

# The Strasburg Signal



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Official Newsletter of the Town of Strasburg, Virginia

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The Strasburg Signal is published monthly by Town staff to inform citizens about town programs, services, and events. Your feedback is welcome. For suggestions, please contact the Town Office at 174 East King Street, PO Box 351, Strasburg, VA 22657, call (540) 465-9197, or email [info@strasburgva.com](mailto:info@strasburgva.com)




## DO YOU KNOW? TAX TIDBIT

The 2nd half of the 2109 Tax Bills are in the mail! The due date for these bills is December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019. If you don't receive your bill by November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 please call our office at 540-465-9197.





**ELECTION DAY:**  
**Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**Strasburg residents vote at the Strasburg High School**  
**250 Ram Drive, Strasburg, VA**



## LEAF PICK-UP

The Town of Strasburg Public Works Department will be collecting leaves from the curb. **LEAVES DO NOT NEED TO BE BAGGED!** Leaves will be collected starting November 11<sup>th</sup> and collection will continue throughout the month, weather permitting. Crews will repeatedly canvas areas to remove leaves from the edge of streets; please, **DO NOT** blow leaves into the center of the street. If you miss a pick-up, don't worry! Crews will be back for your leaves on the next pass through your area. Here are a few tips to help make this clean-up safer and easier for all:



- DO NOT place trash, brush, garden trimmings, limbs, rocks, gravel, metal, or animal waste out for pick-up or mix with leaves. The program is designed for collection and recycling of leaves ONLY and other items cause major problems to the equipment and is a safety hazard to workers.
- Rake leaves approximately 18" out from gutters. If non-guttered, rake to the shoulder of the street, but not into the street.
- Do not park vehicles on piled leaves in gutters as crews cannot reach them.
- Do not soak leaves with water as this causes them to become too heavy for both men and machines to handle.



## DID YOU KNOW: Your Child Can Receive a Free Letter From Santa!

The Town of Strasburg, working with Santa's Elves, will once again be sending out letters from Santa. Santa's mailbox will be located in front of Town Hall. Your child may drop their letters off to Santa **BEFORE 8 a.m.**, of **Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**. In response, they'll receive their very own personalized letter back from Santa.



If you cannot come to the mailbox, email Amy Keller at [akeller@strasburgva.com](mailto:akeller@strasburgva.com). Parents (or grandparents) need to provide the following: child's name, mailing address, age, gender, one of their accomplishments this year (good grades, a new skill, good friend, etc.) and a phone number where you can be contacted in case of questions.

**REMINDER: All letters, either dropped in the mailbox or emailed, must be received BEFORE 8 a.m. of Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup>.**

There is a turn-around time in getting letters to the North Pole and then back again, so we don't want any disappointed children waiting for a letter from Santa. **The mailbox will be in place by Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>.**



Join us November 22nd from 6-8pm in the Strasburg Square

**TAC**

# Wreath Workshop

[www.thetravelingartclub.org](http://www.thetravelingartclub.org)

STRASBURG VIRGINIA

For more info: @DiscoverStrasburg on Facebook!

The Town of Strasburg has partnered with TAC!

[THETRAVELINGARTCLUB.ORG](http://THETRAVELINGARTCLUB.ORG)

# LIFE'S A BEACH

ONE OF A KIND JEWELRY MAKING WORKSHOP

**Dec. 10**  **STRASBURG SQUARE**  
**6-8PM**


Find more information on Facebook @DiscoverStrasburg or call the Town Office at 540-465-9197

## UPCOMING HOLIDAY & WINTER EVENTS WILL BE FEATURED IN THE DECEMBER NEWSLETTER

### TRASH & RECYCLING SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER:

- Wednesday, November 6: **Trash Collection ONLY**
- Wednesday, November 13: **Trash & Recycling**
- Wednesday, November 20: **Trash Collection ONLY**
- Wednesday, November 27: **Trash & Recycling**

### NOVEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2 – Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup Festival, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m., Downtown Strasburg	18 – Council Work Session, 7 p.m.
4 – Council Work Session, 7 p.m.	21 – ARB, 7 p.m.
5 – <b>ELECTION DAY</b> , 6 a.m. – 7 p.m., Strasburg High School DMV at Town Hall, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	26 – Planning Commission, 7 p.m.
12- <b>Artist-of-the-Month Reception</b> , 6 p.m. (SHS student artwork) <b>Town Council</b> , 7 p.m.	28 & 29 – Town Hall <b>CLOSED</b> , Thanksgiving 



**Can't get to DMV? DMV is coming to You!**

- Town of Strasburg -  
**Tuesday, November 5th**  
10am till 3pm

**Visit Downtown Strasburg!**  
**JOIN THE MOVEMENT**  
**#SHOPSMALL**

NOVEMBER 30, 2019



RELAX AND ENJOY MUSIC FROM

# JMU SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

**November 14th, 2019 | 7pm**  
**Strasburg High School**  
**New Gym**

**THIS EVENT IS FREE OF CHARGE!**

SEATING IS BASED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS

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