

# What Happens Between The COBBLESTONES™ IS ON EVERYONE'S LIPS

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April 28, 2013



It was a beautiful day for bargain hunters



**4/28 InterNatl Astronomy Day Great Poetry Reading Day Kiss Your Mate Day James Monroe\*255 (1831), 5th U.S. President,**

**Lionel Barrymore\*135 (1954), Ann-Margret-72, Jay Leno-63** First night air flight was performed by **Claude Grahame-White** in England. 1910, **W.H. Carrier** patented the design of his air conditioner. 1914, **Arthur Godfrey** was seen for the last time in the final broadcast of "Arthur Godfrey and His Friends" 1959, The largest sand castle in the world (at the time) was completed near St. Petersburg, FL. It was four stories tall. 1985

**4/29 Greenery Day Natl Shrimp Scampi Day William Randolph Hearst\*150 (1951), Duke Ellington\*114 (1974), Emperor Hirohito\*112 (1989), Donald Mills\*98 (1999), the Mills Brothers, Dale Earnhardt\*62 (2001), Jerry Seinfeld-59, Michelle Pfeiffer-56, Andre Agassi-43, Uma Thurman-43 Joan of Arc** lead Orleans, France, to victory over Britain. 1429, Rubber was patented by **J.F. Hummel**. 1813, **Gideon Sundback** of Hoboken, N.J. patents the zipper. 1913, **Ernest Borgnine** made his network television debut in "Night Visitor" on NBC-TV. 1954, **Steve Carlton**, of the Philadelphia Phillies, became the first left-handed pitcher in the majors to get 3,000 career strikeouts. 1981, The destruction of the Berlin Wall began. 1990

**4/30 Hairstyle Appreciation Day Natl Honesty Day Willie Nelson-80, Gary Collins\*75 (2012), Michael J. Smith\*68 (1986), astronaut, died in Challenger explosion, Perry King-65, Isiah Thomas-52, Kirsten Dunst-31**

The U.S. purchased the **Louisiana Territory** from France for \$15 million. 1803, George Washington's inauguration became the first U.S. national holiday. 1889, **Casey Jones** was killed while trying to save the runaway train "Cannonball Express." 1900, **Lou Gehrig** played his last game with the Yankees. 1939, The name of Boulder Dam, in Nevada, was changed back to Hoover Dam. 1947, Vietnam War ends with the fall of Saigon later renamed **Ho Chi Minh City**, 1975



**5/1 May Day Day Loyalty Day Mother Goose Day Save the Rhino Day Kate Smith\*104 (1986), Glenn Ford\*97 (2006), Jack Paar\*95 (2004), Scott Carpenter-88, astronaut, Rita Coolidge-68, Steve Cauthen-53, Tim McGraw-46** England, Wales and Scotland were united to form **Great Britain**. 1707, **Charlie Robertson** of the Chicago White Sox pitched a perfect no-hit, no-run game against the Detroit Tigers. The Sox won 3-0. Another perfect game did not come along until 46 years later. 1922, "Cheerios" hits store shelves. 1941, **Francis Gary Powers'** U-2 spy plane was shot down over the Soviet Union. 1960



**5/2 Baby Day Brothers and Sisters Day Catherine II Empress of Russia\*284 (1796), Baron Von Richtofen\*121 (1918), "Red Baron", Benjamin Spock\*110 (1998), Bing Crosby\*109 (1977), Bianca Jagger-68, Lesley Gore-67 Leonardo da Vinci** died. 1519, **Good Housekeeping Magazine** first hits the newsstands. 1885, "A Trip to the Moon," the first science fiction film was released. By magician **George Melies**. 1902, **Lou Gehrig** plays in his 2,130th game, a baseball record that will last for 57 years until **Cal Ripken** come along. 1939, **Stan Musial** set a new major

league record when he hit 5 home runs against the Giants. 1954, The filming of "Jaws" began in Martha's Vineyard. 1974

**5/3 InterNatl Tuba Day Lumpy Rug Day Space Day 3 World Press Freedom Day Pete Seeger-94, Sugar Ray Robinson\*92 (1989), Engelbert Humperdinck-77, Frankie Valli-76, Greg Gumbel-67, Christopher Cross-62, Wynona Judd-49** Columbus discovers "St lago". It is later renamed **Jamaica**. 1494, **Francis E.J. Wilde** of Meadowmere Park, NY, patented the electric sign flasher. 1927, **Joe DiMaggio** makes his major-league debut with 3 hits for the Yankees. 1936, **Margaret Mitchell** wins Pulitzer prize for "Gone With the Wind". 1937, The first airplane landed at the geographic **North Pole**. 1952, The game ▶ **Twister** was featured on the "Tonight Show" with **Johnny Carson**. 1966



**5/4 Bird Day Natl Candied Orange Peel Day Renewal Day Star Wars Day Francis Joseph Spellman\*124 (1967), Audrey Hepburn\*84 (1993), Roberta Peters-83, Randy Travis-54, Lance Bass-34, singer, member of "NSYNC" Manhattan Island** is sold! Indians agree to the deal in exchange for \$24 in cloth & buttons 1626, A French manufacturer debuted the first folding umbrella. 1715, The **Battle of Chancellorsville** ended when the Union Army retreated. 1863, **Phonograph** is played for the first time. 1878, **Belmont Park** opened in suburban Long Island. 1905, **Atlanta Penitentiary** has a new resident after **Al Capone** is convict of income tax evasion. 1932, **Academy of Motion Pictures** is founded. 1934, **Margaret Thatcher** became Britain's first woman prime minister. 1979

## Oath of Office Tuesday, April 30th

The public is invited to the Court House to witness Mayor Donald A. Reese to be sworn in by Judge Richard R. Cooch at 5:15 pm. Followed by Mayor Reese administering the oath to the new City Council members



# Phillies



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MLB	859 86 586

Date	Opponent	Time	Broadcast
Tue, 4/30	at Indians	7:05p	CSN, MLB.TV
Wed, 5/1	at Indians	7:05p	CSN, MLB.TV
Thu, 5/2	Marlins	7:05p	CSN, MLB.TV
Fri, 5/3	Marlins	7:05p	CSN, MLB.TV
Sat, 5/4	Marlins	7:05p	CSN, MLB.TV
Sun, 5/5	Marlins	2:35p	PHL 17, <a href="#">MLB.TV</a>
Mon, 5/6	at Giants	10:15p	CSN, MLB.TV

## NASCAR

► [NASCAR Sprint Cup](#)

3/24	Sun	Auto Club Spdwy	<b>KYLE BUSCH</b>
4/7	Martinsville		<b>JIMMIE JOHNSON</b>
4/13	Texas		<b>KYLE BUSCH</b>
4/21	Kansas		<b>MATT KENSETH</b>
4/27	Richmond	FOX	7:30 PM



## KENTUCKY DERBY



CHURCHILL DOWNS  
MAY 4, 2013

The official line-up of **Kentucky Derby contenders** will be revealed on May 1<sup>st</sup>. To give you all the latest information on racebooks and wagering, their writers have compiled all the relevant information related to the 25 horses with highest points standings. ► [Derby Contenders](#)

*The first Kentucky Derby was held on May 17, 1875. There were 15 horses in contention all 3-years old. The crowd was approximately 10,000 people. The first winner was a horse named Aristides, with Oliver Lewis as his jockey*

### 2013 DERBY CONTENDERS

**Orb**  
Trainer: Shug McGaughey  
Jockey: Joel Rosario

**Verrazano**  
Trainer: Todd Pletcher  
Jockey: Gary Stevens

**Goldencents**  
Trainer: Doug O'Neill  
Jockey: Kevin Krigger

**Javas War**  
Trainer: Kenny McPeck  
Jockey: Julien Leparoux

**Overan alyze**  
Trainer: Todd Pletcher  
Jockey: John Velazquez

**Revolutionary**  
Trainer: Todd Pletcher  
Jockey: Calvin Borel

**Lines of Battle**  
Trainer: Aiden O'Brien  
Jockey: R. Moore

**Vyjack**  
Trainer: Rudy Rodriguez  
Jockey: Javier Herrera or Javier Castellano

**Will Take Charge**  
Trainer: D. Wayne Lukas  
Owner: Willis Horton

**Itsmyluckyday**  
Trainer: Edward Plesa Jr.  
Owner: Laurie Plesa, Trilogy Stables

**Governor Charlie**  
Trainer: Bob Baffert  
Owner: Michael Pegram

**Black Onyx**  
Trainer: Kelly Breen  
Owner: Sterling Racing Stables

**Palace Malice**  
Trainer: Todd Pletcher  
Owner: Dogwood Stable

**Normandy Invasion**  
Trainer: Chad Brown  
Owner: Fox Hill Farms

**Frac Daddy**  
Trainer: Doug O'Neill  
Owner: Magic City Thoroughbred Partners

**Mylute**  
Trainer: Tom Amoss  
Owner: Gold Mark Farm, Whisper Hill Farm

**Oxbow**  
Trainer: D. Wayne Lukas  
Owner: Bluegrass Hall

**Super Ninety Nine**  
Trainer: Bob Baffert  
Owner: Tanma Corporation

**Falling Sky**  
Trainer: John Terranova  
Owner: Newtown Anner Stud, Covello, James and Bulger, Joseph

The Kentucky Derby was first shown on television on May 3, 1952

## Happy Cobblestone Birthday

Sun. 4/28 **Mackenzie D. ~ Kim P.**

Thurs. 5/2 **John M.** Fri. 5/3 **Karen V.**

1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Sun. 4/28 **Sam & Judy W.**

Birthday or Anniversary approaching?

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5<sup>Happy Birthday</sup>  
donna  
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# M A Y at Our Senior Center

**Mon 4/29** - 10 Beginner's Art Class 10 Choir 12:30 Brain Boosters Birthday Celeb. **Wed 5/1** - 9:30 Computers 10 Common Myths of Grief **Thurs. 5/2** - 9 Bank & PO 11:30 Teri Bell: Fatigue 12:30 Shop Rite 5 Covered Dish

## 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

## THU

9-7 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

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\* prior registration required

4/28 ESL\*/10 AM  
JOB CENTER 10AM-1 PM  
PAWS\*/7PM  
4/29 R,R&Storytime 3-6 yrs./10:30AM  
5/5 Ladies Night Out - 7pm  
"Belong to Me" - by Maria de los Santos



## New Castle Senior Center Bus Trips

Payment is due at time of sign up for all trips  
See Mike to sign up or for more info

**May 15 - Washington, D.C. SOLD OUT**

**June 5 - Chanticleer Gardens**, with lunch at Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza Restaurant in Wayne. Cost of \$38 includes admissions fee, bus and driver's tip.

**June 18, 19, 20 - Colonial Williamsburg OVERNIGHT Trip:** 3 Days, 2 Nights Includes: roundtrip motor coach transportation; accommodations for 2 nights at the Woodlands Hotel; meals include 2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner; an historic area pass good for two days; all taxes and gratuities. \$392 (\$100 deposit required for registration, with balance due by May 15, 2013. See Mike, our Outreach Coordinator, for more info.

**July 17 - Suicide Bridge Tour and Restaurant** Sightseeing Cruise plus a Crab Cake and Fried Chicken Buffet. Cost of \$60 includes bus, driver's tip, cruise, buffet luncheon, taxes and luncheon tips.

**October 9 - Showboat Casino in Atlantic City • December 6 - Bethlehem, Pa**

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



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## Klown Kook Kat

Cobbles **Kat and Joe** on their annual furlough to St John. Here Kat points to the water that surrounds the island!  
A refreshing find!



## Erica...on the air!

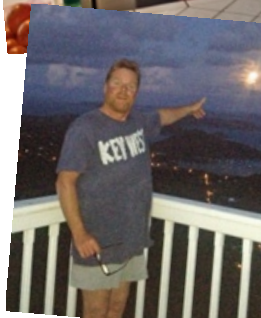
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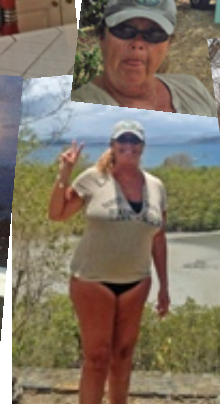
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St. John or Dewey Park?

## Cobblestone Reminders

See the **New Castle Weekly** for Full Schedules  
Tues. 4/30 Dike Restoration Projects Update. 1pm **LIBRARY**  
Tues. 4/30 **Swearing in Mayor & City Council** 5:15pm  
**Court House - 222 Delaware Street**  
Tues. 4/30 Board of Health Mtg. 6pm  
► <http://newcastlecivil.delaware.gov/>

# GRILLED CHEESE

1. Heat 1 tablespoon salted butter in a cast-iron or nonstick skillet over medium-low heat.
2. Press the sandwich slightly and place it in the skillet. Cook until golden on the bottom, 3 to 5 minutes.
3. Flip, adding more butter to the pan if needed, and cook until the other side is golden and the cheese melts, 3 to 5 more minutes.

## Classic Sandwich

2 slices cheddar, monterey jack or Swiss cheese between 2 slices country white bread; cook, flipping once, until golden.

## Bacon and Tomato

Make Classic Grilled Cheese (No. 1), adding 3 slices crisp bacon and 1 slice tomato between the cheese.

## Triple Cheese

Make Classic Grilled Cheese (No. 1), using 1 slice each cheddar, muenster and Swiss cheese.

## Spicy Nacho Sandwich

2 slices white bread with 1 slice monterey jack or American cheese, some pickled jalapeño slices and 1 slice cheddar. Cook, flipping once, until golden.

## Crunchy Nacho

Make Spicy Nacho Grilled Cheese (No. 4), adding 1 tbsp. crushed corn chips with the jalapeños.

## Goat Cheese–Peppadew

Mix 1/2 cup cream cheese with 1/4 cup goat cheese and 8 chopped Peppadew peppers. Sandwich one-quarter of the mixture between 2 slices multigrain bread; cook, flipping once, until golden. (Use the remaining cheese mixture for more sandwiches.)

## Grilled Cheese Fingers

Make Classic Grilled Cheese (No. 1). Cut off the crusts and cut the sandwich into strips.

## Diner Sandwich

2 slices American cheese between 2 slices white bread. Spread mayonnaise on the outside of the sandwich and cook, flipping once, until golden. Serve with ketchup.

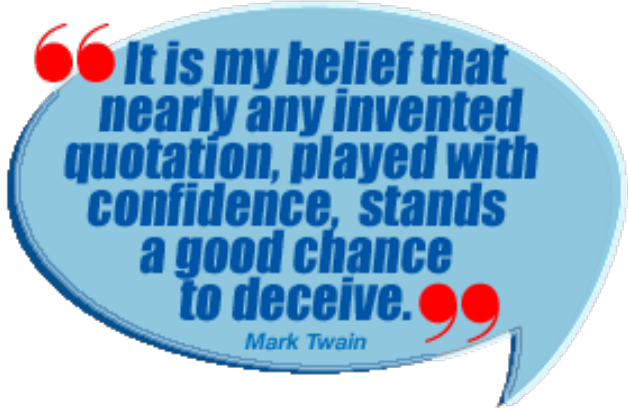
## Spicy Diner Mix

1 tbsp. mayonnaise with 1/4 teaspoon Sriracha. Make Diner Grilled Cheese (No. 8), replacing the mayonnaise with the spicy mayonnaise mixture.

## Cheddar and Pickles

Make Diner Grilled Cheese (No. 8), replacing the American cheese with aged white cheddar and adding sliced pickles between the cheese.

Read more at: [More Grilled Cheeses](#)



### Sunday Specials

- \$2 Coors Light
- \$3 Sam's Seasonal Draft
- \$5 Moodee Mimosa
- \$5 Bayou Bloody Mary
- \$5 Burger \$6 Wings



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May 4th 8pm



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## frozen Peach Champagne

### ingredients

- 1/4 cup sugar, to rim glasses
- 1 pint peach sorbet
- 2 shots Triple Sec, Grand Marnier or Cointreau
- Chilled champagne or sparkling wine, to fill blender, 1/3 bottle
- Raspberries and 4 springs mint, optional garnish

### directions

Place a shallow bowl of water along side a shallow bowl with 1/4 cup sugar in it. Dip 4 cocktail glasses in water, then sugar to rim glass.

Place 4 scoops peach sorbet in blender. Add 2 shots orange liqueur. Fill blender with Champagne to maximum fill line or up to 1-inch from top of blending pitcher. Place cover on blender tightly. Blend until smooth and pour into cocktail glasses, keeping an eye out not to wreck the pretty sugar rims. Garnish with a few raspberries and a sprig of mint and serve.



## THANK YOU!

Over 100 people "Pitched In" from 9:00 a.m. to Noon, Saturday, April 20 and put hundreds of trash bags into the City of New Castle trash truck, at our First Clean-Up. Co-Sponsored by the New Castle Sailing Club.

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## ON THE HORIZON

Sat., May 11th 2:30 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

# Jubilee Day

at Fort Christina Park, East 7th Street, Wilmington

## Ceremony at Fort Christina National Historic Landmark

Ticketholders meet at Dravo Plaza on the Riverfront for buses to site  
Note: 7th Street Peninsula will be accessible only with ticket and by bus  
Arrival of *Kalmar Nyckel* to "The Rocks" where original settlers landed  
Music of **First State Symphonic Band**  
and speeches by dignitaries; King's Launch on display  
tram, line the streets and celebrate royalty and dignitaries  
they walk to Old Swedes Church for evening prayers



Sat., May 18th

## Taverns, Taprooms and Tippling Houses.

A new exhibit at the Old Library Museum  
explores the history of drinking establishments - both legal  
and illegal - in New Castle since the 17th century. At the Old  
Library Museum, Weekends (excluding holidays), 1pm to  
4pm Free. **Continues through December 29, 2013**



**Lecture/tours** of the hull of the  
**DeBraak**, a shipwrecked 18th-century British  
warship, to return to Lewes, Del. beginning  
**Sat. May 25th the 215th anniversary of the  
sinking of the vessel.**

Limited to 12 visitors per program and will begin with a special tour at  
1 pm.-. Regularly scheduled lecture/tours will then take place at 10  
a.m. and 1 p.m. on the following Mondays during 2013. Nonrefundable tickets for the lecture/tours  
are \$10 per person (restricted to persons aged 10 and above) and are available through the Shop  
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Artist:

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Green**

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Byways:  
Original  
Paintings by  
the artist

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**Friday, May 3rd ~ 5 - 8 p.m.**  
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## the maypole



Some are weatherwise, some are otherwise.

		TIDES & CURRENTS			
		Reedy Point Tides			
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		02:27 PM		5.5	168
		09:22 PM		0.2	6
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	M	10:13 AM		-0.1	-3
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2	☀ 6:02am	☾ 7:57pm
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3	☀ 6:01am	☾ 7:58pm
4	☀ 6:00am	☾ 7:59pm

## The most well-known symbol of May Day is the maypole.

They go back to the pagan custom in which trees (birth or fir normally) were brought into the village square through a solemn parade. Later, in the 16th and 17th centuries many towns in England erected permanent poles that were left to stand for the rest of the year and decorated only on May Day. The shaft was often painted with stripes and the flower doll was fastened on the top. A tuft of greenery of some sort was left on the end of the pole as a reminder that it was a symbol of the newly awakened spirit of fertility and vegetation.

Colorful ribbons (or streamers) were then hung from the pole and people would dance around it holding the ends of the streamers in such a way that they were woven into a pattern as the dancers progressed. Today the Maypole dance is often performed by traditional English Morris dancers (not just common folks) who wear hats decorated with ribbons and flowers and streamers on their wrists and elbows. They also have bells strapped to their calves and hold white handkerchiefs and clack wooden sticks. The bells and sticks in pagan times were used to frighten evil spirits and the dancers high leaps were believed to encourage the crops to grow tall.

Remember I said in America the Puritans hated May Day? They did not like this idea of dancing around the Maypole at all because they interpreted it as a phallic symbol and the dance as a lusty, pagan fertility ritual that had no place in their civilized world. So they tried to stomp out the custom, but to no avail 100%.



## Look out folks...

Duke reports all is well in the sunshine state and he's now mobile with the State's blessings! Do we set a place at the table?

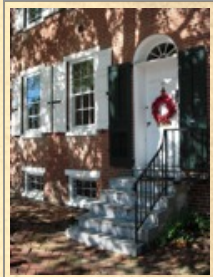
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PRESENTS THE OLDEST HOME AND GARDEN TOUR  
IN THE UNITED STATES

**SATURDAY MAY 18, 2013**

10AM-5PM  
RAIN OR SHINE

\$15 IN ADVANCE  
\$20 THE DAY OF THE EVENT



BENEFITS THE NEW CASTLE LIBRARY, NEW CASTLE SENIOR CENTER,  
BUTTONWOOD SCHOOL AND IMMANUEL CHURCH'S OUTREACH PROGRAMS

ADVANCE TICKETS:

[WWW.DAYINOLDNEWCASTLE.ORG](http://WWW.DAYINOLDNEWCASTLE.ORG)

ANTIQUÉ CARS • COLONIAL GAMES • FOOD & MUSIC • MAYPOLE DANCE  
PERIOD CRAFTS • LIVING HISTORY ENCAMPMENTS AND MUCH MORE

You are invited  
to the  
New Castle 2013 Plein Air Event,  
**Paint The Town**  
Artists will be painting some of their  
favorite spots in Old New Castle from  
Tuesday to Friday, May 14-17. The  
artwork will be sold at the  
**Preview Party & Art Sale**  
Friday from 5-9:30 pm.  
at the Academy Building on the Green,  
39 E. 3rd Street.  
Please share some wine and nibbles  
with us and enjoy these beautiful  
paintings!

If you're at a hotel and  
run out of chargers, the  
tv usually has a usb plugin



SWANWYCK GARDEN CLUB

## "PLANT and BAKE SALE"

Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> 9am till 2pm

53 Landers Lane, Swanwyck

Perennials • Annuals • Herbs • Vegetables  
Hanging Baskets • Geraniums • Impatiens • Petunias  
Cakes • Cookies • Brownies • and much more!

Enter to win a Hanging Basket  
Great Gifts for Mother's Day!



*Ides of March*, 1974 tempera on panel, © Andrew Wyeth.  
Collection of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Fowler.

Andrew Wyeth's *Ides of March*:

## "Of Lions and Labradors"

through May 1<sup>st</sup> - 2pm

Join assistant curator Amanda C. Burdan as she draws comparisons between Andrew Wyeth's painting *Ides of March* with Albrecht Durer's print, *St. Jerome in his Study*, and examines the symbolic meaning of faithful animal companions in art history.

Free for members and included with museum admission





ARASAPHA GARDEN CLUB 2013

# May Market

MAY 3 › 9AM TO 6 PM

MAY 4 › 9AM TO 3 PM

## FEATURING OUTDOOR TENTS SELLING:

BEAUTIFUL AND UNUSUAL PLANTS › SHRUBS › PREPARED CONTAINERS

HERBS, HERB BASKETS › BAKED ITEMS

“MISS KITTY’S OUR GARDEN TO YOUR GARDEN” BARGAINS

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## INDOOR TABLES & DISPLAYS FEATURING:

WHITE ELEPHANT › USED BOOKS › VENDORS

RAFFLE FOR A BEAUTIFUL HAND MADE  
QUILT CALLED “GARDEN TEA”

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## SATURDAY KIDS KORNER

FREE GARDEN CRAFTS FOR KIDS

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MARKET SQUARE › HISTORIC NEW CASTLE, DELAWARE



PROCEEDS TO KEEP OUR HISTORIC GARDENS GROWING