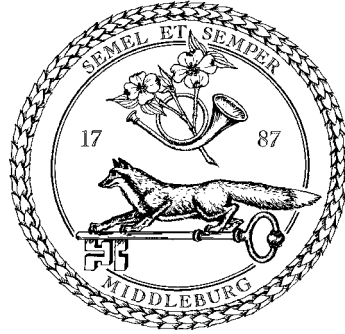


TOWN COUNCIL

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T O W N O F M I D D L E B U R G

UPCOMING EVENTS

**Monday, January 19, 2009, 3:00-6:30 p.m. Middleburg Area Citizens in Action Volunteer Fair** to bring together more than 40 groups with residents of the town to increase participation and let citizens know how these many organizations work to support and care for the community. Emmanuel Church Parish House, 105 E Washington Street., Kathy Jo Shea at 540-687-8049.

**Tuesday, January 20, 2009 Time For Change Inauguration Party – Briar Patch - Fox Den** - \$75 per person - proceeds to benefit Seven Loaves Food Bank- Call 540-687-3761 Advance sales only

**Wednesday, January 21, 2009—Salvia Ristorante—** 3 W Washington Street— 4 Course Meal to Benefit the Middleburg Volunteer Fire Department 540-687-8711

**Mystery Lovers Saturday, January 24, 2009, 9:00 am—** The Morning After - a breakfast panel in various restaurants, Mid-morning signings in various shops in town, 7:00 pm The Moveable Feast: Sponsored by: Books & Crannies. For more info, call (540) 687-6677

M I D D L E B U R G D E S I G N A T E D A P R E S E R V E A M E R I C A C O M M U N I T Y

On November 5, 2008, First Lady Laura Bush designated Middleburg as a Preserve America Community. The Preserve America Program is a White House initiative designed to encourage and support community efforts to preserve and enjoy our country's priceless cultural and natural heritage. The goals of the Preserve America Program include a greater shared knowledge about the nation's past, strengthened regional identities and local pride, increased local participation in preserving the country's cultural and natural heritage assets and support of the

economic vitality of our communities. Since the Preserve America Program began, First Lady Bush has designated 650 communities in all 50 states. Benefits of the program include White House recognition, eligibility to apply for Preserve America Grants, listing in the web-based Preserve America Community Directory, inclusion in national and regional press releases, official notification of designation to State tourism offices and enhanced community visibility. Preserve America communities are also featured in the National

Register Travel Itineraries and in "Teaching with Historic Places" curricular material created by the National Park Service.

Middleburg joins twenty-two other communities in the Commonwealth of Virginia who have been named Preserve America communities; and, is the smallest community in terms of population to have achieved this prestigious designation.



V O L U N T E E R I N C O M E T A X A S S I S T A N C E ( V I T A )

The Loudoun County Community Action Advisory Board and Area Agency on Aging are joining together to provide assistance to hard-working people in the community by helping them file their taxes free of charge; and, in many cases, to obtain a tax refund that can help them afford basic necessities. Volunteers are needed—3-6 hours per week—to prepare

tax returns or to serve as greeters, screeners, site coordinators and interpreters. No prior experience is needed—training is provided. To volunteer or for more info regarding the program, please contact Karen Velez at (703) 771-5718 or via e-mail at Karen.velez@loudoun.gov. The program begins January 31, 2009 at fifteen sites throughout Northern Virginia.

After Hours Contact—Water/Sewer Emergencies

Effective January 4, 2009, Loudoun Water is operating the Town's water and sewer system. Should you experience an after-hours emergency requiring assistance, please call Loudoun Water at (571) 291-7878.

**GO GREEN  
HELP MIDDLEBURG**

Middleburg's going green with public recycling containers along the streets. Join Go Green in donating funds to purchase recycling containers (cost \$1,372 each). Donors will be recognized through a plaque on "their" container.

To participate in this program, contact Rebecca Poston at 687-4636 or Cindy Pearson at 687-5152.



**NOISE ORDINANCE**



In order to protect residents from unreasonable noise, the Council is considering amending its noise ordinance. For a copy of the draft ordinance, please contact the Town Office at 687-5152.

**WELCOME  
NEW  
BUSINESSES**

**Nanny's Hair Salon**  
105 W Marshall Street  
540-687-3313

**MyBizHomePage.com**  
10 N Pendleton Street  
540-687-5539

**Pamela Mickley Albers, AIA**  
Office/Retail  
103 W Federal Street  
540-687-6154

**Christopher F. Tate, PLLC**  
Lawyer, 207 E Marshall Street  
540-687-4073

**Two Specialists joining  
Solstice Healing Center:**  
**Joseph Skinner, Chiropractic**  
**CSH Wellness, LLC**  
14 S Madison Street  
540-687-8049

**Trash Pick Up Reminder:**

Trash is collected early on Wednesday morning, and should be enclosed in the plastic garbage totes, metal cans or plastic garbage bags. Windy weather plays havoc with the trash. Cartons or packing boxes that are left for pick-up must be sealed to insure that packing material does not litter the streets. Please bundle cardboard boxes.

Receptacles must be set out at the curbside:

No earlier than 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday afternoon

No later than 5:00 a.m. (commercial areas) or 6:00 a.m. (residential areas) on Wednesday morning

Receptacles must be removed from the curbside by Wednesday evening.

**Did you know?**

Taken from the questionnaire to retail stores and professional services in town, they let us know what they offer. Did you know.....

**WhiteBench**—100 E Washington Street—Upholstered furniture, slip cover furniture, tables, cabinets, dressers, chests, etc. Unique home accessories, specializing in reclaimed materials, candles, bath products, garden accents, glasses, vases. 540-687-8555

**The Byrne Gallery**—7 D West Washington Street—Art-paintings, oils, watercolors, acrylics, works on paper, sculpture, photography, icons, antiques, artist-made jewelry, art installation, restoration, consulting appraisal, relocation services. 540-687-6986

**Country Way**—110 W Washington St—Fresh flowers, orchid plants, wedding & event floral design, gift baskets, wine, jewelry, furniture, picture frames, candles, porcelain ware, wreaths, silk flowers. On-site home decorating for holidays and events. Delivery available. 540-687-3583

**Rebecca Rice Clay, LLC**— 109 The Plains Road—Accounting, payroll, and sales tax. Small business and individual tax preparation. Notary services.— 540-687-3395

Look for more information in future newsletters.