



CITY NEWS

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ELECTION RESULTS

Delaware City held their elections on Tuesday, April 2, 2013. Congratulations to the new Mayor Stanley E. Green and to the newly elected Council Members John P. Buchheit, III and Bob Malinowski. They will serve for two years. They were sworn in on Thursday, April 11, 2013.

Thanks to Jenn Sullivan for her service as a Council Member.

DELAWARE CITY DAY...

Mark your calendars!! Delaware City Day is Saturday, July 20, 2013. Anyone interested in volunteering for the best Delaware City Day ever, contact Dick Cathcart at 834-4573. Meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month at Town Hall at 6 PM.

ALL RESIDENTS EAST of FIFTH STREET will need a RESIDENTS' PARKING PERMIT!!!

East of Fifth Street will be closed to all traffic on Delaware City Day, July 20, 2013. All residents are asked to stop by Town Hall at 407 Clinton Street to obtain a **Free Parking Permit**. You will need to show your registration card for all vehicles in your household and a parking permit will be issued for all vehicles for free. Without a permit you will not be able to enter the City until after the fireworks. If you still have your parking permit placard from last year it is still good and you will **not** need to reapply.

DOG OWNERS... Delaware City has a law that dogs must be leashed when walking outside their yard for safety reasons. Please respect your neighbors and do not allow your dog to defecate on other's properties. Pick up your dogs' waste. There are "mutt mitts" in Battery Park for your convenience. Fines for not cleaning up after your dog could cost \$25 for 1st offense and \$50 for 2nd offense.

COLONIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM

A meeting on the School District referendum will be held at Gunning Bedford Middle School on Cox Neck Road on 5-13 at 7PM. Visit www.colonial.k12.de.us/community/information/referendum-2013 for information..

LIBRARY NEWS

The Delaware City Library Society Board of Directors appoints members to its board. If you would like to be considered for an appointment to the board, please obtain an application from the Delaware City Library. Completed applications should be returned to the library or mailed to: Delaware City Library, PO Box 541, Delaware City, DE 19706. If you have any questions, please contact Sheila Mikkelson, Library Director, 302-834-4148. The next board meeting is 5-15-13 at 6:30 and is open to the public.

Storytimes: May 2nd, 16th, and 18th at 11 AM and May 14th at 7 PM.

Job Center-May 21st from 6-8 PM

Reading Group— May 28th at 6:45 for a discussion of *The Glass Castle* by Jeanette Walls

Microsoft Word 2010 Computer Class— May 30th from 12:30-2:30. Registration is required. Call 834-4148.

EVENTS FOR MAY, JUNE & JULY

MAY

- 17 Haunted Town Tours
- 18-19 Escape from Fort Delaware Triathlon
- 25 Cruise Night with Cool Cars
- 27 American Legion Memorial Day Ceremony

JUNE

- 10 Delaware City Summerfest
- 14 Haunted Town Tours
- 22 Cruise Night with Cool Cars

JULY

- 12 Haunted Town Tours
- 20 DELAWARE CITY DAY
- 27 Cruise Night with Cool Cars

Watch for the City's updated website.....
www.delawarecity.delaware.gov . Coming soon!

HAZARDS AND CLIMATE CHANGE WORKSHOP

What do Delaware City, natural hazards, climate change, and dessert have in common? They are all going to be at the Community Center multi-purpose room on Wednesday, May 15th from 6-8 PM! Join us for a community engagement session about the Delaware City hazards and climate change planning process, including information on the new FEMA floodplain maps, sea-level rise inundation maps, and an interactive wii Table. Come enjoy dessert, stay as long as you wish, and see what the planning process has been all about! Questions? Contact wcarey@udel.edu.

DELAWARE CITY ACCEPTS CHARGE & DEBIT CARDS

Delaware City is now able to accept credit and debit cards! The ability to pay your water and taxes can be accessed through a link on the Town's website at www.delawarecity.delaware.gov; or you can come into Town Hall and have your card swiped. A \$6.00 fee will be attached to each transaction.

DELAWARE CITY FIRE COMPANY EVENTS

May 16—Sub Sale \$7, place order by 5-15
May 17—Country Line Dancing 7-11 PM, \$5

HYDRANT FLUSH TEST

The week of May 20th the hydrants will be flushed. Residents can expect some water discoloration and should avoid washing light colored clothes. Water in the system remains treated during the flushing but it is recommended that you open the COLD water taps until water runs clear. Avoid turning on hot water until water runs clear to prevent discolored water from getting into the hot water heater. The hydrant flushing program is performed every year and helps keep the distribution system clear of mineral deposits. It allows all fire hydrants to be tested and repaired if necessary. The flushing will be performed by employees of Artesian Water Company on behalf of the City.

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