

Every Day's a Pleasure

September/October 2016

Hello Port Delmarva. September is here and so it starts the wind down to fall. College football, the National Football League, baseballs playoffs and of course the kids of the Port are back in school. I ask myself this question over and over where did the summer go. In a few short weeks the A/C units will be off and the RV heaters will be turned on. It all seems to go by so quickly. One minute it's Memorial Day weekend and the next thing you see is advertisements for Rehoboth Beaches "Sea Witch Festival". I must confess that this is Diane and mines favorite time to go to the beach. There is a coolness to the breeze, and the sand between your toes isn't 110' !

This past weekend was Labor Day and it's a special time to pay homage to all of the hard working people who make this country great and to those of us who have done our part and are now enjoying our retirement. Thank-you to each and everyone of our Port people for your labor and your commitment to this great country we call home.

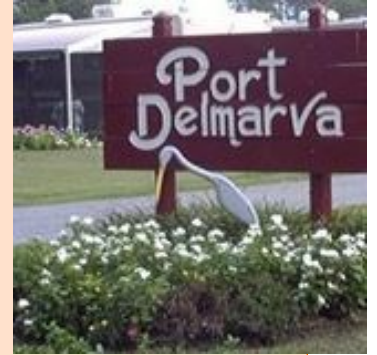
This past weekend also brought Hurricane Hermine/Tropical Storm Hermine/Post Tropical Storm Hermine to the Delaware shoreline. The forecast was for rain all day Saturday, Sunday, Monday and strong winds on Tuesday. Well for those of us who were at the Port (there were 45 sites occupied) what we actually got was rain and wind early Saturday morning up until maybe noon. Then we had clouds, wind and even sun. The rest of the weekend was beautiful. So needless to say the Port dodged another of Mother natures bullets. All in all it was a really nice weekend to the unofficially end the summer.

On a final note please remember to watch your speed while driving through the Port, don't forget you are responsible to keep your grass cut up until we turn of the water (November 12) and those of you who have storage areas don't forget the grass there also. Thanks for your help and understanding with these issues. And as always take some to keep our men and women who are serving in the Armed Forces in your thoughts and prayers and also all of our First Responders. God Bless these men and women and their families for all they do and their sacrifices.

Have a great fall season here at the Port and may God bless Port Delmarva and the United States of America.



Respectfully,
George Carter President PDMV



If you have something you would like in the newsletter stop by site 108 or send an email
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All omissions & mistakes are apologized for in advance.

From the Board

1. New lease agreements will be mailed to all Lease owners by the end of the month. When the lease is signed it must be notarized or witnessed by a Board member. Several Board members will be available in the Port office on October 22nd after 10am following the Board Meeting.
2. Reminder regarding the area around sheds. The area directly behind your trailer which abuts your neighbor's shed is to be used and maintained by the site holder. This would affect sites 68-147 with the exception of lots 68, 85, 86, 87, 89, and 119. For the six lot holders noted they can use and must maintain the areas behind their sheds. A new policy has been written to state this information.
3. The Board agreed to allow site owners to extend the front of their concrete pad up to the end of the box part of the trailer. This must be done by a licensed professional and approved in advance by the Site Improvement Committee.
4. When closing up for the winter, please make sure to secure any furniture or outside items. Water turn off is Saturday, November 12th.



Saturday, October 01

Fall Craft Fair-Historic Lewes

9:00am until 4:00pm, Cape May-Lewes Ferry Terminal, Cape Henlopen Drive, Lewes. ...

Sunday, October 02

14th Annual Celebrity Chefs Beach Brunch

11:00am-2:00pm, Rusty Rudder, Dewey Beach. Come enjoy tastings by top ...

Friday, October 07 - Sunday, October 09

40th Annual Fall Sidewalk Sale

Sale runs from 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM (store hours may vary).&...

Saturday, October 08

2016 Dewey Goes Pink

The event starts at 11:30am on Saturday with packet pick up ...

Thursday, October 13 - Sunday, October 16

2016 Rehoboth Beach Jazz Festival

The 2016 Rehoboth Beach Jazz Festival will occur at different venues throughout ...

Saturday, October 15 - Sunday, October 16

MOMS Club 11th Annual Children's Consignment Sale

9:00am-2:00pm (Saturday), 8:00am-11:00am (Sunday-Half Price Event), Cape Henlopen High ...

Saturday, October 15

Coastal Concerts

7:00pm, Bethel United Methodist Church Hall, Fourth & Market Streets, Lewes. ...

Saturday, October 22

Walk to End Alzheimer's

Registration at 8:30 am, ceremony at 9:45 am, walk at 10:15am. Route ...

Saturday, October 22

Opera at the Beach

7:00pm, St. Edmond Catholic Church and Hall, 409 Kings Highway, Rehoboth ...

Sunday, October 23

Painting with a Twist Paint Your Pet

1:00pm, Painting with a Twist, 17723 Coastal Highway, Lewes. Our most personal ...

Friday, October 28 - Sunday, October 30

Sea Witch Halloween & Fiddlers Festival

Celebrate 27 years! A three-day celebration with parades, contests of all varieties, ...

Friday, October 28

"Not So Spooky Scavenger Hunt,"

9:00-11:00am, The Rehoboth Beach Museum located at 511 Rehoboth Avenue. ...

Saturday, October 29

"Mysteries of History."

Walking tour explores the unusual tombstones of St. Peter's cemetery ...

Monday, October 31

"Nosferatu: A Symphony of Horror"

6:00pm, All Saints Episcopal Church, Rehoboth Beach. The original 1922 silent film, ...

For a complete list visit

<http://www.rehoboth.com/events-activities/calendar-of-events.html>

<http://www.rehobothbandstand.com/>

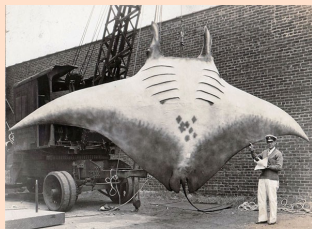


If you have not gotten your new car tags please see George or Diane, and please have your old ones to turn in.

Fun Facts.....

Happiness and stress are contagious; surrounding yourself with happier people will make you happier too. -

One of the largest manta rays ever caught was by Capt. A.L. Kahn in 1933 off Brielle. It weighed over 5,000 pounds and was over 20 feet wide. -



Scientists concluded that the chicken came first, not the egg, because the protein which makes the egg shells is only produced by hens.



Scott	Vein	9/2
Karilyn	McClelland	9/2
Lillie	Weaver	9/3
Diana	Bailey	9/5
Lauren	Doyle	9/5
Kenneth	Eidle	9/11
Brady	Hake	9/13
Rachel	Carpenter	9/14
Claire	Shettel	9/18
David	Stump	9/21
Phyllis	Eidle	9/23
Richard	Hough	9/23
John	Hurd	9/24
Creig	Scott	9/27
Linda	Shenk	9/27
Linda	Jones	9/27
Nancy	Kirk	9/30
Bart	Storm	10/5
George	Husflet	10/5
Cheryl	Chilcutt	10/7
Thomas	Butler	10/10
Todd	Reitnower	10/10
Barbara	Snyder	10/13
Larry	Yingling	10/17
Mollie	Doyle	10/18
Chelsea	Carpenter	10/20
David	Stachowicz	10/21
Andrew	Hess	10/25
Don	McClements	10/27
Bill	Campbell	10/28
Harry	Doyle	10/28
George	Carter	10/28
Jeff	Reisinger	10/29

Happy Anniversary

Frank & Valerie Carey	9/1
David & Charlene Itzel	9/4
Don & Marylou Brady	9/6
Jim & Cheryl Chilcutt	9/10
Clyde & Linda Sutherland	9/15
George & Peggy Snyder	9/24
Chad & Tracey Reibold	9/28
Kevin & Cindy Johnson	10/6
Robert & Nancy Kirk	10/12
Dick & Joyce Powell	10/15
Mike & Karilyn McClelland	10/30



Fellow Port Residents:

Well it seems as if the Summer has really gone fast, it just seems as if we just opened the Port up for the Season.

On October 8th we are going to have our usual soup and dessert dinner.

The sign-up sheet will be in the Hall for you to sign up for a soup or dessert.

If you will not be down there and are coming to the dinner please email me so

I can put your name down and what you are bringing.

It is fun to see the different soups and to be able to taste them. We usually have a big variety and they are all good.

So please let me know if you are coming.

Have a Great Day,
Jean
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How to Paint Acorns

Step 1: Place acorns on foil-lined cookie sheet and bake at 170* for a few hours. I baked mine for about two hours just to be sure everything was good and dead. One acorn cracked and was a bit burnt looking but the rest came out looking good.

Step 2: Use acrylic craft paints and a paint brush to paint your acorns. Brush strokes will make a difference in the acorns' appearance so brush with the grain of the nut. I didn't remove my caps in order to paint them. A few caps had fallen off, and I used hot glue to reattach them. I found the acorns much easier to paint with caps intact. I have a TON of acrylic paint in my craft room and used different shades of green, blue, orange, and gold on my acorns. I didn't bother giving any of the acorns two coats of paint but you might want to if you prefer a more opaque look.

Set the acorns aside to dry and don't worry too much about the wet paint. Most of the acorns will naturally roll back to their caps when you set them down.



Buffalo Chicken Dip Recipe

Make sure your cream cheese has softened to room temperature before making this recipe; this makes it easier to mix with the other ingredients.

INGREDIENTS

- 1 8-ounce package cream cheese, softened
- 2/3 cup sour cream
- 2/3 cup mayonnaise
- 2 cups shredded cheddar or mozzarella
- 1/2 cup hot sauce, [Frank's Buffalo Wing Sauce](#) or any other favorite hot sauce
- 1 tablespoon dried parsley
- 1 teaspoon dried dill
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 1/2 teaspoon granulated onion
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon black pepper
- 1 pound cooked chicken breast, shredded
- 1/4 cup cilantro, to top
- Vegetable sticks, crackers, or sliced baguette, to serve

Special equipment:

- 9-inch pie or tart pan, 9-inch square baking dish, or other similarly sized baking dish

METHOD

1 Warm the oven to 350F with a rack in the middle position.

2 In the bowl of a stand mixer, combine the cream cheese, the sour cream, and mayonnaise. Mix them together until smooth, stopping the mixer to scrape down the sides if necessary. Mix in the cheese, hot sauce, dried herbs, garlic, granulated onion, salt, and pepper. Mix again until completely incorporated.

3 Add the shredded chicken. Mix on low until combined.

4 Bake until bubbly: Pour the mixture into a 9-inch pie pan, 9-inch square baking dish, or other baking dish. Bake for 30 minutes, or until the mixture is bubbling. Sprinkle the cilantro over the top and serve with immediately with vegetable sticks, crackers, or sliced baguette.

Mulled Apple Cider

Ingredients

- 1 gallon apple cider or unfiltered apple juice
- 10 whole cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon whole black peppercorns, lightly crushed
- 2 strips orange peel, about 2 inches long
- 6 dried allspice berries
- 4 heads star anise
- 1 cinnamon stick
- 1 (1-inch) piece fresh ginger, thinly sliced

Orange twists, for garnish (optional)

Instructions

1. Combine all of the ingredients except the orange twists in a large pot.
2. Bring the mixture to a boil over medium-high heat. Reduce the heat to medium and simmer for 10 minutes.
3. Remove from the heat and let steep for 10 minutes before serving.
4. Serve the cider in heatproof mugs garnished with an orange twist, if desired.



Fall Weather Safety Tips from the Farmers Almanac

Fall is a wonderful time of year. The leaves are changing, the kids are back to school, there's football to watch, apples to pick, pumpkins to carve and the weather is especially pleasant — lower humidity and better sleeping temperatures. What's not to love?

But fall is not without its share of hazards. So here are some tips to be prepared for whatever weather challenges may come your way this season:

Floodwaters

In short, never drive through floodwaters! Fall can often times bring with it rainy weather, and heavy rains can be a common occurrence as September and October are still part of hurricane season. So if you encounter fast moving water or a flooded roadway as you are driving or walking, it's best to turn around and find another route. Abide by the "Turn Around, Don't Drown" adage. You do not know the conditions under the water. All it takes is 6 inches of moving water to make you fall. And keep children and pets from playing in floodwater.

Leaf Hazards

Leaves, while pretty, can pose hazards for motorists. Fallen leaves can gather on roadways and when they become wet, they can create very slick conditions. Add freezing temperatures to the mix and your vehicle will have zero tracking, similar to driving on an icy road. In addition, leaves can cover important road markings (double yellow lines, for example) or deep pot holes. So it's important to slow down when driving on a leaf-covered roadway. And always give yourself plenty of room between you and the cars around you in case anyone has to stop short.

Children often play in leaf piles so be alert! Never drive through a pile of leaves.

Many "leaf peepers" are out on the roadways and many can be distracted by foliage vistas. Be alert to what other motorists are doing.

Keep your windshield free of leaves so as to not obstruct your view. And if you see dried leaves peeking out from under the hood of your car, take a moment to pop it and clear them away before you take your trip as they can obstruct ventilation holes and overheat your vehicle.

Reduced Visibility

With the days getting shorter, visibility when driving in the fall can be a challenge. Many people walk along the side of the road at dusk with dogs, on horses or riding bicycles, and they can be difficult to see. School is also in session so kids are out playing. Mornings tend to be foggy. Additionally, fall is a time when wildlife is more active and on the move. Slow down when driving, especially on curvy or narrow roads where visibility around corners is difficult, and pay attention to postings for animal crossings, and obey school zone speed limits.

Weather Changes

Fall foliage hikes are fabulous. If you take a hike, be prepared for weather changes as you increase elevation. It may be sunny at the base of the mountain but it could be cold and rainy or even snowy at the summit. Dress in layers, and bring a wind breaker or waterproof shell, plenty of water, and never hike alone.

Water Safety

Many people like to take fall boat rides to see peak foliage. Even if things seem calm on the water, everyone on board should wear a life jacket. Being submerged in water of any temperature for any length of time can cause hypothermia and even the strongest swimmer can be weakened.

