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June 21, 2015

NEW CASTLE TURNS OUT FOR FOX

Some of the New
Castle **Bike Rangers**on the **Tour de Fox**at the Delaware
State line on Rt 52
last Sunday.
Brunching, tending
bar and tipping at
BBC Tavern and
Grill, the New Castle
contingent enjoyed
a Foxy brunch. All



the tips to your favorite bartender went to raise money for Team Fox.





A \$500,000 USDA Grant and Continued Safe Drinking Water for the City of New Castle

The Municipal Services Commission (MSC) has been awarded a \$500,000 Emergency & Imminent Community Water Assistance Grant (ECWAG) from the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development office. The funds will

be utilized by the Water Department to pay for the costs associated with the shut down of the City of New Castle's wells in August 2014 and the construction of a carbon filtration system. The permanent treatment facility is currently under construction with an expected completion timeframe of early September 2015. Samples are taken monthly of the City's water and the results show the temporary carbon filtration system is successfully removing the Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) contaminants from the water. The MSC will continue to monitor the water to ensure safe drinking water for its customers. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your drinking water please feel free to contact the MSC at 302-323-2330.

this week in HISTORY

- **21** *Cyrus McCormick* patents the reaping machine. 1834, The envelope folding machine was patented by *Dr. Russell L. Hawes.* 1853, *Andrew Lanergan* received the first rocket patent. 1859, *Tiny Broadwick* becomes first woman to parachute from an airplane. 1913, *Pan Am* announced an 88-hour round-the-world flight at a cost of \$700. 1945
- **22** Doughnuts are created. 1847, Congress created the Dept. of Justice. 1870, Joe Louis knocked out Germany's Max Schmeling in the first round, in a bout at Yankee Stadium. 1938, Eddie Lubanski rolled 24 consecutive strikes in a bowling tournament. 1959 the same year that The Battle of New Orleans, by Johnny Horton, was #4. Eastman Kodak Company announced that it would discontinue sales of the Kodachrome Color Film. 2009
- **23** William Penn signed a friendship treaty with Lenni Lenape Indians. 1683, America's first balloonist, was a teenager, 13-year-old Edward Warren, who soloed in a 35-foot diameter hot-air balloon held in place from the ground with a tether. 1784, US Secret Service is created. 1860, Christopher Latham Sholes received a patent for

an invention that he called a "Type-Writer." 1868, Wiley Post and Harold Gatty took off on the first round-the-world flight in a single-engine plane, the "Winnie Mae". 1931, The first celebrity cover girl to grace "Cosmopolitan" magazine since Elizabeth Taylor in 1969 was Madonna. 1983

- **24** New Jersey, named after the Isle of Jersey, was founded. 1664, *Mark Twain* received a U.S. patent for a self-pasting Scrapbook. His invention was to coat the pages of the scrapbook with mucilage or adhesive. 1873, *John F. Kennedy* and *Jacqueline Bouvier* announced their engagement. 1953
- **25** First recorded monthly *Quaker meeting* in US held, Sandwich, Mass. 1672, *John Tyler* took *Julia Gardiner* as his bride, thus becoming the first President to marry while in office. 1844, *Lt Colonel George Custer* and the 7th Cavalry are wiped out by Sioux and Cheyenne Indians at the Battle of Little Big Horn. 1876, *First color TV broadcast*-CBS' Arthur Godfrey. 1951, The *Guess Who* received a gold record for their hit single, *These Eyes.* 1969
- **26** The bicycle was patented by *W.K. Clarkson, Jr.* 1819, Congress enacted the *first pure food law.* 1848, The *St. Lawrence Seaway* is opened. 1959, ◆Mr. Tambourine Man, by *The Byrds*, reached the number

one spot on the pop music charts. 1965, *Frank Robinson* hits 2 grand slams. 1970

27 New York and Boston were linked by telegraph wires. 18847, ♣ Happy Birthday to You was first sung. 1859, The Federal Savings and Loan Association is created. 1934, ♣ Captain Video and His Video Rangers premiered on the Dumont Television Network. 1949, Jackie Gleason received gold record honors. ♣ Music, Martinis and Memories and "Music for Lovers Only" 1964, Ernest Borgnine and Ethel Merman were married. It only lasted 38 days. 1964

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A new antique store is nesting at **200 Delaware Street**

Watch the excitement unfold via Facebook and Instagram!

Grand Opening details to come!

www.facebook.com/HedgeAppleAntiques https://instagram.com/hedgeappleantiques

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE

Laborer Full-time for City of New Castle. Position includes, but is not limited to, garbage collection, operation of various equipment, street maintenance, snow removal, etc.

Certified mechanic a plus but not required.

Applicant is required to lift 55 lbs, pass pre-employment background check, drug screen and possess a valid driver's license and satisfactory record. \$13.16 an hour, plus excellent benefits.

Interested candidates should apply in person M-F, 9am-3:30pm, at 220 Delaware St, New Castle, DE or contact Theresa Simmons @ 302-322-7489. EOE



Date	Opponent	Time	Broadcast	
Sun, 6/21	Cardinals	1:35p	CSN	
Mon, 6/22	@ Yankees	7:05p	CSN	
Tue, 6/23	@ Yankees	7:05p	CSN	
Wed, 6/24	@ Yankees	1:05p	NBC 10	
Fri, 6/26	Nationals	7:05p	CSN	
Sat, 6/27	Nationals	3:05p	CSN	
Sun, 6/28	Nationals	1:35p	CSN	
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Happy Cobblestone Birthday

Mon 6-22 Nancy Butler - Claudia Griffins
Tues 6-23 Jim Workman Wed 6-24 Donna Harding
Thurs 6-25 Ingrid Andrews - Gabe Phillips - Kodi James
FTI 6-26 David Stracke Mon 6-29 Rainy Peden - Michaele Pullan
Anniversary Marcia & Bill Quillen Sat 6-27

13th. Anniversary Sara & Gabe Phillips Mon 6-15

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

Notables this week **21**st Summer Solstice (12:38 pm), Go Skateboarding Day, Natl Selfie Day Jane Russell*94 (2011), Maureen Stapleton*90 (2006). Meredith Baxter-68, Michael Gross-68 **22nd** Baby Boomer's Recognition Day, John Dillinger*112 (1934), Bill Blass*93 (2002), Ralph Waite*87 (2014), Kris Kristofferson-79, Meryl Streep-66, Lindsay Wagner-66 **23rd** June Carter Cash*86 (2003), Wilma Rudolph*75 (1994), Clarence Thomas-67 **24th** Jack Dempsey*120 (1983), Mick Fleetwood-68, Michele Lee-73, George Pataki-70, Ellison Onizuka*69 (1986), died in Challenger Space Shuttle, Sherry String field-48 **25th** Day of The Seafarer, Global Beatles Day, Rose O'Neill*136 (1944), created Kewpie Dolls, George Orwell*112 (1950), June Lockhart-90, Carly Simon-70, Jimmie Walker-67 **26th National Canoe** Day, Take Your Dog To Work Day, Abner Doubleday*196 (1893), Pearl S. Buck*123 (1973), Tom Parker*106 (1997), Roy Plunkett*105 (1994), invented Teflon, George Michael-52, Chris O'Donnell-45 27th PTSD Awareness Day, ARRL Field Day, Helen Keller*135 (1968), Willie Mosconi*102 (1993), Bob "Captain" Kangaroo" Keeshan*88 (2004), H. Ross Perot-85, Julia Duffy-64



The **Del. Accordion Club** welcomes the seasoned and the starter musician...young and old. They meet every 3rd Sunday of the month.

Next Meeting June 21 - Father's Day

River Club Apts 7807 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont Info:, call "Accordion Joe" Oberly, 302-388-0471

► <u>www.DelawareAccordionClub.com</u>

See the New Castle Weekly for Full Schedules

Mon 6/22 City Council SPECIAL Meeting 6:30pm Mon 6/22 Planning Commission Meeting (3rd floor) 6:30pm Thurs 6/29 Municipal Services Comm. Meeting 4pm

Tues 7/7 TRUSTEES Meeting 6:30pm
Thurs 7/9 Historical Area Commission Meeting 6:30pm
Tues. 7/14 City Council Meeting 7pm

▶ http://newcastlecity.delaware.gov/



Where Friends Gather'

▶ New Castle Senior Center

Our Senior Center

MON 6/22 11 Lunch Out Cheesecake Factory TUES 6/23 12:30 Food Distribution

WED 6/24 10 Blood work-Lab 12:30 Woodside Farm Creamery

THURS 6/25 12-3 Stand by Me Financial Coach (time change for this month) 12:30 Shop Rite FRI 6/26 12:20 Dollar Store

TUES

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

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

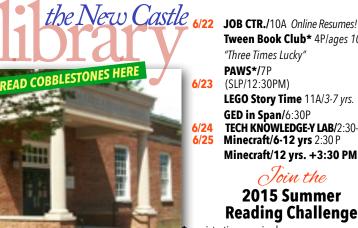
THUR

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

9:30 Park Walk 9:30 Knit/Crochet 10 Bingo 10 Mah Jongg 10:30 Beginner's/ Arthritis Exercise 12 Lunch

Your **Senior Center** is open on Thursday nights until 7pm



Tween Book Club* 4P/ages 10-14

"Three Times Lucky"

PAWS*/7P (SLP/12:30PM)

LEGO Story Time 11A/3-7 yrs. GED in Span/6:30P

TECH KNOWLEDGE-Y LAB/2:30-4:30P Minecraft/6-12 yrs 2:30 P

Minecraft/12 yrs. +3:30 PM

Join the 2015 Summer **Reading Challenge**

registration required

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www.nccdelib.org/newcastle

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



BICYCLE PATROL OFFICERS MAKE A DRUG ARREST IN BATTERY PARK

Last Wednesday evening the New Castle City Police arrested a Wilmington area man on drug possession charges. Seasonal Police Officers observed a vehicle in the Battery Park parking lot on South Street around 9:15PM. The officers detected an odor of marijuana emanating from that vehicle. After a search of the car, officers recovered 13 baggies of heroin, drug paraphernalia and a small amount of Marijuana. Raheem B. Newman, 25, of the 900 block of Clifford Brown Walk was charged with Possession of Heroin and Marijuana, as well as Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Newman was released on unsecured bond pending a court hearing.

Cobblestones hears COOPER was an important team member that night!

The First Father's Day

Sonora Louise Smart Dodd of Spokane, Washington, came up with the idea of a day to honor fathers in 1909. Her own father, William Smart, was a Civil War veteran whose wife had died in childbirth. Dodd thought about the difficulties her father had faced as he struggled to raise his six motherless children on a farm in eastern Washington, and she set her mind to honoring all fathers. She approached local churches, and on Sunday, June 19, 1910, Spokane ministers celebrated the first Father's Day by reminding their congregations of the appreciation fathers deserve and the duties fathers owe to their families.

In 1916 President Woodrow Wilson took part in a Father's Day celebration by pressing a button in the White House that unfurled a flag in Spokane. In 1924 Calvin Coolidge recommended the widespread observance of the holiday to honor dads and "impress upon fathers the full measure of their obligations."

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.

July 15 Fort Delaware w/lunch at Crabby Dick's (senior center bus). 9:15-1:30 Cost-\$12 for bus and admission. Lunch is on your own.

August 5 Rainbow Dinner Theatre to see "Too Many Cooks" 9:30-5 Cost-\$70 includes show, lunch, gratuity, bus and driver's tip. Alcoholic drinks are not included. This trip is full. Waiting list only.

Sept. 16 St. Michael's, Md: 8:30-5 Cost-\$32 includes bus and driver's tip.

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Ingredients serves 5-6

1 lb ground beef •1 lb ground pork • 1 c. Pancetta • 1/2 c. red wine i½ c. white wine ■3 garlic cloves (minced) ■1 medium yellow onion (minced) 1 carrot (shredded) 1 celery stalk (minced) 1/4 tsp salt

- ■1 tbsp tomato paste ■2 14 ounce cans whole peeled tomatoes
- ■1 28 ounce can of crushed tomatoes ■1 c. vegetable stock ■1 1/4 c. heavy cream •1 tsp cocoa powder •1 lb pasta (fettuccine please)

directions

- 1. Crumble ground beef and pork into your slow cooker.
- 2. Stir together red wine, white wine, vegetable stock, heavy cream, salt, and cocoa powder in a separate bowl. Then add these ingredients to the meat.
- 3. Add whole tomatoes, crushed tomatoes, and tomato paste to the slow cooker.
- 4. Mince carrots, celery, yellow onion, garlic and add them to the slow cooker.
- 5. Add the pancetta to the rest of your ingredients.
- 6. Set your slow cooker to low for 9 hours.
- 7. Cook pasta to your liking then add the Bolognese sauce. Molto delizioso!



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Gather up

2 Celery ribs • 2 strips thick cut bacon • ½ tsp chili powder 2 tsp brown sugar

Cocktail

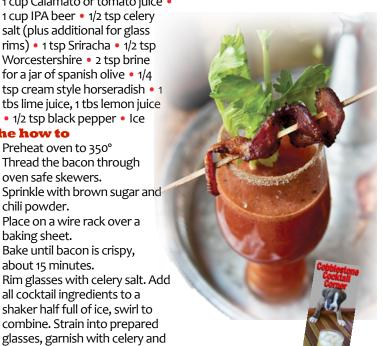
1 cup Calamato or tomato juice • 1 cup IPA beer • 1/2 tsp celery salt (plus additional for glass rims) • 1 tsp Sriracha • 1/2 tsp Worcestershire • 2 tsp brine for a jar of spanish olive • 1/4 tsp cream style horseradish • 1 tbs lime juice, 1 tbs lemon juice 1/2 tsp black pepper
 Ice

The how to

bacon skewer.

Preheat oven to 350° Thread the bacon through oven safe skewers. Sprinkle with brown sugar and chili powder. Place on a wire rack over a baking sheet. Bake until bacon is crispy, about 15 minutes. Rim glasses with celery salt. Add all cocktail ingredients to a shaker half full of ice, swirl to combine. Strain into prepared

with **Chili Sugar Bacon**





Billowing sails will waft in the breeze for four days when this traveling

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New Castle Senior Center's A packed Jessop's Tavern was the scene for the NC Senior Center's first Guest Bartender Nite last Thursday. The sense of community was evident. Thanks to all for your tips, your laughter, and your help in insuring this was a great night.









Bill, Mike and Ted look'n pretty natural behind the bar!



Terry asks "May I see some ID?







Ted & Kat get wenched.

Natalie 2-fisted?

Di giving Bill pointers.



Kim & Gary enjoying the evening







Joe asks "Who's pouring?

Jason, Jeff & Lew serving brews like pros



Connie and Don savor the moment



Dominic has his spot



The Anniversary Couple



Michelle relaxing

Garden Party

Another great party for the history books!

Congratulations to Bridgewater Jewelers winner of this year's Bamberger Award for Historic Preservation for the exterior restoration of their store on 4th & Delaware Streets.







Bob Poskitt, Mike, Nancy Jodlbauer, Bob Fleck, and Dick Cooch

Barbra and Jim Whisman



Linda Ratchford and Mike sharing a light moment



Debbie Keese, Cindy and Gail Seitz



Dawn Kackley, Mike, Teel Petty, Susan Hannell



City of New Castle Delaware Request for Proposals

RFP 2015-03

Final Design and Construction Phase Services New Castle Waterfront Redevelopment Project

NOTICE

The City of New Castle will accept proposals from engineering firms for Final Design and Construction Phase Services for the New Castle Waterfront Redevelopment Project. The selected firm will complete the design, prepare documents for bidding and construction, and provide construction phase services for building of a new pier, dock, and fender piles and placement of wave attenuators. Proposals will be received by the City of New Castle Building Official, New Castle Public Services, Trolley Barn, 900 Wilmington Road, New Castle, DE 19720-3638 until 2p.m., Wednesday, July 1, 2015.

Qualified applicants should contact Jeff Bergstrom, City of New Castle Building Official at 322-9813 or Jeff@newcastlecity.org to request a copy of the complete Request for Proposals including preliminary plans and permitting documentation. Potential bidders must register as an interested party.



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The Volunteer Ambassadors of First State National Historical Park are looking for a few good citizens! "Recruitment for new ambassadors is key to our continued success in spreading the word about our new national park and in providing service in important ways to Old New Castle and to the park service" says Debbie Keese, the volunteer coordinator of the group.

The training for new Volunteer Ambassadors in Old New Castle will be held as a twosession workshop on:

Mon., June 29th - 6 to 7:30 pm Wed., July 1st - 6 to 8:00 pm

at the

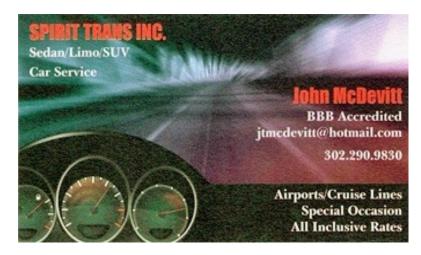
Court House Museum at 204 Delaware St. in Old New Castle.



Volunteers need to attend both sessions in order to learn about our fascinating history and how to use it. Further opportunities to expand your knowledge, like walking tours and free museum tours for Ambassadors, will be offered at a later time.

Please put these dates and times on your calendar for now and RSVP to Debbie by June 24: dparuszewski@hotmail.com or call 302 369-9128 and leave a message.





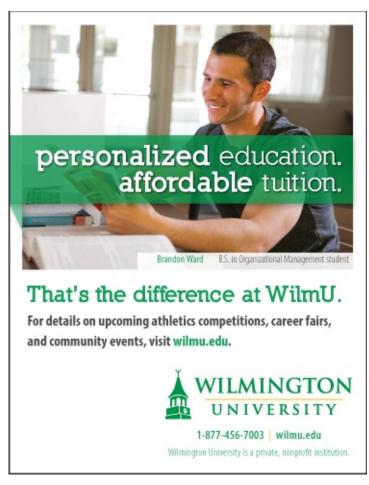


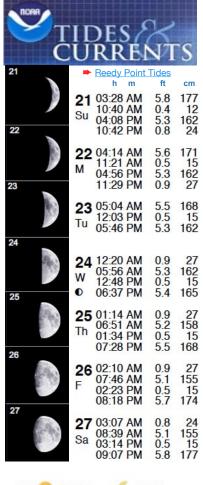
66Blooms and bees , going to be a good year for the garden 🤧

New Castle master gardener says it's going to be a bumper crop this year! At presstime - "a good batch of cucumbers."











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July 8th - Newark Community Band July 29th - Zydeco a Go Go
July 15th - Special Delivery August 5th - Chesapeake Silver Cornet Brass Band
July 22nd - Brixton Saint August 12th - The Big Package

For more info, go to HistoricNewCastle.com, or email NewCastleCommunityPartnership@gmail.com







6/17 NCHS Annual Garden Party 6/18 Guest Bartender @ Jessop's

6/18-21
Firefly Music Festival
6/25-28
Tall Ships Festival

7-4
Let Freedom Ring
Nat'l Bell Ringing
8-29
Delaware
Burger Battle
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Wharf Dance 9-26 Art on the Greene

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