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We also want to thank the Municipal Services Commission and the Delaware Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs. Congratulations to the New Castle Courthouse and Museum for winning the Pumpkin Carving Contest with their "William Pennkin" entry.

Special thanks go to the many volunteers for their tireless efforts to make the event safe and fun. We also applaud the New Castle recreation bicycle riders who participated. Local businesses provided enthusiastic support by buying program ads, participating in the pumpkin decorating contest, supplying contest gifts and welcoming residents and visitors. Many local organizations and vendors also participated on the Green to make this free event for families festive and fun.

116 registered time trial racers



There were 21 racers from Delaware; 95 from out of state. Eight states were represented (Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Virginia, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and traveling the farthest to attend was Massachusetts).



▲ **Mimi Carpenter** and **Mayor Reese** have a chat during time trials.

Gov. Jack Markel (dark helmet) prepares to ride from Delaware City to New Castle.▶



130 riders partook in the inaugural recreation ride



Awaiting time trial starts

98

riders had
pre-registered.

Five states were represented with 23% riders from out of state.

101 riders were Delawareans.

10 riders came from Maryland,

New Jersey counted for 9, Pennsylvania had 8 riders and a pair came from Virginia



Musical entertainment sponsored by **Marling's**

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7 Weekold Killens
Brother & Sister



Sara Hutchinson reported that sister and brother found a good home together



Nearly **200 votes** were cast in the New Castle Business District Pumpkin Decorating Competition. The New Castle Court House Museum was selected as the winner by popular vote.

Children decorated **450 free pumpkins** on the Green in New Castle.



Arasapha garden club sold a variety of goods for the garden.



The winning **Court House** pumpkin ▲
 ▲ **Daisy** and **Glen** made good use of the shade to observe the festivities and food on The Green.



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beer kegs were tapped in Delaware City for the Craft Beer Festival.

