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SAFETY State Police warning

The dangers of leaving children, pets in cars in hot days

As the commonwealth prepared for a weekend heatwave, the Pennsylvania State Police reminded parents and caregivers to never leave a child or pet unattended in a vehicle.

According to kidsandcars.org, 21 children have died in hot cars in the United States so far this year. Since 1995, there have been 12 child heat-stroke deaths in vehicles in Pennsylvania. The inside of a vehicle heats up very quickly, even with the windows are cracked. Studies show a child's body overheats three to five times faster than an adult body.

A new law has gone into effect in Pennsylvania to protect good Samaritans who rescue children in hot cars. The law protects a person from liability related to damaging a car or its contents if they believe a child is in imminent danger of suffering harm if not immediately removed from the vehicle. The person must make a reasonable effort to locate the vehicle's owner, use no more force than is necessary to enter the vehicle, and remain at the scene until emergency responders arrive.

Parents or caregivers who leave a child in a hot car may face serious charges.

Southside lightning strike - not

BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI
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Reports that a little boy was struck by lightning Sunday evening were found understandably untrue by Monday afternoon.

According to Police Chief Mark DiLuzio, the 6-year-old was riding his bike on Argus Court during a period of storms when lightning struck a tree nearby. He fell at the same moment, causing neighbors to think he'd been struck.

DiLuzio posits the boy fell from fear, and at the hospital it was determined the lucky fellow sustained only an abrasion on his lip.



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The majority of the Two Rivers Roller Derby team takes a moment together after a bout last fall against the Bux-Month Derby Dolls. The skaters are Christine Martin, Apocalypse Frau; Ileana Allevi, IllyCrunch; Kate Santee, Bananas; Hannah Milagio, Brish Please; Emily Ravelle, Kale Skatan; Danielle Tampier, Collateral Dannage; Julia Loehr, Aberslam Lynx; Kaitlin Stewarts, Melon Dollar Baby; Rebecca Clegg, Chrome Menace; Kelly Rindock, Machine Gun Kelly; Jessica McGinley, Alexandra Slamilton; Christine Semanek, Jo Rolling; and Rachael Ross, Likeaross.

Bethlehem resident a member of Two Rivers Roller Derby

'A small but mighty team'

BY SAMANTHA ANDERSON
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Looking for a fun community event involving an exciting, full-contact sport? Look no further - roller derby is the place for you.

Two Rivers Roller Derby is a nonprofit, inclusive, flat track roller derby league serving Eastern Pennsylvania and Northwest New Jersey.

"We aim to provide a haven of athleticism, sportsmanship and fun," boasts the league's Facebook page.

The league was launched in 2012 and is comprised of women ranging in ages from late teens to their forties.

"We started out as two women with an overwhelming passion



Christine Semanek attempts keep the opposing team from scoring during a bout against Enchanted Mountain Roller Derby.

for the sport of roller derby, and we have grown in numbers over the years," according to Christine Marto, 2RRD president, nicknamed Apocalypse Frau.

"It was brought to life as a league to create a space where anyone could succeed at roller derby, feel a part of something positive and have fun while pursuing their athletic goals," said Jessica McGinley, team vice president, nicknamed Alexandra Slamilton.

Rachael Ross, a skater from Whitehall, nicknamed Likeaross, joined the league in 2015 after moving to the area from Pittsburgh.

"Having recently moved to a new place where I knew very few people, the opportuni-

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Disruptive student housing a concern

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem press

Unscheduled business dominated city council's July 16 meeting, when citizen-speakers took the floor and expressed concerns ranging from plastic bags to unbridled development ruining neighborhoods in South Bethlehem through construction of "luxury" student housing.

Elizabeth Behrend, with the Bethlehem Environmental Advisory Council (EAC), spoke about the proposed city ban on use of plastic bags given to consumers at the point of sale. According to Behrend, Pennsylvania "law-makers snuck a three-paragraph

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PHOTOS BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

Resident Seth Moglen asked the city to "develop tools to combat predatory student housing developers."

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provision into the 2020 state budget which would prohibit municipal bans or taxes on plastic bags for one year while legislative agencies study the impact ... on the [state's] economy."

Behrend said she would like to see the city "move forward with the proposal from the EAC and include language that says our ordinance will go into effect on July 1, 2020"

The other hot topic, introduced by Montclair Avenue resident Anne Evans, was what she and other home owners see as too many Lehigh University students renting rooms in neighborhood homes.

PEOPLE SAY BY DANA GRUBB

How does this extreme heat and humidity affect your routine?



"It slows down my normal routine. We have to pace ourselves."

Mark Garzillo
Martins Creek



"I don't do as much as I normally do, and with a 5-year-old it affects my child more than it does me."

Candice LaPorte
Allentown

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How does this extreme heat and humidity affect your routine?



"I get completely thrown off and can't figure out which is left and which is right. All I want to do is stay inside."

Carolyn Portalatin
Washington, N.J.



"We were at the Philly Youth Regatta rowing for the Harvey's Lake Rowing Club yesterday. It was really hot and tiring, and the heat index was 117."

Katelyn Hahn
Mountain Top



"We ride by faith, not by sight or heart."

Paul Nelson
Glendon



"It doesn't. We'll still ride bike no matter what."

Carol Nelson
Glendon

MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, July 24

Northampton Co. Industrial Development Authority, 4 to 6 p.m. DHS Building, 2801 Emrick Blvd.
Bethlehem Parking Authority, 4:30 p.m. 85 W. North St.
City of Bethlehem Zoning Board, 6 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.
Fountain Hill Borough Council, 7 p.m.
Lehigh Co. Commissioners, 7:30 p.m. Public hearing room, Gov't. Center, 17 S. Seventh St., Allentown.

Thursday, July 25

Hanover Twp. NorCo Zoning Hearing Board (as needed), Time to be announced. 3630 Jacksonville Road.

Tuesday, July 30

Freemansburg Zoning Board, 7 p.m. 600 Monroe St.

Wednesday, July 31

Bethlehem Twp. Zoning Board, 6:30 p.m. Municipal building, 4225 Easton Ave.

TEAM

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ty to gain such a huge community overnight was too good to pass up," she said of her first recruitment event. Ross rowed crew in college and missed the team element.

"I had no idea that by joining Two Rivers Roller Derby, I would gain not only a team, but also a family," she said.

She remembered her first official bout with the team in 2016; despite being nervous, she felt a sense of security surrounded by her teammates and seasoned derby veterans. She spent the next few years growing and learning as much as she could, and in 2018, she joined the coaching ranks. Ross then took on the role of head of athletics. She continues to work with the coaching committee to help increase strategy and the athleticism of the team.

Ross said she enjoys the community aspect of the league.

She has been able to "adventure throughout the Lehigh Valley and experience so many things [she] never would have without the team."

Some examples include taking part in the Easton Halloween parade, the Warren County fair and other community events.

"Joining roller derby pushes you to explore past your comfort zone

in the most rewarding way," she said, adding that she enjoys bonding with her teammates while traveling for away games.

McGinley, of Bethlehem, joined the league in 2017. She first became interested in roller derby while living in Philadelphia. It was not until seeing an advertisement for a 2RRD recruitment event that she felt she could participate, and she remembers walking into a room of friendly and encouraging faces.

"I'd played sports my entire life, so I considered myself athletic, but there was quite a learning curve with skates on my feet," McGinley said. "Our coaches were wonderful about teaching us rookie skaters how to stay on our feet and master the skills crucial to being able to play roller derby."

She began practicing in February 2017, played her first game in July 2017 and was awarded her first MVP award at a bout in August 2017.

"Coming into this sport with little knowledge and almost no skating experience to getting an MVP award in my first season was a great esteem boost and made me fall even more in love with the sport," McGinley said.

As of 2019, the 2RRD is a fully ranked Women's Flat Track Derby Association member.

The worldwide association offers benefits and support to member

and affiliate leagues and provides guidance and resources to the sport of flat track derby. According to McGinley, the league has about 20 skaters, which is on the smaller side. They are constantly recruiting and looking for new skaters, officials, volunteers and fans.

"We are the definition of a small but mighty team," Ross said.

"We're very proud of the way that our teammates build each other up and empower each other constantly," McGinley said.

Roller derby is a great support system – and not just locally. The WFTDA is a worldwide association, and McGinley makes sure to check in on the local derby leagues when she has to travel for work.

"To date, I've practiced with leagues in Denver and Florida and attended clinics taught by the highest level skaters from New York City, Texas, California and Canada," she said. "It has been great to see different coaching and training styles."

She even reminisced about meeting a derby skater in Belgium.

"It was lovely to meet skaters from another country who share the same passion for the sport that I do," she said. "It was thrilling to see how their facilities and games differ from our own."

The only real negative McGinley noted

about the sport is the potential for injury since it is a full-contact sport. She said she is sidelined for the remainder of this season and potentially next season due to a knee injury.

"I'm grateful for the friendships and for learning how strong I am and can be," McGinley said. "It's been a truly wonderful experience, and I'm so excited to get back to skating once I'm cleared following my knee surgeries."

"Becoming a part of this team has taught me so much about myself and exactly how strong and resilient I can be," Ross said.

She added how proud she is to be part of an organization so focused on empowering women.

2RRD started its home season with a bout June 29. There is another home bout July 27.

The annual FUN bout – a themed, mix-up scrimmage featuring skaters from neighboring leagues with a menu of game-altering options to choose from – is scheduled for Aug. 17.

All the home bouts start 6 p.m. and are held at Bethlehem Ice Rink, 345 Illicks Mill Road.

The team is all set up in its new practice space – the former Old Navy at Phillipsburg Mall.

For more information on the team, check out the 2RRD website, tworiversrollerderby.com.

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"Neighborhoods with a mix of students and residents can work, but that's not what we have ended up with around Lehigh University," said Evans.

"The first step is to get developers, like the developer of First Terrace, to respect the integrity of the neighborhood and their neighbors who have made their homes there for many years."

Evans was talking about tentative plans by Lehigh Property Management LLC to raze four homes on First Terrace and replace them with eight townhomes, each with five bedrooms.

Other residents told stories of students trashing streets with post-party litter, and of students defecating and urinating in yards.

Hillside Avenue resident Seth Mogle asked the city to "develop tools to combat predatory student housing developers."

Resident Christine Handler saw no need for luxury student housing units. "I don't want

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Bethlehem resident
Connie Daniels complains of "property blight" caused by "slumlords" in the area along Wyandotte Street and the Five Points.



Elizabeth Behrend with the Bethlehem Environmental Advisory Council (EAC) speaks about the proposed city ban on use of plastic bags.

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Wednesday, July 24

Walk About Tacos (program), age 14 and over, 1 p.m. Bible study for adults, 11 a.m. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681.

"Grit" - Wilma Rudolph story, 3 p.m. Reading Room, Fowler Center, Northampton Community College, 511 E. Third St. Visit www.copsnkidslv.org or call 610-861-5526.

Teen games night featuring Kahoot. 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Grades six to 12. Main Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org or call 610-867-3761.

Kids Trivia Night (Cartoon themed), 7 p.m. Family Fun Night, Pavilion #2, Bethlehem Township Park, 2900 Farmersville Road. Will move inside in case of inclement weather. Visit www.bethlehetownship.org.

"Peter Rabbit" Levitt Pavillion free family movies under the stars, 7:30 p.m. Sensory friendly in Banko Alehouse - call 610-332-3378 for free tickets and times. SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way. Visit www.artsquest.org.

Thursday, July 25

Anne Grogan: Humor (program), seniors age 50 and up, 9:45 a.m. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Information, senior activities schedules: call 610-867-4681.

Steampunk Bingo (adults only). Win books, prizes. Dress up in Victorian/Steampunk attire. 19th century inspired treats, mocktails. Accessible by stairs only. Must register: visit www.bapl.org/events/steampunk-bingo/.

Friday, July 26

David Neith, 6 p.m. Rose Garden, Eighth Avenue and Broad Street.

Sunday, July 28

Historic Bethlehem Museums and Sites. Free admission day. <https://historicbethlehem.org/programs/free-sundays/> for hours and information.

Music in Dimmich Park, James Supra and Sarah Ayres, 6 to 8 p.m. Dimmich Park, 570 Durham St., Hellertown.

Tuesday, July 30

Salvation Army, bridge players program, seniors 50 and up, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. 521 Pembroke Road. Information, senior activities schedules: call 610-867-4681.

Wednesday, July 31

Read (15 minute sessions) to a therapy dogs. Bring a book from home or select one from the shelves. All participants must be readers. Register for a 15 minute session by calling 610-867-3761, ext. 499.

Good Neighbor Day: Patricia Pla (program), 1 p.m. Bible study, all ages, 11 a.m. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Senior activities, schedules: call 610-867-4681.

"Heart" - Book reading: "Dex: The Heart of a Hero", 3 p.m. Reading Room, Fowler Center, Northampton Community College, 511 E. Third St. Information: visit www.copsnkidslv.org or call 610-861-5526.

Happy Birthday, Harry Potter. 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Grades one and up including teens and older. Main Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org or call 610-867-3761.

"Finding Nemo," Levitt Pavillion free family movies under the stars, 7:30 p.m. Sensory friendly in Banko Alehouse - call 610-332-3378 for free tickets and times. SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way. Visit www.artsquest.org.

Movie in the Park, 8 p.m. (or dusk). Front lawn, community center, Bethlehem Township Park, 2900 Farmersville Road. Moves inside in case of inclement weather. Visit www.bethlehetownship.org.

VBS PROGRAMS

There may be costs and registration restrictions / deadlines. Visit or call the organization as listed for more information.

Monday, July 29 to Friday, Aug. 2

Annual Summer Art Academy: Publishing your own book (cost). Ages five to 12. 6 to 8 p.m. To register, call: 610-866-1515; limited space. Fritz United Methodist Church, 303 W. Packer Ave.

Sunday, July 28 to Thursday, Aug. 1

Athens (Paul's dangerous journey), ages four to completed fifth grade, 6:15 to 9 p.m. First Baptist Church, 3235 Linden St. To register, visit www.fbc-bethlehem.org/vbs.

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Continued from page A2 to leave [my home] until I'm dragged out feet first."

A phone call requesting additional information from Lehigh Property Management, LLC was not returned.

Bethlehem resident Connie Daniels complained of "property blight" caused by "slumlords" in the area along Wyandotte Street and the Five Points neighborhood in Southside Bethlehem.

She also wants the city to "knock on doors [to] find out what the problem is." She suggested the city should help seniors bring their property up to par.



City Council President Adam Waldron presented Scott McElroy a certificate recognizing his 25 years of service with the Bethlehem Police Department.

Zrinski slams pipeline deal; twp. commissioners respond

BY BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

It's no longer just nonbinding plastic straw bans. Northampton County Council member Tara Zrinski is now pursuing a new resolution, also non-binding, taking aim at the PennEast Pipeline route through Bethlehem Township. This one calls for an evacuation plan and asks PennEast to provide equipment for first responders.

Zrinski is an at-large member of council. Her resolution was discussed by the Energy Committee July 17.

"I can't just sit by and not do something," she said. She was highly critical of Bethlehem Township's Board of Commissioners and state lawmakers, who have already negotiated an agreement under which the township will receive \$475,000.

PennEast Pipeline is a consortium of natural gas companies that want a 36-inch compressed natural gas pipeline extending 115 miles from Luzerne County to New Jersey. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) granted conditional approval Jan. 19, 2018. Northampton County Council has already adopted two resolutions, both penned by Zrinski, opposed to the pipeline.

In May, Bethlehem

NEWS ANALYSIS



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Northampton County Council member-at-large Tara Zrinski is highly critical of Bethlehem Township's Board of Commissioners and state lawmakers.

Township's five commissioners unanimously approved a deal with PennEast under which the consortium agreed to move the pipeline 109 feet farther away from residences. It promised to bury the pipeline four feet deep instead of the usual two to three feet. It pledged periodic inspections, including x-rays of pipe welds. Finally, it assented to a \$475,000

cash payout to the township. This followed a year of negotiations that included commissioners, solicitor Jim Broughal, State Rep. Marcia Hahn and State Senator Lisa Boscola.

Zrinski slammed the deal because, she says, the township has failed to provide for an evacuation route that passes near residents, schools and hospitals.

"They threw their hands up," she said. "They said they had Lisa Boscola on this, they had Marcia Hahn on this and they couldn't negotiate. Their lawyer said, 'Go ahead, take the 475.' They didn't ask for new firetrucks, emergency preparedness equipment. When you have PennEast in front of you, and they're doling out millions of dollars to the water authority and you say, 'Oh yes, I'll take your first offer of \$475,000.' Mind blown."

Zrinski also challenged the motives of negotiators.

"I think you have to look at the people who are negotiating these pipelines. They have different interests in them than we have," she cautioned, failing to explain what she meant.

Zrinski wants to bring PennEast back to the table and get more equipment for first responders. She noted that homes, schools and even a maternity ward are within the 900-foot blast zone, but "[t]he \$475,000 that Bethlehem Township received or will receive is hardly enough for even a fire truck."

She said one township's commissioner told her there is no evacuation route. She complained local municipalities are "unprepared to negotiate with pipeline companies or ask for the things that are necessary."

"This poses a significant risk for people in this area for evacuation," she complained. She said some residents would only have 40 seconds to evacuate.

"It doesn't matter how much money you have when your house melts," she continued.

In addition to criticizing commissioners, Zrinski also slammed state lawmakers.

"If our legislators are not doing their jobs, we have to push them to do it," she said.

Zrinski is currently mulling a challenge to State Representative Marcia Hahn. She is also a solar energy sales representative.

She did most of the talking at this committee, which she chairs. It was difficult for council members to offer suggestions or ask questions without being interrupted by her.

Council President Ron Heckman did have a chance to express some reservations.

"Will it make a difference at the end of the

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Nicholas J. Giambilis, 72, of Newville, died July 6, 2019. He was the husband of Amy (Coletti) Giambilis for 47 years.

Born in Kambia, Chios, Greece, he was a son of the late Demetrios and Kaliope (Karsos) Giambilis.

He was a member of Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Camp Hill.

He was the owner of Little John's (Momma Spriggs), Carlisle Diner, and The Valley, all in Carlisle; the Middlesex Diner; and The Hearth and the Family Restaurant, both in Lebanon.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Kelly Peretzman; a sister, Irene Anagnostou; a sister in law, Maria Giambilis; four grandchildren, Angela, Amelia, Alyssa and Alayna; nieces; and nephews.

He was predeceased by a son, James N. Giambilis; and a brother, Gus J. Giambilis.

Contributions may be made to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Association Inc., 1525 Lakeville Drive - Suite 101, Kingwood, Texas, 77339.

Arrangements were made by Herron Funeral Home Inc., Bethlehem.

Antonia Maysonet

of Allentown



Antonia Maysonet, 82, of Allentown, died July 13, 2019, at home. Born in Vega Baja, Puerto Rico, she was a daughter of the late Librado Ramos and Francisca Quinones. She was the wife of the late Jose Maysonet.

She was a member of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church.

She is survived by four daughters, Maria Maysonet and her husband Mon Rodriguez, Sonia Collazo, Elizabeth Santana and Wilda Maysonet; a brother, Israel Ramos and his wife Lidia; two sisters, Gloria Ortiz and Milagros Ramos; nine grandchildren; and nine great grandchildren.

Contributions may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

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Catherine M. Donchez

Bethlehem Club manager



Catherine M. Donchez, 75, of Bethlehem, died July 15, 2019, at Lehigh Valley Hospital, Muhlenberg. Born in Hazleton, she was a daughter of the late Russell and Mildred (Krill) Yaworsky. She was the wife of Frank J. Donchez for 16 years.

She was the manager of the former Bethlehem Club.

She was a member of Notre Dame of Bethlehem Roman Catholic Church.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, Robert and his wife Carol; stepdaughter Debra Finch; a brother; Russell and his wife Debbie Yaworsky; a sister, Mildred Cara and her husband Carmen; seven grandchildren, Shaun, Brooke, Cody, Lauren, Taylor, Kellye and Cody; and three great-grandchildren, Xander, Ava and Bryanna.

She was predeceased by a step-daughter; Sandra Jucknik.

Contributions may be made to Notre Dame School of Bethlehem.

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Maryann (Bowe) Rich

operated Holy Infancy gift shop

Maryann "Buzz" (Bowe) Rich, 79, of Bethlehem, died July 3, 2019, while in the care of St. Luke's Hospice House. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of the late Thomas and Virginia (Thomas) Bowe.

She was a 1957 graduate of Bethlehem Catholic HS.

She worked for the Dioceses of Scranton and Allentown. She operated the Holy Infancy Gift Shop, Bethlehem, for 10 years.

She attended St. Ursula Catholic Church, Fountain Hill.

She is survived by five children, Kelly A. Sterner and her husband Ronald of Burdett, N.Y., James T. Rich, Kathy Hutchinson and her husband Chris, and Kristen Rich Ruth and her husband Troy, all of Bethlehem, and Kasey Rich Troiani and her husband Daniel of Fountain Hill; two sisters, Virginia Larson and Kathleen Borner, both of Bethlehem; 11 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and former husband, James "Junie" Rich of Bethlehem.

Contributions may be made to The Little Flower Auxiliary, Carmelite Monastery, "St Therese's Valley", 3551 Lanark Road, Coopersburg, Pa. 18036.

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Did you ever notice how hard it is to get rid of nagging guilt—that vague awareness that something is wrong? We've tried to do right, but still there is that nagging feeling that we remain guilty before the Supreme Judge for what we called our "wild oats," or "youthful indiscretions," or merely "mistakes." We've tried to bury that guilt doing good things to feel better about ourselves. After all, we were baptized, learned our catechism word perfect, joined the church, sang in the choir, were confirmed, and our children have been christened and have perfect Sunday School attendance records. Besides all the "religious stuff" we have done, we are good neighbors, pay our bills, pay our taxes, etc. Yet, why don't we feel secure about death and whatever comes after? Could those minor weaknesses be called SIN?

Paul the Apostle said in Romans 8:1-4, "There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death. For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh; That the righteousness of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit." Is that our problem? Have we been trying to justify ourselves through the "law" of our own "works"? Do we need to be "in Christ Jesus" and "walk after the Spirit" instead? Did He really send His Son for our sin, so that we can be righteous, not by doing good things, but because "he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him" (2 Cor. 5:21)?

Maybe we should just give up our efforts to "be good" and trust Him Who IS good!!! -Submitted by church member, Carl Edwards

Small home addition approved

BETHLEHEM HARB

BY ED COURRIER
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Historical and Architectural Review Board granted a certificate of appropriateness to Robert Raymond Rooke and his fiancée Alexandra MacLean for a mudroom addition to the rear of their house at 42 E. Church St. Contractor Tim Deily accompanied the couple at the July 10 meeting held in the Rotunda to assist with the proposal. He provided the additional information the board had requested from a previous meeting when the application had been tabled. The eight-foot by eight-foot, single-story mudroom for their brick residence is part of a kitchen rehab project.

Approval was granted for cedar clapboard siding with painted wood fascia and wood tongue and groove porch ceiling and soffit, foundation with smooth stucco finish, hip roof to match slope of existing main roof with half-round copper gutters and round down spout.

The single pane, double hung wood windows at the back and wood door at the side of the addition are reclaimed.

The porch includes repurposed wrought iron handrails, tongue-and-groove floor boards, wood treads and enclosed risers, and a wood lattice skirt board.

The homeowners were permitted to paint the new addition to match existing colors, but were encouraged to use the already approved brown, tan and green, since they had planned to paint the entire house with that palette in the near future.

The commissioners approved the installation of a 2.25 foot by 11 foot transom sign to Kofi Armah for 81 W. Broad St. His original proposal for plain sans serif letters on Plexiglas was refused, it was suggested he incorporate his "Coal Lounge & Grill" company logo into the red and gray sign and add a pin-stripe. Newly reinstated member Beth Starbuck sketched out the design incorporating the board's input and gave it to Armah.

It was stipulated the signage material be a plywood or medium density overlay (MDO) panel. The building is owned by Domenic Villani.

HARB member Rod



PRESS PHOTOS BY ED COURRIER

Robert Raymond Rooke and fiancée Alexandra MacLean are assisted by contractor Tim Deily with their proposal to build a mudroom addition to the rear of their house at 42 E. Church St.



Left: Sean O'Keefe presents two color schemes for a sign for the Moravian King's Daughters and Sons Home at 61 W. Market St. Right: Sean O'Keefe presents two color schemes for a sign for the Moravian King's Daughters and Sons Home at 61 W. Market St.



Representing Casa del Mofongo, Jose Collado, at right, answers questions regarding his signage proposal for his new restaurant at 553 Main St. Across from him are, from left, board members Marsha Fritz and Beth Starbuck.

Young mentioned he had sampled the West African cuisine at Armah's restaurant and recommended it to the others.

Another restaurateur scored a COA for new signage at 553 Main St. Representing Casa del Mofongo was owner Jose Collado. His successful proposal included

a circular two-sided blade sign featuring the round company logo in a copper-gold over black with pin-stripe to hang from an existing bracket. Flanking the entrance are angled storefront windows. Approval was granted for the restaurant's name and leaf logo in off-white on each of the windows

facing the street and a larger etched-look leaf graphic on each of the inside-facing windows. At left on the double entrance doors is the company logo and on the right side, the business hours are posted.

Collado also received approval for the company name and leaf graphic in off-white on a black flame-retardant awning. When asked about the other awning poking into his storefront space, Collado replied it belongs to the Social Security office next door.

The new Spanish restaurant is where Hardball Cider's tasting room had been located in the Woolworth Building, which is owned by Rubel Street II, L.P.

Representing the Moravian King's Daughters and Sons Home, Sean O'Keefe was granted approval to install a 2-foot by 3-foot sign in the front garden area of 61 W. Market St. Located to the left of the front entrance, the sans serif lettering is fuchsia with thin black outlines on a cream colored background. There is a logo at top and a black line around the edge of the shaped sign. It was stipulated the two supporting 4 by 4 pressure-treated posts be painted black.

Owned by Moravian Union of the King's Daughters & Sons, Inc., the historic brick property is an assisted living and short term care rehabilitation facility.

The voting for all proposals was unanimous.

The Historical and Architectural Review Board regularly meets the first Wednesday of every month to review all exterior changes proposed to buildings in the Bethlehem Historic District north of the Lehigh River. When a proposed project receives a certificate of appropriateness from the board, applicants must wait for City Council to vote on it before proceeding.

Vice Chairman Philip Roeder announced that in keeping with increased transparency for the public, the city plans to begin digitally recording these hearings and posting them on YouTube, beginning in August. He also asked members to consider a new start time ranging from 5-7 p.m. to make it more convenient for applicants and members of the public to attend.

DEAL

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day?" he asked of a non-binding resolution. "It has absolutely no meaning to them or anyone else whatsoever."

Zrinski sharply disagreed. She warned that, unless the county acts, "We're going to get railroaded and put people in danger."

Commissioners strongly dispute assertions

Three Bethlehem Township Commissioners - John Merhottein, John Gallagher and Malissa Davis - released a joint response to Zrinski's proposed resolution.

"Our issue with Ms. Zrinski's comments regarding PennEast is she never appears to read below the headline. If she would have attended the meeting (or asked us) when we voted to accept the agreement with PennEast, she would have known we offered to accept no money if they would move the pipeline out of the blast zone of Hope Ridge (PennEast declined). The water authority has nothing to do with Bethlehem Township.

"Neither St. Lukes (assuming she means the maternity ward) nor any school are in the blast zone. Ms. Zrinski again muddles the facts to suit her purpose.

"Our mandate, under circumstances where we had no legal position to change things, was to protect Hope Ridge and we accomplished some pretty significant safety improvements.

"Here are the facts: PennEast had FERC approval. They did not have to negotiate with us. We negotiated and got the following safety concerns: Moving the pipeline over 100 feet from the proposed route, inspections as a class 4 pipeline, 100 percent x-ray of welds on the pipe, the pipeline buried an additional foot and the Residents in that area asked for a tree line. We did not accept the first offer from PennEast. Our ultimate goal was to move the pipeline as far as possible from Hope Ridge.

"We never 'threw our hands up.' Consider the position we were in with negotiating with PennEast (PennEast could have condemned

the land, we could have gotten no safety concessions and less money). We are proud of what we accomplished. There were numerous phone calls and emails; a Penn East meeting with residents; and two negotiation sessions. We would not consider that throwing our hands up.

"Our 'lawyer' never said 'take the 475.' As a matter of fact, our solicitor did what any good solicitor should do, guided us through the negotiations, presented the facts and allowed the board to make the decision. We did not accept the first monetary offer from PennEast.

"As for the 'people who are negotiating these pipelines' and their 'interests in them,' we can assure the residents of Bethlehem Township and Ms. Zrinski, our interest is and was the safety of our residents. Moving the pipeline farther away from Hope Ridge and the additional safety concessions we received are proof of that. We could have probably gotten more money and fewer safety concessions.

"We would like to

note we do have an emergency response plan in conjunction with the county.

"As for what was or was not asked for, Tara Zrinski was not in the negotiation. She didn't ask anyone on our negotiating team what we asked for, nor did she offer any suggestions. She never asked to sit in on negotiations. It is easy to criticize from afar, especially after the fact. Senator Lisa Boscola and Representative Marcia Hahn reached out to us and asked what they could do. Where was Tara?"

"On a personal note, for Ms. Zrinski to make these comments, nonetheless put it in a resolution, without getting all the facts is hurtful and self-serving, not only to this board, but to the public we both serve."

**Commissioner John Merhottein
Commissioner Malissa Davis
Commissioner John Gallagher**

At the Schnecksville Fair



PRESS PHOTOS BY LOU WHEELAND

"Aw c'mon Dad, please let me try to win a stuffed animal!" Maryalice Rebert of Bethlehem asked as they walked by a carnival game on the midway at the Schnecksville Community Fair.

HELLERTOWN

Bridge detour changes made

The Borough of Hellertown has announced the following:

There has been a change in the detour start and end date for PennDOT's SR 3004-01B Water Street Bridge replacement project. The new start for the detour will be July 29, not July 22, with an end date of Sept. 27.

The bridge is not the property nor the responsibility of the Borough of Hellertown. The bridge's maintenance rests with Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

S.T.E.A.M.

STEAMPunk fest opens Aug. 31

SteelStacks will host the inaugural Pennsylvania S.T.E.A.M. Fest beginning Aug. 31, 2019. The free festival, presented by WeDiscoverGeeks and IMAGINE Event Concepts, will feature family oriented science, engineering and technology-based attractions, maker programs and activities, video game workshops, cosplay and more based

around a Steampunk theme. Some will require a free admission ticket.

The Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Makers fest will include hands-on workshops, seminars, educational panels, and demonstrations for educators, businesses and entrepreneurs. There will be children's workshops, art activities and events. Confirmed attractions to date are Steampunked Batman & Robin duo Jason Hettel and Rose Liquori; live music by Metamorph; dance performances by the Coveilance Dance Project; D.J. General T. Osnofla; STEAM & 3D Printing by Scott Shaw; and presentations by Game Design & Development of Wilmington University. For more information, visit www.pasteamfest.com.

VALLEY

Dollhouse show to be held Aug. 11

The 42 Annual Dollhouse and Miniatures Show and Sale, "Small on Scale," will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Aug. 11 at the Holiday Inn, 7736 Adrienne Drive, Breinigsville, 18031. The show proceeds benefit chari-

ties and educational endeavors and is sponsored by the Lehigh Valley Miniatures Club.

There is a cost. There will be a free children's class, exhibits and door prizes. There is free parking. Food will be available. For information, call 610-760-2288 or email lois.kunkle@yahoo.com; or visit www.lehighvalleyminiatures.com.

VALLEY

Drum & bugle event Aug. 2, 3

The 43 annual Drum Corps International Eastern Classic Drum

& Bugle Corps Championship will be held beginning at 6:30 p.m. Aug. 2 and 3 at Andre Reed Field, J. Birney Crum Stadium, 2027 Linden St., Allentown. The event is the final competition of the 100 event national tour prior to the 2019 World Championship in Indianapolis. The seeding for the world championships will be determined in part by the scores earned at the Allentown performances.

Each performing group consists of 150 brass, percussion and color guard members under the age of 22 who represent up to 20 states and several countries. Allentown's 10 time DCI World Champions, the

Cadets, will be among the competitors.

For more information, schedules and tickets (available on August 1), visit www.dci.org or call 317-275-1212, ext. 3.

VALLEY

Summer blood donations needed

The Miller-Keystone Blood Center has issued an urgent appeal for donors of all blood types. More than 450 donors are needed every day regionally. Donations decrease during the summer due to vacations and increased travel, accidents and seasonal illnesses.

For more information call 1-800-B-A-DONOR (223-6667). Donors

BETHELEHEM

Mosquito-borne panel July 30

The City of Bethlehem will host Jeffrey Carroll, VBDC Coordinator for Lehigh and Northampton Counties, who will discuss the Lehigh/Northampton County Regional Vector Borne Disease Control Program (mosquito borne disease control) and the services associated with that program.

The discussion will take place on Tuesday, July 30, 2019, at 6 p.m. in Bethlehem city hall, 10 E Church Street.

This is open to the public.

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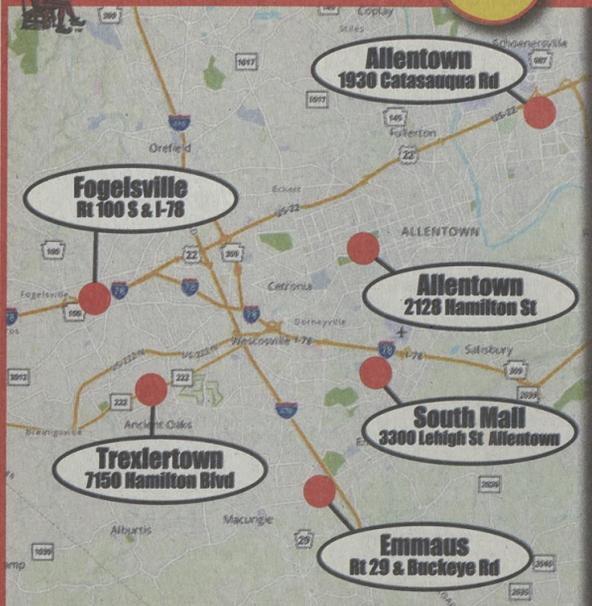


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Otey is a 1-year-old, shepherd/basset hound mix. He loves to play, go for walks or just spend quality time and is also dog friendly.



Bethany is a 3-month-old female domestic short hair kitten. She is a happy-go-lucky, playful kitten looking for her forever home.

VOLUNTEERS

NCC CENTER FOR COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS, Bethlehem (Fowler Southside Center) seeks volunteers for possible future openings as volunteer classroom aides in Adult Basic Education, GED test prep, and English as a Second Language classrooms. Call Kathy Rector, 610-332-6424.

NEW BETHANY MINISTRIES, Bethlehem, has volunteer opportunities with their Digital Choice Food Pantry. Call Brandy Garofalo, 610-691-5602, ext. 210.

ALLENTOWN RESCUE MISSION, Allentown, needs a volunteer to do weekly gardening: to donate, plant flowers, and weed their Gateway Center entrance. Call Rosaria Stoops, 610-740-5500.

EQUI-LIBRIUM, INC. (EQUINE ASSISTED ACTIVITIES & THERAPIES), Nazareth, needs volunteers (ages 14+) to help during three weeks of half-day Horse Camp. Call Devin Munoz, 610-365-2266.

GIRL SCOUTS OF EASTERN PA, Allentown, invites volunteers to come and make an impact on girls in your community and watch as they make an impact in the world. Call Dale Marie Moelter, 267-443-0026.

Volunteer Center to receive a brochure listing agencies in need of volunteers at 610-807-0336 or e-mail: vc@volunteerlv.org. Visit our website www.volunteerlv.org for a larger listing of volunteer opportunities.

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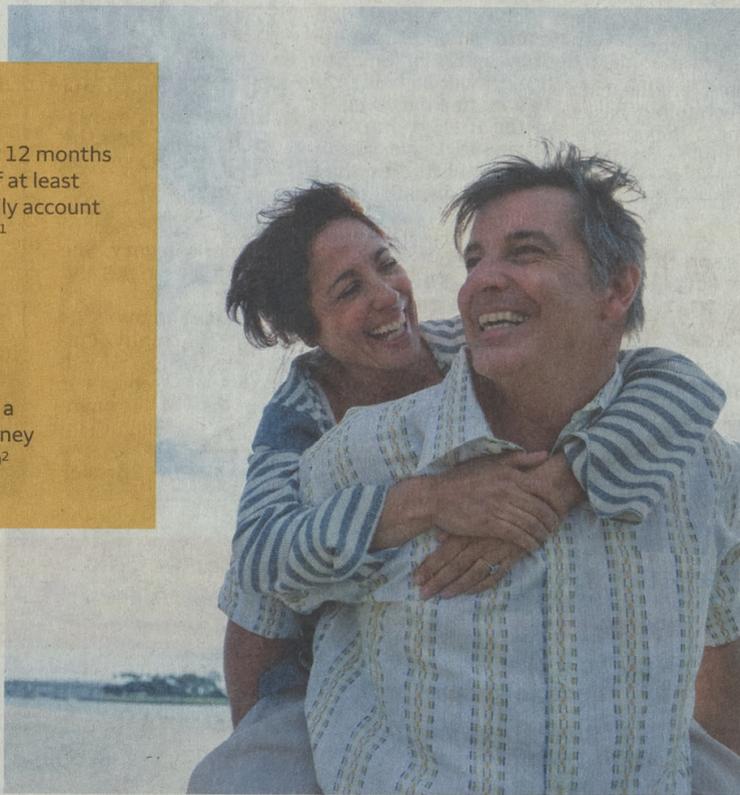
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THE BETHLEHEM PRESS' Athletes of the Year

BETHLEHEM CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



Magliochetti found her sport at Becahi

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Like most kids, Brenna Magliochetti tried almost every sport there is, but after a few private lessons with a tennis coach, she found the one.

"What I like about playing is the feeling of hitting a great shot or winning a tough, long point," said Magliochetti, Bethlehem Press's Female Athlete of the Year from Bethlehem Catholic High School. "I like the individuality because I get to put in a lot of work on my own and then I get to reap those results."

Magliochetti also maintains that it is the friendships she's been able to make and build through the sport of tennis that keep her in the game. Becahi tennis coach George Harmanos saw the impact Magliochetti had on her fellow Hawks.

"I always felt that one of the things that motivated the other girls was Brenna's level of commitment and level of play," Harmanos said. "The kids saw her being dedicated and taking it seriously."

Throughout the course of her high school career, Magliochetti also learned mental toughness.

"I was emotional as a freshman.

Then I became more consistent and didn't make as many dumb mistakes," she said, learning how to hit spin and keep the ball on the court.

Those things in combination with Coach Harmanos's gift of strategy led to bigger things for the Lady Hawk.

"He can look at an opponent and have me attack her backhand or tell me to keep my first-serve percentage up," Magliochetti said. "He and [assistant coach] Greg Adams gave me little tips about what to notice."

So while Coach Harmanos did not necessarily need to advise Magliochetti on strokes and shots, he found her to be very open to suggestion regarding his game plan.

Overall, Magliochetti has 113 wins at singles and holds the Becahi school record in that category. She has a combination of 130 singles and doubles wins.

"I don't know how many kids have that record. It's really outstanding," said Harmanos. "Each one of those doubles matches was critical, and she certainly brought the same skills that she had at singles to her doubles matches."

Magliochetti was the District

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Paz goes down as one of the best

BY PETER CAR
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You can't ask for more as a high school basketball player than what Bethlehem Catholic's Justin Paz was able to accomplish over his four years for the Golden Hawks.

Paz leaves Becahi's hallways as the school's all-time leading scorer with 1,903 points, the East Penn Conference record-holder with 263 three-pointers, a three-time District 11 champion and a two-time EPC champ.

He also earned first-team EPC honors his junior and senior seasons, as well as taking home second team all-state honors (junior) and first team all-state last season.

All the accolades above made Paz

an easy choice to become Bethlehem Catholic's Male Athlete of the Year.

Walking away from the program with an illustrious resume is something that Paz relishes, but one that he never really expected.

"Playing for Becahi gave me the opportunity to play and start varsity as a freshman," said Paz. "So, throughout the years I gained experience and became more of a leader on the court. My role changed every year and this year I had to adapt to a new coach and become a captain for my team."

While the Hawks have become a dominant figure in the conference and district during Paz's tenure, his theatrics this past season in the EPC tournament were a high

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"I was just really proud and grateful for everyone who helped me get there..."



Magliochetti Bio

- 113 wins at singles, a school record.
- D-11 singles champ three-straight years.
- Former PIAA state champion.
- PIAA runner-up this past season.
- Will attend Providence College

Paz Bio

- Leaves BC as all-time leading scorer with 1,903 points.
- EPC record holder with 263 three-pointers.
- First team EPC as junior and senior.
- First team all-state last season.



"My role changed every year and this year I had to adapt to a new coach and become a captain for my team."



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East Penn Conference scholar athletes announced

BY PETER CAR
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The East Penn Conference announced their newest crop of scholar-athletes for the fall, winter and spring seasons.

The league announced its fall 2018 athletes back on Dec. 17 at the Stroudsmoor Country Inn.

The winners for winter and spring were honored at a luncheon on May 28, also at the Stroudsmoor Country Inn.

Parkland and Emmaus represented nearly 50-percent of winners, as seven recipients from both schools took home honors.

Lina Perugini of Liberty won for girls volleyball last fall.

The complete list of this year's scholar athletes is below:

EPC SCHOLAR-ATHLETES Fall 2018

Boys Cross Country - Joseph Ozgar - Easton
Girls Cross Country - Charlyze Smith - Easton
Boys Soccer - Callen Reid - Emmaus
Girls Soccer - Caitlyn Lazzarini - Nazareth
Girls Tennis - Elessa Jacobs - Easton
Girls Volleyball - Lina Perugini - Liberty
Field Hockey - Kayla Kisthardt - Emmaus
Football - Tyler Slo-miak - Stroudsburg
Golf - John Angelella - Parkland

Winter 2018-19

Boys Basketball - Adam Klinger - Parkland
Girls Basketball - Jenna Rogers - Northampton
Cheerleading - Julia Santos - Allentown Cen-

tral Catholic
Boys Swimming - Matthew Gertner - Emmaus
Girls Swimming - Abigail Heilenman - Emmaus
Wrestling - Micheal Kistler - Northampton
Rifle - Sydney Jones - Emmaus

Spring 2019

Baseball - Joshua La-Rock - Allentown Central Catholic
Boys Lacrosse - Christian Combi - Easton
Girls Lacrosse - Anne Walsh - Easton
Softball - Courtney Grundauer - Easton
Boys Tennis - Kevin Ge - Emmaus
Boys Track and Field - Joseph Ozgar - Easton
Girls Track and Field - Abigail Heilenman - Emmaus
Boys Volleyball - Seth Fine - Parkland

BETHLEHEM SOCCER CLUB SIGN-UPS

Calling all boys and girls born between 2012-15 - the Bethlehem Soccer Club's Academy registration is now open at <http://bethlehemsc.epysalive.org/home.php>.

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XI Class 2A singles tennis champion for three years straight, including this past season when she defeated Notre Dame Green Pond's Logan Lencheski, 6-1, 6-1, on Oct. 4 at Lehigh University.

But it was two years ago when she was crowned the PIAA State Class 2A singles tennis champion after defeating Knoch's Laura Greb, 6-2, 7-6(5), on Nov. 4, 2017, in Hershey.

"There aren't really words. I was just really proud and grateful for everyone who helped me get there, my team, my coaches, and my parents who are supportive of

me," Magliochetti said. This year, Magliochetti was the state runner-up to Lower Merion's Nikole Lisovsky after a 1-6, 4-6, match on Nov. 3, also in Hershey.

"I was expecting Greb in the finals again, and I was preparing for her," said Magliochetti. "To go from Greb (whom Magliochetti beat in this year's state semifinal, 6-3, 7-5) to Lisovsky, I was emotionally drained. But I know how freeing it is to play with no expectations."

Coach Harmanos's take on the state final was pragmatic.

"Initially, she was disappointed, but all those kids, especially at that level, know each other from tournaments. We

knew there were two or three freshmen at states who are highly regarded players, so I think Brenna was prepared for more of a battle," he said. "She knows what the score is. I don't know how many kids have her track record."

Magliochetti will take that track record with her to Providence College in Rhode Island this fall, along with memories of the year the Lady Hawks went to Hershey for team states, playing at number one doubles with good friend Molly Ehrig in Becahi's last regular season match against Easton, Coach Harmanos's 400th win, and, of course, those state medals.

that came with all his hard work.

"My greatest memory is definitely my two buzzer beater shots one day apart from each other to go to the championship and win it," said Paz. "I want people at Becahi to remember me as the hardest working person they've seen and gave it all on the court each and every night, leader and a role model for my teammates and those watching."

While Paz is disappointed he couldn't help Becahi advance further in the state tournament, as the Hawks deepest run came in the 2018 semifinals in a 65-60 loss to Imhotep, it still doesn't take away from the legacy he left on the court.

With Paz continuing his college career at East Stroudsburg, he still has plenty to learn and more to achieve.

"Playing at Becahi will help me in college because we worked extremely hard every day in practice," Paz said, "and the coaching change is something I had to go through in my senior year, so adjusting to a new coach is a much easier transition. I don't feel like I'm close to where I want to be and I have high expectations for myself and there are more goals I want to achieve moving forward in my career."

"I want to thank God for allowing me to play the sport that I love. I want to thank my parents for their sacrifices. I want to thank my trainers along the way. I want to thank my high school coaches Scott McClary and Ray Barbosa. I want to thank my AAU coaches for my team WeR1 coach Skip, coach Darnell, and coach Diamond."

PAZ

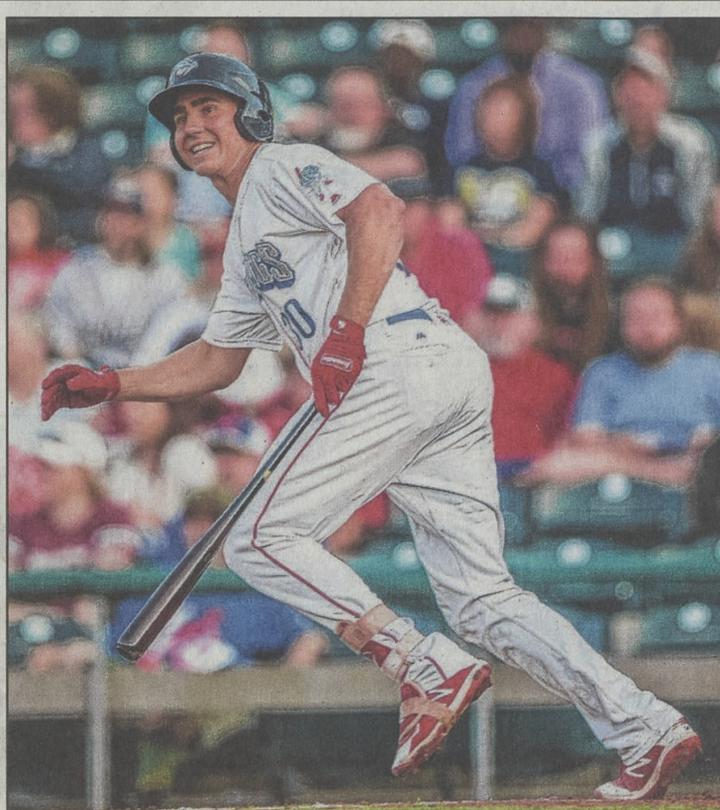
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light reel in itself that all basketball players can dream of, nailing game-winning shots in the semifinal and championship round of the EPC tournament.

Paz lofted a 35-footer at the buzzer in the semis against Nazareth to push his team to a 57-55 victory and a third straight trip to the EPC championship.

Two days later, his encore was even more meaningful, as he danced his way full court in the closing seconds of the EPC title game against Emmaus and banked home the game-winner with 2.5 seconds left on the clock to preserve a 46-44 victory and give the Hawks their second straight league crown.

It was a fairy-tale 48 hours for Paz, but one



PHOTOS BY CHERYL PURSELL/LEHIGH VALLEY IRONPIGS

Matt McBride is thrilled to be playing for the Lehigh Valley IronPigs after playing his high school baseball at Liberty.

EYE ON THE IRONPIGS

McBride happy to be home with Pigs

BY JEFF MOELLER
Special to the Press

These days, Matt McBride is enjoying and cherishing the moments. His 20-plus minute drive to Coca-Cola Park from his home in Center Valley still continues to feel dreamlike. He recently was able to drive home to celebrate the first birthday of his daughter, Maggie.

"Last year during the first half of the season, it was surreal," said the Bethlehem native and former Liberty High School standout. "When I would get back from a road trip, I would be driving home instead of going to an apartment where I am going to be for six months, but my home."

"Last year was exciting because I was back home and people came to watch me play. This year, it has died down a little. Still, it's been awesome."

McBride is in his second season with the IronPigs after he signed a minor league contract in December. Last year, McBride hit .242 with 10 home runs, 26 RBIs and 13 doubles at first base, catcher and right field.

Drafted as a catcher out of Lehigh University in 2006 by the Cleveland Indians, McBride has spent time in the majors, having three seasons with Colorado and one with Oakland.

Currently, he is on the disabled list and hitting .262 with seven homers and 22 RBIs in 27 games.

At age 34 on a young club, McBride realizes and embraces a new role. He has welcomed the chance to work with budding 23-year-old catching prospect Deivy Grullon.

"I'm happy that I can still put a uniform on, and I don't take it for granted," he said. "I'm just trying to be useful and trying to help guys around me. It's been fun coming to the park every day."

"We go a lot of young guys on the team and I want to be as productive and helpful working with them. Grullon is a super-talented kid and he has been working hard. I've worked with him on blocking,

receiving work and throwing to second.

"It been a unique year, and we have a young staff with some of your starters going up and down."

McBride recalled the initial thoughts of a major-league affiliated team coming to the Lehigh Valley nearly 20 years ago, and how he ironically became part of it.

"When I was 10 or 12, there was always talk of a minor league team possibly coming to Bethlehem by Moravian Village," he said. "I was really excited, but that fell through."

"It's funny looking back on it all those years that they ended up putting a Triple-A team, and now I have a chance to play for that team. It's sort of funny how life works. I know I have played more professional baseball than I am going to play, so I just take it day by day."

McBride began his current utility role after he had shoulder surgery with Cleveland in 2008 and began playing the outfield and first base in a stint in the Hawaiian Winter League.

"It was mostly a bunch of A-level guys there, and that was the first time that I didn't catch and played left field," he said. "Going into the following year, I played pretty evenly among left (field), right, and first base."

"From throughout my career, it has been a utility role. It's been nice because I am never bored catching fly balls, ground balls or bullpens. I'm just working to stay in a routine and getting my reps in."

Even though he appears as a natural future coach, McBride is still leaving all of his options open.

"I'm still playing, and honestly, I don't know what I want to do yet," he said. "We're still trying to find our rhythm here. Good teams have a way to jell and get in sync. We're just trying to get better every day."

"I'm just trying to focus on every day, and let everything else take care of itself."

For McBride, it's just another daily chapter of a boyhood dream.



The photo is from an on-field ceremony the day Matt McBride's bobblehead was the giveaway (April 30). The photo has (left to right): his dad, George, his mom Linda, his daughter Maggie (held by FeFe), Matt, his wife Catherin, IronPigs GM Kurt Landes and Ferrous.

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NASCAR THIS WEEK

SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Just a one-off for Kevin Harvick, or a sign of big things ahead?

GODSPEAK: This team has been threatening to be really good all season. The threat is not over. Look for more Stewart-Haas drivers to join the party, too.

KEN'S CALL: He had to win eventually, somewhere. He's still behind the JGR and Penske teams, but at least he's slowed their roll a bit and reintroduced himself.

Look who slid back outside the top 16.

GODSPEAK: J.J. got beat by his own backup car (Alex Bowman, 14th), which isn't exactly a confidence builder.

KEN'S CALL: Jimmie has two finishes of 30th after falling into a third-place at Daytona. The panic button inches closer every week.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

RICKY STENHOUSE JR. VS. ERIK JONES:

Jones ran into Stenhouse as they fought for position. The contact sent Stenhouse's No. 17 Ford to the garage while Jones finished third. This Junior was not happy.

GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE: Look for payback. "(He) just ran over us," Stenhouse said. "(He) gotten me a couple of times now. He'll have one coming at some point when he's trying to make the playoffs."

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR POCONO

WINNER: Ryan Blaney

REST OF TOP 5: Clint Bowyer, Erik Jones, Matt DiBenedetto, Chase Elliott

FIRST ONE OUT: Michael McDowell

DARK HORSE: Ryan Newman
DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Blaney gets through the sticky stuff better than the rest and scores a playoff position.

MOTOR MOUTHS PODCAST

As Barney Hall would say, we're high, wide and handsome. OK, maybe one of those. Or two.

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2019 CUP SERIES SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

- Feb. 10:** Clash at Daytona (Jimmie Johnson)
- Feb. 17:** Daytona 500 (Denny Hamlin)
- Feb. 24:** Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta (Brad Keselowski)
- March 3:** Pennzoil 400 at Las Vegas (Joey Logano)
- March 10:** TicketGuardian 500 at Phoenix (Kyle Busch)
- March 17:** Auto Club 400 at Fontana (Kyle Busch)
- March 24:** STP 500 at Martinsville (Brad Keselowski)

POCONO

THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. Pocono Déjà vu

Weren't we just talking about Kyle Busch winning at Pocono Raceway? Busch scored that victory on June 2 and now the Cup Series returns for Round 2 Sunday at the "Tricky Triangle." Pocono historically has embraced the close dates. Next season, there will be even less separation. Pocono will hold a Cup double-header June 27-28 in 2020.

2. About Busch

Kyle Busch will surely be the odds-on favorite to win Sunday's race at Pocono. In his last four starts there, his average finish has been 1.5 — he has won three of the last four Cup races at the track. The only blemish on his record was a third-place run in a race there last season. His career average finish at Pocono isn't as stellar. In 29 starts, his average is 15.9.

3. Golden ticket

Time is running thin for Spire Motorsports, which is sitting on a playoff



Kyle Busch won Pocono's first 2019 Cup Series race just last month. (AP/MATT SLOCUM)

berth if it can finish the regular season inside the top-30 in owner points. The No. 77 Chevrolet has not moved from 34th place since Justin Haley got his rain-shortened win in the July 7 Coke Zero Sugar 400 at Daytona.

The team has six races to close an 88-point deficit on the No. 38 Ford wheeled by David Ragan. How bad do they want it?

— Godwin Kelly, godwin.kelly@news-jrn.com

NEW HAMPSHIRE

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED

1. Not so fast

It sure looked like Denny Hamlin would overtake Kevin Harvick and capture the flag at New Hampshire. Harvick held on for his first win of the season. "I knew that he was gonna take a shot," Harvick said. "I would have taken a shot ... It was a heck of a finish, closer than we wanted."

2. Crazy finishes

The Cup Series has produced three consecutive crazy finishes, starting with Justin Haley's unlikely rainout win at Daytona. Kurt and Kyle Busch exchanged paint at Kentucky while Kevin Harvick and Denny Hamlin



After being urged on by the crowd, Kevin Harvick performs a burnout for race fans at New Hampshire. (AP/CHARLES KRUPA)

exchanged paint at New Hampshire. On to Pocono!

3. Statistically speaking

Harvick ended a 21-race losing streak with his New Hampshire win and became the oldest winner (43) this season.

He became the seventh consecutive different driver to win a Cup race and 10th race winner in 2019. Chevrolet's three-race win streak came to an end.

— Godwin Kelly, godwin.kelly@news-jrn.com

QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

Forget Jimmie, what about Chase?

Good point. Chase Elliott won at Talladega, which isn't a true signal, yet it ignited a good six-week run. But since the first Pocono race on June 2, when he finished fourth, Chase's finishes are 20th, 37th, 11th, 35th, 15th and 29th. You can write off New Hampshire, which was a wash-out overall for the Chevy teams, but frankly, Chase has stunk for nearly two months. What gives?

What did Kurt say?

Good question. The subject was Kurt Busch's contractual status beyond 2019. Kurt's answer: "It doesn't matter if I'm driving in 2020 and beyond. It would be what I'd want to do to help a program or to give my knowledge and to be part of a team and to make things work here for 2019 and continue to improve whether I'm driving or I'm not. I'm still going to do my job to make sure we are progressing and pushing toward the future on what I believe is important and what they want to do to apply it and what they believe is important and what I have to listen to." Got that? If you do, please explain it to the rest of us.

— Ken Willis, ken.willis@news-jrn.com

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WHAT'S ON TAP

(All times Eastern)

CUP SERIES: Gander RV 400
SITE: Pocono Raceway (2.5-mile triangle-shaped course)
SCHEDULE: Sunday, race (NBC Sports Network, coverage begins at 2:30 p.m., green flag, 3 p.m.)

XFINITY: U.S. Cellular 250
SITE: Iowa Speedway (.875-mile oval)
SCHEDULE: Saturday, race (NBC Sports Network, 5 p.m.)

GANDER OUTDOORS TRUCKS: Gander RV 150
SITE: Pocono Raceway
TV SCHEDULE: Saturday, race (Fox, 1 p.m.)

Bristol
Sept. 1: Southern 500 at Darlington
Sept. 8: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis
Sept. 15: South Point 400 at Las Vegas
Sept. 21: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond
Sept. 29: Bank of America 500k at Charlotte
Oct. 6: Delaware 400 at Dover
Oct. 13: 1000Bulbs.com 500 Talladega
Oct. 20: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas
Oct. 27: First Data 500 at Martinsville
Nov. 3: AAA Texas 500
Nov. 10: Can-Am 500k at Phoenix
Nov. 17: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami

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Drivers line-up as they eagerly await their turn to race. Each group was given eight minutes of race time on the track.



Madison Cannon watches her dad race on the track as she awaits her turn to give it a try. This was Madison first time ever racing go-karts at the Lehigh Valley Grand Prix.

Raceway at SteelStacks!

ArtsQuest's SteelStacks thrilled families with an open Lehigh Valley Grand Prix to celebrate Father's Day June 16. Despite overcast skies and sporadic rain, the enthusiasm wasn't dampened in any way.

The Lehigh Valley Grand Prix set up a temporary half-mile road course in the parking lot next to the blast furnaces. For \$25 a person, drivers were given a safety briefing, helmet and eight minutes of track time on

go-karts with speeds up to 40 mph. There was a category for adults and one for kids starting at age 8. Many families attended to compete against and cheer on dads during their special day.

Two cars racing full speed around tire barriers. The track consisted of areas of tire barriers and higher weighted plastic barriers.



Cars 25 and 26 battle for position going into one of the turns. The track design gave plenty of challenges for the drivers including a variety of turns and straights, some narrow and some wide.

One of several kids who enjoyed a fun day of racing. Kids raced against each other with age groups starting at 8 years old.



Corinne Rego and her kids cheer on their dad with signs while he races on the track. Pictured is Corinne with her children Jackson (background), Cameron and Kayden.

Race cars whiz down the longest straight on the track. In this part of the track, the go-karts were capable of reaching speeds as fast as 40 mph.



Car 19 cuts into one the turns. The tighter a driver steers the go-kart into a turn allows them an advantage over their competitors.

Lauren McKinney

Liberty HS

Grade: Graduated senior

Family members: Seven rambunctious siblings, one graceful mother and one tenacious stepfather make the whole of my family.

Favorite subject: One of my favorite subjects would have to be psychology, because of both its complexity and simplicity relating to the brains of humans and animals. Another of my favorite subjects is forensic science, for a very similar reason. The intense studies of crime scenes and the simple striving for justice have always caught my attention.

Activities: An activity I was most passionate about is a school club called GSA (Gay Straight Alliance). The club is all about the connection between people of all sexual orientations, as well as a safe haven for students to come and communicate with each other. Last year was my third year being part of the club, and for the first time I had a leadership role.

Next steps: At the end of fall semester, I began taking courses at NCC and now will move to a college in the south to get a bachelor's degree in psychology or forensic analysis.

Career goals: After college, I hope to land a job as a forensic psychologist or a criminal investigator.

Heroes: My true heroes are my grandparents because of their friendliness to everyone they encounter, their compassion for a wide variety of things and their unique definition of a successful life – one truly well spent.

Hobbies: My greatest pastime is reading. I am an avid book reader because of the way novels can take me to completely different worlds. They bring me so much joy. I also like to write and watch docu-



mentaries about animal life and criminal activity.

Current job(s): I work as a part-time cashier at Panera Bread.

Volunteer/community work: I have been a classroom helper for the Notre Dame of Bethlehem Church's religious education classes, a volunteer worker for the Historic Bethlehem Organization's annual festivals, and a regular blood donor for the Miller-Keystone Blood Center.

Likes: I really enjoy helping others, as well as analyzing and understanding people and scientific studies.

Dislikes: I dislike the prominent negative energies that come with everyday life.

Greatest accomplishment (so far): My greatest accomplishment, I believe, are my grades. For as long as I can remember, I've worked very hard to earn the letter grades I got, and that is something I will always be proud of.

Advice for peers: My advice to others is just to find what you are passionate about and run with it. Everyone is made to benefit and change the world in a different way, but it'll only pay off if you work for it.

Student profile subjects are selected by faculty and administration at the individual schools.



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FACTORY served as the site sponsor for Charter Arts' 2019 Gala of Dreams.

2019 Gala of Dreams

Guests kick up their heels at Charter Arts fundraiser

The Lehigh Valley Charter High School for the Arts (Charter Arts) held its 16th annual Gala of Dreams in May at FACTORY in South Bethlehem. The fundraising event was attended by close to 250 guests and featured a night of entertainment and fun.

The evening included a silent auction and cocktail hour with the sounds of the Charter Arts Big Band. Then, guests enjoyed dinner, a live auction, dancing, and a jam-packed lineup of entertainment and surprises throughout the night. Guests and the community also enjoyed a live video and photo montage which was projected onto the school building, a creation by Lyn Godley, associate professor of Industrial Design at Jefferson University in Philadelphia, and her students.

The 2019 Gala of Dreams' major sponsor was PNC Bank. The Silver Curtain sponsor was The Lawrence Family, and the site sponsor was FACTORY. Table sponsors included Fitzpatrick Lentz & Bubba, UPMC Health



Guests dance to the sounds of the Charter Arts Dance Band.



Gala attendees Sheryl Maher, Charter Arts' Executive Director Diane LaBelle and Blaine Phillips.

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The event designer was Dave Reppert of Wishes Entertainment & Event Design and catering was by Karen Hunter Catering.

COLLEGE NOTES

Northampton Community College

Health services information sessions July 25
There will be free Northampton Community College information sessions for medical secretary 1 p.m. July 25 and community health worker 3 p.m. July 25 courses; all at the Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Third St.

Medical secretaries ensure that a medical practice, healthcare facility or treatment care center operate smoothly by greeting patients, maintaining schedules and accessing medical records.

The Affordable Care Act mandates that CHWs be members of healthcare teams in patient-centered settings, making CHW a growing field. CHWs help individuals overcome barriers to care by linking them with their local resources.

Registration is required; visit Northampton.edu/HealthCareCourses, call 610-332-6585, or email healthcare@northampton.edu.

Moravian College

Grad-level nursing programs available in fall
Moravian College has announced that it will offer new graduate-level nursing programs to address the growing market need for experienced and qualified nursing professionals. Classes will be offered in the evenings to accommodate busy work schedules, personalized clinical placements will be provided and each program director will design an individualized plan of study for each nursing student.

Beginning in the fall of 2019, the following new nursing programs will be offered at the Moravian College Main Street campus and the Sally Breidegam Mikiewicz Center for Health Sciences:

- Master of Science, Family Nurse Practitioner
- Masters of Science, Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Masters of Science, Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
- Post-Master's Certification for Nurse Practitioner Acute Care
- Post-Master's Certification for Nurse Practitioner Primary Care
- Post-Master's Certification Family Nurse Practitioner

DEAN'S LISTS

East Stroudsburg University

Several Area residents were included in the East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania's spring dean's list.

From Bethlehem: Maggie Connelly, Tori Egner, Julia Sule, Dianara Vazquez, Adrian Albino, Mary Anne Batiz, Alicia Burak, Madysyn Campbell, Makenna Case, Thomas Chacon, Austin Cornelius, Scott DelFranco, Raziel Fletcher, Kelvin Garcia, Jennifer Guido, Justin Haynes, Thomas Klotz, Sarah LiCari, Elizabeth Margie, Regan Morrison, Emily Novoa, Anthony Rosado, Leah Ruane, Madison Serfass, Catarina Silva, Kaitlyn Smart, Tara Soulliard, Kaitlyn Swint, Cynthia Tabong, Andrew Theesfeld and Dana Williams.

From Fountain Hill: Sara Lonigro. From Freemansburg: Dana Hawkins, Ariyana Ragland and Joshua Villamil.

'Wanderers' author visits BAPL

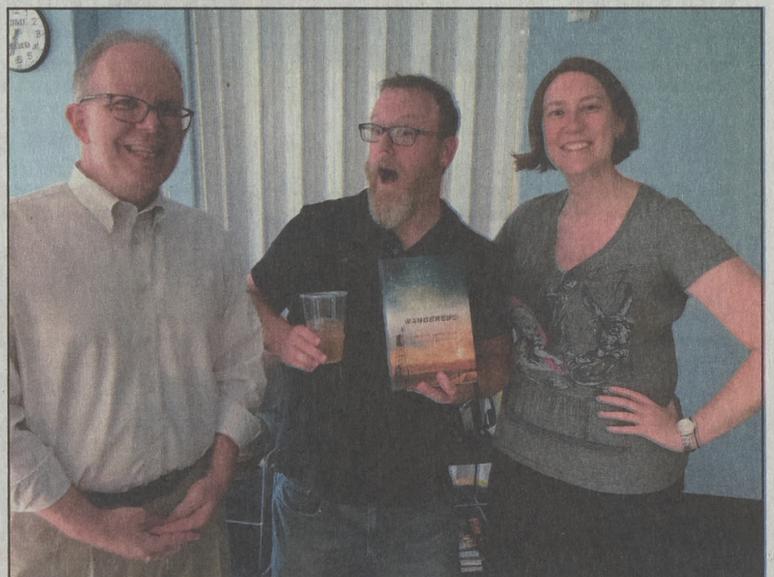
BY NICK DRYFOOS
Special to The Press

On July 1, the Bethlehem Area Public Library was buzzing with more excitement than usual. This was because the Let's Play Books! bookstore of Emmaus was hosting a pre-launch book reception for one of the most anticipated books of the year, Chuck Wendig's "Wanderers."

Wendig is a New York Times best-selling author, so it was no question his fans would flock to an opportunity to meet him. The event took place in the children's section of the library and was open to the public for free. The event started with Let's Play Books! store owner, Kirsten Hess, thanking everyone for coming out. Hess expressed gratitude to everyone who was there for supporting the store, as well as to Wendig himself stating "we have books going out to 18 different states," attributing this to his help promoting independent stores.

Hess then gave the stage to Wendig who shared a few words on his creative process while writing the book.

"Some writers, especially on a certain level, we overvalue ideas. We assume they're the precious gems of our process, and really they're not. They're like cheap



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Lehigh Valley area authors Paul Acampora, Chuck Wendig and Kate Racculia during the pre-launch event for Wendig's "Wanderers" July 1 at the Bethlehem Area Public Library. Let's Play Books Bookstore hosted the event, complete with Wendig's "Walker" and various book related themed food and drink. Over a hundred people attended the event. Racculia's new book, "Tuesday Mooney Talks to Ghosts," releases this October, Let's Play Books Bookstore & Bethlehem Area Public Library will co-host the event Oct. 30.

costume jewelry. They just sort of hold the whole thing together. You need the story and you need characters, and (at first) I just didn't have those. Then 2016 happened and things got a little weird, and I felt like I had so many different anxieties in so many different directions like cats just scattering around; politics, gun control, climate change, whatever may have been bothering you in regards to our current modernity, was a thing in my mind. Then, suddenly those anxieties formed into something I call my 'Anxiety Voltron' and suddenly I had a book," Wendig stated.

Excited fans lined up to meet Wendig to get books signed and take selfies.

Overall it was a very successful event, and everyone looked happy to meet their favorite author.

YOUR LOCAL WEATHER

7 Day Forecast	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Partly Cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Mostly Sunny	Mostly Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
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District Attorney Jim Martin has announced a partnership between his office, the Lehigh County Regional Intelligence and Investigation Center (RIIC), and the Washington field office for Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) to address transnational criminal activity involving gangs. This partnership centers on usage of the RIIC's gang intelligence system, which has been piloted by HSI since late 2017. The gangs that operate in the Philadelphia region are involved in various illegal

activities including narcotics, human trafficking, illegal firearms and violent crimes. This area of responsibility includes the Lehigh Valley and is considered a pass-through route to cities such as Detroit, Chicago, New York and to New Jersey.

The Washington and Virginia region experiences similar activities from transnational gangs.

The RIIC has been working closely with Day's team in Washington and has presented the application to senior HSI officials over the last year. The pilot program is considered a success, and in March 2019, federal funding was approved for system expansion and enhancements to cover a wider geographical area.

The gang intelligence system, which has helped

in numerous investigations and prosecutions, is built around graph and social network theory to help show the complex social interactions and personal relationships that span race, age, geography, and many other dimensions. Through the partnership with HSI, a core future enhancement to the gang intelligence system will incorporate advanced image and data analytics to help investigators and analysts to generate leads.

This funding will also enable the RIIC to migrate the gang intelligence system to the cloud, enabling investigators and analysts in different locations to access the system, share data, and generate leads for their gang and human trafficking investigations.

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Little Steven and the Disciples of Soul, 8 p.m. July 26, State Theater Center for the Arts, Easton.

For Shore

Steven Van Zandt brings Jersey Sound, 'Summer of Sorcery' to Easton's State Theater

BY PAUL WILLISTEIN
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When Steven Van Zandt looked for a followup album to his critically-acclaimed "Soulfire" (2017), he knew what he wanted to do. He wanted to capture that sure-fire sensation of summer.

In the midst of the Summer of 2019, his Little Steven and the Disciples of Soul tour stops at 8 p.m. July 26, State Theater Center for the Arts, Easton.

At the center of the concert, part of a seven-month tour that takes him and the band across the United States to Europe and back again, are selections from Van Zandt's "Summer of Sorcery" album.

"I just felt like that's what we need right now because everything's so dark and depressing," says Van Zandt.

The album, which was released in May, is billed as Van Zandt's first album of original material in 20 years.

Van Zandt released his first album, "Men Without Women" in 1982, followed by "Voice of America" (1984), "Freedom - No Compromise" (1987), "Revolution" (1989) and "Born Again Savage" (1999).

"It ['Summer of Sorcery'] kind of takes up from my 1980s' records. It's an evolution of my fourth and fifth albums," says Van Zandt in a phone interview from his New York City residence.

"But it has the sound of rock 'n' soul, which I started with Southside Johnny and the Asbury Jukes."

Van Zandt, 69, grew up in Middletown Township, Monmouth County, N.J., just across the New York Bay from New York City and Long Island.

Van Zandt, co-founded with John Lyon (aka Southside Johnny) Southside Johnny and the Asbury Jukes, with its first album in 1976, produced by Van Zandt and for which he wrote songs.

Van Zandt played in



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Steven Van Zandt's "Summer of Sorcery" (2019) is his first album of original material in 20 years.

one of Bruce Springsteen's first bands, Steel Mill, founded in 1969, and worked on "Tenth Avenue Freeze-Out" and "Born to Run" on Springsteen's break-out album, "Born To Run" (1975), joining the E Street Band in 1975.

Van Zandt was inducted into the Rock And Roll Hall Of Fame in 2014.

"I actually returned to it two years ago with 'Soulfire,'" Van Zandt says of his Rhythm and Blues roots. Rolling Stone magazine named "Soulfire" one of its "Best Albums of 2017."

Van Zandt followed the studio album with "Soulfire Live!," available as a three-disc CD box set, seven-vinyl box set, and two-disc Blu-Ray, recorded during the "Soulfire Tour," his first solo tour in more than 20 years.

"Summer of Sorcery" was written, arranged and produced by Van Zandt at his Renegade Studios in New York City. The album was co-produced and recorded by Grammy Award-winner Geoff Sanoff and co-produced by Disciples of Soul music director and guitarist Marc Ribler. The album was mixed and mastered, respectively, by

Van Zandt's career-long collaborators and friends Bob Clearmountain (Rolling Stones, David Bowie, The Who, Bryan Adams), and Bob Ludwig (Led Zeppelin, Nirvana, The Band, Sly and the Family Stone).

The album, which features an introduction written by Van Zandt, has Frank Frazetta-inspired cover art by Van Zandt's longtime art director, Louis Arzonico.

In a press release, Van Zandt states it thusly of "Summer Of Sorcery": "The concept was capturing and communicating that first rush of summer. The electricity of that feeling of unlimited possibilities. Of falling in love with the world for the first time."

The songs on "Summer of Sorcery" are an elixir of the season: the sounds you hear on your car radio or CD player, the sounds you hear poolside at a beach party, the sounds that get you on your feet at a concert.

The album features 10 original new songs, as well as "Suddenly You," an outtake from the "Lilyhammer" score, Netflix's first original series, which starred Van Zandt, who composed the music

for the TV show, and a reimagining of "Education," first recorded for his 1989 album, "Revolution."

"Summer of Sorcery" tracks include "Love Again," a joy ride, with memorable sing-along lyrics, including "You don't need a casino."

Says Van Zandt of the song and album, "The idea was to make this even more cinematic than usual."

Another song, "Superfly Terraplane" references a "candy-apple superfly." It's complete with Tex-Mex horns. The Beach Boys never wrote a song about a Hudson Terraplane.

Then there's the anthem "A World of Our Own," which gives you the chill bumps. Says Van Zandt of the song, "That's one of my favorites also. It's really a tribute to the girl groups."

The title cut, "Summer Of Sorcery," starts out almost as a folk song with acoustic guitar, segues into a big guitar sound, with the lyrics, "I want to get lost in your festival ..." and moves with propulsive power through its eight-minute length, encapsulated in the lyrics, "All my senses are awakening."

Oh his web site, Van Zandt, sums up "Summer Of Sorcery": "With this record, I really wanted to travel back to a time when life was exciting, when unlimited possibilities were there every day. That was the feeling in the 1960s, the thrill of the unexpected coming at you."

"Our minds were blown every single day, one amazing thing after another, constantly lifting you up. So you kind of walked around six inches off the ground all the time. There was something that kept you buoyant in your spirit."

The "Summer of Sorcery Tour North American 2019" kicked off June 28 in Omaha, Neb., and

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Your look ahead at
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Under the big tent: Cirque du Soleil's Big Top returns for "Amaluna" July 24-Aug. 25, at the Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, 100 Station Avenue, Oaks, Montgomery County. The show, said to be "a celebration of women," is created and directed by Tony Award-winning Diana Paulus. The storyline is inspired by Greek and Norse mythology, Mozart's "The Magic Flute" and Shakespeare's "The Tempest." The large-scale production has a cast mostly of female artists, including Alix Croop of Allentown, who trained at the Parkettes Gymnastic Training Center, Allentown. Tickets: cirquedusoleil.com/amaluna

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Band on Broadway: The Allentown Band presents "Broadway and Beyond," 7:30 p.m. July 27, Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown. Guest soloists tenor Eric Fennell and mezzo-soprano Lauren Curnow, above, sing Broadway, opera and Gershwin. Selections include "Maria" from "West Side Story," "Bring Him Home" from "Les Misérables" and "March of the Toreadors" from "Carmen." Tickets: Miller Symphony Hall box office, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown; miller-symphonyhall.org; 610-432-6715

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Country, 'tis of three: A triple bill for the "Roots & Boots Tour" includes Sammy Kershaw, Collin Raye and Aaron Tippin, 8 p.m. July 26, Penn's Peak, Jim Thorpe. Doors open at 6 p.m. Tippin's country music hits include "You've Got To Stand For Something," "I Wouldn't Have It Any Other Way," "There Ain't Nothin' Wrong With The Radio," "That's As Close As I'll Get To Loving You," "My Blue Angel" and "Kiss This." The country hits of Kershaw, above, include "She Don't Know She's Beautiful," "I Can't Reach Her Anymore," "National Working Woman's Holiday," "Love Of My Life," "Cadillac Style," "Don't Go Near The Water" and "Haunted Heart." Raye's hits include "Love, Me," "In This Life," "Not That Different," "If I Were You," "My Kind of Girl," "That's My Story," "I Can Still Feel You" and "I Want You Bad." Tickets: Penn's Peak box office, 325 Maury Road, Jim Thorpe; pennspeak.com; ticketmaster.com; 800-745-3000



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includes stops in Syracuse, N.Y.; Ontario, Ottawa, Quebec City, Montreal and Toronto, Canada; Buffalo, N.Y.; New Haven, Conn.; Keswick Theatre, Glenside; Richmond, Va., and Annapolis, Md., before departing in August for Europe Tour, returning to the United States in September and concluding in November at the Beacon Theater, New York City.

Including himself, Van Zandt is touring with a 15-piece band.

"People who are coming to the show are going nuts because they've never heard that before," says Van Zandt.

The Disciples of Soul are a 14-piece ensemble of some of the best studio and touring musicians in the business. In addition to music director and guitarist Marc Ribler (Darlene Love, Roger McGuinn, Carole King), there's pianist Lowell "Banana" Levinger (The Youngbloods), bassist Jack Daley (Lenny Kravitz, Boz Scaggs, Darryl Hall), drummer Rich Mercurio (Ben E. King, Sara Bareilles, Idina Menzel), percussionist Anthony Almonte (King Creole and The Cocanuts), Andy Burton, B3 organ, piano, synthesizers (Cyndi Lauper, John Mayer, Ian Hunter), horn section director Eddie Manion, baritone saxophone (Diana Ross, Bruce Springsteen, Southside Johnny, Miami Horns), Stan Harrison, tenor saxophone and flute (Southside Johnny, Miami Horns, David Bowie, Mick Jagger, Duran Duran), Ron Tooley, trumpet (James Brown, John Lennon, Maceo Parker), Ravi Best, trumpet (Aretha Franklin, Stevie Wonder Kool and The Gang) and Clark Gayton, trombone (Sting, Bruce Springsteen, Joss Stone, Rhianna). Backup singers are Jessie Wagner (Kid Rock, Lenny Kravitz, Chic), Sara Devine (Alicia Keys, Mary J. Blige) and Tania Jones (Disciples of Soul).

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Steven Van Zandt on guitar in concert.



Steven Van Zandt (Silvio Dante), "The Sopranos," HBO (1999-2007)

It seems to be our sort of devotion to a tradition. Having those soul music roots, blues roots.

"When it comes to me and Bruce Springsteen and Southside Johnny, the three of us have a certain reverence for tradition. And we all feel having that as part of our own work, it connects us to the past but it doesn't limit us to the past. We're taking it forward to the future and seeing what we can do with it."

Van Zandt characterizes the "Summer of Sorcery" album as a turning point in his storied career: "It's a major artistic breakthrough for me and a whole rebirth. It's the first album I've done that isn't autobiographical or political."

His web site, littlesteven.com, reveals Van Zandt to be one busy guy. The music and entertainment businesses and humanitarian interests of Van Zandt, who received an honorary Doctorate of Fine Arts from Rutgers University in 2017, are mind-boggling.

In 1985, Van Zandt created the music-industry activist group, Artists United Against Apartheid, as an action against the Sun City resort in South Africa.

Van Zandt starred as

Silvio Dante on HBO's "The Sopranos" (1999-2007) and Frank Tagliano on Netflix's "Lilyhammer" (2012-2014).

In 1999, Van Zandt founded Renegade Nation, which includes Renegade Circus, Renegade TV and Renegade Theatre to oversee content creation, production, management, events and distribution.

Since 2002, Van Zandt has hosted "Little Steven's Underground Garage," a weekly syndicated radio show that champions garage rock from the 1950s to present day. He's a program director of "Underground Garage" and "Outlaw Country" on the Sirius Satellite Radio network. In 2006, he founded

Wicked Cool Records.

in 2007, Van Zandt and his wife, Maureen Van Zandt, founded the Rock and Roll Forever Foundation and its TeachRock project, which creates kindergarten through Grade 12 music curriculum.

They are on the board of trustees and directors of the Count Basie Arts Center, Red Bank, N.J.

Van Zandt sees the pop-rock music scene as a challenging time for singer-songwriters, musicians and bands.

"It's a very strange time, especially having grown up when we did. Especially for bands trying to make a living. That's why I started my radio show and Renegade Circus. We try to encourage the hiring of new bands.

"We continue to try to expand the infrastructure. We're still trying to get a rock and roll show on TV, trying to talk to Hard Rock Cafe to be a circuit. We continue to try to find ways to keep rock 'n' roll alive."

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

Art Garfunkel going solo at State Theatre

BY ERIN FERGUSON
Special to The Press

Art Garfunkel walked away from Simon & Garfunkel, one of the most successful duos in pop-music history.

And he kept walking. Garfunkel has walked across the United States and Europe.

"New York City is claustrophobic. It's gotten taller and taller and all of a sudden there was no sky. So, one day I said to my friend, 'Let's walk across America.' I got my sneakers on and started walking," Garfunkel says.

Garfunkel presents a solo concert, 8 p.m. July 24, State Center for the Arts, Easton.

Garfunkel embarked on his solo career after Simon & Garfunkel, which had received five Grammy awards, including two Grammys in 1968 for Record of the Year and Best Contemporary Pop Performance-Duo or Group for "Mrs. Robinson" and three Grammys in 1970 for Record of the Year, Album of the Year and Best Arrangement Accompanying Vocalists for "Bridge Over Troubled Water."

"Simon & Garfunkel went from 1964 to 1970 and then I got married in 1972," says Garfunkel in a phone interview.

Of Simon, he says, "We drifted apart because it just felt natural. It was organic and we were tired of one another."

In 1972, Simon & Garfunkel released a "Greatest Hits" album, which sold more than 14 million copies, biggest-selling album ever for a duo.

Simon & Garfunkel reunited in 1981 for the "Concert in Central Park," with the concert recording released in 1982 as the duo's first live album and followed by a world tour. Simon & Garfunkel were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 2003. The duo got back together again for a tour in 2003 and 2004.

"I wish we weren't so distant, but we do what comes naturally," says Garfunkel of Simon. "We were never tactical or strategic. We never looked for the next business move or to make money and we always just did what felt natural and we were great."

"When we reunited for our reunion tour, we ran into each other and Simon asked me to listen to his new song. I started singing harmony and he said, 'That sounds good, I could use you on harmony.'"

"So, by accident and circumstance that's how we started playing again, which is how most things happen in life."

Not unlike Garfunkel's acting career, which began after Simon & Garfunkel songs provided the soundtrack for the movie, "The Graduate" (1967), directed by Mike Nichols. Garfunkel appeared in Nichols' next two movies, "Catch-22" (1970) and "Carnal Knowledge" (1971). Garfunkel was also in director Nicholas Roeg's "Bad Timing" (1980) and director Jennifer Lynch's "Boxing Helena" (1993).

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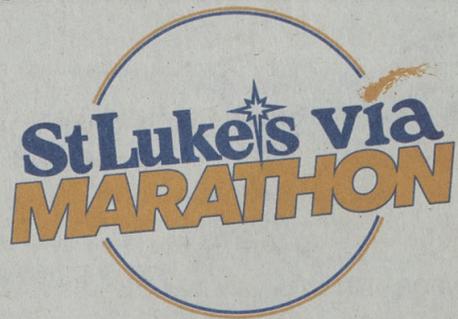
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Dear Jacquelyn,
When I meet someone new, I always ask what they do for a living. This seems like good conversation starter, but I'm not sure if it's polite. Is it rude to ask someone you just met what they do for living?

Dear Reader,
It's not so much that the question in itself is rude as it is a matter of sensitivity of context.

I suggest starting off with an ice-breaking question to set the context so your question doesn't come out of the blue. It's better to start with "Tell me a little bit about yourself."

As the conversation continues and if it is

RESPECTFULLY YOURS

By Jacquelyn Youst



flowing smoothly, then the question might be viewed as continuing the natural flow of conversation.

The best way to ask this question is to say, "What line of work are you in?"

Asking it this way gives the other person the opportunity to open up about themselves.

From there I would ask, "Why did you choose your profession?"

Learning about how someone landed in their

given profession has layers. You'll learn what motivates them and what they are passionate about.

Your intentions behind the question should genuinely be career interest or things of that nature. Don't ask the question in a manner which implies you are being nosy or worse, putting the person into a social category.

If you are not mindful of your tone and body language, and the way in which the words are said, it may cause uneasy feelings. If that happens, the question will not be well-received and is guaranteed to be a conversation-ender.

Lastly, when you meet

someone new and are genuinely curious to find out what someone does, wait for an opening. A comment about a long day may be a polite opportunity to ask. But pay attention to how someone responds and be prepared to change topics.

Respectfully Yours,
Jacquelyn

Have a question?

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Working hard to get ahead

When my friend Charlotte asked me to write a story about someone she calls "determined and inspirational," I was happy to oblige.

As head of our local St. Vincent de Paul chapter, Charlotte sees thousands of people who come there for help.

So many people are hurting financially. Most need the basics some take for granted — food, clothing and shelter.

In addition to providing those basic needs, St. Vincent de Paul offers scholarships to those willing to work hard to change their life.

"The scholarships are a hand up, not a hand out. They are only awarded to those with the will and the drive to change their life around," Charlotte said.

Marie Lucie, a young immigrant from Haiti, is one who was awarded a scholarship.

Charlotte told me I would find her inspirational in overcoming many challenges while she completed the culinary course at a local vocational institute.

During the interview with Marie and her husband, I learned Charlotte was right.

They came from Haiti, one of the poorest countries in the world.

Marie and Hans struggled to cope with the hardships of their native country.

With the impoverished country still unable to recover from a major 2010 earthquake, Hurricane Matthew added to that devastation, making it even harder to survive.

Even having basic things like food and clean water was a challenge. "We vowed we were going to do whatever it took to build a better life," said Marie. "We were motivated and willing to sacrifice — whatever it took."

One major sacrifice was leaving their 6-month old daughter behind with Hans' mother and going to Jamaica to find work.

For three years they took any job they could get before being able to make the leap to come to America.

They went to West South Beach to live by the relative who sponsored them to come here. But rents were too high and it was hard to get a job there.

"Every time I applied there was always someone with more experience that got the job," said Hans, who was willing to do anything to get by.

When they visited another relative in Southwest Florida, they found the area was a better fit.

"It's a calm and quiet place with lower rent and more opportunity for those who want to work," said Marie.

Her husband was hired at a window company, a job that requires getting up at 3 a.m. for his 12-hour shift. But he's happy to have the job, he says.

By then they had a new baby and Marie was happy to find a job in a nursing home where she could work her hours around child care.

Sometimes it's a little glitch in life that leads to something better.

When a temporary setback led Marie to have to go to St. Vincent de Paul's Food Pantry, she saw a sign

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about scholarships. "I got excited when I saw it because it's been my dream to be part of a culinary arts program," she said.

She was even more excited after learning St. Vincent de Paul awarded her a scholarship to attend the culinary arts program at a nearby technical training school. Because the school offers child care and is close to her apartment, it was a perfect fit.

For the past year Marie didn't just attend culinary classes. She soared through them, becoming a star student.

Not that it was easy. There was a lot of hard work and sacrifice involved — every single day, as a matter of fact.

Marie attended classes five days a week, worked at part-time jobs, volunteered at church and alternated child care with her husband.

"It was challenging," she admits, "and I had to keep pushing myself past feeling tired. But I am grateful for the chance."

An inventive cook who likes to include Haitian and Jamaican foods in her cooking, Marie placed second in a regional culinary arts contest, then went on to win third place during state competition.

That success led to several job offers from area restaurants.

She earned placement in the school's national honor society, then was honored by being selected as the graduation speaker.

She is a true success story.

My friend Charlotte was right when she said it was a story of resilience and determination.

Marie now works as a chef, becoming the main breadwinner while her husband takes his turn going for technical training.

Both Marie and Hans vow to keep working hard to better themselves and their family.

So I told the happy little story in the paper.

I was surprised at the backlash the story created and even more surprised when many responses were negative.

I was wrong when I thought everyone would be happy to see a hardworking, self-sufficient family asking for nothing but a chance.

One man was upset that a scholarship was given to an immigrant.

"If she's so great, let her go back to the country she came from," he said.

Someone else wrote to say, "Another family looking for freebies."

They are not. That was the point of the story. Nor are they illegal immigrants. They are just two people working hard to build a better life.

Have we become so divisive that we can't cheer for anyone not born here?

The goal at St. Vincent de Paul is to help people become totally self-sufficient. Marie and her husband were able to do that.

Contact Pattie Mihalik at newsgirl@comcast.net.

Divorce is not always the better answer

Q. My husband and I have been arguing and not seeing eye to eye for a long time. We have tried counseling and nothing is working. We have two children, ages eight and three. I am not being abused and my husband is a great father. I really don't want to be married to my husband anymore. Should I just put up with it until the children are older?

"I frequently hear the question, 'Should we stay together for the sake of the children?'" panelist Chad Stefanyak said. "What I've never heard are young adults saying, 'Thank god, my parents stayed together,'" Stefanyak said, adding that if the mother is miserable, the children are going to be aware. "It affects the atmosphere of the home," Stefanyak said.

If the mother is unhappy, panelist Mike Daniels said, she needs to work it out. "It is unfair to put the decision on the children,"

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By Carole Gorney



Daniels said, noting that, although the parents had been to counseling, he wondered if the mother has told the husband she wants a divorce. "Life happens better when we do it in a planned way. Whether they stay together or get a divorce, they need to have a conversation about what they need to do and how to do it," Daniels said.

Panelist Mike Ramsey said, "Counseling should also be about how to get divorced, not just how to avoid divorce. The couple needs help in how to work out issues like custody, child support and visitation schedules that need to be considered if they do decide to divorce. There is also value in getting professional support for the kids."

Panelist Pam Wallace said the mother needs to

be aware that if she and her husband argue and don't see eye to eye now, depending on what the arguments are about, they likely won't see eye to eye after the divorce.

"Leaving her husband is a huge decision that only she can make," panelist Denise Continenza said, adding, "She [the mother] needs to consider if divorcing will make her happier, and a better parent."

Stefanyak said, "I don't know if her life will get better, but it will get more complicated. There are things she will need to explore with an objective person."

This week's team of parenting experts are: Pam Wallace, Program Coordinator, Project Child, a program of Valley Youth House; Wanda Mercado-Arroyo, former teacher and school administrator; Chad Stefanyak, school counselor; Michael Ramsey, MS, LPC, Program Supervisor, Valley Youth House; Mike

Daniels, LCSW, Psychotherapist, CTS; and Denise Continenza, extension educator.

Have a question? Email: projectchild@projectchildlv.org

The Family Project is a collaboration of the Lehigh Valley Press Focus section and Valley Youth House's Project Child.

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Three topics: breaking bones, CO, carotids

Q. What increases my chances of breaking a bone?

For several reasons, seniors are in danger of breaking a bone. As we age, the power of our senses, reflexes and coordination diminishes. Maladies and the medicines we take for them can contribute to balance problems, which can lead to falls. Then there's osteoporosis, a disease that makes bones more likely to snap.

You may be in danger of having weak bones and should check with a doctor if you: smoke, are in poor health, are over 65, fractured a bone after age 50, have a close relative with osteoporosis, are underweight, started menopause before age 45, never got enough calcium, have more than two drinks of alcohol several times a week, or are inactive.

The following are medical conditions that can weaken your bones: hyperthyroidism, chronic lung disease, cancer, inflammatory bowel disease, chronic liver or kidney disease, hyperparathyroidism, vitamin D deficiency, Cushing's disease, multiple sclerosis and rheumatoid arthritis.

The following also

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put your bones at risk: oral glucocorticoids (steroids), radiation, chemotherapy, thyroid medicine, antiepileptic drugs, gonadal hormone suppression, and immunosuppressive agents.

Because of the way bones are made, they also get stronger with regular but not excessive exercise. If a person is active, bones will become stronger and more dense. The bones of an inactive person are often not as strong and may fracture more easily than those of an active person. For this reason, older people should try to remain physically active.

Q. How dangerous is carbon monoxide?

Carbon monoxide (chemical symbol CO) is a colorless and odorless gas that can kill you. CO is a byproduct of combustion. It comes out of car tailpipes, gas ovens, fireplaces and heating systems.

Red blood cells absorb CO more readily than they pick up oxygen. If there is a lot of CO in the

air, the body may replace oxygen in blood with CO. This blocks oxygen from getting into the body, which can hurt you and eventually kill you.

People with chronic heart disease, anemia, or respiratory problems are more susceptible to the effects of CO. Many seniors fit into one or more of those categories.

The most common symptoms of CO poisoning are headache, dizziness, weakness, irregular breathing, nausea, vomiting, chest pain, and confusion. You should go outdoors and breathe some fresh air immediately if you suspect CO poisoning. If you stay in the house, you could become unconscious and die. Get medical attention right away.

Other than preventing the production of CO, the best defense against this lethal gas is a CO alarm. CO gas distributes evenly and quickly throughout the house. A CO detector should be installed outside bedrooms to alert sleeping residents.

Q. My doctor said I have good carotids. What did she mean?

Your doctor checked your carotid arteries on the sides of your neck to

see if the blood flow was blocked. Apparently, she felt your carotids are in good shape.

Carotid arteries run from the aorta, the main trunk of the arterial system, up to your brain. When these vessels become blocked, you have carotid artery disease, which can cause a stroke.

The chances of developing this disease increase with age. About one percent of people in their 50s have significantly blocked carotid arteries, but 10 percent of people in their 80s have carotid artery disease.

As you age, a sticky substance called plaque, which contains cholesterol, can accumulate on the inside walls of your arteries. The process is called atherosclerosis or hardening of the arteries.

The amount of blockage in a carotid artery determines the risk of having a stroke. If the blockage becomes severe enough, you may need surgery to open the blood flow to your brain.

Have a question?

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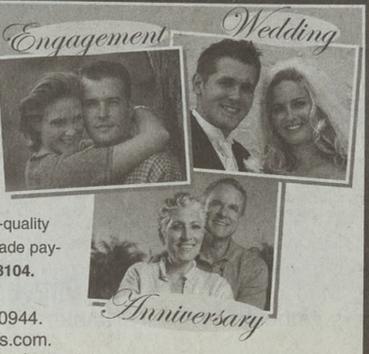
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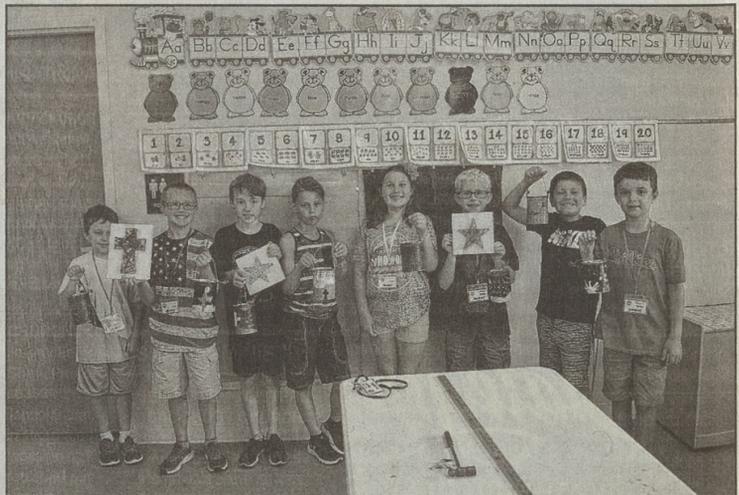
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Concordia Lutheran Church takes children on a 'Miraculous Mission'



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Concordia Lutheran Church, 2623 Brookside Road, Macungie holds its annual Vacation Bible School recently with children in pre-kindergarten through sixth grade joining in the space adventure "Miraculous Mission." Over 40 students with leaders and helpers gathered for the week.



The fourth through sixth grade students work on coffee can lanterns and string art during the week. Pictured with their craftwork are Thomas Pojanowski, Sean Tillinghast, Declan Cummings, Brooks Wetherhold, Kyra Greaser, Blake Tillinghast, Connor Ranck and Carter Natale.

Baum School of Art to hold faculty, staff exhibition

The Baum School of Art, 510 Linden St., Allentown, presents its 2019 Faculty and Staff Exhibition, Aug. 15 - Sept. 11 in The David E. Rodale and Rodale Family Galleries.

The Awards Reception will be held 6 p.m. Aug. 15 as part of Third Thursday, August 15, 2019

The biannual exhibition features the creative work of The Baum School of Art's faculty and staff members. The exhibition includes work in a variety in media and subject matter, from fashion, to graphic design, to drawing and painting, to photography, to sculpture.

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Information: baum-school.org; 610-433-0032

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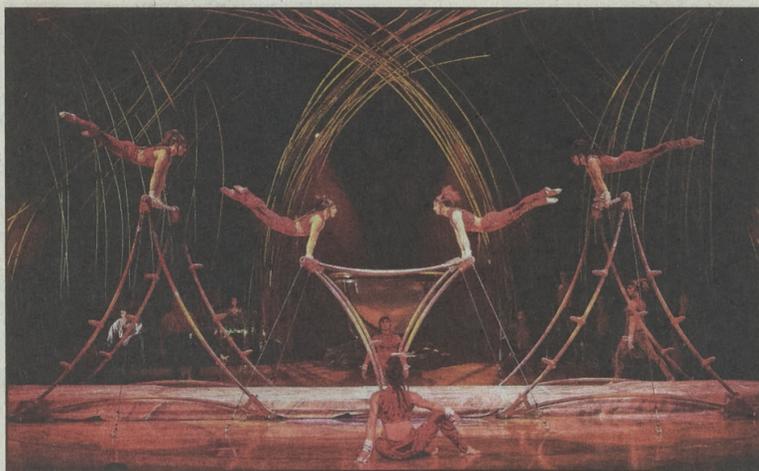
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Former Parkettes gymnast Alix Croop performs in "Amaluna," under the big top, July 24-Aug. 25, Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks.

Parkettes to Cirque du Soleil for former Valley gymnast

BY CAMILLE CAPRIGLIONE
Special to The Press

Cirque du Soleil's "Amaluna" makes its Philadelphia region premiere under the big top, July 24-Aug. 25, Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks.

Allentown native and gymnast Alix Croop performs in "Amaluna."

"Amaluna," written and directed by Tony Award-winning director, Diane Paulus, blends Greek and Norse mythology, William Shakespeare's "The Tempest" and Mozart's "The Magic Flute" in a production that has a cast almost entirely of women.

It's the third Cirque du Soleil production in which Croop has performed.

In 2012, Croop performed in Cirque's "Viva Elvis" in Las Vegas as a Duo Aerial Hoop and High Bar artist. Then she performed in "Corteo," touring South and Central America. Croop joined "Amaluna" in 2015.

"It's pretty cool to be a part of different shows because I got to do different acts in each of those shows," says Croop in a phone interview.

"Amaluna" includes acrobatics and the circus arts, such as feats on aerial straps, uneven bars, suspended hoops, the Chinese pole, teeterboard and a 5-foot-high water bowl. The stunning sets give audiences the experience of a mystical and enchanted island forest.

In the show, Croop performs on the uneven bars.

Croop, 31, began training in gymnastics

at age of 5. She was homeschooled through Bridgeway Academy, Catasauqua, while training at the Parkettes National Gymnastic Training Center, Allentown. Her father, Russ, lives in Macungie. Her mother, Annie, lives in Emmaus. Her grandmother, Janet Person, lives in Macungie.

She competed in artistic gymnastics for 16 years. Croop attended the University of Pittsburgh and competed in the National Collegiate Athletic Association on a full scholarship. She received an MS in Counseling Psychology from Chatham University. For a time, she was a therapist in neuropsychology, a career that she loved.

"While I was getting my masters, I saw my first Cirque show and the coach encouraged me to put an audition video together. I was like, 'Let's do it!'"

"Amaluna" takes its name from a mysterious island governed by goddesses and guided by the moon's cycles. Queen Prospera directs her daughter, Miranda, in a coming-of-age ceremony that honors femininity, renewal and rebirth.

In the wake of a storm, a group of young men lands on the island, triggering a love story between Miranda and a brave young suitor. The couple faces trials and setbacks before they can achieve harmony.

"Amaluna" is a tribute to the work and voice of women," says "Amaluna" Director of Creation Fernand Rainville.

In "Amaluna," Croop

plays the role of an Amazon woman.

"There are eight or nine of us and our job is to protect the island. We are warriors. The sailors crash on the shore and they seem like trouble. We're protecting Miranda, the main character. Prospera, her mother, brought us to the island to protect her.

"We warm up to [the sailors.] They show us their skills and we're impressed. We eventually become friends.

"It's really cool to play this character because we're strong, fierce women and it's a large tribe. I think it's fun for the audience to follow us throughout the show.

"There's a love story. You see the struggle. I think that people can relate to that. They are touched when they see what Romeo and Miranda are going through. The clowns have a little love story, too."

Croop has her own love story, too, off-stage.

She recently became engaged to fellow "Amaluna" cast member Evgeny Kurkin, who performs on the Chinese pole.

"Amaluna" has a cast of 48 artists representing 25 nationalities.

"We have a really unique show," says Croop. "It's a completely different storyline with different acts, something new and exciting to see."

Tickets: cirquedusoleil.com/amaluna https; Greater Philadelphia Expo Center at Oaks, 100 Station Avenue, Oaks; philly-expocenter.com; 484-754-EXPO

Allentown Band, soloists go Broadway in concert

BY PAUL WILLISTEIN
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The Allentown Band has increased its performance schedule from three to six concerts at Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown.

"We're getting to be the house band," quips Allentown Band Conductor Ron Demkee.

This includes "Broadway and Beyond," with tenor Eric Fennell and mezzo-soprano Lauren Curnow, 7:30 p.m. July 27, Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown.

"Last year, Symphony Hall initiated the summer series. One was a Broadway-themed concert by the band. The other was 'Phantom of the Opera,' with the band accompanying the silent film," says Demkee.

This year, in addition to the Broadway concert, there are two silent film screenings, "The General" (1926), starring Buster Keaton, Aug. 17, with a selection of Civil War era and classical pieces by the band, and "Nosferatu" (1922), by director F. W. Murnau, Oct. 26, with an original score composed by band clarinetist Steve Reisteter.

The band continues its annual holiday concert; its "Side-By-Side Concert," whereby 50 advanced high school musicians sit adjacent to a band musician playing their respective instruments, and the "Youth Concert" for elementary and middle school students.

"The band plays at Symphony Hall for its annual holiday concert.



Eric Fennell

It's evolved into 'Americans We Tribute To Veterans-Holiday Concert,'" says Demkee.

"It's a patriotic concert and holiday concert. Last year, we had 22 World War II vets there. We try to include all veterans. Veterans are admitted to the concert free. There's a special emphasis on World War II. We're losing those folks so fast. It's absolutely an honor to have them there to be recognized."

Returning in his fourth year for the 3 p.m. Dec. 15 concert is tenor Daniel Rodriguez, known as "The Singing Policeman" for his role in post-9-11 ceremonies. Also performing is Michael Mergen, a cornet soloist from the U.S. Marine Band. The band will perform the Lehigh Valley premiere of "Pershing," composed by Whitehall native Gregory Fritze.

July 27 concert soloists Curnow and Fennell sang together previously with the band at its annual Waldheim Park amphitheater concert. The

band performs "Concert in the Park," recreating a 19th century concert including works by Charles Ives, for its 104th year, 7 p.m. Aug. 13, Waldheim Park, Allentown.

The program for the July 27 concert includes works by Leonard Bernstein, a Barbra Streisand medley, selections from "Les Miserables" and "Carmen" and tributes to Gershwin, Jerome Kern and Cole Porter.

Says Demkee, "I think it's more interesting to give a sampling of several works by a single composer. It keeps the variety but it also has a theme to it."

The band rehearses weekly and performs 45-50 concerts annually. There are 65 band members.

"There's a lot of consistency in the band," says Demkee. Ezra Wenner, trombone, has been a member for 77 years since 1942.

"People have interest in the band and call and if we have an opening, I listen to them and they sit in on a rehearsal." After two years, the musician is nominated by the conductor to become a member. "They don't just walk in," says Demkee.

Of the July 27 concert, Demkee says, "I'm looking forward to it. These are really good singers and we have a nice program."

Tickets: Miller Symphony Hall box office, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown; miller-symphonyhall.org; 610-432-6715

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Visual arts, health-care

Lehigh Carbon Community College offers two new programs beginning in the fall 2019 semester: "Visual Arts A.A.S." and "Health Care Office Coordinator A.A.S."

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is designed to teach students the skills needed to create, design and produce digital media, and is intended for students seeking careers in digital content production, visual journalism or commercial photography.

"Health Care Office Coordinator A.A.S." provides the foundation for a health-care office

coordinator to organize and oversee medical office processes and workflow.

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Mindfulness class

Lehigh Carbon Community College offers a one-credit class, "Mindfulness for Academic Success," taught by Wendy Barron, professor of media communications and certified mindfulness instructor.

The class meets 2:20 - 3:41 p.m. Wednesdays, the first 10 weeks of the semester starting Aug. 28.

The course is designed to address stress that college students feel and will help them gain the tools to monitor their reactions to stressful situations, reduce worry about school, work and family, focus more effectively when

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LV house sales statistics show no increase in June

BY PAUL WILLISTEIN
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At the midway point in 2019, Lehigh Valley house sales were flat in June in the start of what is traditionally the peak residential real estate summer sales season.

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley showed no increase in June, 0.0 percent in June, with 901 houses sold, identical to 901 houses sold in June 2018, according to the Greater Lehigh Valley Realtors (GLVR) monthly report released July 15.

Closed sales for the first six months of 2019 are up slightly, 1.3 percent, to 3,955 from 3,903 for the first six months of 2018.

The number of houses sold has increased in each month of 2019, with the number of houses sold in June about double the number of houses sold in January.

Closed sales increased slightly in May, continuing a positive trend for two months in a row. Closed sales rebounded in April, reversing a three-month decline in the first quarter of 2019.

Pending sales were again on the increase, up 7.9 percent in June, to 906 houses, compared to 840 houses in June 2018.

New listings again decreased in June, this time by double digits, down 13.2 percent in June to 1,068 houses, compared to 1,230 houses in June 2018.

The average sales price again increased, 3.7 percent in June to \$246,249, compared to \$237,377 in June 2018.

The median sales price again increased, 5.6 percent in June to \$216,500, compared to \$205,000 in June 2018.

Inventory again decreased by double digits, down 16.4 percent in June to 1,718 units, compared to 2,055 units in June 2018.

Days on the market again decreased, down 5.9 percent in June, or 32 days, compared to 34 days in June 2018.

The months' supply of inventory again decreased by double digits, down 17.2 percent in June, or 2.4 months, compared to 2.9 months in June 2018.

The percentage of list price stayed flat, 0.0 percent in June to 98.6 percent, compared to 98.6 percent in June 2018.

The housing affordability index decreased slightly, by 2 percent in

June.

Market analysis

Low inventory again brought higher prices and houses on average, were selling in about one month in the Lehigh Valley.

"Home prices increasing only moderately is a contributing factor as to why the overwhelming majority feel that now is a good time to sell," said GLVR CEO Justin Poremba.

However, Poremba added, "With home price appreciation slowing, home-sellers understand that the days of large price gains from holding an extra year are over."

"An extended trend of low unemployment, higher wages and favorable mortgage rates has been a terrific driver of housing stability in recent years," said GLVR President Carl Billera.

"In addition," Billera said, "with the Federal Reserve indicating it will not raise the federal funds rate in 2019, we are hopeful for an increase in housing sales in the second half of the year."

Nationally, the second quarter of 2019 saw a jump in optimism in selling, according to the National Association of Realtors Housing Opportunities and Market Experience survey, with 46 percent of consumers responding that now is a good time to sell a home, up from 37 percent in the first quarter.

The Lehigh Valley, though, is still on the hunt for those sellers, according to the GLVR. Inventory levels shrank in June, leading to a Months' Supply of Inventory that also dropped.

The GLVR concluded that its June data showed that the Lehigh Valley's residential real estate market continues its stable pace, partially because the economy is performing well and unemployment is low.

As expected, the Federal Reserve did not change the target range for the federal funds rate, set at 2.25 to 2.5 percent, during its June meeting.

The Fed has received pressure from the White House to cut rates in order to spur further economic activity. The possibility of a rate reduction in 2019 is definitely in play following

a string of increases in the last several years.

The Federal Reserve considers 2.0 percent a healthy inflation rate, but the U.S. is expected to remain below that this year.

In terms of relative balance between buyer and seller interests, residential real estate markets across the country are performing well within an economic expansion that will become the longest in U.S. history in July. However, there are signs of a slowing economy.

Although the economy is still performing well, uncertainty remains regarding trade tensions, slowed manufacturing and meek business investments.

Carbon County

In Carbon County, the Median Sales Price increased 3.1 percent to \$132,000.

Closed Sales and Pending Sales climbed to 74 and 81, respectively.

There was a decrease in Inventory, which came in at 336 units.

Closed sales

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley increased 0.4 percent in May, with 815 houses sold, up from 812 houses sold in May 2018.

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley increased 3.8 percent in April, with 651 houses sold, up from 627 houses sold in April 2018.

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley decreased 7.2 percent in March, with 589 houses sold, down from 635 houses sold in March 2018.

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley decreased 7.7 percent in February, with 418 houses sold, down from 453 houses sold in February 2018.

Closed sales for houses in the Lehigh Valley decreased 5.7 percent in January, with 448 houses sold, down from 475 houses sold in January 2018.

GLVR information

The Greater Lehigh Valley Realtors is a not-for-profit trade association representing more than 2,000 Realtors in Carbon, Lehigh and Northampton counties.

GLVR provides professional development and training resources, competitive market information, legislative advocacy, peer review and mediation processes for members, and a dispute resolution service for consumers.

GLVR owns and operates the Greater Lehigh Valley Multiple Listing Service and the Greater Lehigh Valley Real Estate Academy.

Information: GreaterLehighValleyRealtors.com



Art Garfunkel, 8 p.m. July 24, State Theatre Center for the Arts, Easton.

GARFUNKEL

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tion of poetry, "Still Water," was published in 1989.

His autobiography, "What Is It All But Luminous: Notes From An Underground Man," was published in 2017.

For his 2019 concert tour, which began in January in Knoxville, Tenn., concludes in September in Nashville, Tenn., before heading to Germany in October and November, Garfunkel, accompanied by a guitarist and keyboardist, performs Simon & Garfunkel songs, solo hits, covers, and reads from "Luminous."

His most recent album is "Some Enchanted Evening" (2017), a collection of standards from the Great American Songbook by the likes of Rodgers & Hammerstein, Irving Berlin and George Gershwin.

Garfunkel's albums include "Angel Claire" (1973), his first solo album, which included his hit version of the Jimmy Webb song, "All I Know"; "Breakaway" (1975); "Watermark" (1977); "Fate For Breakfast" (1979); "Scissors Cut" (1981); "The Animals' Christmas" (1985), with Amy Grant; "Lefty" (1988); "Songs from a Parent to a Child" (1997), and "Everything Waits to Be Noticed" (2002), with Maia Sharp and Buddy Mondlock.

"I played for a bunch of years with a four-piece band and by the 1980s a tragedy had struck. My girl passed away, and I got very quiet in life. I read and listened to music, followed great artists and got very artsy."

Garfunkel's girlfriend, actress and photographer Laurie Bird, committed suicide in 1979.

Soon, his long walks began. From 1983 to 1997, Garfunkel walked across the United States.

"I had the right sneakers, a book, a hat so I wouldn't get cancer on my nose and in eight days I crossed through New Jersey and hit Easton, Pennsylvania. A year later, I did 40 of those installations over a decade and crossed America.

"The northern part of Missouri was my favorite. It was very freeing and lovely. The real world at last.

"There is too much technological nonsense. I was distracted and finally it was all unplugged and I got to be, really be, and once it was me, I was full. I found appreciation. There were a lot of tears, I found lots of love, and it was all me, all mine. I found my authentic self.

"I would walk around and just take things in. I didn't really want to make music. I began to write and then I met Kim Cermak in the late 1980s and she was a great comfort to me."

Garfunkel met former model Kathryn "Kim" Cermak while filming the movie, "Good to Go" (1986). They married in 1988, and have two children, James and Beau Daniel.

"The door of delight and psychological cleverness opened, a woman stronger than me, smarter than me. And that's when I got started up again in music, no doubt very nervously," says Garfunkel.

Garfunkel got into music at age four after his father brought home one of the first wire recorders. He would walk down alleyways singing, looking for echoes and different sounds.

Seven years later, he began singing at talent shows with his friend, Paul Simon, from their Forest Hills neighborhood in Queens, N.Y. They practiced, made demos and knocked on the doors of record companies. In 1957, they landed a record contract.

Their first 45 rpm single, "Hey, Schoolgirl," which they wrote, made the record charts and they appeared on Dick Clark's "American Bandstand" on TV when they were high school seniors.

Garfunkel decided he wanted to go to school to earn "an honest living" and received a BA in Art History from Columbia College and an MA in Mathematics from Columbia University.

He continued singing and recorded several sim-

gles as Artie Garr. He met up with Simon again in 1962 and the rest is music history.

"I'm a singer first and foremost. I was singing in the alleyways in Queens at age five, singing Nat King Cole to myself and was thinking, 'This is a nice voice you have, Arthur.' I was always practicing," says Garfunkel, 77.

"I wrote an autobiography, which is coming out this fall in paperback, and it taps the truth in me. Throughout this book, I write about my time with Simon and Garfunkel and my ex-partner, where I blossomed and the glories of my family, my walk across America and Europe. It's very interesting."

When asked about the State Theatre concert what fans can expect, Garfunkel says:

"I lost the voice and wasn't really able to sing and started working up a new show around 2010, 2012. I began singing with one guitar and performing and now I also have my books, poems, and my life with my family. My show became the center of my life, along with my wife and kids, and this show brings that all to the stage.

"I am a very weird, creative guy, just trying to keep my life interesting. The survival of the fittest is not just words, it's an interesting concept.

"I love my show and am excited by what's going on right now. In spite of the era we live in, in spite of all the noise, I am making value in my life, in spite of it all. All I know is that life is a fabulous mystery and life is a beautiful thing. Be kind and watch out for messengers and teachers. None of us know that much."

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'Yesterday' never knows

The film title, "Yesterday," is ironic.

The film is about a today when the only person who seems to remember The Beatles and knows the Fab Four's songs is down-on-his-luck folksinger Jack Malik (Himesh Patel). When Jack plays his own original songs, he's used to performing for one person at a beach-side gig, a few friends at a pub and gets by with a little help from his daytime job at a retail discount warehouse store. Jack begins playing Beatles' songs. He becomes a one-man Beatles' cover band and worldwide web sensation. He's the Fab One.

The film is about a tomorrow when the pop-rock band, The Beatles, never existed.

The film's premise is as preposterous as conspiracy theorists who believe that 12 United States astronauts never walked on the Moon in the nine Apollo missions (December 1968 - December 1972).

The film's premise is as preposterous as the theory that William Shakespeare didn't write his own plays, but any of some 80 authorship candidates could have, including William Stanley, Sixth Earl of Derby.

Of course, The Beatles (1960-1960), said to be the world's greatest pop band, existed and wrote, recorded and played their own songs.

However, across the universe in "Yesterday," when the lights go out for some 13 seconds worldwide and Jack is hit by a minibus while riding his bicycle, he awakens in the hospital, sans two front teeth and recuperating from other injuries. Jack's offhand Beatles' references go "whoosh" over the head of his female friend, the appropriately and punily named Ellie Appleton (Lily James).

It isn't only Ellie and Jack's friends who never heard of The Beatles. When Jack Googles The Beatles, images and text about beetles appear in his search. There are

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other humorous "mis-happenstances." For instance, Coca-Cola doesn't exist. Pepsi, yes. But no Coke.

Other funny references to "a world without ... are sprinkled throughout the film. To reveal them would spoil your enjoyment of the film as would a disclosure about a big reveal toward the end of the film.

The screenplay by Richard Curtis ("About Time," 2012; "Love Actually," 2003; "Four Weddings and a Funeral," 1994) based on a story by Curtis and Jack Barth (British TV's "The Fabulous Picture Show," 2011) is smart, funny and captivating.

Here's an example: "Miracles happen all the time," says Ellie. "Like what?" asks Jack. "Benedict Cumberbatch becoming a sex symbol," answers Ellie.

Director Danny Boyle (Oscar recipient, director, "Slumdog Millionaire," 2009; director, "127 Hours," 2010; "Millions," 2004; "The Beach," 2000; "A Life Less Ordinary," 1997; "Trainspotting," 1996) gets terrific performances from Patel (British TV's "Eastenders," 2007-2016), who evokes deer-in-headlights surprise and vulnerability; James (British TV's "Downton Abbey," 2012-2015), beguiling and steadfast; Kate McKinnon (Emmy, supporting actress, "Saturday Night Live," 2017, 2016), as a music business executive in an Oscar supporting actress nominee-worthy performance; Meera Syal and Sanjeev Bhaskar, hilarious as Jack's parents; Joel Fry, over-the-top great as Jack's aide de camp, and pop singer-songwriter Ed Sheeran as himself, unassumingly delightful.

Boyle's film themes are often about the miracle of luck, or the luck of miracles, on an individual. "Yesterday" contin-

ues his exploration.

Boyle, working with Director of Photography Christopher Ross ("Room," 2015), Editor Jon Harris (Oscar nominee, editing, "127 Hours") and Production Designer Patrick Rolfe ("127 Days"), creates a visually-stunning and graphically-rich world with psychedelic poster, cell-phone emojis and pop-culture influences.

Boyle's knack for creating the mise-en-scène is much in evidence in "Yesterday" with wonderful and fascinating depictions of England, Moscow and Los Angeles. Boyle always puts his own spin on his surroundings and "Yesterday" is no exception.

And then there's the treasure trove of Beatles' songs, sung quite well by Patel in new arrangements and presented in situations that breathe new life into, and give new interpretations of, the lyrics. Composer Daniel Pemberton ("Steve Jobs," 2015) successfully echoes The Beatles' sound.

Along with 2019's "Bohemian Rhapsody," which was about Freddy Mercury and Queen and their lives, songs and impact, and "Rocketman," which was about Elton John and his life, music and impact, "Yesterday," though not about the lives of The Beatles (perhaps with one fictionalized exception), is certainly about the Lads from Liverpool songs and cultural impact.

As it's stated in "Yesterday," to "power-phrase": "A world without The Beatles? Unimaginable."

And, in the end, "Yesterday" gets to the heart of what songwriting, fame, true love and a life well-loved and well-lived is all about. "Yesterday" is not only fun. It may give you pause to re-evaluate your life, goals and ambitions.

As Jack sings "Help!" as a desperate cry, we see the audience cheering, essentially being entertained by someone else's pain. There's a lesson in that.

Ultimately, "Yester-



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Himesh Patel (Jack), Lily James (Ellie), "Yesterday."

day" will put a smile on your face and a bounce in your step. See "Yesterday" today. Don't wait until tomorrow. "Yesterday" never knows. And that's OK, my friend.

"Yesterday" is the sleeper hit of summer 2019. It's a must-see for Beatles' buffs and those who think Paul McCartney's most famous band was Wings.

"Yesterday," MPA Rated PG-13 (Parents Strongly Cautioned) Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13. Parents are urged to be cautious. Some material may be inappropriate for pre-teenagers. Some material may be inappropriate for pre-teenagers.) for suggestive content and language; Genre: Fantasy, Comedy, Musical; Run Time: 1 hr., 56 mins. Distributed by Universal Pictures.

Credit Readers Anonymous: The "Yesterday" soundtrack has 17 Beatles songs. Himesh Patel (Jack) sings and plays guitar and piano in the film.

Box Office, July 19-21: "The Lion King" roared to a record No. 1 opening, with \$185 million, dethroning "Spider-Man: Far From Home" from its two-week perch at No. 1, dropping one place No. 2, \$21 million, \$319.6 million, three weeks.

"The Lion King" opening was the biggest-ever for July, surpassing the previous record of \$169.1 million by "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows - Part 2" (2011).

3. "Toy Story 4" dropped one place, \$14.6 million, \$375.5 million, five weeks. 4. "Crawl" dropped one place, \$6 million, \$23.8 million, two weeks. 5. "Yesterday" continued in place, \$5.1 million, \$57.5 million, four weeks. 6. "Stuber" dropped two places, \$4 million, \$16 million, two weeks. 7. "Aladdin" dropped one place, \$3.8 million, \$340 million, nine weeks. 8. "Annabelle Comes Home" dropped one place, \$2.7 million, \$66.5 million, four weeks. 9. "Midsummer" dropped one

place, \$1.5 million, \$22.4 million, three weeks. 10. "The Secret Life Of Pets 2" dropped one place, \$1.5 million, \$151.5 million, seven weeks.

It was a weekend not only of the 50th anniversary of the first man on the moon, but the weekend when "Avengers: Endgame" replaced "Avatar" as the biggest-grossing film worldwide with a tally, and still counting, of \$2.79 billion.

Unreel, July 26:

"Once Upon a Time ... in Hollywood," R: Quentin Tarantino directs an ensemble cast, including Leonardo DiCaprio, Brad Pitt, Margot Robbie, Dakota Fanning, Al Pacino, Kurt Russell, Luke Perry, Emile Hirsch, Bruce Dern, Michael Madsen, Rumer Willis, Zoe Bell, Lena Dunham, Brenda Vaccaro and Maya Hawke in the Comedy Drama. A television actor and his stunt double seek fame and fortune in 1969 during the last days of the movie studio system in Hollywood's Golden Age.

Fair contest books available

The Great Allentown Fair's Premium List booklets detailing procedures and categories for entering the Fair's blue-ribbon competitions are available at the Allentown Fair Office. PDF versions are available for downloading at: allentownfairpa.org.

Placement ribbons and cash prizes are awarded in each exhibitor category judged just prior and throughout fair week, Aug. 27 - Sept. 2. There are contests for youths in addition to the all-age categories.

Two guideline booklets are available: for Agri-Plex entries and livestock entries. The deadline for Agri-Plex entries is 6 p.m. Aug. 3.

In addition to area farmers and gardeners, amateur crafters, collectors, cooks, photographers and others with creative talents have the opportunity to enter items for judging and display inside Agri-Plex, the Fair's main exhibit hall.

There are 175 types of fruits and vegetables judged, plus 14 varieties of organic vegetables.

The Fair typically exhibits more than 1,200 farm animals and more than 9,000 products from farms, gardens and homes, including arts and crafts.

There are 13 culinary contests to offer cooks and bakers incentives for using favorite rec-

ipes or creating new dishes that are judged during the Fair with an audience watching. These sponsored contests are included in the Agri-Plex Premium List but require the completion of separate applications.

The Premium Lists and applications for the special contests may be

picked up at the Fair office north of the Ritz Barbecue on the Allentown Fairgrounds, 17th and Chew streets, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Mondays - Fridays or at allentownfairpa.org and clicking on "Contests" to download the list and applications.

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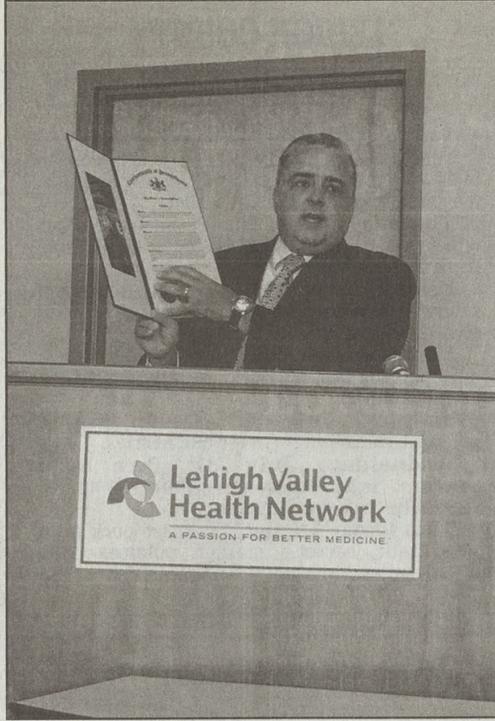
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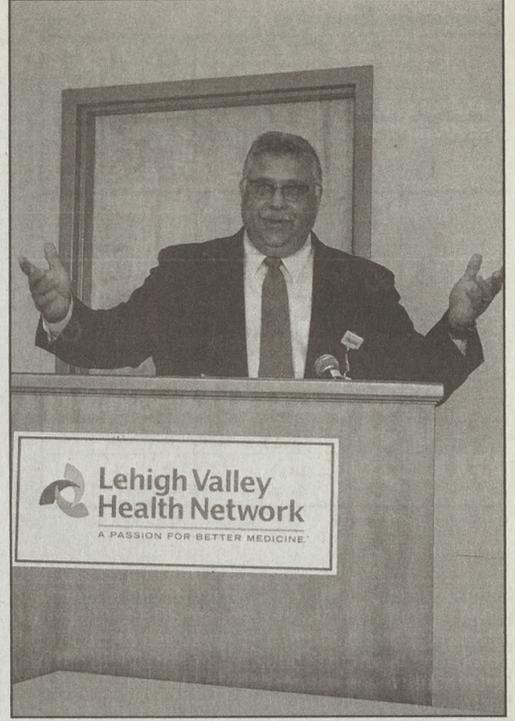
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Michael M. Badellino, M.D. begins the citation presentation by praising Bill McQuilken's character.



State Rep. Gary Day, R-187th, discusses the citation given to Bill McQuilken.



Bill McQuilken happily accepts his award and speaks about his love for helping kids.

Bill McQuilken honored by trauma society, LVHN

BY FABRYCE JOSEPH
fjoseph@tnonline.com

William "Bill" McQuilken, selected to receive the Trauma Prevention Recognition Award from the American Trauma Society, was recently honored for his work during a presentation at Lehigh Valley Hospital, Salisbury Township.

Michael M. Badellino, M.D. a specialist in general and traumatic surgery, thanked McQuilken, trauma prevention coordinator for Lehigh Valley Health Network, for going above and beyond the call of duty in trauma prevention.

Badellino provided statistical evidence to support the impact McQuilken has made on patients.

Most notably, Badellino talked about his involvement with a driving simulator to demonstrate the real-life consequences of texting while driving.

McQuilken has taken the simulator to schools in the Lehigh, Monroe, Northampton, Schuylkill and Carbon counties.

Badellino was astounded with the work Bill has done.

"Bill is one of the hardest working individuals whom I have ever met," Badellino.

Director of the trauma program, Carol Fox, expressed her joy of



Director of the trauma program at Lehigh Valley Health Network, Carol Fox, discusses working with Bill McQuilken.

working with McQuilken.

State Rep. Gary Day, R-187th, commended McQuilken for his work and presented him with an award.

"Bill's a leader who brings passion to everything he does," Day said. "It is a sincere honor to recognize him."

Ellen Kern, chief of

Staff for state Sen. Pat Browne, R-16th, congratulated McQuilken for his achievement.

"Bill is a calm, steady presence in the community and never loses sight on fundamental goals," Kern said.

"Thanks to Bill countless lives have been saved."



State Rep. Gary Day, R-187th, congratulates Bill McQuilken on his award.



Ellen Kern, chief of staff for state Sen. Pat Browne, R-16th, closes the citation presentation by thanking Bill McQuilken for his dedication to trauma prevention.

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FABRYCE JOSEPH



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Lou LeMaster, George Eshak, charity of choice winner, and Sherry Sohaney hold a copy of the \$1,000 check donated to The Chris Attieh Foundation.

Local business donates to Chris Attieh Foundation

The employees of Buckno Lisicky and Company recently donated \$1,000 to The Chris Attieh Foundation.

Buckno Lisicky and Company holds a dress down day for charity every Friday, where employees can donate \$5 to dress down.

With participation in the Charity Dress Down Day, each employee can submit the name of their charity of choice.

At the end of several months, a charity is picked to receive the proceeds from the dress down day.

George Eshak of the Allentown office of Buckno Lisicky and Company was the winner and his charity was The Chris Attieh Foundation.

According to The Chris Attieh Foundation website, "Chris Attieh, 28, passed way

from complications from Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome and pneumonia in November of 2010. ARDS makes it difficult to get oxygen into the bloodstream.

"Chris left behind a legacy of generosity, kindness and genuine love to the people around him. The mission of The Chris Attieh Foundation is to continue his spirit of humanity and goodwill," the website states.

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With a very diverse clientele ranging from commercial, industrial and financial corporations to government and health care organizations, the Shareholders of Buckno Lisicky and Company specialize in accounting and auditing, business financing, computerizing systems and operations, litigation support, management consulting, mergers and acquisitions, personal financial planning, retirement and estate planning, and tax planning and preparation.

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Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★

7/24

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once.

Answer to previous puzzle

3	5	8	4	1	2	7	9	6
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8	9	3	1	5	6	4	7	2
2	7	5	8	9	4	1	6	3
6	1	4	2	7	3	9	8	5

Difficulty Level ★★★

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LEHIGH COUNTY SENIOR MENUS

For locations, call 610-782-3254

Wednesday, July 24: Chicken cordon bleu, roasted zucchini and yellow squash, mashed potatoes, roll, fruit sorbet.

Thursday, July 25: Fiesta pork chop, chuck wagon corn, oven roasted potatoes, roll, fresh fruit salad.

Friday, July 26: Open face roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes, cream of broccoli soup, potato salad, rice pudding.

Monday, July 29: Herb roasted turkey, mashed potatoes, Brussels sprouts, roll, fruit bread pudding.

Tuesday, July 30: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, roll, cottage cheese and berries.

Wednesday, July 31: Oven baked chicken legs, roasted potatoes, mixed vegetables, roll, fresh melon.

Thursday, August 1: Roast pork with sauerkraut, carrots, mashed potatoes, roll, baked apples.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY SENIOR MENUS

Call 610-829-4540 (ask operator for Area Agency on Aging) for locations or visit <https://www.northampton-county.org/HS/AGING/Pages/default.aspx>.

Wednesday, July 24: Pork Rib-B-Q, cabbage and bow ties, pickled beets, wheat bread with margarine, fruit cocktail.

Thursday, July 25: Coconut-crust chicken, scalloped potatoes, California vegetable blend, wheat bread with margarine, raspberry-filled cookie.

Friday, July 26: Baked meatloaf with gravy, mashed potatoes, zucchini and tomatoes with shallots, wheat bread with margarine, fresh cantelope.

Monday, July 29: Beef stew, green peas, tossed salad w/ Italian dressing, fresh biscuit with margarine, chilled apricots.

Tuesday, July 30: Apple juice, cheese steak sandwich with onions and sauce, Italian marinated vegetables, salad, fresh nectarine.

Wednesday, July 31: Chicken paprikash, wide noodles, succotash, wheat bread with margarine, ambrosia.

Thursday, August 1: Roast pork with gravy, mashed sweet potatoes, cauliflower au gratin, wheat bread with margarine, fresh fruit cup.

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CXHZBHQM QB EHDQHC.

See solution on page B11

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: K equals F

PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

BACKWARD WORD-BUILDING

ACROSS

- 1 Really ruffle
- 6 Bozo
- 9 They may fly at half-mast
- 14 "— Mia" (Abba hit)
- 19 São —
- 20 Sway to and —
- 21 TV's Greene or Michaels
- 22 Ovine sign
- 23 S
- 26 Asinine
- 27 "— -Dick"
- 28 — -Ball
- 29 2007 Disney princess
- 31 Add a letter before that to spell ...
- 37 Above, to bards
- 38 "How dumb of me!"
- 39 Fearless
- 40 Orbit, e.g.
- 42 Foliage unit
- 44 In the manner of
- 45 "The Zoo Story" playwright Edward
- 50 Bozo
- 52 Add a letter before that to spell ...
- 57 Close amigo
- 59 Really ruffle
- 60 Wet-weather headgear
- 61 Hay fever explosion
- 62 Former Israeli PM Golda
- 64 Big fusses
- 66 Capitol's top
- 67 Add a letter before that to spell ...
- 71 "I know! Pick me!"
- 74 Novelist Jaffe
- 75 Two before X
- 76 Deadly
- 80 Fruity, sourish dessert
- 82 The Cowboys, on a sports ticker
- 83 Falsify
- 85 Add a letter before that to spell ...
- 89 Pear, apple and quince
- 90 Main artery
- 91 Essen "a"
- 92 He married Lucy
- 94 Moor growth
- 95 Tennis great Jennifer
- 99 Young — (toddlers)
- 101 '60s Pontiac muscle car
- 102 Add a letter before that to spell ...
- 109 Alveolar trill, as in Spanish speech
- 110 Tofu source, to Brits
- 111 Long stretch
- 112 Perfect little kid
- 113 Add a letter before that to spell ...

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- 120 Gettysburg victor George
- 121 C-3PO, e.g.
- 122 Stanley Cup gp.
- 123 In snazzy clothes
- 124 Media biggie
- 125 Tabby cries
- 126 Dems' rival
- 127 Bergen dummy Mortimer
- DOWN**
- 1 Rival of FedEx
- 2 With 6-Down, yield a profit
- 3 Hot stretch
- 4 Macaroni shape
- 5 "Such a pity"
- 6 See 2-Down
- 7 Popped up
- 8 Two-pronged vehicle
- 9 Well-spoken
- 10 E-giggle
- 11 Dog's yap
- 12 Wildebeest
- 13 Composer Prokofiev
- 14 En — (as one)
- 15 1989 Disney princess
- 16 Metric "thousandth"
- 17 — Yello (soft drink)
- 18 Thus far
- 24 Germ killer in a can
- 25 Connery of film
- 30 "— be an honor"
- 31 Subjects
- 32 In direct confrontation
- 33 "Trauma: Life in —" (old TLC series)
- 34 Guzzled, e.g.
- 35 Ill-gotten gains
- 36 Shimmery gem
- 41 Bride-to-be's clothing drawer
- 43 Lumberjack, at times
- 45 Nickname of Onassis
- 46 Phyllis' last name on the old sitcom "Phyllis"
- 47 — -chic (hippie-inspired fashion)
- 48 Mild cheese
- 49 Italy's Villa d'—
- 51 Brand of tea
- 53 Jacob of social reform
- 54 Part of ETA
- 55 "No —!" ("Sure thing!")
- 56 Studio tripods
- 58 Old-time actress Dolores
- 63 Water quality org.
- 64 Onetime ring king
- 65 Longtime soap actress Hall
- 68 Movie mogul Marcus
- 69 Bird beak
- 70 Tonto player Johnny
- 71 Gymnast Korbut
- 72 Seat of Hawaii County
- 73 Sharif of "Che!"
- 77 Uniform liquid suspension
- 78 Zend — (Zoroastrian scripture)
- 79 Rent check collector
- 81 Org. with putters
- 82 Levi's fabric
- 84 Subject
- 86 Univ. division
- 87 Hidden mike
- 88 Uplifting spiritually
- 93 Like King Atahualpa
- 95 Movie dancer Charisse
- 96 Aviation branch of the military
- 97 Great traits
- 98 Traffic noise
- 100 Yarn units
- 102 Intense ache
- 103 Real introvert
- 104 Tank slime
- 105 Vehicles near igloos
- 106 Tennis great Monica
- 107 Cantina chip
- 108 Grown gal
- 114 Boot part
- 115 "Vice" ailer
- 116 Dejected
- 117 Swiss peak
- 118 Env. insert
- 119 Guitarist Barret

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See solution on page B11

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE
Estate of LARRY JOSEPH EDWARD LINDE, a/k/a LARRY LINDE, a/k/a LARRY J. LINDE, a/k/a LARRY J.E. LINDE, Deceased, late of the Township of Salisbury, 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:
Kip Panko, Executor
c/o his attorney:
JOHN M. ASHCRAFT, III, ESQUIRE
Address: 20 North 5th Street, Suite #1
Emmaus, PA 18049
July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE FICTITIOUS NAME REGISTRATION
An application for registration of the fictitious name High-ENZ Salon, 135 Northampton St., Easton, PA 18042 has been filed in the Department of State at Harrisburg, PA, File Date 05/13/2019 pursuant to the Fictitious Names Act, Act 1982-295. The name and address of the person who is a party to the registration is Hyacinth Baker Tennant, 2055 Berry St., Easton, PA 18042.
July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE
ESTATE OF BARBARA LILIAN TARANTO, late of the City of Easton, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
NOTICE IS hereby given that Letters Testamentary in the above named Estate have been granted to Russell D. Taranto. All persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having demands or claims to present the same without delay to: April L. Cordts, Esquire, 391 Nazareth Pike, Bethlehem, PA 18020.
July 24, 31, Aug. 7

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of Paul Davrados, late of Macungie, Lehigh County, PA. 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 the EXECUTOR: Nick Davrados, c/o Wandering247@gmail.com or 535 Alpine Dr. Sumter, SC 29154.
July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF LUCILLE L. SCHANTZ, Deceased, late of Allentown, 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:
Donna K. Kressin and Sharon J. Schantz, Executors
Estate of Lucille L. Schantz
c/o Andrew V. Schantz, Esquire
Davison & McCarthy, P.C.
Two City Center
645 Hamilton Street, Suite 510
Allentown, PA 18101
or to their attorneys at the above address.
July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF LOUIS M. SCHANTZ, Deceased, late of Allentown, 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:
Donna K. Kressin and Sharon J. Schantz, Executors
Estate of Louis M. Schantz
c/o Andrew V. Schantz, Esquire
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Two City Center
645 Hamilton Street, Suite 510
Allentown, PA 18101
or to their attorneys at the above address.
July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF ARDETH W. SCHLAUCH, late of Upper Macungie Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.
Letters Testamentary have been granted to the person(s) named below, who request(s) 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: Richard W. Schlauch aka Richard Weston Schlauch
c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD
2310 Walbert Avenue, Suite 103
Allentown, PA 18104-1360
or to his Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD
2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103
Allentown, PA 18104-1360
July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE HAZARDOUS SITES CLEAN-UP UNDER THE ACT OF OCTOBER 18, 1988

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSENT ORDER AND AGREEMENT PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION HIGH QUALITY PLATING SITE UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY

Pursuant to Section 1113 of the Pennsylvania Hazardous Sites Cleanup Act, Act of October 18, 1988, P.L. 756, No. 108, 35 P.S. §§6020.101-6020.1305 (HSCA), notice is hereby provided that the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has entered into a Prospective Purchaser Agreement (PPA) in the form of a Consent Order and Agreement (CO&A) with Kim R. Properties (Purchaser). The CO&A addresses the land-use restrictions on a portion of the property that is part of the High Quality Plating Site (Site). The Purchaser will record an Environmental Covenant for the 6464 Chestnut Street Property (Property), which is a portion of the Site.

The Site consists of commercial properties that formerly included an electroplating operation that operated between the late 1960s and the 1980s. A prior environmental investigation, conducted on behalf of the DEP, identified environmental impacts from prior plating operations at the Site. Specifically, contaminated groundwater migration from High Quality Plating to the Property was identified. A portion of the Property has been impacted by volatile organic compounds (VOCs), primarily chlorinated solvents including trichloroethylene (TCE) as well as heavy metal chromium. The results of the investigation performed for the DEP were summarized in a report for the DEP entitled "Revised Summary of October 2017 and April 2018 Groundwater Monitoring Results," dated June 5, 2018. The Purchaser has plans to use the Property for commercial purposes. For the purpose of resolving any potential environmental liability to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relating to Existing Contamination, the Purchaser has agreed to the recordation of an Environmental Covenant (EC) that will limit the use of that portion of the Property described in the EC.

The settlement proposed in the CO&A referenced above would resolve certain potential claims of the DEP solely against the Purchaser, for future enforcement and reimbursement of response costs incurred by the DEP in addressing the release or threat of release of hazardous substances at the Site. The claims originated under the authority of the Hazardous Sites Cleanup Act (35 P.S. §§6020.101-6020.1305). The proposed settlement would require the Purchaser to record the EC noted above at such time the Purchaser purchases the Property. The Purchaser specifically agrees to comply with the limitations set forth in Paragraph 5 of the EC.

The specific terms of this settlement are set forth in the CO&A between the DEP and the Purchaser, which is available for public review and comment. The DEP will receive and consider comments relating to the CO&A from July 27, 2019 to September 25, 2019. The DEP has the right to withdraw its consent to the CO&A if the comments concerning the CO&A disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the CO&A is inappropriate, improper, or not in the public interest. After the public comment period, the DEP's settlement with the Purchaser shall be effective upon the date that the DEP notifies the Purchaser, in writing, that this CO&A is final and effective in its present form, and that the DEP has filed a response to significant written comments to the CO&A, or that no such comments were received.

Copies of the CO&A are available for inspection at the DEP's Northeast Regional Office. Comments may be submitted, in writing, to Scott J. Bene, Department of Environmental Protection, Hazardous Sites Cleanup Program, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711. Further information may be obtained by contacting Scott J. Bene, at 570-826-2511. TDD users may contact the DEP through the Pennsylvania Relay Services at 800-645-5984. July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE Swimming Pool Feasibility Study

The Borough of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania is currently accepting proposals for a Swimming Pool Feasibility Study of the Emmaus Community Park Swimming Pool. Interested qualified consultants shall pick up a bid package at Emmaus Town Hall, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049. The bid package cost shall be \$10.00. The completed study shall be in compliance with all requirements of PA DCNR to be eligible for construction grant funds. All proposals shall be labeled "Emmaus Swimming Pool Study" and shall be sent to the attention of the Borough Manager at the address above no later than 11:00 AM on Tuesday, September 3, 2019. July 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

Emmaus Borough Council will be voting on the following Ordinance at its August 19, 2019 Council Meeting:

ORDINANCE NO. 1192 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15 §404(a) OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES, ELIMINATING PARKING ON PORTIONS OF THE WEST SIDE OF SOUTH SEVENTH STREET

The Meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall, Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA. The proposed Ordinance is available for inspection at Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is given that articles of incorporation which will incorporate Two Cats Investments, Inc. have been delivered to the Secretary of State for filing in accordance with the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Code. The initial registered office of the corporation is located at 1729 W. Tighman Street Rear, Allentown, PA 18104 and its initial registered agent at such address is ANDERSON REGISTERED AGENTS, INC. July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF PAUL V.J. KOZERO, late of Whitehall, 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 payment without delay to:

AGNES E. KOZERO (Administrator of the Estate of Paul V.J. Kozero) 3751 Wentz Court Whitehall, PA 18052 July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lehigh County Authority, 1053 Spruce Road, Allentown, PA intends to file Articles of Amendment pursuant to §5605 of the Municipality Authorities Act, to increase its terms of existence, to be filed with the Department of State for approval on or after August 5, 2019. July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE Charter Arts 2019-2020 School Board Meetings

321 E. Third St Bethlehem, PA 18015 Executive Session begins at 6pm Open Session begins at 6:30pm Second Floor Conference Room Thursday, August 29, 2019 Thursday, October 17, 2019 Thursday, December 12, 2019 Thursday, February 13, 2020 Thursday, April 16, 2020 Thursday, May 14, 2020 Thursday, June 11, 2020 July 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of Emma E. Gish, Deceased. Late of Allentown City, Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 10/3/17. 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 Rosemary Gish Ebersole, Executrix, c/o Joseph N. Frabizzio, Esq., 2200 Renaissance Blvd., Ste. 270, King of Prussia, PA 19406. Or to her Atty.: Joseph N. Frabizzio, Robson & Robson, P.C., 2200 Renaissance Blvd., Ste. 270, King of Prussia, PA 19406. July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE REGISTRATION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in the Estate of the Decedent set forth below, the Register of Wills has granted Letters Testamentary to the person named. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are requested to make known the same, make payment, without delay, to the executor or to his attorney named below: Decedent: ROBERT E. DAVIS, a/k/a ROBERT EARL DAVIS Date of Death: June 10, 2019 Late of: Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania Executor: Donna Diane Kresge c/o William W. Matz, Jr., Esquire 211 W. Broad Street Bethlehem, PA 18018-5517 Attorney: William W. Matz, Jr., Esquire 211 W. Broad Street Bethlehem, PA 18018-5517 July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ANTHONY A. HANNER a/k/a Anthony Hanner, Deceased, late of Easton, Northampton 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 payment without delay to Peter Raskovic, Executor C/O Alicia E. Emili, Esquire, Attorney for the Estate, 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE OF STEPHEN J. HANNER, Deceased

late of Nazareth Borough, County of Northampton, Commonwealth of 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 Cynthia Hanner Olenwine, Sylvia A. Harrington and Lori Ann Bennett, Executors, c/o 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404, Bethlehem, PA 18017; or Timothy J. Duckworth, Esquire, Mosebach, Funt, Dayton & Duckworth, P.C., 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404, Bethlehem, PA 18017. July 24, 31, Aug. 7

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Charles Samuel Fleischmann, Late of Washington Township, County of Lehigh, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the Executrix named below, who request 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:

Maureen P. Fleischmann, Executrix c/o Norris McLaughlin, P.A. 515 West Hamilton Street, Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 or to their attorney: Milan D. Slak, Esquire Norris McLaughlin, P.A. 515 West Hamilton Street, Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of John Stephen McGeary, III, Late of Lower Macungie Township, County of Lehigh, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the Administratrix named below, who request 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:

Ann K. McGeary, Administratrix c/o Norris McLaughlin, P.A. 515 West Hamilton Street, Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 or to their attorney: Judith A. Harris, Esquire Norris McLaughlin, P.A. 515 West Hamilton Street, Suite 502 Allentown, PA 18101 July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE BIDS WANTED

Leasing of Agricultural Land The Township of North Whitehall is soliciting bids for the leasing of tillable acreage located within the Township.

Bids will be received until 8:00 AM prevailing time, Monday, August 12, 2019 at the Township Municipal Building, (Ironton) Coplay, PA, and will be publicly opened at approximately 8:15 AM that same day. Any proposals received later than the specified time will not be considered.

Necessary bid forms and instructions may be obtained at the Township Office, 3256 Levans Road, Coplay, PA weekdays 8 AM till 3 PM. The lease of this land shall be made to the best responsible bidder.

The North Whitehall Township Board of Supervisors hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Brenda Norder, Secretary North Whitehall Township July 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Alfred L. Reimschissel a/k/a Alfred Reimschissel, a/k/a Alfred Levi Reimschissel, deceased, late of South Whitehall Township, 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 payment without delay to:

Executors: CAROL E. FLECKES and JOSEPH R. MACKIS, JR. c/o Robert V. Ritter, Jr., Esq. PO Box 178 Orefield, PA 18069-0178 or their attorney: ROBERT V. RITTER, JR., ESQ. Robert V. Ritter Jr. Law Office, LLC PO Box 178 Orefield, PA 18069-0178 Telephone: 610-433-6012 July 24, 31, Aug. 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ANTHONY A. HANNER a/k/a Anthony Hanner, Deceased, late of Easton, Northampton 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 Peter Raskovic, Executor C/O Alicia E. Emili, Esquire, Attorney for the Estate, 4461 Kohler Drive, Allentown, PA 18103. July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE

Emmaus Borough Council will be voting on the following Ordinance at its August 19, 2019 Council Meeting: ORDINANCE NO. 1191

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BOROUGH OF EMMAUS ZONING ORDINANCE OF 1993, AS AMENDED, TO DELETE DEFINITIONS AND REGULATIONS RELATING TO "PLACE OF WORSHIP" AND TO SUBSTITUTE THEREFORE A NEW DEFINITION AND PROVIDE REGULATIONS IDENTIFYING PERMITTED ACCESSORY USES AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE USE OF CERTAIN ACCESSORIES FOR COMMERCIAL REASONS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONAL USE APPROVAL BY BOROUGH COUNCIL.

The Meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall, Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA. The proposed Ordinance is available for inspection at Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager July 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE JANITORIAL SERVICES FOR EMMAUS FACILITIES INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals for the Janitorial Services for various physical facilities, as detailed herein, will be received at the Borough of Emmaus Office, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 by the Emmaus Borough until 12:00 PM on Wednesday, August 14, 2019. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time.

The Work will include, but will not necessarily be limited to, providing all cleaning equipment, supplies, and personnel to perform the work. Supplies shall include, but not be limited to, trash bags, toilet paper, urinal blocks, hand soap, hand soap dispensers, paper towels, and floor and surface cleaners, necessary to provide the services detailed in the spreadsheet of work to be performed as contained in the Janitorial Services Schedule that is part of this Request for Proposals. All garbage collected during cleaning will be secured and placed in dumpsters that the Borough will provide at a convenient location near the facilities that are part of this Request for Proposals.

Bidding documents can be obtained from the Borough at 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049, free of charge. Bidding documents are available by mail for a \$15.00 fee. Bidders must acquire bidding documents to be considered a qualified bidder.

Bids will be effective for 60 calendar days from the bid opening date and may not be withdrawn during that period. It is the intention of the Borough to award the bid on August 19, 2019 with a start date of October 1, 2019.

The Borough of Emmaus reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager July 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE #1383

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 260-24 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF CATASAUQUA RELATING TO HANDICAP PARKING; ADDING AND REMOVING CERTAIN HANDICAP PARKING ONLY SIGNS

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Borough of Catasauqua, Lehigh County and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

SECTION 1: That a handicap parking sign be added at the following locations: Howertown Road at Mulberry Street east side, just after intersection buffer

ORDAINED AND ENACTED on this 5th day of August, 2019

BOROUGH OF CATASAUQUA BY: Vincent P. Smith President of Council

ATTEST: Stephen Travers Secretary

APPROVED this 5th day of August, 2019 BY: Barbara A. Schlegel Mayor

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given of the administration of The Albert J. Marron Living Revocable Trust Agreement dated November 20, 2018. Albert J. Marron, Settlor of the trust, of Williams Township, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, died on February 5, 2019. All persons having claims against Albert J. Marron are requested to make known the same to the trustees or attorney named below. All persons indebted to Albert J. Marron are requested to make payment without delay to the trustees or attorney named below.

Coleen J. Gordon, Co-Trustee Edward H. Butz, Esquire Ronald A. Marron, Co-Trustee Lesavoy Butz & Seitz, LLC c/o 1620 Pond Rd., Ste. 200 1620 Pond Rd., Ste. 200 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ZONING HEARING BOARD UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board will meet in the Upper Milford Township August 12, 2019 at 7:30 P.M. to hear the following appeals:

ALL APPELLANTS MUST APPEAR AT THE HEARING

Appeal No. 2019-08, Martin J. Gorr Trucking, LLC of 4108 Tank Farm Rd., Emmaus, PA 18049, requests a Special Exception to Article 4, Section 407.F.2. (Change of Nonconforming Use) of the Zoning Ordinance in order to operate a truck repair use for Gorr Trucking, LLC only at 4108 Tank Farm Rd., Emmaus, PA 18049 in the Suburban Residential (S-R) Zoning District.

Appeal No. 2019-09, Michael & Tammy Rhoads of 170 West Main St., Macungie, PA 18062, request Interpretations and/or Variances to Article 3, Section 304.B.1. (Permitted uses within R-A Zoning District), Section 305.A. (Max. Impervious Coverage), Article 4, Section 401.B.3.b. (Multiple uses/buildings) and Article 6, Section 604.A. (Max. sign area) of the Zoning Ordinance in order to conduct/operate a landscaping tradesperson's headquarters known as Turf Professionals Inc. at 6591 Chestnut St., Zionsville, PA 18092 in the Rural Agricultural (R-A) Zoning District. ZONING HEARING BOARD UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP Bennett Kohler, Chairman July 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Upper Macungie Township Board of Supervisors has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held on Thursday, August 1, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031. The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony, evidence, and comment from interested parties and the general public concerning proposed Ordinance #2019-05, AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF UPPER MACUNGIE, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING AND REPEALING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED ORDINANCE NO. 2001-11, ALSO KNOWN AS THE SUBDIVISION AND LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE CODIFIED AT CHAPTER 22 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF UPPER MACUNGIE, AS MORE FULLY SET FORTH IN THIS ORDINANCE, ALL OF WHICH IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPALITIES CODE, ACT OF 1996, P.L. 805, NO. 247, AS REENACTED AND AMENDED.

Notice is also given that this Ordinance #2019-05 shall be considered, and if appropriate, enacted by the Board of Supervisors of Upper Macungie Township at its meeting scheduled for Thursday, August 1, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the address listed above.

Copies of the proposed Ordinance shall be on display at the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building at the address indicated above, between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, and on file at The Parkland Press, Allentown, PA, where it may be inspected. Kalman Sostarecz, Township Secretary July 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is also given that Ordinance #2019-06 shall be considered, and if appropriate, enacted by the Board of Supervisors of Upper Macungie Township at its meeting scheduled for Thursday, August 1, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031.

Ordinance #2019-06 shall amend Chapter 15 (Motor Vehicles and Traffic), Part 2 (Traffic Regulations) of the Code of the Township of Upper Macungie, in regard to stop intersections established on certain streets located within Upper Macungie Township.

Copies of the proposed Ordinance shall be on display at the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building at the address indicated above, between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, and on file at The Parkland Press, Allentown, PA, where it may be inspected. Kalman Sostarecz, Township Secretary July 24

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Jeanette M. Rinker, deceased, late of Slatington, 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:

Karen Ann Gruber Sherry Lynn Ramer c/o STECKEL AND STOPP LLC Executrices, or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Stephen A. Strack, Esquire, at 126 S. Walnut Street, Suite210, Slatington, PA 18080. July 24, 31, Aug. 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Jessica L. Confer, deceased, late of the Borough of Macungie, 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:

Carol Ann Confer & Donald John Confer c/o Law Offices of John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Or to their attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire Law Offices of John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF MARY E. STOVER, deceased, late of Upper Saucon Township, 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:

John O. Stover, Jr. & Robert E. Stover c/o Law Offices of John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Or to their attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire Law Offices of John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF ANITA C. HUENECKE, Decedent, late of Weisenberg Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent are requested to make payment in full, without delay, to:

Executor: Ronald Laudenslager c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Jr., Esquire 7736 Main St., Fogelsville, PA 18051 Attorney: Richard W. Shaffer, Esquire 7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051 July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Mark D. Short, late of Schnecks-ville, 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 Jennifer K. Short, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or her Attorney, David M. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ALFREIDA B. DIAZ, 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:

BELINDA L. LEIGHTY, Executrix c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE or to: GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 July 24, 31, Aug. 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF BETTY LOU WALCK, late of the Township of Allen, 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:

BONNIE-LEE REHATCHEK and BETH LOUISE GERSTENBERG, Co-Executrices c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE or to: GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 July 24, 31, Aug. 7

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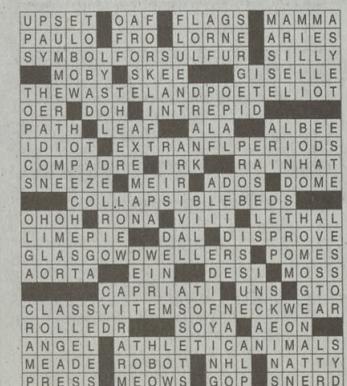
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Whitehall will hold a public hearing at 7:00 pm on Monday, August 12, 2019, in the Public Meeting Room of the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052 on the application of Sheetz Inc. of Claysburg, Pennsylvania, to transfer a restaurant liquor license from Malmar, LLC, 670 Main Street, Slatington, PA 18080 to 5001 MacArthur Road, Township of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. The public hearing is being held as a requirement of Title 47 of the Pennsylvania Statutes. Interested parties are welcome to attend the hearing and/or inspect the application, which can be seen at the office of the Township Executive Secretary at 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania during the hours of 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday thru Friday. July 24, 31

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PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF LINDEN LEE MILLER a/k/a LINDEN L. MILLER, deceased, late of Macungie, 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:
Dean Craig Bortz, Executor
c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire
WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C.
2610 Walbert Avenue Allentown, PA 18104
July 17, 24, 31

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Lynn Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, that on July 11, 2019 they acknowledged receipt of a proposal to include additional lands within the Lynn Township Agricultural Security Area. The proposed addition consists of approximately 37.5183 acres more or less, which are located in Lynn Township and are identified as PIN Nos. 551030660522 1 and 541801503053 1. The proposed additional land will remain on file and is available for public inspection during the normal business hours at the Lynn Township Municipal Building located at 7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli, Pennsylvania. Any municipality encompassing or adjacent to the proposed additional areas, or any landowner who owns the land proposed to be included within the Agricultural Security Area, or any landowner with lands adjacent or near the proposed additional areas who wishes land to be included or not included therein, may propose modifications to the proposed area. Objections to the proposed additional areas, and proposed modifications must be filed with the Board of Supervisors, in writing, with a copy to the Lynn Township Planning Commission within fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this Notice. At the end of the fifteen (15) day period, the proposed additional land and proposed modification, if any, will be submitted to the Lynn Township Planning Commission and the Lynn Township Agricultural Security Area Advisory Committee. Thereafter, a public hearing will be held on the proposed additional land, proposed modifications, if any, and recommendations of the Lynn Township Planning Commission and the Lynn Township Agricultural Security Area Advisory Committee. Marc S. Fisher, Esquire Solicitor for Lynn Township
July 24S

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF DONALD B. KRALL, a/k/a DONALD BOWMAN KRALL, deceased, late of Macungie, 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:
Anna E. Krall, 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
July 10, 17, 24

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of Carol J. Allen a/k/a Carol Allen Hunold, deceased, late of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of administration c.t.a. 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:
Nancy Eggleston Hartwell,
c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer
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