

CITY NEWS

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June 18, 2012

DELAWARE CITY DAY

Delaware City Day is approaching quickly!!! It is on **Saturday**, **July 21**, **2012**. Plan on coming out for the 11:00 AM parade and spend the day. After the parade there will be children's entertainment and many vendors. There will also be musical entertainment, and of course the best fireworks in New Castle County will be at dusk! Anyone interested in helping make this the best Delaware City Day ever, contact Dick Cathcart at 834-4573.

ALL RESIDENTS EAST of FIFTH STREET **RESIDENTS'** need **PARKING PERMIT!!!** East of Fifth Street will be closed to ALL traffic after 6:00 PM on Delaware City Day, July 21, 2012 unless you have a parking permit. If you and your guests are already in town and parked before 6:00 PM you will be fine. resident who thinks they will be entering Town after 6:00 PM and driving East of Fifth Street should stop by Town Hall at 407 Clinton Street to obtain a FREE Parking Permit. To obtain the parking permit you will need to show the 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 East of Fifth Street until after the fireworks.

LISTEN: EMERGENCY SIREN... If you hear a steady siren for 3-5 minutes, tune your radio to an Emergency Alert System (EAS) station for information. The following radio stations are a part of the EAS: WDEL 1150AM; WNWK 1260 AM; WWTX 1290AM; WDOV 1410 AM; WILM 1450 AM; WAMS 1600AM; WRDX 92.9FM; WSTW 93.7FM; WDSD 94.7FM; WJBR 99.5FM; WKNZ 88.7FM. Boaters tune to Marine Channel 16. If you do not have access to a radio, call the Delaware Emergency Management Agency at 1-877-SAY-DEMA or 302-659-3362.

HEALTHY HOMES

"Home is where the pollution is."
"Safe cleaning methods to reduce home health hazards."

You are cordially invited to attend a FREE Delaware City Environmental Coalition program featuring a presentation by

Bill Leitzinger, Administrator, Office of Healthy Environments Delaware Division of Public Health.

It will be held on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 from 7:00-8:00 PM at the Delaware City Library in the Community Room, 250 Fifth Street, Delaware City.

- -Learn what health problems are related to housing conditions.
- -Discover what cleaning products are potentially harmful to children.
- -Learn how to protect your family by changing the way you clean.

At this event, if you are a Delaware City resident, you can also sign up for a FREE confidential home health hazard assessment. After the assessment, you will receive \$50 worth of FREE GREEN Cleaning Products!!

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- June 18 Mayor & Council 7:00 PM DC Fire Hall
- July 2 Planning Commission 7:00 PM Town Hall
- July 3 **Historic Preservation Commission** 7:00 PM Town Hall
- July 11 **Board of Health** 7:00 PM Town Hall
- July 16 Mayor & Council 7:30 PM DC Fire Hall

All meeting agendas are posted in Town Hall, Post Office, Sunset Market, Valero Gas Station, Library, and www.delawarecity.delaware.gov

EVENTS FOR JUNE, JULY & AUGUST

JUNE

23 Cruise Night with Cool Cars

JULY

21 DELAWARE CITY DAY!

28 Cruise Night with Cool Cars

AUGUST

- 4 Music in the Park—5:30-7:00 PM
- 11 Music in the Park
- 18 Music in the Park
- 25 Music in the Park Cruise Club with Cool Cars

Delaware Center for Horticulture will be in Town on Wednesday, June 20th from 4-6:00 PM to check on the new trees that have been planted around Town. You are welcome to join them as they stroll around Town in their purple T-shirts. They will be available to answer your questions concerning your new tree.

FLOOD ELEVATION CERTIFICATE

A <u>FEMA elevation certificate</u> is required for all new construction and "significant improvements" in the flood zone. In addition, no filling or grading may take place within the flood plain without a permit from the City. You can come to Town Hall, 407 Clinton Street, to get an Elevation Certificate application and instructions on how to fill it out or you can visit www.fema.gov. Any resident in need of a copy of the elevation certificate for flood insurance for their residence can check with Town Hall to see if there is one on file prior to contacting an engineer or surveyor.

CITY TREES...Please do not trim, cut or do any maintenance to any City owned trees. Even if they are in the right of way in front or on the side of your property. If there is a problem with the tree, please call Dawn Gwynn at Town Hall 302-834-4573.

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