FREE FAMILY FUN – WINTER 2019

DECEMBER

Mexican Folklore Dance Classes, December-February, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays, 6-7:45 p.m., Garfield Park Rec Center, 26 Karlyn Dr., New Castle. Call 302-494-2377 or 302-345-7594 to register. Free dance lessons for all ages.

December

Free Museum Tours All Month!, Wed.-Sat., 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Sun., 12-3 p.m., Rockwood Museum, 4651 Washington St. Ext., North Wilmington. Our gift to you – free tours! Rockwood offers free admission for mansion tours, on the hour. Bring the whole family.

December 3

Holiday Concert, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Experience the joy of the holidays through bell ringing performances of traditional and modern favorites by Newark UMC's First State Ringers. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 3

Cardmaking Workshop, 6-8 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Learn the art of cardmaking with a new holiday or theme each month. Suites for ages 12 through adults. Registration required by calling 302-995-7663.

December 4

Collecting and Observing, 6-7 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Collect different items and view them with magnifying glasses and a microscope. Build skills in data collection, classification, evaluation, prediction and sharing results. NASA@ My Library Partners. Interactive family science for ages 5 through adults

December 6 & 7

Holiday Open House, 5-9 p.m., Rockwood Museum & Park, 4651 Washington St. Ext., North Wilmington. Don't miss this popular holiday event at historic Rockwood Mansion. Photos with Santa, live music, dance and theater performances, crafts, food trucks, holiday gift shoppe, festival of lights, tree lighting ceremony. Parking for this free event is at Rockwood Office Park, Carr Road, with regular shuttles. No parking is available at Rockwood Park. A magical holiday experience for families young and old.

December 7

Creative Art Saturdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Appoquinimink Community Rec Center, 651 North Broadway St., Middletown. Create a fun art project with a local artist. Call 302-995-7661 for themes. Registration is not required. Ideal for children, adults and families!

December 7

Family Game Day, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Kirkwood Library, 6000 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington. Challenge your family and friends with board games, puzzles, card games and more!

December 7

Post-Parade Holiday Celebration, 12-2 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Enjoy the festive holiday sounds of Sinerje Clarniet Quartet and a visit from Santa. Refreshments. All ages.

December 7

Delaware Day Celebration, Library hours, Elsmere Library, 30 Spruce Ave in Elsmere. Bring the family to learn about Delaware Day through crafts, activities and more!

December 7

Build Your Own Gingerbread House, 10-11:30 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Enjoy decorating your own gingerbread house and other fun food crafts with NHS Culinary Arts students. Registration required by calling 302-995-7663. Holiday culinary excitement for the family

December 7

Middle Run Park Walking Club, 9-10 a.m., Middle Run Park, Possum Hollow Rd., Newark. Trails are not paved and somewhat hilly. Great exercise for all ages.

December 8

Holiday Concert, 2-3 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Experience the joy of the holidays through bell ringing performances of traditional and modern favorites by Newark UMC's First State Ringers. Refreshments and sponsorship thanks to Friends of the Bear Library. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 9

Holiday Safety, 2-3:30 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Join NCCPD professionals as they detail safety precautions such as safe shopping practices useful to protect your person, family and property, especially during the busy holiday season. Registration recommended by calling 302-838-3300. All ages

December 9-15

Hour of Code, Library hours, Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Walk in to become part of a global movement reaching more than 100m students worldwide. Come in during Computer Science Education Week for an hour of coding and take home a certificate of completion. Open to all ages

December 10

Santa's Visit and Story Time, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Families can do crafts, play games and meet the special visitor from the North Pole. Bring your camera for pictures!

December 10

Holidays Around the World, 6-7 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Explore the variety of holidays from different countries and religions through song, story and crafts. Holiday entertainment for ages 5 through adults

December 13

Holiday Concert, 7-8 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Experience the joy of the holidays through bell ringing performances of traditional and modern favorites by Newark UMC's First State Ringers. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 13

Holiday Celebration and Market, 5-9 p.m., Glasgow Park, Bear. Come to Glasgow Park for a fun-filled evening of holiday surprised including photos with Santa, entertainment, crafts, food trucks, tree and menorah lighting, and more. Do some holiday shopping with our market vendors to pick out some unique gifts. A festive holiday event for the whole family.

December 13 & 14

Candlelight Tours, 5-8 p.m., Rockwood Museum & Park, 4651 Washington St. Ext., North Wilmington. Enjoy a rare evening tour of the mansion and view the museum's holiday display "Home for the Holidays". A great opportunity for the whole family

December 14

Holiday Concert, 1-2 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Experience the joy of the holidays through bell ringing performances of traditional and modern favorites by Newark UMC's First State Ringers. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 14

How the Grinch Stole WHO-ckessin, 1-2 p.m., Hockessin Library, 1023 Valley Rd., Hockessin. Join us for an interactive showing of the original classic Dr. Seuss's How the Grinch Stole Christmas, in partnership with Hockessin Business Association. Holiday classic for the family

December 14

Holiday Scavenger Hunt, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Appoquinimink Library, 651 N Broad St., Middletown. Usher in the season with some fun! Register your team of 2-5 members by December 13 at the Library Reference Desk. Prizes! Registration required for this family activity at 302-378-5588.

December 14

Creative Art Saturdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., The Art Studio, 310 Kiamensi Road in Belvedere. Create a fun art project with a local artist. Call 302-995-7661 for themes. Registration is not required. Ideal for children, adults and families!

December 14

Iron Hill Hiking Club, 9-10 a.m., Iron Hill Park, Newark. No matter what the season, hikers are treated to a cornucopia of sights and sounds along the trails. Meet at the top of the upper parking lot at Iron Hill and enjoy the trail with fellow hikers. Wear hiking gear suitable for all weather, the trails include varying degrees of difficulty. Water bottle and bug repellant optional. All ages.

December 14

Fix It Café, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Glasgow Park Bank Barn, US 40 and Route 896 in Glasgow. Bring that broken lamp, vacuum, waffle iron, sewing machine or any one item that you can carry. Work beside a volunteer experienced in repairs with the goal of taking something that works again! Put a dent in the nearly 5 pounds of trash each of us generates every day by repairing the small household appliances that just need a little TLC to stay out of the landfill. Registration required at nccde.org/bankbarn. Youth ages 10 and up and adults will learn something.

December 14

Gingerbread Cookie Decorating, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Learn different decorating techniques and go home with a festive gingerbread cookie. Families are welcome and supplies are included. Registration is required by calling 302-838-3300.

December 17

Holiday Concert, 7-8 p.m., Kirkwood Library, 6000 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington. Experience the joy of the holidays through bell ringing performances of traditional and modern favorites by Newark UMC's First State Ringers. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 17

Karaoke Night, 6-8 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Singing and dancing fun for everyone!

December 18

Meet the Bees, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Bees are endangered yet crucial to our ecosystem and economy, so how can we help nurture and protect them? Delawarebeekeepers.com volunteers teach about bees' lives, hives, pollination, honey and even how you can create a home-based apiary hobby or business. Registration required by calling 302-838-3300. A unique learning experience for ages 12 through adults.

December 19

History Quiztory, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Glasgow Park Bank Barn, US 40 and Route 896 in Glasgow. History is brought to life, including facts and perspectives not commonly discussed about local history. Presentation by Pencader Heritage Area Association is followed by a brief, friendly quiz with fun prizes. Registration required at www.nccde.org/bankbarn. Open to ages 12 through adults.

December 20

Light Up the Night Winter Party, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. On the longest night of the year, chase away the dark with stories, games and crafts. Bring a flashlight and wear your PJ's for a shining celebration of night. Family fun!

December 20

Winter Holiday Party, 1-3 p.m., Elsmere Library, 30 Spruce Ave in Elsmere. Music, games, crafts and snacks for the whole family to celebrate the holidays. Including a special holiday concert from Mike Cook of Steel Happiness with steel drums.

December 21

Family Movie Matinee, 2-4 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Bring the whole family to enjoy a great movie on our big screen.

December 21

Holiday Concert, 2-3 p.m., Hockessin Library, 1023 Valley Rd., Hockessin. Vox Humana Choir offers holiday songs. Refreshments. Musical entertainment for the family.

December 22

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December 21

Middle Run Park Walking Club, 9-10 a.m., Middle Run Park, Possum Hollow Rd., Newark. Trails are not paved and somewhat hilly. Great exercise for all ages.

December 21

Games Galore, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Hockessin Library, 1023 Valley Rd., Hockessin. Board games and card games are set up in the children's room for you to play a game and meet new friends! Old-fashioned family activity

December 27

Storybook Scavenger Hunt, library hours, Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Can you find everything on our list? Stop at the Youth Desk and see if you are up for the challenge. Bring the whole family!

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December 31

Oversized Game Day, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Hockessin Library, 1023 Valley Rd., Hockessin. All of our games have been super-sized today, so bring the family and join the giant fun!

December 31

Two Years' Eve Party, 1-2 p.m., Appoquinimink Library, 651 N Broad St., Middletown. Celebrate 2019 and prepare for 2020 with crafts, refreshments, photo booth and a balloon drop. All ages

December 31

Noon Year's Eve Party, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Welcome in the new year with crafts, music, and a balloon drop at this family-friendly party.

JANUARY

January 1

New Year's Day Hike, 1-2 p.m., Rockwood Museum, 4651 Washington St. Ext., North Wilmington. Bring the whole family and well-behaved pets on a leash to enjoy a 1.5-mile easy-to-moderate hike along paved paths and wooded trails surrounding the beautiful Victorian mansion. Dress in layers, wear appropriate footwear and bring your water bottle. Meet at the entrance to Rockwood Museum. Registration requested at <u>www.newcastlede.gov/livehealthyncc</u>

January 3

Storybook Scavenger Hunt, library hours, Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Can you find everything on our list? Stop at the Youth Desk and see if you are up for the challenge. Bring the whole family!

January 4

Family Game Day, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Kirkwood Library, 6000 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington. Challenge your family and friends with board games, puzzles, card games and more!

January 5

First Sundays Free, 12-3 p.m., Rockwood Museum, 4651 Washington St. Ext., North Wilmington. On the first Sunday of every month, Rockwood offers free admission for mansion tours, on the hour starting at 12pm. Bring the whole family.

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January 7

Cardmaking Workshop, 6-8 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. Learn the art of cardmaking with a new holiday or theme each month. Suites for ages 12 through adults. Registration required by calling 302-995-7663.

January 7-28

Peace Youth Art Exhibit, Library hours, Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. View the travelling Peace Youth Art Exhibition curated by Pacem in Terris, a Wilmington-based peace and justice organization. Inspiring artwork for all ages.

January 10

Family Fort Night Story Time, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Bring your sheets, blankets and flashlight. Build a blanket fort then snuggle in to read in cozy comfort. Wear PJs! Snacks. An evening of family story time

January 11

Creative Art Saturdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., The Art Studio, 310 Kiamensi Road in Belvedere. Create a fun art project with a local artist. Call 302-995-7661 for themes. Registration is not required. Ideal for children, adults and families!

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Creative Art Saturdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Garfield Park Community Rec Center, 26 Karlyn Drive near New Castle. Create a fun art project with a local artist. Call 302-995-7661 for themes. Registration is not required. Ideal for children, adults and families!

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Iron Hill Hiking Club, 9-10 a.m., Iron Hill Park, Newark. No matter what the season, hikers are treated to a cornucopia of sights and sounds along the trails. Meet at the top of the upper parking lot at Iron Hill and enjoy the trail with fellow hikers. Wear hiking gear suitable for all weather, the trails include varying degrees of difficulty. Water bottle and bug repellant optional. All ages.

January 14

Microscope Exploration, 4-5 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Explore the microscopic world around us. Learn about plant cells and some single cell organisms that live near in Delaware ponds. Build a hypothesis and put these cells to the test with water. Tickets at the Kids' Desk 15 minutes prior to program. For budding scientists ages 7 through adults

January 15

National Hat Day Celebration, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Celebrate hats with stories and make a hat to take home! Family fun for ages 5 through adults

January 15

MLK, Jr. Celebration, 3-5 p.m., Woodlawn Library, 2020 W 9th St. in Wilmington. Design and create a peace art collage using WaterColorBot. Families

January 16

History Quiztory, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Glasgow Park Bank Barn, US 40 and Route 896 in Glasgow. History is brought to life, including facts and perspectives not commonly discussed about local history. Presentation by Pencader Heritage Area Association is followed by a brief, friendly quiz with fun prizes. Registration required at www.nccde.org/bankbarn. Open to ages 12 through adults.

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January 18

From Africa to the Americas, 2-3 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Journey from Africa to the Americas with music, song, dance and stories highlighting the similarities between traditional African culture and African-influenced culture in the Americas. A village-oriented presentation for the entire family to participate in.

January 18

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January 21

Karaoke Night, 6-8 p.m., Route 9 Library, 3022 New Castle Ave., New Castle. Singing and dancing fun for everyone!

January 22

Handmade Chain Scarf, 6:30-8 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. No knitting needles or crochet hooks needed to complete a chain scarf with your own hands and boutique yarn. Supplies provided. Registration required by calling 302-838-3300. For crafters ages 11 through adults

January 26

An Afternoon with Melomanie, 2-3 p.m., Newark Free Library, 750 Library Ave., Newark. This ensemble performs music from the Baroque Era and more contemporary pieces using both period and modern instruments. Sponsored by Friends of the Newark Free Library. Musical entertainment for all ages

January 29

Let's Explore Our Winter Skies, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. All-weather event features hands-on learning, teleschopes, activities and the latest science on our neighbors visible in winter skies. Learn how to view the heavens and discuss how they relate to history and our unique and irreplaceable world. Registration requested at 302-838-3300. Weather fun for everyone!

January 31

Winter Beach Party, 6-7:30 p.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. You've heard of Christmas in July, well now it's time for Summer in January! Days may be short, but we have plenty of fun to light up your evening. Bring the family for games, stories, crafts and treats to remind us that the sun is coming back soon!

FEBRUARY

February 1

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February 1

Black History Month: A Celebration of African-American Innovators, 10:30 a.m., Walnut Street YMCA, 1000 N. Walnut St., Wilmington. A riveting morning with speakers, performances, demonstrations, history displays, vendors and refreshments. All ages will enjoy this special presentation.

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Black History Month: African Americans and the Civil War, 2-3 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Learn about the challenges African Americans faced as soldiers fighting for the Union cause during the Civil War. History for all ages.

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February 4

Black History Month: Rosa Parks' Birthday Party, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Appoquinimink Library, 651 N Broad St., Middletown. Celebrate Rosa Parks' life and determination at this special party open to all ages. Registration recommended by calling 302-378-5588.

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February 5

Summer Camp Open House: Explore A Brand New Summer, 4-7 p.m., Gilliam Building Lobby, 77 Reads Way, New Castle. Get a jump start on summer camp registration. Camp registration and financial aid applications will be available online starting March 1 at newcastlede.gov/camp but you can sign up today! Camps for ages 4-18.

February 5

Black History Month Movie Matinee, 2-4 p.m., 4-6 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Experience award-nominated documentary films and biopics in a weekly double feature up on the big screen. Refreshments. Call 302-838-3300 for titles or visit the info desk. Movies best suited for teens and adults.

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February 8

Black History Month: The Language of Quilts, 2-3 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Discover how secret messages in the form of quilt patterns helped slaves escape captivity before and during the Civil War. Includes an interactive activity for children. All ages.

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February 8

Harry Potter Fan Club Valentine's Day Party, 2-4 p.m., Appoquinimink Library, 651 N Broad St., Middletown. Professor Lockhart cordially invites you to a Valentine's Day celebration at the library. Costumes encouraged but not required. Best suited for ages 5 through adults

February 10

Dragon Eye Pendant, 6-8 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Are you a Game of Thrones fan or do you simply like dragons? Learn how to sculpt a dragon eye with polymer clay and turn it into a pendant to wear. Registration required by calling 302-838-3300. Crafting experience for ages 11 through adults.

February 10

Harry Potter Valentine's Day Celebration, 6-7:30 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Join the Harry Potter Fan Club for an enchanting evening of well-mannered frivolity. School robes are encouraged but not required. Registration required by calling 302-798-4164. All ages.

February 11

International Day of Women and Girls in Science, 5:30-7 p.m., Appoquinimink Library, 651 N Broad St., Middletown. Explore the history of women's instrumental role in the sciences with demonstration and trivia. A great activity for ages 7 through adults

February 11

Balloon Car Builds, 4-5 p.m., Bear Library, 101 Governor's Place, Bear. Build your custom balloon vehicle with family members and friends and see what it takes to make your racer go the farthest and the fastest down the track. Trade ideas and work as a team to make the best balloon racers. Tickets at the Kids' Desk 15 min before. Racing fun for ages 7 through adults.

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February 14

Love the Library Party, 10:30-11:15 a.m., Brandywine Hundred Library, 1300 Foulk Road, North Wilmington. Hearts and flowers and kisses and BOOKS! Enjoy stories, games and crafts that show how much we LOVE our libraries. Activities for ages 4 and up with families

February 14

Black History Month: The Sylvia Olden Lee Music Guild, 7-8 p.m., Kirkwood Library, 6000 Kirkwood Hwy., Wilmington. This National Association of Negro Musicians, Inc. group performs a wonderful selection of Negro Spirituals for the entire family. Refreshments.

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Black History Month: Folk Art and Culture, 2-3 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Jamaican born, prize-winning folk artist Eunice LaFate addresses the concept of folk art. Create your own art! Tickets given out 30 minutes before. Bring the family and listen to this Wilmington artist!

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Family Paint Party, 2-4 p.m., Claymont Library, 400 Lenape Way, Claymont. Join us for a winter-themed family paint program. Tickets given out 30 min prior to start of program on a first-come first-served basis. Ages 5 and up with a caregiver

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