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New Castle City Public Safety
“Adopt a Family” and “Christmas for the Kids” Celebration

The New Castle City Police and Good Will Fire Company will be adopting two families from the City of New Castle as a part of the “Christmas for the Kids” annual event.

Criteria for families being adopted by the New Castle City Police and Good Will Fire Company:
• The family must reside within the corporate limits of the City of New Castle.
• The family must be nominated by a member of the community.
• The family must be in good standing with the community.

The NCCPS Adopted Families for Christmas will be funded by the donations raised in conjunction with the “Christmas for the Kids” celebration. The families chosen for adoption will be personally invited to the “Christmas for the Kids” celebration located at the Good Will Fire House.

Direct donations from the community will be accepted in form of a check or present/gift. The presents will primarily focus on the needs of the children in the family.

Please provide as much information about the family as possible when making the nomination.

Representatives of NCPD and GWFC will contact the families directly for detailed information once the families have been chosen.

Nominations can be made at the New Castle City Police Station or emailed to tina.shughart@cj.state.de.us.

Don’t forget to vote: Tuesday Nov. 6th

City News

The next Regular City Council meeting is 7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 13th at Town Hall

City offices will be closed on Tuesday, Nov. 6th for Election Day.
Tuesday’s trash will be picked up on Wed. Nov. 7th, and there will be no yard waste pick up that day.

City Offices will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday Thursday, Nov. 22nd & Friday, Nov. 23rd.
There will be No Recycle Pick-up on those days.
There will be City-Wide Recycle Pick-up on Wednesday, Nov. 21st, and no yard waste pick-up.

October/November Events

Friday, October 26th thru Sunday, October 28th
New Castle Welcomes back the Tall Ship A. J. Meerwald
Check the City website for tour and sailing info. www.newcastlecity.delaware.gov.

Friday, October 26th, 5:00-8:00 p.m.
Fourth Friday Art Loop. Sip and snack in New Castle’s Downtown District.

Saturday, October 27th - 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 28th - 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
St. Anne’s Guild Attic Treasurers Sale
Immanuel Parish Hall Harmony & The Strand
Call 328-2413 for info. on the sale or donating.

Saturday, October 27th - All Day
Courthouse Museum “William Penn Day”
Step back in time and experience New Castle in the time of William Penn. For reservations and information please call 302-323-4453

Saturday, October 27th - 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Good Will Fire Co. Open House. Come out as Good Will displays their station and apparatus. They will conducting a live fire demonstration at 1:15 p.m.

Tuesday, October 30th - 6:30 p.m.
New Castle Annual Halloween Parade
Parade lineup starts at 6:00 p.m. at St. Peters School parking lot. Cash Prizes. A New Castle Tradition Sponsored by the New Castle Lions Club.

Friday, November 2nd - 6:00 p.m. $25.00
Good Will Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary - Designer Handbag Bingo
Fun, food, 50/50’s, and designer handbags! Email emilymajew@gmail.com for info.

Saturday, November 10th - 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
New Castle United Methodist Church Fall Bazaar
510 Delaware St., parking behind church. Flea market, bake sale, vegetable soup sale, and lunch.

Thursday, November 15th - 7:00 p.m.
Community-Based NARCAN Access Program Class
Presented by the New Castle City Police, this class is open to individuals effected by the opioid epidemic. Call Judi at 302-322-9800 for information or to sign up for this class. Class is limited to 20 participants.

New Castle — The First Capital of the First State!
The most picturesque and historic waterfront community on the East Coast!
Time for a checkup
Our customers and community always come first! Here at the Municipal Services Commission of the City of New Castle we want to ensure that we are meeting your electric needs and providing our customers with the best service possible, we are conducting a

Customer Service Survey
OCTOBER 29 - NOVEMBER 9

*Randomly selected customers will receive a phone call from the Shpigler Group. Participation is voluntary.*

The New Castle City Police will be hosting a “Fraud and Scam Alert for Seniors” at the New Castle Senior Center, 400 South Street, on November 19th, 2018 at 10:00 am. The presentation will address specific frauds and scams that target senior citizens. There will be a question and answer period at the end of the presentation for anyone who feels that they have been scammed. Please contact Detective Tina Shughart at (302) 221-4559 or at tina.shughart@cj.state.de.us with any questions.

Protecting our state’s precious water begins with you...

Storm drains and roadside ditches lead directly to our streams, rivers, lakes and bays. So, any pollutants like oil, pet waste, leaves, grass clippings, trash, or dirty water from washing your car, or other outside activities that enter a storm drain eventually get into our state's precious waters.

How can You help? Follow these Simple Tips to help keep our water clean.

- Keep grass clippings off of sidewalks and streets.
- Use fertilizers and pesticides sparingly and sweep up any excess.
- Check your car for leaks, and recycle used motor oil.
- Take your car to a car wash, instead of washing it in your driveway.
- Pick up after your pet.
- Compost your yard waste.

Report illegal dumping or evidence of discharge of pollutants into storm drains:
Call: 302-322-9813 or Email: jeff@newcastlecity.org

Help Shape Your Town’s Future!

Don’t forget to complete the New Castle Comprehensive Plan Survey.

The survey is available until November 30th at www.newcastlecity.delaware.gov. It can also be accessed through the QR code above. Paper copies are available at the City Administration Building, the New Castle Public Library, and the New Castle Senior Center.