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District celebrates kindergarten literacy success

BY HEATHER NIGRONE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The room was filled nearly to capacity and there were smiles and anticipation on the faces of many in the audience during BASD's curriculum meeting Feb. 5. Kimberly Harper, director of curriculum took the microphone and presented an exciting update on the district's Reading by Grade 3 initiative. Over the past few years, the district has put renewed emphasis on getting all BASD students reading at or above grade level, by grade 3. The program has involved substantial changes to materials used by students and teachers, and re-

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training of faculty. Each school year, the district assesses the reading capabilities of all kindergarten students using a DIBELS assessment test. The test is designed to measure reading levels at the beginning, middle and end of the school year. The scores for the district at middle and end of the year have been trending upward over the past few years. However the district has focused more than once, on the alarmingly lower scores at the beginning of year, meaning that each entering class of kindergarten is reading at a lower level than any year

prior. This makes the gap in learning and comprehension that much harder for Kindergarten staff, but with the rigorous training BASD has provided, much success has been seen. The numbers and charts presented spoke for themselves, but Harper had a few tiny voices who helped speak louder. BASD kindergarten students Roman Wilson and Matthew Loyer, were both asked to sit in front of the audience and the school board, and read a book of their choice out loud. Both boys did an excellent job sounding out and pronouncing the words, as parents, faculty, board members

PEOPLE SAY

BY DANA GRUBB

Which athletes, teams or sports will you be following most at the 2018 Winter Olympics?



"Snowboarding and Shaun White."
Julian Detrixhe
Bethlehem



"The luge, men's and women's downhill skiing, and yesterday I was into the men's snowboarding."
Terry Materna
Palmer Township

SOUTHSIDE

Council approves street vacation

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Council gave preliminary approval to a plan to convert part of Filbert Street and part of Second Avenue status to be "vacated, discontinued, abandoned and stricken from the city's General Plan of Streets" Feb. 6.

The action furthers a \$13 million plan to redevelop the Floyd Simmons National Guard Armory at 301 Prospect Avenue and other lots owned on dead-end Filbert Street.

The action will affect Filbert Street from its intersection with Rauch Street to Second Avenue and the vacation of Second Avenue from the right-of-way of Prospect Avenue to approximately 42 feet south of southernmost right-of-way of Filbert Street according to the draft resolution presented on Tuesday according to the proposed ordinance.

The final vote on the approval of a redesignation for Filbert Street may be held at the next regular meeting of the Bethlehem City Council.

Former Bethlehem Mayor John Callahan, now with Perone Development, used the public comments time at the meeting to pitch the street redesignation. Callahan said no specific use has yet been identified for the drill hall, a space with a hardwood floor.

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March FOR Life

PRESS PHOTO BY CINDY O'BRIEN

A large number of Lehigh Valley residents joined thousands of pro-life supporters from all over the country near the U.S. Capitol on their way to the U.S. Supreme Court during the recent rally in Washington, D.C. Our coverage begins on page A4.

Board, PennEast reach agreement

BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI
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BETHLEHEM AUTHORITY

Two-and-a-half years of protests, arguments and negotiations have ended.

The Bethlehem Authority, which owns 22,000 acres of precious watershed lands in Carbon County and the Poconos, came to an agreement Feb. 6 with PennEast Pipeline Co. for its contentious billion-dollar pipeline project.

At its Feb. 8 board meeting, authority members congratulated each other and thanked

many partners for their work to preserve the authority's wildland property and the safety of the region's water infrastructure. President John Tallarico said they have worked diligently to either reroute the pipeline away from authority land or surpass normal safety precautions, actively fighting the inevitable for the best possible outcome.

"We absolutely did not want [the pipeline]," Tallarico said, "but the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission would get eminent domain eventually. This agreement includes many protections we would not have gotten otherwise."

"We did our due dili-

gence." Member Vaughn Gower, prompted for comment, said only, "It's taken a while."

Protections the authority secured are largely difficult to envision by the layman, but exceed FERC and USDOT requirements in a number of instances. They include lengthened drilling under Beltzville Lake to further separate oil lines from the water, constructing vibration monitoring near pipeline crossings, restricting blasting during construction, increasing the thickness of all pipes beyond proposals, and rerouting the line away from the Blue Mountain water transmission tunnel.

The agreement allows the proposed 120-mile pipeline to cross through Carbon County with an initial term of 25 years for the land use, with an initial payment of \$420,000. Annual fees will begin at \$34,126 and increase up to year 25 at \$75,392. The authority says the fees will be used to pay for consultants to explore future options, inspection services, security equipment and monitoring, reforestation of 51 acres impacted by pipeline construction and payment for timber and carbon credit losses.

The authority also negotiated an additional fee of \$10,000 for the following 25 years, holding PennEast to a fixed payment for the next half-century.

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"Ski jumping, speed skating and the luge."
Porter Pijut
Bethlehem



"Figure skating and Nathan Chen."
Elizabeth Green
Bethlehem



"Snowboarding. I hope Shaun White gets the gold."
Jonathan Malsch
Bethlehem Township



"Ice hockey, skiing, and figure skating. That's pretty much what I like to watch."
Tiffany Pagel
Bethlehem

2018 HS MUSICALS

March 3 to 5 - Moravian Academy
Into the Woods, 7:30 p.m. March 3, 4: 2 p.m. March 5. Dyer Auditorium, Walter Hall, Moravian Academy, 4313 Green Pond Road. Tickets: visit <http://click4tix.com/moravian/>.

March 8 to 11 - Saucon Valley HS
The Music Man, 7 p.m. March 8, 9, 10; 2 p.m. March 11; 2097 Polk Valley Road, Hellertown. Tickets: visit www.showtix4u.com; click on "Buy Tickets Event Search"; search for Saucon Valley High School.

April 11 to 15- Freedom HS
Once Upon A Mattress, 7 p.m. April 11, 12, 13, 14; and 2 p.m. April 15. 3149 Chester Ave. Tickets: visit www.showtix4u.com; click on "Buy Tickets Event Search"; search for Freedom HS. For assistance, special needs seating, and box office hours, call 610-867-6630.

April 11 to 15 - Charter Arts HS
The Drowsy Chaperone, 7 p.m. April 11 through 14; 2 p.m. April 15. Black Box Theatre, Charter Arts, 321 E. Third St. Tickets: call 610-868-2971, ext. 3185, or visit www.CharterArts.org.

April 13-15, 20-21 - Bethlehem Catholic HS
Godspell, 7 p.m. April 13, 14, 20, 21; 2 p.m. April 15; Bethlehem Catholic HS auditorium, 2133 Madison Ave. Tickets: visit <http://bit.ly/becatheater> or call 610-866-0791; pickup at door one hour prior to showtime if available.

April 20 to 22 - Notre Dame Catholic HS
Cinderella, 7 p.m. April 20, 21; 2 p.m. April 22; 3417 Church Road, Easton. Tickets: (as of March 1) visit: https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B3cW2_91NV6QaHQzaGNRWlo4U0U/view?usp=sharing; print out form and send with check to the school; after that, visit the box office from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. April 9, 12 or 18. School: visit www.ndcrusaders.org.

April 27 to 29 - Liberty HS
The Wizard of Oz, 7 p.m. April 26, 27, 28; 2 p.m. April 29. Liberty HS auditorium, 1115 Linden St. Tickets (after March 2), visit: www.showtix4u.com; click on "Buy Tickets Event Search"; Search for Liberty HS.

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ED'S WORLD



GRAPHIC COMMENTARY BY ED COURIER



Calypso ES Principal Kathleen Bast, and Kindergarten teacher Lynn Venable and Dr. Karen Beck Pooley gather around kindergarten student Roman Wilson while he reads his selected story to the audience.



PRESS PHOTOS BY HEATHER NIGRONE
William Penn ES Principal Eric Fontanez is joined by Kindergartener Matthew Loyer, teacher Stacia Gillespie, and Board VP Shannon Patrick, as Matthew reads from a selected book

BASD

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and the public looked on in support. Both boys had struggled with reading coming into the kindergarten year, and

had shown such drastic improvement they were selected for the evening. Both stories ended in a round of applause and both students received a small gift for participating. It was a special moment that recognized

the tremendous effort of both the students and the teachers alike. The full data on scores is available on the school board website, and will be updated again at the end of the school year. But with 75

percent of BASD kindergarten students reading at or above grade level, it isn't hard to imagine the end of year results will be extremely commendable.



PRESS PHOTOS BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Eric Evans receives well wishes from fellow council persons after city council President Adam Waldron read a citation recognizing Evans' service on the city council.



Former Bethlehem Mayor John Callahan, now with Perone Development, uses the public comments time at the meeting to pitch the street re-designation.

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Adjacent to the armory, which has its main entrance on Prospect Avenue, are two large structures accessible from Second Avenue which the developer plans to convert to apartments. A large 10,000-square-foot basement, according to Callahan, may be used for a fitness facility and some mechanical uses.

Callahan said construction might begin as early as this summer.

Several citizens spoke against the plan to redesignate the streets; most comments related to parking and quality of life concerns such as speeding on Prospect Avenue.

One resident, William Scheirer, told council, "It is incumbent on you ... that you take a broader view of the importance of this project for the city. Does the closing of these streets enable a project that is the best possible project for the city?"

Others spoke in favor

of the project, including the redesignation of the roads. Speakers also expressed the desire for a traffic study to be done before final decisions are made.

The council voted 5-0 in favor of the plan. Councilman Bryan Callahan recused himself from voting because he is former mayor John Callahan's brother. The council is short one member as recently resigned Eric Evans's seat has not been filled.

The armory's namesake, Floyd Simmons,

was the first soldier from Bethlehem to die during World War I. The armory was originally built to house Battery D, 213th Coast Artillery of the Pennsylvania National Guard. It was declared a Historic Place in 1990 when it was added to the National Register of Historic Places.

In other business, Council President Adam Waldron read a citation recognizing Evans' service on city council.

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Bethlehem City Hall Rotunda: Marianne Knipe, pastel paintings; through March 1. City Hall complex, 10 E. Church St. Visit <http://bfac-lv.org/>.

Bethlehem Area Public Library: Call 610-867-3761(main) or 610-867-7852 (Southside); Visit www.bapl.org (main) or www.bapl.org/ssmain.htm (Southside); newsletter: <http://bit.ly/2b7lCeZ>.

The Cancer Support Community of the Greater L.V.: Free education/support for cancer patients and their caregivers. Call 610-861-7555 or visit www.cancersupportlv.org for schedules.

Cops 'n' Kids Reading Room: 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesdays and other days. Room 403, Fowler Center, NCC, 511 E. Third St. Call 610-861-5526 or visit www.copsnkidslv.org.

Historic Bethlehem Museum and Sites: 1-800-360-TOUR; visit <http://historicbethlehem.org>.

Lehigh Valley Active Life: senior activities. Visit <http://lvactivelife.org/> or call 610-437-3700.

Moravian Book Shop: 428 Main St. Call 610-866-5481 or visit www.moravianbookshop.com.

Moravian and Kemerer museums and 1810 Goundie House: Gilded, through March 11, call 610-882-0450 or visit <https://historicbethlehem.org/collections/exhibits/gilded/>.

National Museum of Industrial History: Visit <http://nmih.org>; call 610-694-6644. 602 E. Second St.

Penn State Lehigh Valley: Visit <http://lehighvalley.psu.edu/gallery> or call 610-285-5261.

Salvation Army: Call 610-867-4681 for senior activities and other schedules.

Steelworkers' Archives: For tours and activities schedules, visit www.steelworkersarchives.com.

Wednesday, February 14

Great Decisions Foreign Policy lecture: The Waning of Pax Americana by Ian Peleg of Lafayette College, sponsored by Bethlehem YWCA. 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Kirkland Village auditorium, 1 Kirkland Circle. Visit www.ywcabethlehem.org or call 610-867-4669, ext. 103. Rescheduled to Feb. 14 due to Feb. 7 weather conditions. The lecture originally set for this date will be held April 4.

Thursday, February 15

Beginning Windows computer classes, 10 a.m. to noon. bridge, knitting. 1 p.m. Lower Saucon Township Senior Center, 3700 Old Philadelphia Pike. Information: call 610-625-8744.

Friday, February 16

Bethlehem Township Community Center night of swimming, inner tube floating and a movie. Inner tubes provided or bring your own. 7 to 9 p.m. Visit www.bethlehemtowship.org/btcc/.

Saturday, February 17

Wildlands Conservancy - Northampton County: free introduction to snowshoeing; ages eight and older. Wear hiking boots or insulated waterproof boots. 10 to 11:30 a.m. Registration required. Louise Moore Park, pavilion 2, 151 Country Club Road, Upper Nazareth Township, 18045. Call 610-965-4397 or visit wildlandspa.org.

Sunday, February 18

Bethlehem NAACP's annual Freedom Fund Banquet, "Pursuing Liberty in the Face of Injustice" by M. Rayah Levy; and recognition of artist contributors. Reception, 2:30 p.m. buffet dinner, 3 p.m. The Meadows, 1770 Meadows Road, Hellertown, 18055. Call 610-866-2078 or 610-865-9379 or email jlee975@gmail.com.

Tuesday, February 20

Pinocle, 1 p.m. Lower Saucon Township Senior Center, 3700 Old Philadelphia Pike.

Cancer caregiver sessions, Wesley U.M. Church, 2540 Center St. Call 610-865-5715.

Wednesday, February 21

Great Decisions Foreign Policy lecture: U.S. Global Engagement and the Military, Kelly Denton-Borhaug of Moravian College, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. sponsored by the Bethlehem YWCA. Kirkland Village auditorium, 1 Kirkland Circle. Visit www.ywcabethlehem.org or call 610-867-4669, ext. 103.

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MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, February 14

BASD, Special Board, Finance Committee and Human Resources, 6 p.m. Edgeboro Room, Education Center, 1516 Sycamore St.

Lehigh Co. Commissioners, 7:30 p.m. Public hearing room, Gov't. Center, 17 S. Seventh St., Allentown.

Thursday, February 15

Bethlehem Redevelopment Authority, 4 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.

Northampton Co. Council, 6:30 p.m. 669 Washington St., Easton.

Monday, February 19

President's Holiday.
Bethlehem Zoning Hearing Board, 6 p.m., 10 E. Church St.
Bethlehem Twp. Commissioners, 7 p.m. Municipal building, 4225 Easton Ave.
Hellertown Council, 7 p.m. 685 Main St.

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Library's 'Massive Music Sale' Feb. 17



PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB
Several pallets of music CDs have been donated to the Bethlehem Area Public Library, prompting this one-day music sale.

The Bethlehem Area Public Library will hold a special one day "Massive Music Sale" on Saturday from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. in the Main Branch's Bob Cohen Room. After the library received a 21,000 music CD donation, volunteers are currently sorting through several pallets of CDs and vinyl records to separate them by music genre. Other local vendors will also be present, making it a great opportunity for music listeners and collectors. All proceeds will be used to support the renovation of the Bob Cohen Room. Additional information is available by calling the library at 610-867-3761 or by visiting www.bapl.org.

Penn Forest won't appeal ruling

BY JUDY DOLGOS-KRAMER
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BETHLEHEM AUTHORITY

Penn Forest Township supervisors will not appeal a judge's ruling against its zoning hearing board that will allow a hotly contested wind turbine project to expand.

Carbon County Judge Steven R. Serfass ruled the zoning board didn't act in a timely manner, which deemed the permit approved.

As a result, Atlantic Wind's plan to build up to 37 wind turbines will advance.

The project has caused dismay among residents, who requested the township take action and file an appeal of the ruling. According to solicitor Thomas Nanovic, that isn't possible.



PHOTO BY JUDY DOLGOS-KRAMER
Penn Forest Township resident Marcus Laurence addresses the Penn Forest board of supervisors Monday night.

Laurence agreed that the residents want the supervisors to "advocate for the ordinance."

Advised not to appeal

The appeal period has passed, but Nanovic told residents why he advised the board not to appeal the ruling.

"First of all, I have carefully read the opinion of Judge Serfass, and it is a well thought-out opinion," Nanovic said. "I don't think it would be overturned on appeal, mainly because there aren't many facts in dispute. The law is not cloudy in this area."

The second reason Nanovic cited was that objectors Malitsch and Mangold had rightly filed an appeal of the deemed approval, to which the township has joined as an interested party. So the township is involved and in the position to argue in support of the ordinance.

Nanovic said the township has considered hiring an engineer to advise them on the matter.

"We would not be advocating for or against Atlantic Wind," Nanovic added.

Nanovic said the last reason for not filing an appeal was the same reason he had been using all along.

"If approved, Atlantic Wind will have to come before the board and the board will have to review the land development plan," he said.

Laurence went on to ask the board who they were going to hold accountable for the deemed approval ultimately coming about.

"Mr. Rapa should have moved forward and not waited," Laurence said. "How are we going to hold the zoning hearing board or the person advising them, who is being held accountable?"

Nanovic said the board has not had any such discussions.

Attorney Matthew Rapa was the solicitor at the time the deemed approval was made. During its reorganization meeting in January, the zoning hearing board appointed attorney Michael S. Greek as its solicitor moving forward.

Attempts to reach Greek were unsuccessful as of presstime.

Background

Atlantic Wind had filed for a special exception permit to build up the wind turbines in the township. After Serfass denied Atlantic Wind's request for the court to appoint an independent hearing officer and a change of venue for the public hearings on the permit, the township zoning hearing board failed to schedule additional hearings within the 45 days allowed by the Municipal Planning Code.

The board's failure to schedule the hearing within that time frame allowed Atlantic Wind to claim that the permit has been deemed approved. The judge's ruling lifted the stay and Atlantic Wind notified the Penn Forest Township Zoning Hearing Board that it considered the permit approved.

Residents want action, answers

Township residents Phillip C. Malitsch and Christopher Mangold, who were objectors to the permit application recognized by the hearing board, immediately filed an appeal of the deemed approval in the Carbon County Court of Common Pleas. The zoning hearing board joined in the appeal.

Last month, Serfass ruled that the Penn Forest Township Zoning Hearing Board cannot appeal the deemed approval, thus removing the board from any further action regarding the permit.

"The deemed approval is the board's decision by operation of law that resulted from its own delay," Serfass found.

The judge determined that the board could not appeal its own decision, even if that decision came about by a technicality.

At a recent supervisors meeting, a number of township residents requested that the supervisors file an appeal of Serfass' decision.

Township resident Marcus Laurence asked the board what its intentions are.

To date, supervisors have not spoken publicly about the Atlantic Wind application.

"I know that many residents are frustrated that the supervisors have not been outspoken about this project," said Nanovic. "As most of you know that was on my advice. And they chose to listen to their lawyer."

Nanovic has said he did not want the supervisors to express their opinions, because at some point, if the project should progress, a land development plan would come before the board for review.

"Should this matter come before the board, there will be no reason for them to be asked to recuse themselves, thereby taking the matter out of their hands," Nanovic said. "It will be their job to make sure that the ordinance is adhered to."

WATER

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Executive Director Stephen Repasch said

PennEast still has negotiations with other utility and municipal entities before the pipeline can commence, and some tangible benefits to the deal's closure such as new security equipment for the special police, may not be seen for a year. The next meeting is scheduled for 3:30 p.m. March 8 at city hall.

DA targets pharma in opioid fight

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

LEHIGH COUNTY

The soldiers in Lehigh County's fight against the opioid crisis just got some sharp new teeth that will allow them to attack a major source of the problem:

the drug manufacturers. Philadelphia to help Lehigh County's chief law enforcement officer, District Attorney Jim Martin, has marshaled the law firm of Haviland Hughes of Philadelphia to help him. Martin introduced the law firm to the board of commissioners Jan. 24 and asked the board to back him in his new attack plan to go after the big pharmacy companies and distributors believed responsible for producing and selling opioids that end up in the Lehigh Valley. While they don't expect to see any drug company executives go to jail, District Attorney Jim Martin and his new partner attorney at law Donald Haviland Jr. do expect to put a dent in the wallets of the pharmaceutical companies who are in their sights. If successful, after attorney's fees, the county could get money that could go toward the expenses of the opioid epidemic, such as off-

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Faith's Patience
In Lamentations 3:26 we read, "It is good that a man should both hope and quietly wait for the salvation of the LORD." Patience is an element of faith in God, and throughout the Bible we see the importance of patience and faith. "Here is the patience and the faith of the saints" (Revelation 13:10).
After proclaiming to the Jews God's prophecies of coming judgment for their sins, Jeremiah, author of Lamentations, suffered rejection and persecution. Through these trials he learned that patience is a necessary ingredient of an expectant hope in God! Patience is, in fact, evidence of a genuine faith in God! Prior to our text, Jeremiah tells of the ridicule and mistreatment he experienced and how discouraged he had been—even feeling that God wasn't hearing his prayers: "When I cry and shout, he shutteth out my prayer." He had been thrown into a horrible pit of mire and left to die. But then he says, "This I recall to my mind, therefore have I hope." There was no way for him to get out of that pit alive—yet God had made a way out! God caused Ebedmelech, an Ethiopian eunuch in the king's house, to hear about it and gave him the burden to appeal to the king who commanded him to take 30 men and get Jeremiah out of the pit. Jeremiah goes on to declare, "The LORD is good unto them that wait for him, to the soul that seeketh him." If you will seek God and patiently wait for Him, you will find that "The Lord is good!"
May we possess this faith's patience as exemplified by Jeremiah, Abraham, and others and be "followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises" (Hebrews 6:12). I urge you to hear this full message at: www.naog.ws/sermons.htm

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June Santee Gallagher

103 years old



June Santee Gallagher, 103, died Dec. 19, 2017, at the Mayfield Oaks Senior Residence, Alpharetta, Ga. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of Dr. Delbert K. Santee and June Merkle Santee. She was the wife of the late Thomas K. Garihan and the late Robert T. Gallagher.

She was a graduate of Liberty HS, Bethlehem, and of Connecticut College for Women, New London, Conn.

She was an artist, a ceramist, and a jewelry designer. She taught art and ceramic classes. An avid bridge player, she won many bridge tournaments over the years.

She is survived by two daughters, Lynn Erdely and Sandee Garihan of Roswell, Ga.; a grandson, Kirby and his wife Ashley; and a great-granddaughter, Iyla Erdely of White Salmon, Wash.; a stepson, Bill and his wife Cindi Gallagher and their family of Dallas, Texas; a niece, Susan and her husband John Burritt and their family of Edina, Minn.; and Santee, Garihan and Gallagher nieces and nephews and their families.

A Celebration of Life memorial gathering will be held in early 2018 in Roswell, Ga.

Arrangements were made by SouthCare Cremation and Funeral Society, Alpharetta, Ga.

Marita Soltis

formerly of Bethlehem

Marita Soltis, of Brookings, Oregon, and formerly of Bethlehem, died Jan. 25, 2018, in hospice at her home. She was a daughter of the late John and Julia Soltis of Bethlehem.

She attended computer training school at age 17. She was a 1973 graduate of Liberty HS. She studied massage at the Edgar Cayce Institute, Virginia Beach, Va., in the 1980s.

She was a first generation California computer professional in the 1970s until a bout with brain cancer in 1979. She earned her first of three black belts in karate at age 16 and taking first place in an international women's tournament emceed by Muhammed Ali.

She is survived by five siblings, Mary Ann and her husband Bob Burgholzer of Fort Lauderdale Fla., Sr. Loretta Soltis MSMBT of Philadelphia, Bernadette and her husband Mike Hardiman and their children Sebastian and Olivia of Downingtown, Gina and her husband Ray Gary and Grace and her husband Jim Brennan and their daughter Nikita Brennan of Easton, Md.; and a son, John "Jack" A. Soltis of Satellite Beach Fla. She resided with her sister, Gina.

Luther L. Christman

worked in the blast furnace

Luther L. Christman, 84, of Bath and formerly of Danielsville, died Jan. 30, 2018, at his home. Born in Palmerton, he was a son of the late Howard and Hilda (Kromer) Christman. He was the husband of MaryAnn L. (Beil) Christman for 61 years.

He attended Palmerton HS.

He was in the United States Army during the Korean War.

He worked in the blast furnace at Bethlehem Steel Corporation for more than 35 years until he retired.

He was a member of Emmanuel's Lutheran Church, Emanuelsville- Bath, and was on the church council for many years.

He was a member of Oplinger-Hower American Legion Post 899, Walnutport.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Connie Cecala of Bethlehem Township and her companion Anthony Pristash of Northampton, and Lynn and her husband James Reinhart of Hanover Township; two grandsons, Andrew Cecala and Tyler Reinhart; a step-granddaughter, Dennine and her husband Paul Leschinsky; a step-grandson, Joshua Cecala; and three step-great-grandchildren; a sister, Joyce Deibert of Walnutport; nieces; and nephews.

He was predeceased by a son-in-law, Louis Cecala; and two brothers, Richard and Forrest Christman.

Contributions may be made to the Philadelphia Ronald McDonald House, 100 E. Erie Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19134.

Arrangements were made by George G. Bensing Funeral Home Inc., Village of Moorestown - Bath.

Helen M. Richards

assistant at Moravian College

Helen M. Richards, formerly of Bethlehem, died Dec. 22, 2017 in Ellicott City, Md. Born in Chester, Conn., she was a daughter of Robert H. and Lois (Abbey) Markham. She was the wife of the late Spencer J. Richards.

She earned a bachelor's degree in English from Moravian College, and two master of arts degrees, one in English from Lehigh University and one in theological studies from Moravian Theological Seminary, from which she graduated in 2003.

She was an assistant to the president at Moravian College, where she worked from 1986 until she retired in 1998. She worked previously in the corporate accounting division of Bethlehem Steel Corporation and in the development office of Muhlenberg College.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem.

She is survived by nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by two sisters, Dorothy Lautrup and Virginia Chatfield; and a brother, Leslie.

Contributions may be made to the Moravian Seminary scholarship fund, att: The Rev. Chris Nelson, 1200 Main St. Bethlehem, PA 18018; or to the church's caregiving ministry, First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem -ECO, memo: for caregiving ministry, P.O. Box 1008, Bethlehem, PA 18016-1008.

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PRESS PHOTO BY CINDY O'BRIEN

Members of St. Stephen of Hungary Church were among thousands of pro-life supporters at the 45th annual March for Life in Washington, D.C.

'Marching out of selfless love'

LV pro-life supporters make the trip to DC for annual event

BY KRISTINE PORTER
Special to the Bethlehem Press

"Love Saves Lives" was the theme of the 45th annual March for Life Jan. 19 - a theme that emphasized the work of volunteers nationwide who help women and children in need.

Jeanne Mancini, president of March for Life, said in November 2017 when the theme was unveiled that when children are adopted from foster care, love saves a life. When people volunteer to help support a woman who is facing an unplanned pregnancy, love saves lives. And when people, mainly volunteers, work in crisis pregnancy centers to help women seeking help and support for another option instead of abortion, this is love saving lives.

Cindy O'Brien of Bethlehem said, "Many of the people who are active in the pro-life movement are also active in trying to help women who decide to have the baby. The pro-life movement has built many centers where people can get help. That needs to be emphasized."

For example, Bright Hope Pregnancy Support Centers in Allentown, Bethlehem and Easton offer help and education to women seeking other options. And pregnant homeless women can find a temporary home at Mary's Shelter in Reading and Mary's Shelter Cay Galgon Center in Bethlehem, where they can get prenatal care, gain life skills and finish their GED or pursue college credits.

O'Brien said this year was the first time she has ever gone to the march in Washington, D.C. She had always wanted to go, she said, but just never did. With an opportunity to go on a bus with a group from



PRESS PHOTO BY TARYN GILBERT

Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future members carried a super-hero themed poster in their quest for "justice" for unborn children in the 45th annual March for Life. The sign was created by Reginald Pierce.



PRESS PHOTO BY TARYN GILBERT

After the March for Life, Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future members attended the East Coast National Students for Life Conference in nearby Upper Marlboro, Md. From left: Annaleigh Atiyeh, Teara Gilbert, Jewels Gilbert, Jorne Gilbert and Tasia Gilbert.

her church, Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Bethlehem, this was the time to act.

"It was great to be around people just like me," she said about the

march.

O'Brien has been pro-life for a long time, long before facing her pregnancy crisis. Her doctor told her that tests showed her baby could

have Down Syndrome and suggested further testing and possibly abortion. Abortion was not an option she was willing to take, so she chose to have her baby no matter what was to lie ahead. Her son was born healthy and does not have Down Syndrome.

"Over the course of last year, I have been getting more involved (in the pro-life movement)," O'Brien said. She met Michael Israel, who co-founded Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future with Anna Atiyeh.

Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future is a chapter of Pro-Life Future and was formed two years ago. It gives pro-life people who were active in the movement in high school and college a platform for activity as young adults in their 20s and 30s, Atiyeh said.

"I'm passionate about respecting life," she said. "Your life has purpose from the moment of conception. You matter. That gives me respect for my own life, because from the moment I was conceived, I was worth it. I was worth people standing up for my life."

Atiyeh has been active in supporting the pro-life movement since her high school days at Bethlehem Catholic. Her first trip to the march was as a junior in college at LaSalle University. She's been there twice since then.

What impressed her the most about the marches is the sheer number of people who attend it.

"Hundreds of thousands of people take off from work and school and spend their day marching for people who aren't even born yet, and who aren't even a part of their lives yet. They aren't marching for themselves, but out of a selfless love for

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PRESS PHOTO BY TARYN GILBERT

Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future is a young adult chapter of the national group, Students for Life. Front: Teara Gilbert; Taryn Gilbert; and Jewels Gilbert. Center: Mario Madawela. Back: Reginald Pierce; Carlee Mayo; Trista Mayo; Sue D. Miller; Jorne Gilbert; and Tasia Gilbert.



PRESS PHOTO BY ANNALEIGH ATIYEH

Front: Trista (left) and her twin sister, Carlee Mayo hold the Pro-life Future banner. Back from left: Michael Israel, Violet Sam-Otuh, Sue D. Miller, and Taryn Gilbert.

NAACP

Archives, music conference Feb. 18

The Bethlehem NAACP's annual Freedom Fund Banquet will be held Feb. 18 at The Meadows, 1770 Meadows Road, Hellertown. There will be a reception at 2:30 p.m. followed by a buffet dinner at 3 p.m.

The keynote address, "Pursuing Liberty in the Face of Injustice", will be presented by M. Rayah Levy, head of Adult Services, Bethlehem. Artist and designer Jennifer Lee; instrumentalist and vocalist Grace Spruill; Gospel vocal artist Nah-Tarsha Cherry; and poet and theatre artist Deidre Van Walters will be recognized for their contributions to the arts.

To advertise in the program or for information and reservations, call 610-866-2078 or 610-865-9379; or email jlee975@gmail.com.

LVMTA

Play-A-Thon set for Feb. 24, 25

The Lehigh Valley Music Teachers Association will hold the 36th annual Hannah Young Play-A-Thon from 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Feb. 24 and from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Feb. 25 at three locations in the Lehigh Valley Mall, Whitehall.

Several hundred local piano, other instrumental and vocal students will perform a variety of music during the free and open to the public LVMTA benefit. Miss Pennsylvania 2018, Katie Schreckengast, a saxophonist and a current member of the Penn State Blue Band, will appear at noon Feb. 25.

Event sponsors include John Zeiner & Sons, who will provide the pianos and hold a raffle for free piano tunings; Young's Music Store; Utz Quality Foods; Provident Bank and Santander Bank. For information, call 610-559-3905; email ezemanek@rcn.com; or visit LVMusicteachers.org

GIRL SCOUTS

Cookie Crunch set for Feb. 25

The Girl Scouts of Eastern PA and ArtsQuest will host the annual Girl Scout Cookie Crunch fundraiser from 1-3 p.m. Feb. 25 at the ArtsQuest Center at Steel Stacks, 101 Founders Way.

The event benefits both the GSEP and AQ's Art Education Fund, which provides quality arts and education programs for area students.

Regional chefs and restaurants will create dishes made with Girl Scout cookies. Attendees will be able to vote for their favorites. For tickets and information, visit www.steelstacks.org or call 610-332-3378.

STATE POLICE

Equine donations wanted

The Pennsylvania State Police is looking for donations of a few good horses, of quiet, sound dispositions and free of serious stable vices, to supplement the force's 26-horse mounted patrol unit stabled at the Academy in Hershey. The equines will be used statewide for searches, crowd control, security, and patrol operations in remote areas, and participate in parades, demonstrations, and other community events.

Horses must be geldings between the ages of 5 and 15 years old and between 16 hands (5 foot 4 inches at the shoulder) and (less than) 18 hands tall. Drafts and draft-crosses are preferred.

Horses will be accepted on a 120-day trial basis to determine their suitability; a veterinary examination will be performed. To arrange a donation, or for more information, please contact Corporal Carrie Neidigh at 717-533-3463 or email cneidigh@pa.gov.



PRESS PHOTO BY CINDY O'BRIEN
Bob Zunino of St. Thomas More Church leads a group of parishioners to the Supreme Court. "I have been doing this for 15 years," Zunino said, "to promote the culture of life in our society from conception to natural death."

MARCH

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others," she said. "It's awe-inspiring."

Fellow member of Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future Mario Madawela said this year was his second trip to the march. His first was in 2017.

"It's crowded. If you don't keep up with your group, they can be hard to find," he said. "You look at all the different posters and hear the chants that will break out. The singing that some groups do is wonderful. It's one of those things you just are so happy to be standing with these other people, people you don't even know. It's affirming, because how can you feel like you're a lone voice when you're literally surrounded by thousands of people that feel the way you do."

You see all these people from all over the country, different ages, races and walks of life, and you have to stop and think, 'Wow, all of these people want to see the same thing - the unborn defended.'"

Madawela said he's always considered himself pro-life, but only recently has it become more than a belief.

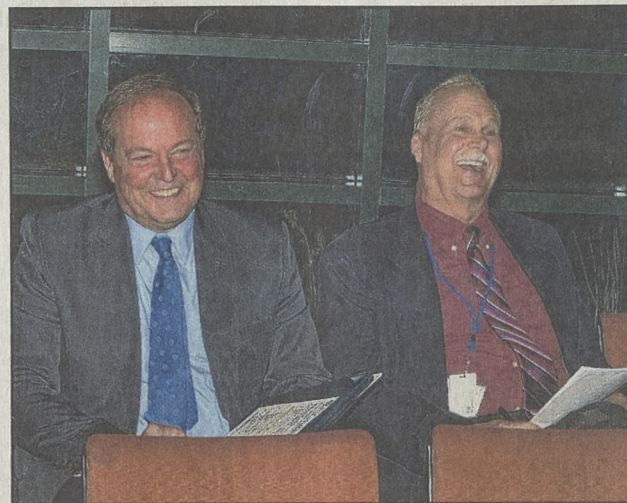
"This issue has become strikingly real and pertinent in my life," he said. "I never saw people walk into abortion clinics until last year. I had never read the stories from both sides. I had never taken time to consider all the factors that play into a decision to terminate or not."

"I never realized just how closely this issue affects people," he said. "But you know what keeps me involved? I find myself unable to sit idly by while babies are

being killed and families harmed. It's just not possible. This all stays with you. You can't put it back in a box and put it away in your mind."

Madawela discovered the Lehigh Valley Pro-Life Future group when he met Michael Israel at a church event. He took some information about the group, looked it up on Facebook and joined.

"I love the pro-life scene in our area. We've gotten so much support from the community. I think they're excited to see a younger generation emerge to speak out for life. There's so much more work to be done," he said. "These guys have become some of my closest friends and though we're brought together under the banner of such a huge issue, we have a lot of fun."



PRESS PHOTOS BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Lehigh County Director of Administration Edward Hozza Jr. and Lehigh County Executive Phillips Armstrong, both newly elected, share a laugh as a commissioner notes the county is being taken over by former Whitehall officials.



Attorney Donald E. Haviland Jr. and District Attorney Jim Martin after making a joint proposal to contract with Haviland's firm to pursue legal remedies against pharmaceutical companies linked to the manufacture of opioids being distributed in Lehigh County.



Attorney Sarah Murray was appointed Lehigh County Solicitor in a unanimous vote by the commissioners.

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setting money allocated to the County Coroner's office last year for the purpose of dealing with transporting the uptick in transporting bodies, victims of opioid use.

The board of commissioners unanimously approved the outside counsel for "potential claims of the county arising from the purchase, use, and abuse of opioids manufactured and sold by various companies."

The law firm of Haviland Hughes is also representing Northampton County in a similar capacity.

Both counties are basing their legal action on the provisions of the Pennsylvania Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law.

In other business, the commissioners appointed: attorney Sarah Murray to the position of Lehigh County solicitor; Cynthia Reddy to the Mental Health and Intel-

lectual Disability Advisory Board; and Edward D. Hozza Jr as director of administration for Lehigh County.

Murray, according to her bio published by the Gross McKinley law firm's website, "is a business-minded attorney focused in the areas of corporate law, contracts and agreements, real estate and municipal law."

Murray also has "extensive knowledge of commercial and residential real estate transactions and land develop-

ment." She is also expert in "land use and zoning matters and formerly sat as the assistant solicitor for a zoning hearing board."

Commissioners approved a financial commitment of \$3.5 million to begin necessary engineering and architectural work in the long-needed rehabilitation of the county-owned nursing facility in South Whitehall Township. The plan calls for \$68 million for completion of the rebuilding of the campus.

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Kevin is a 2-year-old Labrador Retriever mix. He was rescued from a shelter in Tennessee when his time was up. He is good with other dogs and has a great temperament.



Benson is an 8-year-old male cat that was brought to the shelter as a stray. He is good with other cats and would like a quiet home to spend his senior years.

LIBERTY HS NOTES

By Sophia Carpenter

Clothing Closet grows

Gabriella Palermo, a sophomore at Liberty HS, says she came up with the idea to start a "Clothing Closet" while she was attending Northeast MS. It was there that she realized that many children within the Bethlehem Area School District (BASD) do not have enough clothing.

More recently, after Hurricane Maria, the Lehigh Valley gained many new residents and the BASD finds itself with many students who moved here from Puerto Rico. Inspired by this extra incentive to address the need for clothing, Palermo began to formulate the Clothing Closet. "The Clothing Closet is a small room in the LHS Library where I have been allowed to store the donated clothing," says Palermo.



Carpenter

When Palermo began to organize the project, she tried to find an existing service at LHS that she could collaborate with. To her surprise, there was no such program and she had to start from scratch. "I decided to start small, even if I just brought in some clothes one day and put it on a table for people to take, it would be a start."

Palermo found a guidance counselor who was excited to oversee the process and begin collecting the clothes. The guidance counselor, Heather Walke, became Palermo's faculty advisor and located a "closet" after Palermo talked to her about the families moving to the Lehigh Valley from Puerto Rico who could use the support.

While the room was being cleared out, Palermo kept the project moving forward. "I started collecting donations of gently used clothing from my friends and family. I also talked to Northeast and made arrangements to give them access to the closet." Palermo is motivated to ensure that her efforts benefit as many students as possible.

So far, in addition to the staples (such as pants and shirts), she has received coats, scarves, gloves, and even three prom dresses—all lightly used, in good condition and waiting for a new home. All donations are freshly washed through a collaboration with the LHS Special Education program.

Palermo distributed colorful fliers around LHS and any student in need of clothing may gain access to the closet by scheduling an appointment to select clothing for themselves or their family members. Appointments can be made in Walke's office (room 800) anonymously with the use of a student ID number.

In order to replenish the clothing supply, anyone who is able is encouraged to donate gently used (or new) clothing. Drop-off arrangements can be made through Walke (in her office) or Palermo (palermogm@basdschools.org).

SCHOOL NEWS

BASD: Parent Advocacy Workshop March 7

There will be a "Public Education Matters in Bethlehem" Parent Advocacy Workshop at 6:30 p.m. March 7 at Nitschmann MS, 1002 Union Blvd. Guest speakers are BASD Superintendent of Schools Dr. Joseph Roy and Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Association of School Administrators Mark D. DiRocco.

Calypto earns Distinguished Reward honor

Calypto ES has been named a 2017-18 Distinguished Reward School - High Progress under the federal guidelines for Title I Schools. The highest five percent of all state Title I schools earned the title based on their ELA and math PVAAS growth. Calypso's award marks the first time a school in the Bethlehem Area School District has received this honor.

"The district is proud of the hard work and dedication of our Calypso administration and staff. Mrs. Bast and her staff are committed to the success of the students and families that they serve, and this award recognizes their unwavering pursuit of excellence," said BASD Superintendent Dr. Joseph Roy.

ARTSQUEST: Jazz Fest set for Feb. 18

Saucon Valley HS and Lehigh Valley Charter HS for the Arts will participate in the seventh annual SteelStacks High School Jazz Band Showcase at noon and 4 p.m. respectively on Feb. 18. The event, featuring 21 schools from Pennsylvania and New Jersey, began Feb. 11 in the Musikfest Café, SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way.

Following the preliminary rounds, the top six groups, as determined by the judges, will advance to the finals March 11 at the ArtsQuest Center. Following the finals, the top three finalists will earn the chance to open for artists at the RiverJazz series at SteelStacks this summer.

The lead judge is Dr. Neil Wetzel of Moravian College. by King, Spry, Herman, Freund & Faul, LLC, sponsored the showcase. For information, visit www.steelstacks.org or call 610-332-3378.

Charter Arts: Auditions Feb.23

The school will hold auditions for the 2018-19 school year Feb. 23. Auditions are by appointment only and must be scheduled through the school's admissions office. The first step is to visit the school's website, www.CharterArts.org and complete an audition request form.

To submit your news item in SCHOOL NOTES, send the information to George Taylor at gtaylor@tnonline.com or mail the information to SCHOOL NOTES, Bethlehem Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, PA 18104.



PRESS PHOTO BY MARK KIRLIN

Saucon Valley School Board members Shamim Pakzad, Dr. Craig Butler, Michael Karabin, Mark Fitzgerald, Susan Baxter discuss the new increased tax proposals.

Board ponders tax increase options

BY MARK KIRLIN
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SAUCON VALLEY

The Saucon Valley School Board is considering raising taxes for the 2018-19 school year. At the Jan. 23 meeting, Superintendent Dr. Craig Butler presented a draft that contains two options for the district to consider. Both options include a tax increase for residents.

According to Butler, the first option is a "rollover" budget that would include "no additions whatsoever." The proposal does factor in adjustments to salaries, benefits and other increases that are already projected to occur in the next school year. The tax increase would amount to 1.17 mills. For a property that is valued at \$100,000 there would be a \$117 annual increase in taxes. This option would account for a total revenue of \$669,104.

The second option

includes an even bigger tax increase that would account for additional funding to address needs in curriculum and technology. The tax increase would be 1.27 mills. For a property that is valued at \$100,000 there would be a \$127 annual increase in taxes. The total revenue for this option is \$729,821. Despite this revenue increase, the district would still be short \$90,675 for the increased curriculum and technology budget. Butler said the shortfall would have to come from fund reserves.

Butler went on to note the current curriculum budget is "woefully inadequate."

On the curriculum side, the increase revenue would be utilized for adjustments in kindergarten through 12th mathematics, grades

9-12 English, and new AP chemistry and psychology classes at the high school.

On the technology side, the district would add more student iPads, especially from kindergarten through sixth grade. More specifically, the district hopes every student individually would have an iPad in grades five and six.

Just prior to Butler's announced proposal, the board heard a presentation from a team of individuals in the district's technology administration. They are Michael Hanssen, Pamela Dobson and James Colbert.

According to the team, currently there are inequities in iPad use in grades K through 6. Unlike, grades 7 through 12 which have an iPad for each student, the lower grades share iPads.

This shared model leads to a lack of access because the devices are not always shared equally in the classrooms. The team believes this issue affects skill development and academic growth. Also, it can impact care and maintenance of the devices. In some instances, the age of the device impedes access to educational software.

To overcome these challenges, the team proposed a replacement strategy. In this strategy, the district would replace all iPads every three years from kindergarten through 12th grade. This would also include a buyback program that would allow the district to sell back the iPads at a higher price.

The overall goal would be to create a consistent and predictable environment for device usage.

Gerrymandering, hurricane resettlement topics

BY ED COURRIER
Special to the Bethlehem Press

"A majority of the house have signed on as cosponsors," proudly announced State Rep. Steve Samuelson (D) about his bill to end gerrymandering in Pennsylvania at the Mayor's South Side Task Force Jan. 30 meeting. Sixty-nine Democrats and 33 Republicans currently back HB 722, establishing an independent redistricting commission.

The recent Pennsylvania Supreme Court decision on redrawing congressional districts would only affect the 2018 and 2020 elections without changing the process. Samuelson insisted that without this new legislation, gerrymandering would continue under "the same system of four party leaders sitting in a room."

Samuelson said, "The first thing we should do on the congressional map is to put the Lehigh Valley back together." He pointed out that 52 percent of Northampton County's congressional district currently stretches from Bethlehem to Hershey, Bethlehem Township, and Easton are in a congressional district that is gerrymandered up to Scranton.

According to Samuelson a pending bill to reduce the size of the legislature could empower the four party leaders to eliminate the districts of those who have stood up to them as "payback," if it is passed before the pending redistricting reform gains passage.

Samuelson brought along new application books for the 2017 state property tax or rent rebate program. A net income of up to \$35,000 for a homeowner and \$15,000 net income for a renter qualifies them for the program. Applicants

SOUTH SIDE TASK FORCE



PRESS PHOTOS BY ED COURRIER

State Representative Steve Samuelson (D) reports on progress of his redistricting reform bill at the South Side Task Force meeting Jan.30. Behind him are city councilwoman Olga Negrón (D) and Democratic congressional candidate Greg Edwards.



Roger Hudak, chairman of the Mayor's South Side Task Force, seeks updates from each of the organizations represented at the January 30 meeting.

only need to count half of their Social Security income. Pennsylvanians age 65 and older, widows and widowers age 50 and older, and people with disabilities starting at age 18 are eligible. He said his local office can help area residents file for it.

He also mentioned that \$2.5 million has been released by the state so far to fund the Polk Street parking garage, with a pedestrian bridge to connect it to Northampton Community College.

City councilwoman Olga Negrón reported on the One-Stop-Shop: Traveling Resource and Information Fairs organized by the Wolf administration to assist Puerto Ricans displaced by Hurricane Maria. These "traveling fairs" involving community leaders are occurring along the Route 222 corridor. "Because, that is actually the connection between the Latino communities from York to Reading to Lancaster to the Lehigh Valley," said

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Democratic candidate Greg Edwards relates how the State Supreme Court decision on redistricting may impact his run for PA congressional District 15.



Jennifer Pizarro, from KidsPeace, announces an information session scheduled for Feb. 15 at their Fountain Hill foster care agency to recruit bilingual families to assist with the older children the agency serves.



City councilwoman Olga Negrón provides updates on how Puerto Ricans displaced by Hurricane Maria are being assimilated into the local community.

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Liberty boys and girls each picked up wins recently.

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Jeff Karam

Becahi head wrestling coach

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PATRIOTS SEEK PLAYERS

The Allentown Patriots Red Team is seeking players for a senior men's (62 and over) slow pitch softball old timer's team.

The team will play games Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Anyone interested should contact Jim at 484-294-6585 before April 13.

FOOTBALL SCHOLAR ATHLETE BANQUET

The Lehigh Valley Chapter of the National Football Foundation's scholar athlete banquet will be held on Sunday, March 4, 2018, at 4:30 p.m. at the Northampton Banquet and Event Center.

Tickets are \$30 per person. Make checks payable to LVCNFF and send to Tony Coca, 414 New York Ave., Whitehall, 18052.

Deadline for tickets is Feb. 16, 2018.

David Akers, former kicker of the Philadelphia Eagles, will be the guest speaker this year.

Questions, call Tony at 610-437-4649.

WINTER CLASSIC

The Bethlehem Winter Classic will take place Wednesday, Feb. 21, at the Bethlehem Municipal Ice Rink.

The game will be between Liberty and Freedom.

Doors open at 5:45 p.m. and festivities start at 6:15 p.m. Admission is \$2 and door sales will be donated to The Race for Adam Foundation.



PRESS PHOTO BY PETER CAR

The Bethlehem Catholic wrestling team celebrates its sixth state team title during this past weekend's tournament.

Hawks back on top

Bethlehem Catholic wins its sixth PIAA wrestling title

BY PETER CAR
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Chalk up another state championship for Bethlehem Catholic. The Golden Hawks came away from Hershey with their sixth PIAA wrestling title (four in 2A, two in 3A) over the weekend following a 38-22 victory over Kiski Area Saturday afternoon at the Giant Center in the 3A finals.

Saturday's achievement also marked the 300th career victory for head coach Jeff Karam, who relished the celebration of winning a state title with this year's team.

"This is the best," said Karam. "This is the best because this isn't the most talented team we've ever had here, but these guys have a lot of heart and coming into the season, a lot of people thought we were on the decline. That's far from happening. This is a young team and our motto is to keep working. I love these kids and they deserve this."

Kiski gave the Hawks all they could handle in the finals, as they led 18-11 midway through the bout after a 6-2 decision by Danny Starr over Tavion Banks at 195. That's when things started to turn for the

Hawks, as Robert Spezza produced a huge fall at 220 and Jase Crouse limited Isaac Reid, the top ranked heavyweight in the state to a 12-3 major decision.

Nate Lackman (106) then put Becahi ahead 23-22 with a fall over Sammy Starr in 5:15 to sack wind out of Kiski's sails. The Hawks won the final five bouts of the match to close things out with Kenny Herrmann (126) clinching the title with one match to go following a 16-1 technical fall over Bobby Lawrence.

"I knew if I got bonus we'd have the match wrapped up," said Her-

rmann. "I tried not to think about any pressure. I just wanted to wrestle a good match and help get the win for the team."

The match started at 138 with Ryan Anderson stepping out and dominating Noah Levett with a 10-2 major decision to get Becahi on the front foot. Cole Handlovic (145) followed with a 5-3 overtime victory after trailing 3-0 in the third period to give the Hawks a huge come back victory early.

Kiski followed with a pair of falls at 152 and 160 before Mikey Lewis scored a 14-4 major decision win at 170. Logan

Pollick (182) picked up a 3-0 decision at 182 over Joe Kurtz before Starr helped push the lead to 18-11 with his win at 195.

After last year's state runner-up performance to Nazareth, it's fair to say that defeat provided some fuel to this year's gritty group.

"The work that these guys put in is what brought us this title," said Karam. "We have a bunch of kids that love each other and just go out and work. You look at our lineup and we don't have many kids that are ranked in the country or state. It's just a lot of kids working hard."

EPC BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS

Pates knock off EHS

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Freedom's girls' basketball team was ready for everything Easton threw at them in the East Penn Conference quarterfinal on Monday night when the Patriots defeated the top-seeded Red Rovers 55-51 at Easton Middle School.

"It feels so good," said Freedom guard Kyra Jefferson. "The last seconds of the game, it was definitely like, we just beat them. They played great basketball. It was fun to compete with them, and I was really excited we got that win, and it feels really good to be a part of it."

Jefferson single-handedly scored all of the Patriots' 10 points in the second quarter, and Brenna Ortwein and Carissa Norder hit a three apiece to open the

third.

"I think we were a little better prepared," said Freedom coach Dean Reiman. "Last time, we didn't practice. We just couldn't."

By the time the most recent Freedom versus Easton game rolled around, which was last Thursday, Freedom played five games in six days, three nights in a row.

"Easton is a great team. Their kids play with a lot of confidence, obviously a big winning streak they had going. They're used to winning, and that's why I think it makes it even sweeter for us, the fact that they didn't give in to us. We earned it. It wasn't like they failed miserably down the stretch. It was just going to be who's going to make one or two extra plays," Reiman

said.

Easton's Kyla Smith, Allie Altobelli, and Leanna Deegan combined for six straight points after Norder's three, but Patriot forward Jennifer Kokolus scored on a pass from Corrin Gill, and the Pates held out for the last shot, which was made by Jefferson, in the final seconds of the third quarter.

"This is great because we kind of beat ourselves in the third quarter last game [against Easton], so we knew, coming into this game, if we kept up the intensity for all the quarters, especially the third, that we'll be in the game and hopefully get the win. It just feels great to beat them this time when it means the most," said senior center Hailey Silfies, who hit a three

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PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Hailey Silfies goes inside for a basket during the Pates upset of Easton Monday night.

Hawks top Trojans, advance to semis

BY PETER CAR
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One of the biggest reasons Bethlehem Catholic has entered the East Penn Conference tournament as the top seed and favorite to win the league is because of the balance and weapons they have at their disposal.

On Monday night, the Golden Hawks showed that teams are going to need a special performance to take them down in the postseason.

Becahi (20-3, 15-1) jumped out early and never looked back in

the EPC quarterfinals at home, handling eighth-seeded Parkland 67-53.

The win moves the Hawks to Wednesday's semifinals against Allen, who knocked off Pocono Mountain West 76-68 Monday night and set up a rematch of last year's EPC final slated for 7:30 p.m. at Easton Area Middle School.

Ryan Young led a dominating performance for Becahi, registering 23 points and 22 rebounds to further cement his status as the league MVP, as Parkland (12-11, 9-7) had no

answer for the big man inside.

"We want to put the ball inside every game and we wanted to exploit that early," said Becahi head coach Ray Barboza. "The one thing about Ryan is that he's so unselfish and he'll kick the ball out, so it's kind of like pick your poison."

The other part of Becahi's poison was Justin Paz's outside game, as he added 14 points and five assists to keep the Trojans at bay, as Parkland could never close the gap with-

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PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Kenny Bell looks to put up a shot during the Hawks win over Parkland.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT
Carissa Norder battles for the ball in the Pates win over the Rovers.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT
Kyra Jefferson led all scorers in Monday's matchup against Easton.



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK
Taliyah Medina scores a layup against Northampton Monday.

Who doesn't love a parade?

Last week when someone found out I went to the Eagles parade, they excitedly said, "I hope you write a story about it."

My initial thought was: I really didn't have a whole lot of good things to say ...

As a few days have since gone by, my tune has

changed. I'm very glad I went despite the frustration of waiting hours in the cold for trains.

My barometer for this event was the Phillies parade from Hallowne of 2008, which included a front-row seat along Broad Street and perhaps the best sports moment of my life. Back in 2008, we left the Lansdale train station at 5 a.m. and got to the city after 6 a.m. and you would have never known there was going to be a parade that day. It was dark and no one was on the streets. The barriers weren't even set up yet.

Fast forward to last Thursday and it was a different story. And sure, we should have known better, trying to use the same routine from 2008. This one was going to be much bigger.

We again arrived in Lansdale around 5 a.m. only to find two, huge lines of people. The first train left at 5:15 a.m., which we obviously didn't make. At that point, it was game over.

The next train didn't leave until 6:40 and shortly after that the station supposedly added an extra train that we were able to get on, which departed around 7 a.m. We got into the station in Philadelphia after 8:30 a.m. and needing to use the bathroom, we didn't get out into the city until around 9 a.m. - way too late.

When we found a spot, we were about 25 rows back from the street at 15th and JFK which was right at City Hall. This was about 10 a.m., and with the parade starting at 11 a.m., we all assumed an 11:45 a.m. arrival. We assumed wrong.

It was a slow moving parade, and for good reason. This wasn't something the team wanted to rush through. It wasn't until nearly 1 p.m. did the parade finally make it to us at City Hall. That's a lot of standing around with arms straight down packed in an endless sea of people. Occasionally, some late-arrivals tried to make their way to the front, they

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PRESS PASS
By Scott Pagel

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pointer to give the Patriots a 48-47 lead with 1:11 left in the game.

"I saw I was open and needed to get it off quick and just shot, and I even heard Coach Reiman, 'Shoot it!' and I just let it fly."

Kokolus protected the Patriots' lead, blocking a three-point shot with less than a minute left.

"She was open in the corner and I was kind of at half court, so I saw her shooting and I sprinted there," said Kokolus, who also had a big rebound on the previous play. "Coaches told me rebounding is my biggest role on the team, so I knew I had to go out and get them. Deegan gets a lot of rebounds, so we had to out rebound them to win the game."

Jahnel Oliver's three

pointer brought the Red Rovers to within one point with 18.9 seconds left, but Ortwein sealed the Patriots' win with free throws after coming up with Easton's inbound ball and getting fouled, and seconds later, grabbing a rebound and getting fouled again.

"I knew I would put them in, it was good, and if not, I knew Hailey or one of our bigs would do their best to get the rebound," Ortwein said. "We've been working on that at practice, denying the inbound, and Coach did a really good job of preparing us for moments like that, so we knew what was coming."

Also Monday, Bethlehem Catholic's girls defeated Northampton 62-45 at Becahi.

The Kids came out strong offensively with four three pointers, one by Morgan Sterner, one

by Jenna Rogers, and two by Victoria Keenan, in the first.

Two consecutive turnovers that resulted in points for the Hawks by Abby Brown and Jaleesa Lanier, and seven points by Becahi's Taliyah Medina gave the Hawks a 27-26 lead at halftime.

Becahi forward Hope Brown started the second half with a three pointer, and Morgan Orloski, Medina, and Solei Rodriguez combined for 10 straight points before the end of the third.

Brown had back-to-back buckets in the fourth, and the Hawks continued their run despite a three pointer by NHS's Jade Rindock.

This Wednesday, Becahi will meet Parkland, and Freedom will take on Allentown Central Catholic in semifinal games of the EPC playoffs.

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in to within nine points throughout the night at 44-35 midway through the third quarter. From there, Becahi reeled off six straight points in a minute to regain control.

"I thought we were a little timid early in the first quarter, but I thought once we got our bearings we competed pretty well," said Parkland head coach Andy Stephens. "Once you get down by 10 or 12 points early, it's hard to come back against a team like that. Beca has all the pieces and they're really tough to beat if you're not playing your best."

Jake Bartholomew led the way for Parkland with 12 points even after sitting out most of the third quarter after landing on his ankle awkwardly early in the period, leaving Parkland without their top scoring threat. Jake Melady scored all nine of his points in the second half to try and fill in for Bartholomew's absence, but it wasn't nearly enough to keep Becahi at bay.

Young's presence in-

side altered shots in the lane and any rebound was gobbled up by the Young tandem, as his brother Ryan, finished with eight points and eight rebounds as well.

Wednesday's showdown with Allen will certainly be a battle, but Becahi is focused on the task at hand, especially after losing in the EPC finals to the Canaries a year ago.

"I think the guys are motivated but we're taking this game by game," Barbosa said. "Our goal is to get to the [EPC] final, but we know we have to take care of business on Wednesday in order to get there."

Parkland will now sit back and prepare for next week's District 11 6A tournament, where Stephens feels confident about his team's chances.

"I think we're going to have a lot of confidence going into districts," he said. "We knew getting into leagues it would be tough and matching up with Beca was tough, but I think the district is wide open and we're setting our expectations high."



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Becahi's Justin Paz looks to slow down Parkland's Logan Rindock Monday night.

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SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Alex Bowman starts up front for the 500: can he be there at the end?

GODSPEAK: The slipping and sliding 500? Sorry, I don't think it will happen. Maybe next year.

KEN'S CALL: Gotta say no. It's a lot of laps in a lot of traffic with a lot that can go wrong for a guy not accustomed to being there.

Does the Clash win make Keselowski a Daytona 500 favorite?

GODSPEAK: Yes, just based on the fact his Daytona confidence level is through the roof right now.

KEN'S CALL: He's always among the favorites at Daytona. Now that he's broken his Speedweeks winless skid, even more so.

2017 CUP STANDINGS

1. Martin Truex Jr.	5040
2. Kyle Busch	5035
3. Kevin Harvick	5033
4. Brad Keselowski	5030
5. Chase Elliott	2377
6. Denny Hamlin	2353
7. Matt Kenseth	2344
8. Kyle Larson	2320
9. Ryan Blaney	2305
10. Jimmie Johnson	2260
11. Austin Dillon	2224
11. Jamie McMurray	2224
13. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	2222
14. Kurt Busch	2217
15. Kasey Kahne	2198
16. Ryan Newman	2196
17. Joey Logano	930
18. Clint Bowyer	871
19. Erik Jones	863
20. Daniel Suarez	777

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR DAYTONA

WINNER: Chase Elliott

REST OF TOP 5: Brad Keselowski, Martin Truex Jr., Kevin Harvick, Ryan Blaney

FIRST ONE OUT: William Byron

DARK HORSE: Alex Bowman

DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Elliott came within a lap or two of winning last year's 500, so this time he wins with a strong run.

MOTOR MOUTHS PODCAST

We ponder a time when "Daytona Day" actually makes its way onto calendars.

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2018 SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

Feb. 11: Clash at Daytona (Brad Keselowski)

Feb. 15: Can-Am Duel at Daytona

Feb. 18: Daytona 500

Feb. 25: Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta

March 4: Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas

March 11: Camping World 500(k) at Phoenix

March 18: Auto Club 400 at Fontana

March 25: STP 500 at Martinsville

April 8: O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas

April 15: Food City 500 at Bristol

April 21: Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond

April 29: Geico 500 at Talladega

May 6: AAA 400 at Dover

May 12: Go Bowling 400 at Kansas

May 19: All Star Race at Charlotte

May 27: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte

June 3: Pocono 400

June 10: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan

June 24: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma

July 1: Chicago 400 at Chicagoland

July 7: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona

July 14: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky

July 22: New Hampshire 301

July 29: Pennsylvania 400 at Pocono

Aug. 5: 355 at the Glen, at Watkins Glen

Aug. 12: Pure Michigan 400

Aug. 18: Night Race at Bristol

Sept. 2: Southern 500 at Darlington

Sept. 9: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis

Sept. 16: Las Vegas 400

Sept. 22: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond

Sept. 30: Bank of America 500(k) at Charlotte road course

Oct. 7: Delaware 400 at Dover

Oct. 14: Alabama 500 at Talladega

Oct. 21: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas

Oct. 28: First Data 500 at Martinsville

Nov. 4: Texas 500

Nov. 11: Can-Am 500(k) at Phoenix

Nov. 18: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead

DAYTONA

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED



Brad Keselowski celebrates his long-awaited Speedweeks victory after winning the Clash.

[NASCAR GETTY IMAGES/ROBERT LABERGE]

1. Keselowski's win

Brad Keselowski had a Daytona win on his resume (2016 Coke Zero 400) but had never won any event during Speedweeks. His victory in the Advance Auto Parts Clash Sunday was a big relief for the 34-year-old driver. "You need one to break through," he said with a sense of relief in his voice.

2. Ride height

The ride height rule for Cup Series races at Daytona International Speedway was eliminated, which gave the stock cars more speed, but a touch more instability in the handling department. The cars were wiggling, but not out of control. "Not as much as I thought it was going to be when I went to sleep last night," driver Joey Logano said.

3. Pole for Bowman

Alex Bowman, who took the wheel of the No. 88 Chevy once held by Dale Earnhardt Jr., earned Daytona 500 pole honors, but put the brakes on two Hendrick Motorsports streaks. The No. 24 car had won the 500 pole three straight years, and Chase Elliott nabbed it in 2016 and '17. At least the pole stayed in the Hendrick family.

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THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. One and only

The Daytona 500 will represent Danica Patrick's last start in the NASCAR Cup Series. After that, she will attempt to make the Indianapolis 500 field in May, then she is out. The 35-year-old driver said she got all the emotions out in November. "When I think next Sunday comes, I'm sure I'll be a lot more retrospective or introspective and emotional about the finality of it and, you know, just have a little bit more perspective. But right now, I'm fine. I'm good."

2. Pit stops

Pit stops are going to look much different than in recent seasons after NASCAR trimmed the over-the-wall-crew from six to five people. The fastest stop recorded during the Clash was 16.9 seconds. That would have been grounds for pit-crew termination in 2017.



Danica Patrick will make her last NASCAR Cup Series start in the Daytona 500 driving this No. 7 Premium Motorsports Chevrolet. [NASCAR GETTY IMAGES]

"Our pit crew also got to complete a few four-tire pit stops with the new pit stop rules," driver Ryan Newman said. "They too learned a few things in race conditions."

3. 40 cars

For the first time in a long time, no drivers will be sent home after the Can-Am Duel qualifying races on Thursday. Why? Because there are only 40 cars entered in the 40-car field. It will take

a bit of drama out of the qualifiers, but Roger Penske said it was a good thing. "I just think it's a changing of the times," said Penske, who owns the cars that finished first and second in the Clash. Penske went on to say it's a byproduct of the charter system and a good thing if it keeps major sponsors from missing the biggest race.

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QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

16-second pit stops?

Sure, back in your dad's day, they couldn't get in and out in 16 seconds unless they only took two tires. But in modern NASCAR, 16 seconds would feel like a wait at the DMV. But cutting pit crews from six to five members has lengthened the stops and given the teams plenty to study and test as they look to shave time in the pits.

Is this a good thing?

Yes! Frankly, four guys would be even better. Do I hear three? Anything that adds to the human element and invokes new strategy (which all others will copy, of course) has to be a good thing. Frankly, if you really want to sell tickets and draw TV viewers, run a race where the drivers have to do their own pit work by themselves. Call it the Morgan Shepherd 400.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

JIMMIE JOHNSON VS. KYLE LARSON: Larson tried to push Johnson on the last lap of the Daytona Clash and turned the seven-time Cup Series champion around in Turn 3.

GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE: Johnson and Larson rode the same ambulance to the care center. "I hit him pretty solid and just turned him into the wall," Larson said. "I hate that."

WHAT'S ON TAP

CUP SERIES: Can-Am Duel Daytona 500

SITE: Daytona International Speedway (2.5-mile tri-oval)

TV SCHEDULE: Thursday, Can-Am Duel, (Fox Sports 1, 7 p.m.). Friday, practice (Fox Sports 1, 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.). Saturday, practice (Fox Sports 1, noon). Sunday, Daytona 500 (Fox, coverage begins at 11 a.m.; green flag, 3 p.m.)

XFINITY: PowerShares QQQ 300

SITE: Daytona International Speedway

TV SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (Fox Sports 1, noon and 2 p.m.). Saturday, qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 9:30 a.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 2:30 p.m.)

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TV SCHEDULE: Friday, qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 4:30 p.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 7:30 p.m.)

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Outdoors: Great Backyard Bird Count to begin

BY NICK HRONIAK
Special to the Press

For you avid bird watchers (also known as 'Birders'), you may want to join in this year's 21st Great Backyard Bird Count (GBBC).

This annual event takes place February 16-19 in backyards, parks, nature centers, on hiking trails, school grounds, balconies, and beaches. The global event provides an opportunity for bird enthusiasts to contribute important bird population data that help scientists see changes over the past 21 years.

To participate, bird watchers count the birds they see for at least 15 minutes on one or more days of the count, then enter their checklists at birdcount.org.

"The 2018 GBBC again promises to provide an important snapshot of bird occurrence in February," says the Cornell

Lab of Ornithology's Marshall Liff, a leader of the eBird program. "Some stories to watch in North America are mountain birds moving into lowland valleys and east to the Great Plains, crossbills on the move across much of the continent, and many eastern birds responding to extremes as the winter temperatures have oscillated between unseasonably warm and exceptionally cold."

eBird collects bird observations globally every day of the year and is the online platform used by the GBBC.

"The Great Backyard Bird Count is a great way to introduce people to participation in community science," says Dr. Gary Langham (@GaryLangham), vice president and chief scientist for the National Audubon Society. "No other program allows volunteers to take an in-



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

The Great Backyard Bird Count gets underway Feb. 16-19, in, well, your backyard.

stantaneous snapshot of global bird populations that can contribute to our understanding of how a changing climate is affecting birds."

In 1998, during the first GBBC, bird watchers submitted about 13,500 checklists from the United States and Canada. Fast-forward to

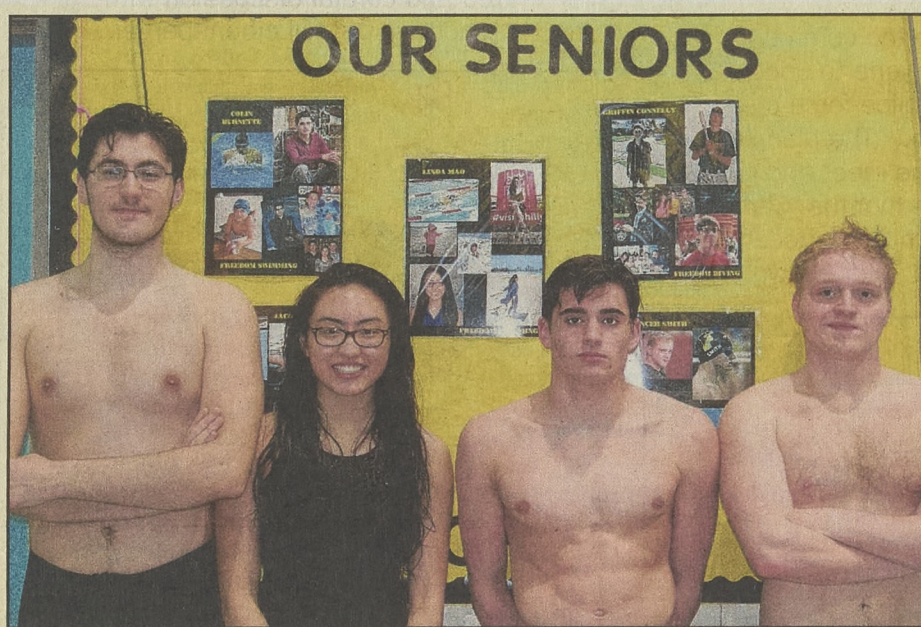
the most recent event in 2017. Over the four days of the count, an estimated 240,418 bird watchers from more than 100 countries submitted 181,606 bird checklists reporting 6,259 species, and 29,604,681 birds, more than half the known bird species in the world.

"Will we break last year's record number of Canadian participants?" asks Jon McCracken, Bird Studies Canada's National Program Director. "A lot depends on the weather, but a little snow and cold shouldn't get in your way. Remember that you don't have to venture far afield at all. You truly can count birds right in your own backyard or, better yet, take a pleasant winter stroll around your neighborhood."

To learn more about what scientists discovered the past 21 years and how to take part

in the Great Backyard Bird Count, visit birdcount.org. The Great Backyard Bird Count is a joint project of the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and the National Audubon Society with partner Bird Studies Canada and is made possible in part by founding sponsor Wild Birds Unlimited.

The 21st GBBC is additionally notable because it is the February call-to-action for the Year of the Bird, a 12-month celebration of birds to raise awareness of how people can help birds by taking simple actions each month. The Year of the Bird is led by National Geographic, the National Audubon Society, the Cornell Lab of Ornithology, BirdLife International, and more than 100 participating organizations. Learn more about Year of the Bird at www.birdyourworld.org.



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Freedom Swimming

Jack Runco, Linda Mao, Colin Burnette, and Spencer Smith celebrated Freedom swimming's senior night last Thursday. The Patriot girls defeated East Stroudsburg South 109-59, and the Patriot boys lost to the Cavaliers in a close meet 86-81.

LHS boys top PME

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Liberty's boys' swim team celebrated a senior night 98-60 victory over Pocono Mountain East last Friday at Liberty.

Robert Negron, Chris Chambers, Omar Mohammed, and Jase Smith led off with a victory in the 200 medley relay in 1:46.85.

Negron took first place in the 200 free in 2:02.11, and Evert won the 50 free in 21.71 and the 100 free in 49.15.

Kellen Rogers placed first in diving.

"The front double pike is probably the newest one that I've done. It ended up being a lot better than I thought it would be," Rogers said. "Everyone, I'm pretty sure, got a six or above, which is good."

Rogers and Sergio Alvarez, who placed second last Friday, were also looking toward the EPC Diving Competition.

"We've been practicing newer dives, dives that we haven't done before or trained for, for the 11-dive meet," said Alvarez. "My forward one-and-a-half, my twisters, I know most of them. I've been doing them for four years. I know they'll come out good."

The Hurricane divers lost some practice time this week with weather issues, HVAC issues in the natatorium, and a swim meet.

"I'm nervous because we didn't have a lot of time to practice this week, so I haven't practiced all of my dives," said Rogers. "The back double, the reverse one-and-a-half, and the front double, I think, are going to be fine. I'm really stressed about the reverse double because I haven't touched that in probably a month."

After the diving event on Friday, the Liberty seniors and their par-

ents were introduced, as well as seniors from Pocono Mountain East's team.

"I'm kind of really bummed that the season's almost over because even though it's really stressful, it's ending too soon, even though it's been four months, but it always feels like it's too soon, and I really like the people on our team. Regardless of how good they are, they're really nice people, so I'm going to miss a lot of them," Rogers said.

In the 200 free relay, Chambers, Negron, Smith, and Mohammed placed first in 1:32.53.

Mohammed won the 100 fly in 1:00.78, and Yousef Ismail won the 500 free in 5:33.31.

The Hurricane boys had a 1-2-3 finish in the 100 backstroke with Smith placing first in 1:01.74, John Jones placing second, and Ismail taking third.

SUBURBAN TOPS CITY IN DART ALL-STAR GAME

For the 43rd time, the Suburban Dart League beat the City Dart League in the annual City-Suburban All-Star Series. This year, Suburban swept 3-0 in the 64th meeting.

Game 1 - The Suburban League jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the first scoring a run. They added three more runs in the sixth inning for a 4-0 lead. The City League finally scored a run in the eighth inning on a HR from Bob Mease. They added another run in the ninth for a final score of 4-2.

Game 2 - Scoring two

runs in the first, third, and eighth inning, the Suburban League cruised to a 7-0 win over the City League.

Game 3 - The City League scored first with a run in the second inning. Suburban came back in the third scoring three runs highlighted by Garry Hunsicker's two balks to score a run from second base.

Suburban added two more runs in the fourth and added another run in the fifth inning on a "stole home" by Jeff Krause. After the City League scored a run in the bottom of the fifth

inning, the Suburban League closed out the scoring with a run on Garry Hunsicker's third balk of the game in the seventh inning. Garry also had a balk in Game 2, throwing four balks for the night. The final score was 7-2.

Leading hitters for the Suburban League included Dave Shaver 6-10, Bryan Frankenfield 4-8, and Garry Hunsicker 4-13.

The City League's only hitter was Bob Mease who was 3-6 with a HR.



PRESS PHOTO BY SCOTT PAGEL

Most of my views at the Eagles parade included backs of heads and cellphones.

PHILLY

Continued from page A8 weren't treated very kindly. Both men and women next to us were using the street as a bathroom. I later heard there was one porta potty for every 9,000 parade-goers.

When the parade did arrive, 25 rows of people all put their hands and cellphones in the air to take photos. I could only do the same, and hope for the best. That was probably the most disappointing part to me about the whole day - my lack of photos.

When the 10 minutes of parade was over, it was mobs of people rushing everywhere in garbage-filled streets. We got back to the train station and waited about 20 minutes in a line we eventually found out was the wrong line. Then it was

another mass of people trying to get to the right spot. When we found that spot, that line was over three blocks long.

We waited three hours to get on a train to go home, most of that time was outside in the cold. Arguments broke out between adults and a group of high school kids accused of letting their friends cut in line. How quickly the togetherness of the city disappeared.

We got back to Lansdale about 6 p.m. and I was home by 7:30 p.m.

If there is one thing you can learn about me from this column it's that I am obviously good at complaining. The plan in my head didn't work out as expected, but after really thinking about it, it was no one's fault but our own. We could have left earlier. We should have left earlier. We should

have avoided public transportation.

As we approach the one-week anniversary of the parade, I actually couldn't be happier with my decision to go. Every day that has passed has made me realize just how spectacular, amazing and historic these kind of events are.

Even though it was a bit of a rough time, had I not gone, the image in my head would have been one of a perfect opportunity I missed out on, and I'm not sure I could have ever forgiven myself.

Despite all the speeches by the players proclaiming this is the new normal for the Eagles, there are certainly no guarantees. This very well could have been a once-in-a-lifetime event.

The best part is, I can say I was there.

LHS girls beat PME

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Liberty's girls' swim team was victorious over Pocono Mountain East last week 91-74.

The Hurricanes opened the meet with a first place finish in the 200 medley relay with a combination of Anna Lehr, Grace Russo, Sabrina Krotzer, and Kendra Smith in 1:59.42.

Lehr went on to win the 200 free in 2:06.68.

Abby Mack took first place in the 200 IM in 2:21.57.

Samantha Taylor was a double event winner in the 100 butterfly in 1:02.85 and in the 100 backstroke in 1:04.71.

Cara Kuykens was first in diving.

"I feel like I improved a little. I changed my hurdle for the forward approach so it's helped me go a lot higher, so I can do a lot more dives," Kuykens said. "My inward dive pike has been pretty good and any twisting dive is OK."

In the 100 free, Smith was out touched by Po-

cono Mountain East's Lauren Fenn whose time was 57.12 while Smith's was 57.39. Greta Stuckey was third in the same event in 1:02.49.

In the 500 free, the Hurricanes had a 1-2-3 finish, led by Kay Wetmore in 5:29.32, followed by Molly Gray, and Theresa Cazarribias.

Liberty's swim team will travel to Freedom this Thursday after having faced Emmaus on Monday.

LLL BRIEFS

Three important updates for the Lehigh Little League Community:

1. Monthly Meeting Schedule for 2018

• Monday, Feb. 26, 7 p.m.

• Monday, March 26, 7 p.m.

• Monday, April 23, 7 p.m.

• Monday, May 21, 7 p.m.

• Monday, Sept. 24, 7 p.m.

All meetings will be held on the fourth Monday of the month shown. The meetings are held at the Senior Field Clubhouse.

Tryouts

Due to a number of player, coach, and officer conflicts, we will be holding tryouts on Sat. March 10 (not March 3 as originally planned) at the Lehigh Little League complex on Illick's Mill Rd. The tryout weather date will be Sun. March 11 at the same times.



Detective Michael Dattilio, brothers Al and Gary Horvath, Sergeant Jeffrey Johnston and Donna Bergstresser along with kids from the Children's Learning Center.



Detective Michael Dattilio with community residents Al and Gary Horvath.



Hellertown Detective Michael Dattilio has an animated and cordial discussion with community activist Cathy Leibensperger.

Coffee with a Cop in Hellertown

Christ Lutheran Church in Hellertown hosted "Coffee With A Cop" Jan. 22. The occasion is the start of a community outreach program designed to allow members of the public to meet and interact with the Hellertown

Police Department. On hand was Mayor David Heintzelman, Chief of Police Robert Shupp, Pastor Phil Spohn of Christ Lutheran Church, as well as other members of the Hellertown Police. According to Heintzelman, this was a chance

to "engage the community" and allow "everyone to understand what the police force means to our town." The plan is to continue the meet and greets every three months. Christ Lutheran Church is located at 69 Main St., Hellertown.



Pastor Phil Spohn of Christ Lutheran Church with Hellertown resident Joe Meier.



Hellertown Police vehicles line up in front of Christ Lutheran Church for the department's meet and greet with the public.



Hellertown Mayor David Heintzelman talks with a member of the community and Sergeant Jeffrey Johnston.

Hellertown Chief of Police Robert Shupp meets kids from the Christ Lutheran Children's Learning Center.



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FORECAST FOR LEHIGH VALLEY PENNSYLVANIA

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 30% chance of isolated rain, high of 48°, humidity of 68%. Southwest wind 6 mph. The record high for today is 58° set in 1984. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 50% chance of scattered rain, overnight low of 40°. South southwest wind 3 to 6 mph. The wind chill for tonight could reach 36°. The record low for tonight is -1° set in 1979. Thursday, skies will be mostly cloudy with a 50% chance of scattered rain, high of 54°, humidity of 81%. Southwest wind 6 to 9 mph. Thursday night, skies will be mostly cloudy with a 40% chance of scattered rain, overnight low of 37°. West northwest wind 3 to 10 mph. Friday, skies will be partly cloudy with a 40% chance of scattered rain, high of 41°, humidity of 49%.

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Janine Santoro shares what's up at the at the Public Library's South Side Branch.



Adrienne Washington from Lehigh University reveals the Spring South Side Clean Up is scheduled for Saturday, April 14.

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Negrón. She emphasized that these refugees are American citizens.

"We have 17,000 Puerto Rican households in the Lehigh Valley," said Negrón. With many of them providing temporary homes for uprooted relatives, "the growth in the Lehigh Valley among the Latinos moving from Puerto Rico is going to be a huge number," she added. Of the recent arrivals, most are professionals who have come with their families, especially teachers from destroyed schools. Many are being recruited to work as substitutes and aides to help area schools handle the influx of new students.

Negrón is also working with the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws

(NORM) on locally decriminalizing marijuana, as several Pennsylvania communities have already done. It will still not be legal, "it would be like a parking or speeding ticket, rather than a felony," said Negrón.

Adrienne Washington from Lehigh University revealed the Spring Southside Clean-Up is scheduled for Saturday, April 14. She said that with the Southside Ambassadors having kept Third and Fourth streets trash free, they will be able to fan out into adjoining neighborhoods.

Jennifer Pizarro, representing the Kids Peace, said, "Right now we are looking for bilingual foster parents, Spanish-speaking, primarily in Northampton County and Lehigh County" The next information session is scheduled for 6 p.m. Feb. 15 at their Fountain Hill fos-

ter care agency.

The Steelworkers' Archives will participate in the "Rosie the Riveter Day" scheduled for March 17 at the National Museum of Industrial History, Susan Vitez announced. Gathering stories from former steelworkers and their families is another project her organization is working on with Bill George and the Touchstone Theater.

The Bethlehem Area Public Library Southside branch is working on getting a vocational ESL program in place for fall 2018 according to Janine Santoro. These are to be geared for migrants and immigrants to assist with improving English skills, exploring professional talents and finding work in the Lehigh Valley. The branch already has regular Thursday workshops for anyone interested in

learning some conversational Spanish through March 8. Valentine's Day programs are scheduled Feb. 14 for adults at 4 pm. and at 6:30 p.m. for children.

Democratic candidate Greg Edwards was introduced to the Task Force by Olga Negrón.

Endorsed by Negrón, he is a contender for Pcongress in District 15. He stated that he supports educational and economic parity, as well as Medicare for all.

Roger Hudak, chairman of the Mayor's South Side Task Force, was happy to announce the Lynn Street bridge is now open to traffic.

The Mayor's South Side Task Force meets regularly on the last Tuesday of the month at Northampton Community College's E. Third Street campus. There was no meeting scheduled for December.

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Lynnie Godfrey

Actress-vocalist wants to share her expertise, inspire children to sing

BY MAKENNA MASENHEIMER
 Special to The Press

Stage and screen veteran Lynnie Godfrey is looking for a few good friends, young friends, to accompany her in a holiday concert.

Godfrey is holding vocal auditions 1 - 4:30 p.m. Feb. 24, St. John's Lutheran Evangelical Church, 37 S. Fifth St., Allentown, for kindergarten through fifth grade students in Allentown School District to perform with her in a December holiday concert at the church.

The Broadway actress and lauded vocalist seeks to provide a community music education program that will culminate in a professional-caliber performance. In 2016, Godfrey presented a successful solo show at Miller Symphony Hall backed by the Allentown Symphony Orchestra.

Godfrey was inspired to pursue her latest endeavor after successfully distributing musical resources to children in Bethlehem Area School District while on the board of The Friends of Music, Bethlehem, where she was recently installed as president.

Now she hopes to expand her reach to Allentown School District with a free after-school program for 10 to 15 elementary students consisting of two rehearsals a month. Free meals will be provided at rehearsals.

"I want kindergarten to the fifth grade because those are the children who are at a point in time in their life that you can really formulate their thoughts, their habits, their discipline ... all of those things," says Godfrey.

"I have to make sure that they're safe, that they're in a healthy environment, that they benefit from all that is going on. And in this age where children are abused so badly we want to protect them as much as we possible can.

"I want not the very gifted or the very troubled. I want children in the middle who never get anything. That child might not have a great voice, but they may have the enthusiasm, they may want to belong to something, they may want to learn about something. It's the good student that I want."

Students are asked to sing a favorite song, hymn or anthem at the audition. If a student brings sheet music, a pianist will be provided. A cappella singing will also be al-



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 Lynnie Godfrey performing in "Jazz Upstairs" series at Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown.

lowed.

Music and the arts played a tremendous role in Godfrey's life when she was a child.

"I remember being an angel in Christmas pageants. It's a great memory. Every child should just be able to experience something like that," says Godfrey.

"The first play I ever saw was James Earl Jones in 'The Great White Hope.' He heard that we were going to be there and after that strenuous matinee he sat and talked with us for 20 minutes. I remember everything he said."

Years later, at the Emmy Awards Governor's Ball, Godfrey was seated near Jones and had the opportunity to thank him for his impact on her.

Godfrey has made more than 30 guest appearances on network television and had a recurring role on "Amen" and "Brewster Place" and in "704 Hauser," Norman Lear's sequel to "All in the Family."

Her film work includes appearing opposite Kathleen Turner in "V.I. Warshawski."

Godfrey received a Drama Desk nomination for her Broadway debut in "Eubie!" Her stage credits include the New York and the London West End productions of "Snow Queen," in which Godfrey performed the title role.

Students will have the chance to work with guest artists with Broadway, TV and film experience.

"I'm coercing all of my friends to See **GODFREY** on Page B2

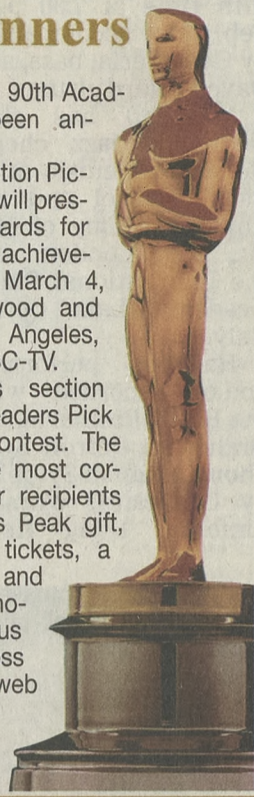
Readers Pick the Oscar Winners

Nominations for the 90th Academy Awards have been announced.

The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences will present the Academy Awards for 2017 outstanding film achievements, 8 p.m. (EST) March 4, Dolby Theatre, Hollywood and Highland Center, Los Angeles, televised live on the ABC-TV.

The Press Focus section again presents the "Readers Pick the Oscar Winners" contest. The person who picks the most correct number of Oscar recipients receives a \$50 Penn's Peak gift, Roxy Theatre movie tickets, a Press prize package, and may have his or her photo published in the Focus section of the eight Press newspapers and web sites.

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If the shoe fits: "Rodgers And Hammerstein's Cinderella," the 2013 Tony Award-winning Broadway musical, plays the State Theatre Center for the Arts for two performances, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 16 and 17. The musical, starring, above, Leslie Jackson and Tatyana Lubov, originally written for television, debuted in 1957 starring Julie Andrews. The show, which made its Broadway debut in 2013, with music by Richard Rodgers, lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II, new book by Douglas Carter Beane, original book by Hammerstein, was directed by Mark Brokaw and choreographed by Josh Rhodes. The tour is directed by Gina Rattan and choreographed by Lee Wilkins. Tickets: State Theatre Center for the Arts box office, 453 Northampton St., Easton; statetheatre.org; 1-800-999-7828; 610-252-3132

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Jazz man returns: The Simon Mulligan Trio, with Mulligan, above, piano; Gene Perla, bass, and Dave Willard, drums, returns for the "Jazz Upstairs" series, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 16, Rodale Community Room, Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown. Following his debut with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Simon has performed and recorded with the BBC Symphony, Detroit Symphony, Warsaw Sinfonia, Hong Kong Philharmonic, and the Royal National Scottish Orchestra. Simon performed for President Barack Obama, Her Majesty The Queen and the Royal Family, and has collaborated with Dame Shirley Bassey, Branford Marsalis, Liza Minnelli, Van Morrison, and Sting. Tickets: Miller Symphony Hall box office, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown; allentownsymphony.org; 610-432-6715

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Tree trunk frost cracks diagnosed

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Cracks and splits in tree trunks are fairly common and may occur for various reasons, but are usually not a significant threat to the tree.

Usually there's not much you can do about them once they occur. Tree-trunk cracks and splits, however, occasionally signal a serious problem that may eventually kill the tree.

One of the most common reasons for cracks and splits on tree trunks is frost cracks, which occur during cold winter weather.

When winter temperatures plummet well below normal, especially after a sunny day when the tree trunk has been warmed by the sun's rays, different expansion rates between the inner and outer wood can cause such a strain in the trunk that a crack develops.

Frost cracks occur suddenly and can be several feet long. Frost cracks appear at a point where the trunk was physically injured.

Maple and sycamore are prone



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 Bitterly-cold conditions in winter can cause thin-barked trees to crack.

to frost cracks, as are apple, ornamental crabapple, beech, and horse-chestnut trees.

Isolated trees are more subject to frost cracks than trees in groups or in forest settings. Trees growing on poorly-drained soils are also particularly prone to frost cracks.

Frost cracks often close during summer, only to reopen in succeed-

ing winters. They do not seriously damage trees, although they do provide openings where disease organisms may enter the tree, particularly if the tree is in a weakened condition.

Frost cracks are difficult to prevent. Wrapping the trunks with tree-wrap paper in the fall helps, but is inconvenient to do year after year.

The best way to prevent frost cracks is to prevent any injuries to the trunk throughout the tree's life. A professional arborist can bolt frost cracks shut with a technique called lip-bolting.

Most people simply remove loose bark hanging along the edges of the crack. You should not paint frost cracks or other wounds with tree-wound dressing. These materials can trap moisture, causing decay in the trunk.

Sun-scald is another form of winter injury that can cause cracks and splits. Sun-scald occurs when cells in the living tissue beneath the bark thaw on sunny days. This occurs mainly on the south or west side of trunks and branches. The cells rupture when they re-freeze at night.

The tree is injured when enough See **GREEN** on Page B4



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Simon Mulligan in 'Jazz Upstairs' series for fifth time

BY GEORGE VANDOREN
Special to The Press

The fifth time is the charm.

Pianist Simon Mulligan returns to Miller Symphony Hall's "Jazz Upstairs" series for the fifth time at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 16, accompanied by Gene Perla, bass, and Dave Willard, drums.

Mulligan has classical and jazz chops. He studied music at St Paul's School and the Royal Academy of Music, both London, and the International Piano Academy, Lake Como, Italy.

He has performed and/or recorded with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Detroit Symphony, English Symphony Orchestra, Warsaw Sinfonia, Hong Kong

Philharmonic, and Royal National Scottish Orchestra, among others.

He has collaborated with violinist Yehudi Menuhin, cellist Lynn Harrell and violinist Joshua Bell, and has done numerous classical recordings.

On the jazz and pop music side, he's performed with Dame Shirley Bassey, Branford Marsalis, Liza Minnelli, Van Morrison, and Sting.

Mulligan says his roots in jazz go back to his very early days: "It began with a lady next door in England. She had a Great Aunt, who had an antique shop, and she would bring around piles of sheet music.

"I discovered Scott Joplin, James Johnston,

and others. I noodled around with ragtime and blues.

"Around age 10, I started a little Dixieland band. I loved harmony and arranging things for the six of us."

Mulligan cites his dad's influence, as well: "He used to play amateur tenor sax in a dance band." Simon would listen to records in his family's house and developed, as he puts it, "a real passion for luscious harmonies. I didn't really like bebop."

He received a scholarship to a jazz course where he learned from some of United Kingdom's best players. Then, Mulligan says, "Jamming with different bands woke me up to a more modern style. I started a little trio at

about age 14. We played bar mitzvahs, weddings, and so forth. And I was in the school jazz group at St. Paul's."

Mulligan does the bulk of his jazz playing in Great Britain at places like the prestigious 606 Club in London's Chelsea district. Mulligan notes, "I've been playing there for 15 years. I have a passion for all the different jazz styles."

Of the "Jazz Upstairs" concert at Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown, Mulligan says, "I like to make everything accessible to the audience. I like to write easy-to-deal-with melodies.

"Of course, there will be some standards and some requests. I'll probably throw in the odd Stevie Wonder or Simon

and Garfunkel tune. I like a good tune. I don't necessarily care where it comes from." The trio will probably play some Bernstein in honor of centennial of the composer-conductor's birth.

Mulligan is working with Steinway & Sons on "The Spirio Project." "Spirio is a high-end, ridiculously accurate playback piano. It's not electronic. Inside the action is all this clever circuitry. It can play back any recording that's been made. I've been playing everything from Baroque to Eminem to Christmas music. So far, I've done about 60 tunes."

Mulligan has two CDs set for release: "The American Songbook, Volume 2," and one focusing on the music of Noel Coward and Ivor Novello.

Joining Mulligan for "Jazz Upstairs" are bassist Gene Perla and drummer Dave Willard. Perla is a fixture on bass. He studied at the University of Toledo and Berklee School of Music. He's performed with Nina Simone, Woody Herman, Sarah Vaughan, Elvin Jones, the Thad

Jones-Mel Lewis Band, Sonny Rollins, Miles Davis, and Frank Sinatra. He teaches at Lehigh University and previously taught at William Paterson University, New School University, and the Center for the Media Arts.

Willard is not only a seasoned drummer, but a member of the Allentown Symphony Jazz Committee, which runs the "Jazz Upstairs" series and is chaired by Dr. Ethel Drayton-Craig, emcee for series performances in the Rodale Community Room located on the hall's third floor.

Willard has played all music genres, from jazz to country to rock. He played in Peripheral Vision, a rock cover band formed at Olympus, his former employer. He's joining Mulligan for the fifth time for "Jazz Upstairs."

If it's your fifth time, or your first time, can catch the Simon Mulligan Trio.

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GODFREY
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come over here and help me teach poise and they can tell stories about being in the theater," Godfrey says.

She hopes to imbue the children she teaches with a love for and appreciation of music. Godfrey emphasizes that a classical foundation is necessary for success in other music genres.

"Music is a wonderful vehicle to communicate to people, whatever language [they speak]. The stories that I get to tell in songs allow me to be the actress that I've trained to be. It's just a wonderful gift that God has given me," says Godfrey.

She's excited to share that gift with the children of Allentown.

Information: Students can sign up for an audition time and direct any questions to Godfrey at goleentertain@aol.com.

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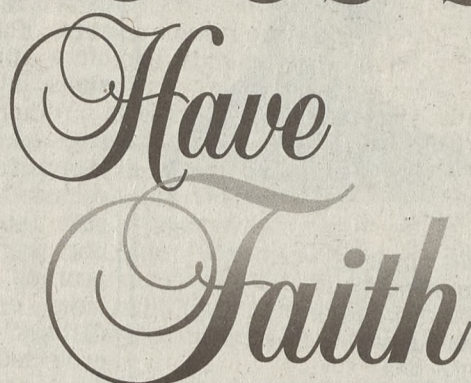
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Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
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To have your religious service listed in The Press contact Joie Jackson Wenner at 610-740-0944 Ext. 3703

Allentown Central Catholic High School Nicholas Caldarelli Scholarship awarded



The Nicholas Caldarelli Memorial Fund awards two scholarships to Allentown Central Catholic Students – one for an incoming freshman and another for a senior. Nicholas Caldarelli was a Central Catholic graduate tragically killed by a drunk driver in 2003. In his honor, the Nicholas Caldarelli Memorial Fund holds fundraising events throughout the year and serves to raise awareness of the dangers of drunk driving. ABOVE: Elizabeth Sayegh, center, recipient of the Nicholas Caldarelli Scholarship, joins family members and Allentown Central Catholic High School administrators, including Principal Randy Rice, far left and Fr. Mark Searles, far right, recently for a photograph.



PRESS PHOTOS BY MICHAEL FLECK
Elizabeth Sayegh, center, recipient of the Nicholas Caldarelli Scholarship, stands with her family and Cheryl Caldarelli, second from left, presenter of the scholarship.

the Readers Pick the Oscar Winners

This is the entry form for the Lehigh Valley Press Focus section "Readers Pick The Oscar Recipients Contest" for the 90th Academy Awards.



LEAD ACTOR

- Daniel Kaluuya, "Get Out"
 Timothée Chalamet, "Call Me by Your Name"
 Gary Oldman, "Darkest Hour"
 Daniel Day-Lewis, "Phantom Thread"
 Denzel Washington, "Roman J. Israel, Esq."

LEAD ACTRESS

- Meryl Streep, "The Post"
 Sally Hawkins, "The Shape of Water"
 Margot Robbie, "I, Tonya"
 Frances McDormand, "Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri"
 Saoirse Ronan, "Lady Bird"

SUPPORTING ACTOR

- Christopher Plummer, "All the Money in the World"
 Woody Harrelson, "Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri"
 Sam Rockwell, "Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri"
 Willem Dafoe, "The Florida Project"
 Richard Jenkins, "The Shape of Water"

ANIMATED FEATURE

- "The Breadwinner"
 "Loving Vincent"

SUPPORTING ACTRESS

- Lesley Manville, "Phantom Thread"
 Laurie Metcalf, "Lady Bird"
 Allison Janney, "I, Tonya"
 Mary J. Blige, "Mudbound"
 Octavia Spencer, "The Shape of Water"

DIRECTOR

- Paul Thomas Anderson, "Phantom Thread"
 Guillermo del Toro, "The Shape of Water"
 Christopher Nolan, "Dunkirk"
 Greta Gerwig, "Lady Bird"
 Jordan Peele, "Get Out"

PICTURE

- "Darkest Hour"
 "Dunkirk"
 "Phantom Thread"
 "Get Out"
 "Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri"
 "The Shape of Water"
 "Lady Bird"
 "Call Me by Your Name"

PICTURE

- "Coco"
 "The Boss Baby"
 "Ferdinand"

CONTEST INSTRUCTIONS

Email your Oscar Contest Entry Form to: jfisher@tnonline.com; mail Entry Form to: Jennifer Fisher, The Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, Pa. 18104, or drop off Entry Form 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Friday, The Press offices, 1633 N. 26th St. (26th Street and Walbert Avenue), South Whitehall Township. Include name, address, telephone number and email. Your contact information will not be published. One entry per person. Entry deadline: 5 p.m. Feb. 26. In event of tie for most number of correct choices, earliest entry determines winner.

GREEN

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cells in a given area rupture. You'll notice the injury the following spring as a discolored, sunken area. Fungus infections often invade trees via sun-scald injuries.

Young, thin-barked trees are most susceptible to sun-scald injury. These include maple, honey locust, linden, and mountain ash trees. Heavy pruning on neglected trees exposes sections of bark that have been protected from the sun's direct rays for years, predisposing them to sun-scald injury.

You can reduce or eliminate sun-scald injury on young trees by wrapping the trunks each fall with tree-wrap paper. Do this every year until the bark begins to roughen. This may take only a few years on some trees, but more years on others. Prune trees that haven't been pruned for years in stages, not all at once. This will help prevent sun scald.

Other causes of cracks and splits on tree trunks include graft incompatibility and canker infections, two serious problems on certain trees. You'll need professional help to diagnose these problems.

Weak branch angles and physical injury to the trunk from lawn mowers, snowplows, and other equipment may also cause cracks and splits to develop.

"Growing Green" is contributed by Lehigh County Extension Office Staff and Master Gardeners. Information: Lehigh County Extension Office, 610-391-9840; Northampton County Extension Office, 610-746-1970.

Zeroing in on small pleasures

Most of us have been at a show or event where someone tested the sound system by saying, "Testing, testing."

As I write this, I feel like I'm the one being tested. What's being tested is my professed strong sense of gratitude.

I have long made gratitude an integral part of my life.

I start each day with what I call my Gratitude Walk. Regardless of weather, the first thing I do is to take a solitary walk where I say thank you for the day, thank you for life, thank you for the beauty around me, thank you for all of nature's elements. Thank you for those I will meet this day. Thank you for every blessing big and small.

And I have learned to see a blessing in most things.

Or, so I thought.

What I learned these past few days is how hard it is to see the blessing in pain or in physical problems.

Friday, I went to exercise class where I had the extraordinary experience of easily doing all the moves without a problem. The week before I was getting out of breath with the same aerobic exercises. This time I felt like I was flying.

So of course I said thank you for the great experience. Since it went so well, I began to plan in my head taking the harder Zumba class, thinking I was finally on my way to regaining my physical fitness.

Following the class I went for a nature walk with my friend Jeanne. Wasn't tired at all.

But that night I could no longer walk without excruciating pain behind my knee. I was startled to see a hard lump the size of a tennis ball behind my knee.

Even after extensive icing, the pain was non-stop, too sharp to let me get any sleep.

There is no such thing in our area as getting a doctor on a weekend, so I consulted Dr. Google.

After my consultation with Dr. Google I think I have a greatly enlarged, painful Baker's cyst caused by too many jumping jacks and leg extensions.

The home treatment while I wait to see a doctor: Ice, rest and elevation.

What bothers me most is the resting part. No walking, no activity to see if that helps.

The next day, when I couldn't do my gratitude walk, I also struggled with my attitude. I found myself feeling a bit testy and out of sorts.

Whatever happened to the woman who is grateful for everything?

I have long admired Joni Eareckson Tada. Although she is completely paralyzed, she continues to remind all of us of the need to be grateful every single day, in every single circumstance.

One thing she once said that I have long remembered is that when your world shrinks, you can actually see more than you ever did in the

WARMEST REGARDS

By Pattie Mihalik

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immediate world around you.

With that in mind, I'm rebuilding my sense of gratitude by concentrating on seeing more of the small pleasures that come my way. Most of the time we are far too busy or preoccupied to zero in on all of these small pleasures.

So, here's my list of small pleasures that bring me comfort and joy.

First and foremost, I have to list my warm blanket. In the cold spell that keeps popping up even here in sunny Florida, when I snuggled at night with my warm blanket I always feel gratitude. It is a comfort that never fails to please me.

I do have to admit there are many nights when I am troubled that there are too many homeless people out there who could use more warm blankets.

I am thankful for my friend Bonnie Sue who makes it her mission to visit homeless camps each week with donated blankets and warm jackets.

I notice that so many of the small pleasures in my life fall under the category of food.

First thing in the morning when I spread peanut butter on a toasted English muffin, I love the way the peanut butter melts slightly.

When paired with half a grapefruit, it definitely is a small pleasure I relish.

The smell of freshly brewed coffee is also an early morning pleasure, as is that first sip of morning coffee.

Here are other small pleasures that greet me each day, even when I can't do my gratitude walk:

The way the morning sun turns the pond in back of my house into a sparkling sea of jewels.

I scan the water looking for ducks or shore birds and am seldom disappointed. I so enjoy the flock of ibis that peck for grub in my yard. And no matter how many times I see a great blue heron, it's always another pleasure for which I give thanks.

Very high on my list of small pleasures is the sound of a tiny bird that sits each morning on a bare branch while it sings its sweet serenade.

You know, Joni Eareckson Tada is right. The more you look around your own immediate surroundings, the more you can appreciate what is before you.

After I concentrated on those small pleasures for a while, my sense of gratitude was back.

It gave me the attitude adjustment I needed. Think about the small pleasures in your own life. It can lift your spirits, too.

Contact Pattie Mihalik at newsgrl@comcast.net.

Myasthenia gravis diagnosis explained

Q. My brother-in-law was diagnosed with myasthenia gravis. Could you do one of your columns on this subject so everyone in our family can understand it?

Myasthenia gravis (MG) is a muscle disease. The name comes from Greek and Latin words meaning grave muscle weakness. Myasthenia gravis (my-us-theen-ee-uh-grav-us) affects the muscles that control the eyes, face, breathing, chewing, talking, swallowing and limbs.

MG was first described in detail in the late 19th century, when the outlook for patients was bleak. Many died of respiratory failure.

In the 1930s, MG was better understood. Cholinesterase inhibitors became a standard treatment for MG. In the 1960s, researchers discovered the autoimmune nature of MG, and began attacking the disease at its roots using immunosuppressant drugs.

Today, the mortality rate of MG is less than 5 percent.

MG usually strikes adult women under the age of 40 and men over the age of 60. However, MG can affect people of any age and ethnic group. MG is not contagious and is not inherit-

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By Fred Cicetti
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ed.

The cause of MG is a breakdown in the communication between nerves and muscles. This breakdown causes muscle fatigue and weakness, which worsens with repeated use of the muscle. Symptoms usually improve with rest. Treatment can help MG symptoms, but there is no cure for the disease.

Specific signs of MG include: drooping eyelids, double or blurred vision, difficulty speaking-swallowing-chewing, inability to smile, shortness of breath, and a change in your stride.

When MG strikes, the immune system produces antibodies that interfere with the muscles' ability to receive nerve signals. This interference causes weakness.

There's a theory that the thymus gland, a part of your immune system located under the breastbone, may be responsible for making these antibodies. The thymus gland is abnormal in most MG cases.

MG symptoms can be intensified by stress, illness, fatigue, extreme

heat and drugs such as beta blockers, calcium channel blockers, quinine and some antibiotics.

Myasthenic crisis is a life-threatening condition that occurs when the muscles that control breathing become too weak. Emergency treatment is necessary to recover the ability to breathe properly.

People with MG are more likely to have the following additional problems: a malfunctioning thyroid gland; lupus, a chronic inflammatory disease, and rheumatoid arthritis, an immune-system disorder.

Drugs for treating MG include cholinesterase inhibitors, corticosteroids and immunosuppressants.

Cholinesterase inhibitors enhance communication between nerves and muscles. Corticosteroids inhibit the immune system, limiting antibody production. Immunosuppressants alter your immune system.

Among the therapies for MG are plasmapheresis and intravenous immune globulin. In plasmapheresis, blood is routed through a machine that removes the antibodies interfering with nerve signals to the muscles. Intravenous immune globulin

gives your body normal antibodies, which alters your immune-system response.

A thymectomy is the surgical removal of the thymus gland. This surgery is done for people with MG who have tumors, as well as for some who don't have tumors. The surgery improves symptoms in most MG patients.

There are other ways to deal with MG:

If you have double vision, use an eye patch. To avoid eyestrain, periodically switch the patch from one eye to the other.

Save physical energy by using appliances such as electric toothbrushes and screwdrivers.

Eat slowly and rest between bites. More frequent, smaller meals may be easier to handle. Also, try soft foods and avoid sticky foods that require lots of chewing.

Install grab bars or railings in places where you may need support, such as next to the bathtub.

Have a question?

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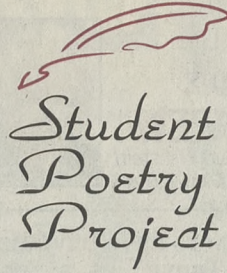
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Enter student poetry project

Submissions are now being accepted for the 13th annual award-winning Lehigh Valley Press Student Poetry Project.

In celebration of National Poetry Month in April, poems will be selected in each of the Elementary School, Middle School and High School categories and published in the April 25 and April 26 Focus section in the eight Lehigh Valley Press newspapers and web sites.

The student in each of the three categories whose poem is selected for publication on the front page of the Focus section may have his or her photo published, with the permission of the stu-



dent's parent or guardian.

Three writers of the first-place poems will be invited to read their poems and be interviewed on "Lehigh Valley Arts Salon," 6:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. April 16, WDIY, Lehigh Valley Community Radio, 88.1 FM, wdiy.org.

The entry guidelines:
1. The Student Poetry Project is open to Lehigh Valley elementary school, middle school and

high school public, parochial, private, charter, cyber and home-school students in the circulation areas of the Lehigh Valley Press newspapers: Salisbury Press, East Penn Press, Parkland Press, Northwestern Press, Whitehall-Coplay Press, Catasauqua Press, Northampton Press and Bethlehem Press.

2. Poems are to be submitted in PDF form and should not exceed one page in length using a font no smaller than 10

point. No illustrations will be accepted.

3. On the same page as the poem, include student name, age, grade, school, district, telephone number and email of parent or guardian for contact information only. The phone number and email will not be published or shared.

4. Each student may submit up to three poems, which must be his or her original composition. Each poem should be a separate entry. Individual poems should be at least 10 lines in length. However, students may

submit up to three shorter poems on a single theme with a title, on a single page. Single poems shorter than 10 lines will not be accepted.

5. E-mail poems and-or questions to George Vandoren, Student Poetry Project coordinator, georgevandoren@me.com

6. Hand-written or printed versions of poems may be mailed to or dropped off to: Student Poetry Project, care of Lehigh Valley Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, Pa. 18104. Teachers may submit multiple class poems in a single envelope as

long as they are on separate pages and contain the required student information.

7. Entries must be received (by U.S. Mail or email) by 5 p.m. March 16.

8. Permission of a parent or guardian is required for a student's photo to be taken and published in the Focus section in the Lehigh Valley Press newspapers and web sites.

9. Copies of poems will not be returned.

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'Cinderella' goes to source

BY DAWN OUELLETTE
Special to The Press

"This is not the Disney version," says Leslie Jackson, who plays Marie, Cinderella's Fairy Godmother, in the national tour of the Tony Award-winning musical, "Rodgers and Hammerstein's 'Cinderella,'" being staged at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 16 and 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Feb. 17 at the State Theatre Center for the Arts, Easton.

"Most of us have grown up knowing some version of the story, but this is a more current version of the classic fairy tale," says Jackson in a phone interview.

The touring "Cinderella" is a 2013 adaptation by Douglas Carter Beane of the 1957 classic made-for-television special, and introduces several new characters and new Rodgers and Hammerstein songs. The Broadway production of the musical was nominated for nine Tony Awards, receiving one for costume design.

For the tour, costume design is by six-time Tony Award-winner William Ivey Long, scenic design is by Tony Award nominee Anna Louizos, lighting design is by Tony Award-winner Kenneth Posner and sound design is by Tony Award nominee Nevin Steinberg.

Jackson has had an affinity for musicals and studied opera at Northwestern University. "I always liked singing," she says, "and I always loved musicals. I fall in love with the show every night. It has such a beautiful score."

The touring show has music adaptation and arrangements by David Chase and music supervision is by Greg Anthony Rassen. Orchestra-



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Leslie Jackson

tions by Bill Elliott are adapted from the original Broadway orchestrations by Danny Troob.

The show's songs have become audience favorites, including "In My Own Little Corner," "Ten Minutes Ago," and "Stepsisters' Lament."

"Stepsisters' Lament is a fun one," says Jackson. "The audience always has a lot of fun with it."

The character Jackson plays in "Cinderella" is known as "Crazy Marie," a homeless woman who lives in the forest and is one of Ella's (Cinderella) good friends.

"Ella is kind to her when most think she is just crazy," says Jackson, "and Marie ends up to be her Fairy Godmother. It's a wonderful story about how being genuinely kind pays

off, about overcoming our circumstances and reaching for our dreams."

Jackson enjoys being a part of the cast of "Cinderella."

"This is my second year with the tour," she says, "and I love our cast."

"We get along really well, which you don't get with every show. We get to go to so many fun places. We opened the tour in Alaska and I had never been there before. We also have been to smaller cities that don't always get big shows like ours. It's been a lot of fun."

Tickets: State Theatre Center for the Arts box office, 453 Northampton St., Easton; statetheatre.org; 1-800-999-7828; 610-252-3132

'I, Tonya,' you, and me

It helps to know your history to appreciate "I, Tonya," a brutal and apparently uncomfortably honest biopic about disgraced Olympic ice-skating athlete Tonya Harding.

MOVIE REVIEW

By Paul Willistein
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While one can't completely verify the veracity of the movie, which has been disowned by Harding's mother, "I, Tonya" appears to present the "facts" in a different setting from recent television interview shows and documentaries with and about Harding ("Good Morning America," "The View," ESPN's "The Price Of Gold"), and includes the standard end-credits movie disclaimer (... "Any resemblance to actual persons, living or dead, or actual events is purely coincidental ..."). "I, Tonya" is a must-see for sports fans, the tabloid media-obsessed and admirers of well-crafted films.

"I, Tonya" is nominated for three Oscars: actress (Margo Robbie, who portrays Harding with fierce determination and sad resignation), supporting actress (Allison Janney, who "becomes" Harding's mother, LaVona), and editing (Tatiana S. Riegel).

My movie-goer companion at the screening was curious as to why the film is titled "I, Tonya." I can't vouch for director Craig Gillespie, but "I, Claudius," the highly-regarded 1934 novel by Robert Graves, which became the basis for a 1976 BBC-TV miniseries, was a faux autobiography. Graves wrote in the first-person voice of Claudius, fourth Emperor of Rome (41-54 AD), who insisted on "writing the truth."

The parallel, of course, is that we can't really vouch for the truth of Claudius's, nor Tonya's, "truth."

While some movie re-

viewers have trivialized "I, Tonya" as a "dark comedy" and minimized it as "hilarious," it is much more than this. The film is nothing less than a modern tragedy, a Greek tragedy, if you will. And it is yet another account of media frenzy gone bad, at the expense of those involved and to the delight of the viewing and reading public. That includes, after all, you and me, as Tonya reminds us late in the film.

"I, Tonya" includes wince-inducing, face-smacking and head-cracking violence to Harding, who was allegedly hit by her mother, allegedly slugged and shot at twice with a gun (once wounded) by her fiancé and then husband, Jeff Gillooly (an excellent Sebastian Stan) and, symbolically, denigrated by the U.S. Figure Skating judges, who allegedly just couldn't accept her wrong-side-of-the-tracks upbringing and demeanor and, of course, the whack to the knee of ice-skating rival Nancy Kerrigan at the 1994 U.S. Figure Skating Championships by alleged hitman, Shane Stant, allegedly orchestrated by then ex-husband Gillooly and his friend Shawn Eckardt.

Gillespie ("The Finest Hours," 2016; "Fright Night," 2011; "Lars and the Real Girl," 2007) keeps the pace joltingly-real, never letting up on the docu-drama style immediacy, propelled by Riegel's editing.

The film tells Harding's story with direct-to-camera interviews of Robbie portraying her and

Janney portraying her mother. There are also scenes where Robbie breaks the fourth wall, Shakespearean stage style, and speaks directly to the movie-goer. Robbie ("Goodbye Christopher Robin," 2017; "Suicide Squad," 2016; "The Wolf Of Wall Street," 2013) is incredible as Harding. Her skating is convincing (although she did not do a triple axel). It's a totally-committed performance of career-marking brilliance.

Janney ("The Help," 2011; TV's "The West Wing," 1999-2006) disappears into character, portraying an inner awfulness that is squirm-inducing.

Though Tonya Harding (now Tonya Price) says she wants to be remembered as the first United States female figure-skater to land a triple axel (at 1991's U.S. Nationals), "I, Tonya" reignites the public's (yours and mine and ours) fascination with the rest of the story.

"I, Tonya," MPAARated R (Restricted Under 17 requires accompanying parent or adult guardian. Contains some adult material. Parents are urged to learn more about the film before taking their young children with them.) for pervasive language, violence, and some sexual content-nudity; Genre: Biography, Comedy, Drama; Run time: 2 hrs.; Distributed by Neon.

Credit Readers Anonymous: The "I, Tonya" end credits include snippets of Tonya Harding, Jeff Gillooly, Shawn Eckardt and LaVona Harding, as well as updates about the main characters.

Box Office, Feb. 9: "Fifty Shades Freed," opening at No. 1 with \$38.8 million, threw some shade on Dwayne Johnson's "Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle," which dropped three clicks from No. 1 to No. 4 with \$9.8 million, \$365.6 million, eight weeks, holding off the animated feature, "Peter Rabbit," opening at No. 2 with \$25 million, and director Clint Eastwood's fact-based drama, "The 15:17 To Paris," opening at No. 3 with \$12.6 million.

5. "The Greatest Showman" (one Oscar nomination: original song) dropped two places, with \$6.4 million, \$146.5 million, eight weeks. 6. "Maze Runner: The Death Cure" dropped four places, \$6 million, \$49 million, three weeks. 7. "Winchester" slipped four places, \$5 million, \$17.1 million, two weeks. 8. "The Post" dropped two slots, \$3.5 million, \$72.8 million, eight weeks. 8. "The Shape Of Water" (13 Oscar nominations, Directors Guild of America recipient, director Guillermo del Toro) held steady, \$3 million, \$49.7 million, 11 weeks. 10. "Den Of Thieves" dropped two spots, \$2.9 million, \$40.9 million, four weeks. 15. "I, Tonya" dropped three places, \$1.5 million, \$25.2 million, 10 weeks.

Unreel, Feb. 16: "Black Panther," PG-13: Ryan Coogler directs Chadwick Boseman, Michael B. Jordan, and Lupita Nyong'o in the Science-Fiction film. T'Challa returns to Wakanda to succeed his father, the king, who has died.

"Early Man," PG: Nick Park directs the voice talents of Tom Hiddleston, Eddie Redmayne, and Timothy Spall in the Animation Comedy. Dug and Hognob fight Lord Nooth in prehistoric times.



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The School District intends to seek approval from the Pennsylvania Department of Education as required by Act 1 for an exception allowing increase of the real estate tax as reflected in the School District Preliminary Budget. The Preliminary Budget is available for public inspection at the School District Administration Building, 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052. On written request by any School District resident or taxpayer, the School District will provide a copy of the referendum exception application.

J. Michael Malay, Jr., Board Secretary
Feb. 14

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The Bethlehem Area School District (BASD) Authority will meet on Mon. Feb. 26, 2018 (snow date Feb. 28) at 4:30pm at East Hills Middle School, Parent Center Rm, 2005 Chester Rd Bethlehem for the purpose of adopting a refinancing plan to address the 2011 and 2011A Floating Rate Notes and general matters.

Stacy M. Gober
Chief Financial Officer
Feb. 14

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INVITATION TO PREQUALIFY TO BID RENOVATIONS TO THE CIRCLE OF SEASONS CHARTER SCHOOL INTERIOR DEMOLITION BID PACKAGE

Contractors are invited to submit BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS for the bidding of the RENOVATIONS TO THE CIRCLE OF SEASONS CHARTER SCHOOL at 8380 Mohr Lane, Fogelsville, PA. CONTRACTORS THAT ARE PREQUALIFIED THROUGH THIS PROCESS WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO SUBMIT A LUMP SUM BASIS BID FOR THE FOLLOWING CONTRACTS:

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Feb. 14

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of ROBERT K. SEARFOSS a/k/a ROBERT KENNETH SEARFOSS, deceased, late of 3131 Welshtown Road, Slatington, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Administratrix: April L. Bolton
a/k/a April Lynn Bolton
8234 Rextown Road
Slatington, PA 18080

or to his Attorney: Joshua D. Shulman, Esquire
SHULMAN & SHABBICK
1935 Center Street
Northampton, PA 18067
Feb. 14, 21, 28

CRYPTOGRAM

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See solution on page B9

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: S equals T

PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

BANDS TOGETHER ACROSS

- 1 Not meant to be heard by the audience, in a way
8 Blend in
13 Maker of stringed instruments
20 Author Huffington
21 Nary a soul
22 In a group
23 Give a nonnative a smooch?
25 Causes of sudden fear
26 Env. alerter
27 Small drink
28 Make up for
29 Defeat Dorothy's dog decisively?
34 Trip to an underwater river?
39 Singer Buddy
40 Egg
42 Stools, say
43 Actress Mendes
44 Certain Siouan
45 "The Jerk" actor M. — Walsh
47 "Well well!"
48 Use a pool
49 Specialty of Windy City bakeries?
52 Uses Dixie diction
54 Door turner
55 Expire, as a subscription
59 Ballpark fig.
60 New princess of '81
63 One who doesn't succumb to a potent toxin?
68 Clean energy org.
69 Bombard with e-junk
71 "Zip — Doo-Dah"
72 Hard wood
73 Glorious state of bliss?
79 Military units
82 Prefix with hazard
83 Achieve
84 Obi-Wan Kenobi, e.g.
85 Rob
88 Desert haven mentioned in the first book of the Bible?
94 Guitars' kin, for short
95 Actor Rob
99 Bits of matter
100 Car for a VIP
101 Mr., in India
102 Have a cow, with "out"
103 Ltr. insert
104 Arrangement
105 Ruler of the Sunflower State?
108 Palpitation?
111 Menu fish
112 Audiotapes' successors
114 Cato's 1,052
115 Main female character
118 Stuff hauled by Beantown trash collectors?
124 Not ceasing

19x19 crossword grid with numbers 1-129 indicating starting points for clues.

- 125 Homer work
126 St. — (capital of Loire)
127 Mice and whales, e.g.
128 "The Rose" singer Midler
129 Plunder

- DOWN
1 Hard wood
2 Wk. day
3 Hi — (old LP players)
4 Moms
5 Notoriety
6 Noted berry farm founder
7 Turn a deaf — (ignore)
8 Musical artist DiFranco
9 Barking pets
10 Doctrine that reality is one organic whole
11 Ham-handed
12 Gen —
13 Certain boxing punch
14 Not firmly implanted
15 Pre-litoff term
16 Jenna Bush —
17 "Kinda" suffix
18 Ballpark fig.
19 Scale notes
24 Lay to rest
28 Skating leap
29 Ice cream flavor, briefly
30 Writer Philip
31 H.G. Wells race

- 32 Smart — (cocky)
33 At an end
35 Fashion initials.
36 Synthpop artist, say
37 Sinister
38 They may be candied
41 Wombs
45 Self-conceit
46 Unruly crowd
47 Social Security fig., e.g.
48 Delhi dress
50 Not only that
51 Vienna loc.
53 Crank (up)
56 — upswing
57 Meat stamp letters
58 Wk. day
60 The, in Paris
61 "The Simpsons" store clerk
62 Work at as a dilettante
63 Breathe hard
64 Leave out
65 Intermission
66 Bullfight cry
67 Apt. units
70 Stew veggie
74 Eye covers
75 Bettor's note
76 Tatty clothes
77 Strive (for)
78 U.N.'s Kofi

- 80 Hubbub
81 Call placer
84 Actor Parsons
85 Corn cover
86 Stew veggie
87 Part of PIN
89 Carve
90 Somber
91 In — (as found)
92 Don of radio
93 Last year's frosh
96 "Part II" films
97 Tightly strung
98 Squeak (out)
102 Cereal meal
103 Breaks up
104 Add to the batter, say
106 Charge at
107 School, in Nice
109 Writer Horatio
110 Calf catcher
113 ESPN datum
115 — and haw
116 Greek vowel
117 Dream-time acronym
118 Baby's wear
119 Lyric tribute
120 Wanna — (aspirants)
121 Santa — (hot wind)
122 Big health supplement chain, familiarly
123 "I see mice!"

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See solution on page B10

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Macungie Borough Council will hold a public hearing on March 5, 2018 at 7:30 p.m., at the Macungie Institute Auditorium, 510 E. Main Street, Macungie, Pennsylvania, to consider and possibly adopt an ordinance, of which this notice is a summary, amending the Macungie Borough Zoning Ordinance of 2013 at Chapter 345 of the Macungie Borough Code of Ordinances, by clarifying and making corrections to certain provisions throughout the Macungie Borough Zoning Ordinance and by allowing Non Profit Festivals and Shows/Fairs as a permitted use within the C-R Zoning District. The title of the Ordinance is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MACUNGIE BOROUGH ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2013 AT CHAPTER 345 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF MACUNGIE BOROUGH.

A full copy of the above-referenced ordinance is available for review at Macungie Borough Hall, 21 Locust Street, Macungie, Pennsylvania and the Lehigh County Solicitor's Office, Lehigh County Government Center, 17 South 7th Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania during normal business hours. All interested parties are invited to attend this public hearing and meeting.

Chris L. Boehm, Borough Manager

Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hanover Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, will consider for adoption at a Public Hearing to be held at 7:00 p.m. on the 27th day of February, 2018, at the Hanover Township Municipal Building, 3630 Jacksonville Road, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, an Ordinance amending the Hanover Township Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 185, Zoning, by amending Zoning, Article VI, Section 185-25 Regulations Applicable to all Residential Districts; subsection F. Home Occupations. In the event that the Board of Supervisors do not consider for adoption the Ordinance described hereinafter at the Public Hearing, the Board of Supervisors will consider the Ordinance for adoption at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors to be held on the 13th day of March, 2018, at the Hanover Township Municipal Building, 3630 Jacksonville Road, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

Copies of the proposed Ordinance are available for review at the Hanover Township Municipal Building located at 3630 Jacksonville Road, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania during normal business hours.

The following is the proposed Amendment to the Hanover Township Zoning Ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. 18 -

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER, COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING THE "HANOVER TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE" CHAPTER 185, ZONING, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 185, ZONING, ARTICLE VI, SECTION 185-25 REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS; SUBSECTION F HOME OCCUPATIONS AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT THEREWITH

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained and enacted, by the Board of Supervisors of Hanover Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania as follows:

The Supervisors of Hanover Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, under the powers vested in them by the "Second Class Township Code" of Pennsylvania and the authority and procedures of the "Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code", as amended, as well as other laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby enact and ordain the following amendment to the text of the Hanover Township Zoning Ordinance.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Hanover Township desires to amend its Zoning Ordinance by amending Chapter 185, Zoning, Article VI, Section 185-25 Regulations applicable to all residential districts; Subsection F. Home Occupations.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it enacted and ordained by the Board of Supervisors of Hanover Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, and the same is hereby ordained and enacted as follows, to wit:

SECTION 1: The Supervisors of Hanover Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, under the powers vested in them by the "Second Class Township Code" and the "Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code", as amended, as well as other laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby ordain and enact the following amendment to the text of the Hanover Township Zoning Ordinance, as amended.

SECTION 2: Chapter 185, Zoning Article VI, Section 185-25 Regulations applicable to all residential districts by amending in its entirety Subsection F. Home Occupations of the Code of Ordinances to read as follows:

F. Home occupations.
(1) Size limit. A home occupation shall not occupy more than 25% of the total floor area of a dwelling unit or 500 square feet of the unit, whichever is less.

(2) Personnel limit. Not more than one person shall be employed in a home occupation who is not an occupant of the dwelling unit nor a member of the occupying family.

(3) General use restrictions.

(a) A home occupation is one that is incidental to the residential use of the premises. The occupant of the residence where the home occupation is to be located shall be the same as the operator of the approved home occupation for that residence. A home occupation shall be one of the following:

[1] **NO-IMPACT HOME OCCUPATION** - A business activity administered or conducted as an accessory use which is clearly secondary to the use as a residential dwelling and which involves no customer, client or patient traffic, whether vehicular or pedestrian, pickup, delivery or removal functions to or from the premises, in excess of those normally associated with residential use.

[2] **MODERATE-IMPACT HOME-BASED BUSINESS** - A business having no more than one employee. A business activity conducted as an accessory use which is clearly secondary to the use as a residential dwelling having no more than one employee and which involves customer, client or patient traffic, whether vehicular or pedestrian, pickup, delivery or removal functions to or from the premises, in excess of those normally associated with residential use.

[i] **Parking** - A minimum of two off-street parking spaces in addition to those required for the residential unit, shall be required for all home occupation uses which will be visited by customers or clientele. No on-street parking will be permitted.

(b) A home occupation shall be carried on in the principal structure only, accessory buildings designed or intended to be used for the home occupation shall not be permitted.

(c) Garages shall not be permitted to be used for a home occupation.

(4) Use restrictions. In connection with the operation of a home occupation, it shall not be permitted to:

(a) Sell articles produced elsewhere than on the premises.
(b) Have exterior displays of goods visible from the outside.
(c) Store materials, articles, or products outside or on top of any structure on the lot.
(d) have any visible evidence of a home occupation use when viewed from the building exterior, except for sign as regulated in §185-25F(5).

(5) Regulation of signs for home occupations.

(a) Only one sign per dwelling unit shall be permitted for a home occupation use.
(b) Said sign shall be attached flush on the dwelling unit structure below the roof line.
(c) Said sign shall not exceed two square feet in total area.

(6) Examples of home occupations. Home occupations include:

(a) No-impact Home Occupation

[1] Artistic endeavors carried on in a studio or similar area.

[2] Handicrafts, such as dressmaking, sewing and the like.

[3] Consulting or service oriented activities where all services are provided off-site and home use is limited to administration of the business.

(b) Moderate Impact Home-Based Business

[1] Professional practices, such as law, medicine, architecture, and engineering.

[2] Beautician and barber.

(7) Examples of non-home occupations. Home occupations do not include:

(a) Veterinary practice.

(b) The raising of animals, pets, horses, etc. for commercial purposes.

(c) Any occupation or business that requires the use of a panel truck or a delivery truck or similar vehicle.

(d) Motor vehicle repair.

(e) Day-care center.

(8) A home occupation is not transferable to new occupant/owner of the premises.

SECTION 3: SEVERABILITY. If a court of competent jurisdiction declares any provisions of this Amendment to be invalid in whole or in part, the effect of such decision shall be limited to those provisions expressly stated in the decision to be invalid, and all other provisions of this Zoning Amendment shall continue to be separately and fully effective.

SECTION 4: REPEALER. All ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5: ENACTMENT. This Amendment shall be effective five (5) days after the date of passage.

James L. Broughal, Solicitor
Hanover Township
Northampton County
38 West Market Street
Bethlehem, PA 18018

Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that Macungie Borough, 21 Locust St., Macungie, Lehigh County, PA 18072 will receive sealed bids online via the PennBid Program (www.PennBid.net) until 5:00 pm, prevailing time on **Wednesday March 14, 2018**, for the removal of existing curb and sidewalk and replacement with ADA compliant ramps constructed with concrete curb and sidewalk as indicated on drawings by Barry Isett & Associates, Engineer.

Bids must include a bid bond, with a corporate surety authorized to do business in Pennsylvania in accordance with the project specifications in the amount of 10% of the total bid amount, all posted through the PennBid program. Questions may be submitted through PennBid's "Questions" tab on or before 5:00 pm on **March 9, 2018**. Responses will be provided via PennBid to all registered plan holders. All bidding documents are available online at no cost at www.PennBid.net.

In addition to the Equal Employment requirements of Executive Order 11246 regarding discrimination, the Contractor must establish a 3% goal for female participation and a 5% goal for minority participation in his aggregate on-site construction work force for contracts in excess of \$10,000. Section 3 contracting goal is 10% and Section 3 employment goal is 30%. Section 3 requires that the Contractor must utilize, to the greatest extent feasible, local area businesses, trainees, employees, and low-moderate income persons within the general trade area. Preference may be given to responsible Section 3 MBE/WBE Contractor in order to meet these goals.

In accordance with Executive Orders 11625, 12138, and Macungie Borough MBE plan, the Contractor must utilize, to the greatest extent feasible, minority and/or women owned business concerns. Bidders are hereby notified that a MBE/WBE firm will be afforded full opportunity to bid without discrimination. Davis-Bacon rates and Related Acts apply to this Project.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 2:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, February 28, 2018** at the Macungie Municipal Building, 21 Locust St., Macungie, PA. Macungie Borough reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or portions of to waive any informalities in bidding and to withhold award for a period of sixty days.

Chris L. Boehm, Borough Manager

Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE
FOUNTAIN HILL BOROUGH

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance will be introduced at the meeting of the Borough Council on February 21, 2018:

ORDINANCE #840, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF FOUNTAIN HILL BY AMENDING CHAPTER 11, PART 3, WHICH ADOPTED THE INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE, 2009 EDITION, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF ENUMERATED "QUALITY OF LIFE" VIOLATIONS BY THE ISSUANCE OF A VIOLATION TICKET BY THE BOROUGH CODE OFFICIAL; TO SET FORTH PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION; TO PROVIDE FOR COLLECTION OF UNPAID FINES AND COSTS, INCLUDING THE LIENING OF PROPERTIES; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND REPEALER OF INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES

A Public Hearing will be held on ordinance #840 on March 5, 2018, at which time the Ordinance will be considered for adoption on second reading. Upon adoption, said ordinance will become effective in accordance with law.

A complete copy of the text of the proposed Ordinance is available for examination without charge in the office of the Borough of Fountain Hill, 941 Long Street, Fountain Hill, PA 18015, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Borough of Fountain Hill is required by law to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Any person that requires special assistance to understand the nature of the business conducted at the above meeting because of visual, hearing or other impairment is requested to contact the Borough Executive Administrator at least five (5) days prior to the scheduled meeting to arrange for the necessary assistance.

Anthony Branco, Executive Administrator

Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF MEETING

The Whitehall Township Planning Commission has scheduled their meeting for February 21, 2018 at 7:30 PM in the Public Meeting Room of the **Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA** to discuss the following:

A) **SUBMISSION REVIEW**
INDEX #1910-18 - CARMIKE ENTERPRISES LLC (LAUREL HOTEL)
SPECIAL EXCEPTION

INDEX #1907-17- PROPOSED CVS PHARMACY MAJOR SUBDIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT

B) **DISCUSSION ITEMS:**
INDEX #

C) **OTHER:**
Approval 1/17/18 Meeting Minutes.

Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building.

The Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Any person that requires special assistance to understand the nature of business conducted at the above meeting because of visual, hearing or other impairment, is requested to contact Lee A. Rackus, Bureau Chief, at least five (5) working days prior to the scheduled meeting to arrange for the necessary assistance.

Applicants and all interested parties MUST appear at this meeting to be considered.

Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

**WHITEHALL COPLAY MIDDLE SCHOOL ALTERATIONS
WHITEHALL-COPLAY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WHITEHALL, PENNSYLVANIA**

Sealed proposals will be received in duplicate by the Whitehall-Coplay School District, OWNER, at the District Administration Offices at 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, Pennsylvania 18052 until 12:00 NOON prevailing time on Wednesday, March 07, 2018, at which time Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for the Middle School Alterations Project for the Whitehall-Coplay School District.

Work will be bid for the Alterations to the Whitehall-Coplay Middle School.

The Bid must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of ten percent of the total amount of Bid. All Bids must be effective for sixty (60) days from the date of Bid opening.

Sealed bids will be received for any and/or all of the following separate Prime Contracts, which includes all work indicated on the Contract Documents:

General Construction	Electrical Construction
Plumbing Construction	HVAC Construction

Contract Documents for the work can be obtained by applying to Breslin Ridyard Fadero Architects, 1226 Union Boulevard, Allentown, PA 18109; Telephone 610-437-9626 with a non-refundable fee of (\$150.00). Checks shall be made payable to "Breslin Ridyard Fadero Architects". Documents will be sent electronically via wetransfer.com. An additional non-refundable fee of (\$25.00) is required for shipping and handling if a compact disc (CD) of the documents is to be sent. Contractors must supply the following information with their request for documents: Company name, contact person, along with numbers for phone and fax, and email address.

Drawings, Specifications, Instructions to Bidders, Proposal Forms, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the office of the Architect, and at the following locations:

- Altoona Builders Exchange; www.altoonabx.com
- Blue Book Network; www.thebluebook.com
- ConstructConnect; www.constructconnect.com
- Construction Information Systems; www.cisleads.com
- Construction Journal; www.constructionjournal.com
- Dodge Data & Analytics; www.construction.com
- Northeast PA Contractors Association (NEPCA); www.nepca.org
- Pennsylvania Builders Exchange; www.pbe.org

A Pre-Bid conference will be held at 4:00 PM on Wednesday, February 21, 2018 in the Cafeteria at the Whitehall-Coplay Middle School located at 2930 Zephyr Boulevard, Whitehall, Pennsylvania. Representatives of the OWNER and ARCHITECT will be present to discuss the project. Attendance is not mandatory but is highly recommended. ARCHITECT will transmit to all prospective BIDDERS of record such Addenda as ARCHITECT considers necessary in response to questions arising at the conference.

The Whitehall-Coplay School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids or portions thereof.

OWNER'S CONTACT: Mr. Philip A. Bankos
Supervisor of Buildings/Grounds
2590 Campus Drive
Whitehall, Pennsylvania 18052
Phone: 610-439-0110, x1153 - Fax: 610-433-0197

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check and/or bond, with corporate surety authorized to do business in Pennsylvania.

All bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on the outside "BID FOR (as the case may be)" - and mailed or delivered to the undersigned, District Administration Building, 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, Pennsylvania, before the hour and date above specified.

The Board of Directors reserves the right to reject any or all bids, with or without cause.

By Order of the Board of School Directors
Whitehall-Coplay School District
J. Michael Malay, Jr., CPA
Business Manager

Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE
ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
SALISBURY TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PA

The Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council will be meeting on Wednesday, February 21, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. in the Municipal Bldg., 2900 South Pike Ave., Allentown, PA 18103.
Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELIZABETH J. STROUSE, a/k/a ELIZABETH STROUSE

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH J. STROUSE, a/k/a ELIZABETH STROUSE, deceased, late of Emmaus, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Karen L. Collier, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payment without delay to: Karen L. Collier, Executrix, c/o CRAIG B. NEELY, Esq., 209 Main Street, Emmaus, PA 18049, 610-928-1188.
Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

FEBRUARY 2018 PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

The Upper Macungie Township Planning Commission will hold a public meeting on **Wednesday, February 21, 2018, at 7:00 P.M.** at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, one mile west of Route 100, Breinigsville, PA., to review and make recommendations on the following: **Waiver Requests:**

#2235 **Parkland Elementary School, Land Development Plan, Preliminary/Final Plan**, the plan proposes construction of a 2 story, 700 student elementary school with a gym, cafeteria, playgrounds, fields, and associated bus and loading parking areas, the site is located on the west side of Twin Ponds Road between Schantz Road and Long Lane, the property is situated in the R1 - Residential Zoning District;

Subdivision and Land Development Plan Review:

#1839 **Blue Barn Meadows, Lot Line Adjustment Plan, Preliminary/Final Plan**, the project proposes to further adjust the lot lines within the previously approved subdivision Plan, the site is located at 1461 Blue Barn Road and is situated with the R-2 - Residential Zoning District;

Planning Commission Workshop February 19, 2018 at 7:00 PM

And any and all matters that may come before the Commission.
Makala Ashmar, Secretary

Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE
UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP
ROOF REPLACEMENT

NOTICE TO BIDDERS: Sealed bids for an asphalt shingled roof replacement will be received by the Township of Upper Milford, Lehigh County, PA, at 5671 Chestnut St., PO Box 210, Old Zionsville, PA 18068, until 1:00 P and opened at 1:00 PM on Tuesday, March 6, 2018. There will be a mandatory site visit for this project on Thursday, March 1, 2018. The roof may be accessed at this time from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: The project consists of the demolition of an existing 17,500 s.f. asphalt shingled roof and replacement with new asphalt shingled roof. Prevailing wage rates will apply if the bid is \$25,000 or greater.

DRAWINGS and SPECIFICATIONS: Complete drawings and specifications can be obtained by contacting Watkins Architect, at 610-944-5536, or emailing: yourteam@watkinsarchitect.com

BID SUBMISSION: Proposals must be upon the forms furnished by the municipality including a non-collusion affidavit.

BONDING: The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the bid, made payable to the municipality. Bidders must clearly mark and identify bidding documents.

REJECTION OF BIDS: The municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposal forms and specifications may be obtained at the Township Building during normal business hours Monday - Friday, 8 am until 4 pm.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 60 days after the bid opening. The successful bidder(s) will be required to furnish a performance bond and payment bond in a final sum equal to 100% of the proposed contract amount. Bonds shall be issued by a surety authorized and licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The undersigned reserves the right to waive informalities, or irregularities, defects, errors or omission on bids, or to reject all bids or parts thereof and make awards in the best interest of the Township.

Board of Supervisors, Upper Milford Township
Ed Carter, Township Manager

Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 27, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Campus, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428.

Appeal No. 01-2018 of East Penn School District 800 Pine Street, Emmaus PA. 18049. Property located at 6299 Lower Macungie Road, in a U-Urban Residential Zoning District. Tax Parcel No. 5475209516331. Applicants are requesting a Special Exception to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 22, Section 27-2207 C, regarding the proposed LED changeable monument sign and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 05-2018 of Murat Guzel 7781 Furnace Drive Macungie Pa. 18062. Property located in an R-Rural Residential/HRLO-Hills at Lock Ridge Overlay District. Tax Parcel No. 546394298385. Applicant is requesting a Variance to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 4 Section 27-418 A (3) (4) (6) regarding the proposed accessory structures located within the front yard and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

All applicants must appear at the hearing. Any interested persons are invited to appear before the Board at 7:00 p.m.

The Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Any person that requires special assistance to understand the nature of the business conducted at the above hearing because of visual, hearing or other impairment is requested to contact the Township Secretary at least five (5) days prior to the scheduled hearing to arrange for the necessary assistance.

Carl L. Best, Zoning Officer

Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township and Lower Macungie Township will receive sealed bids for the 2018 Ultra Thin Friction Course for approximately 60,661 SY of Type B and 17,985 SY of Type A. Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM (prevailing time) on Tuesday, March 6, 2018 at the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031, at which time they will be opened and read aloud. All bids should be sealed, marked and addressed as follows: **UPPER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031, PROPOSAL FOR 2018 ULTRA THIN FRICTION COURSE PROJECT**

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications may be obtained at Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc., 6235 Hamilton Boulevard, Westcosville, PA 18106, upon request and a non-refundable payment of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) per set. Each bid must be accompanied by Bid Security made jointly payable to Upper Macungie Township and Lower Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of PennDOT Pub. 408. The successful Bidder must furnish Performance and Payment Bonds each in an amount equal to the Contract Price and meeting PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 103.04 requirements. Bidders must be PennDOT Prequalified per PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 102. Upper Macungie Township and Lower Macungie Township reserve the right to waive any informality and to reject, any or all Bids.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Lower Macungie Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062 on Tuesday, February 27, 2018 at 10:30 AM.

Renea Flexer, Twp. Secretary
Lower Macungie Township

Ashley Godshall, Twp. Secretary
Upper Macungie Township

Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on March 1, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pa. for the purpose of receiving public comments on an ordinance entitled **"AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND ADD TO THE EXISTING AGRICULTURAL SECURITY AREA WITHIN LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP PURSUANT TO THE AGRICULTURAL AREA SECURITY LAW 3 P.S. 901, ET SEQ. BY INCORPORATING 28.276+- ACRES OF LAND LOCATED AT 6270 SAUERKRAUT LANE AND OWNED BY LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP; PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF PARTS OF THIS ORDINANCE DEEMED TO BE INVALID; REPEALING ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HERewith; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE"**.

The proposed ordinance will add 28.276+- acres located at 6270 Sauerkraut Lane (PIN 547446935584) into the Agricultural Security Area. At the conclusion of the Public Hearing, the Board of Commissioners will consider the Ordinance for adoption. The Lower Macungie Township Planning Commission reviewed the proposed Agricultural Security Area at their February 13, 2018 meeting and recommends that the Board of Commissioners approve same. A copy of the full text of this Ordinance is available to any interested party for inspection and/or copying at the Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pa, or for inspection during normal business hours at the offices of this newspaper, East Penn Press, 1633 N. 26th Street, Allentown, Pa 18104 and the Lehigh County Department of Law, Room 440, 17 S. 7th Street, Allentown, Pa 18101. All interested parties are invited to attend.

The Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Any person that requires special assistance to understand the nature of the business conducted at the above meeting because of visual, hearing, or other impairment is requested to contact the Township Secretary at least five days prior to the scheduled meeting to arrange for the necessary assistance.

Renea Flexer, Township Secretary

Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE

The Regular Board Meeting of the Lehigh County Housing Authority will be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2018 at 12:00 pm at East Penn II, 643 Broad Street, Emmaus, PA 18049.

Please contact Ms. Feiertag if there are any questions at: (610) 965-4514 Ext. 212. Christina Feiertag Deputy Executive Director

Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Charles W. Muth, deceased, late of City of Bethlehem, Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

DAVID MUTH, EXECUTOR C/O CHARLES W. STOPP, ESQUIRE STECKEL AND STOPP LLC 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF DOROTHY G. KAUFFMAN, deceased, late of North Whitehall, Neffs, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

TARA D. BELLHORN c/o CHARLES A. WATERS, ESQUIRE STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF IRENE M. DIETRICH, deceased, late of Lynn Township, New Tripoli, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

BETTY ANN DAVIS C/O CHARLES W. STOPP, ESQUIRE STECKEL AND STOPP 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF MARION T. GREENWOOD, deceased, late of City of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

GERALYN M. GEIGER, EXECUTRIX C/O CHARLES A. WATERS, ESQUIRE STECKEL AND STOPP 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ROBERT EARL FRANTZ, deceased, late of Schnecksville, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

BRYAN FRANTZ AKA BRYAN M. FRANTZ c/o CHARLES W. STOPP, ESQUIRE STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Upper Macungie Township shall conduct a public hearing on Thursday March 1, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Upper Macungie Township Building at 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031. The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony, including evidence, input and comment from interested parties and the public concerning the adoption of Ordinance 2018-03 which proposes to rename the public street Abigail Lane to Krocks Road.

The general public shall have the right to attend and be heard. Ashley A. Godshall, Secretary Upper Macungie Township Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lower Macungie Township Planning Commission will hold, in addition to their regularly advertised meetings, a monthly workshop in 2018 from February to June to discuss zoning amendments. The additional workshop will be held, as needed, on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA. Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lower Macungie Township will receive sealed bids for the 2018 Micro Surfacing project for approximately 146,419 SY. Sealed bids will be received until 9:00 AM (prevailing time) on March 6, 2018 at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062, at which time they will be opened and read aloud. All bids should be sealed, marked and addressed as follows: LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062. PROPOSAL FOR 2018 MICRO SURFACING PROJECT.

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications may be obtained at Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc., 6235 Hamilton Boulevard, Westcoast, PA 18106, upon request and a non-refundable payment of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) per set. Each bid must be accompanied by Bid Security made payable to Lower Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of PennDOT Pub. 408. Bidders must be PennDOT Prequalified per PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 102. The successful Bidder must furnish Performance and Payment Bonds each in an amount equal to the Contract Price and meeting PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 103.04 requirements. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062 on February 27, 2018 at 10:00 AM. Lower Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informality and to reject, any or all Bids. No bids will be accepted if obtained from sources other than the issuing office noted above. Renea Flexer, Township Secretary Feb. 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE

ALLEN TOWNSHIP COMPREHENSIVE RECREATION, PARKS AND OPEN SPACE PLAN STUDY COMMITTEE

The Allen Township Comprehensive Recreation, Parks and Open Space Study Committee will conduct a meeting on Wednesday, February 28 2018 at 7:00 P.M. at the Allen Township Municipal Building located at 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, Pennsylvania.

Purpose of the meeting will be to discuss and consider any additional revisions to the final draft of the Allen Township Comprehensive Park, Recreation and Open Space Plan (dated December 2017) and consider a recommendation to forward the final draft plan to the Allen Township Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors for final adoption by Allen Township. Ilene Marie Eckhart, Manager Allen Township Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE BIDS WANTED

Sealed electronic bids will be received by the Lehigh County Schools Joint Purchasing Board, until 2:00 p.m., February 22, 2018 for the following:

Coarse Paper Custodial & Maintenance Supplies Floor Supplies General Office Supplies

All bids will be exclusively received and processed through the eSchoolMall easyBid application process at www.eschoolmall.com; the failure to follow this process (no paper submissions will be considered) will disqualify the bid submission. Bid instructions and specifications can be obtained from Ms. Kay Paul at 610-799-1337 or paulk@cti.org. Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on February 23, 2018. Patricia T. Bader, LCSJPB Board Chairperson Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF ROGER C. BEAN, a/k/a ROGER BEAN, deceased, late of Emmaus, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Sharlene M. Bortz, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payment without delay to: Sharlene M. Bortz, Executrix, c/o CRAIG B. NEELY, Esq., 209 Main Street, Emmaus, PA 18049, 610-928-1188. Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF John T. Gasper, II, a/k/a, John Thomas Gasper, II, late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters of Administration C.T.A. have been granted to the undersigned, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Jessica Lynn Kirchner, f/k/a, Jessica Gasper and Jamie Elizabeth Morris c/o R. Nicholas Nanovic, Esquire Norris, McLaughlin & Marcus, P.A. 515 W. Hamilton St., Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 or to their attorney: R. Nicholas Nanovic, Esquire Norris, McLaughlin & Marcus, P.A. 515 W. Hamilton St., Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE AUDITOR'S REPORT

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Financial Statement of Northwestern Lehigh School District for the auditors for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017, was filed on January 8, 2018, in the office of the Prothonotary, Lehigh County Courthouse, Clerk of Judicial Court, Civil Department, 455 W. Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1614, and will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof. The report is available for public inspection at the business office of the School District during normal business hours. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

NORTH CATASAUQUA BOROUGH ZONING HEARING BOARD VACANCY The Borough of Catasauqua has several vacancies in the Zoning Hearing Board. The borough requires you are a resident of the Borough of North Catasauqua as well as have the ability to interpret the Zoning Ordinances and the ability to read blue prints.

If interested, please mail or fax a letter of qualifications or call the borough office for information. The office phone number is (610) 264-1504, fax to (610) 264-0158 or email ncbrn@rcn.com Feb. 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PS ORANGE CO., INC. WILL BE SELLING THE CONTENTS OF CERTAIN STORAGE SPACES IN LIEN AT THE BELOW-LISTED PUBLIC STORAGE FACILITIES TO SATISFY THE OWNER'S LIEN AT PUBLIC SALE BY COMPETITIVE BIDDING The storage spaces in lien belonging to the below-identified tenants contain the following: Appliances/Boxes/Bags/Bedding/Clothing/Books/Electronics/Furniture/Tools/Toys.

• PUBLIC STORAGE 2977 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052 on February 22, 2018 11AM

Ardel Rader B0021, Fakhridin Tabaraliev B0029, Caroline Majewski D0126, Giovanni Rivera D0134, Nichole Nieves D105, Sarah Ross D0156, Kevin Mulcahy D0208, Lauren Martnick D2108, Leslie Rodriguez D2224, John Rodgers D2255, Nicholas Gulich D2286, Marcos Reyes Jr D2291, Jenielle Terry D2295, Susan Reddinger D2302, Community Hope, Inc E0328, Matthew Wescott E0335, Donald DeMenno E0419, Brian Mohrey E0428, Ashley Rivera F0521, Jennifer Teets F0525, John Bonaparte F0529, Kaitlin Jacoby F0535, Melanie Clare F0611, Richard Sistrunk F6180, rob Rodriguez F6197, Xiomara Rivera F6273, Jordan Soto F6299, Grace Bartholomew G0707, Jessica Cathcart G0708, Gloria Agropids G0720, Amber Webb G0748, Richard Stokes Sr G0754, Orgena Rose G0807 PURCHASES MUST BE MADE IN CASH AND CREDIT CARD ONLY AND PAID FOR AT THE TIME OF SALE. ALL GOODS ARE SOLD AS IS AND MUST BE REMOVED AT THE TIME OF SALE. SALE IS SUBJECT TO ADJOURNMENT PS ORANGE CO. INC. Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ZONING HEARING BOARD AGENDA Notice is hereby given that the Borough of Emmaus Zoning Hearing Board will meet on Thursday, February 22, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in Borough Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA, to hear the following appeals:

APPEAL 10515 - STEVE SLASKI, 470 S. CEDAR CREST BLVD., ALLENTOWN, PA 18103 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 416 N. 5TH ST., EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant is proposing to construct a low rise apartment. Applicant is requesting a Special Exception Use to Z.O. Sec. 306-Table of Uses, variances to Z.O. Sections 603.1 & 603.1.B in regards to vehicle movement from parking spaces, a 2,840 SF building coverage variance, a 889 SF impervious lot coverage variance and a 15,630 SF lot area per dwelling variance to Z.O. Part 9. Site is located in a R-M zoning district. APPEAL 10518 - DAREN VAZQUEZ, 6025 FAIRWAY LN., ALLENTOWN, PA 18106 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 121 MAIN ST., EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant is proposing to operate an automobile sales and service business. Applicant is requesting Special Exception Use to Z.O. Sec. 306-Table of Uses and the requirements of Z.O. Sections 403.E & F. Site is located in a B-H zoning district. James L. Farnsworth - Zoning Officer Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Vincent John Taormina, Deceased. Late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 12/14/17. Letters of Administration on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Christie Taormina a/k/a Christie Lauren Taormina, Administratrix, c/o Trisha W. Hall, Esq., 1000 West St., Ste. 1400, Wilmington, DE 19801. Or to her Atty.: Trisha W. Hall, Connolly Gallagher LLP, The Brandywine Bldg., 1000 West St., Ste. 1400, Wilmington, DE 19801. Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF William P. Hamilton a/k/a William Paul Hamilton, Deceased. Late of Upper Saucon Twp., Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 11/8/17. Letters Testamentary on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Jo Lea Hamilton, Executrix, c/o Margaret E.W. Sager, Esq., 100 Four Falls, Ste. 300, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2983. Or to her Atty.: Margaret E.W. Sager, Heckscher, Teillon, Terrill & Sager, P.C., 100 Four Falls, Ste. 300, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2983. Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Irene T. Fisher, late of Northampton, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Theresa Hollod, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or her Attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF M. Margaret Gonda late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Michele K. Grammes, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or her Attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF Audrey S. Penn, deceased, late of 1345 Ciara Drive, Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Karl K. Kent, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or his attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF Evelyn M. Sesulka, late of Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Donna J. Slahra and Georgine J. Weiss, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or their attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Mary E. Kutalek a/k/a Mary Kutalek Deceased, late of Whitehall Lehigh County, PA Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Karen E. Miller, Executrix C/O 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. Attorney Robert N. Rust III of Rust Law, LLC, 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Robert F. Van Duzer, Jr a/k/a Robert Van Duzer Jr. Deceased, late of Allentown Lehigh County, PA Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Mary A. Van Duzer, Executrix, C/O 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. Attorney Robert N. Rust III of Rust Law, LLC, 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Joseph F. Scharnitz, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Frank Gall, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to David M. Roth, Esquire, c/o 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Robert R. Goodhart, late of New Tripoli, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Richard J. Goodhart, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or his Attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Lee H. Hildebeittel, deceased, late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: Beverly Meck, Executrix c/o John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Or to her attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE TRUST NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that MARGARET S. KERN, late of 430 N. Krocks Road, Apt. #108, Upper Macungie Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, being the settlor of the Margaret S. Kern Inter-Vivos Trust Under Agreement Dated July 9, 1992, as Restated in its Entirety on April 24, 2007, has died, and no personal representative has been appointed within 90 days of death for said decedent's estate. All persons having claims or demands against said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent are requested to make payment without delay to the trustees, Robert B. Kern and Richard J. Kern, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or their attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE FICTITIOUS NAME NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the provisions of Act 295 of 1982, of intention to file in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, a certificate for the conduct of business in Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of Name: Sammy T's Cafe with its principal place of business at: 6640 Carmel Drive Macungie, PA 18062 The names and addresses of all persons owning or interested in said business are: DLK33 LLC 6640 Carmel Drive Macungie, PA 18062 The certificate was filed on the 1st day of February, 2018. John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 14

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHN F. FLEMING a/k/a JOHN FRANCIS FLEMING, Deceased, late of Palm Coast, Florida, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the individual named below, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: David O. Fleming, Executor c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C. 2610 Walbert Avenue Allentown, PA 18104 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOSHUA EDWARD BROWN, deceased, late of Upper Macungie Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the individual named below, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Edward Brown, Jr. and Kathleen T. Brown, Administrators c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C. 2610 Walbert Avenue Allentown, PA 18104 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of Elizabeth L. Toogood, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the individual named below, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Thomas A. Toogood and Timothy D. Toogood, Co-Executors c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C. 2610 Walbert Avenue Allentown, PA 18104 Feb. 7, 14, 21

310 PETS & PET SUPPLIES

ALL-BREED BEGINNER OBEDIENCE CLASS starting March 14th in Alburis Community Center. Offered by Lehigh German Shepherd Dog Club. Expd instruction at reasonable rates. 8 week class. Call Melody 610-435-7835.

390 HELP WANTED

BOROUGH OF EMMAUS SUMMER SEASONAL POSITIONS

The Borough of Emmaus is currently accepting applications for Lifeguards, Pool Cashiers and Concession Stand Attendants at Emmaus Community Park. Applicants must be able to work from May 28, 2018 through September 3, 2018. Most positions begin at minimum wage. Lifeguard wages begin at \$8.25 per hour with the opportunity for an end-of-season bonus. Applicants interested in lifeguard positions may be eligible to get certification and most costs paid for by the Borough. Applications for positions can be obtained Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Borough Manager's Office, Town Hall, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA or by visiting www.borough.emmaus.pa.us.

Brewery Workers: FT & PT positions in Fogelsville. 2nd & 3rd shifts. \$12hr. No exp. necessary! Contact Alex at HTSS 610-432-4161 ext. 10 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

CERTIFIED Lifeguards, Memorial Day thru Labor Day. Must have current certifications. If interested contact Fairways at Brookside Condos. Macungie, PA. 610-966-2199 or email: fabronica@ptd.net

390 HELP WANTED

Drivers: 1yr Class-A: \$57,000 to \$77,000yr. \$500.00 Orientation Pay! \$16.00/hr. Detention Pay! Medical, Dental, Vision, Home EVERY Weekend! 855-200-4631

Drivers: Class A CDL: Increased Pay & New Trucks!! Dedicated Routes! No CDL? No Problem! Call Swift Today! 855-292-2945

Drivers, Class B: LOCAL, Sun.-Thurs. Alburis PA. Evening Openings. Excellent Hourly Pay (Avg 45k/yr), Full Benefits & More! 1yr Class B call CEVA today: 1-888-708-4453

Forklift Operator FT positions in Fogelsville. 7-7. Pay starts at \$16/hr, with inc. up to \$21.62/hr. Cand. Must have min. of 5 yrs. sit down FL exp. Call HTSS to schedule an appt. 610-432-4161 ext. 33 or apply online at: www.htss-inc.com

High Reach Forklift 7 FT positions near Fog. Mon-Fri 3pm-11:30pm, must have exp. \$13.75hr + \$1hr wky, \$1hr monthly and \$2hr yr. end bonuses. Contact Aryce at HTSS :610-432-4161 ext. 33 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

Order Selectors FT positions avail. 1st and 2nd shifts. \$13 to \$13.75/hr to start \$1hr wky, \$1hr monthly and \$2hr year-end bonuses. Contact Aryce at 610-432-4161 ext. 33 or apply at www.htss-inc.com

Packers FT, 1st & 2nd shift. Bus route. No exp. req. Call Desiree or Lori at HTSS: 610-432-4161. or apply online at: www.htss-inc.com

Part Time Drivers Local 24/7 nonprofit senior transportation service needs drivers. Must have own car and clean driving record. All rides in Lehigh Valley area only. Flex hours. Hourly plus mileage rate. 610-419-1645.

PART TIME SEASONAL LABORER (PUBLIC WORKS) POSITION

Allen Township seeks applicants for part time public works laborer positions. Candidates must be 18 years of age or older. Must have a valid driver's license, be able to operate commercial mowers, power equipment & have basic knowledge of basic equipment maintenance & be able to lift a minimum of 50 lbs. All potential candidates are subject to pre-employment Drug Test & Random Drug & Alcohol Tests (if employed). Applications will not be accepted through email or online. Application forms are available on the Township website: www.allentownship.org Applications must be submitted in person or through the mail to: Allen Township Municipal Building, 4714 Indian Trial Road, Northampton, PA 18067 Monday thru Friday 9am - 3pm.

610 WANTED TO BUY

ALL ANTIQUES, Furniture, Quilts, Dishes, Toys, Rugs, Attic Items, Holiday Decorations, Jewelry, Men's Watches, Military, Crocks, etc. FREE ESTIMATES DAVE IRONS ANTIQUES 610-262-9335

330 CARS & TRUCKS FOR SALE

1969 GTO Restored. 35k. 1-888-982-3335

390 HELP WANTED

Seeking Full-Time SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST for busy solo general practice law firm in Emmaus who is able to multi-task, possesses good people skills, exhibits adequate computer skills, and has a good work ethic. Salary commensurate with experience. Please forward resume to lehighvalleylawsecretary@gmail.com

South Whitehall Township Public Works Department South Whitehall Township Public Works Department is looking for seasonal workers to provide a wide variety of unskilled and semi-skilled manual tasks and operation of light equipment. Perform basic grounds-keeping duties; and maintenance and repair of parks buildings, structures, playground and other equipment. The position will also perform general manual labor digging ditches, weeding, mowing, raking and edging of turf areas, cutting brush, pruning trees and shrubs, removing obstacles from roadway and adjacent areas. Performs simple manual work connected with patching and repairing of streets, street construction and maintenance. Operate light equipment such as lawnmowers, pickup trucks and other powered tools. Performs cleaning and restocking of park restrooms, empty trash receptacles and pick-up litter. Other duties as assigned by the immediate supervisor. Must be at least 18 years of age and have a valid PA driver's license. Application available at South Whitehall Township Municipal Building or at: http://southwhitehall.com/human-resources/employment-opportunities/, 4444 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, PA 18104. Application deadline is March 1, 2018.

400 HEALTH CARE SERVICES

CAREGIVER 30+ yrs. exp. Avail. immediate. Competent & reliable. Lots of TLC 484-951-4237

510 APARTMENTS UNFURNISHED

NEW TRIPOLI - 3 BR \$700/mo. No pets. 610-298-8709.

WHITEHALL - 3 BR. Heat incl. No pets. No smoking. For details. 610-262-5408.

WHITEHALL Quiet and Immac. 1 BR, 1 ba. 2nd flr. plus 3rd flr. storage, LR, kit, yd. No pets. No smoking. \$850mo. + Sec. 610-216-8352

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OFFMIKE ADMIX LUTHIER ARIANNA NOONE ENMASSE KISSFOREIGNER FRIGHTS ATTN SIP ATONE CREAMTOTO STYX JOURNEY HOLLY OVUM SEATS EVA OTTOE EMMET TILLBE SWIM CHICAGO BREAD DRAWLS KNOB RUNOUT ERA LADYDI POISONSURVIVOR EPA SPAM ADEE ELM SUBLIMENIRVANA CADRES BIO ATTAIN JEDI HOLDUP GENESISOASIS UKES ESTES ATOMS LIMO SRI FREAK ENCL SETUP KANSASQUEEN HEARTRUSH TROUT CDS MLIH HEROINE BOSTONGARBAGE ETERNAL ILIAD ETIENNE MAMMALS BETTE RANSACK

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF SCOTT G. FINDLAY, deceased, late of Longswamp Township, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Thomas Findlay Address: c/o Bruce W. Weida, Esq. 245 Main Street Emmaus, PA 18049 or to his Attorney: Bruce W. Weida, Esq. 245 Main Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF D. LUTHER GEORGE, a/k/a DENNIS LUTHER GEORGE, deceased, late of Lower Macungie Township, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Sarah Kiechel Address: c/o Bruce W. Weida, Esq. 245 Main Street Emmaus, PA 18049 or to his Attorney: Bruce W. Weida, Esq. 245 Main Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE GONZALEZ, late of the City of Bethlehem, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary on the above named estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to: VIRGINIA GONZALEZ-BELLES, Executrix c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE or to: GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF RALPH GROSSMAN, late of South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the persons named below, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Executor: Bennett Grossman c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Avenue, Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 or to their Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE JOINT TRUST OF THE ROY E. MORRELL AND VIRGINIA A. MORRELL REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST AGREEMENT request all persons having claims or demands against the Trust to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Settlers to make payments without delay to: BARRY E. MORRELL and GAIL A. PETRI, Joint Successor Trustees c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Avenue, Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 or to their Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF DOROTHY F. PARMET, late of South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the persons named below, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Co-Executrices: MARTHA WODLOM and JOANN DEMPLER c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Avenue, Ste. 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 or to their Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF CHARLES E. HUGHES, JR., deceased, late of New Tripoli, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Renee D. Moyer, Administratrix c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to her Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF FLOYD S. KISTLER, deceased, late of New Tripoli, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters of Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Linda M. Bieber, Co-Executrix Larry F. Kistler, Co-Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to their Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

AUDITORS REPORT Notice is hereby given that the Annual Financial Statement of Catasauqua Area School District from the Independent Auditor of France, Anderson, Basile and Company, P.C. for the Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017, was filed in the Lehigh County Courthouse, Clerk of Judicial Court and the Northampton County Courthouse, Criminal Department and the Carbon Lehigh I.U. It will be conformed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof. The report is available for public inspection at the Administration Office of the School District during normal business hours. Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHN BELSHAW deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Joanne D. Klatchak, Co-Executrix Jean M. Bower, Co-Executrix c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to their Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOSEPH R. ALTIERI, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Louann M. Steward, Executrix c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to her Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

TRUST NOTICE The Floyd S. and Lila Marie Kistler Trust Late of New Tripoli, Lehigh County Settlers: Floyd S. Kistler and Lila Marie Kistler Trustees: Linda M. Bieber and Larry F. Kistler Notice is hereby given that the settlors of the revocable trust set forth below have died. All persons having claims or demands against said decedents are requested to make payment without delay to the trustee's attorney as named below: Linda M. Bieber, Co-Executrix Larry F. Kistler, Co-Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to their Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 14, 21, 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

CORPORATE FICTITIOUS NAME NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the provisions of Act 295 of 1982, as amended, of intention to file, or the filing of, in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, a certificate for the conduct of a business in Pennsylvania, under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of Name: Lyons Pruitt with its principal place of business at: 5592 FURNACE HILL RD., ZIONSVILLE, PA 18092. The name and address of the person or entity owning or interested in said business is: Bankers Select Inc., 5582 FURNACE HILL RD., ZIONSVILLE, PA 18092. YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 14

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WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP POSITIONS AVAILABLE CLERICAL: F/T, Exc. salary/benefits. Job description/details application on www.whitehalltownship.org/employment. SEASONAL POSITIONS: Lifeguards, Pool Managers, Recreation Leaders and Public Works/Recreation. Details/seasonal application: www.whitehalltownship.org/employment.

Transportation JOB FAIR Wed., February 21 • 2:00-5:00 pm 4850 Mountain View Drive, Walnutport, PA 18088 Equal Opportunity Employer NOW HIRING! Bus Drivers Bus Aides 610-769-4111 x1649

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Carbon Lehigh Intermediate Unit #21 Hiring Behavioral Health Positions Now hiring for the following contracted positions for up to 29 hours per week: BEHAVIORAL HEALTH REHABILITATIVE SERVICES • Therapeutic Support Staff (Associate, Bachelor's, or up to 60 credits) • Mobile Therapist • Behavioral Specialist • Licensed Clinical Psychologist • Case Worker OUTPATIENT DIRECT CARE • Licensed Outpatient Therapist • Outpatient Therapist (Bachelor's, Master's, or Licensed) • Medical Assistant Increased rates for bilingual, specialty and licensure. Behavioral Health Rehabilitation Services for Children and Adolescents (BHRS) provides individualized, therapeutic mental health, or behavioral interventions/services developed and recommended by an Interagency Team and prescribed by a licensed psychologist. BHRS services are mental health counseling services which are designed to provide individualized treatment to a child or adolescent. Please visit www.cliu.org, Employment Opportunities, to complete a profile and download an application packet or call 610-769-4111 ext. 1649 CLIU is a service agency committed to Helping Children Learn. EOE

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