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Cobblestones Library

March 29, 2020



City staff, located at 220 Delaware St., will be working from home, though at least one person will be in the office daily. Call us at 322-9801 with any questions concerning any services.

The City Public Works team has a protocol for separation of our public works department crews. We continue to be as diligent as we can, scrubbing and cleaning our facilities regularly during the day. You can help slow the spread of germs by wiping down the handles of your trash, yard waste or recycling bins

after placing them near the curb for pickup.

Our city is taking steps to encourage "social and physical separation". Although our parks remain open, we have fenced around playground equipment, closed basketball and tennis courts, and public bathrooms.

We have put up signage reminding people of the need for physical separation. Please abide by CDC guidelines regarding COVID - 19.

New Castle City Police continue to patrol neighborhoods while responding to in-progress calls and emergency situations; the New Castle City Police would like to ensure our citizens that protecting and serving the public is their top priority.

The New Castle City Police ask our citizens for understanding as they try to protect themselves, as well as the public, from COVID-19.

Dispatchers will ask essential questions regarding the health of the person(s) requiring police assistance and officers may ask you to exit your home and keep a safe distance while speaking to one another. Their headquarters is closed to the public and citizens are encouraged to call the non-emergency number, (302) 573-2800, if police assistance is needed.

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HELP YOUR NEIGHBOR AFFECTED BY COVID-19

Your neighbors need your help. Although everyone has been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, some are now in crisis. City of New Castle residents who have lost their job or source of income are struggling to pay their bills and don't know how they will meet their expenses over the next few weeks. As good friends and neighbors, we can help support our community to get through these difficult and uncertain times.

In 2009, the Municipal Services Commission's (MSC) created a New Castle Cares Fund at the Salvation Army in order to provide financial assistance to individuals who may have experienced a hardship and need assistance paying their electric and water bills. Now more than ever your neighbors need your assistance.

Please consider helping your community by writing a check to the New Castle Cares Fund and mailing it to The Salvation Army PO BOX 308 Wilmington, DE 19899 today!



this week in
HISTORY

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MUSEUMS CLOSED; SPECIAL PROGRAMS POSTPONED

In accordance with Gov. John Carney's [declaration of a State of Emergency](#), the [five museums](#) administered by the [Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs](#) were closed beginning on March 24, 2020 and their programs postponed until further notice. The State of Emergency was declared in order to safeguard public health and help control the spread of the coronavirus.

Following are links to information about the division's five museums. Staff members are available to answer questions via Facebook, telephone and e-mail during the State of Emergency.

[John Dickinson Plantation](#), Dover

[Johnson Victrola Museum](#), Dover

[New Castle Court House Museum](#)

[The Old State House](#), Dover

[Zwaanendael Museum](#), Lewes

Gov. Carney's State of Emergency also applies to the [Buena Vista conference center](#) and [other state-owned historical sites](#) managed in partnership with community organizations.

Happy Cobblestone Birthday



Sun 3-29 **Curt Palmer** Tues 3-31 **Bill Lower** ★ **Jimmy Pritchard**
Wed 4-1 **Jenny Clarke Hubbard** Thurs 4-2 **Gaby Indellini**
Fri 4-3 **Jo Viola** Sat 4-4 **Isaiah** & **Mannix**
Sun 4-5 **Tom Hubbard** Sun 4-7 **Felix Cartagena**
14th Anniversary Sun 3-29 **Arista & Donnie Gordy**

Birthday or Anniversary approaching?

Tell The Teditor flytedbl3@comcast.net

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Condolences to
Jimmy Gambacorta
on the loss of Rose ~March 18th



is temporarily postponing all public events, programs, and tours and closing the Delaware History Museum, Mitchell Center for African American Heritage, Old Town Hall, the Research Library, and the Read House & Gardens.

We are closely monitoring this changing situation and will post all updates here and on our social media channels.

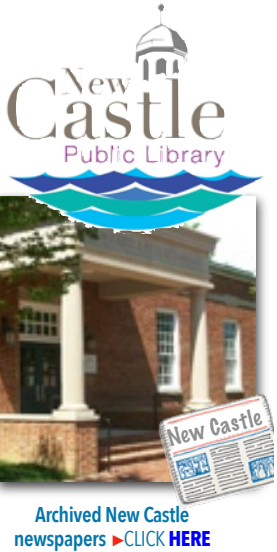


at Our Senior Center
400 South Street - New Castle - 302 - 326-4209

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LIBRARIES CLOSED
Effective **March 16, 2020**, all New Castle County Libraries are closed to help combat the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19). We are sorry for the disruption.

WHAT TO KNOW

- Due dates for **all** materials checked out have been extended to **04/01/2020**
- You will **NOT** be fined for material
- You can still call your local branch or go online to answers.delawarelibraries.org for help with your library needs
- Visit <https://lib.de.us/emedial/> for eBooks, eAudiobooks and other electronic resources
- For up-to-date info, including additional services that will be offered, check out our website (<https://nccde.org/286/Libraries>)

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

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

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TRUSTEES ELECTION
Saturday March 21st
Goodwill Fire House 4th and South Streets, New Castle
8am to 4pm

CANCELLED

St. Joseph Day Wine Festival

MAY MARKET
in Historic New Castle

BATTERY PARK
BEACH
CLEAN-UP





We are offering nutritious, prepared meals as well as our full menu for take-out. Many dietary options are available for gluten free, vegan/vegetarian and keto.

Please call or message ahead for pick-up. Multiple days available in advance.

Pickup between 4-8 Thur - Mon

Sonora
at the
David Finney Inn

222 Delaware St. New Castle, DE 302-276-7038
Monday 11-9 Wednesday Closed
Thursday-Friday 11am-11pm
Saturday 10am-11pm Sunday 10am-9pm



Under the Governor's State of Emergency, the Mayor of the City of New Castle Emergency Declaration and the CDC's recommendation to limit gatherings to no more than 10 people, we are canceling all gathering permits in the Battery Park until further noticed. We have also suspended issuing and scheduling new permits at this time.

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



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Get your licks in SOON

Dairy Palace
New Castle, DE 1956

In order to keep our community and employees safe, we have decided to postpone the Dairy Palace's opening day.

We will announce a new date once we have more information and the state of emergency has been lifted. Please stay safe, everyone, and we can't wait to see you soon

Jay Drive @ Basin Road • New Castle

Geneva has the beautiful personality to go with her stunning looks. This dilute torbie is sweet with people and does well with other cats in the shelter's free-roaming room. Geneva would fit well in most families. You can adopt this three-year-old for a fee you name through Sunday, April 5th..

Click [HERE](#) to learn about all my friends on South Street



Brandywine Valley SPCA - 600 South Street, New Castle, DE 19720 Phone: (302)



french toast roll ups



ingredients

16 slices Soft Bread

2 Eggs ♥ 4 tbsp Milk

1/3 cup Sugar ♥ 1 tsp Cinnamon

Filling of your Choice

(These are cream cheese and strawberry jam)

directions

Place piece of bread on a cutting board and trim your crusts. With a rolling pin roll your bread flat. At one end of your bread place your filling (just a small strip) and roll up.

In a shallow dish combine sugar and cinnamon. Mix well.

In another shallow dish combine eggs and milk. Whisk well.

Heat a pan over low-medium heat, melt butter to coat pan.

Coat your bread roll in your egg mixture. Place in pan with your seam down. Cook until golden brown turning to brown all sides.

Remove the rolls one at a time from pan and roll to coat in cinnamon sugar mixture. **There you go!** Enjoy them however you see fit! They are amazing! Make them with peanut butter inside of them next? **Wonder how that will work out.**



New
W.3rd St.
Resident

Your electric power and water staff at the MSC have been meeting with City of New Castle leaders and local emergency first responders daily to promote communication and make informed decisions.

The MSC has also been communicating with other utility providers and have reaffirmed all Mutual Aid agreements are in place. These agreements promote cooperation and assistance from other Delaware municipalities with electric power and water teams who are prepared to step in and help our community should we need backup.

MSC began team isolation of its staff to limit the risk of personnel becoming infected. Thorough and ongoing cleaning is taking place at all MSC locations and public exposure has been limited by performing functions on-line and over the telephone. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the MSC at 302-323-2330.

The Good Will Fire Company is in contact with Departments around the State of Delaware and affirming readiness plans and sharing experiences. The GWFC, like the New Castle Police Department, asks for your understanding in these challenging times. When calling for services related to health, expect to be asked questions from a safe distance as we seek to keep our team members healthy and on the job for you. Be assured that once we have assessed your situation, we'll jump in and do our job.

City leaders are monitoring the situation and conferring daily to address issues as they arise. Please check our City website and Facebook page frequently. Critical and time-sensitive information will be shared via automated phone calls through the MSC. For more information, don't hesitate to call or email City or MSC staff, the Mayor or any Council member. We will do our best to answer questions and address your needs.

Together, we will manage through this public health challenge. We are asking that everyone respect the guidelines from the CDC, Governor Carney's office, and Emergency Declarations made by the Mayor. For more information, please call the Delaware Division of Public Health at 866-408-1899 or email at DPHcall@delaware.gov Other helpful resources include

<https://coronavirus.delaware.gov> or <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus> for updated information on the COVID-19 virus.

Grab and Go Meal Day Changes

In the face of adversity, Colonial's Nutrition Services and Transportation Division proved what the Power of WE really means. **Together, with volunteer staff showing up, 19,930 meals were prepared during the first 2 weeks of the state and national health threat.**



While the feeding program will continue, the schedule is changing. **Beginning Monday, March 30th**, we will move meal delivery to a two day a week schedule, on Mondays and Wednesdays. Locations and times will remain similar to what has been delivered. Visit <http://www.colonialschooldistrict.org/covid-19-food-resources> for the most up to date locations and times.

- **Mondays, children will receive two (2) breakfast and two (2) lunch meals (a total of 4 meals per child)**
- **Wednesdays, children will receive three (3) breakfast and three (3) lunch meals (a total of 6 meals per child)**

Good Will Ladies Auxiliary Designer Handbag

Michael Kors Coach Kate Spade



Friday, April 24, 2020

Good Will Fire Company
401 South Street
New Castle, DE 19720

Raffles

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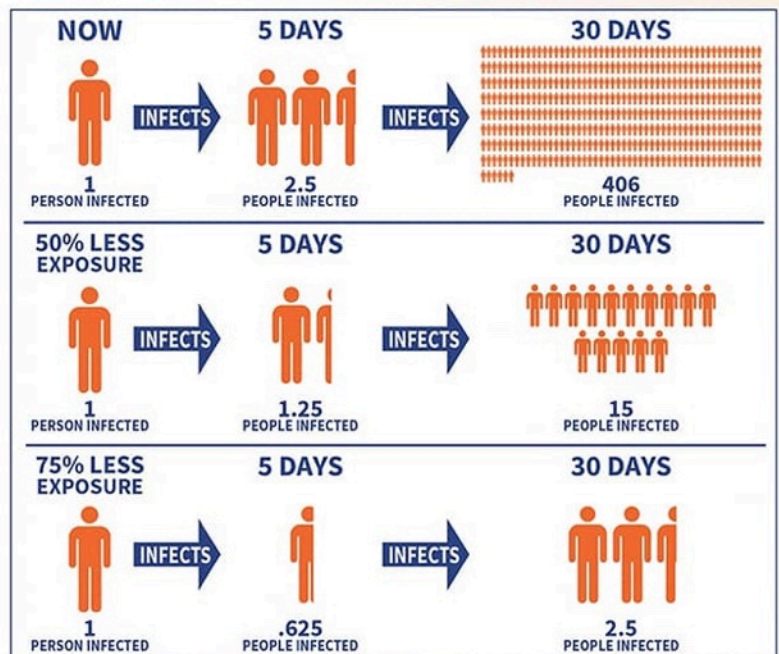
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Please join me in celebrating life, staying connected, noting our special occasions, and giving thanks for our friends, families, and blessings.

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Please make check payable to: Ted Joslin - 112 Delaware Street New Castle, DE 19720.

Cobblestones offers community news and history. Community organizations, churches and individuals with a no cost medium to promote their activities.

For area businesses the advertising rates are very economical.

COBBLESTONES Published weekly. Emailed every Sunday morning to over 925 residents and neighbors in the tri-state area and others nationwide with ties to our community and its history. Another 250 plus view the Cobblestones Facebook page weekly. Supported by **SUBSCRIPTIONS/DONATIONS** @ \$15 per year (more if you wish).

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- 3-20**
NC Library Friends' Supper & Meeting
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- 3-21**
TRUSTEES ELECTION
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- 3-21**
St. Anthony's Wine Tasting & Dinner
CANCELLED
- 3-26**
New Castle Historical Society Annual Meeting
CANCELLED
- 4-18**
New Castle Sailing Club Battery Park Beach Cleanup
CANCELLED
- 5-1 & 2**
May Market
CANCELLED
- 5-16**
Day in Old New Castle
CANCELLED
- 5-21**
Fallen Heroes 5k
- 6-12 & 13**
Separation Day Weekend



- 1/2 Cup Aloe Vera Juice (for spray recipe) or Aloe Vera Gel (for pump recipe) -
- 1/4 Cup Rubbing Alcohol (the 70% or 90% kind).
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