

What Happens Between The COBBLESTONES IS ON EVERYONE'S LIPS

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

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Cobblestones Library

May 6, 2018

Mo'zArt Gallery Opening

A continual flow of well wishers walked through the door of Dennis Young's new gallery and studio. Between the sippin' and nibblen'...there was buying!



this week in HISTORY

6 John Deere produces the first steel plow. 1833, The Yale lock is patented. 1851, The Paris Exposition opens with the just completed Eiffel Tower as its centerpiece. 1889, The Hindenburg explodes into flames at Lakehurst, NJ. 1937, Chunnel linking England & France officially opens. 1994

7 The first inaugural ball is held. 1789, George Eastman patents the Box Camera. 1888, The World's largest pearl 6.4kg., was discovered in the Philippines. 1934, Glenn Miller records the ♡Chattanooga Choo Choo. 1941, The Beatles last album is released ♡Long and Winding Road. 1970

8 US Post Office is established. 1794, Germany surrenders ending WWII in Europe. 1945, Mad Magazine hits the newsstands. 1952, World Health Organization announces that Smallpox has been eradicated worldwide. 1980,

9 A Golden Spike was driven into the railroad tracks at Promontory Summit, Utah, connecting the tracks of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads. 1869, The syrup for Coca Cola is invented by Atlanta Pharmacist John Styth Permerton. 1886, The lawnmower is patented. 1899, Americans Richard Boyd

and Floyd Bennett become the first to fly over the North Pole. 1926, Peter & Gordon release ♡World Without Love. 1964

10 Gen. Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson succumbs to illness and wounds received during the Battle of Chancellorsville. 1863, Victoria Claflin Woodhull was the first woman nominated to be President. 1872, Donerail won the Kentucky Derby making a very, very few in attendance very, very happy. Donerail was a 91-to-1 long shot! Whoa! Nellie! 1913, The first color pictures of Earth from space are sent back from Apollo 10. 1969

11 Major Joseph Washington Wham takes charge of \$28,000 in gold and silver to pay troops at various points in the Arizona Territory. The money was stolen in a train robbery. 1889, 2-Day Dust Bowl. The storm was one of many. 1934, BF Goodrich manufactures the first tubeless tire. 1947, ♡The Happy Organ by Dave 'Baby' Cortez topped the charts. 1959

12 First ice cream advertisement (Philip Lenzi-NY Gazette) 1777- President Washington spent approximately \$200 for ice cream during the summer of 1790, The flush toilet is patented. 1792, William Clayton invented the odometer. 1847, Body of kidnapped son of Charles Lindbergh is found. 1932, Ernie Banks hits his 500th home run. 1970

Colonial
School Board Election
Tues., May 8th 10am - 8pm

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TICKETS
ON
SALE
HERE

A Day in Old New Castle Saturday, May 19th 10am - 5pm

Court House Museum, Traders Cove, 2nd Act, NC Library & NC Historical Society

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beer

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bitters served up
or on the rocks

LIME COSMO
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lime juice, triple sec and a
splash of
cranberry juice

MARGARITA
Hornitos Plata tequila
triple sec and sour mix,
served on the rocks, with or
without salt

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Tue, 5/8	vs San Francisco	7p	CSN
Wed, 5/9	vs San Francisco	7p	CSN
Thu, 5/10	vs San Francisco	1p	FB
Fri, 5/11	vs Mets	7p	CSN
Sat, 5/12	vs Mets	7p	CSN
Sun, 5/13	vs Mets	1:35p	CS N

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[NASCAR schedule](#)

4/29 Talladega Spdwy **JOEY LOGANO**
5/6 AAA 400 Drive for Autism Dover 2p
5/12 Monster Energy NASCAR Cup 8p
5/19 All-Star Open at Charlotte 6p
5/27 Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte 6p



DOVER Race Dates: Sun May 6 • Sun Oct 7



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Sun 5-6 **Jeff Lank** Mon 5-7 **Chad Atherton**

Tues 5-8 **Cheryl Blackiston** ★ **Linda Simon**

Wed 5-9 **JC Yeatman** Thurs 5-10 **Theresa Young**

Fri 5-11 **Laura Toner** Sat 5-12 **Sharon Delligatti**

Sun 5-13 **Doris Lindy** ★ **Andy Witherell**

Mon 5-14 **Tina Dobies** ★ **Donna Stranahan** ★ **Joe Ciesielski**

Birthday or Anniversary approaching?

Tell The Teditor flytedb13@comcast.net

Notable this week 6th Tourist Appreciation Day - Nurses Day Sigmund Freud*162 (1939), Robert E. Peary*160 (1920), Arctic explorer, Rudolph Valentino*123 (1926), Orson Welles*103 (1985), Willie Mays*87, Bob Seger*73, Tony Blair*65, Roma Downey*58, George Clooney*57 **7th Birth Mother's Day** Gary Cooper*117 (1961), Darren McGavin*96 (2006), Johnny Unitas*85 (2002), Robin Strasser*73, Tim Russert*68 (2008) **8th Iris Day - No Socks Day - V-E Day** Henry Dunant*190 (1910), founder of the Red Cross, Harry S. Truman*134 (1972), 33rd US President, Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen*133 (1979), Don Rickles*92 (2017), Sonny Liston*86 (1970), Toni Tennille*78, Melissa Gilbert*54, Enrique Iglesias*43 **9th Lost Sock Memorial Day** John Brown*217 (1859), abolitionist, Sir James M. Barrie*157 (1937), wrote Peter Pan, Hank Snow*103 (1999), Mike Wallace*99 (2012), Albert Finney*81, Candice Bergen*71, Billy Joel*68 **10th Clean up Your Room Day** John Wilkes Booth*180 (1865), Fred Astaire*118 (1987), David O. Selznick*115 (1965), Bono*58, Jason Brooks*52 **11th Nat'l Receptionist Day - School Nurses Day - Twilight Zone Day** Irving Berlin*130 (1989), Phil Silvers*107 (1985), Foster Brooks*106 (2001), Robert Jarvik*72, **12th Fatigue Syndrome Day - Limerick Day** Florence Nightingale*198 (1910), Katharine Hepburn*111 (2003), Yogi Berra*93 (2015), Burt Bacharach*90, George Carlin*81 (2008), Steve Winwood*70, Emilio Estevez*56, MacKenzie Astin*45, Jason Biggs*40



"PLANT and BAKE SALE"

Saturday, May 12th 9am till 3pm

in front of **Eisenberg School on Landers Lane**

Take route 9 (New Castle Ave.), and turn onto Landers Lane at the Rite Aid Pharmacy. Follow the signs to the sale in front of Eisenberg School. Convenient Parking.

Perennials ♦ Annuals ♦ Herbs ♦ Vegetables

Many plants are provided by the locally owned Rosehill Plantery, sold at reasonable prices, and are of a high quality. There will be an excellent selection of perennials, annuals, vegetables, herb plants, hanging baskets, gardening items, geraniums, and plants from Swanwyck garden club members. Some plants will be arranged as gift items.

Enter a contest to win a hanging basket.

Homemade Cakes ♦ Annuals ♦ Herbs ♦ Vegetables Cookies
♦ Brownies, Pies ♦

and much more!

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

This fund raiser helps our growing club maintain the Landers Lane triangle and to make donations to the Ronald McDonald House, Hospice Festival of Trees, Heifer International and the Federation of Garden Club's Scholarship Fund.



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Mon 5-7 10 Matter of Bal. 10 Mah Jongg Lessons 10 Resources for Rx drugs & Medicare Info **Tues 5-8** 12:30 Pokeno

Wed 5-9 10 Care Wear 10 Home Modifications

Thurs 5-10 12:30 Food Lion **Fri 5-11** 11:30 "Moments for Mother's Day"

MON

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

TUES

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

WED

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Park Walk
11 Line Dancing
12 Lunch
1 A.B.C. Class

THUR

9-3 Billiards
9:30 Shanghai
9:30 Bridge 9:30 Knit/Crochet
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
10 Bingo
10 Mah Jongg
10:30 Beginner's/
Arthritis Exercise
12 Lunch

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5-7 Coding Club/4p Ages 8-14

5-8 Crafty Story Time 10:30a/2 yrs. & up
SEW HAPPY GROUP 10:30a-3p
Tues. Night Book Group*/7p

5-9 STREAM/4p Ages 8-15

5-10 TECH KNOWLEDGE-Y LAB 3-5p adults

5-11 Toddler Tales 11a /2 yrs. & older



Archived New Castle newspapers

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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.



June 13 St. Michael's, MD 8:30-5:00. Cost-\$43 for paid senior center members, \$53 for non-members. Price includes bus and driver's tip.

July 18 Choptank Riverboat Lunch Cruise 9:30-5:00. Cost-\$87 for paid senior center members, \$97 for nonmembers. Price includes 2 hour cruise with lunch (featuring a crab cake & fried chicken combo with vegetables, potatoes and dessert), non-alcoholic beverage, gratuity, bus and driver's tip. **Deadline to sign up is June 20.**

Trips will be cancelled at least two weeks in advance if there is not enough response.

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Mon. 5/7 Tree Advisory Commission Mtg. 4pm

Tues. 5/8 City Council Meeting 7pm

Thurs. 5/17 Historic Area Commission Mtg. 6:30p

Mon 5/21 Planning Commission Mtg. 6:30pm

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today in history German airship Hindenburg explodes in flames at Lakehurst, NJ (36 die). 1937

buttermilk biscuits



These classic, flaky buttermilk biscuits from award-winning cookbook author Virginia Willis are the epitome of Southern baking. After baking up a batch, you'll see what kind of magic these few ingredients — butter, buttermilk, leavening and soft White Lily flour — can make with the proper technique. A light hand with mixing and just a couple turns of the dough yields light-as-a-feather flakes and a tender crumb that's perfect for slathering with butter and [homemade jam](#).

YOU'LL NEED

2 cups White Lily or other Southern all-purpose flour (see note), plus more for rolling out the biscuits
1 tbsp baking powder – 1 tsp fine sea salt – 4 tbsps cold unsalted butter, cut into small pieces and chilled – 3/4 to 1 cup buttermilk

READY?

Make oven happy to 500°. Line a rimmed baking sheet with a nonstick silicone baking sheet.
In a large bowl, combine the flour, baking powder and salt. Using a pastry cutter or two knives, cut the butter into the flour mixture until it resembles coarse meal. Pour in the buttermilk, and gently mix until just combined.
Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface. Knead lightly, using the heel of your hand to compress and push the dough away from you, then fold it back over itself. Give the dough a small turn and repeat 8 or so times. (It's not yeast bread; you want to just barely activate the gluten, not overwork it.) Using a lightly floured rolling pin, roll the dough out 1/2 inch thick. Cut out rounds of dough with a 2 1/4-inch round cutter dipped in flour; press the cutter straight down without twisting so the biscuits will rise evenly when baked.
Place the biscuits on the prepared baking sheet. If the biscuits are baked close together the sides will be moist. If the biscuits are baked further apart, the sides will be crisp. Bake until golden brown, 8 to 10 minutes. Transfer to a rack to cool just slightly. Serve warm.

A lighter take on the classic dry Martini, the 50-50 is made with equal parts gin and dry vermouth. You can use Lillet Blanc instead of dry vermouth for a refreshing brunch or lunchtime drink.



1 part your fav gin
1 part dry vermouth
Garnish: lemon twist or olive

Stir ingredients in a mixing glass filled with ice and either strain into a chilled cocktail glass or into an ice-filled rocks glass.

New Castle Green: Net Zero Waste Volunteers needed

to make artwork and signs for the Separation Day Parade.

Where: New Castle Public Library

When: Saturday, May 12, 26, June 2

Time: 10AM-12PM

Coffee and light refreshments

Registration is encouraged/ however walk-ins are extremely welcome.

Call Patti at 377-2501 to register.



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Squirrels are persistent and often destructive pests of container plantings. They have grown accustomed to humans and have all day to find ways to overcome barriers. It will take a variety of tactics and persistence on your part to keep them away. Try treating your plants with cayenne pepper as you plant, or use scare tactics, like motion-sensitive sprinklers and pinwheels.

Cover new plantings with fine netting to allow air, light and water through but discourage digging. The squirrels may lose interest and move on. Once plants are established, remove the covering and monitor for squirrel damage.

"If there's an 'e' in the name of the country, then the whiskey has an 'e', like America. No 'e', like Japan, and it's whisky."



Last Tuesday morning the Teditor whitnessed this wayward GPS guided truck. I called 911 for assistance as I was sure the street sign or the RV was about to be damaged. NC Police Chief Rogers told Cobblestones, "We have been

working or trying to work with the GPS companies for almost 2 years. We have had good luck with some and not so much with most. A lot of these trucks get directed onto 6th Street because its considered a state road. When they get into the city as you have seen, they are stuck. An order just went out to continue to issue tickets. I am not sure that's really going to help the problem since most of these drivers are not local drivers. Keep calling 911 and we will keep writing them, if they hit signs or damage property it becomes an accident report and they get cited for such".



BLOTTER

Reckless OHV rideout arrest

On Wednesday May 2nd at approximately 6:00 pm a New Castle City patrol sergeant witnessed several OHV's and motorcycles operating recklessly in the area of Delaware Street and Washington Street. The sergeant activated his emergency equipment and all the vehicles fled. One of the fleeing OHV's eventually pulled onto the shoulder of River road, just south of Dobbinsville. The OHV was being operated by Oliver Cephas and a female passenger, Victoria Wiseman-Blum.



Oliver Cephas



Victoria Wiseman-Blum

The sergeant attempted to take Cephas into custody but Cephas resisted. During the struggle Wiseman-Blum tried to pull the officer away from Cephas. Several witnesses stopped to watch the altercation and of the witnesses offered to help the officer. That witness used the officer's radio to call for help. The witness then assisted the officer in handcuffing Cephas. The officer sustained minor injuries as a result of the struggle.

Cephas was charged with felony resisting arrest, failure to stop on command of a police officer and several other traffic violations.

Cephas was committed to HYCI in lieu of \$4000.00 secured bond.

Wiseman-Blum was charged with offensive touching of PO and hindering prosecution and released.



St. Anthony's Club Spaghetti Dinner
328-9440
Sun. 6pm-5pm* \$8
*until we run out!

CANCELLED

Dining in the Street – June 21st 6–10pm



Get additional information & tickets [HERE](#)

A unique opportunity to dine in the street of Historic New Castle and enjoy a four course dinner prepared by area restaurants- soup, salad, main course and dessert (menu will be announced soon!)

Time: 6pm-10pm. Cocktails and hor d'oeuvres 6-6:30pm.

Tickets: \$50/ticket

Seating is limited to 200. Ages 12 and up.

Guests bring their own china and silver. There will also be a decorating contest, so bring your table decor! Each table seats 8.

Cash bar with beer, wine, and specialty drinks.

Glassware will be provided.

Featuring food from Jessop's Tavern, Nora Lees French Quarter Bistro, Cafe New Castle, Trader's Cove, and Wheely's Cafe.

Proceeds to benefit the New Castle Senior Center

Rain Date: 6/28/18

Featuring live music by The Rob Zinn Band



A Day in the Park the first episode of this series on **Thursday, May 10** at 12 PM (Noon) for a Facebook live conversation with Ethan McKinley, Superintendent of First State National Historical Park!

Ethan has experience at parks across the nation, from Mount Rainier National Park and Yosemite National Park on the west coast to Gettysburg National Military Park on the east coast. Ethan is an Eagle Scout, history buff and frequently explores national parks in his free time.

Do you have any questions that you'd like to ask him? You can message us your questions, post in this event or join us on May 10 to ask your questions in real-time!

We look forward to you joining us for this exciting conversation!

A Day In Old New Castle

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Special Events



Sat., May 5 Dover Days at
The Old State House. Guided tours explore Delaware's
historic capitol building constructed in 1791. Part of the Dover Days Festival.
The Old State House, 25 The Green, Dover. 9am-4:30pm 302-744-5054.

Sat., May 5 Dover Days at the John Dickinson Plantation. Activities include
tours and hearth cooking utilizing 18th-century recipes. Part of the Dover
Days Festival. John Dickinson Plantation, 340 Kitts Hummock Road, Dover.
10am-4:30pm 302-739-3277.

Sat., May 5 "Sounds of War: Patriotic Music." Guided tours examine
music's influence during America's wars when patriotic songs were
composed throughout the nation, accompanied by 78-rpm recordings
played on authentic Victor Talking Machines. Part of the Dover Days Festival.
Johnson Victrola Museum, 375 S. New St., Dover. 9am-4:30pm
302-739-3262.

Sun., May 6 Iron Hill Archaeology and Heritage Festival. Help
archaeologists dig in an actual excavation plus hands-on activities presented
by the John Dickinson Plantation. Iron Hill Museum, 1355 Old Baltimore
Pike, Newark. Noon-4:30pm Admission charge. 302-368-5703.

Sat., May 12 Demonstrations by the Thistledown Fiber Arts Guild.
Program explores spinning, weaving, knitting and other fabric arts. John
Dickinson Plantation, 340 Kitts Hummock Road, Dover. Program 1-3pm
Museum open 10am-4:30pm 302-739-3277.

Sat., May 19 A Day in Old New Castle. The oldest house and garden tour in
the nation includes programs at the New Castle Court House Museum and
the New Castle Green. Downtown New Castle. Admission free at the New
Castle Court House Museum. Admission charge at other venues.
302-322-5774.

Sat., May 19, 2019 CANCELLED: "Archaeological and Historical
Symposium of the Colonial Delaware Valley." Featuring informal
presentations, the program is designed to build a regional-level dialog that
can identify the uniqueness of the Colonial cultures of the Delaware
Valley. Presented in partnership with the Archaeological Society of Delaware
and the New Castle Historical Society. The Arsenal, 30 Market St., New Castle.
9:30-Noon. 302-322-2794. To reserve a place, send an e-mail to
craig.lukezic@de.state.us. NOTE: Event cancelled.

Sat. and Sun., May 26 and 27 "A Sailor's Life for Me"-Zwaanendael
Museum's 7th Annual Maritime Celebration. Maritime-themed activities
including living-history re-enactors, encampments, musket drills, displays,
demonstrations, tours, lectures and more. Downtown Lewes locations
including the Zwaanendael Museum, 102 Kings Highway, Lewes. 10am-
4pm 302-645-1148.

Mon., May 28 Memorial Day. All museums of the State of Delaware will be
open: The Johnson Victrola Museum and The Old State House, open 9am-
4:30pm; the John Dickinson Plantation, New Castle Court House Museum
and the Zwaanendael Museum, open 10am-4:30pm 302-744-5054.



Walk to the Park

is an annual St. Peter tradition where students walk to Battery Park and
back. Students raise pledges for the event in support of the school's
scholarship fund. All students participate, and the older students pair
up with their younger buddies to help them make the journey.

Wilmington's Sweeney's Bakery is closing its doors after six decades.

TRUSTEES ELECTION

Saturday June 16th

Goodwill Fire House 4th and South Sts New Castle

Last Day to file as a Candidate

Wednesday, May 16, 2018

Last Day to withdraw name as a Candidate

Tuesday, May 29, 2018

Last Day to apply for Absentee voter registration

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

Last Day to register to vote in a Trustee Election

Monday, June 11, 2018

Last Day to apply for an Absentee Ballot

Monday, June 11, 2018

Last Day to submit an Absentee Ballot

Friday, June 15, 2018

In the event it will be necessary for a Run-off election that day will be

Saturday, July 7, 2018

To file as a candidate for the Board, *one must be at least 25 years of age on or before the date of the election, a voter registered on the Trustee list, and a resident of New Castle for at least two years.*

The term of office is twelve years, and the filing fee is \$100 (non-refundable).

Get to know WilmU at the Spring Open House!

Wednesday, May 9
4:30–7:00 PM

Three locations to choose from:



- New Castle
- Dover
- Georgetown

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Saturday, May 19 at 4 PM - 7 PM
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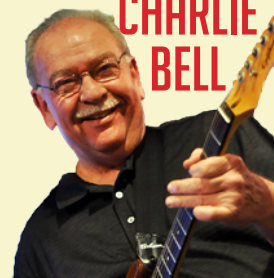
- Enjoy \$5 on glasses of wine and beers from 5-7 pm...
- paired with a complimentary cheese tray... in the Secret Garden weather cooperating... or in The Muse with music by **Mike Schilling**
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May 12th 6pm

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Veterans Community Garden

subcommittee is looking for 10 or more United States Veterans to help out with the gardening and maintaining a plot. The committee welcomes none Veterans to assist. The plots have Veterans preference. The **Veterans Community Garden** will be held at Penn Farms.

Contact Brian Whitaker at: usaironeagle@comcast.net - 302 328 8633 home / 302 339 3575 cell

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WATER BOTTLE REFILL STATION

Goodbye to the old fashion water fountains that no one wants to use, say hello to public water refill station. The Public library has one too. Thanks to Chris Castagno and the Trustees for its purchase and installation.



Stanley is a shy but sweet cat whose world was turned upside down after his owner passed away. He's a super snuggler once he warms up to you, and he has bursts of energy now and then when he loves to play. Stanley just asks for a quiet home where he can build more confidence; he wouldn't mind living with calmer animals like him. He can be adopted at a fee you name through Sunday, May 6th.

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



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Brandywine Valley SPCA - 600 South Street, New Castle, DE 19720 Phone: (302) 516-1002

**“Climate is
what we expect,
weather is
what we get.”**

Mark Twain



APRIL REPORT

	YTD2017	2018	2017	YTD2018
Criminal arrests:	74	37	37	183
Traffic citations:	526	177	126	725
Traffic warnings:	230	87 (132)	79	297
Crime prevention checks:	65	12	24	64
Crime reports writted:	372	103	96	527
Field Service Reports**	N/A	190	N/A	N/A

Calls for Narcan doses administered 0

Total for 2018 = 20

** Field service reports are taken when a complaint does not require a crime report.
Every call is documented on either a crime report, accident report or field service report.

April highlights:

Patrol handled four **heroin** overdoses.

Two victims overdosed simultaneously in Washington Park.
Both victims were administered NARCAN and survived.

One victim overdosed in Dobbinsville, was administered NARCAN and survived.

One victim from Shawtown died from an apparent heroin overdose.

Patrol/ CIU are investigating the **theft of a firearm** from the Van Dyke area.

Patrol made six **drug** arrests.

An arrest stemming from a **car stop** in the area **W 7th Street and Washington Street**.

An arrest stemming from a **car stop** in the area of **Wilmington Road at Baldt Ave**.

An arrest stemming from a **car stop** on **Du Pont Hwy** in the area of **Airport Plaza**.

One arrest was made when a caller reported an **unconscious person** behind the wheel of a parked vehicle on the unit block of **E 6th Street**

An arrest was made with a **money seizure** stemming from a car stop on **Moore's Lane**.

Patrol Handled 22 traffic accidents.

Patrol located a teenager form a neighboring community that left a **suicide note** in the suggestion box at the New Castle Library.

Colonial School Board Poling Locations

Delaware City Library 250 5th St
Eisenberg Elementary School 27 Landers Ln
Howard Weston Senior Center 1 Bassett Ave
Kingswood Community Center 2300 Bowers St
Pleasantville Elementary School 16 Pleasant St
Southern Elementary School 795 Cox Neck Rd
William Penn High School 713 E Basin Rd



5-12
Swanwyck Garden Club
Plant & Bake Sale

5-18-20
W. Wilm Manor Yard Sale

5-19
Day in Old New Castle

5-24
Fallen Heroes 5K Run/Walk

5-24-28
Tall Ships - Sail Philadelphia

6-8 & 9
Separation Day Weekend

6-9
Colonial BBQ Compition

6-10
St. Anthony's Day

6-20
Concert in the Park

6-21
Battery Park Beach Clean-up

6-21
Dining in the Streets

8-26
Antique Show - Battery Park

9-22
Art on the Green

10-6

River Towns Ride & Festival



Reedy Point Tides			
	h	m	ft
6	04:04 AM	5.7	174
	11:07 AM	0.6	18
Su	04:52 PM	5.1	155
	11:01 PM	0.9	27
7	04:54 AM	5.6	171
	11:55 AM	0.7	21
M	05:45 PM	5.1	155
	11:55 PM	1.0	30
8	05:50 AM	5.5	168
	12:45 PM	0.7	21
Tu	06:39 PM	5.2	158
9	12:54 AM	0.9	27
	06:48 AM	5.5	168
W	01:37 PM	0.6	18
	07:31 PM	5.3	162
10	01:54 AM	0.8	24
	07:44 AM	5.5	168
Th	02:29 PM	0.5	15
	08:22 PM	5.5	168
11	02:53 AM	0.7	21
	08:38 AM	5.6	171
F	03:19 PM	0.4	12
	09:09 PM	5.8	177
12	03:49 AM	0.5	15
	09:28 AM	5.6	171
Sa	04:08 PM	0.4	12
	09:54 PM	6.0	183

Separation Day
weekend
June 8 and 9



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Separation Day Committee

220 Delaware St, New Castle DE 19720

(302) 322 9801

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
6	5:58am	8:00pm					
7	5:56am	8:01pm					
Last Qtr: 10:10pm							
8	5:55am	8:02pm					
9	5:54am	8:03pm					
10	5:53am	8:04pm					
11	5:52am	8:05pm					
12	5:51am	8:06pm					



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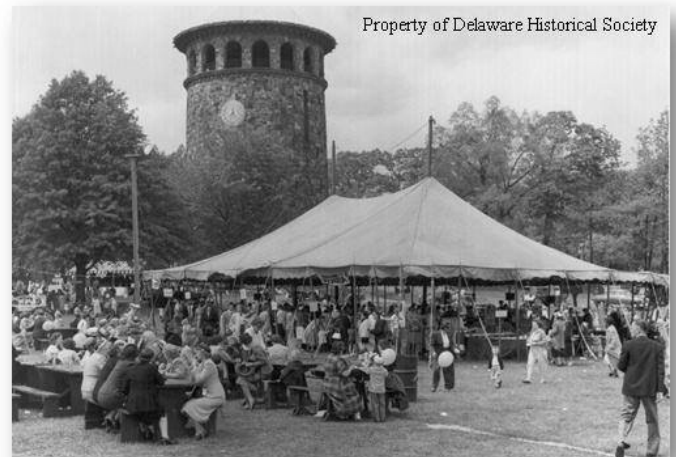
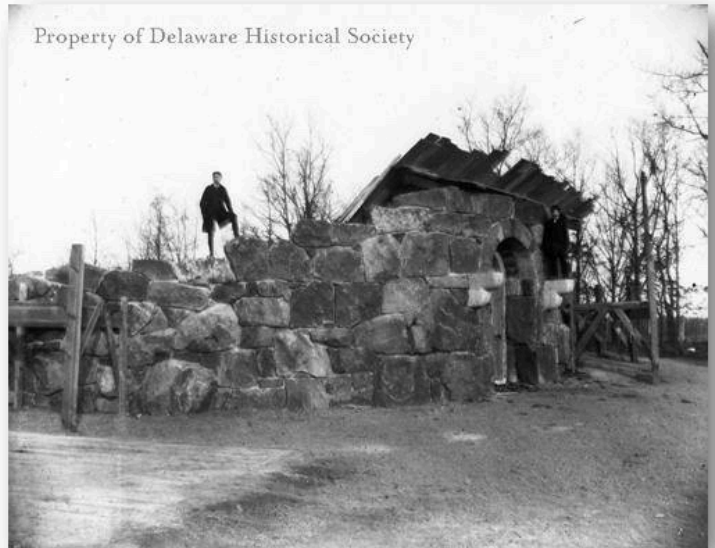
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hile we cherish our May Market, the Wilmington Flower Market is a tradition that many of us grew up with, founded by Mrs. A. Felix duPont in 1921. She became interested in Hockessin and the Babies' Hospital (known later as St. Michael's Day Nursery) and encouraged her friends to donate whatever they could. Approximately 25 volunteers joined her for this worthy cause by donating plants, baked goods, flowers, guinea pigs, kittens, puppies and even birds.

Always held on Mother's Day weekend in May, it has grown and changed to accommodate the increased attendance and traffic conditions. Throughout its history it has been held in just three locations:

Cool Spring Park (1921-1950), Brandywine Park (1950-1951), Rockford Park (1952-Present). The Rockford Water Tower, completed in 1901, has been the focal point of the flower market.

Just after 1900, Wilmington significantly improved its water service. The city laid new mains and built a pumping station, reservoir, and sand filter plant. It also constructed Rockford Water Tower, completed in 1901. The 1901 tower encloses a steel tank 40 feet in diameter and 60 feet high, fabricated by the Edge Moor Iron Company in Wilmington. It has a capacity of 500,000 gallons and weighs 6,000 tons empty. The bottom of the tank consists of 6 riveted 5/8-inch steel plates. The sides are constructed of tiers of six 1/4-inch steel plates measuring 5 feet high and 21 feet long. The side plates were fastened, end to end, with a double row of rivets, driven by a pneumatic riveter. Enclosing the tank is a stone masonry shell constructed of Brandywine granite from Rockford Park, "laid underpointed so that the tower. . .[looks] like a pile of rocks that has stood for centuries." The interior surface of the shell is lined with white enamelled brick, and between it and the tank is a steel staircase with masonry overlay that provides access to an observation platform above the tank.



🌸 **Wilmington Flower Market** 🌸 **Rockford Park** 🌸 **May 10, 11 & 12** 🌸 **10am to 8pm** 🌸

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You can't have this experience anywhere else on the Coast of Delaware. Last year the event sold out, so don't miss out and get your tickets early at

www.historicnewcastle.com.

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