

Comprehensive Plan Surveys

Please help with our Comprehensive Plan update! We strongly encourage you to participate – the more data, the better, as your voice helps direct the future of our community. **Surveys are now ready and available on our website** –

bridgeville.delaware.gov. Look for a news post on the main page, or the dedicated page can be found under "Info," then "Important Information and Maps," and "2023 Comprehensive Plan Update." If you are not computer friendly, don't worry, we will also mail out the same surveys! Oh no! All of these amazing food events have drawn out the ants! Help us find all eleven of them!

Property Taxes - FAQs

Here are a few answers to the most frequently asked questions about the Town's annual property tax billings - We hope this helps!

QUESTION: I am a senior citizen; how do I apply for the senior citizen's exemption?

ANSWER: The Town of Bridgeville does not offer a senior citizen exemption - but Sussex County does for their property tax bills. Sussex County Tax Department's phone # is (302) 855-7760. https://sussexcountyde.gov/tax-assistance-programs

QUESTION: I would like to know the payoff amounts for my Heritage Shores Special District Tax.

ANSWER: Municap is the company that handles everything related to the Heritage Shores Special District Taxes; the Town only acts as the collector and passes payments directly on to Municap. Municap's phone number for any questions is (443) 539-4106 or (443) 539-4109.

QUESTION: My mortgage company normally pays my taxes; do you send the bill to them as well?

ANSWER: No, we send all bills to the homeowner. It is the homeowner's responsibility to forward the statement to their mortgage company. Some mortgage companies do request the information, and only then do we give them bill copies. We do not track which companies contact us.

QUESTION: How do you create the assessment for my property? **ANSWER:** The Town of Bridgeville utilizes Sussex County's assessment of your property.

QUESTION: Can I pay my taxes online?

ANSWER: Yes, you can! If you go to bridgeville.delaware.gov, click on "Pay Online" at the top right, and then from the drop-down menu, to "Tax Payment." This will bring you to our tax portal – iGoyServices.

QUESTION: When are taxes due, and how are your tax years set up? **ANSWER:** The tax year runs from July 1 to June 30. Taxes are accrued at the beginning of the fiscal year (July 1) but are not PAST DUE until October 2, when 2% interest is added. This means you normally have until September 30 to pay every year – this year, it is extended to October 2 due to the placement of the weekend.

Back to School!

Can you believe it's already back to school in just a few weeks? We want to share some Back to School Safety Checklist information that will help keep our kids safe and healthy throughout the year. There are several lists and tips from the National Safety Council – from School Safety, to Bus Transportation Safety and even Cell Phone Use. Head to nsc.org/community-safety/safety-topics/school-safety/school-safety-home. Or take the Google path and search "NSC Back to School Safety Checklist" and you should find it easily!

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8:30 AM - UNTIL SOLD OUT AT THE KIWANIS BBQ STAND

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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.

Important Dates

August 14 - EDC Meeting

5 PM - Bridgeville Town Hall

August 14 - Commission Meeting

7 PM - Bridgeville Public Library

August 15 - Planning and Zoning

6 PM - Bridgeville Public Library

August 25 - Water Bills Due

August 28 - Commission Workshop

5 PM - Bridgeville Public Library

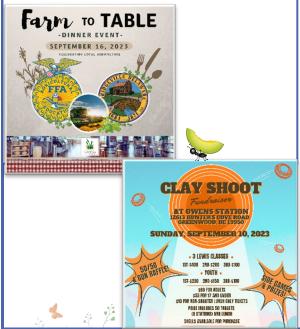
September 4 - Town Hall Closed - Labor Day

All Meetings are also available via Zoom: Links can be found at bridgeville.delaware.gov.

Community Events

Save these dates for our upcoming Fall and Winter Events!

- Clay Shoot Apple Scrapple Fundraiser @ Owens Station – Sunday, September 10, 2023
- Farm to Table Dinner event with the Woodbridge FFA – September 16, 2023
- Fall Yard Sale Saturday, October 7, 2023
- Fall Cleanup Day Thursday, October 12, 2023
- Apple Scrapple Festival Friday, October 13, and Saturday, October 14, 2023
- Annual Charity Golf Tournament Friday, October 13. 2023
- Halloween Trick or Treat and Downtown Trunk or Treat - "Monster Mash" - Tuesday, October 31, 2023
- Tree Lighting Ceremony Tuesday, November 28, 2023
- Christmas Parade "...And a Partridge in a Pear Tree" - Saturday, December 9, 2023



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

Bridgeville Public Library

- Story Book Corner- Summertime Story Time with Ms. Hilary will be Wednesday, August 2 and 9 @ 10 am for birth-5 year olds. Saturday Story Time Brunch will be on August 19 @ 10 am.
- Kids Craft Days- Tuesdays @ 10 am. August 1st-Yarn Art, August 8 -Popsicle Stick
- Teens/Tweens (ages 10-17) can join Ms. Hilary on Thursday, August 10 at 11 am, 2 pm or 5 pm to make a tie-dye shirt with water/paint guns. Registration is
- In-House Craft Table- We will have a table in the library for you to complete a craft during our regular business hours Monday, July 31, thru Friday, August 11, with Mosaic Art.
- Reptile Wonders-Join us on Thursday, August 3 at 6:30 pm for a hands-on, interactive program featuring exotic species of reptiles, including giant tortoises, monitor lizards, and pythons. A great family event for all ages! This program will be held outside, weather permitting.
- Coding Camp- Want to learn how to code?? Join us for a week-long camp Monday, August 7-Friday, August 11, from 8:30 am-12:30 pm with hands-on learning run by our Tech team, Keith and Rachel. You will begin to use color blocks on code.org, then advance to coding hardware using microblocks. Open to ages 12-17. Registration is required.
- Family Fun Night-Thursday, August 17, from 6-8 pm. It will be our Summer Reading Program Celebration. Come dressed as your favorite book or movie character. Registration is preferred.
- FREE Gaming- Small Town Gaming will be at the library on Saturday, August 5 for a Free Play Day from 10 am until 1:45 pm. Bring some friends and enjoy playing video games. Lunch is also provided.
- Book Talk- "Your Bridge to the World" book discussion will be on Saturday, August 26, from 11 am-1 pm. We will discuss "Fifty Words for Rain" by Asha Lemmie and enjoy Japanese Cuisine. Copies of the book are available in the library and on the Hoopla app. Registration is required.
- Friends of the Bridgeville Library Meetings-The Friends of the Bridgeville Library will meet the fourth Monday of each month at 6:30 pm to accommodate more community members. The next meeting is scheduled for August 28. The Friends help our library with financial support, volunteerism, and coordinate special events. Please consider attending a meeting to see how you can help make a difference in our library.
- 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
- We will be closed on Saturday, September 2, and Monday, September 4, for the Labor Day Holiday.

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