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ROY IS 90

Dr. Roy Sippel was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 90 years ago when the world was a different place



Roy founded a number of companies over his lifetime, including Princeton Packaging and the Remsterville Learning Centers, with four locations in New Jersey. Along with Donna, the love of his life, he raised his son Jonathan, who has provided them four grandchildren. Trinity and Kelly Lee live in New Castle and attend St Peter Catholic School, and Michael Roy and Snow Christine live in Lewes, Delaware. Roy and his family also enjoy time at their New Jersey shore home (although at times Roy enjoys staying behind in New Castle, with the family pet Buddy, sitting on the porch, watching the river traffic).

Roy has been a Commissioner with the MSC since 2011 and its President for the past five years. He was reappointed in April 2020 for another year. His leadership initiated online payment services for customers, assisted staff through the installation of a carbon filtration water system, worked out an agreement with the City on an appropriation calculation within the MSC's charter, among other contributions.

Roy was very surprised by the parade of friends, MSC colleagues, and vehicles that drove by his home on May 18, 2020, to wish him a Happy Birthday! The MSC is fortunate to have such a thoughtful and knowledgeable leader.

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this week in HISTORY

31 E.J. DeSempt patented asphalt. 1870, **Dr. John Harvey Kellogg** patented "flaked cereal." 1884, **Johnstown Flood**; 2,209 die in Pennsylvania. 1889, The **first taxis** arrived in NYC. 1907, Golfing great **Bobby Jones** captured the first leg of the golfing grand slam by winning the British Amateur. 1930, The **trans-Alaska pipeline** is completed. 1977

1 An earthquake was reported in the unlikely locale of Plymouth, MA. 1638, The term "**Don't give up the ship!**" is coined by **Capt. James Lawrence**, US Chesapeake. 1813, **Snowing** in Buffalo and Rochester, Cleveland, and other places. 1843, **Baseball helmets** were worn for the first

time the same year **Superman Comic** is published 1938, **The Beatles** ♡ **Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band** was released. 1967, **Cable News Network** made its debut as the first all-news station. 1980

2 PT Barnum's circus begins first tour of US 1835, **Grover Cleveland** is married while in serving as US president. 1886, **Guglielmo Marconi's** radio was patented. 1896, **Mark Twain**, 61, was quoted by the NY Journal as saying "the report of my death was an exaggeration." 1897 Congress grants **US citizenship** to people of American Indian descent. 1924, The coronation of 27-year-old **Queen Elizabeth II** was broadcast. 1953

3 The NY Knickerbockers became the first baseball team to wear uniforms. 1851, **Cullen Whipple** of Providence, RI patented the screw machine. 1856, **Korczak Ziolkowski** begins sculpture of **Crazy Horse**. 1948, The first class graduated from the **Air Force Academy** in Colorado Springs. 1959, The **Rolling Stones** begin their first US tour. 1964, ♡ **Respect** by **Aretha Franklin** topped the charts. 1967

4 China becomes the first to record **a solar eclipse**. 780 BC, **Roquefort cheese** created in a cave near Roquefort, France. 1070, The Senate passed the **Women's Suffrage** bill. 1919, "Invisible" glass was patented by **Gerald Brown** and **Edward Pollard**. 1935, **Sylvan Goldman** introduced the first grocery-store shopping cart in Oklahoma City. 1939, ♡ **Riders In The Sky** by **Vaughan Monroe** topped the charts. 1949, For the first time in 32 years, **Arnold Palmer** failed to make the cut for the US Open. 1984

5 Ben Franklin flew a kite for the first time to demonstrate that lightning was a form of electricity. 1752, **Harriet Beecher Stow** published the first installment of "Uncle Tom's Cabin". 1851, Civil War General **William T. Sherman** refused the Republican presidential nomination, saying, "**I will not accept if nominated and will not serve if elected.**" 1884, **Ernst F. W. Alexanderson** transmitted the first facsimile message across the Atlantic. 1924, **Elvis Presley** made his second appearance on Milton Berle's **Texaco Star Theatre**. 1956, **Bobby Kennedy** is assassinated. 1968

6 Andrew Jackson became the first **US** president to ride in a train. 1833, The first electric iron was patented by **H.W. Seely**. 1882, The **Natl Tuberculosis Association** was formed. 1904, **Chrysler Corporation** is founded. 1925, The first **drive-in theater** opened in Camden, NJ. 1933, The first nylon parachute jump was made by **Adeline Gray**. 1942, ♡ **Everything Is Beautiful** by **Ray Stevens** topped the charts. 1970

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Wed 6-3 Anne Hubbard ★ John Antonio

Sat 6-6 Lauren Spinelli Mon 6-8 Sue Clayton ★ Earl Bedwell

Tues 6-9 Margie Hitchens ★ Will Atherton ★ Dick Day ★ Brad Whitlock

Wed 6-10 Tracey Connolly ★ Renis Paton

Tues 6-11 Dustin Lee Wed 6-12 Valarie Leary ★ Dominic Hanna

Anniversaries

Wed 6-3 Nancy Coning & Tom McDowell

Fri 6-5 Celia & Chad Viola 6th

Mon 6-8 Mary & Bob Davis 46th ★ Tish & Fred Gallagher 44th

Fri 6-12 Barb Winkler & Doug Edwards 19th

Birthday or Anniversary approaching?

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Notable this week 31st Save Your Hearing Day - World No Tobacco Day Walt Whitman*201 (1892), Rev. Dr. Norman Vincent Peale*122 (1993), Don Ameche*112 (1993), Clint Eastwood-90, Peter Yarrow-82, Joe Namath-76, Lea Thompson-577 Brooke Shields-55 **1st Dare Day** Brigham Young*218 (1877), Andy Griffith*94 (2012), Marilyn Monroe*94 (1962), Pat Boone-86, Morgan Freeman-83, Ron Wood-73, of the "Rolling Stones" **2nd Natl Rocky Road Day** Martha Washington*288 (1802), Johnny Weissmuller*115 (1984), Pete Conrad*89 (1999), astronaut, Stacy Keach-78, Jerry Mathers-71, Dana Carvey-64 **3rd Natl Doughnut Day** Jefferson Davis*211 (1889), King George V*154 (1936), Tony Curtis*94 (2010), Curtis Mayfield*76 (1999) **4th Hug Your Cat Day - Natl Trails Day - Old Maid's Day** King George III-281 (1820), Dennis Weaver-95 (2006), Michelle Phillips-75, Parker Stevenson-67, Noah Wyle-48, Angelina Jolie-44 **5th** Francisco "Pancho" Villa-141 (1923), Richard Scarry*101 (1994), Children's author and illustrator, Bill Moyers-86, Kenny G-64 **6th** Nathan Hale-264 (1776), The Dalai Lama-84, Gary U.S. Bonds -81, Bjorn Borg-64



NASCAR schedule

1/20 Toyota 500
5/24 Coca-Cola 600
5/27 Alsco Uniforms 500
5/31 Food City 500
6/7 Folds of Honor QuikTrip 500 Atlanta Motor Speedway

Denny Hamlin
Brad Keselowski
Chase Elliott
Bristol Motor Speedway



DOVER Race Date Sun Oct 6

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During the ZOOMed City Council meeting on Friday, **tentative Concert in the Park** will be **Wed., June 24th** with Jimmy Pritchard
Full Schedule Next Week





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



Around 2am on Friday 29th morning, Good Will was alerted to an outside fire on Battery Park. Additional information from Fire-board advised a Vehicle Fire on the shore line. Squad 18 responded and made access from Foundry Street. The fire was extinguished without incident. [New Castle City Police Department](#) and [Delaware State Fire Marshal](#)'s Office is investigating. This is not the first time this has happened. Over the years, the fire company has responded to calls just like this on Battery Park. No new information is available.



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**The dig continues
on The Strand**

Phil Gross photo



A true beauty queen, **Revlon** is a laid back girl who can typically be found cuddled up in a chair or lounging across the floor. Revlon dreams of finding a forever home, ideally one with a sunny window she can perch on. Friendly to people and other cats, this girl is open to almost any family situation. You can adopt Revlon for a fee you name through Sunday, June 7th..(Brandywine Valley SPCA, 600 South Street, New Castle, DE 302-516-1000, www.bvspca.org)



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Steak Diane



minced chives

is a fantastic American dish we love! It's essentially an American take on French cuisine. It's a pan-fried steak with a sauce made from pan juices and flambeed. Despite the popularity of the dish in the early 20th century, three decades ago the dish fell out of fashion. This, of course, means many modern diners haven't had it, or enjoyed a good Steak Diane in quite some time. We wanted to remedy this oversight with a slightly more modern interpretation of this nearly forgotten dish.

On the counter

1/2 cup beef broth - 4 tps Worcestershire sauce - 3 tps Dijon mustard - 4 center cut beef tenderloin steaks (about 6oz each) - salt - 3 tbsp unsalted butter - 1/2 cup finely minced shallots - 4oz oyster mushrooms, sliced - 2 cloves garlic, minced - 4 tbsp brandy - 1/3 cup heavy cream - Freshly ground black pepper - 1 tbsp minced parsley - 1 tablespoon

Make this classic

1. Whisk together the broth, Worcestershire sauce, and mustard. Set aside. Pound the steaks thin, then sprinkle both sides with salt and pepper and set aside at room temperature for 15-30 minutes.
2. Add 2 tbsp butter to a skillet over medium-high heat. Pat the steaks dry with a paper towel. Turn the heat up to high, and sear the meat for 1-2 minutes, then turn and sear the other side. Remove to a cutting board, tent with foil, and let the steaks rest.
3. In the skillet, sauté the shallots on medium-high heat, stirring a few times. Add the mushrooms, garlic, and remaining tbsp of butter to the pan. Stir, mixing well and stirring until the mushrooms release their liquid and the liquid evaporates (about 2 minutes). Remove pan from heat, then add the brandy and carefully light with a match to flambé. Continue to cook, lightly shaking the pan by the handle to stir until the flame dies down.
4. Stir in the broth mixture and bring to a boil. Cook until thickened (about 2-3 minutes), stirring often. Stir in the cream and add the steaks and any accumulated juices to the pan and cook, turning the steaks in the sauce until warmed through and the sauce has thickened. Transfer the steaks to serving plates. Stir the parsley and chives into the sauce, and pour the sauce over the steaks to serve.

Enjoy!



Sea Breeze

2 oz Gin
1/4 oz grenadine
3 oz Fresh pink grapefruit juice, to top
In a highball glass, add the gin and grenadine and stir. Add ice and top with pink grapefruit juice.



Memorial Day 2020

“Justice will not be served until those who are unaffected are as outraged as those who are”
Benjamin Franklin

Colonial
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Grab and Go Meals resume today! 3 Breakfast and 3 Lunch meals per child under 18 at no cost! Times and locations have been updated so please visit <http://www.colonialschooldistrict.org/covid-19-food-resources/> for info!

Garden of the Week



Amstel House garden



GRAB & GO MEALS TODAY!

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(a total of 6 meals per child)

End of Year Senior Events.

The week of June 16th graduates will return to William Penn or Wallin to receive their diploma, cap and gown, senior t-shirt, and graduation program. Information about the diploma distribution and yearbooks will be forthcoming. Please use this form- <https://form.jotform.com/201145961800044> to order your t-shirt and cap and gown size.

Please visit William Penn and Wallin Websites for more detailed information.

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31	☀️	5:37am	🌙	8:23pm
1	☀️	5:36am	🌙	8:24pm
2	☀️	5:36am	🌙	8:24pm
3	☀️	5:36am	🌙	8:25pm
4	☀️	5:35am	🌙	8:26pm
5	☀️	5:35am	🌙	8:26pm
		Full moon		
6	☀️	5:35am	🌙	8:27pm



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Reedy Point Tides				
31	🌙	01:43 AM	0.7	21
		07:08 AM	5.8	177
Su		02:23 PM	0.3	9
		07:53 PM	5.7	174
1	🌙	02:49 AM	0.5	15
		08:12 AM	5.7	174
M		03:19 PM	0.1	3
		08:51 PM	6.0	183
2	🌙	03:52 AM	0.3	9
		09:13 AM	5.7	174
Tu		04:13 PM	0.1	3
		09:46 PM	6.3	192
3	🌙	04:53 AM	0.1	3
		10:11 AM	5.7	174
W		05:07 PM	0.0	0
		10:39 PM	6.5	198
4	🌙	05:51 AM	0.0	0
		11:06 AM	5.6	171
Th		05:59 PM	0.0	0
		11:30 PM	6.6	201
5	🌙	06:45 AM	-0.1	-3
		11:59 AM	5.6	171
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6	🌙	12:19 AM	6.6	201
		07:38 AM	-0.1	-3
Sa		12:50 PM	5.5	168
		07:39 PM	0.2	6



*Try to be a
rainbow in
someone else's
cloud.
Amaya Angelou*

