City News
The next Regular City Council meeting is 7 p.m., Tues., April 12th
NC Senior Center
400 South Street

IMPORTANT CODE REMINDER
Work done on your home may require a Building Permit from the City. Failure to get a permit could result in double fees. Any contractor doing work also needs to be licensed with the City. Call 302-322-9801 with any questions.

April & May Events

Friday, April 22nd - 6:00 p.m. New Castle Library - A Little Night Music: Notes in Time Presents "The Great American Songbook" Join musicians Jeff Cooper and Glenn Pearson -- better known as Notes in Time -- as they present an evening of standards from the Great American Songbook. This musical performance will be taking place in the library's rear garden (weather-permitting!), and is free, and open to the public.

Friday, April 22nd - 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Fourth Friday - Art Loop On the Fourth Friday of each month, walk through local galleries and shops. This month there will be a chance to take a sneak peek at the house at 400 Delaware Street. Before works starts, get a glimpse at the “before” of this future showcase house.

Saturdays at the Read House: Yoga in the Gardens Beginning on April 23rd, the Read House will be hosting Yoga in the Gardens every Saturday morning from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in partnership with PureYoga Studios. Call 302-225-YOGA to register or email info@pureyogapilatesstudio.com.

Saturday, May 7th 3 p.m. Talent in the Gardens George Read House Gardens The Miss Delaware Scholarship Organization will be hosting at 3 p.m. showcasing the talents of the candidates FREE to the public.

Friday, May 13th 6 - 10 p.m. (Rain date 5/14) New Castle Senior Center “Lucky of the Irish” Don’t miss this fundraiser to benefit the New Castle Senior Center. Music by Seven Rings will highlight this outdoor céilidh (Scottish/Gaelic word for gathering with music, singing, and dancing.) This event will be held in the parking lot. Cost-$25, cash or check.

Fiona’s Irish Fish and Chips food truck will be onsite. Cash bar (no outside beverages allowed.) For tickets or more information, contact Natalie, in person at the Senior Center, by phone at 302-326-4209 or via email at nkaplan@newcastleseniorcenter.com. Table seating with advanced reservation or bring your own chair!

Saturday, May 21st 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. - A Day in Old New Castle & The Kalmar Nyckel visit to Delaware Street Wharf. On Saturday, May 21st come to town for historical reenactments, kids activities, plundering pirates, colonial craftsmen, and musical performances. The City museums will be open, and you can tour beautiful homes and gardens that are rarely open. Tickets are available at www.historicnewcastle.com.

Looking ahead to Summer: The Kalmar Nyckel will be docking at the Delaware Street Wharf several times during the 2022 sailing season. For more information or to book a sail go to the City website www.newcastlecity.delaware.gov.

Summer Concerts in Battery Park Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Free to the Public. The Summer concerts are starting on June 15th with Ashley and the LimesTones with a mix of Classic Rock, R&B, Alternative, Blues.

New Castle — The First Capital of the First State! The most picturesque and historic waterfront community on the East Coast!
Applications are Available Now

The "Trustees of New Castle Common Scholarship Fund" was established in 1983 to support the higher education of eligible residents of the City of New Castle. The scholarships are awarded to full-time residents of the City of New Castle and are for undergraduate study only. High school seniors must provide an acceptance letter from a college or university to be considered for the Scholarship. If the applicant is a dependent, the parent must also be a resident of the City of New Castle.

A new applicant must be a senior in high school or a high school graduate who is entering an accredited undergraduate college or university as a full-time student in the coming Fall semester.

Previously funded applicants must complete another application at this time and provide an official Spring 2022 grade transcript prior to the July 1, 2022 deadline.

Application packets are available from the Trustees of New Castle Commons, 807 Frechtown Road, New Castle or online at www.trusteesncc.org. Mailing address: Trustees of the New Castle Common, P.O. Box 453, New Castle, DE 19720. Please call 322-2809 or email office@trusteesncc.org with any questions about the process or about residency in the City of New Castle.

Please note the application and all necessary information must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than July 1, 2022.

April 29th is the FINAL DAY to apply for the Over 65 or Disability Property Tax Exemption, or to return your annual audit letter. For more information or to schedule an interview please call Diane Delgado at 302-322-9804.

Trustees Scholarship Fund

Volunteers are needed! Colonial SD & William Penn are looking for volunteers to help with jobs such as guiding parking, manning the visitor’s tent, greeting visitors and more. Visit www.colonialschooldistrict.org/williampenn/the-wall-that-heals to sign up to volunteer and for complete information on the event. If you have questions about volunteering, contact Merlyn Burns merlyn.burns@colonial.k12.de.us. All other questions Nora Hutchinson nora.hutchinson@colonial.k12.de.us.

2022 Battery Park
Half-Day Summer Camp Program

Campers explore a new outdoor educational theme each week through a variety of supervised games, crafts, fitness, and nature activities and more. Other scheduled events are Water Battle Wednesdays on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Camp ends with an ice cream party every Thursday. Go to the City website for registration information or call New Castle County at (302) 395-5654.

- Ages 5-12
- Mon. – Thurs., 8:30 am.-12:30 p.m.
- June 21st – August 13th
- $40 per child per week