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Word from Wyoming

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2020 Wyoming Peach Festival



Applications for the 30th Wyoming Peach Festival are being sent to those who are requesting them. The applications can also be downloaded at wyoming.delaware.gov/peach-festival. If you or someone you know is interested in participating as a vendor, crafter, food vendor, or if your organization would like to reserve a spot, please contact the committee at wyomingpeachfestival@gmail.com or by phone: Donna Mason at 302-697-1033.

The committee is always looking for volunteers to help in the planning of the event and to actually work the day of the event. If you're interested in volunteering, please contact the Peach Festival Committee. Let's make this year's festival the best one yet!

Do I Need a Permit?

Now that Spring is here, many of us will be doing projects around our house. Before you begin your project, you must ask yourself a very important question: Do I need a permit?

A permit is required for any new construction, addition, detached structures (garages and pole buildings), sheds (pre-built and site built), gazebos, porches, pergolas, patios, pools, fences, sidewalks, driveways, solar panels, roofing (when replacing or adding more than 25% of the roofing surface; this includes shingles or when changing the roof material), siding, windows (new and replacement), demolition, remodeling (requiring plumbing, electrical, movement and building of interior or exterior walls, etc.). If your project is not listed, please contact Town Hall at 302-697-2966

Calendar of Events:

- All meetings are cancelled until further notice.
- Trash pickups will continue every Friday.
- Recycling pickups will continue every Tuesday.
- However, there will be NO yard waste or bulk pickups until further notice.

prior to any work being done. Permit applications can be found on the Town of Wyoming website: Wyoming.delaware.gov. After the pandemic has ended, you can pick up an application at Town Hall, 1 N. Railroad Ave., between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Wyoming Park



Until further notice, Wyoming Park, located on Third Street, will remain closed, as will the Wyoming Park bathrooms. All parks in the state are closed at this time and will remain so until cleared by the governor.

Remember to adhere to our Governor's rules during this pandemic:

STAY HOME & practice SOCIAL-DISTANCING (stay six feet away from strangers, friends & neighbors.)

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1 N. Railroad Ave. Wyoming, DE 19934

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Wyoming Fun Facts???

What year was the building formerly known as the First National Bank of Wyoming built?

Answer in next month's newsletter.

Last month: In 1868, where was the Wyoming Hotel located?

Answer: SE corner of Second St. and Railroad Ave.

Rescheduled Sportsman's Bash

The Camden-Wyoming Fire Company has rescheduled their first Annual Sportsman's Bash. The new date will be September 26th. Tickets are still valid for the new date and are still for sale. Ticket holders will have chances to win awesome prizes, such as firearms, ATV's, hunting and fishing packages, and cash prizes including a grand prize of \$15,000. Great food and beverages will be available. Also, there will be games to play, such as 50/50 drawings throughout the day, special raffles, and drawings for other prizes. You do not need to be present to win.

Tickets are now on sale. Prices are \$40 each or 3/\$100. You can contact the fire company via their website at www.cwfc41.com or by the designated phone for this event at 302-943-8383. Cash, check, or debit/credit cards will be accepted. You can also visit their Facebook page for more details regarding the prizes that will be given away.

Question of the Month



What American inventor held an astonishing 1,093 patents?

Answer in next month's newsletter.

Last month's question & answer: The "wearing of the green" is done in observance of St. Patrick's Day. However, which color actually would be more authentic? Traditionally, blue was the color associated with St. Patrick, but over the ages, the color of shamrocks (which Patrick used to demonstrate the meaning of the Trinity) superseded the old observances. Their green color was used increasingly often until the color blue was no longer thought of in relation to the Celtic saint.

First State Webfooters

Walking Club

The First State Webfooters Walking Club will begin its fifth annual Couch to 5K walking program with a meeting on April 30th at 6 p.m. at the W. B. Simpson Elementary School, 5 Old North Road. The program is tailored to those who may not have walked in some time and would like to gradually start walking once a week at their own pace and, eventually over time, be able to walk a 5K.

For more information, please contact walk organizers: Karen Kaufman at Karen@dekrittersitter.com or by phone: 302-233-6615 or Dee Carson at Dee@dspc.us or by phone: 302-250-3403.

Let's Talk Trash, Recycling & Bulk

Our Trash and Recycling Pickups will continue every week during the pandemic; specifically, trash pickups every Friday and recycling pickups every Tuesday. The Town of Wyoming asks that you put your items out the night before the scheduled pickup days, not days or even weeks before.

Now that Spring is here, many homeowners and residents are doing construction projects. Please remember that construction materials, such as concrete, wood, bricks, and fixtures will not be picked up. You need to dispose of these items yourself, which you can do by taking them to the Sandtown Landfill located at 1107 Willow Grove Rd. (Rt. 10). Their hours of operation are Monday-Saturday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Please remember to
Wash your Hands often
with soap & water for
at least 20 seconds,
or the time it takes to
sing the
"Happy Birthday" song twice.

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