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Town of Bridgeville
101 N. Main Street
Bridgeville, DE 19933



2023 Commission Election

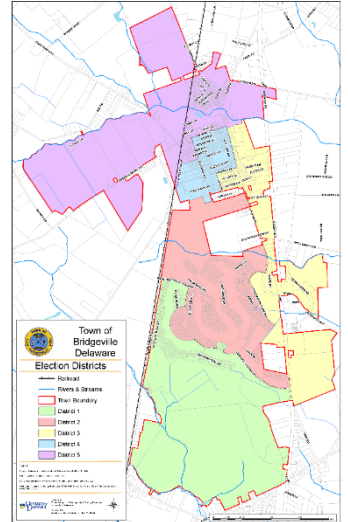
Bridgeville's next election will be held on **Saturday, March 4, 2023**. This election will be for three (3) Commission seats:

District 4 – Currently, Tom Carey.

District 3 – Formerly Districts 3 and 5 – Currently held by John Tomeski and Bruce Smith – This seat will be for the one-year remainder of a two-year term.

District 1 – New District within Heritage Shores – Currently empty.

We know the redistricting process and numbering is confusing – and they have been renumbered, so we have large maps printed on display in Town Hall, and an electronic copy is available on our website under "Info" and "Elections."



Deadline for Candidate Filing: **February 3, 2023**
(Notice for solicitation of candidates will run in early January)

Absentee Ballots: Available by **February 17, 2023**

Deadline for Voter Registration: **February 22, 2023**

Election Day: **Saturday, March 4, 2023**

Winter Weather Reminders

Snow: Snow/ice must be removed within twenty-four (24) hours of it ceasing to accumulate, according to Town Code. The owner or occupant of any building or lot abutting a public sidewalk is responsible for keeping it clear of snow/ice. Additionally, for your letter carrier to provide you with uninterrupted service, residents must clear the approach to their mailbox.

Snow Plowing / Salting of Roads: When the snow begins to fall, residents having access to their yard from an alleyway must park their vehicles there. If a driveway does not exist, all residents must move vehicles to the even-numbered (house numbers) side of the street. When the odd-numbered side of the street has been cleared of snow/ice, residents must move vehicles to the street's odd-numbered side.

Please use ice melt on sidewalks instead of salt. If you are out of town for an extended period during the winter months, you must make arrangements for your sidewalks to be shoveled in your absence.

Don't Miss it - Annual Christmas Parade

- **Saturday, December 10, 2022** – Bridgeville's Annual Christmas Parade, running down Market Street from Railroad Ave, and Main Street down to Jacobs Ave.
- **Parade Starts at 6:00 PM**
- Awards will be given out afterward at the Bridgeville Public Library.
- This year's parade will be broadcast on TV Delmarva and Facebook live!



**TOWN OF BRIDGEVILLE'S
ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2022, AT 6:00 PM
RAIN/SNOW DATE - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2022, AT 5:00 PM

CONTACT TOWN HALL FOR REGISTRATION - PHONE: (302) 537-7135
EMAIL: TOWNOFBRIDGEVILLE@GMAIL.COM WEBSITE: BRIDGEVILLE.DELAWARE.GOV

**THIS YEAR'S THEME IS:
"TOY TRAINS AND CANDY CANES"**

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Commission Meetings are held on the second Monday of every month at 7:00 PM.
Commission Workshops are held on the last Monday of every month at 5:00 PM.

Virtual meeting links and supporting documentation can be found with each agenda posted on our website one week prior, at bridgeville.delaware.gov.



*"If you lived
here, you would
be home now."*



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Our utility bills and newsletters are mailed out to 2,500+ local residents every month – and are posted on our social media pages and website. Take advantage of a great advertisement opportunity, and sponsor the next edition of The Journal! Contact Town Hall today for more information!

Important dates

December 12 - EDC Meeting
5 PM - Town Hall
December 12 - Commission Meeting
7 PM - Bridgeville Public Library
December 20 - Planning and Zoning
6 PM - Bridgeville Public Library
December 23 and 26 - Town Hall Closed
December 27 - Water Bills Due
January 2 - Town Hall Closed
January 9 - EDC Meeting
5 PM - Town Hall
January 9 - Commission Meeting
7 PM - Bridgeville Public Library
All Meetings are also available via Zoom; Links can be found at Bridgeville.delaware.gov

Business and Rental Licenses

Both Business and rental licenses expire at the end of the calendar year (12/31). Applications are available online and at Town Hall. Renewals do also require new/updated forms. For Rental Licenses, rental inspections will be scheduled once the application forms are received.

**Warmest wishes for a
happy holiday season from
the Commissioners and
Staff – and we all look
forward to an amazing year
in 2023!**



Bridgeville Public Library

bridgevillepubliclibrary.com

- **Friday Night FORTNITE**- Friday, December 2, from 5-9 pm with Small Town Gaming. Ages 10-17 are welcome for friendly competition, refreshments, and a few giveaways. Registration is required.
- **FREE Gaming**-Saturday, December 3, from 10 am-1:45 pm. Enjoy playing games with Small Town Gaming and meeting new friends.
- **Story Book Corner**- Story Time with Ms. Hilary is every Tuesday @ 10 am for ages 3-5 and Wednesday @ 10 am for birth-2. The theme for the month of December is Winter and Christmas.
- **Saturday Story Book Corner**- Join Ms. Hilary with your birth-5 year old with songs, stories, and rhymes on the third Saturday of every month at 10 am (December 17).
- **Teen/tween Programs**-Teens and tweens (ages 10-17) can join Ms. Hilary on Thursday, December 8, from 3:30-5:30 pm to make cookies in a jar and Christmas wood ornaments. Thursday, December 22, from 11 am-2 pm, is a Christmas party with fun games and prizes. Registration is required for both sessions.
- **The Friends of the Bridgeville Library will have a Holiday Concert** on Tuesday, December 13, at 6:30 pm at the library. Performances will be by the Woodbridge High School Select Ensemble and the Bell Choir. It is free and open to the public.
- **Soldering Workshop**-On Wednesday, December 14, from 5-7 pm has a few slots open. Tech Volunteer Keith Lohmeyer will be running the sessions where teens/tweens will learn to solder and make a blinking Christmas tree. Registration is required.
- **R.O.O.T.S. Youth Development Collaboration Opportunity**- The R.O.O.T.S. (Reaching Outside of Traditional Schooling) will have a session on sewing geared for teens & tweens (ages 10-17) on Thursday, December 15, from 12 pm-1 pm. Registration is required.
- **Snacks with Santa**- Thursday, December 15, from 11 am-1 pm and 6-8 pm. Join us for crafts, snacks, and pictures with Santa. Registration is required.
- Our very popular **Adult Craft Night** is held on the first Tuesday of every month. Registration is required for every event.
- Some of our programs require registration. To do so, either call the library at 302-337-7401 ext. 101 or go online: Delawarelibraries.libcal.com/calendar/bridgeville
- **The library will close** at 5 pm on Wednesday, December 21, through Friday, December 30. We will be closed Friday, December 23 through Monday, December 26, and Saturday, December 31 through Monday, January 2.

JOIN US FOR
**The Friends of the
Bridgeville Library's
Holiday
Concert**

**Tuesday, December 13th
6:30pm**

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THE WOODBRIDGE
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Free and open to the public

BRIDGEVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY
600 S. CANNON ST.
BRIDGEVILLE, DE

Contact Information

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OPEN M-F 9 AM – 4PM
**For After Hour Emergencies please call
the Police Dept.**

Police Department:(302) 337-8302
Non-Emergency:(302) 337-8305
Fax: (302) 337-8359
Bridgeville Fire Dept. (302) 337-7272

Fire, Ambulance, Police: 911
State Police, Troop 5 (302) 337-1090
Sussex County: (302) 855-7700
Bridgeville Public Library: (302) 337-7401