From the President’s Desk

Students are back in school and the days are getting shorter, which signals that Fall is on its way. There’s a lot going on in and around Bridgeville at this time of year. We trust you will take full advantage of the many events that are listed in this newsletter.

Bridgeville’s Night Out Against Crime took place on September 13th and was a great success. The event was spearheaded by Patrolman First Class Justin Wechtenhiser and Police Department Secretary Robin Bohn. Their efforts were rewarded with a huge crowd that ate hotdogs, Vanderwende’s ice cream and more! There were too many organizations in attendance to thank them all, from 4-H to our DE State Policemen on horseback. We appreciate all the local businesses and organizations that worked together to make this a successful Night Out.

The Apple Scrapple Festival is just around the corner and we are particularly excited as this is our 26th Anniversary year. The Festival, organized in 1991, is held annually to encourage tourism in western Sussex County. It assists community organizations, promotes local agri-businesses and is one of the most important fundraisers for many of our local non-profit organizations. The festival is run completely by an all-volunteer committee for the benefit of the community.

I would ask all of our residents to help us showcase our Town to the thousands of people who will be visiting. There are obvious inconveniences; however, this festival has given our Town a wonderful reputation - people love to come to Bridgeville! It is also an important fundraiser for our school and community service organizations. We’re looking for great weather and a large crowd. For those of you who live in the festival area, you are already aware of clearing the streets for food vendors, Car Show participants etc. The Commissioners and Apple Scrapple Festival Committee are very appreciative of our residents’ and homeowners’ cooperation. More Apple Scrapple information is located on page 5 of this newsletter.

I would like to thank the Economic Development Committee, Town Staff and Volunteers who organized the Bridgeville’s Fabulous 4th Fridays that took place on the Fourth Friday from June to September this year. This was the first year doing them, they were very successful and a hit with the community. I look forward to seeing them next year.

Don’t forget the Christmas in Bridgeville Craft Show on December 2nd from 9 AM to 3 PM; it is the perfect event to start your Christmas shopping. I’ll see you there!

Congratulations to our very own Town Manager, Jesse Savage, who received Delaware’s Town Manager of the year!

Pat Correll

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Minutes from the Monthly Commission Meetings

July, August, September 2017

July
The Commission approved Ordinance #2017-D, which is an Ordinance annexing into the Town, 22,297 square feet of property belonging to Ghulam Dastgir, LLC. and a Resolution to adopt the Town of Bridgeville’s FY-17 Capital Improvement Program Budget. Also introduced was Ordinance 2017-E, an Ordinance to Amend Chapter 128 of the Code of Bridgeville relating to fees to increase the Property Tax Rate. The Waste Water Options meeting was held to discuss the options of going with the Western Sussex County Sewer District or to stay with the Town’s Waste Water Treatment Plant and upgrade it.

August
The Commission voted to go with the Western Sussex County Sewer District and a Resolution (#R2017-9) to authorize the Town Manager to Petition Sussex County to Establish a Sanitary Sewer District and to enter into a contract for the County to Operate the Bridgeville Sewerage System was approved.

September
In September, The Commission approved FCC Notification for Spectrum Manager Lease & Spectrum Lease Agreement (Water Meter Reading Equipment Upgrade). They also award the bid for 410-412 Market Street Structure Demolition to John Macklin and Son Inc.

~A message from the Code Department~

Per Chapter 234-87:

(6) Surface Material. Off-street parking facilities shall be surfaced with erosion-resistant material in accordance with applicable State, County or Town Standards.

(7b) Parking within front yard setbacks shall be prohibited by may be permitted upon development plan review and approval [Amended 4-12-2012 by Ord. No. A10-1]

Fines will be assessed

Think Ahead:

Winter Weather

If you are out of Town during the winter months, you must make arrangements for your sidewalks to be shoveled in your absence. All sidewalks must be cleared within 48 hours of a snowfall.

Please use ice melt on sidewalks instead of salt.
Town News

Friends of the Bridgeville Library
UUMC Bell Ringers
Wednesday, December 13th, 7 PM
Events held in the Library Meeting Room
Free and Open to All!

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Economic & Community Development (EDC)

The August Fabulous 4th Friday event sponsored by the Bridgeville EDC was very successful. There were more
food choices to choose from including Dixie's Down Home Cooking; Mike Perini from Heritage Shores who served up his
great Pit Beef sandwiches; our local Lion's Club served their ever popular crab cake sandwiches, Jireh's bakery opened
up to serve some of their baked goodies; Vanderwende's served up some great ice cream and Jeff's Taproom had beer
and wine for sale. Thanks to all who attended and helped make this event happen. September's Oktoberfest themed
event had the Happy Wanderers German band with some German food provided by Dixie's Down Home Cooking food
truck. The committee plans on continuing the Fabulous Fourth Friday tradition next year.

September 18th through the 21st the state provided consulting services to the EDC to evaluate what the town has
accomplished over the last two years and what suggestions they have on how best to move further to ensuring Bridge-
ville provides the community with an accessible, vibrant place to live and work.
The EDC helped spur some business growth with a $5,000 Matching Incentive grant awarded to Jeff's Taproom to
help in the expansion of his restaurant. The committee will continue to look for other opportunities to help expand and
enhance current and new businesses.
The committee also worked with RAPA on installing a Bridgeville sign on the old Railroad Station building to match
how it use to look. RAPA has agreed to put up a sign and do some design work on the old station to enhance its looks.
Thanks to RAPA for agreeing to do this at no cost to the town.

Bridgeville Town Code
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**Town News**

**Bridgeville Christmas Parade**

**Saturday December 9th**
*Rain Date Sunday December 10th*
Join Santa and his followers to march in our Christmas Parade!
Get involved! Show your holiday spirit.

**Online registration:**
Bridgevillechristmasparade@gmail.com
Register a group or individual entry
**Entry Deadline - December 1st**
Start Time 4:30 PM

**Caroling in the Park**
Sunday, December 17
Historical Society Park
6:30 PM
Bridgeville Mustangs 4-H Club

**New Faces on the Block**

Amanda Seals:
Southern Specialty Properties
Robert Kern
Whistling Duck Drive:
Helen Faunce
Robert Krasak
George & Kathleen King
Anthony Trunk III
N. Cannon St.
Bowers Group, LLC
Main Street:
J. White & Victoria Osborne
Canvasback:
Stephen & Linda Bloodsworth
Champions:
Early Schley III
Ralph & Diana Holm
Kathleen Magura
John Bruce Heckman

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Michael Hogan
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Gerald & Patricia Haworth
J. & Geraldine Venduras
Sharon & William Keetley III
Richard & Diane Soares
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Gadwall Circle
Rochelle Salmon
Legends Way:
Robert & Diane Howe
Oak St.
Victor & Vianey Mazariegos
Walnut Street
Mark Swarbrick

**Bridgeville Halloween Celebration**
Tuesday, October 31

"Trick or Treat"
6 - 8 PM
Ages 12 and Under

Lions Club Halloween Party
8 PM

Have a Safe and Happy Halloween

**APPLE SCRAPPLE FESTIVAL REMINDERS**

*From the Code Department*

**YARD SALES** may take place on personal properties - used items only may be sold on Saturday October 14th until 2 PM. **Retail merchandise** must be approved through the Apple Scrapple Festival vendor application process OR you may obtain a Soliciting & Peddling Permit from the Town Office, which requires a Delaware state license.

- Residents must have all vehicles off Market St by 6 AM Saturday morning.
- Be alert for road closures and parking restrictions in Festival area; drive conservatively.
- Be mindful of where your children are at all times!
- Be cautious; do not leave personal belongings unattended. If you see something unusual, say something
Festival Committee News
The Festival Committee would like to thank Bridgeville residents in advance for their cooperation during this two-day Festival.

Street Closings during the Festival:
- Delaware Ave.
- Mechanic St.
- Walnut St. 300 & 400 blocks (Post Office patrons will be accommodated by 2 parking spaces on Walnut St., east of Laws St.)
- South Cannon St. (Market to Maple Alley)
- Laws St. (Market to Walnut St.)
- William St. (Market to Walnut St.)
- Railroad Ave. (Market to Walnut St.)
- Market St. closed to all traffic Saturday except for buses from 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Two Alley Permits per household will be distributed to residents who live on the above streets prior to October 14th. The permit will allow residents entrance to their property during the festival. If an additional permit is needed, it can be obtained at the library. Also note, there will be several vendors setting up their equipment on Thursday evening, October 12th in front of some properties.

2017 5K HOGG JOGG
The Annual Hogg Jogg Run will take place on Saturday, October 14th at a new location - the Heritage Shores Sugar Beet Market. Registration takes place from 7:15 - 8:00 AM and the Jogg starts at 8:00 AM. The entry fee is $15.00. Make checks payable to Apple Scrapple Festival.

Kids' Apple Toss
Saturday, October 14th, 1:00 PM at 2 N. Laws St. Registration: 12:15 - 12:45 PM.

Ladies' Skillet Toss
Saturday, October 14th, 1:30 PM at 2 N. Laws St. Registration: 12:30 - 1:15 PM.

Scrappe Chunkin'
Saturday, October 14th, 2:30 PM at the at 2 N. Laws St. Registration: 1:30 - 2:15 PM.

www.applescropple.com

Hometown Carnival Night
Thursday, October 12th
4 PM - 9 PM
An $18 bracelet buys you a whole evening of fun! Avoid the weekend crowds and support your local library.

Carnival Hours During the Festival
Friday, October 13th
4 PM - 10 PM
A $20.00 bracelet buys you a whole evening of fun!

Saturday, October 14th
9:30 AM - 10 PM
$1.00 per Ticket
20 tickets for $18
Or 40 tickets for $30

Food Contests
All Baking entries must be pre-registered by Oct. 6th

Scrappe Recipe Contest
Thursday, October 12th, Scrappe must be main ingredient

Apple Baking Contest
Friday October 13th

Little Miss Apple Scrappe Pageant
The annual Little Miss Apple Scrappe Pageant will be held on Friday, October 13th at 6:30 PM on the main stage behind the Fire Hall. The Pageant is open to girls who are 5, 6, 7 or 8 years old on the day of the contest and they must reside in the Woodbridge School District.

Home Decorating Contest
The Bridgeville Kiwanis Club is sponsoring the Apple Scrappe Home Decorating Contest. No registration is necessary and all residents are eligible to participate. Decorations must be in keeping with the festival theme using apples and scrappe, or a facsimile of each.

Decoration in place by Wednesday, October 11th!
Judging will be completed by Friday, October 13th. Contest winners will be announced at the Opening Ceremony behind the Fire Hall. Put those creative talents to work; help create community spirit!
Kiwanis Club of Bridgeville News

- **Kiwanis BBQ**  Through our BBQ stand we support many community and school organizations, including local youth sports teams, libraries, 4-H clubs and church organizations. Money raised goes right back into the community. We are appreciative of all those who have come to visit us this summer. The BBQ stand will be open through the first weekend in October.

- **Apple Scrapple Home Decorating Contest**  See page 5 for all the details; let’s "show-off" Bridgeville with a record number of house decorations!

- **Christmas Home Decorating Contest**  It's not too early to start planning. Decorations must be in place prior to Christmas Day. Judging will take place between Christmas and New Year's. Prize winners will be notified by the judging committee.

- **Upcoming Events**  September: New Officers and Directors will be installed. October: new Woodbridge teachers/staff recognized.

- **Family Picnic**  The Kiwanis Club held it's annual Family Picnic at Bill Vanderwende's farm on Monday August 21 and August 24, Kiwanians and family members attended.

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Community Activities

Bridgeville Public Library News

- **Story Time**  3-6 Year Olds - Thursdays, 11 AM  
  September 5th - October 10th: "Wild about Reading"  
  October 17th-November 21st: "Whoooo Loves Reading"  
  November 28th - December 19th: "Tis the Season to be Reading"

- **Caterpillar Clubhouse**  3 Month- 3 Year Olds - Wed 10 AM

- **Family Fun Nights**  Monthly, third Tuesday 6:30 - 8 PM  
  Oct. 19 / Nov. 16 / Dec. 21

- **Teen/Teen Programming**  Chase Marvin - October 19th 4:30-7 pm

- **Imagineering Club/Basic Club**  Wednesdays 3:30 - 5 PM

- **Adult Craft Night**  Check www.bridgevilletlibrary.com monthly

- **Cope Van and Flu Shots**  Thursday October 19th  
  2:4 PM Health Screenings  
  2:5 PM Free Flu Shot for Ages 9 and up

- **Library Closings**  
  October 14/16  November 23/24  December 23/25/26/ January 1

For more Information, Call the Library at 337-7401  
www.bridgevilletlibrary.com

Bridgeville Historical Society (BHS) News

- **BHS Museum - "Old Fire House Museum"**  
  102 William St.  
  the museum is open:
  Sundays: 12 PM-3 PM Oct. 1/Nov. 5/Dec 3
  Tuesday Mornings 10 AM - 12 PM

- **Saturday, October 14 - Apple Scrapple Festival**  
  10 AM to 3 PM - BHS Museum - See the restored "Durbin" farm wagon made here in Bridgeville in 1913 by John E. Harris and other exhibits in the bandstand at Cahall Park on Delaware Ave.

- **Christmas in Bridgeville Craft Show**  Saturday, December 2 at Woodbridge Middle School, 307 Laws St, from 9 AM to 3 PM. Do your Christmas shopping at the 80+ craft booths at this annual fundraiser for the BHS. Admission is free, but you can buy a $1.00 chance at the door for a large flat-screen television. Call 337-8675 or 337-8595 for more information.

- **JOIN THE FUN**  The Bridgeville Historical Society welcomes new members. We have 4-5 general meetings each year and two major fundraisers to support the collection and preservation of our community's history. We maintain a small museum complex, complete with Cahall Park. Volunteers are welcomed, as there are always tasks that need completing.
Community Activities

Lions / Lioness Club News

- **Apple Scrapple Festival**  The Lioness Club will be selling chances for a new car on Friday evening, October 13th and the Lions will be selling their famous crab cake sandwiches at the Festival on Friday evening and Saturday, October 13th and 14th from their new concession trailer. Look for the "LIONS" sign among the food vendors.

- **Halloween Party**  This year Bridgeville’s "Trick or Treat" will take place on Monday, October 31 from 6-8 PM. The Lions/Lioness Clubs' Annual Halloween Party will take place at 8 PM at the Historical Society Park on the corner of Delaware Ave. and William St. In the past, we have had a great turn-out of kids and parents. Join us!

- **Christmas in Bridgeville**  The Lioness Club will serve lunch at the Craft Show at Woodbridge Middle School on Sat., Dec. 2nd.

- **Christmas Giving**  The Lions/Lioness will team-up to purchase food, clothing and toys for needy families in our community.

- **New Members Welcome**  The Lion Club meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month at St. Mary's Episcopal Church at 7:00 PM. In October, the Lions Club will celebrate 65 years of serving our community. We invite you to attend a meeting.
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Important Dates to Remember

Oct 9  Monthly Commission Meeting 7 PM
   11 Apple Scrapple Decorations Contest Deadline
   12 Hometown Carnival Night 4-10 PM
   13 Bridgeville Charity Open Golf Tournament
      Woodbridge - No School for Students
      Apple Scrapple Festival Opening Ceremony 6 PM
   13-14 Apple Scrapple Festival
   14&16 Bridgeville Library Closed
   19 Monthly Commission Workshop 5 PM
   31 Bridgeville Trick or Treating 6-8 PM
      Lions Club Halloween Party 8 PM
      Historical Society Park
Nov 1  Friends of the Bridgeville Library 7 PM
      Nanticoke Heritage Byways Presentation
   6 Daylight Savings Time Ends (2:00 AM)
   10 Veterans Day - Heritage Shores Program
      Town Hall/Woodbridge Schools Closed
   13 Mthly Commission Meeting 7 PM
   16 Monthly Commission Workshop 5 PM
   22 Woodbridge - No School For Students
   23-24 Thanksgiving Holiday Town Office/Library &
      Woodbridge Schools Closed

Nov 25 Peninsula Oil Trash Customers - Weekly Pick-Up today
Dec 2 Christmas in Bridgeville Craft Show
      Woodbridge Junior High School, 9 AM - 3 PM
   6 Friends of the Bridgeville Library
      Evening of holiday Music - Joy Slavens, Harpist 7 PM
   9 Christmas Parade 4:30 PM
 10 Rain Date for the Christmas Parade
 11 Mthly Commission Meeting 7 PM
 13 UUMC Bell Ringers - 7 PM
 17 Caroling in the Park-Historical Society Park - 6:30 PM
 21 Monthly Commission Workshop 5 PM
22-Jan 2 Woodbridge Schools Closed
Dec 24 Christmas Eve -Library Closed
   26 Hanukkah (begins at sunset)
   25 Christmas Day -Town Office/Library Closed
   31 New Year's Eve Library Closed
Jan 1 Town Office Closed
   8 Mthly Commission Meeting 7 PM
   15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - Town Office/Library
      & Woodbridge Schools Closed