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June 28, 2020



Concerts in the park

and eat in the park. In- the only facilities available close at dusk.

Here is the line-up for the bands:

July 1st - Late For Dinner July 8th - Stone Shakers Band July 15th - Jimmie's Tribute Band July 22nd - Jimmy Pritchard July 29th - Blue Cat Blues - August 5th - Zydeco-A-Go-Go

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<https://www.facebook.com/NewCastleCommunityPartnership/>

The New Castle Community Partnership and the New Castle Jaycees proudly present the Historic New Castle Summer Concert Series. We are excited to get the series started on Wednesday, July 1 in Battery Park from 6:30 - 8 pm. Due to COVID-19 and the State of Delaware regulations we need to adhere to all requirements for outdoor events. Masks and social distancing must be followed even in the park during the concerts. For the initial concerts we are asking everyone to follow the premade social distancing parameters (spray painted boxes) on the grass. This will allow for the appropriate social distancing from others. If coming with a larger group, please spread out in a few of the premade "boxes". And masks must be worn at all times except once you are comfortably settled within your "box". Though upon leaving your "box" your mask must be on.

Initially we will not be having any food trucks or food offerings, but you can visit our local restaurants for take out addition we will have no porta potties, will be the park restrooms, but they do



BELLS WILL RING



However, like so many other events, there will not be a church service or children ringing the bell this year.

this week in HISTORY

28 Mary "Molly Pitcher" Hays McCauley, wife of an American artilleryman, carried water to the soldiers during the Battle of Monmouth. 1778, **Tomato** is proven nonpoisonous. 1820, **R. W. Wood** was appointed as the first Surgeon General of the Navy. 1869, The "Quiz Kids" was heard on NBC radio for the first time. 1940, **Amos 'n' Andy** moved to CBS-TV. 1951

29 Shakespeare's **Globe Theater** burns down. 1613, The Virginia constitution was adopted and **Patrick Henry** was made governor. 1776, **Frederick Treves** performed the first appendectomy. 1888, **Juicy Fruit** chewing gum was trademark registered. 1915, **Joe DiMaggio** got a base hit in his 41st consecutive game. 1941

30 French acrobat **Blondin** crosses over the Niagara Falls on a tightrope. 1859, **Radio Corporation of America** founded. 1921, **John Bardeen, Walter Brattain,** and **William Shockley** demonstrate their invention, the transistor, for the first time. 1948, **Alfred Hitchcock's** film, **Psycho**, opens. 1960, **I Can't Stop Loving You** by **Ray Charles** topped the charts. 1962

1 **England** and **Scotland** signed the peace of Greenwich. 1543, US **postage stamps** went on sale for

the first time. 1847, The first day's fighting at **Gettysburg** began. 1863, Teddy Roosevelt and his **Rough Riders** waged a victorious assault on San Juan Hill in Cuba. 1898, **Bulova Watch Co** pays \$9 for first ever network TV commercial. 1941, **ZIP codes** go into use. 1963

2 The first motion in the **Continental Congress** for independence was made on June 8th. After hard debate, the Congress voted unanimously (12-0), but secretly, for independence from the Kingdom of Great Britain on July 2, 1776, **B.J. Lane** patented the gas mask. 1850, **President Garfield** is shot. His struggle to survive lasted 80 days until his death on September 19th. 1881, Congress established the **Army Air Corps**. 1926

3 The first cultivated **strawberry** is displayed by **Michael Kent** 1806, Confederate forces attack the center of the Union line at **Gettysburg**, but fail to break it. 1863, **John Wise** flies the first dirigible in Lancaster, PA 1878, Congress created the **Veterans Administration**. 1930, **Chic Young's** comic strip character, **Blondie** was first heard on CBS radio. 1939, **I Can't Help Myself (Sugar Pie Honey Bunch)** by the **Four Tops** topped the charts. 1965

4 The amended **Declaration of Independence**, prepared by **Thomas Jefferson**, was approved and signed by **John Hancock**, the President of the Continental Congress.

1776, the cornerstone for the **Washington Monument** was laid. 1848, Vicksburg, MS, surrendered to Gen. **Ulysses S. Grant**. 1863, At **Mount Rushmore**, George Washington's face was dedicated. 1934, **Casey Kasem** hosted radio's **American Top 40** for the first time. 1970, After being displayed or over a century, the torch on the **Statue of Liberty** is removed so it can be replaced. 1984

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NASCAR schedule

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| 6/10 Blue-Emu 500 | Martin Truex Jr. |
| 6/14 Dixie Vodka 400 | Denny Hamlin |
| 6/21 GEICO 500 | Talladega 3p |
| 6/27 Pocono Organics 325 | Pocono Raceway 3:30p |
| 6/28 Pocono 350 | Pocono Raceway 4p |



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Happy Cobblestone Birthday



Mon 6-29 **Rainy Peden** Wed 7-1 **Michelle White**

Thurs 7-2 **Audie Payton**

Sat 7-4 **Linda Ratchford** Sun 7-5 **Jim Travers**

Wed 7-8 **Astrid Robertson** ★ **Cindy Majewski** ★ **Pete Toner**

Thurs 7-9 **Prissy Christopher** ★ **Heather Shupe** ★ **Joe Spinelli**

Anniversaries

Tues 6-30 **Donna** & **Roy Sippel** 41st

Gloria & **Ken Ballinger** 8th ★ **Tina** & **Jeff Lank** 2nd

Tues 7-7 **Ginny** & **Stan Ramski** 36th

Birthday or Anniversary approaching?

Tell The Teditor flytedb13@comcast.net

Notable this week 28th America's Kids Day, Log Cabin Day Richard Rodgers*118 (1979), Mel Brooks-95, Pat Morita*88 (2005), Bruce Davison-75, John Elway-61, John Cusack-54 **29th Please Take My Children To Work Day** George W. Goethals*163 (1928), chief engineer fore the Panama Canal, Gary Busey-77, Richard Lewis-74, Sharon Lawrence-59 **30th Meteor Day** Susan Hayward*103 (1975), Lena Horne*103 (2010), Harry Blackstone, Jr.*85 (1997), Mike Tyson-53 **1st Creative Ice Cream Flavors Day** Olivia De Havilland 104, Jamie Farr-84, Dan Aykroyd-68, Princess Diana*59 (1997), Carl Lewis-59, Pamela Anderson-53 **2nd I Forgot Day, World UFO Day** Thurgood Marshall*111 (1993), Dave Thomas*87 (2002), founder of Wendy's, Richard Petty-83, Ron Silver*83 (2009), Luci Baines Johnson-73 **3rd Superman Day** George M. Coban*142 (1942), Ken Russell*93 (2011), Pete Fountain-90, Dave Barry-73, Montel Williams-64, Taylor Dayne-57 **4th International Cherry Pit Spitting Day** Calvin Coolidge*148 (1933) 30th U.S. President, Mitch Miller*109 (2010), Ann Landers*102 (2002), Abigail Van Buren*102 (2013), Gina Lollobrigida-93, Neil Simon*94 (2018), George Steinbrenner*91 (2010), Geraldo Rivera-77

LINUS *is* LION OF THE YEAR!



James A. "Jimmy" Linus on left, was named Lion of the Year and Henry "Hank" Chisholm was installed as the incoming President, on the right.



PID Ted Reiver presents PDG Dave Jones with the Delaware Lion of the Year plaque which was previously announced but not presented.



June at Our Senior Center

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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

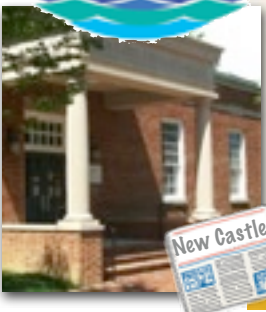
9-3 Billiards
9:30 Park Walk
11 Line Dancing
12 Lunch
1 A.B.C. Class

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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Hagley's reopening to the public, a Free Week at Hagley is being offered from **Monday, June 29**, through **Sunday, July 5**.

Free Week at Hagley allows guests to explore the outdoors with ample room for social distancing over Hagley's 235-acre property. Learn more at: <https://bit.ly/3fNJvIz>



FREE WEEK AT HAGLEY

DEVEILED EGG DIP



One packet (1 oz) Hidden Valley® Original Ranch® Dips Mix - 16 oz sour cream - 1 tbsp Dijon mustard - 1 cup crumbled hard-boiled egg - ¼ cup pickle relish - 1 tsp paprika - freshly ground black pepper, to taste

In a medium bowl, mix contents of dips packet with sour cream, then add remaining ingredients, stirring well to combine. Refrigerate 1 hour before serving.

FROZEN DESSERT SEASON IS HERE



There's no better way to cool off this summer than with these inventive popsicles. Make cocktail hour more fun by turning your booze into a pop



Like his namesake, *John Travolta* is a handsome big boy, topping off the scales at 11 pounds. He can be a little shy at first but grab a cat toy and he is your best friend for life. This sweet guy judges people by their ability to play a fun game. John is extremely friendly with people and has no problem sharing his space with other cats. Like all the cats six months or older at the BVSPCA, this superstar can be adopted for just \$4 through July 5th.. (Brandywine Valley SPCA, 600 South Street, New Castle, DE 302-516-1000, www.bvspca.org)



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• 6 wooden popsicle sticks

1. *Mix all ingredients together then evenly divide mixture into popsicle molds.*
2. *Chill popsicle molds in freezer for about 20 to 30 minutes or until liquid is slightly frozen.*
3. *Add wooden popsicle sticks and freeze overnight.*
4. *Run warm water over molds to loosen popsicles and serve.*

Happy Birthday Mary!

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APPLICATIONS DUE BY JULY 3, 2020
APPLY AT [TINYURL.COM/NCCYPB](https://www.tinyurl.com/nccypb)

Open to County residents ages 14 to 22. Parental consent required for those under 18. The program will be held remotely due to public health concerns. Meetings will take place from September 2020 to June 2021.

For more details, visit:
www.NewCastleDE.gov/2045/Youth-Planning-Board



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The New Castle County Youth Planning Board is a new opportunity for high school and college-aged students this upcoming school year (approximately Sept. '20 – June '21). The program is a collaboration between NCC Department of Land Use and community partners that will connect our youth to land use planning and development in the County, empower them to participate in that process, train them in the skills needed for engaging in public affairs, and help them develop a network of connections with other civic-minded people young and old.

Starting in September 2020, the Board will help update and contribute ideas to the County's 2022 Comprehensive Development Plan. Board members will meet once a month to engage with a variety of stakeholders and participate in activities that build planning knowledge and related skills, as well as foster professional development. In the first year of the program, the Board will be a platform for youth to have a say in the 10-year Comprehensive Plan and to learn more about civic engagement, local government, planning, and other aligned professions.

Applications are due July 3rd. More information is available at the YPB website: <https://www.nccde.org/2045/Youth-Planning-Board>.

Garden of the Week



Suskie Patio Visitor

This azalea in our backyard gets a double take from visiting friends, since we have no garden bed there for it to grow from. It's actually our neighbor's azalea and has been growing through the fence for years. Our neighbor has offered to cut it back, but we love it—a beautiful shrub with none of the work taking care of it! LS



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Astronaut Jim Lovell



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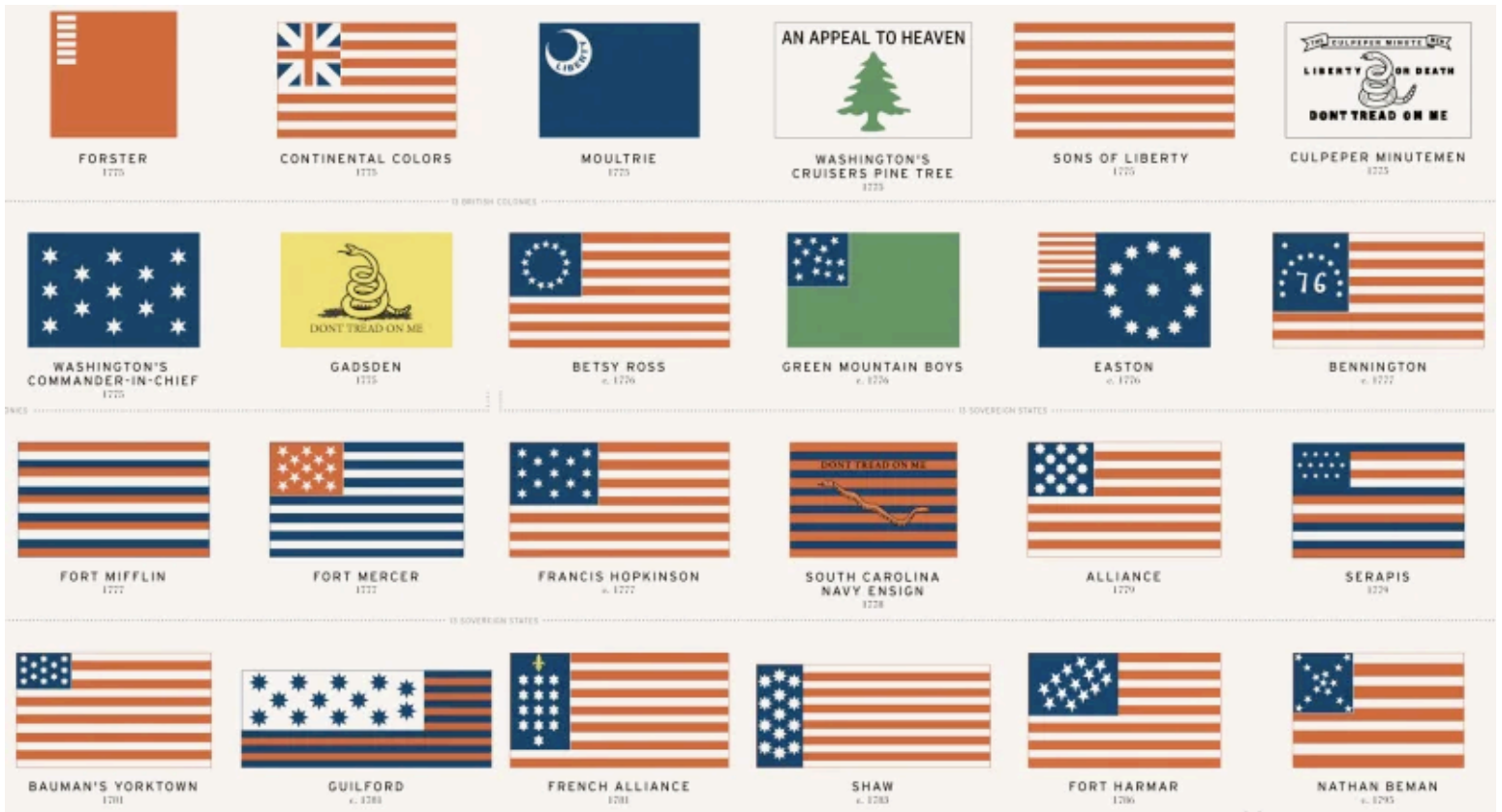
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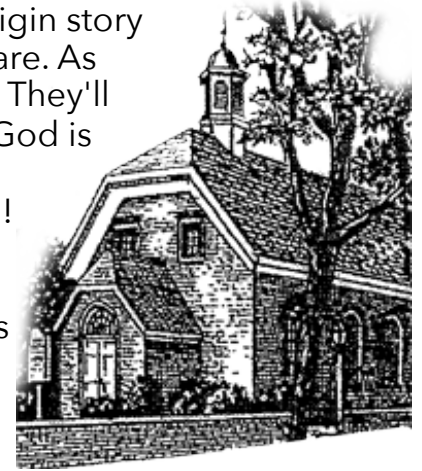
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ORIGIN STORY

For many years, New Castle Presbyterian Church has offered a five-night Vacation Bible School program for children to explore Bible stories through art, music, theater, and play. As with most events during this pandemic, church leaders made the decision to take this year's VBS virtual.

learners will gather each morning over zoom to hear the day's scripture lesson, engage through interactive activities and music, and then receive a challenge project for the day. In the realm of comic books, an origin story reveals how a character or a group of people became who they are. As Christians, the children will get to ask - "what is our origin story?" They'll explore how the stories in Scripture reveal who we are and who God is too.

Each day, they'll be reminded that, as Christians, they are... loved! called! courageous! joyful! and caring! The days' challenge projects will encourage them to live into and live out each of these qualities. If you'd like to register children between the ages of 4 and 10 for this virtual program, please visit www.newcastlepreschurch.org or call 328-3279 to receive the registration form.



The registration deadline is Monday, July 6.

TREASURE HUNTERS

Calling all treasure hunters! Arasapha Garden Club has received donations of home accent pieces that we are selling online. Join the online shopping trend and look at beautiful pieces you can get for a song. All proceeds benefit Arasapha's programs and historic gardens. The attached photos show just two of the charming items available.

To see what's available and choose what you'd like to buy, visit www.arasapha.org/onlinesale. Then either use the form on that web page or e-mail ArasaphaGarden@gmail.com with the number of the piece(s) you'd like to buy, how much you're willing to donate for each, and when you'd like to pick them up in Historic New Castle, Delaware.

Payment is due at pickup. Cash or checks preferred, but credit cards are accepted on request. Act quickly! The sale is open through July 30 or until we sell out, whichever comes first, with final pickup by August 1. And check back! We may be adding more items and/or reducing prices of unsold items.

Find unexpected plants, treasures, treats and bargains at Arasapha's May Market! May 7-8, 2021

www.arasapha.org/may-market