inc. meeting, 7 pm, Historic Blenheim</p>	<p>11</p> <p> Fairfax Art League Art and Lunch, 10:30 am, Old Town Hall</p> <p> Priceless Advice, 6:30 pm, Old Town Square</p> <p>Parks and Recreation Advisory Board meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>12</p> <p>National Provider Appreciation Day</p> <p>Police Unity Tour</p> <p>Mother and Son campout, 5 pm, Van Dyck Park</p> <p>Bingo, 7 pm, Fire Station 3</p> <p> Fairfax Players: Guys and Dolls, 7 pm, Fairfax High School</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Farmers' Market</p> <p>Ratcliffe-Allison-Pozer House free guided tours</p> <p> Northern Virginia Ceili, 6:30 pm, Green Acres Center</p> <p> Legends of the Air, 7:30 pm, WT Woodson High School</p>
<p>14</p> <p> Farmers' Market, 10 am to 2 pm, 10500 Page Avenue</p> <p> MusicLink: Mothers' Day Recital, 2 pm, Old Town Hall</p> <p> NVCC Commencement, 3 pm, Jiffy Lube Live</p>	<p>15</p> <p> Funday Monday, 10:30 am, Old Town Hall</p> <p>School Board work session, 7:30 pm, Fairfax High School</p> <p> Solarize City of Fairfax information session, 6 pm, Sherwood Center</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Storytime in the Park, 10:30 am, Old Town Square</p> <p>Commission on the Arts meeting, 7 pm, Sherwood Center</p> <p>Commission for Women meeting, 7 pm, City Hall</p> <p>History of the Fairfax County Courts/Public Safety, 7:30 pm, Historic Fairfax Courthouse</p>	<p>17</p> <p> George Mason University College/School Celebrations</p> <p>Board of Architectural Review meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>18</p> <p> Celebrations</p> <p> Scott Kurt & Memphis, 6:30 pm, Old Town Square</p> <p>Van Dyck Master Plan workshop, 7:30 pm, Sherwood Center</p> <p>City of Fairfax Republican Committee meeting, 7:30 pm, Greene Turtle</p>	<p>19</p> <p> George Mason University College/School Celebrations</p> <p>Bike to Work Day Pit Stop, 6-9 am, Old Town Square</p> <p>Bingo, 7 pm, Fire Station 3 (benefits the Fairfax Volunteer Fire Department)</p>	<p>20</p> <p> George Mason University College/School Celebrations and Commencement</p> <p> Farmers' Market, 8 am to 1 pm, 10500 Page Avenue</p> <p>Antique Car Show, 10 am to 3 pm, 10455 Armstrong Street</p>
<p>21</p> <p> Farmers' Market, 10 am to 2 pm, 10500 Page Avenue</p> <p>Northern Virginia Youth Winds & Junior Winds Spring Concert, 3 pm, WT Woodson High School</p>	<p>22</p> <p> Voter registration deadline for June 13 Primary Election</p> <p> Funday Monday, 10:30 am, Old Town Hall</p> <p>Planning Commission work session, 7 pm, Historic Blenheim</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Storytime in the Park, 10:30 am, Old Town Square</p> <p> City Council meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Absentee voting available from 8:30 am to 5 pm weekdays through June 9 and from 8:30 am to 5 pm June 10: www.fairfaxva.gov/vote</p> <p></p>	<p>25</p> <p>Community Appearance Committee meeting, 7 pm, City Hall Annex</p>	<p>26</p> <p> Rock the Block: The Darby Brothers, 6:30-9:30 pm, Old Town Square (see website regarding related University Drive road closure)</p> <p>Family Fun Movie Night: Kubo and the Two Strings, 7 pm, Sherwood Center</p> <p>Bingo, 7 pm, Fire Station 3</p>	<p>27</p> <p> Farmers' Market, 8 am to 1 pm, 10500 Page Avenue</p> <p>Ratcliffe-Allison-Pozer House free guided tours, 11 am to 2 pm, 10386 Main Street</p> <p> Fairfax Art League Art and Lunch, noon, Old Town Hall</p>
<p>28</p> <p>Ride of the Patriots — see page 4</p> <p> Farmers' Market, 10 am to 2 pm, 10500 Page Avenue</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Memorial Day: Refuse and recyclables not collected; city government offices closed; General District Court closed; CUE Bus on Saturday schedule</p> <p>Memorial Day Ceremony, 10:30 am, City Hall portico</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Monday and Tuesday refuse and recycling routes collected</p> <p>Storytime in the Park, 10:30 am, Old Town Square</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Who was the Fairfax Family? The Colonial History of Fairfax County, 9:30 am, Historic Fairfax Courthouse</p> <p></p>	<p>HELPFUL PHONE NUMBERS</p> <p>City Government Information 703-385-7855</p> <p>City News and Events 703-273-1776</p> <p>Arts and Cultural Events 703-352-ARTS</p> <p>City of Fairfax Regional Library 703-293-6227</p> <p>Civil War Interpretive Center 703-591-0560</p> <p>Fairfax Museum and Visitor Center 703-385-8414</p> <p>George Mason University Events 703-993-1000</p> <p>Calendar information is subject to last-minute change.</p>		

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City Happenings

Guided Walking Tour of Old Town Fairfax May 6

Discover Fairfax history on foot with a 90-minute guided tour of Old Town Fairfax. Tours step off at 10 a.m. from Historic Fairfax Courthouse, 4000 Chain Bridge Road, on May 6, June 3, July 1, August 5, September 2, and October 7. Cost is \$10 per person, \$5 for youth age 6-12, \$25 per family (of three or more). Reservations are recommended. Information: 703-385-8414.

Second Sunday Series Explores School Desegregation on May 7

Explore *Desegregation of Fairfax County Public Schools* at 2 p.m. May 7 at the Fairfax Museum and Visitor Center, 10209 Main Street. Information: 703-385-8414.

Mother & Son Camp Out Set for May 12-13

Sons may celebrate Mother's Day with moms, grandmothers, sisters, godmothers,

and family members in the great outdoors of Van Dyck Park from 5 p.m. May 12 through 9 a.m. May 13.

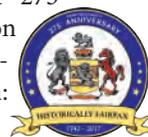
Dinner, breakfast, and s'mores (and campfire) will be provided. Cost is \$30 per person. Information: 703-385-7858.

History Talks Salute Fairfax at 275

The city joins Fairfax County in celebrating its 275th anniversary at free events:

- *History of the Fairfax County Courts & Public Safety* at 7 p.m. May 16 at Historic Fairfax Courthouse, 4000 Chain Bridge Road;
- *Who was the Fairfax Family? The Colonial History of Fairfax County* at 9:30 a.m. May 31 at Historic Fairfax Courthouse; and
- *Lecture by Nicholas Fairfax, 14th Lord Fairfax of Cameron* at 7 p.m. June 15 at the Stacy C. Sherwood Community Center, 3740 Old Lee Highway.

On June 17, join Fairfax 275 for the signature celebration in and around Historic Fairfax Courthouse. Information: www.fairfax275.com.



Learn About Boundary Lines at Blenheim May 20

Learn about *Loudoun Boundary Line and Stuart's Significant Achievement*, the Loudoun/Fairfax County boundary line and J.E.B. Stuart's difficult journey impacting his late arrival to Gettysburg in 1863. The talk will be held at 2 p.m. May 20 at Historic Blenheim, 3610 Old Lee Highway. Information: 703-591-0560.

Sherwood Cinema Series Continues May 26

Enjoy *Kubo and the Two Strings* for free at 7 p.m. May 26 at the Stacy C. Sherwood Community Center, 3740 Old Lee Highway. Information: 703-385-7858.

'Storytime in the Park' Returns

Take in a story Tuesdays through May 30 with the City of Fairfax Regional Library. Events for children ages 2-5 are offered at 10:30 a.m. in Old Town Square, 3999 University Drive.

Information: 703-293-6227.