



# The HAYMARKET HERALD

*A Newsletter from the Town of Haymarket*



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## A letter from the Mayor

Happy Fall Haymarket!

As the weather gets cooler and the days get shorter, I am so excited about all the things that Haymarket offers this time of year. We will continue with our Farmers Market until Sunday, November 16th. However, we will take October 19th off because we will be recuperating from all the fun from Haymarket Day. Speaking of Haymarket Day... we have so many fun things planned. Haymarket Day is on Saturday, October 18th starting with our parade at 10am. The route is a little different this year. We are starting at the QBE building and ending at Jefferson Street. So, plan accordingly. The theme is old school homecoming. Vendors will be lined up on Washington Street from Fayette Street to the QBE building. The main event wraps up at 4:00 PM, but the fun doesn't stop there! Head down to the QBE lawn for Haymarket After Hours until 7:00 PM.

I would like to invite everyone to come and have coffee with me at 1971 Coffee on Wednesday, October 8th at 9am with my Sip with the Mayor. Come visit or drop in and say Hi.

We are also starting to plan some fun things for the Holiday Season. Decorating contests are in the works along with the Holiday Bazaar on December 13th. Stay tuned for more information!

The Council and I encourage you to reach out, share your thoughts, and get involved. Download the My Haymarket app to submit requests or come join us at a Town Council meetings, we'd love to see you there.

Lastly, I would like to take this time to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and the most joyous Holiday Season.

Sincerely,  
TracyLynn Pater  
tpater@townofhaymarket.org



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# CHIEF'S ARTICLE



## Haymarket Day is ALMOST here!

The Haymarket Police Department would like to remind everyone of several upcoming events for October 2025- most notably, HAYMARKET DAY, which is Saturday, October 18!

### Road Closures & Traffic Notices

Letters detailing road closures and traffic changes will go out to all residents and businesses soon. Please note there are some changes that residents and businesses need to be aware of this year.

#### Old Carolina & Heathcote Blvd:

- The most impactful change will be at the intersection of Old Carolina Road and Heathcote Boulevard.
- In past years, this intersection remained open and allowed access up to Jordan Lane. This year, **Old Carolina will be restricted to residents and business traffic only.**
- The eastbound turn lane on Heathcote Blvd toward Old Carolina **will be closed**
- The **straight-through lane** on Old Carolina on the north side of Heathcote Blvd **will also be closed**.
- Residents and business traffic wishing to enter town on Old Carolina must turn left **from the westbound lane** of Heathcote Blvd. Police officers will be vetting traffic in that turn lane.
- Non-residents will be asked to continue westbound toward Route 15 or to make a U-turn and head east on Heathcote.

#### Alexandra's Keep & Villages of Haymarket:

- This year, **Bleight Drive at Washington Street will be closed.**
- Residents will be permitted to **use the grass area near the old ballfields** at the QBE building to exit through the QBE parking lot.
- Officers will be on-site to assist and direct traffic.
- A marked, **coned driving area** will be set up to ensure safe navigation across the grass.

#### Parade Route & Breakdown Area:

- The parade will **begin at the QBE building and end at Jefferson Street.**
- When parade participants reach Jefferson Street, they will **turn left** and break down their floats between Washington Street and Jefferson Street alongside the Hilton Garden Inn.

## Upcoming Community Events

- "Coffee with a Cop" on October 1, 2025
- Prince William County Public Safety Expo on October 4, 2025
- Drug Take Back Day on October 25, 2025
- Prince William County Trunk or Treat on October 29, 2025
- HPD Halloween Candy Handout on October 31, 2025.



Please follow our Facebook page for more information on these events. If you have questions or concerns, please reach out to Chief Sibert. We appreciate your cooperation and look forward to a safe and fun Haymarket Day!



# HAYMARKET DAY

OCTOBER  
18TH 10:00AM-4:00PM

- PARADE AT 10AM
- BEER GARDENS
- KIDS ACTIVITES
- FOOD
- DRINKS
- SHOPPING



## WHAT'S NEW THIS YEAR?

We've made a few changes this year to help improve flow, safety, and your overall experience. Here's what you need to know:

### PARADE ROUTE UPDATE

The parade will begin promptly at 10:00 AM at the QBE parking lot. This year, the parade will end at Jefferson Street, so plan your viewing spots accordingly. Expect great vantage points along Washington Street in front of the town park.

### BEST PARADE VIEWING AREAS

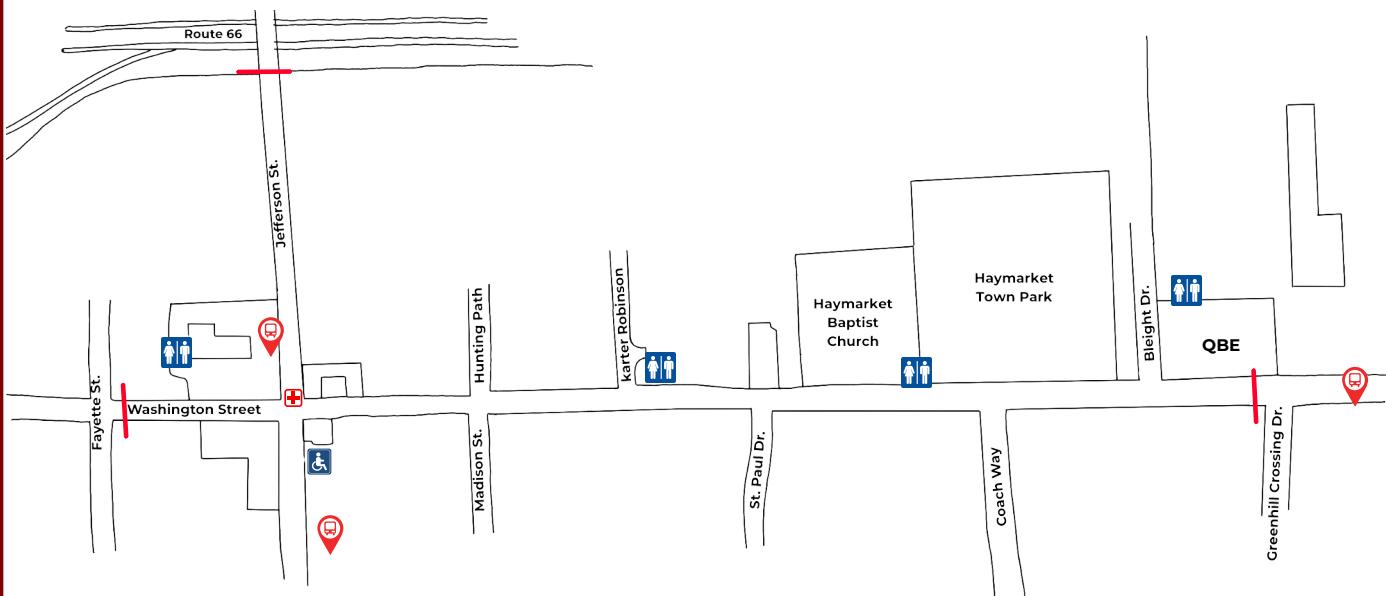
Looking for the best views?

- QBE Lot
- Town Park
- Haymarket Baptist Church

### NEW BEER GARDEN LOCATION

The Park Beer Garden has moved just down the street to the QBE Lawn — be sure to check the map for the updated location. And the fun doesn't stop at 4 PM! Keep the good times rolling at the Beer Garden After Hours, running until 7 PM with great food, cold drinks, and live music!

## HAYMARKET DAY MAP



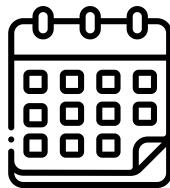
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# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



## OCTOBER

- 10/6 - Town Council Regular Meeting 7pm
- 10/13 Closed - Columbus Day
- 10/18 - Haymarket Day
- 10/21 - Planning Commission Meeting 7pm
- 10/22 - Architectural Review Board Meeting 7pm
- 10/27 - Town Council Work Session 7pm

## NOVEMBER

- 11/3 - Town Council Regular Meeting 7pm
- 11/4 Closed - Election Day
- 11/11 Closed - Veterans Day
- 11/12 - Planning Commission Meeting 7pm
- 11/19 - Architectural Review Board Meeting 7pm
- 11/24 - Town Council Work Session 7pm
- 11/26 - Offices close at noon
- 11/27 Closed - Thanksgiving
- 11/28 Closed - Day After Thanksgiving

## DECEMBER

- 12/1 - Town Council Regular Meeting 7pm
- 12/9 - Planning Commission Meeting 7pm
- 12/17 - Architectural Review Board Meeting 7pm
- 12/24 Closed - Christmas Eve
- 12/25 Closed - Christmas
- 12/26 Closed - Day After Christmas

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# SUMMER RECAP

## NATIONAL NIGHT OUT



## SUMMER CONCERT



## FAMILY BIKE PATROL



## SAVE THE DATE

# HOLIDAY BAZAAR

DECEMBER 13TH, 2025 | 2PM-6PM

Sign up today!

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a vendor, please visit [townofhaymarket.org](http://townofhaymarket.org) or email our event coordinator, Julia, at [JCrofford@townofhaymarket.org](mailto:JCrofford@townofhaymarket.org) to fill out an application.



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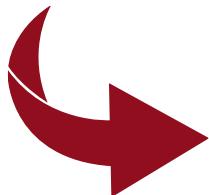


# TOWN CLERK'S CORNER

## Fourth Quarter Town Council Updates

- Jerome Gonzalez was re-appointed to the Planning Commission for a new term (July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2029). Jeffrey Kress was appointed to the Planning Commission, filling a vacant seat.
- The Town Council has directed staff to move forward with a comprehensive RFP for the new Town Park Pavilion, including restrooms, parking, and full site planning. Public input opportunities will be announced in the coming months.
- Significant flooding issues were reported in the Robinson Paradise subdivision. Town Staff has visited the site, confirmed grading and drainage issues, and is working with the homeowners, contractors and Prince William County officials to address the issues.
- Councilmembers paid tribute to Supervisor Bob Weir, a beloved leader and advocate for our community, recognizing his contributions to the town, county, and state. A proclamation was presented at the September Town Council Meeting and can be viewed online at [townofhaymarket.org/meetings](http://townofhaymarket.org/meetings).
- Join the Architectural Review Board, a volunteer board that plays a vital role in reviewing design proposals, preserving the Town's character and helping make decisions that overall influence the Town's appearance.
- If you are interested, please email Alexandra at [aelswick@townofhaymarket.org](mailto:aelswick@townofhaymarket.org).

### MEETING MATERIALS



## Get to know your Council



This quarter, we would like to introduce you to Matt Gallagher, Vice Mayor and Council Business Liaison.

Matt Gallagher has been a proud Haymarket resident for 20 years, moving to the Town in 2005 from Northern New Jersey. He and his wife Kara have raised their three children here and cannot imagine them having grown up anywhere else.

Matt is the son of a local public servant, and his parents instilled in him the value of giving back to the local community. That early lesson continues to shape his approach to public service. He views his role on the Town Council as a way to make a direct & meaningful impact in the place he calls home. His priorities include prioritizing fiscal responsibility with the Town's limited resources, fostering open and honest communication, and encouraging healthy debate on issues important to Haymarket. He was the primary author of the Town's recently adopted Communication Plan, which reflects his dedication to transparency and community dialogue.

Professionally, Matt serves as Chief Revenue Officer for a small software company headquartered in Miami, Florida and Cologne, Germany. This role has deepened his appreciation for small business, innovation, collaboration, and the challenges that organizations face in balancing growth with sustainability.

As the Council's Business Liaison, Matt leans on his professional experience to best support Haymarket's small business community. He deeply admires the dedication and resilience of local business owners and sees his role as being a resource to help them navigate challenges while celebrating their successes. To Matt, small businesses are the backbone of not only Haymarket, but the nation as a whole—bringing vibrancy, opportunity, and a sense of connection to the community. He looks forward to continuing to champion their vital role in the Town's growth and prosperity.



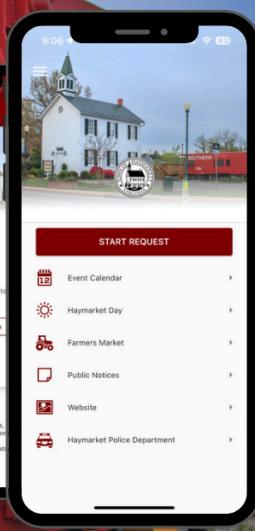
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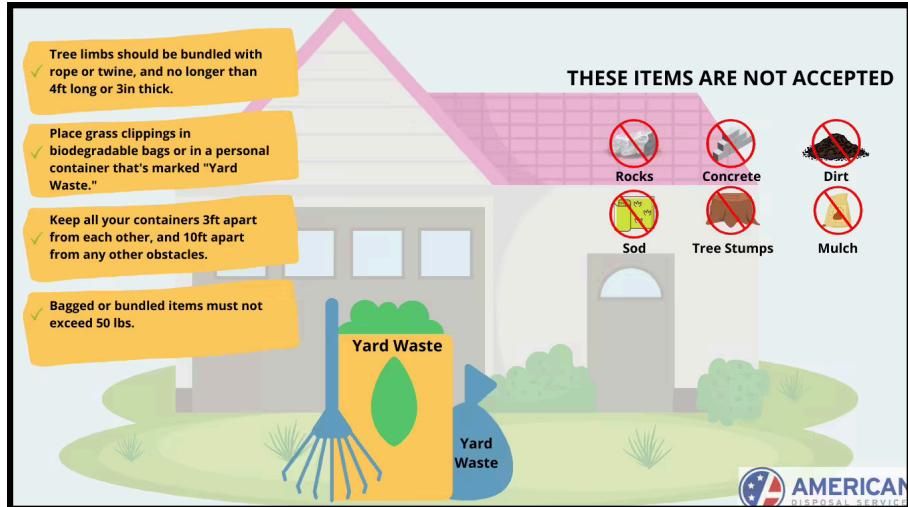
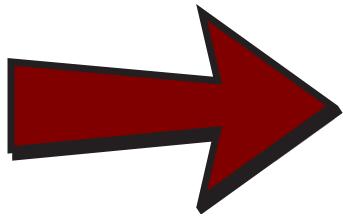
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## EXTRA YARD WASTE



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# TOWN HISTORY

## THE OLD POST OFFICE - 2025 TOWN ORNAMENT

What we now call The Haymarket Post Office has served this community in many ways. The land was purchased by George A. Hulfish in 1883 and the structure was erected in 1885 with a recorded tax assessment of \$350.



It is believed that the building was used for both a business and residence until the early 1930's. Court records refer to the building as "the drug store property" in a 1932 deed. The drug store served as a social spot for all ages selling ice cream, sodas, milkshakes, sandwiches, and sundries. In 1945 the property was purchased and converted to the Post Office by Cary Smith. Mr. Smith served as the Town's Postmaster from 1933 - 1959. The building continued its use as the Haymarket Post Office until March 1980 when, after sale, it reverted to its historic business and residential uses. In March 2000 the Town of Haymarket purchased the property from Alan C. Gossom. By 2005, much needed repairs forced the Town to close the doors on The Haymarket Post Office. In 2012, renovations began on the vacant building. The original foundation remains intact and has been secured and encased by an exterior wall. The metal roof was replaced, the front doors replicated, and, where possible, the clapboard siding was restored.

2013 begins a new era for this building. The doors have been reopened in hopes of another century of history to fill these walls of what will always be known as...

THE HAYMARKET POST OFFICE.

## NEW BUSINESS

### The Source Harmonic Egg is now in Haymarket!



My name is Kim, and I am the owner of The Source Harmonic Egg. I discovered the Harmonic Egg about three years ago when I was seeking alternative options for stress and anxiety. Being the skeptic that I am, I had to try this technology for myself to see how light and sound frequencies could actually help me.

After my session, I felt so calm and balanced for the first time in a while. I then took a deep dive into learning more about the nervous system. The nervous system communicates through energy, and every cell of our body has a healthy frequency when we are operating properly. This all made sense to me, and I knew I needed to bring this technology closer to me so that the community and I could benefit.

The Harmonic egg is used for overall health and well-being. It's a holistic therapy that uses light and sound frequencies inside a resonance pod to rebalance the nervous system and activate the body's own healing abilities. Frequency therapy is gaining popularity, even though it is not new technology. However, the technology of the Harmonic Egg is unique. It is specifically designed to create an optimal bioresonance field that touches every cell of the body.

You will recline in a zero-gravity chair for 50 minutes inside the pod. The doors can remain open for those who request it. We ask that you are hydrated and dress comfortably. It is safe for all ages and all health conditions!

The body does not know disease by name; it only recognizes imbalance.

Come and visit us at [thesourcenova.com](http://thesourcenova.com). Use discount code WELLNESS to receive \$40 off your first session. You can find us at 4400 Costello Way suite 301 B, Haymarket, VA 20169





## TOWN HALL

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① 9:00AM-4:00PM  
MONDAY - FRIDAY

# 2025 Event Season

## Discover "Everyone's Hometown"

### April 6-November 16: Farmers Market

Every SUNDAY at Town Hall from 9am-1pm (excluding 4/20, 7/6, 8/16, 10/19)

### April 24: Senior Resource Summit

Park Valley Church from 10AM-2PM

### June 13: Government Open House

Located at Haymarket Town Hall

### August 5: National Night Out

Located at Haymarket Town Park, 5-8PM

### August 16: Summer Concert

Located at Haymarket Town Park, 4-8PM

### October 18: Haymarket Day

Downtown Haymarket, 10-4PM

### December 13: Holiday Bazaar

Downtown Haymarket, 2-6PM

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