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Hamilton unseats Hadden

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Jerry Clifton (right), who will return to council after a three-year absence, congratulates Chris Hamilton, who defeated incumbent Councilwoman Marge Hadden on Tuesday.

First loss by an
incumbent since 2004

By KARIE SIMMONS

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Political newcomer Chris Hamilton unseated two-term incumbent Marge Hadden on Tuesday night, making

him the new District 4 councilman.

Hamilton captured 170 votes, approximately 56 percent of the 306 votes cast in the district, upsetting Hadden, who took home 136.

Tuesday's race was Hamilton's first run for elected office.

The 53-year-old Sunset Road resident is a graduate of the University of Delaware and has been active in the

community for nearly 20 years, even serving a brief stint on Newark's planning commission. He recently stepped down as president of the Oaklands Pool Association in order to dedicate more time to his campaign and to avoid any conflicts of interest.

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Historic house hits 325th birthday

Nottingham Road
home now a B&B

By JOSH SHANNON

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It pre-dates the founding of the city of Newark and the United States, and last week, a stately brick house on Nottingham Road turned 325 years old.

"This is a gem," Amy Eschenbrenner, who seven years ago turned the residential home into a bed and breakfast, said during a celebration of the home's history last Friday.

The home at 1202 Nottingham Road traces its history back to 1692, when John Ray built the structure on a 252-acre manor that also included a carriage house and a barn. By the early 1900s, the property was known as Tip Top Farm and was known to host horse shows.

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Musical performance: Tonight, 7 p.m., at New Ark United Church of Christ, New Ark United Church of Christ, 300 E. Main St. The Promise Is Hope, a husband and wife folk duo from Massachusetts, will perform. Refreshments available. Suggested donation of \$5 will benefit a fund to offset the medical expenses for a relative of one of the performers, who is undergoing costly experimental medical treatments for a brain tumor.

Breakfast with the Easter Bunny: Saturday, 8:30 a.m., at Christiana Presbyterian Church, 15 N. Old Baltimore Pike. Menu includes sausage, juice, cereal and all-you-can-eat pancakes. An egg hunt will follow the breakfast at 10 a.m. Breakfast is \$5 or \$3 for kids 10 and younger. The egg hunt is free.

Wing-eating contest: Saturday, 3 p.m., at Grain Craft Bar + Kitchen, 270 E. Main St. Newark cops and Aetna firefighters will battle to see who can eat the most wings, while raising money for their favorite charities. Free admission; donations encouraged.

Fix-it Cafe: Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Glasgow Park Bank Barn, 2275 Pulaski Highway. Attendees can bring a broken lamp, vacuum, waffle iron, sewing machine or other item and work beside an experienced volunteer to repair the item. Free.

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NEWARK POST FILE PHOTO BY JOSH SHANNON
Firefighter Scotty Mohler and police Cpl. Brandon Walker compete in the First Responders Wing Championship last year. The event returns Saturday.

Newark Radio Shack closing as company files bankruptcy

By JOSH SHANNON

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The Radio Shack store in College Square Shopping Center will soon close its doors for good as part of the electronics retail chain's bankruptcy filing.

The company filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy last month and announced plans to close 200 stores and "evaluate options" on the remaining 1,300.

Signs posted at the Newark store advertise a going-out-of-business sale. A manager, who identified herself only as Jennifer, said she does not know when the store will close. She referred all questions to a corporate spokesperson, who did not return phone calls.

An employee, however, said this week that the store will remain open for approximately two more months.

Founded in 1921 as a seller of radio parts, Radio Shack has struggled in recent years as it faced stiff competition from big box stores like Walmart and online retailers like Amazon.

This marks the second time in two years the company has filed for bankruptcy. After its 2015 filing, the company was bought by General Wireless Operations Inc., which tried to revive the faltering business by cutting expenses and partnering with the wireless carrier Sprint.

"Since emerging from bankruptcy two years ago as a privately-owned company, our team has made progress in stabilizing operations and achieving profitability in the retail business, while our partner Sprint managed the mobility business," CEO Dene Rog-



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The Radio Shack in College Square is closing as part of the company's bankruptcy.

ers said in a press release last month. "However, for a number of reasons, most notably the surprisingly poor performance of mobility sales, especially over recent months, we have concluded that the Chapter 11 process represents the best path forward for the company."

The closure of the Radio Shack is another blow to the vacancy-plagued shopping center. Fusco Enterprises, which owns College Square, is planning a major renovation of the aging plaza, but progress has been slow.

The plans call for the north side of College Square (where Acme and the former Sears Hardware are) to be re-

developed first and look more "community oriented" with outside seating areas and green open space. The south side of the center, where Radio Shack is, will be geared toward more national mid-box stores and restaurants.

Frankie Vassallo, president of Fusco Enterprises, said in December he is also studying the possibility of converting part of the shopping center to rental housing geared toward young professionals, a plan the city of Newark planning department has advocated.

The company also plans to extend Delaware Avenue through to Marrows Road as a way to bring more traffic through the shopping center.

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NPD history on display

People walking past National 5&10 on Main Street will get a glimpse into the history of the Newark Police Department, thanks to a new window display at the store. The business teamed up with NPD and the Newark Historical Society to display several artifacts. NPD is gearing up to celebrate its 150th anniversary in June.

UD pep rally welcomes Biden back to campus

By KARIE SIMMONS

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It took a little coaxing to get him outside – maybe it was the chilly weather and sprinkling rain – but as soon as thousands of University of Delaware students, alumni, faculty and members of the public started chanting “Biden is back,” their voices echoing off the buildings along The Green, Joe Biden emerged from Memorial Hall.

After a few finger points to the crowd, he walked up to the podium, placed a Delaware ball cap on his head and smiled.

“It’s good to be home, good to be welcomed back,” Biden said.

The former vice president was the main attraction of the April 7 pep rally, which featured appearances by the marching band and cheerleaders as well as UD President Dennis Assanis and some distinguished students, who were rocking “Biden is Back” T-shirts.

The event celebrated the opening of UD’s new Biden Institute.

Announced earlier this year, the institute will focus on developing domestic public policy solutions on issues ranging from economic reform and environmental sustainability to civil rights, criminal justice and women’s rights. The center will also accept student fellows, produce a policy blog, invite major speakers to come to campus and host other monthly lectures, conferences and workshops open to the public.

The Biden Institute initially will be located in the Wright House at 44 Kent Way. The building, which has been undergoing renovations since September, also houses the



Former Vice President Joe Biden tips his cap to the students gathered on The Green on April 7.

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Office for International Students and Scholars, Institute for Global Studies and a welcome center for graduate students.

Standing on the steps of Memorial Hall, Biden recalled walking down The Green his freshman year, the first in his family to go to college. He said he had this feeling like he could make a difference, and he thought, “My dad was right.”

Biden graduated from UD in 1965 with a double major in history and political science. During his time at UD, he served as president of his freshman class and briefly

played football.

He joked that while his sister, Valerie Biden Owens, who will serve as vice-chair of the Biden Institute, was on the Dean’s List at UD, he was on the Dean’s “hit list” and was even placed on social probation twice.

“All I did was use a fire extinguisher on an RA, I don’t know why everyone got so upset,” he said, smiling.

In speeches, Biden has often credited UD professors with helping him develop an interest in politics amidst the turmoil of the 1960s. He told the students in the

crowd last week that he knows how they feel – they don’t think there is much out there for them and they don’t know where to look to.

“To that I say, you ain’t seen nothin’ kid,” Biden said.

Biden credited the students for being part of the most educated and tolerant generation – the millennial generation – but he said they aren’t as engaged in politics as they should be.

“Because you’re turned off by it,” Biden said. “My job is to turn you onto it because we need you.”

“If you don’t like the way things

are, then get off your rear end and change it,” he added.

Student Government Association President Matthew Rojas called Biden one of his biggest heroes and someone he always looks up to. He praised Biden for standing up for civil and human rights and for being a leading advocate for the prevention of sexual assault on college campuses.

“You don’t have to be older to make a difference,” Roja told the crowd, referring to Biden’s early start in politics. He was only 29 years old when he was elected to the Senate in 1972.

Freshmen Emily Colalillo, 19, and Jacquelyn Pierre and Olivia Linehan, both 18, said they came to the pep rally because they admire and look up to Biden, plus they’ve never seen him in person before.

“He’s like America’s grandpa,” Pierre said.

“He’s someone who I actually want to listen to what he has to say, and I think he has a lot of good things to say,” Linehan added.

The women agreed their generation is not engaged in politics enough, especially when it comes to the most recent presidential election.

“I guess I should have been,” Linehan said. “I feel bad now.”

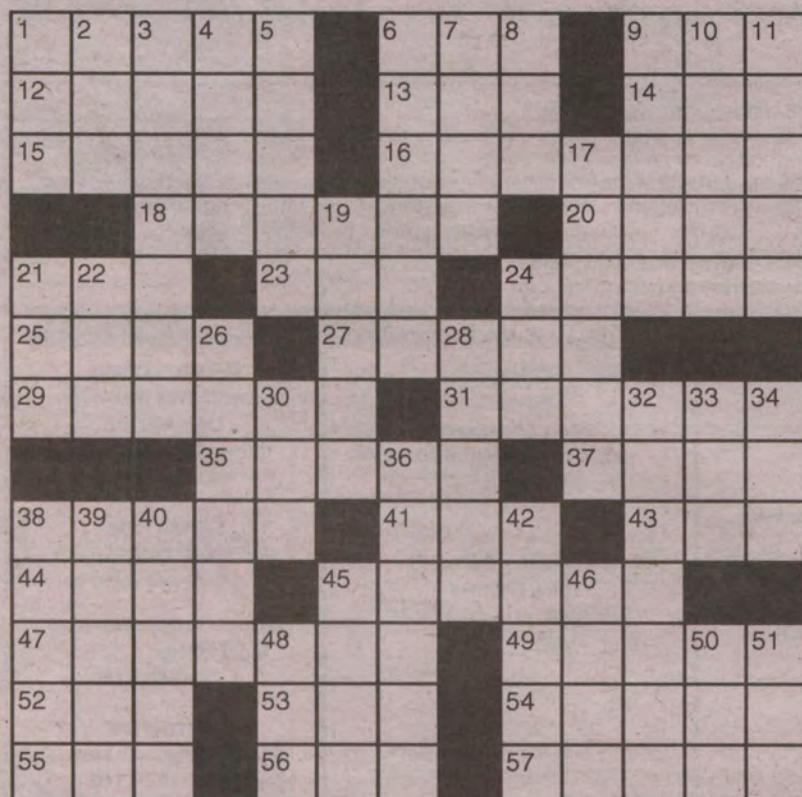
“It makes you want to be more involved, just for him,” Colalillo added.

Pierre said people tend to look down on the millennial generation, which can be frustrating, but Biden believes in them.

“It’s nice to have that encouragement,” Pierre said.

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Newark Preserve resident awakes to find intruder

By JOSH SHANNON

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A burglar fled a Newark Preserve home empty-handed after a resident awoke and startled the intruder last week, police said.

Lt. Fred Nelson, a spokesman for the Newark Police Department,

said the 55-year-old resident awoke in an upstairs bedroom at approximately 5:45 a.m. April 7 and heard noises coming from the first floor.

"The resident yelled something, and we believe that's when the suspect fled," Nelson said, noting that the man was not able to catch

a glimpse of the intruder.

The man went downstairs and noticed property damage, which Nelson would not specify. Nothing was missing.

Police believe the burglar broke in by forcing open a sliding-glass door in the back of the home, located in the unit block of Munro

Road, off Casho Mill Road.

Arriving officers combed the area with assistance of a K-9, but the search turned up empty.

"Residents are reminded to immediately report any suspicious persons or activity to Newark Police and to ensure that their windows and doors to their residence

es are locked," Nelson said.

Police are asking neighbors who saw something or who have exterior surveillance cameras that may have captured an image of the suspect to contact Detective William Anderson, 302-366-7100, ext. 3469, or William.Anderson@cj.state.de.us.

Former employee charged with burglarizing Newark pizza shop

A Newark man who used to work at Little Caesars Pizza was charged with burglary Tuesday after police linked him to a theft that occurred at the restaurant in March.

The defendant is identified as



PARKER

23-year-old Shaheim Parker. According to Lt. Fred Nelson, a spokesman for the Newark Police Department, the theft occurred at approximately 12:21 a.m. March 13 at Little Caesars, located at 240 E. Delaware Ave.

Nelson said employees told police cash was missing, but there was no forced entry into the restaurant, leading officers to check the store's surveillance cameras. The footage showed a man entering through the front door with something covering his face, taking cash and then leaving the restaurant.

Little Caesars was not open during the burglary and police do not know how the suspect got inside, Nelson said.

Nelson said detectives reviewed surveillance cameras

in the area and located the suspect's vehicle, which was eventually linked to Parker, a former employee.

On Tuesday, detectives searched Parker's house and found unspecified evidence tying him to the burglary. He was arrested and charged with third-degree burglary, theft under \$1,500 and wearing a disguise during the commission of a felony. He was video arraigned in front of JP Court 2 and then released on \$6,000 unsecured bond.

Anyone with any additional information about this incident should contact Detective William Anderson at 302-366-7100 ext. 3469 or William.Anderson@cj.state.de.us.

Police: UD student followed by suspicious man

Police are looking for a man who reportedly followed an 18-year-old University of Delaware student, first in a car and then on foot, as she was walking to her dorm early Wednesday morning.

According to Newark Police Deputy Chief Kevin Feeney, the incident occurred at approximately 2:30 a.m. while the student was walking along South Chapel Street.

Feeney said the student noticed a maroon SUV driving slowly behind her on the

road. As the car came closer, the driver yelled various obscenities out the window.

"Which, of course, alarmed the student, so she kind of picked up her pace and walked a little quicker," Feeney said.

The student turned down Wyoming Road toward the Gilbert Hall dorm complex, at which point she noticed the man had exited his vehicle and was following her on foot. Feeney said she was able to get inside her dorm safely and immediately called UD Police, who then notified NPD.

The suspect is described as a non-college-aged hispanic man wearing gray pants, a long-sleeved white shirt and a black hat turned backwards.

Feeney said the investigation is ongoing and officers are going to be "very vigilant" over the next few days looking for the suspect's car. He said there are no pictures of the suspect at this time, but officers are looking.

"We're working with UDPD. We're trying to search all available surveillance cameras to try and catch some image, but we don't have anything usable right now," Feeney said.

Anyone with any additional information about this incident or the suspect should contact Officer Andrew Vari at 302-366-7100 ext. 3486 or Andrew.Vari@cj.state.de.us.

Lawnmower stolen from Stafford shed

A resident of the Stafford neighborhood is missing his lawnmower after someone stole it from his shed, police said.

According to Newark Police spokesman Lt. Fred Nelson, the theft occurred sometime between March 19 and Sunday at a home

in the unit block of Hawthorne Avenue.

Nelson said the resident, a 35-year-old man, told police someone entered his unlocked shed, located in the back of his yard, and took his red and black Craftsman 21-inch platinum edition self-propelled push mower, worth approximately \$200. Nothing else was stolen from the

Laptop, video game system stolen from Academy Street home

Police are searching for a man who was caught on camera stealing electronics from a Skid Row apartment while the residents were home.

According to Newark Police spokesman Lt. Fred Nelson, the burglary occurred at approximately 1:31 a.m. April 5 in the unit block of Academy Street.

Two of the residents – both 21-year-old University of Delaware students – told police someone entered their home, possibly through an unlocked door, and stole a gaming system and game worth approximately \$295 and a laptop worth approximately \$1,700.

The residents were home during the burglary, but did not discover their items were missing until later that morning.

Nelson said officers reviewed surveillance camera footage from the area and observed what they believe is the suspect entering the residence, and then leaving three minutes later with property in his hands.

NPD released surveillance images of the suspect and is asking for the public's help to identify him.



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Police are trying to identify this man who they believe stole electronics from a home on Academy Street on April 5.

Anyone with any additional information about this incident or the suspect should contact Detective James Skinner at 302-366-7100 ext. 3135 or James.Skinner@cj.state.de.us.

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Hundreds attend Newark's annual Easter egg hunt

Nearly 500 kids scampered through White Clay Creek State Park in search of Easter eggs on Saturday morning.

More than 15,000 plastic eggs were up for grabs as part of the annual egg hunt organized by the Newark Parks and Recreation Department.

partment.

Many of the eggs were filled with candy, while others contained certificates redeemable for baskets and other prizes. Local businesses donated \$12,000 worth of prizes, Recreation Supervisor Sharon Bruen said.



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Tessa Gordon, 2, checks out her Easter eggs Saturday at White Clay Creek State Park.



Kids run past the starting line as Newark's Easter egg hunt gets underway at White Clay Creek State Park on Saturday morning.



Two-year-old Brooklyn Stewart holds up a prize she pulled out of an Easter egg she collected at White Clay Creek State Park on Saturday.



Kids run past the starting line as Newark's Easter egg hunt gets underway at White Clay Creek State Park on Saturday morning.



Erica Faedtke, 9; Elena Davis, 8; Cadence Faedtke, 9; and Alyssa Davis, 9, look for prizes in the Easter eggs they collected Saturday morning at White Clay Creek State Park.

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Asher Fitzpatrick summons the courage to touch a Texas desert millipede at NCCL's Greenfest on Saturday.



Brynn Einecker, from Tuckahoe State Park in Maryland, shows a barn owl to the crowd at Greenfest.



Ashkan Zehfroosh, a University of Delaware graduate student, demonstrates a voice-activated robot.

Environmental sustainability on display at NCCL's Greenfest

By JOSH SHANNON

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With insects to touch, a telescope to look through and a voice-activated robot to experiment with, there was no shortage of hands-on activities for kids to experience Saturday at the eighth-annual Greenfest.

The festival, organized by the Newark Center for Creative Learning, drew nearly 400 people to the school on Phillips Avenue.

Founded in 1971, NCCL is a K-8 cooperative-based school that eschews the traditional education theories in favor of a progressive model in which decisions are shared by all faculty members and instruction is based in part on questions raised by students.

A central part of the school's philosophy revolves around environmental sustainability – the school has solar panels on the roof and a natural wildlife habitat on its grounds – and Greenfest carries on that theme.

"This is what the whole school is about," said Nuha Ahmed, a parent who helped organize the event. "It's our signature event."

Ahmed said the students help plan the event each year, and many performed on the stage or volunteered at booths along with teachers and parents.

"It's a joint effort," she said.

At one booth, math teacher Jim Dooley and fifth-grader Victor Lowell were demonstrating a variety of solar-powered toys created by the students. The inventions were the result of the school's "workshop week," when students break into groups and work on projects that match their interests.



Yusef Boland, 8, makes a smoothie with a bike-powered blender at Greenfest.

"It was really fun," 11-year-old Victor said as he put a solar-powered boat into a tub of water. "We'd come in and look around for the right motor and solar panel."

Dooley also showed off a hovercraft – powered by a leaf blower – he and his students built.

"It's something I always wanted to try. I found the design online and modified it," Dooley said. "The focus of our school is let's dig in and learn it."

"We went out to Glasgow Park and cruised down the hill," he added. "We had a blast."

Inside the school, members of the University of

Delaware Entomology Club were giving kids a chance to get up-close and personal with various insects, including a tarantula, a millipede and a flat rock scorpion the club members named

Dwayne the Flat Rock Johnson.

UD senior Caroline Maahs said it's important for people to learn about and develop respect for insects and spiders. Though they may not

be as cute and cuddly as other animals, they play an important role in the ecosystem.

"It's important for conservation," Maahs said. "People tend to overlook insects and

spiders and think there's no reason to protect them."

In another room, UD graduate engineering students were demonstrating a robot that responds to voice commands and a contraption that lets the user use a robotic arm to draw on a piece of paper.

Christopher Neunuebel, 7, enjoyed playing with the drawing machine and said he'd like to have one at home.

"I would draw different things for all my friends," he said.

Kylee Arnold, 12, was at a crafts table making a necklace scented with essential oils. She said she enjoyed the variety of activities at Greenfest.

"I really liked the book swap," she said, adding that she picked up the fantasy novel "The Lightning Thief." "I also got to pet a snake and a turtle."

The reptiles Kylee met came from a booth set up by Tim Freiday of the Delaware Nature Society. Freiday brought various animals native to Delaware.

"It's to teach people they're an important part of the ecosystem," he said. "You can find them in your backyard. It really brings nature home."

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September-December 1933: George Baker complained that store circulars were being thrown about town, sug-

gesting merchants substitute little booklets instead.

The American Legion weighed in on the question of an officer at Delaware Avenue and Academy Street during the coming and going of students. Council had been refusing the school superintendent's request, but Mayor Collins finally agreed to con-

sult with Chief Cunningham and try to work out manning the intersection at least when school is dismissed.

Weeds on vacant lots were an eyesore, so town attorney Mr. Cann was consulted. Overhanging branches on South College Avenue trees were a problem, so permission to trim them was sought

from property owners.

The Wilson family offered to give the town, free of charge, some lots adjacent to those already owned by the town, but council said no, having no use for them.

The water works needed a new deep-well turbine pump at a cost of \$743.

Mayor Collins advocated

placing of "stop buttons" at Kent Way/Orchard Road and Amstel Avenue/Elkton Road. Chief Cunningham was to get a flat \$12 per month for gas and oil. Mayor Collins was to see about getting town employee Mr. Ellison a rain-coat.

A large percentage of town taxes were outstanding, so a

newspaper notice went out reminding citizens that unpaid taxes would incur a penalty after Jan. 1.

Questioned about town's liability for damage to officers' personal cars while on town duty, attorney Cann said council was not responsible for any damage outside of town limits.



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School board candidates debate budget, community engagement

By KARIE SIMMONS

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Candidates in the upcoming Christina School Board election faced off Monday during a forum at Newark High School, where they shared their qualifications and experiences while offering solutions to problems facing the district.

Residents of the district will cast their votes on May 9.

The winner will serve a five-year term and replace incumbent Shirley Sutton-Saffer, who originally filed for re-election and then withdrew two days before the filing deadline.

In the running are Jeffrey Day, a nurse with three young children; Meredith L. Griffin Jr., a pastor who has served on the boards of the Rodel Foundation and the Delaware Charter Schools Network; and Kimara Smith, a graduate student at Wilmington University.

Day, a 37-year-old resident of the Governors Field neighborhood in Bear, has worked as a nurse at Christiana Hospital for 14 years. He grew up in the Brandywine School District and graduated from Mount Pleasant High School and Delaware Technical Community College.

His daughter attends Newark Methodist Preschool and his two sons attend school in the Appoquinimink School District, because that's where his ex-wife lives, but Day said he knows families in his neighborhood whose children attend Christina schools and he's committed to improving the district.

If elected to the Christina Board

of Education, he said his priority would be for Christina to have a voice in education at the state level. He doesn't think the district should be giving in to the budget cuts it is currently facing, or in other words, giving up on the kids and giving up on the schools.

"We deserve to give these children the same opportunities we had," Day said.

Smith, 27, moved to Delaware to attend Delaware State University in 2008, and is working on a master's degree in information system technology at Wilmington University. A resident of the Calvarese Farms neighborhood in Bear, Smith said she's part of a coalition that encourages young people to get involved with politics.

Having never run for an elected position before, she said she brings "a breath of fresh air" to the board.

"We can't keep doing the same thing, it's the definition of insanity," she said. "We need to do something new if we want a new Christina."

Smith grew up in Harlem, so she knows what it's like to go to a school that's low on supplies, where teachers are frustrated and struggling to pay their bills, and students don't realize their potential.

"I've lived this," she said.

Smith said her first priority on the school board will be to get the community engaged. During a recent door-knocking, she said she spoke with residents who didn't know what a referendum was, or that there was even a school board election and where to vote.

She thinks there should be a par-

ent community engagement team to go out to neighborhoods, knock on doors and ask people to get involved in the district.

"In order for a community or a school to get better, everybody needs to be engaged," Smith said. "It takes a village to raise a child, it really does."

Griffin, 51, who lives in the Timber Farms neighborhood east of Newark, said he wants to see Christina become a "destination district," instead of thousands of students leaving to go to charter or choice schools.

The problem, he said, is that parents don't know what Christina can offer their children. He agreed with Smith that the district could do a better job at engaging the community and suggested Christina partner with Red Clay Consolidated School District to use Edtv - Red Clay's 24/7 educational channel available on Comcast channel 965 and Verizon Fios channel 30 - to promote the good things the district is doing.

"To me, reputation means us controlling the narrative at every level of the district," Griffin said.

Griffin is the founding pastor at Harvest Christian Fellowship and currently serves on the Wilmington Education Improvement Commission, which was created to improve education in the city of Wilmington.

He got his finance degree from Hampton University in Virginia, and also holds a Master of Divinity degree from Biblical Theological Seminary in Pennsylvania and a Doctor of Ministry degree from Regent University in Virginia.



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From left to right: School board candidates Meredith L. Griffin Jr., Jeffrey Day and Kimara Smith participate in a forum Monday at Newark High School prior to the election on May 9.

Before becoming a pastor, Griffin worked as a budget analyst for the city of Wilmington, which he said makes him uniquely qualified to make decisions about Christina's spending plan and operating expenses.

"I think anyone on the school board is going to have a learning curve. What you as voters have to ask yourselves is, 'Do I want the person that would have the flattest learning curve of those persons sitting here today?'" Griffin said.

When it comes to the budget, Smith thinks Christina should look to other districts with similar problems and that any decisions to make cuts should be data driven, similar to big business and universities, she said.

The data could then be compared to what teachers and parents think should be cut, she added.

"Data drives everything. It drives

this whole United States. We need to use this," Smith said.

Day believes his leadership skills and ability to set ego and differences aside, talk to people and get things done makes him the best candidate for school board.

A few months ago, he said, he went to Standing Rock Indian Reservation in North and South Dakota, where thousands of people converged to protest the Dakota Access Pipeline, in order to volunteer as a nurse. He raised \$10,000 to buy supplies and food for the people there.

"That is my job, to look at the people in front of me and care about them," he said.

Day was inspired by what he saw at Standing Rock, how people helped each other and lifted each other up through failures.

"I really want to create that here," he said.

UD student robbed at gunpoint in Fairfield Shopping Center

By JOSH SHANNON

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A University of Delaware student was robbed at gunpoint in the parking lot of Fairfield Shopping Center early Monday morning, police said.

Lt. Fred Nelson, a spokesman for the Newark Police Department, said the 26-year-old student was walking in the shopping center on New London Road when two men approached him just before 3:30 a.m.

"The victim stated one of the suspects pointed a handgun at him, and the other suspect removed property from his pockets, including his wallet, keys, cell phone and cash," Nelson said.

Police searched the area with the help of a Delaware State Police K-9 but could not locate the assailants.

The first robber was described as a black man, 6 feet, 1 inch tall, wearing a black zip-up jacket with the hood up. The second was described as a black man, 5

feet, 7 inches tall, wearing a gray zip-up jacket with the hood up.

Anyone with additional information regarding this incident should contact Detective Daniel Bystricky at 302-366-7100 ext. 3136 or Daniel.Bystricky@cj.state.de.us.

You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at www.tipsubmit.com where a reward may be available.



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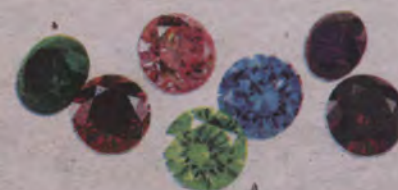
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In 2009, Eschenbrenner and her husband, Don, purchased the house and the two acres that remain from the farm and a year later opened the three-room Blue Hen Bed and Breakfast.

A Newark native and graduate of Christiana High School, Eschenbrenner holds a degree in theater from the University of Delaware and spent many years working in sales and marketing. She said she first fell in love with B&Bs while in London a number of years ago.

"I thought it was such a ro-

mantic notion," she said.

She and Don later took a B&B class in Cape May, N.J., and when she saw the Nottingham Road home for sale, she knew it was the perfect place to open her business.

"I took out my whole 401K and bought it," she said.

Eschenbrenner runs the B&B and does all the bak-

ing, while Don, whose day job is as a civil engineer, cooks breakfast on the weekends. The couple lives in the house fulltime.

Eschenbrenner said many of her guests are parents of University of Delaware students, retirees visiting Delaware in hopes of relocating here or tourists looking for an alternative to a traditional hotel.

"This is better than a hotel," she said. "It's more of a personal and familiar touch."

She said she and Don have stayed in touch with several of their guests over the years.

"They feel like they're family," she said. "We've made some great friends."



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Don and Amy Eschenbrenner stand in front of their home at 1202 Nottingham Road, which is 325 years old. The couple operates the home as a bed and breakfast.

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The Wiesler family poses with trash collected during Saturday's community cleanup.

Newark community cleanup yields two tons of garbage

POST STAFF REPORT

Volunteers helped collect more than 2 tons of trash from parks and along roadways around Newark on Saturday as part of the annual spring community cleanup.

A total of 226 volunteers devoted 560 volunteer hours and covered 39 sites, collecting over 350 bags of trash, five tires, a mattress, chairs and other items.

The event was organized by the Newark Parks and Recreation Department, and the Newark Lions Club provided food for volunteers.

Volunteer organizations included Bloom Energy, Boy Scout Troop 255, Cherry Hill Manor Neighborhood Association, Dream Chasers Basketball, First Presbyterian Church, Girl Scout Troop 1277, Goldey-Beacom College Golf Team, Howard High School, Newark Center for Creative Learning, Newark Charter School, Newark High School, UD Alpha Phi Omega, UD Circle K, UD Employee Health & Wellness, UD Chemistry Graduate Students, UD George Read Cleaners, UD HENS (Honors Engag-



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Volunteers prepare to pick up trash in Redd Park.

ing in Neighborhood Service), UD Pi Beta Phi, UD Residence Life & Housing, UD Alpha Phi Alpha, and numerous families and individuals.

Development, public input among issues on voters' minds

By KARIE SIMMONS

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Residents in District 4 headed to the polls Tuesday, motivated to cast their ballots by issues in their own neighborhoods as well as across the city.

The race pit two-term incumbent Marge Hadden against Chris Hamilton, a former planning commission member who was making his first run for elected office. Both candidates stood outside the First Church of Christ Scientist on West Park Place greeting voters as they walked inside to vote.

Jamie Magee and his wife, Calyce, said they are looking for transparency in city government and more public input on council decisions, especially when it comes to choosing the next city manager.

Council recently named Public Works Director Tom Coleman as Newark's acting city manager, effective May 20. Coleman will replace Carol Houck, who is leaving the city after more than 25 years to take on a new role as city manager for Delaware City.

Council is expected to discuss the process of finding a permanent replacement in the public sometime in the next several weeks, but will interview candidates in executive session, meaning whoever is elected to the District 4 seat will be a part of making that decision.

Magee said he wants a councilperson who will keep residents' wants and needs in mind when choosing a city manager.

"Hiring a city manager is a big deal in this town," he said.

He also wants his councilperson to listen to public input when it comes to development projects.



District 4 council candidates Chris Hamilton and Marge Hadden pretend to fight over voter Stephen Toy outside the First Church of Christ Scientist on West Park Place, where residents cast their votes Tuesday.

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"Someone on council that's willing to object," he said.

Nancy Rich wants to see more diversity in development and a councilperson who supports that. She said there is too much student housing, and it's ruining downtown.

"Main Street has just become a hangout for college kids and not regular people," she said.

Lynn Carter decided to vote for Hamilton after he knocked on her door and addressed her concerns about growth in the city. She said she likes how outspoken he is regarding the need to slow down development, specifically apartment complexes.

"I feel like we're losing the small-town feel," she said.

While she's enjoyed Hadden's leadership over the past four years, Carter believes it's time for someone new.

"Marge has been fabulous. I have nothing bad to say about her. I just want someone who will shake up the status quo," Carter said.

Marcia Halio also echoed similar worries about development. She didn't disclose who she voted for, but said her choice would stand up for more variety.

Instead of more student apartment complexes, she said, Newark needs more retirement homes and better shopping centers, like the College Square Shopping Center.

"I think the city should be trying to get some businesses in there," Halio said.

For Mary Lee Anderson, the issue is the University of Delaware students who live on Kells Avenue. She said the students rent the homes but don't appreciate the neighborhood as much as full-time residents do. She would like

her councilperson to stick up for the residents, while working with the university to come to some compromises.

"It's nice to have someone who can represent the town and the gown," Anderson said.

She added that the best person for the job is someone who can communicate effectively and anticipate problems.

"And they're ready with a plan to solve problems when they arise," she said.

Like Anderson, Amy Roe also thinks the city needs to have a better relationship with UD. She said she hasn't seen that happen under Hadden's leadership, so she voted for Hamilton.

"Chris is my neighbor. I've known him for years. He's very smart and very thoughtful," she said.

Roe said the university recently

flushed its water system and, as a result, turned her water brown due to rust. She said the city regularly flushes its system, too, and could have coordinated with the university to flush on the same day. The university could have also reached out to residents in her neighborhood to let them know they might be affected, she said.

"They don't work together, and this is a prime example," Roe said.

She added that she was also upset that Hadden accepted campaign donations from four executives from the property management firm DSM Commercial, who each contributed the maximum-allowed amount of \$600. DSM owns or represents several commercial properties in Newark, including College Square Shopping Center and the Park N Shop on South Main Street. Last year, Hadden coordinated a meeting between DSM and neighbors of the Park N Shop and later praised the company for its willingness to listen to community concerns regarding redevelopment of the shopping center.

"I just don't think that's right," Roe said.

Peter Weil and his wife, Cornelia, voted for Hadden and are confident in her continued leadership. They said they are concerned about drainage problems in Newark and how the city will enforce rental housing inspections.

"I think she has a lot of sense," Weil said.

He added that Hadden is "very responsive" and lets he and his wife know what's happening in the city.

"She's a very good representative," he said. "That's what you want in a representative."

RACE

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Hamilton admitted he was a little nervous during his campaign, but was happy to learn Tuesday he had won by 34 votes.

"I worked hard and I talked to a lot of people, and a lot of people said they were going to vote for me, but you don't believe it until you see it," he said.

He attributed his win to a good turnout at the polls and a successful door-knocking campaign.

"My greatest investment was a new pair of shoes," he joked.

Tuesday marks the first time an incumbent has lost at the ballot box in Newark since 2004, when Vance A. Funk III ousted Hal Godwin to become mayor and Kevin Vonck defeated then-District 6 Councilwoman Chris Rewa.

Hamilton knows it can



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Chris Hamilton addresses the media Tuesday night after winning the District 4 council race.

be difficult to unseat an incumbent, but he thinks he pulled it off because the residents in District 4 are paying more attention to council's decisions and are unhappy with some of the outcomes. He said he heard from several residents who were just looking for a change.

Although he brings a

fresh face to council, Hamilton said there are some aspects of Hadden's leadership he plans to continue, such as her community engagement. He said Hadden did a good job responding to constituent concerns during her time in office, which is an important part of the job.

"I plan to continue interact-

ing with constituents while I'm on council, because this was fun," he said. "It was actually really inspiring to talk to people."

Prior to being elected, Hamilton was a frequent member in the audience at city council meetings and often challenged mayor and council, as well as city staff. He said he is looking forward to sitting on the other side of the dais now but hopes other residents continue to ask questions and share their input.

"I want more people like me in the audience," Hamilton said. "I'll be disappointed if people don't show up to the meetings."

Hadden, 61, also a Sunset Road resident, works as an administrative assistant and project coordinator in the University of Delaware's Professional and Continuing Studies department. In 2013, she was elected to council by a nine-vote margin, and two years ago won re-election by a 12-vote mar-

gin.

Hadden was not present at city hall for the announcing of the election results, and she did not return a call from the Newark Post.

In District 2, former Councilman Jerry Clifton ran unopposed to regain his old seat, and District 1 Councilman Mark Morehead was unopposed in his bid for a fourth term.

Clifton said he knew it would be a close race in District 4 and wasn't that surprised by the results of the election.

"Council and city staff need to ask themselves, 'Why did this happen?'" said Clifton, who served 17 years on council before stepping down in 2014.

He said the upset shows that residents are dissatisfied with back-to-back tax increases, the city's hiring practices and other decisions recently made by council.

"I think this is part of the retaliation of that, and it

sets the direction for this council going forward," he said.

He added that he is excited to step back into his former role on council and expects he and Hamilton will work well together.

"He understands the change in course that needs to occur, and I think he'll be an invaluable member of the team, I really do," Clifton said.

Hamilton, Clifton and Morehead will be sworn in at 6 p.m. April 20 at city hall.

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Newark Charter girls lacrosse building on last year's success

By JON BUZBY

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Most first-year varsity programs in any sport, at any school, struggle to succeed during the inaugural season. Typically the goal is to win a few games and learn more than a few lessons along the way.

Newark Charter's girls lacrosse team certainly learned plenty of lessons in its first year of varsity experience last season, but it also managed to put together a 9-6 record while doing so.

Third-year coach Caitlin Brooks attributes the success of that first varsity season to the advanced level of experience most of the girls on the roster gained during the programs first two years competing as a junior varsity team.

"I didn't have challenges generating excitement or finding players," Brooks recalled of taking over the program in 2015 when it fielded only a junior varsity team. "There were plenty of players who had been playing for several years outside of school already and then those who just really wanted to try something new. These girls generally make it pretty easy for me. They show up, they work hard, they're respectful, they understand commitment, and they genuinely want to learn. I couldn't ask for better."

The Patriots narrowly missed making the playoffs last season, winning three of their last four games.

"We lost one or two games that could've gone the other way any given day that prevented us from getting there," Brooks explained. "We also won some games that could've gone the other way too. That's the best part of this sport. If you can outwork the other team, and be disciplined, you always have a chance to win."

The Patriots suffered a 9-4 loss to Dover on Monday, dropping their record to 2-3 for the season.

"We're taking it game by game," Brooks said. "A lacrosse season is a marathon, not a sprint. We need to prepare,



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The Newark Charter girls lacrosse program is competing in its second varsity season.

take care of our bodies and focus on the task that's directly ahead, one game at a time."

Brooks is relying on three captains — seniors Hannah Cooper and Shealey Imgarten, and sophomore Tori Dunbar — with three different personalities to provide the leadership necessary to get the program to the next level.

"Hannah is the nurturer of the team and is the first to make the younger girls feel welcomed," Brooks said. "But don't let her kindness fool you, she's a brick house." A very physical and smart player.

"Shealey is the perfect example of a team player. She's selfless, she epitomizes sportsmanship, and she rallies the troops when they are down."

Dunbar is more of a vocal leader, according to Brooks.

"She gets the team fired up," Brooks said. "She makes sure her teammates get things in on time, remember what color jersey to wear, and where to be when. She's also one of our strongest attack players with a wicked fast shot."

Three other standout players provide

the balance that any team needs to make a run at a berth in the state tournament.

Senior Maddie McCully might be small in stature, but Brooks says her personality on the field is bigger than most.

"Maddie is another leader on the field," Brooks said. "She is selfless and will be whatever player you need her to be at that moment and do it well."

Brooks also considers a pair of sophomore twins, Sam and Madi Karr, to be standout players on this year's squad.

"I call them the twin towers," Brooks said, smiling. "Sam is a difference maker. She can do it all. She's a leader on the field and a steward of the game. And like her sister, Madi can do anything. She's as strong on defense as she is on attack."

The Patriots are attacking their second year with the mentality of a veteran program and so far look lightyears beyond their "age."

"We are playing much better team lacrosse," Brooks said. "In year's past, we relied a lot on pure athleticism. We are playing smarter, playing less as individuals, and we are more disciplined."

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Out of the Attic

A&P Supermarket on Ogletown Road

This week's Out of the Attic item is a 1957 photo of the A&P Supermarket located at the intersection of Ogletown Road and Library Avenue. The market first opened on the south side of Main Street in a converted house near the University of Delaware. It later moved to the southeast corner of East Main and Haines streets and then to the pictured location.

In 1976, Dannemann Fabrics replaced the market. The fabric store closed in 1997, and the site was last used as a Toyota dealership.

Two weeks ago, the building was demolished to make

way for a five-story Marriott SpringHill Suites hotel and a standalone restaurant.

Out of the Attic is produced in partnership with the Newark Historical Society. The Newark History Museum, located in the old train station under the South College Avenue bridge is open by appointment December through March. Admission is free. For more info, call 302-234-4145 or visit www.newarkdehistoricalsociety.org. Do you have an old photo to share with Newark Post readers? Contact editor Josh Shannon at 443-907-8437 or jshannon@newarkpostonline.com.





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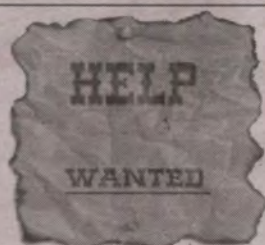
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Joshua Alexander Olszewski
4/10/17
np 4/14 205129



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Bruce Allan Dorsey Sr.
4/11/17
np 4/14 2705461

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: DEADLY WEAPON
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Ryan Matthew Kalbaugh
4/9/17
np 4/14 2704923

CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE COUNCIL AGENDA ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

April 20, 2017 – 6:00 PM – CC
(Charter – Section 309)

1. RECEIPT OF CERTIFICATION BY ELECTION BOARD OF COUNCIL MEMBERS

2. OATH OF OFFICE GIVEN TO COUNCIL MEMBERS (Charter – Section 1102)

3. ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR (Charter – Section 310)

4. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

City Treasurer (One Year Term) – By Election (Charter – Section 702.2) – Renee K. Bensley

5. APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY CITY SECRETARY – Tara Schiano

6. RULES OF PROCEDURE (Charter – Section 311)

Resolution No. 17-__: Rules of Procedure For the 2017-2018 Council Year (Presented)

7. DISCUSSION AND POTENTIAL ACTION REGARDING COUNCIL SPONSORSHIP OF BILLS

8. EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO 29 DEL. C. §10004 (B)(9) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE DISCUSSION OF PERSONNEL MATTERS IN WHICH THE NAMES, COMPETENCY AND ABILITIES OF INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYEES ARE DISCUSSED – INTERIM CITY MANAGER

9. RETURN TO PUBLIC SESSION – POTENTIAL VOTE ON INTERIM CITY MANAGER COMPENSATION

10. ADJOURNMENT OF ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Agenda Posted – April 11, 2017

np 4/14

2705246

CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE NOTICE TO FREEHOLDERS

The City of Newark listing of tentative real estate assessments for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018, will be available at the Municipal Building, Finance Department, 220 South Main Street, Newark, Delaware from April 24, 2017 to May 22, 2017.

The Council will sit as a Court of Appeals in the Council Chambers, 220 South Main Street, Newark, Delaware on Monday, May 22, 2017, between the hours of 1:00 pm and 6:50 pm.

Appeals shall be filed with the City Assessor no later than five (5) business days prior to the Appeal Day.

Appeal forms may be obtained at the Municipal Building, Finance Department, 220 South Main Street, Newark, Delaware each business day between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm.

David Del Grande
Assessor

np 4/14

2704713

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
ANISSA N. MORGAN
Petitioner(s)
TO

ANISSA N. MILES
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ANISSA N. MORGAN intends to present a Petition to the court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to ANISSA N. MILES.

ANISSA N. MORGAN
Petitioner
Dated: 3/23/2017
2700978

np 3/31,4/7,14

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
WILLIAM MATTHEW CHAMBERS
Petitioner(s)
TO

BLAKE RYAN CHAMBERS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that WILLIAM MATTHEW CHAMBERS intends to present a Petition to the court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to BLAKE RYAN CHAMBERS.

WILLIAM MATTHEW CHAMBERS
Petitioner
Dated: 3/30/2017
2703216

np 4/7,14,21

CITY OF NEWARK Newark, Delaware

Traffic Committee Meeting Notice

The Traffic Committee will meet on **Tuesday, April 18, 2017, at 3:30 p.m.** in the Council Chambers to discuss the following:

1. Discussion regarding the request for a crosswalk at McIntyre Drive and Edwards Drive.
2. Review the speed study results for Sunset Road regarding the request for a stop sign at Townsend Road and Sunset Road.*
3. Discuss the request to remove the special residential parking on the outside radius of Thompson Circle.*
4. Discussion regarding safe routes to school plans for Casho Mill Road.
5. Discussion regarding proposed modifications on Elkton Road between Casho Mill Road and the Maryland line. (ie: widening, resurfacing and multi-use path)

*Items tabled from the Traffic Committee meeting held on March 21, 2017.

Any questions regarding the above topics may be directed to Deputy Chief Mark Farrell of the Newark Police Department, at 366-7100, prior to the meeting.

Agenda Posted: April 10, 2017

np 4/14

2705041

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RE: DEADLY WEAPON
I, James Edward Franks III, residing at 303 S Bridlewood Drive, Newark, DE 19702 will make application to the judges of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County at Wilmington for the next term for a license to carry a concealed deadly weapon, or weapons for the protection of my person(s), or property, or both.

James Edward Franks III
4/5/17
np 4/14 2704162

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: DEADLY WEAPON
I, Michael Christopher Deery, residing at 8 Country Lane, Newark, DE 19702 will make application to the judges of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County at Wilmington for the next term for a license to carry a concealed deadly weapon, or weapons for the protection of my person(s), or property, or both.

Michael Christopher Deery
4/11/17
np 4/14 2705402

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: DEADLY WEAPON
I, Latarsha Tavonne Watson, residing at 309 Scotland Drive, Newark, DE 19702 will make application to the judges of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County at Wilmington for the next term for a license to carry a concealed deadly weapon, or weapons for the protection of my person(s), or property, or both.

Latarsha Tavonne Watson
4/6/17
np 4/14 2704495

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: DEADLY WEAPON
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Kinya Lynn Robinson
4/3/17
np 4/14 2704128

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
VANESSA LYNN TECKER
Petitioner(s)
TO

VANESSA LYNN SMOKE
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VANESSA LYNN TECKER
Petitioner
Dated: 3/31/2017
273336

np 4/7,14,21

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
HABIBU JOSEPH WRIGHT
Petitioner(s)
TO

HABIBU JOSEPH KAMARA
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that FAMATTA KIAWU intends to present a Petition to the court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change her minor child's name to HABIBU JOSEPH KAMARA.

FAMATTA KIAWU
Petitioner
Dated: 3/31/2017
273430

np 4/7,14,21

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
RITU GOYAL
Petitioner(s)
TO

RITU TRIPATHI
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that RITU GOYAL intends to present a Petition to the court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to RITU TRIPATHI.

RITU GOYAL
Petitioner
Dated: 4/4/2017
273827

np 4/7,14,21

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE STATE OF
DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF
BEAU BLAZE HALL
Petitioner(s)
TO

BEAU NICHOLAS REED
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KATHARINA P. MILLER and CLIFFORD N. REED intends to present a Petition to the court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change their minor child's name to BEAU NICHOLAS REED.

KATHARINA P. MILLER
CLIFFORD N. REED
Petitioners
Dated: 4/3/2017
2703769

np 4/7,14,21

Easter Services

First Baptist Church- Elkton

607 Delaware Ave., Elkton, MD 21921

410-398-2915

www.fbcelkton.org

A Walk Through the Bible

A live, outdoor pageant illustrating the Biblical experience of God's truth.

Friday, April 14, 6:00 - 8:00 PM



Bethel Evangelical Lutheran Church

Pastor Mark Crispell

410-287-8993

mscrispell@comcast.net • www.bethellutheranNE.com

Good Friday - Services - April 14th, @ 7:00 PM

Easter Sunday

6:15 AM - Sunrise Worship Chesapeake Isle Park in Elk Neck

8:15 AM - 10:15 AM - Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM - Family Worship with Holy Communion.

10:00 AM - Easter Egg Hunt immediately following service.

10:30 AM - Traditional Easter Service with Holy Communion featuring a special Easter anthem by the choir.

Located in North East, MD near the corner of Route 40 and 272 (next to McDonald's)

105 Bridge Street, Elkton, MD | 410-398-5350

Holy Week & Easter Sunday Services at Trinity Episcopal Church

Good Friday, April 14

Noon - Community Crosswalk
7:00 PM - Liturgy for Good Friday

Saturday, April 15

5:00 PM - Holy Eucharist with hymns

Easter Sunday, April 16

8:00 AM - Morning Prayer

10:30 AM - Full Festal Eucharist with Choir & Bell Choir

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

ELKTON, MD • 410-398-1100

Good Friday, April 14th

8:30AM Morning Prayer

Holy Saturday, April 15th

8:30AM Morning Prayer

11:00AM Blessing of the Food

8:00PM Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 16th

Masses, 7:00AM, 8:30 AM, 10:15AM

ST. JUDE'S MISSION CHURCH NORTH EAST, MD

Good Friday, April 14th

7:00PM Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Easter Sunday, April 16th

9:00AM Mass

Holy Week & Easter

NORTH EAST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 14

Good Friday Crosswalk

Begins at NE Middle and Proceeds thru town concluding at NEUMC

April 16 Easter

Worship Service

8:30 AM, 10:30 AM & Christian Education for all ages at 9:30 AM

~ EASTER JOY ~ Join Us!

Sunrise Service
7:00

Worship Service
11:00



Head of Christiana
Presbyterian Church

1100 Church Rd. • Newark • 302-731-4169
www.hocpc.org



St. Thomas's Parish

276 S. College Ave., Newark, DE 19711 • (302) 368-4644

Good Friday, April 14

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

12:00 noon Good Friday Liturgy with Sermon and Solemn Collects

7:00 p.m. The Way of the Cross - Praying the Fourteen Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, April 15

7:00 p.m. The Great Vigil of Easter - Festal Celebration of Holy Eucharist with incense

Easter Day, April 16

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. Festal Holy Eucharist with Choir & Brass

Easter Egg Hunt after the service

5:30 p.m. NO SERVICE on Easter Day



Elkton Presbyterian Church

209 East Main Street, Elkton, Maryland 21921

410-398-4636

www.elkpreschurch.com

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP

April 16 Sunrise Service - 6:30 am in our Sanctuary

Traditional Worship Service - 11:00 am

Nursery and Junior Church provided for 11:00 am service

The sanctuary will be open for prayer during Holy Week on Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Saturday from 12 - 1 pm and 4 - 6 pm. Please come and pray during that time. There will be prayer guides available.

Rev. Laurel P. Loveless, Pastor



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48 Flint Drive Suite 3, 4, & 5
North East, MD 21901
PASTOR JACK D. COHEN
For info: (443) 674-8698
or info@havencc.org

Join us to remember his Passion and celebrate our Risen Savior Jesus Christ!

Holy Week

and Easter Services

Friday 4/14

7:00pm:

Good Friday Service

Sunday 4/16

8:15 & 10:15

Easter Celebration
Services

COME HEAR

THE LIVING WORD OF GOD

Old Apostolic Lutheran Church will hold Easter Meetings

Friday through Sunday

April 14-16, 2017

11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Daily

Missionary preachers sent by the national congregation will speak.

All are Welcome

Old Apostolic Lutheran Church

2038 Pleasant Valley Road • Newark, Delaware
443-907-7244

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Good Friday, April 14, 2017

Morning Prayer,

Good Shepherd Church, 9:00am

Stations of the Cross, St. Teresa's, 12noon

Celebration of the Lord's Passion,
Good Shepherd Church, 7:00pm

Holy Saturday, April 15, 2017

Morning Prayer, St. Agnes Church 9:00am

Blessing of the Easter Food,
St. Agnes Church 12noon

Easter Vigil, Good Shepherd Church,
7:30pm

Spanish Easter Mass,
St. Agnes Church 8:00pm

Easter Sunday, April 16, 2017

St. Teresa's Church 8:00am

St. Agnes Church 8:00am & 10:00am

Good Shepherd Church 12noon