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January 5, 2014

Rivertowners and visitors alike will stroll (or slush) their way a bit easier now that the Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs (HCA) is regrading and repairing the side walk bricks on Delaware and 3rd St corner and in front of the Green in the



interest of pedestrian safety. Our town's erstwhile editor of the *Gazette*, Nick McIntire is to have said that he loved the hills and valley's of the sidewalks as that made everyone look a bit tipsy. The results will be an even and safer walk way. HCA will continue brick repairs as funding allows.



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1/5 Natl Bird Day Edmund Ruffin*220 (1865) fired first shot on Fort Sumter in American Civil War, Walter 'Fritz' Mondale-86, Diane Keaton-67, Chris Stein (Blondie)-64 Davy Crockett arrives in Texas, just in time for the Alamo. 1836, Ford Motor Company announced that there would be a new daily minimum wage of \$5 and an eight-hour workday. 1914, Construction of the Golden Gate Bridge began. 1933, Warner Pathe showed the very first color newsreel. 1948, "Mr. Ed" debuted.. 1961

1/6 Bean Day Cuddle Up Day Joan of Arc*602 (1431), Carl Sandburg*136 (1967), Danny Thomas*102 (1991), Loretta Young*101 (2000), Syd Barrett*67 (2006) Pink Floyd George Washington and Martha Dandridge Custis were married. 1759, Samuel Morse demonstrates the telegraph 1838, George Washington Carver was granted a patent for peanut-based cosmetics, Pan American Airlines, the first commercial around-the-world airline flight. 1942, "Peanuts" debuted in Sunday papers across the country. 1952, "Mutual of Omaha's Wild Kingdom" with Marlin Perkins begins. 1963

1/7 Old Rock Day Millard Fillmore*214 (1874), 13th President, Butterfly McQueen*103 (1995), Paul Revere-72, Paul Revere and The Raiders, Kenny Loggins-66, Katie Couric-57, Nicolas Cage-50

Astronomer Galileo Galilei discovers four of Jupiters moons, *Io, Europa, Ganymede, and Callisto*. 1610, Thomas Stevens completed the first worldwide bicycle trip. 1887, Transatlantic telephone service began between New York and London. 31 calls were made on this first day. 1927, "Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer" by Gene Autry topped the charts. 1950, The cost of a U.S. first class stamp was raised to 6 cents. 1968, Apple's iPad was unveiled. 2010

1/8 Bubble Bath Day Male Watcher's Day Larry Storch-91 "F Troop", Soupy Sales*88 (2009), Elvis Presley*79 (1977), Christy Lane-74, David Bowie-67 First American commercial corporation chartered - **New York Fishing Co.** 1675, George Washington delivered the first State of the Union address. 1790, The tabulating machine was patented by **Dr. Herman Hollerith**. His firm, Tabulating Machine Company, later became IBM 1889, Elvis Presley's "Don't Be Cruel/Hound Dog" single goes to #1. 1956, Bobby Fisher, at the age of 14, won the U.S. Chess Championship for the first time. 1958, Leonardo da Vinci's **Mona Lisa** was exhibited in America for the first time. 1962 **1/9 Play God Day Richard M. Nixon*101 (1994), 37th President, Bob Denver*79 (2005) "Gilligan", Joan Baez-73, Jimmy Page-70 Led Zeppelin, Crystal Gayle-63, Dave Matthews-47** The first commercial bank was established in San Francisco. 1848, New York State introduced a bill to outlaw **flirting in public**. (1902), **The Seeing Eye** was incorporated in Nashville. The company's purpose was to train dogs to guide the blind. 1929, Abigail

Van Buren's "*Dear Abby*" column first appears. 1956, The supersonic aeroplane **Concorde** made its first trial flight, at Bristol. 1969, **Howard Hughes** said **Clifford Irving's** biography is a fake. 1972, **Clara Peller** was first seen by TV viewers in the "Where's the Beef?" 1984

1/10 Houseplant Appreciation Day Peculiar People Day Jim Croce*71 (1973), Frank Sinatra Jr.-70, Rod Stewart-69, George Foreman-65 Thomas Paine published "**Common Sense**." 1776, The world's first underground passenger railway opens in London.1863, Oil was discovered at the **Spindletop** oil field near Beaumont, TX 1901, **Vinyl records** were introduced by RCA (45 rpm) and Columbia (33.3 rpm). 1949, **Donald Howard Rogers** piloted the first passenger jet from Chicago to New York. 1951, **Time Inc.** and **Warner Communications Inc.** completed a \$14 billion merger. 1990, **Shelby Lynne Barrackman** was strangled to death by her grand-father when she licked the icing off of cupcakes. *He was convicted of the crime on September 15, 1998*

1/11 Step in a Puddle and Splash Your Friend's Day Grant Tinker-88, Rod Taylor-84, Naomi Judd-68, Ben Crenshaw-62 In New York, milk was delivered in glass bottles for the first time by **Alexander Campbell**. 1878, "**Popular Mechanics**" magazine debuts. 1902, In Limerick, ME, **Frances Moulton** assumed her duties as the first woman bank president. 1938, Surgeon General **Luther Terry** released a report said smoking cigarettes was a definite health hazard. 1964, American League baseball adopts the "**Designated Hitter**" rule. 1973



St. Anthony's Club **Spaghetti Dinner** Salad, Roll, Spaghetti and two meatballs!

Today 12-6 Jan 5th...and the First Sunday of Each Month \$8



SCHEDULE

WILD-CARD ROUND

Saturday, Jan. 4

No. 5 **Kansas City Chiefs** (11-5) at No. 4 **Indianapolis Colts** (11-5), 4:35 pm NBC

No. 6 **New Orleans Saints** (11-5) at No. 3 **Philadelphia Eagles** (10-6), 8:10 pm NBC

Sunday, Jan. 5

No. 6 **San Diego Chargers** (9-7) at No. 3 **Cincinnati Bengals** (11-5), 1:05 pm CBS

No. 5 **San Francisco 49ers** (12-4) at No. 4 **Green Bay Packers** (8-7-1), 4:40 pm FOX

DIVISIONAL ROUND

Saturday, Jan. 11

Green Bay/San Francisco/New Orleans at No. 1 **Seattle Seahawks** (13-3), 4:35 pm FOX

Cincinnati/Indianapolis/Kansas City at No. 2 **New England Patriots** (12-4), 8:15 pm CBS

Sunday, Jan. 12

Philadelphia/Green Bay/San Francisco at No. 2 **Carolina Panthers** (12-4), 1:05 pm FOX

Indianapolis/Kansas City/San Diego at No. 1 **Denver Broncos** (13-3), 4:40 pm CBS

AFC / NFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

Sunday, Jan. 19

AFC: Teams TBD, 3 pm CBS

NFC: Teams TBD, 6:30 pm FOX

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Sun. 1/5 **Laura Miller**

Sat. 1/11 **Jim Piovoso**

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VISITOR HOME

Tue 1/7	Flyers	Devils	7:30 PM
Wed 1/8	Canadiens	Flyers	7:30 PM
Sat 1/11	Lightning	Flyers	1PM
Sun 1/12	Flyers	Rangers	7PM

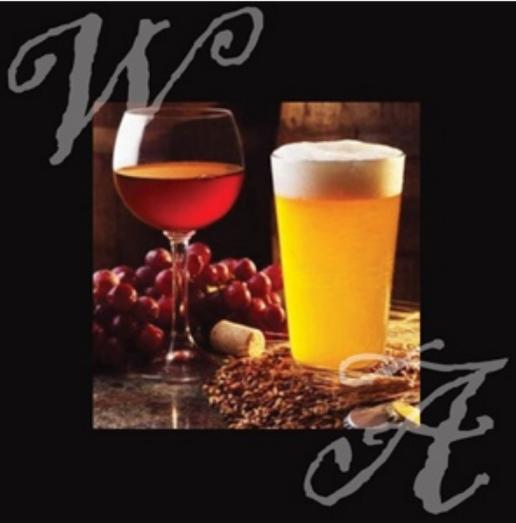
Cobblestone Reminders

See the **New Castle Weekly** for Full Schedules

Tues. 1/14 City Council Mtg. 7pm

Tues. 1/21 Municipal Service Comm. Mtg. 216 Chestnut St. 4pm

► <http://newcastlecity.delaware.gov/>



Did you
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47 days 'til Pitchers & Catchers report

52 days 'til full squad reports

60 days 'til 1st game v Blue Jays

SPRING TRAINING

JANUARY at Our Senior Center



Mon 1/6 10 Shuffleboard Tournament w/ Wilmington Sr. Ctr. 12:30 Exec. Comm. 12:45 Members Mtg

Tues 1/7 9 Haircuts **Wed 1/8** 10 RSVP Care Wear 10 Neck/Shoulder Massages

Thurs 1/9 9 Bank & PO 10 Bayada "Healthy Weight" 12:30 Shop Rite • **NO ZUMBA** **Fri 1/10** 12:30 Nutrition Education

MON

9-3 Billiards
9 Pool Exercise
9:30 Park Walk
9:30 Wii Bowling
10 Crafty Seniors
12 Lunch
12:30 Mah Jongg
1 Chair Yoga

TUES

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Shanghai
10 Bingo
12 Lunch
12:45 Bingo
1 Strength Building/
Exercise

WED

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Park Walk
11 Line Dancing
12 Lunch
1:30 Tai Chi

THUR

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Wii Bowling
9:30 Shanghai
9:30 Bridge
10 Games w/Tom
12 Lunch
12:30 Super Market
1 Zumba Gold
2 Qi Gong/Tai Chi
5:30 Yoga
5:30 Bible Study

FRI

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Park Walk
9:30 Knit/ Crochet
10 Wii Bowling
10 Bingo
10 Mah Jongg
10:30 Beginner's/
Arthritis Exercise
12 Lunch

"Where Friends Gather"

► [New Castle Senior Center](#)

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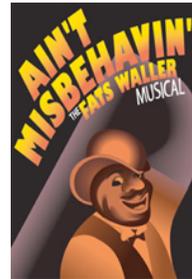
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- 1/8 ESL*/10AM
Ladies' Night Out
Book Group/7PM
- 1/9 Knit 1/Crochet Two 7 PM
- 1/10 LAP SIT STORY TIME/11AM
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Mon 10-9 Tues 10-9 Wed 2-9 Thurs 2-9 Fri 10-5 Sat 10-5 Sun Closed



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Sussex Cobble Jim Berrigan of Lewes penned this observation that appeared in the other news publication last week and it needs to be shared here.



Something to think about.
Two stories side by side. One about the people in Michigan and Maine going without power for days and just dealing with it. The other story about people whining because they didn't get their package until a day or two after Christmas.
Does anybody want some cheese to go with their whine?
James Berrigan, Lewes



Mom's EGGS GOLDENROD



Anything made with Mom's touch always tastes just a little bit more comforting. If you're a fan of biscuits and gravy, you'll definitely love Mom's Creamed Hard Boiled Eggs, known at our house as **Eggs Goldenrod!**



Sliced hard boiled eggs mixed with homemade gravy and a variety of herbs make this breakfast meal so good, we actually look forward to waking up. Serve the creamed eggs over fresh hot biscuits, and you may never eat plain boiled eggs again.

Ingredients

6 hard-boiled eggs - 3 tbsps butter - 1 cup milk - 3 tbsps flour
1/4 tsp salt - pepper, to taste - rosemary & thyme to taste

Instructions

Peel eggs and slice into 1/4 inch thick rings. Reserve yolks to garnish.
Melt butter in a skillet. Add milk, gradually stir in flour. Stir and cook until the gravy begins to thicken (5 minutes). Add eggs. Season with salt, pepper, rosemary, thyme. Serve on hot fresh biscuits with grated yolks.

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here's what you'll need.

- 2 tbsps natural cane sugar
- 2 tbsps water
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- 2-6 ounces freshly squeezed or organic pomegranate juice
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- 2 slices lemon
- a martini shaker and glass
- ice

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VIRUS ALERT

Norovirus is a very contagious virus. You can get norovirus from an infected person, contaminated food or water, or by touching contaminated surfaces. It causes your stomach or intestines or both to get inflamed (acute gastroenteritis). This leads you to have stomach pain, nausea, and diarrhea and to throw up.

Anyone can be infected with norovirus and get sick. Also, you can have norovirus illness many times in your life. Norovirus illness can be serious, especially for young children and older adults.

Norovirus illness is not related to the flu (influenza), which is a respiratory illness caused by influenza virus.

Norovirus is the most common cause of acute gastroenteritis. Each year, it causes 19-21 million illnesses and contributes to 56,000-71,000 hospitalizations and 570-800 deaths. The best way to help prevent norovirus is to practice proper hand washing and general cleanliness.

► [Noroviruses \(Norwalk Viruses\) Causes, Symptoms and Treatment](#)



This **Thru., Jan. 9th** please come to hear **Doug Croft**, long-time Horticulturist at Chanticleer Gardens in Pennsylvania,



provide instruction and information related to planting, harvesting and drying flowers and herbs to use in wreaths and bouquets.

This free program sponsored by **Arasapha Garden Club** is open to the public. The program begins at 7pm at the New Castle Presbyterian Church Education Building (25 E. 2nd St.) in New Castle.



The Lewes Polar Bear Plunge

Weekend Festival Jan. 31-Feb. 2 is **Special Olympics Delaware's** largest fundraiser.

Individuals and teams, alongside Special Olympics athletes, take the plunge into



the icy Atlantic Ocean during the height of winter!

Other crowd favorites include the **Saturday 5K Run to the Plunge, Pooch Plunge, Chili Contest, Ice Sculpting Demonstration, Polar Ice Cream Throwdown**, and



other fun family activities.

New Pooch Plunge changes. Following the success of the inaugural Pooch Plunge last year, the event is once again set to take place on **Sat. at 11 am** during the Plunge Weekend Festival.

Unlike last year when pooches were led up to a baby pool with hopes they'd plunge right in, this year dogs are going to be led on a leash by their owners along the shoreline.

This allows dogs that want to plunge all the way in to do so, and those that prefer just to frolic in the cold water the ability to do the same.

After all, it's not about how far in you go, but rather how good you look doing it.



► [Porto-Fino Plungers](#)
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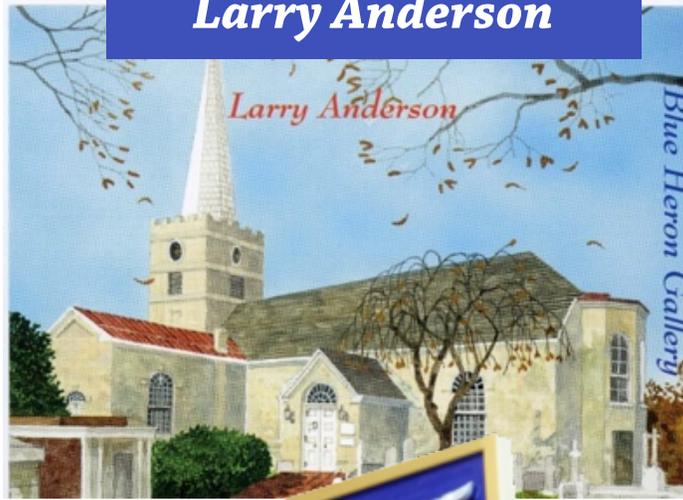
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		h	m	ft	cm
5	Su	02:15 AM		5.2	158
		09:12 AM		-0.7	-21
		02:37 PM		5.7	174
		09:49 PM		-0.7	-21
6	M	03:10 AM		5.2	158
		10:07 AM		-0.6	-18
		03:33 PM		5.4	165
		10:40 PM		-0.6	-18
7	Tu	04:07 AM		5.2	158
		11:03 AM		-0.4	-12
		04:31 PM		5.2	158
		11:31 PM		-0.5	-15
8	W	05:06 AM		5.1	155
		12:01 PM		-0.3	-9
		05:30 PM		5.1	155
9	Th	12:23 AM		-0.4	-12
		06:04 AM		5.2	158
		12:58 PM		-0.2	-6
		06:29 PM		4.9	149
10	F	01:16 AM		-0.4	-12
		07:01 AM		5.2	158
		01:56 PM		-0.2	-6
		07:25 PM		4.9	149
11	Sa	02:08 AM		-0.3	-9
		07:55 AM		5.3	162
		02:51 PM		-0.2	-6
		08:19 PM		4.9	149

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8	☀	7:23am	☾	4:54pm
9	☀	7:23am	☾	4:55pm
10	☀	7:23am	☾	4:56pm
11	☀	7:23am	☾	4:57pm

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The Immanuel Youth Group is again conducting its **annual winter clothing drive** continuing through **Sunday January 26th**. We will have collection boxes set up in the Academy foyer where you may deposit any gently used items. Drop offs may also be made at the church office anytime during regular weekly business hours. Any and all types of winter attire will be gratefully accepted. At the conclusion of the drive which will coincide with the date of Immanuel's Annual Parish Meeting, Youth Group members & sponsors will sort and bag the donations received and take them to the Salvation Army for distribution to those in need. **We thank you in advance for your support.**

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