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May 8, 2016

Miss Separation Day 2016 is Brittany Jennings. She attends Delcastle HS and has over 500 hours of volunteer experience, with coaching cheerleading for a non-profit. She has
competitively cheered for 13 years and has been a varsity cheerleader since her freshman year. She enjoys designing on her computer or screen print shirts. Following her 2nd gold medal for SkillsUSA in state she plans on going to the Nationals and bring home 1st in Nation.



1716 Separation Day 2016

this week in HISTORY

8 US Post Office is established. 1794, Germany surrender 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

Brokelyn Pettit, Adelae Sky Gordy, Taylor Sharpe, MacKenzie Marcia Truman,

Miss Separation Day Brittany Jennings. Runner-Up Aimee Bright; Miss Teen Separation Day Kylie Michelle Truman; Miss Pre-Teen Separation Day - Adrianna Mae Conaway. Runner-up Madelyn Rispoli; Little Lady Saveria DeAscanis. Runner-up Thau Phuong Pham; Little Miss Gabriella Durham. Runner-up Hannah Humbertson; Little Mister Dougie Conaway, III; Tiny Miss Lillian Taylor. Runner-up Isabella Delaney. Other contestants included: Myra Hohn, Genevieve Maupin, Lilyana Madison Truman, Debbie

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

13 Margaret Jones of Plymouth was found guilty of witchcraft and was hanged by the neck. 1648, The first practical printing press was patented in the US by Samuel Rust. 1841, Ludwig M. Wolf patented the sewing machine lamp holder. 1873, Winston Churchill made his first speech as the prime minister of Britain. 1940, The Rolling Stones record the now infamous song Satisfaction. 1965

14 A party of settlers led by *John Smith* establish the first permanent English settlement at Jamestown Va. 1607, Delegates began gathering in Philadelphia for a

convention to draw up the *US Constitution*. 1787, The chronograph was patented by *Adolphe Nicole*. 1862, *Vaseline* petroleum jelly slides onto store shelves for the first time. 1878, The first US space station, *Skylab* is launched. 1973, The ↔ last episode of *Seinfeld* is aired. It's a sad day in May for millions. 1998



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Fri 5-13 Doris Lindy - Andy Witherell

Sat 5-14 Donna Stranahan - Tina Dobies Sun 5-15 Linda Suskie John Cochran

Birthday or Anniversary approaching? Tell The Teditor flytedb13@comcast.net

Martinez-60, Cate Blanchett-47)

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See the THE WEEKLY for Full Schedules

Tues. 5/10 City Council Mtg. 7pm

Thurs. 5/12 City Council Public Hearing 6pm

Followed by a Special Mtg 6:15pm

Thurs. 5/12 Historic Area Commission Mtg. 6:30pm

Mon. 5/23 Planning Commission Mtg. 6:30pm

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Mon 5/9 10 Foot Care Presentation

Wed 5/11 10 Care Wear 10 Blood work-Lab 10 Book Club 11 Lunch out-Cosmos Thurs 5/12 9:30 Brain Boosters 12:30 Food Lion Fri 5/13 12:30 New Castle Farmer's Market

MON 9-3 Billiards 9 Pool Exercise

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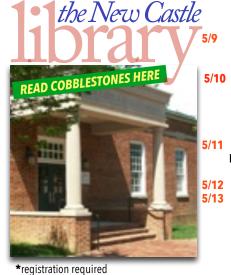
9:30 Park Walk 10 Crafty Seniors 12 Lunch 12:30 Mah Jongg 1 Chair Yoga

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 12:30 YMCA **Diabetes Prevention** 1 Pilates

THUR

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



JOB CENTER/10a Networking to Land Your Job PAWS*/7PM

R, R Story Time10:30a/ages 3-6 yrs Sew Happy Group 10:30a-3p GED in SPANISH* 6:30-8:30p Adult Book Group* 7p " The Wright Brothers"

5/11 MFBB*/1-2p Peace Corps Info Session/2-3 p Tech Knowledge-Y Lab/2:30-4:30p GED in SPANISH* 6:30-8:30p Adult Coloring./ 11a Lap Sit Story Time 11a/6 mos.-3 yrs. MFBB*/1-2p After School Snack for Kids/3p LIBRARY AFTER HOURS*/7p

Garden Party+BYQB

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



A CobbleFeature looking at businesses of New Castle's past. May 4, 1983



Have a oldie stashed away you would like to share?

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.

May 25 Chanticleer Gardens 9:30-4:00. Cost-\$34, includes garden admission, bus and driver's tip. Lunch

will be on your own at Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza, near the gardens.

June 15 Spirit of Washington Lunch Cruise

7:30-5:30. Cost-\$83, includes cruise w/buffet lunch and entertainment, bus and driver's tip. Sign up early for your favorite trip!

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

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Friday, May 13th Doors Open @6pm Games Begin @7pm \$20 at the Door - No Advance Tickets

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Friday, May 13, 2016 9:00 a.m West Virginia University Coliseum

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Tue - Thu: 8 am - 4 p Fri: 8 am - 4 pm ~ 6 pm Sat: 8 am - 4 pm



Just after Arbor Day it was brought to Cobblestones attention that there were 9-trees vandalized, including the 6 that were destroyed at the Municipal Service Commission substation in Dobbinsville. The bark was stripped left on the ground. The trees were installed about 4-5 years ago. I understand the damage could be upwards of \$5,000 however they are being appraised for replacement value. The Police are investigating.

The question that remains is - why?



Dennis in the spotlight



The Maryland Federation of Art is featuring different artists of the day to let you learn more about the people who are competing and exhibiting in Paint Annapolis. <u>Paint Annapolis 2016</u> Competition: May 30th through Exhibition: June 12th

A Day in Old new Castle

ELLOW TAPE AND PARKING PLAN Saturday May 21st Closed to traffic and no parking (except for bus

drop offs); the streets should be marked with yellow tape no later than Wednesday, May 18.



wharf. Parking spots in front of the

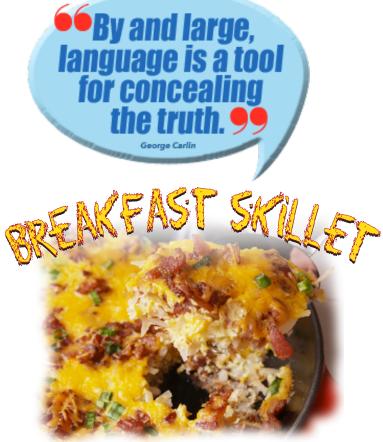
Old Court House to be reserved for unloading/ loading, and additional handicapped parking, if needed.

PARKING

Delaware Street in front of the Town Hall. Second Street, from Delaware Street to Harmony Street. Harmony Street - from 2nd to 3rd street west side only (Immanuel side), from 2nd to the The Strand, also west side only (Parish House side). Yellow tape will remain in these locations the day of event. East 3rd first block that abuts The Green Market Street (the cobblestone street) both sides The Strand, both sides, from Harmony Street to Delaware Street.

Required Handicapped parking on Delaware Street between 4th and 3rd Streets leaving 2 spaces in front of Bridgewater's Jewelers





this takes just as much time as your standard scrambled eggs, but is oh-so-much better. gather up...

1 tbsp. canola oil $\cdot \frac{1}{2}$ bag frozen shredded hash brown potatoes • salt and pepper • ³/₄ c. shredded Cheddar cheese • 4 whisked eggs • 4 slices cooked bacon, chopped

Sliced scallions (for garnish)

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Add canola oil to large skillet over medium-heat. Heat oil. Add potatoes to skillet. Season with salt and pepper. Brown potatoes until crisp. Add 1/2 cup cheddar cheese, bacon, remaining cheese and scallions. Bake at 350° for 10 minutes.

There's nothing as refreshing as a cool gin and tonic

in the first place. And then - wait for it there is the popsicle version, and voila; you have just taken your G&T game to a whole new level. All you need is:

3 cups tonic • 1½ oz gin • ¼ lime, juiced 1/2 cup cucumber slices

Here's How To

Mix together tonic, gin and lime juice. Place cucumber slices into popsicle moulds, then pour in tonic mix. Freeze overnight before serving.

Note: Because of the gin, these popsicles they don't freeze quite as well as a 'normal' popsicle. They still stay solid, but they might mela

a little faster than normal. (Don't worry, you won't take too long to eat it, anyway!)

Hermitage Natural Area opens Saturday



The efforts of many opens a new era in our City this Saturday. May 14th at 10am. Trustees Jim Meek and Dorsey Fisk have been at the forefront of this project and have been joined my many residents as well.

This wildlife safety zone is set aside for hiking, photography and nature study.

Hunting, fishing, trapping, motor vehicles and discharging of firearms is not permitted.

Three trails have been laid out with blazes on the trees:

- Green: 0.3 mile wheelchair or stroller accessible. Easy

- Blue: 0.1 mile, a spur to a viewpoint over the marsh.

- Red: 0.8 mile, a natural trail through forest to the industrial track trail/bikeway and back.

This trail passes an area with evidence of lots of busy beavers.

The area is being developed in phases. In this first phase the trails have been laid out and cleared and a beginning made in removing invasive plants. In the next phase observation areas will be created and plans for landscaping developed.

This area is named for "The Hermitage", a house built by Nicholas Van Dyke Jr. ("Senator Nicholas Van Dyke") in several stages between 1801 and 1818. According to the National Register <u>nomination</u>, it was a farm and summer retreat for his family, though it was less than half a mile from his other houses at 300 and 400 Delaware. The house was destroyed by fire February 17, 2007.

Click here for interactive google map of the trail. On your phone it can show your location via GPS.



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Michelle thanks her vendor family and visitors



Jay makes a purchase

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Sen. Nichole Poore prepares to cut the ribbon

with Michelle Quaranta

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Linda Ratchford enjoys a chat

Vendor Marty Wright and Gail

Seitz sharing a moment





LOCATION: St. Peter School, 5th & Harmony Streets Course – Extremely flat and fast course through the streets of Historic New Castle Post race party © Food, Drinks & Entertainment T-Shirts guaranteed to all pre-registrants Registration & Information > oldnewcastlerun.com

corridor ASTER PLAN



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Public Visioning Workshop

Where: Rose Hill Community Center - 19 Lambson Lane, New Castle, DE 19720 Kids welcome! When: Tuesday, May 24, 2016 from 6:15pm - 8:30pm

Share your vision for Route 9!

We are working to improve this corridor with better job access, affordable housing, transportation, and more. We need to hear from you about YOUR concerns, hopes, and dreams for the area.

All neighborhoods listed on the map to the left are part of the Master Plan!



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Farm Friends and Followers

Spring is here with some weird weather. Regardless things are moving forward here at our new location. Many things are in the ground and growing. The greenhouse is full and will be for awhile to come. The plastic for the roof finally was put on the high-tunnel during a semi

calm day (have not had many of those lately). We had an issue on a calm day a week ago that decided for a few minutes to be unruly. Needless to say we lost that plastic and had to start with a new roll of plastic. Thank you to Becca Manning (Farm Manager of Penn Farm), her volunteer Chase, and Ryan. Also thank you to Natalie and Jim who are paying for a portion of their share with some labor on the farm. The Japanese Paper Pot Transplanter (YouTube Video) has been a success. I have been able to start things in the greenhouse and get a jump on the season. I transplanted carrots even. It has been great!

Your farmer, OD

Teditor note: Sunflowers will be nurtured by Toby this year!

The Delaware Diabetes Self-Management Program (DSMP)

FREE Diabetes Education New Castle Presbyterian Church 25 East 2nd Street, New Castle, DE Room 206 Every Tuesday from 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays: 4/19,4/26, 5/3,5/24,5/17 and 5/24

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To register contact Kirsten Morris at 302-831-6136 For more information, visit our website at http://www.dhss.delware.gov/dhss/dph/dpc/ diabetesselfmgt.html

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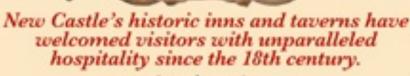


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