



City News

**The next Regular
City Council meeting
is 7 p.m.,
Tues., Dec. 10th at
N. C. Senior Center**

**Thanksgiving Week
Changes in Yard
Waste & Recycle
Schedule
Wed., Nov. 27th
City-Wide
Recycle Pick-Up**

**NO Yard Waste
Pickup
Thurs., Nov 28th &
Fri., Nov. 29th City
Offices Closed;
NO Recycle Pick up**

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**Help Decorate Historic New Castle at
Arasapha's Annual Wreath
Workshop!**

The Arsenal - 30 Market Street
• Thurs., Dec. 5th, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.
• Fri., Dec. 6th, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Help decorate over 100 wreaths that will adorn the New Castle Historic District's public buildings and businesses during the holiday season! No artistic talent needed! Bring garden clippers if you have them, and we'll show you what to do. Open Thurs. 12/5 11 AM-7 PM and Fri. 12/6 9 AM-12 noon at the Arsenal, 30 Market St. On Thursday evening and Friday, you can decorate a wreath for your home for only \$30. You can also help by dropping off evergreen clippings from your yard on Wed. 12/4 behind the Arsenal. More info: www.arasapha.org/holiday-greening



**23rd Annual Spirit of Christmas
Celebration**

Saturday, December 14, 2024

Location: Various Locations

Throughout Town

**Website: [https://
www.spiritofchristmasde.com/](https://www.spiritofchristmasde.com/)**

Experience the magic of the Spirit of Christmas on Saturday, December 14 in Historic New Castle—a day where history meets holiday wonder. From decorated homes to live music and a bustling marketplace, revel in the season while helping preserve the town's treasured past. For event information, visit our website: [https://
www.spiritofchristmasde.com/](https://www.spiritofchristmasde.com/) find us on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#) or contact us with any questions at info@spiritofchristmasde.com.

NOVEMBER DECEMBER EVENTS

Friday, November 22nd - 5:00p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Fourth Friday Art Loop. Sip and snack in New Castle's Downtown District. Get a jump on your holiday shopping then come back for Small Business Saturday.

Saturday, November 30th - Shop Small Saturday

Start your holiday shopping off right, by supporting our New Castle businesses. Local shops, services and restaurants offer unique gift ideas, and gift certificates.



Saturday, December 7th- 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Pancake Breakfast with Santa!

The Good Will Fire Company and the New Castle Hundred Lions Club are once again partnering to bring Breakfast with Santa to the community!



**Sunday, December 1st- 9:00 a.m.
check-in.**

**CCD's Holiday Race for Recovery
5k Walk Run**

CCD's Holiday Race for Recovery 5K is a family-friendly walk/run . We hope you will join us and come walk/run through the beautiful streets of Historic New

Castle to support a great cause!
Holiday attire is not required but is highly encouraged, so put on your favorite sparkly and jingly attire - ugly Christmas sweater, Santa hat, elf ears, and jingle bells! 'Tis the season to spread good cheer and be jolly for a reason! Bring a team of friends, family, and coworkers to run, walk, or volunteer...and be an ambassador of hope! 100% of the proceeds from this event will support CCD's adult recovery and community outreach programs. [https://runsignup.com/Race/DE/NewCastle/
CCDHoliday5K](https://runsignup.com/Race/DE/NewCastle/CCDHoliday5K)

New Castle – The First Capital of the First State!

The most picturesque and historic waterfront community on the East Coast!

Trustees Scholarship Fund Applications for Spring 2025 are Available Now



The "Trustees of New Castle Common Scholarship Fund" was established in 1983 for 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. Applicants 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 be a resident of the City of New Castle. A copy of an MSC bill is required as proof of residency.

A new applicant must be a high school graduate who is entering an accredited undergraduate college or university as a full-time student in the coming Spring 2025 semester. The application deadline is January 2, 2025.

Fall 2024 scholarship recipients only need to provide an official Fall 2024 grade transcript prior to the January 2, 2025 deadline. Current recipients do not need to provide any other information at this time.

Application packets are available from the Trustees of New Castle Common online at www.trusteesncc.org/grants. Completed packets can be returned online to office@trusteesncc.org or by mail to Trustees of New Castle Commons, 807 Frenchtown Road, New Castle, DE 19720. Completed applications can also be hand delivered to the same address Monday – Thursday, 10 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.

If you have any questions about the process or about residency in the City of New Castle, please call the Trustees office at 302-322-2809.

Please note that the application and/or all necessary information must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than January 2, 2025.

Trustee Community Grant Program

The Trustees of the New Castle Common have posted the 2025-2026 Grant Application on their Website: www.trusteesncc.org.

Organizations within the town of New Castle can apply for grants. The Trustees mission is to manage its resources "for the benefit of the citizens of New Castle." Citizens are defined as the residents of the incorporated area of the City.

Acoustic OPEN MIC NIGHT

Hosted by James and Charlottie
3rd Sunday every month

**Sunday
Nov. 17
6:00 – 8:30 PM**

Doors open at 6 PM
Shows starts at 6:30 PM

CASH ONLY

**\$5
ADMISSION**

Join us for an evening of entertainment with local artists!

- ✓ Musicians
- ✓ Poets
- ✓ Comedy

Upcoming Shows:
Dec. 15
Jan. 19
Feb. 16

All proceeds benefit Friendship House

Presbyterian Fellowship Hall
25 E. 2nd Street, New Castle, DE

If an organization has activities both inside and outside of the New Castle City limits, the Trustees can only support those activities within the City. Information and documentation provided must clearly indicate the location of services provided.

Remember! Your organization must complete and return the "Grant Request Application" to the Trustees of the New Castle Common by December 31, 2024.

TNCC Outreach Committee