



CITY NEWS

DELAWARE CITY, DELAWARE

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*We Wish You The Merriest of
Holidays and A Happy New Year*



Town Hall will be closed on Thursday & Friday, Nov. 24 & 25, and Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 26 & 27, and Monday, Jan. 2, 2012.

CHRISTMAS IN DELAWARE CITY

Both old and young are invited to this year's exciting festivities.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Black Friday Bonanza– Nov 25th all the Town's Shops downtown will be open at 6:00 AM!

December 10:

Breakfast with Santa - sponsored by the Delaware City Fire Company, will be held at the Fire House, 815 Fifth Street, from 8:00 AM until 11:00 AM. Children (ages 3-10) \$5.00 Adults \$8.00. Breakfast includes eggs, bacon, French toast, sausage, fruit cup/apple sauce, juice, coffee, milk and water. Arts and Crafts and a complimentary photo with Santa too!

Caroling - from 2 to 4 PM downtown in Merchants Row.

Santa Claus – Santa will be on the Sterling's Porch greeting all.

Parade– The Annual Christmas parade, sponsored by Main Street, will start at 6:00 PM. The parade route will start at Kathy's Crab House and continue down Clinton Street ending at Crabby Dicks.

Fire Hall– Immediately after the parade a party for the children will be held at the Fire Hall.

Crabby Dicks– A Christmas party and silent auction for Delaware City Day will be held at Crabby Dicks after the parade from 8:00 PM until...

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU

Have you seen the 13 beautiful evergreen Christmas Trees planted in the new planters at the entrance to Battery Park? They were donated to Delaware City by McCarthy Christmas Tree Farm, 1061 Dutch Neck Road in Middletown. Visit them and show your appreciation.

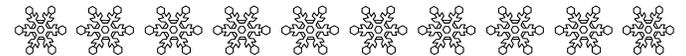


HOLIDAY TRASH COLLECTION

Trash and recyclables will be collected on Monday, December 26, 2011 and Monday, January 2, 2012.

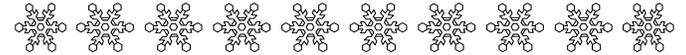
CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

The yard waste program of Delaware City includes the recycling of Christmas trees. Please place your tree near your recyclables on trash pick up days. Please have all objects, **including tinsel**, removed from the tree.



Sidewalk Snow Removal

Although it is still warm out, please be reminded that property owners are responsible for proper maintenance of the sidewalks. This includes snow removal. Please ensure that pedestrians can safely travel on all sidewalks.



SANTA & MRS. CLAUS

Santa and Mrs. Claus can also be seen visiting Merchants Row on November 25th from 11 AM to 2 PM and December 3rd and 10th from noon to 3 PM. This event sponsored by the Delaware City Merchants will have free picture opportunities with Santa and Mrs. Claus.

STOCKING STUFFERS

The Reedy Point Players will perform the production of *Stocking Stuffers* at the Delaware City Community Center (5th & Bayard) on December 15-17 at 7:30 PM and December 18th at 2:00 PM. Thursday the 15th all tickets are \$5.00. For all other performances the tickets will be \$10.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children, seniors and military.



MAKE CHRISTMAS MERRY...for the patients of Governor Bacon. Bring a gift to Delaware City Town Hall, 407 Clinton Street, now through December 16th and it will be delivered to Governor Bacon. Some suggestions are: snuggies, slipper socks with grips, sugar free candy-soft chew, pajamas, throw blankets, button down sweaters, large print puzzle books, coloring books, crayons. For more information contact Pam at 757-1926 or Betty at 650-6374.

HOLIDAY HERO MAILING

Drop off cards, letters of appreciation, non-perishable items like puzzles, phone cards, games, magazines, cigars, gum, etc. at the Delaware City Fire Company, 815 Fifth Street or Odessa Fire Company, 304 Main Street, Odessa. Drop off your donations between now and December 1st and give back to our troops who serve our country. For more information email cdennis@dcfc15.com or ret1979@verizon.net.

TRASH AND RECYCLING CARTS

Property owners are responsible to keep track of their trash and recycling carts. Please make a note of your cart numbers and when you take in your carts after trash and recycling pick up make sure you are retrieving the correct cart number.

All carts should be placed by the curb for pickup no sooner than 15 hours before the Monday morning 7AM pick-up. All carts should be removed from the curb and brought to the **back of the property** by 6:00 AM Tuesday morning.

FENCES

Mayor and Council adopted an ordinance in 2008 relating to the installation of fences. The ordinance requires that a permit or other written approval of the City must be granted prior to the construction, alteration, replacement, or removal of any fence, wall, or enclosure in the city. To read the entire ordinance come to Town Hall or visit the Town's website at www.delawarecity.delaware.gov.

Delaware City Day Committee are looking for volunteers. Come join the fun in planning the City's biggest event. Meetings are held the 2nd Thursday from 6-7:30 PM at Town Hall.

HOLIDAY MESSAGE FROM MAYOR JOHN BUCHHEIT:

I am honored to serve the people of Delaware City. I would like to thank the many people and organizations who have worked hard to make Delaware City a better and safer place to live, work, and play. I am excited to see the new direction our City has taken. By working together we are moving in great strides to see our Community become a model Community in the State. I hope to see this growth continue into the New Year and welcome all to get involved in our Community. I wish everyone a Happy and Safe Holiday Season.

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