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March 28th Annual Meeting 7pm is free and open to everyone. Join us for our Annual Meeting to hear a recap of everything that happened in 2018 and to get a sneak peak at what is going on in 2019! Our new permanent exhibit in the New Castle Visitor Center at The Arsenal will be debuted. The guest speaker is Dr. Kristin deGhetaldi, with her presentation, "Uncovering the Layers: The Science of Old Master Paintings." Dr. deGhetaldi completed work last year on two of the portraits in our collection. In addition to explaining the work done to them, the portraits will be on display together for the first time in many years. Refreshments are included..

30 Market Street • New Castle



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Monday March 18th 4 PM to 7 PM

Review and comment on the proposed railroad crossing improvements on Delaware Street/Ferry Cut Off, from 8th Street to the intersection at Delaware Street.

This Railroad Crossing Safety Improvement project will include railroad crossing replacement, railroad crossing signal and gate upgrades, signing and striping, ADA compliant sidewalks and crossings at the railroad, traffic signal upgrades and pavement overlay within the project limits. Also included in the project is the proposed closure of 8th Street between Delaware Street and Tremont Street. This workshop will also provide information on the overall project and schedule.

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passengers installed at E.V. Haughwout & Co. Elisha Graves Otis was the inventor. 1857, Stevie Wonder's tribute to Duke Ellington, **()**Sir Duke, was released. 1977 RCA put its **Selectravision** laser disc players on the market. Soon, the product was called "the Edsel of the entertainment field." 1981

March 17, 2019

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23 Patrick Henry declares "Give me liberty, or give me death!" 1775, Josiah G. Pierson patented a rivet machine. 1794, The first recorded use of "OK" [oll korrect] was used in Boston's Morning Post. 1839, Dame Nellie Melba, revealed the secret of her now famous toast. 1901, Dixie Cup invented. 1912, Elvis Presley recorded Can't Help Falling in Love. 1961



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17 The first St. Patrick's Day! celebrated in USA 1735, Transylvania Land Co buys Kentucky for \$50,000 from a Cherokee chief. 1755, The *rubber band* was invented. 1845, In Otay, California, John Joseph Montgomery made the first manned, controlled, heavier-than-air glider flight in the US. 1884, President Theodore **Roosevelt** coined the word 'muckrake' 1906, Al Capone was released from jail. 1930,
Tequila by the Champs topped the charts. 1958, President Nixon asked Congress to halt busing in order to achieve desegregation. 1972

18 David Melville patented the gas streetlight. 1813, First railroad tunnel in US completed. 1834, Henry Wells & William Fargo founded American Express. 1850, Confederate women riot in N.C. to protest the lack of flour and salt in the South. 1863, Poland was enlarged with the second Peace of Riga. 1921, President Eisenhower signed the Hawaii statehood bill. 1959, Cosmonaut Aleksei Leonov becomes the first person to take a space walk. 1965, ♥<u>Night Fever</u> by the *Bee Gees* topped the charts. 1978

19 This is **St. Joseph's Day**, the day that those little birds known as swallow return to the Mission San Juan Capistrano. 1776, The first bank robbery in America (NYC \$245,000) was reported. 1831, Jan Matzeliger invents first machine to manufacture entire shoe. 1883,

Nevada legalized gambling. 1931, Academy Awards aired drought. 1903, First department store elevator for on television for the first time. 1953, The staff of WJM-*W* had a going-away party, as the last episode of *▲*<u>The</u> <u>Mary Tyler Moore Show</u> was broadcast. 1977

20 The United Dutch East Indian Company (VOC) was formed. 1602, Harriet Beacher Stowe publishes the book Uncle Tom's Cabin . 1852, A plan by *John* Wilkes Booth to abduct President Lincoln was foiled when Lincoln changed plans. 1865, Einstein's *Theory of General Relativity* published. 1916, **50**" of snow across the Mason-Dixon line. 1958, President Johnson orders 4,000 troops to protect the Selma-Montgomery civil rights marchers. 1965, Me and Bobby McGee by Janis Joplin topped the charts, 1971

21 Thomas Jefferson reports to President Washington in New York as Secretary of State. 1790, Almost the entire city of New Orleans, was destroyed by fire. 856 buildings were destroyed. 1788, The Hatfield - McCoy feud ends. It apparently all started over a pig. In the fall of 1878, Randolph McCoy sued Floyd Hatfield for stealing his hog. 1891, The U.S. Senate granted ex-President *Teddy Roosevelt* a yearly pension of \$10,000. 1910, The infamous *Alcatraz* prison is closed. 1963, On TV show Dallas, *JR* is shot. 1980, \blacktriangleleft Lean on Me by Club Nouveau topped the charts

22 *Gutenberg Bible* became the first printed book. 1457, Joseph Priestly invented carbonated water. 1733, Orlando Jones patented cornstarch. 1841, First US nursing school chartered. 1861, Congress outlawed polygamy. 1882, Niagara Falls ran out of water due to a



on the loss of her husband Charlie ~ March 7^{th}



Archived New Castle newspapers ►CLICK HERE

Thurs. Night @ the Movies*/6:30p **Mary Queen of Scots** 3•22 Toddler Stay & Play/11a/2 yrs. +

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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

New Castle Library Friends Annual Meeting

NEW DATE The Friends' Annual Supper Meeting and Program was cancelled on Feb. 1st, due to the weather. The new date is

Friday, March 22nd 6-8pm

Please RSVP to nclibraryfriends@gmail.com or call the library at 302.328.1995



April 17 Skippack, PA 9:30-5. Cost \$38/members; \$48/non-members.

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.



DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM **BINGO BEGINS AT 7:00PM**

today in hiftory Bishop Patrick, St. Patrick, died in Saul. Ireland celebrates this day in his honor. $\infty 46 r$

Tickets only \$25

You must be 18 or older to attend

very buggy hors d'oeuvres



Vegetable Bugs

2-3 Celery stalks, cut into various lengths for different bugs- 1-2 mini cucumbers, halved lengthwise with seeds scooped out, cut into various lengths - $\frac{1}{2}$ cup cream cheese - 10 cucumber slices - 1 cup cherry and/or grape tomatoes - 1 bunch chives, cut into 1" lengths - 5-7 black olives - 10 whole cashews

Fruit Buas

2-3 celery stalks, cut into various lengths for different bugs - $\frac{1}{2}$ cup peanut butter -1 cup red and/or green grapes - 3-4 strawberries, sliced - ½ cup blueberries - 1 apple, sliced - ¼ cups mini dairy-free chocolate chips - ½ cup Envirokidz Leapin Lemurs cereal

Directions:

Begin by preparing the googly eyes for your fruit and vegetable bugs.

Vegetable bugs: Use a straw to cut out black olive pupils. Alternatively, you can chop black olives into small pieces and use those for the pupils instead. Pipe small dots of cream cheese onto a plate and top with black olive pupils. After assembling the eyes, place them in the freezer to chill for easier assembly later on.

Fruit bugs: Version 1 - Pipe small dots of cream cheese onto a plate. Top with mini dairy-free chocolate chips.

Version 2 – Use peanut butter or cream cheese to "glue" mini chocolate chips to the Envirokidz cereal.

After assembling the eyes you can then pop them into the freezer to chill.

TIP: If you don't have piping bags, sandwich bags with the tip of the corner cut off will work well for piping eyes.

Prepare fruit and vegetables. Refer to preparation photos for a visual guide showing the many ways you can prepare the ingredients.

Scoop seeds from mini cucumbers. Help your bugs stand upright by slicing a flat edge on the bottoms of mini cucumbers and celery sticks.

Vegetable bugs. Fill celery stalks and/or mini cucumbers with cream cheese, using a piping bag or spoon.

Fruit bugs: Fill celery stalks with peanut butter, using a piping bag or spoon. These will be the base of all the fruit and vegetable bugs you make.

Unleash your kids' imagination! Use our reference photos for inspiration to make snails, caterpillars, dragonflies, and butterflies. Or get creative and invent your own bugs!

Snails: Start with a fruit or vegetable round for the shell. Stick chilled googly eyes onto the tomato, cashew, or grape "heads". Insert chives or thin-sliced apples (with skins on) for antennae.

Caterpillars: Stick chilled googly eyes onto cherry tomato or grape "heads". Add chive or apple antennae. Make the body with a line of cherry tomatoes, grapes, blueberries, or Envirokidz cereal.

Dragonflies and butterflies: Stick chilled googly eyes onto grape or tomato "heads". Or place Envirokidz cereal eyes into peanut butter. Add chive or apple antennae. Use sliced strawberries or halved cucumber slices for wings. Use Envirokidz cereal, blueberries, grapes, or cherry tomatoes for the body.



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. 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

FINAL 2019 CANDIDATES MAYOR Mike Quaranta • Jim Whisman CITY COUNCIL MEMBER: Victor L. Bryson III • Joseph Day III John DiMondi • Phil Gross Valarie Leary • Russell P. Smith Suzanne Souder



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Mon. 3/25 Planning Commission Mtg. 6:30pm Thurs. 3/28 Municipal Services Commission Mtg. 4pm *MSC Office 216 Chestnut Street* Mon. 4/1 Tree Advisory Commission Mtg. 4pm Tues. 4/9 City Council Meeting 7pm Thurs. 4/11 Historic Area Commission Mtg. 6:30pm Sat. 4/13 **CITY ELECTION** 8am - 6pm

http://newcastlecity.delaware.gov/



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TRUSTEES ELECTION

The Trustees will hold an election on **May 11, 2019** at the Good Will Fire Station from 8 am until 4 pm, to fill a vacancy on its Board. Should a run-off election be necessary, it will be held on June 22, 2019 from 8 AM until 4 PM at Goodwill Fire Station.

To vote in a Trustee election, you must be registered on the Trustees' voter list, which is an independent voter list, separate from City, State, or Federal registration. If you're not registered to vote, you may register at the Trustees' Office, 201 Delaware Street, during normal business hours, usually 10 am to 3 pm, Monday through Thursday. The deadline to register is May 6th. To qualify you must be at least 18 years of age and have been a resident of the City of New Castle for at least one year prior to the election date. Bring your driver's license showing your City of New Castle residence and other form of proof

(MSC bill) to show that you meet these qualifications. If you want to run for Trustee, the filing deadline is April 11. Candidates must be at least 25 years of age and must currently reside in the City of New Castle and have resided in the City for at lease two years prior to the election date. Forms are available at the Trustee office to file for candidacy.

Call 302-322-2809 for more details





Bellanca Airfield Museum Delaware Aviation Hall Of Fame Open House Schedule 2019 OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE

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16 until **April Fools Day**

28 until **CITY ELECTION**

> 36 until **Easter** 41 until

Arbor Day

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Cinco de Mayo

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Mother's Day

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Day in Old New Castle

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March Long Range Weather Forecast

March 1-8 Rain, then sunny, cool March 9-14 Rain, heavy at times March 15-21 Sunny, cool March 22-31 Snow, then sunny, cold March temperature 45° (1° above avg.) precipitation 5" (1" above avg.)





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