

Tidbits Overheard...Didjanos...All The Buzzzzz!

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Welcome Chief Tjaden

New Castle City Officials and many attendees were at the Court House Museum last Monday morning to witness the swearing in of Daniel Tjaden as New Castle's Police Chief. He succeeds Kevin P. McDerby who served our City for thirteen years. Joining the many citizens and

> area police and parole officers, were his wife Susan Walther Tjaden, and grandson Colin. Daniel brings 41 years of law enforcement

experience which includes New Castle County,

Delaware City and law enforcement liaison to then Sen. Joseph Biden. While at Delaware City (where we found him) he began as a one man police department and expanded it to

a five member force.

Grandson, Colin, pins on the new badge.

"Hopefully we can keep him here for another thirteen years" - Mayor Reese



The Shepheardes Calendar. An old shepherd, Thenot, speaks to a shepherd boy called Cuddie. We see the zodiac symbols for Pisces in the sky.

2/23 InterNatl Dog Biscuit Appreciation Day Tennis Day Elston Howard*85 (1980), Diane Varsi*76 Peyton Place, I Never Promised You a Rose Garden (1992), Peter Fonda-73, Ed 'Too Tall' Jones-63,

Patricia Richardon-63 The first raw cotton-to-cloth mill was founded in Waltham, MA 1813, President-elect Abraham Lincoln arrived secretly in Washington to take office. 1861, Walter Wingfield of Pimlico,

England, patented the game of lawn tennis. 1874, The Tootsie Roll rolls into stores in America. 1896, U.S. marines raise the America flag in Iwo Jima 1945, Whites join Negro students in a sit-in at a Winston-Salem, N.C. Woolworth store. 1960

2/24 World Bartender Day Natl Tortilla Chip Day Chester W. Nimitz*129 (1966), James Farentino*76 (2012), Steven Jobs*59 (2011) Supreme Court ruled itself to be the final interpreter of all constitutional issues. 1803, Los Angeles Vineyard Society was organized. 1857, The first parade to use floats occurred in New Orleans at Mardi Gras. 1868, Civil

War soldier Joshua Chamberlain dies. 1914. Du Pont begins commercial production of nylon toothbrush bristles. 1938

2/25 Pistol Patent Day Pierre-Augste Renoir*163 (1919), Zeppo Marx*113 (1979), Sally Jesse Raphael-78, George Harrison*71 (2001), Sean Astin-43 Edward Willet displayed the

first trained monkey act 1751, First **cabinet meeting** (At George Washington's home) 1793, **Samuel Colt** patents the revolver. 1836, **16th Amendment** to the Constitution was ratified. It authorized a graduated income tax. 1913, Ty Cobb, one of the legends of baseball, issued an edict to his team, the Detroit Tigers, that forbid players to play the game of golf during training camp. 1924, Buddy Holly and The Crickets traveled to Clovis, NM, to record "That'll Be the Day." 1957

2/26 Carnival Day Natl Pistachio Day Tell a Fairy Tale Day Victor Hugo*212 (1885), Levi Strauss*185 (1902), "Buffalo Bill Cody"*168 (1917), William Frawley*127 (1966), Jackie Gleason*98 (1987), Tony Randall*94 (2004), Fats Domino-86, Johnny Cash*82 (2003), Michael Bolton-61 First mass celebrated in American Catholic church, (St Joseph's Church, Philadelphia). 1832, Charlie Chaplin signs his first film contract. 1923, NYC installed **traffic lights.** 1930, For \$105 you could buy a **do-it-yourself fallout shelter**. 1960, A bomb explodes at the World Trade Center killing 6 people 1993

2/27 Polar Bear Day Natl Chili Day No Brainer Day Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*207 (1882), John Steinbeck*112 (1968), Joanne Woodward-84, Elizabeth Taylor*82 (2011), Ralph Nader-80, Josh **Groban-33** New Orleans held its first **Mardi Gras** celebration.

1827, **Oscar Hammerstein** patented the first cigarrolling machine. 1883, The Supreme Court outlawed sit-down strikes. 1939, "Family Circle" comic strip debuted in newspapers. When "Family Circle" magazine complained, cartoonist Bill Keane* renamed it "The Family Circus". 1960, Mickey Mantle signs a baseball contract worth \$100,000.1963

28 Floral Design Day Public Sleeping Day Natl Tooth Fairy Day Charles Durning*99 (2012), Mario Andretti-74, Bernadette Peters-66, Gilbert Gottfried-55 The Salem Witch Hunts begin. Sarah

Goode, Sarah Osborne and Tituba are arrested for the supposed practice of witchcraft.1692, **AT&T** was incorporated. 1885, "*The Doggie in the* **Window**" by Patti Page topped the charts. 1953, The **John Glenn for President** club was formed by a group of Las Vegas republicans. 1962, Jack Nicklaus, The Golden Bear, won the PGA's Championship for the second time. He completed the cycle of winning golf's four major titles – twice. 1971, The final episode of **M*A.S*H*** is aired. 1983

3/1 Natl_Pig_Day_Peanut Butter Lovers' Day Horse Protection Day_Glenn Miller*110 (1944), Pete Rozelle*88 (1996), Robert Conrad-79, Ron Howard-60, Mark-Paul Gosselaar-40 Pennsylvania becomes the first U.S. state to abolish slavery. 1780, **Yellowstone** becomes the U.S.'s first Natl park. 1872, **E. Remington and Sons** began the manufacturing the first practical typewriter. 1873, **Harry Houdini** was granted a patent for a "diver's suit". 1921, The **Lindbergh baby** is kidnapped. 1932, **FM Radio** began in Nashville. 1941



Wed, 2/26 1:05 pm Blue Jays @ Phillies Thu, 2/27 1:05 pm **Phillies** @ Blue Jays Fri. 2/28 1:05 pm **Tigers** @ Phillies Sat, 3/01 1:05 pm **Phillies** @ Yankees Sun, 3/02 @ Phillies 1:05 pm **Pirates**

Look for special reports from Clearwater at

BRIGHT HOUSE FIELD by

Dave Jones your ClearwaterCobbleCorrespondent



Ran into **Jimmy Dugan**, formerly of Penn Acres, at Phillies Spring Training. Jimmy is retired from the refinery and now lives near Clearwater. He has been down here about 12 years. He says "Hi" to all his old friends back in Delaware.

Dave

This pic was the 1st full day of practice. Sanburg went back to basics. Lots of running. Pitchers going to first. Fielding bunts etc. Sandy and I will be at the 1st game Wed. More pics then.

Dave



Save the Date!



NC Historical Society Annual Fundraiser

3/8
St. Patrick's Dance
River Room

3/29 Lions Club Pancake Breakfast 4/20

Easter Parade on The Green - 1pm

17

St. Peter's Silent Auction/Dinner

5/2-3

May Market

5/17

Day in Old New Castle

5/29

31st Annual New Castle Run

6/13-14

Separation Day Celebration 6/15

St. Anthony's Day



A first...

Ten month Master

Mannix, son of Crisi and P.J. bravely sat through his first haircut with John Wallace in New Castle last Friday.



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Cobblestone Reminders

See the New Castle Weekly for Full Schedules Mon. 2/24 Planning Commission Mtg. 6:30pm

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Thurs. 2/27 Historic Area Commission Mtg. 5pm
Mon. 3/3 Tree Commission Mtg. 5:30pm
Wed. 3/5 Police & Public Meeting Mtg. 7pm
NC City Police Station - 1 Municipal Boulevard

http://newcastlecity.delaware.gov/



NEXT REGULAR REGISTRATION

Sat., March 1st

10am-2pm

Be sure to bring 3 proofs of residency.

2014 fees are as follows:

\$150 (1 child) \$185 (2 children) \$210 (3 or more) \$35 Umpire fee for JR/SR BASEBALL & SOFTBALL Big League \$200 (1 child)

Signups held at NCLL Clubhouse

The goal of NCLL is to provide an economical means for families to allow their children to participate in the excitement of Little League baseball and softball. Established in 1966, the league is managed and operated by volunteers. The complex is located at 732 Frenchtown Road in historic New Castle, DE on land owned by the New Castle Trustees. NCLL is a part of Delaware District 2 and is a charter member of Little League International.



Where Friends Gather'

New Castle Senior Center 12:30 Mah Jongg

😮 😽 🐶 🤰 🥱 at Our Senior Center Mon 2/24 10 Art Class 11 Entertainment by Ike 12:30 Brain Boosters Birthday Celebration

Tues 2/25 9-12 AARP Tax Aide 12:30 Food Distribution Wed 2/26 9:30 C&D Senior Center for Bingo and Lunch 50/50 Thurs 2/27 12:30 Food Lion Fri 2/21 12:30 New Castle Farmers Market

9-3 Billiards 9 Pool Exercise 9:30 Park Walk 9:30 Wii Bowling 10 Crafty Seniors 12 Lunch

TUES

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

WED

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

THUR

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



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2/26 ESL*/10AM

GED 2014 in Spanish 6:30-8:30PM Knit 1/Crochet 2/7P

2/28 TAXAIDE* 10AM - 1PM LAP SIT STORY TIME/11 AM 6 mos.-3 yrs.

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Pavement & Rehabilitation Project **Will Require Daytime Lane Closures** on New Castle Avenue

WHEN: Intermittent lane closures from 8 am until 4 pm. Mon through Fri, pending weather, beginning on Mon, Feb 24 and ending fall 2014



WHERE: New Castle Avenue

from the bridge at the Canal to Heald Street

WHAT: DelDOTs contractor, Diamond Materials LLC will be milling and repaying the roadway; and completing ADA upgrades at signalized intersections.

Every effort will be made to accommodate access to businesses and residences; however, some temporary or partial restrictions to accomplish this work should be anticipated. Motorists should be aware that personnel and equipment will be operating in close proximity to travel lanes.

New Castle Senior Center 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.

March 5-Harrington Casino: 8:30-4.-\$20, includes

bus, driver's tip, \$10 free play and free lunch buffet

April 9-Rainbow Comedy Theatre in Lancaster, show 'Anybody for Murder': 9:30-5. \$65, includes bus, driver's tip, lunch, taxes and gratuity June 11: 'Grounds for Sculpture' Gardens in Hamilton, NJ July 14: Philly 16th Constitution CenterTheater



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pepper • 1 tsp chili powder • 1 tsp dried

thyme • ½ onion, roughly chopped • 1

carrot, peeled and broken • 3 whole cloves garlic • ½ red bell

pepper • 18 ozs ground chuck • 18 ozs

ground sirloin • 1 ½ tsp

kosher salt • 1 egg

goop on top

1/2 c. Catsup • 1 tsp ground cumin • Dash Worcestershire • Dash hot sauce • 1 tbsp honey

making it baby Crank up the oven to 325°

In a food processor bowl, combine croutons, black pepper, cayenne pepper, chili powder, and thyme. Pulse until the mixture is of a fine texture. Place this mixture into a large bowl. Combine the onion, carrot, garlic, and red pepper in the food processor bowl. Pulse until the mixture is finely chopped, but not pureed. Combine the vegetable mixture, ground sirloin, and ground chuck with the bread crumb mixture. Season the meat mixture with the kosher salt. Add the egg and combine thoroughly, but avoid squeezing the meat.

Pack this mixture into a 10-inch loaf pan to mold the shape of the meatloaf. Onto a parchment paper-lined baking sheet, turn the meatloaf out of the pan onto the center of the tray. Insert a temperature probe at a 45 degree angle into the top of the meatloaf. Avoid touching the bottom of the tray with the probe. Set the probe for 155°

Combine the catsup, cumin, Worcestershire sauce, hot pepper sauce and honey. Brush the glaze onto the meatloaf after it has been cooking for about 10 minutes.





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Job Description: Museum guides provide tours to adult tour groups, student tour groups, and drop-in tourists to our historic museums, The Amstel House and The Dutch House, in Historic New Castle, Delaware. Guides work 4-8 assignments per month, for shifts which may vary from 2-6 hours each assignment. Training begins in February, and active guiding will begin in March-April.

For more information about New Castle Historical Society, please visit us at www.NewCastleHistory.org.

TELL THEM YOU SAW IT IN THE COBBLESTONES

Sat., March 1st, 7 pm
New Castle Historical Society Annual Fundraiser



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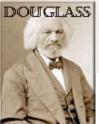
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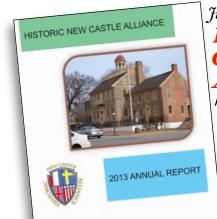
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CUBBLE Michelle & Michael share some tropical offerings

Ha! I'm here and you're not!



GUARD MONKEY



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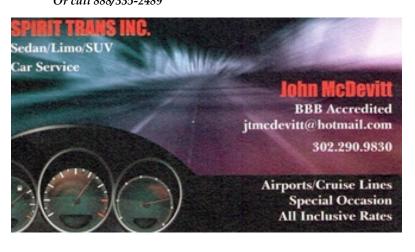
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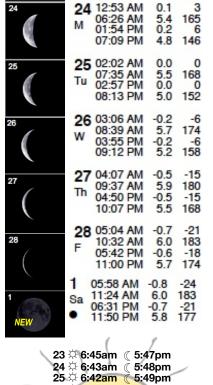
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