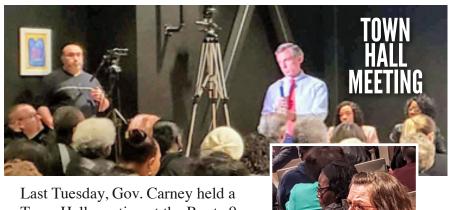
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Last Tuesday, Gov. Carney held a Town Hall meeting at the Route 9 Library & Innovation Center on New Castle Avenue. Joining the Governor were, Senator Darius Brown and Representatives Melissa Minor-Brown, Franklin Cooke, and Kendra Johnson for a conversation on our work to strengthen the economy, improve schools for all Delaware children, and protect our quality of life. A standing room only crowd was reported!



Delaware State
Secondary School Art
Teacher of the Year,
Barbara Winkler,
listening intently to an
audience member's
comments and
questions.



New Castle's Kim plunged with
Jillian Mathews, a Special Olympian who
went to Seattle this year to represent Delaware.
She, her mom Cindy, her uncle and I all
plunged. Her dad is the choir director at the
Methodist church, he and Gary held the towels.

this week in HISTORY

- 10 The fire extinguisher was patented by Alanson Crane. 1863, New York Times begins using slogan "All the News That's Fit to Print" 1897, ◆Tom & Jerry created by Hanna & Barbera debuted. 1940, Glenn Miller receives the first ever gold record for selling a million copies of a song. And the song. ◆The Chattanooga Choo Choo" 1942.
- **11** Robert Fulton patents the steamboat. 1809, The term "gerrymandering" had its beginning when Mass. governor, Elbridge Gerry, signed a redistricting law that favored his party. 1812, Bernadette Soubirous, claimed to have seen a vision of the Virgin Mary near Lourdes. 1858, Diana Crump becomes first US woman jockey to ride against men at Hialeah. 1969
- **12** Women in the Utah Territory win the right to vote. 1870, Frederick W. Thayer patented the baseball catcher's mask. 1878, Calvin Coolidge, known by many as the 'Silent President', made the first presidential political speech on radio. 1924, The radio play The Adventures of Superman debuted. 1940
- **13** The *American Magazine*, the first magazine in the U.S., was published in Phila. 1741, *Johann Strauss'*

magnificent *Blue Danube Waltz was played for the first time. 1867, "Free Eats" introduces *George* "Spanky" McFarland to *Our Gang 1932, Sixteen-year-old Peggy Fleming won the ladies senior figure skating title at Lake Placid. 1965

- **14** The League of Women Voters was founded in Chicago. 1920. The Saint Valentine's Day Massacre occurred. Mobsters, dressed as policemen, gunned down seven members of a rival gang. 1929, Walter Cronkite announced his retirement from the "CBS Evening News."
- **15** *Mustard* was advertised for the first time in America. 1758, The *Post Office* uses adhesive postage stamps for the first time. 1842, *Morris and Rose Michtom*, introduced the first *teddy bear* in America. 1903, First *Dracula* ◆ movie released. 1931, *George Burns and Gracie Allen* debuted as regulars on "The Guy Lombardo Show" 1932
- **16** The National *Deaf Mute College* was incorporated in Washington. 1857, *The Jolly Corks* organization, changed it name to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks *BPOE*. 1868, *Wallace H. Carothers* received a patent for nylon. 1932, *NBC TV* begins it's first nightly newscast The Camel Newsreel Theatre. 1948,

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FLAG STATUS





Once again in 2019, fans have a voice in which former player, coach, or manager is selected to the Toyota Phillies Wall of Fame. Voting is underway and ends at 5 pm on Feb. 28, **2019**. Induction ceremonies at Citizens Bank Park are set for Aug. 3, prior to the 7:05 pm game against the White Sox.

Vote Now





6th Annual atTAcK addiction 5K Sat. March 2nd

Registration 7am • Race Starts 9am More info ► CLICK HERE



Happy Cobblestone Birthday

Mon 2-11 Sue Brandt ★ Debbi Rucker Tues 2-12 Chris Antonio Thurs 2-14 David Atherton Fri 2-15 Bill Boyle * Sat 2-16 Rich Henion Sun 2-17 Maggie Alexander ★ Marsha Andrews ★ Doug Edwards Anniversary Fri 2-15 Judie & Bill Hentkowski

Birthday or Anniversary approaching? Tell The Teditor flytedb13@comcast.net

Notable this week 10th Umbrella Day Jimmy Durante*126 (1980), Robert Wagner-89, Mark Spitz-69 11th White T-Shirt Day - Make a Friend Day Thomas Edison*172 (1931), Burt Reynolds*84 (2018), Sheryl Crow-56, Jennifer Aniston-50 12th Darwin Day -Plum Pudding Day Abraham Lincoln*209 (1865), 16th U.S. President, Charles Darwin*214 (1882), Lorne Greene*104 (1987) 13th Get a Different Name Day - World Radio Day Leon Leonwood Bean*147 (1967), yes, the clothing line, Tennessee Ernie Ford*100 (1991), Kim Novak-86, Jerry Springer-75 14th Ferris Wheel Day - Stolen Pets Day - Natl Organ Donor Day Jack Benny*125 (1974), Jimmy Hoffa*106 (1971), Hugh Downs-98, Vic Morrow*87 (1982), Florence Henderson*85 (2016) 15th Presidents' Day - Nat'l Gum Drop Day Harvey Korman*92 (2008), Jane Seymour-68, Chris Farley*55 (1997) 16th Nat'l Almond Day Sonny Bono*84 (1998), Margaux Hemingway*65 (1996), Ice-T-60, John McEnroe-60

Presidents' NO TRASH PICKÚP CITY OFFICE CLOSED

MONDAY, FEB 18th

Reg Mon 2/18 Revised Tues 2/19 Reg Tues 2/19 Revised Wed 2/20 Yard Waste pick up Thurs 2/21 Citywide Recycle pick up Fri 2/22

Ray Peden of New Castle has been selected by USA Swimming to officiate at the up-coming Olympic Trials in the sport of open water swimming. The open water swimming competition is a 10K (6.2 mile) event

usually held in a lake setting. The open water Olympic trials are always one year prior to the actual Olympics and held in conjunction with the US open water national swimming championships. Peden will be joined by other officials around the country and meet in Miami, Florida in the spring to determine the USA open water swim team.



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Mon 2-11 9:30 Adult Coloring 10:30 Book Club Tues 2-12 9-1 AARP Tax Aide 12:30 Pokeno Wed 2-13 10 Care Wear 10 Dover Credit Union: "Building a Basic Budget" 11 Lunch Out: Red Lobster

> Thurs 2-14 9:30 Massage Program 12:30 Food Lion Fri 2-15 12-1 Ed Bradford Entertainment

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New Castle

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

9-3 Billiards 9:30 Shanghai 10 Bingo 12 Lunch 1 Strength Building/ 9-3 Billiards 9:30 Park Walk 11 Line Dancing 12 Lunch 1 A.B.C. Class

9-3 Billiards 9-3 Billiards 9:30 Shanghai 9:30 Park Walk 9:30 Bridge9:30 Knit/Crochet 10 Games w/Tom 10 Bingo 12 Lunch 10 Mah Jongg 10:30 Beginner's/ 12:30 Super Market 1 Zumba Gold Arthritis Exercise 2 Qi Gong/Tai Chi 12 Lunch 5:30 Yoga 5:30 Bible Study

the New Castle

Archived New Castle

newspapers ►CLICK HERE

Computer & Job Search Help*

11:30a / ADULTS Thinkology/4p/8-14 **PAWS***/6:30p Cultural Movie* /6:30p

"The Insult"/ADULTS

2.12 Crafty Story Time 10:30a/2 yrs. & older Sew Happy Group 10:30a-3p GED in Spanish*/6:30p Tues. night Book Group* 7-8p

2•13 STREAM/4p Ages 8-15

2.14 Drop-in Computer & Job Search Help 11:30a/ADULTS

> Teen Book Group/3:30p **GED** in Spanish*/6:30p

2•15 Toddler Stay & Play/11a/2 yrs. + Library After Hours* 7p /ADULTS

Candy Heart Bingo

424 Delaware St - New Castle DE 19720 - 302-328-1995 *registration required > www.nccdelib.org/newcastle

Mon 10-9 Tues 10-9 Wed 2:-9 Thurs 2-9 Fri 10-5 Sat 10-5 Sun Closed

Sr. Center Charter Bus Trips

Payment is due at the time of sign up. If you need to cancel your trip money will only be refunded if there is someone to take your place. .

April 17 Skippack, PA 9:30-5. Cost \$38/members; \$48/non-members. Price includes bus and driver's tip. Day is on your own.

May 15 Turkey Hill Experience 8:30-5. Cost-\$65/members; \$75/nonmembers. Price includes the Taste Lab (create your own ice cream flavor), Tea Discovery Lab (taste teas from around the world), self guided interactive tour, box lunch, bus and driver's tip. Deadline to sign up is April 26.

June 12 Rainbow Dinner Theater "Divorce, Southern Style": 9:30-5. Cost-\$95/members; \$105/non-members. Price includes show, lunch, gratuity, bus and driver's tip. Deadline to sign up is May 24.

July 17 Lititz, PA 9:30-5. Cost-\$38/members; \$48/non-members. Price includes bus and driver's tip. Day is on your own.

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today in hiftory Two of the world's most famous midgets, General Tom Thumb and Lavinia Warren were married. 1863





none of the fussiness.

on the counter

1 lb. penne - 4 tbsp. unsalted butter - 2 cloves garlic, minced - 3 tbsp. flour - 4 c. chicken broth - 1 c. heavy cream - kosher salt - Freshly ground black pepper - 1 tsp. mustard powder - 2 c. shredded rotisserie chicken - 1 c. thick-

cut ham, chopped - 2 c. shredded Gruyere - 1/2 c. grated Parmesan -1 tbsp. fresh parsley, chopped

let's make dinner

- 1. Make oven happy 400°.
- 2. In a large pot of salted boiling water, cook pasta according to package directions until al dente. Drain and set aside.
- 3. In a large skillet over medium heat, melt butter. Add garlic and cook until fragrant, about 2 minutes. Sprinkle in flour and cook until slightly golden, 2 minutes more. Pour in chicken broth and heavy cream and bring to a boil. Season with salt and pepper, then add mustard powder. Reduce heat to medium-low and simmer until liquid coats the back of a spoon, 10-12 minutes.
- 4. Remove skillet from heat and stir in cooked pasta, chicken, ham, and Gruyere. Sprinkle top with Parmesan.
- 5. Bake until warmed through, 13-15 minutes. For a golden top, broil for an extra 2-3 minutes. Garnish with parsley.



at the New Castle Senior Center, 400 South Street, New Castle

Seats up for election in 2019 are:

Mayor (4 year term)

2 Council Seats (4 year terms)

1 Council Seat* (2 year term)

(*Fulfilling the remainder of the Councilperson Quaranta's term)

To obtain an Absentee Ballot, contact the Absentee Ballot Clerk, Diane Delgado at 322-9804, or in person at 220 Delaware Street, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm.

Interested persons may pick up a candidate packet at the City of New Castle Administration Building at 220 Delaware Street, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

The deadline to file as a candidate is Friday, February 22nd by 5:00 pm

To obtain an **Absentee Ballot**, contact the Absentee Ballot Clerk, **Diane Delgado at 322-9804**, or in person at 220 Delaware Street, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Affidavits for Absentee Ballots will be available from the City Office, during normal business hours, Monday – Friday from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm **beginning February 27th**.

Added dates and times when Affidavits for Absentee Ballots and State Voter Registration will be available at the City Office are: Thursday, March 21st from 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm and Saturday, April 6th from 9 am to 12 noon. *State Voter Registration is available at the City Office during normal business hours; the deadline to register to vote in the Election is Monday, April 8th.

Friday, April 12th at 12 noon is the deadline to request an affidavit for Absentee Ballots from the City Administration office, 220 Delaware Street.

Friday, April 12th at 4:30 pm is the deadline for **Absentee Ballots to be turned in** to the City Office. Absentee Ballots may also be brought to the polling place on the day of the Election.

For election questions and/or comments, contact City Board of Elections Chair **Marianne Caven at 302-588-7410**

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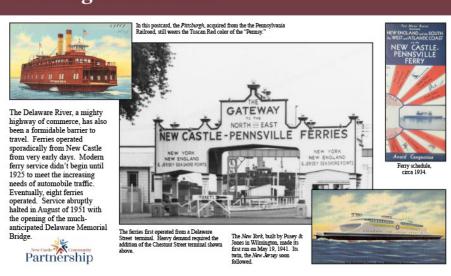
Pour the Amer Picon and grenadine into a Georgian Irish Coffee glass over ice and stir briefly. Fill almost to top with the soda water.

Float the brandy on top. Garnish with a lemon peel.

*Amer Picon: Because it's not available in the U.S., as a substitute, combine 2 parts <u>Ramazzotti</u> amaro, 2 parts dry curaçao and 1 part gentian liqueur in an airtight bottle and shake. Refrigerate until ready to use

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February 10, 2019

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Total amount enclosed
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The Path to Freedom: A History of the Underground Railroad in Delaware An Exhibition at the New Castle Coarthoase Maseam Special free two-day event featuring a lecture, trial re-enactment, featurelength movie and live music Saturday, February 23, 2019 11 n.m. — "Delaware Black History: Past and Present," a special lecture by University of Delaware Professor Emeritus James Newton 1 p.m. — Re-enactment of the 1848 trial of Thomas Garrett who aided in the escape of the enslaved Hawkins family 2 p.m. — "Songs of a Faithful People" performed by Valerie Boyer Sunday, February 24, 2019 2 p.m. — Screening of "Whispers of Angels: A Story of the Underground Railroad," an award winning film starring Ed Asner and Blair Underwood detailing the firsthand efforts of Thomas Garrett, William Still and Harriet Tubman to free American slaves The New Castle Court House Museum 211 Delaware St, New Castle, Del. For info call (302) 323-4453

City of New Castle Delaware
Regular Council Meeting at Town Hall
201 Delaware Street – New Castle
Tuesday, February 12, 2019 – 7pm

Agenda

Roll Call

Minutes: January 8, 2019 Regular Meeting Minutes.

Staff Reports

Approval of Treasurer's Report

Reports from the City Administrator & Staff

Council Communications

Business from the Mayor

Business from the Council President

Business from the Floor (concerning agenda items only)

Mayor & Council Proclamation: Recognizing the 100th Birthday of City Resident Gladys Clark.

Mayor Proclamation: Recognizing Arbor Day in the City of New Castle.

Old Business:

1. Motion, Discussion and Vote on Resolution 2019-01; A Resolution making a Council Appointment to the Tree Advisory Commission. (Council President Ratchford – posted 02/05/2019.)

John Antonio – February 12, 2019 – February 12, 2022 – Council Appointment

New Business:

- 1. 2018 Audit Review Whisman Giordano & Associates. (Council President Ratchford posted 02/05/2019.)
- 2. Motion, Discussion and Vote on Resolution 2019-04, A Resolution to approve the FY18 City Audit, as presented by City Auditor. (Council President Ratchford posted 02/05/2019.)
- 3. Motion, Discussion and Vote on Resolution 2019-05; A Resolution to request a funding commitment from the Trustees of the New Castle Common for \$675,000 (Council President Ratchford posted 02/05/2019)

Public Comments

Next Regular Meeting Date: March 12, 2019

Posted: 02/05/2019

Note: This agenda as listed may not be considered in sequence, including executive sessions.

McKinley selected as Channel Islands National Park superintendent



Ethan McKinley

The National Park Service has selected Ethan McKinley to serve as the next superintendent of

Channel Islands

National Park. McKinley has been serving as the park's acting superintendent since July. McKinley has more than 12 years' experience with the National Park Service. He comes to Channel Islands National Park from First State National Historical Park in Delaware, where he has been the

superintendent since 2015.























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 ${\it Puddles}$ has had a few set-backs, but she still embraces every day as a new opportunity for love. She arrived with some medical needs, and the shelter medical team rallied to give her the best possible care. Puddles did lose a leg in the process but not her heart. One look with her big brown eyes, and you'll be hooked on her love. Adopt this seven-year old sweetie, or any of her large adult dog pals, for just \$14 in the Big Love promotion through Sunday, February 17th...

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See the THE WEEKLY for Full Schedules

Mon. 2/4 Tree Advisory Commission 4pm Tues. 2/12 City Council Meeting 7pm\ Thurs. 2/14 Historic Area Commission Mtg. 6:30pm

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Mo'zart Gallery



2nd & Delaware Streets - New Castle

February Long Range Weather Forecast

Feb 1-8 Sunny, cold

Feb 9-11 Snow periods north, rain south

Feb 12-16 Rainy, mild

Feb 17-20 Snow, then sunny, cold

Feb 21-28 Sunny, quite mild

February

temperature 38° (4° above avg.) precipitation 2" (1" below avg.)



Sr. Ctr. St. Patrick's **Party**

3-10 **DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS**

> 4-13 City Election

4-13 NC Sailing Club Beach Cleanup

Sunrise Service 6:30 am NC Lions Easter Parade 1pm

5-3 & 4 May Market

5-18 Day in Old New Castle

6-7 & 8

Separation Day Weekend

6-8

Colonial BBQ Competition

St. Anthony's Day Celebration

6-19 Kalmar Nyckel

6-20 **Dining in the Street**

Countn' The Days

4 until Valentine's Day

9 until

Presidents' Day

25 until

Mardi Gras

30 until Daylight Saving Time

37 until

St. Patrick's Day

40 until **SPRING**

52 until **April Fools Day**

72 until

Easter

82 until Cinco de Mayo

93 until

Mother's Day 99 until

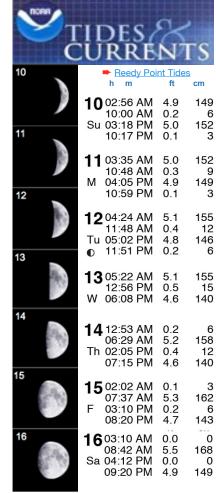
Day in Old New Castle

119 until

Separation Day Weekend

128 until Father's Day

133 until Summer





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6:58am 🧯 5:35pm 13 🥮 6:57am 5:36pm 15 🥨 6:56am 5:37pm

16 🥶 6:54am 5:38pm



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