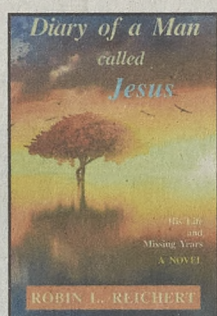




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Gas prices continue to climb higher

BY MARTA GOUGER
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The invasion of Ukraine by Russia is having a ripple effect on the oil market, which in turn will impact the price of gasoline in the United States, AAA reported last week.

The national average for a gallon of gas has risen to \$3.54, 5 cents more than a week ago, 21 cents more than a month ago and 90 cents more than a year ago. In Lehigh last Wednesday, the price was \$3.65 a gallon.

Thursday morning, AAA reported the average gas price in Carbon County was \$3.68, with Schuylkill and Monroe counties reporting an average of \$3.75. Northampton had an average of \$3.73, and Lehigh County was highest at \$3.76.

According to AAA, gas prices in Pennsylvania are 4 cents higher last week, at \$3.735 per gallon, according to AAA East Central's Gas Price Report.

The average price in Pennsylvania is \$3.735, compared to \$3.694 the previous week. However it's 83 cents higher than last year, when the average was \$2.905 on Feb. 22.

Residents are reacting in different ways. According to a post on the Times News (our parent newspaper) Facebook page, some people are going wherever they need to, while others are planning their trips to cut down

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PRESS PHOTOS BY TAMI QUIGLEY

Corinne Walsh, head pastry chef of McCarthy's Bakery, and **Claudio Alvalle**, marketing manager, showcase Cinfu Chocolate Truffles at McCarthy's Red Stag Pub and Whiskey Bar. The truffles are made of dark chocolate, cinnamon, Jameson Irish Whiskey and McCarthy's homemade Irish cream. "We're the number one seller of Jameson in Pennsylvania," Walsh said.

PEOPLE SAY

BY LANI GOINS

Are rising gas prices affecting your budget?



"Yes. We might not travel as much, and I only buy my gas at B.J.'s because it's cheaper."

Karen Merkel
Bethlehem



"Prices are too high. I drive less, and search around for the best price instead of just going to my regular station."

Emily Schoeneberger
Catasauqua

Great weather greets Chocolate Trail

BY TAMI QUIGLEY
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Forrest Gump told us "Life is like a box of chocolates," and that's what life was like when the Historic Downtown Bethlehem Chocolate Trail 2022 spun the downtown into a candy-coated trail of chocolate bliss.

An unusually warm winter afternoon set the backdrop for the annual event, this year held Feb. 12, that welcomed chocolate lovers to follow their map along the chocolate trail throughout the downtown, visiting their favorite shops and restaurants to receive a sampling of sweetness.

A limited amount of non-refundable \$35



David Saunders, manager, and **Shawn Fortley**, team member, are ready to greet guests at Franklin Vineyards, which offered a sample comprised of drizzled popcorn, a strawberry wafer cookie dipped in chocolate and sprinkles, a brownie and piece of fudge. Saunders said Franklin Hill paired the sampling with a white chocolate covered strawberry Sangria, though the libation was not part of the chocolate trail.

tickets were available to allow for proper social distancing.

"Everyone's enjoying the chocolate," **Becky Ciafrei**, store manager of Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop, said as visitors streamed in throughout the afternoon. "This brings in a lot of business - sales are up," Ciafrei said, noting the shop opened at the end of 2019, just prior to the COVID-19 pandemic. "I'm happy to see everyone out enjoying the day, and the weather is better, too," Ciafrei said, referencing temperatures that climbed into the 50s. "We're getting good feedback. Overall, it's a great day."

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Boutique returns to the Rink May 31

Organizers will be closely monitoring the CDC guidelines to ensure a safe experience for volunteers and shoppers.

Many attributes of the Boutique at the Rink have remained the same for decades. Every year since its inception, the sale has dedicated all of its profits to support cancer organizations; it has been held at the Earl E. Schaffer Municipal Ice Rink in Bethlehem, with the exception of a brief time in the 70s; has been run exclusively by volunteers; and has been fueled by the generosity of the Bethlehem and surrounding communities. Local companies offer monetary and in-kind services, while local media sources help with advertising.

Community members and volunteers donate items to be sold, purchase items at the sale, and

often offer monetary donations as well. Last year, over 300 volunteers gave over 15,000 hours of their time to make the Boutique a success.

Over the years, the Boutique has grown and become a finely tuned operation, reflecting the power for the cause and passion of the community. Organizers will be closely monitoring the CDC guidelines to ensure a safe experience for volunteers and shoppers.

The Boutique at the Rink engages over 5,000 community members through opportunities to donate, volunteer, shop and sponsor each year. In recent years the event has raised over \$250,000 each year to benefit the Cancer Support

Community of the Greater Lehigh Valley, St. Luke's Cancer Center and St. Luke's Hospice. After the hardships we have all endured over the past two years, we are looking forward to making this year's event even more successful than ever before.

Donations will be accepted at the Ice Rink on Illick's Mill Road between May 6-21. The sale runs from May 31-June 4. To volunteer, contact Jen Gibbs at 610-861-7555 or jgibbs@cancersupportglv.org. If you would like to make a monetary contribution, mail it to: The Boutique at the Rink, PO Box 1231, Bethlehem, PA 18016. They look forward to your support!

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Are rising gas prices affecting your budget?



"No, because I live in the city, so I don't really drive that much."
Sami Sheinwald
 Philadelphia



"I will probably just keep doing things normally."
Eleanor Kuhns
 Bethlehem



"It affects my personal budget. I have been putting a lot more towards gas than I prefer. I have been cutting back on buying lunch."
Sierra Jones
 Barto



"Yes and no. Gas prices are high, but it's necessary to keep the car running. We try to balance things. If we take away something we enjoy, what's the point?"
Ada Colon
 Bethlehem

STATE POLICE

Hit-and-run crash info sought

Two people were injured in a hit-and-run crash at 2:11 p.m. Feb. 16 on Route 22 in Hanover Township, Lehigh County. State police at the Bethlehem barracks said a 64-year-old New Ringgold man who was driving the vehicle that was struck by a runaway vehicle, and a 57-year-old woman from Northampton, who was his passenger, were treated at the scene by members of the Northampton Regional EMS corps. Police said the incident happened near mile marker 323.6 westbound when a dark-colored sedan was changing lanes of travel on the highway and struck a 2002 Jeep Cherokee that was being driven by the New Ringgold man. Police said the impact of the crash caused the Jeep to overturn on the right shoulder of the highway. It was towed from the scene. Police are asking anyone who may have witnessed the incident to contact them at 610-861-2026.

REPORTERS NEEDED

WANTED: Freelance reporters to cover municipal meetings and other community events in the Bethlehem-Salisbury Twp. area. Assignments available weekdays, evenings and weekends depending on reporter's schedule. Journalism background (course work or experience) or other writing experience a plus. Digital camera and photo skills also a plus. Must live in immediate Bethlehem-Salisbury Twp. area. Send letter of interest and resume to George Taylor at gtaylor@tnonline.com. Open meetings: Bethlehem Township Commissioners- First and third Mondays Hanover (NorCo) Township Supervisors-Second and fourth Tuesdays Fountain Hill Council-First Monday and Third Wednesday Freemansburg-First and third Tuesdays Also available: Bethlehem Zoning Board-Fourth Wednesday Bethlehem Planning Board-Second Thursday

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chants and restaurants were: Bethlehem BrewWorks; Chocolate Lab; Christmas City Spirits; Clusters Handcrafted Popcorn; Crave; Domaci; Edge Restaurant; Franklin Hill Vineyards; Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop; Hand Cut Crystal/Bethlehem Christmas Shoppe; Historic Hotel Bethlehem; Hotel B Ice Cream Parlor; Knobs N' Knockers; McCarthy's Red Stag Pub and Whiskey Bar; Musselman Jewelers; Plants and Vintage; Seasons Olive Oil and Vinegar Taproom; The Gem Shop; and Twisted Olive.

Presented by the Downtown Bethlehem Association, the event was sponsored by Lehigh Valley Heart Institute, part of Lehigh Valley Health Network.

To quote Jackie Gleason's hallmark catchphrase, "How sweet it is!"



Visitors make their selections at Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop.



Arlene Borckel, owner of Chocolate Lab, displays a tray of chocolate truffles. "We look forward to this every year. We see a lot of our regular customers, and it's a good time for everybody. It's been crazy today," Borckel said.



Visitors eye up the confectionary goodies at Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop. "Everyone's enjoying the chocolate," said store manager Becky Ciafrei.



Those sweet on chocolate follow the trail near Hotel B Ice Cream Parlor and Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop at the Historic Downtown Bethlehem Chocolate Trail 2022. The Christmas City offered the pre-Valentine's Day helping of delicious fun Feb. 12.



A woman follows the chocolate trail to Chocolate Lab during the event presented by Downtown Bethlehem Association and sponsored by Lehigh Valley Heart Institute, part of Lehigh Valley Health Network.



Bedecked for Valentine's Day, Chocolate Lab welcomes chocolate lovers checking out the sweet treats.



Bourbon Maple Truffles are ready to satisfy everyone's sweet tooth at Historic Hotel Bethlehem.

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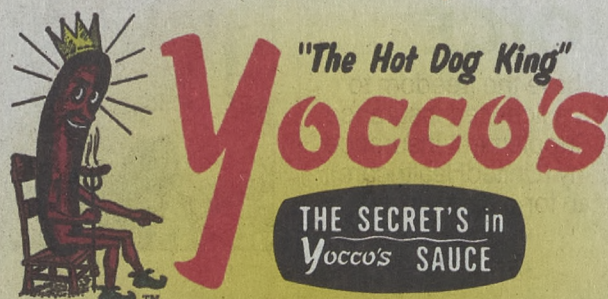
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News briefs

FREEDOM BANQUET: The Bethlehem NAACP will hold its 77th annual Freedom Banquet at 2 p.m. March 27 at the Green Pond Country Club, 3604 Farmersville Road, Bethlehem.

Attorney Maraleen Shields of Allentown will be the guest speaker. "2022: A Year for Enlightenment" honorees are Liberty High School Principal Dr. Harrison Bailey and Bethlehem NAACP youth director Tomacene Nickens.

Reservation deadline is March 5. Email emlanelee@gmail.com or call 610-866-2078.

ERIN GO BRAUGH: A week-long St. Patrick's Day celebration will be held March 12 to 19 in downtown Historic Bethlehem. There will be Celtic-inspired, food, cocktail trail, Irish Gnomes and a scavenger hunt.

The Beth-lum Go Bragh Cocktail for adults age 21 and older has various registration times available. Passport holders will sample St. Patrick's Day-inspired cocktails from various restaurants and merchants and vote for their favorite for a chance to win the Pot o' Gold.

The Lucky Leprechaun Card Photo Contest: Snap pics when an item from each group is located and upload items on the webpage to win a prize.

Follow the Irish Gnomes limericks clue sheet, snap a selfie and upload it to the Heart of Bethlehem Facebook or Instagram pages, using the hashtag #IrishGnomesinBethlehem and win a prize.

For information, instructions: visit <https://getdowntownbethlehem.com/bethlum-go-bragh/>

CELTIC CULTURAL ALLIANCE 12th ON THE 12th invites organizations, teams and businesses to participate in the 12th annual Parade of Shamrocks, 1 p.m. March 12, downtown Bethlehem. Parade begins at Fifth Avenue and W. Broad Street, proceeds east on Broad Street, turns right on to Main Street and heads south to the area under the Hill-to-Hill Bridge. Parade will be shown live on Astound Broadband and will be available on video on demand. Visit info@celticfest.org for information and to register.

POOL STAFF NEEDED: Are you at least 16 years old? Do you want to have a great summer? Become a member of the City of Bethlehem pool staff. Apply to be a lifeguard (\$12 per hour) or pool cashier (\$10 per hour) at one of the city's five city pools. No lifeguard certification necessary. Certifications provided free to successful applicants. Contact the City of Bethlehem Recreation Bureau for more information: email at recreation@bethlehem-pa.gov or call 610-865-7081.

Wednesday, March 2

Cops 'n Kids Reading Room. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Age three and up. Masks are mandatory. For information, visit www.lvcopsnkidslv.org

Adult Bible study, 11 a.m. Women's Ministries, ages 14 and older. 1 p.m. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681 for details.

Thursday, March 3

Lehigh Valley Active Life: "Lehigh Valley Pops Orchestra" rehearsals with director George Fennell. 9 to 10:30 a.m. For persons who know how to play an instrument. The orchestra performs at places throughout the Lehigh Valley. 1633 W. Elm St., Allentown. Call 610-437-3700 for information or visit <https://lvactivelife.org/>

Chair Exercises: 9:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m., Seniors 50 and up. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681 for details.

Friday, March 4

Lehigh Valley Active Life: "Elm Street Jazz" Jazz band workshop led by Allan Meyerson. 9-11 a.m. Join if you play an instrument and want to explore Jazz. 1633 W. Elm St. Allentown. For information, call 610-437-3700 or visit <https://lvactivelife.org/>

Saturday, March 5

Mac & Mocktails trail. Mac and cheese samplings and mocktails. Noon to 5 p.m. Historic District. Register in advance. Arrive at the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce's office, 74 W. Broad St., suite 240, for a passport and map. Upon completion of the sampling and mocktail trail, vote for your favorite. One mac and cheese voter and one mocktail voter will receive a \$100 Downtown Bethlehem Gift Certificate. For information and to register, visit <https://getdowntownbethlehem.com/mac-mocktails/>

Tuesday, March 8

Lehigh Valley Active Life: Good Vibrations Chorus led by Nancy Shumaker. All singers welcome. 9:30 to 11 a.m. 1633 W. Elm St. Allentown. Call 610-437-3700 for information or visit <https://lvactivelife.org/>

Bridge players, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Salvation Army, 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681 for details.

Wednesday, March 9

Cops 'n Kids Reading Room. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Age three and up. Masks are mandatory. For information, visit www.lvcopsnkidslv.org

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ANOTHER VIEW - ED'S WORLD

Graphic commentary by Ed Courier



GAS

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Larissa Barachie posted, "You have to make cuts elsewhere. You need to make time to get away no matter what. It's good for the soul."

People working from home are counting themselves lucky. Barb Koch posted, "I'm happy I'm working from home. I also fill my tank when it's at half so it doesn't hurt as much."

Cindy Lesisko Hen-

ning said, "Glad I work remotely 50 percent of the time. Between tolls and gas doesn't pay to work anymore."

Add higher grocery store prices to the mix.

One poster on a fixed income said, "SS gave us a 5.8 percent increase and Medicare took 5 percent of it. Got an 'extra' \$50 a month and that gets left in the grocery store."

Some people posted that they are taking advantage of grocery store gas points.

And they are preparing for prices to go

higher.

With severe financial sanctions led by the United States and its allies, AAA said Russia could retaliate by withholding oil from the world market, which is already dealing with tight supplies as countries loosen COVID restrictions. Russia is one of the leading oil producers globally, behind only the United States and Saudi Arabia.

According to new data from the Energy Information Administration, total domestic gasoline stocks de-

creased by 1.3 million barrels to 247.1 million barrels last week. On the other hand, gasoline demand fell from 9.13 million barrels per day to 8.57 million barrels per day. Typically, a decrease in gas demand during the winter would put downward pressure on pump prices, but elevated crude prices continue to push pump prices higher.

Motorists can find current gas prices nationwide, statewide, and countywide at GasPrices.AAA.com.

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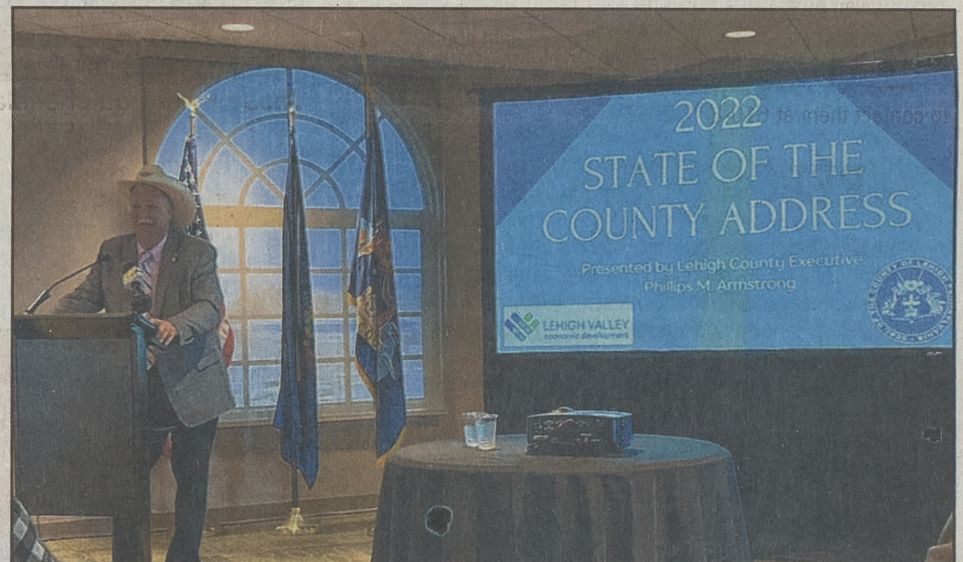
BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

In a packed event room at Coca-Cola Stadium on Thursday Lehigh County Executive Phillips Armstrong revealed his inner cowboy as he presented his State of the County address for 2022.

"We have to make sure that Lehigh County is always moving forward," said Armstrong in his opening remarks. "We have to create a budget — we're talking \$514 million dollars spent yearly on making sure making sure that everything that needs to be done in Lehigh County is done."

Armstrong covered topics including Lehigh County's COVID-19 mitigation efforts, general infrastructure projects, Cedarbrook Senior Care and Rehabilitation, emergency rental assistance, small busi-

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PRESS PHOTOS BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

"We have to make sure that Lehigh County is always moving forward," said Lehigh County Executive Phillips Armstrong in his opening remarks at his "State of the County for 2022 address."



Jeanne McNeill (133rd Legislative District) and Grace Crampsie Smith of Bethlehem City Council also attended the Lehigh County "State of the County 2022" address.

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Some meeting dates have changed for March due to current events or holidays.

Wednesday, March 2

Historical Architectural Review Board, 5 p.m. Masks required for in person entry; City hall, 10 E. Church St. Submit public questions, comments, name, phone number 24 hours in advance via email to planninginfo@bethlehem-pa.gov. Meeting will be livestreamed for viewing purposes only; visit www.youtube.com/channel/UC4HYHr4C6mVbfrXhWYXajw

Fountain Hill Finance, P.W., Personnel, House committees, 7 p.m. 941 Long St.
Hanover Twp. (LeCo) Council, 7:30 p.m. 2202 Grove Road.

Thursday, March 3

Bethlehem Environmental Advisory Council, 7 p.m. Illick's Mill - second floor, 100 Illick's Mill Road.

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

Friday, March 4

NorCo NCCD Education & Outreach Committee, 1 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

Monday, March 7

NorCo NCCD Admin/ Ops Committee, 4:30 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

BASD Facilities and Curriculum committees, 6 p.m. Education center, 1516 Sycamore St.

Bethlehem Twp. Commissioners, 7 p.m. 4225 Easton Ave.
Fountain Hill Council, 7 p.m. 941 Long St.
Hellertown Council, 7 p.m. 685 Main St.

Tuesday, March 8

NorCo Monthly Parks, Recreation & Open Space Advisory Board, 4:30 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

NorCo Conservation District Board, 7 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

Hanover Twp. (NorCo) Supervisors, 7 p.m. Municipal building, 3630 Jacksonville Road.

Hellertown Borough Planning Commission, 7 p.m. 685 Main St.

Saucon Valley School Board, 7 p.m., Audion building, 2097 Polk Valley Road. Visit svpanthers.org/Domain/572

Wednesday, March 9

NorCo Karst Geology Advisory Council, 4 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

Northampton Co. Industrial Development Authority, 4 p.m., Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

Bethlehem Zoning Board, 6 p.m. Must wear a mask. City Hall, 10 E. Church St. Submit questions and comments by 4 p.m. March 7 to planninginfo@bethlehem-pa.gov; Livestream (not interactive) viewing: www.youtube.com/channel/UC4HYHr4C6mVbfrXhWYXajw

Hellertown Borough Water Authority, 7 p.m. 685 Main St.

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

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HEALTH NEWS**Lehigh Valley Health Network****Orthopedic Institute launched**

Lehigh Valley Health Network has announced the formation of Lehigh Valley Orthopedic Institute to enhance its current bone and joint care and commitment to excellence.

L.V.O.I. focuses on orthopedic trauma, pediatric orthopedics and sports medicine, practice care, podiatry, pain management and physical medicine and rehabilitation / physiatry.

The Orthopedic Institute partnered with affiliated independent orthopedic groups to offer more choices, locations, access and patient-focused programs. For more information, visit LVHN.org/ortho.

New non-invasive heart mapping approach

Lehigh Valley Heart and Vascular Institute cardiologist Talha Nazir, MD, is one of the first in Pennsylvania to use a new noninvasive, single-use, disposable vest to map a patient's irregular heart rhythms.

The multi-electrode CardiInsight™ mapping vest from Medtronic gathers data from the heart's electrical system at the body's surface. This data, combined with imaging technology, provides three-dimensional electroanatomic maps of the heart to arm clinicians with the information for the most accurate care.

Cardiac mapping - typically accomplished by inserting a catheter into the heart via an artery or vein - allows physicians to locate the origin of a patient's irregular heart rhythms, known as arrhythmias.

"Using leading-edge technology like the mapping vest allows us to get superior results without subjecting the patient to an invasive procedure," said Nazir. "It allows us to get the data we need without additional risk."

Staff member named to world post

Steven Lewis, MD, chief of neurology, has been appointed to serve as the Acting Secretary-General of the World Federation of Neurology (WFN). As Acting Secretary-General, Lewis will help guide the field of neurology by working closely with the WFN to create curricula for educational programs, organize the biennial World Congress and help oversee WFN charity and fiduciary responsibilities.

Lewis has over 30 years of expertise in neurological care and medicine and previously served as Professor and Associate Chair of Neurological Services at Rush University Medical Center in Chicago, where he educated neurologists on the future of proper care and practice across the many aspects of neurology.

Lewis is an avid writer and editor of neurological journals, including serving as Editor-in-Chief of Continuum: Lifelong Learning in Neurology, the official Continuing Medical Education (CME) journal of the American Academy of Neurology, and Editor of World Neurology, the official newsletter of the WFN. Lewis also serves as a neurology director of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

St. Luke's Health Network**'Wellness 101 Junior' YouTube now online**

The four-time Emmy Award winning "Wellness 101 Show" by St. Luke's University Health Network launched a YouTube Channel and children's web series, "Wellness 101 Junior." Jeff Hartney, owner of Production Pocketknife LLC, and St. Luke's University Health Network partnered to produce the series of three to five-minute episodes. The channel and series help families access factual and accurate health care information. New episodes are available monthly.

To learn more about the program, visit <https://youtube.com/wellness101show>.

Podcast launched

St. Luke's University Health Network (SLUHN) has launched a weekly podcast, "Pivotal Discourse Podcast," to provide listeners with informative and entertaining conversations about topics of importance in today's world.

Each show will feature prominent voices with roots in the Lehigh Valley, including professional athletes, actors, business leaders, medical professionals and more. The audio version of the show is available on Apple Podcasts and Spotify, while the video version as well as bonus content can be found on YouTube.

John William Trotter Jr.

Musikfest founding member;
Celtic Classic co-creator



John "Jack" William Trotter Jr., 80, died Feb. 18, 2022. Born in Bethlehem, he was a son of the late John W. Sr. and Dorothea Isabel (Dech) Trotter. He was the husband of Bobbie (Lischak) Trotter for 47 years.

He attended Liberty HS. While there, he was active in sports and earned three letters. He attended both Lafayette College and Villanova University.

He was in the Central Intelligence Agency, and later was a Military Policeman, in the U.S. Army.

He had a varied career in sales and marketing, and most recently working for Bosch Rexroth.

He was a founding member, instrumental in the creation of and the only Chairman of the Board of Musikfest. He helped to create Celtic Classic. He was active in scouting and served in several posts of Minsi Trials Scouts. He was an Eagle Scout, a member of the Order of the Arrow and director of the COPE course. He was a sportsman, motorcycle enthusiast, camper, traveler and writer.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Ross Trotter.

He was predeceased by a daughter, Megan.

There will be a receiving hour at 11 a.m., followed by a Celebration of Life at noon, on March 5 in the Cantelmi Long Funeral Home Inc., 500 Linden St. The service will be live streamed via the funeral home website. Contributions may be made to the Minsi Trail Boy Scouts of America, 991 Postal Road, Allentown, PA 18109.

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Kathryn T. Derr

Notre Dame Church founding member

Kathryn T. Derr, 94, of Bethlehem, died Feb. 25, 2022. She was a native of Hellertown. She was the wife of the late Homer Derr.

She was a guide at the Sun Inn. She assisted children with hearing losses. She was a board member of the Lehigh Valley Parents Group for Hard of Hearing Children. She was a seamstress and cook.

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

She is survived by two daughters, Marianne and Cynthia (Gary); two sons, Jeffrey, Ph.D. (Susan), and Richard; two grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a sister, Helen Stanley.

She was predeceased by a son, Gregory; a sister, Anne; and a brother, Frank.

Contributions may be made to Notre Dame of Bethlehem Catholic Church.

Services are private.

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ness and nonprofit grant funding and other highlights from county departments.

According to Armstrong, Lehigh County continues to be in the longest state of emergency declaration in its history. The county has implemented COVID-19 mitigation efforts in all county facilities, such as HVAC improvements, temperature screenings, mask usage, continual social distancing, and daily staff self-monitoring. He said the safety of county employees and citizens remains the highest priority as county operations continue without interference.

"The county has partnered with the United Way to coordinate accessible PPE drop off sites, and also partnered with the Allentown Health Bureau to update vaccination locations," said Armstrong. "A mass vaccination and testing site plan has been developed by Lehigh County's Emergency Management team, along with healthcare providers throughout our region. General Services and Aging departments worked collaboratively to create plans to provide vaccination services for homebound Lehigh County citizens."

Armstrong also discussed the bridges in the county.

"The county continues to invest in its infrastructure by prioritizing necessary expansions, renovations, and repairs throughout the community. Preparations are underway to replace and repair or replace multiple Lehigh County bridges, including the Wire Mill Bridge, Walnut Street Bridge, Devonshire Bridge, Geiger's Covered Bridge, Mosserville Bridge, and Manassas Guth Covered Bridge. During the past five years, Lehigh County's bridge maintenance team designed and executed the replaced

two major spans across the Lehigh River: Coplay-Northampton and Hokendauqua-North Catasauqua. Both bridges [were] completed and [have] restored economic improvement to this location."

Lehigh County Historic Old (originally built in 1812) Courthouse will be completed before the end of 2022, said Armstrong.

"The county's utility garage underwent 175 vehicle inspections and 688 work orders, effectively maintaining a quick vehicle return under COVID-19 requirement," said the executive.

"Lehigh County is currently evaluating the introduction of alternate fuel vehicles to its fleet," Armstrong said construction has begun at Cedarbrook Senior Care and Rehabilitation's Allentown campus in preparation for its new E-Wing.

"Once complete, the new 145,000-square-foot, four story, L-shaped wing will accommodate 240 residents, no more than two to a room, with access to private bathrooms," Armstrong said.

"These improvements will create a foundation for advanced resident experiences and improve medical support planning. The expansion is projected to be completed by the end of 2023. Lehigh County continues to improve HVAC systems at Cedarbrook's Fountain Hill campus, and will continue to monitor resident needs."

Armstrong said Cedarbrook currently maintains its four-star Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS) rating, ranking the county-operated facility as an elite skilled nursing home.

"This high care ranking was maintained throughout the COVID-19 pandemic, and through the significant national labor shortage of healthcare

Frances Hope Clark Wilson

worked in Rodale Test Kitchen



Frances Hope Clark Wilson, 96, of Bethlehem, died Feb. 23, 2022. Born in Cornwall-on-Hudson, New York, she was a daughter of the late Dr. Richard M. Clark, D.V.S., and Carolyn Ketcham Clark of Mountainville, New York. She was the wife of the late LeRoy R. Wilson for 67 years.

She attended Cornwall HS. She was a 1949 graduate of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, with a degree in foods and institution Management.

She worked for Central Hudson Gas & Electric demonstrating electric home appliances. She taught food and cooking courses at the School of Practical Nursing, Newburgh, New York. She was a substitute teacher and the Home Economics teacher at Cornwall HS.

After moving to Bethlehem, she taught Restaurant and Food Service curriculum at Lehigh and Northampton Counties community colleges. She worked in the dining facility and then in the Rodale Test Kitchen at Rodale Press, Emmaus.

She was a member of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Bethlehem.

She was a Bethlehem Welcome Wagon, Garden and pinochle clubs member.

She is survived by two sons, Kurt A. and his wife Cheryl of Orefield and Paul C. and his wife Elinor of Powder Valley; a son, Dean W. and his wife Yvonne of Napanoch, New York; and a granddaughter, Pear M. Wilson of Los Angeles, California.

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Margaret B. Johnson

Sacred Heart Catholic Church member

Margaret "Tootie" B. Johnson, 90, of Bethlehem, died at home Feb. 14, 2022. She was a daughter of the late Stephen and Frances (Paveltic) Sculac. She was the wife of the late Alan D. Johnson Sr.

She was a seamstress for many years in many local textile mills until she retired from Trio Togs, Bethlehem.

She was a parishioner at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Miller Heights.

She is survived by a son, Alan Jr.; three daughters, Diane Pendergrass, Susan Davis (Ronald) and Karen Johnson; three grandchildren, April Johnson, Ariel Sparkman (Jim) and Jeff A. Wood (Patti); a great-granddaughter, Savannah Wood; nieces; and nephews.

She was predeceased by three brothers, John, Stephen and Joseph Sculac; and five sisters, Anna Czor, Mary Repyneck, Catherine Repyneck, Rose Audenried and Frances Vitko.

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workers," said Armstrong. "Lehigh County continues to balance taxpayer contributions and resident needs to create a safe environment for the county's most 'in need' citizens."

Armstrong said Lehigh County's Department of Farmland Preservation exceeded over 26,000 acres of farmland preservation this year which is a "new milestone."

He said over 200 farms were inspected to meet preservation requirements, and recent updates to Lehigh County's Farmland Preservation Program were approved by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

"New subdivision guidelines were updated, approved and recorded. Applications for farmland preservation are open year-round in Lehigh County. Currently, there is a waiting list for over 50 farms.

"Lehigh County continues to provide grant assistance for rental relief, small businesses, and nonprofits as we head into 2022," said Armstrong. "In 2021, over 3,000 families received emergency rental assistance, and more than 650 businesses received funding from the American Rescue Plan."

As of Feb. 18, the Lehigh County COVID-19 Small Business Grant Program is reopened to the public for a third round of applications, according to Armstrong.

"In partnership with the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce, Lehigh County will allocate an estimated \$2.5 million in funding for local businesses with 100 or fewer employees," said Armstrong.

"Eligible businesses can apply for up to \$15,000 in order to help mitigate the impact of COVID-19 and its related expenses. Businesses that received funding from previous rounds are not eligible to apply."

Armstrong said the

Lehigh County Office of Voter Registration is hosting free online webinars to share election information and resources to the public, which includes information on how to register to vote, how to make changes to one's voter registration, and how to become a poll worker.

"The office is readily available to all guests and residents seeking to learn more information about their elections," said Armstrong. "In 2021, the Lehigh County Board of Commissioners approved funding for all mail-in ballot postage throughout Lehigh County."

According to Armstrong, the Lehigh County Department of Human Services (DHS) provides continuous, 24-hour, seven days a week response and assistance to county residents and their families.

He said services also include continuous mental health support, de-escalation training to county law enforcement, assisting families with housing needs to help families reunite and stay out of the child welfare system, coordination with Emergency Management to provide COVID-19 vaccinations to senior and immunocompromised county citizens, and maintaining county recovery programs. Lehigh County's Office of Integrated Services continues to promote and provide cross-system training to all DHS offices and other Lehigh County offices.

Armstrong wrapped up his State of the County address with an assessment of the county's parks.

"Lehigh County parks became a safe haven for residents seeking relief from the pandemic, and park attendance increased dramatically since 2020," said Armstrong. "The Trexler Nature Preserve recently completed its Master Site Plan, and will have recommendations avail-

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A HEALTHY OUTLOOK

For Sahira Mughal, nursing was a calling she simply had to answer.

A 2020 graduate of Penn State Lehigh Valley's Biobehavioral Health program, Mughal is well on her way to achieving her dream of becoming a registered nurse as a student enrolled in St. Luke's University Health Network's School of Nursing.

She's enjoying the program, and credits her bachelor's degree for giving her a leg up on her coursework.

"My Biobehavioral Health degree from Penn State Lehigh Valley has proven to be very beneficial to my future career," said Mughal, 22, of South Whitehall. "A biobehavioral degree works as a foundation for future degrees, but even if someone does not want to pursue further degrees, a solid background in this major can provide you with the skills you need to begin a lucrative and exciting career."

Mughal was also working as surgery coordinator for St. Luke's OB/GYN clinic until recently deciding to focus full-time on her schooling. While in that position, she was responsible for a number of important daily duties, from processing, organizing and preparing incoming and outgoing patients for various medical procedures, to getting authorization from medical insurance providers, to coordinating with providers.

Now fully immersed in her nursing education, Mughal has intentions of one day pursuing her doctorate.

"The protocol and regulations we are taught along with the clinicals and patient care has broadened my understanding of

"I have found that graduating with a Biobehavioral Health degree opens doors to many different opportunities."

how a hospital operates and the duties required of a nurse. And it's given me the necessary experience to further my education," she said.

That education began in earnest at PSU-LV, which Mughal fell in love with during her very first campus visit.

"From the initial tour to the new student welcome, I noticed an entirely different dynamic between the students and faculty than at other colleges," she said. "At the other campuses I visited, the students were addressed as groups, and the faculty



simply followed the procedures set forth by the school and did the bare minimum. PSU-LV has a much lower student-to-faculty ratio, which makes communication more personal. I didn't have to guess what I needed to do."

After reviewing the list of majors offered at the campus, Mughal determined Biobehavioral Health aligned best with her goals.

"After meeting with my advisor, I learned that the major gives you an in-depth understanding of the natural world, from a biological standpoint as well as a research standpoint," she said. "This major and the required courses alongside it also help you learn how to conduct research, problem solve, organize and think critically."

The program also led her to an internship with a dermatologist at St. Luke's. And it provided her with faculty mentors who remain friends to this day.

"As I further my education, I still come back to get advice and guidance from my professors, who still make time for me even without any obligation to do so," Mughal said. "Today, I see the program I am currently in leading me to reach the goals I set for myself when I started my program at PSU-LV. Personally, I have found that graduating with a Biobehavioral Health degree opens doors to many different opportunities."



Combining biological, behavioral, psychological, socio-cultural and environmental approaches to the study of health science, Penn State Lehigh Valley's Biobehavioral Health (BBH) program puts students on the path to an array of potential career options.

Thanks to the program's versatility, BBH graduates go on to work as health promotion professionals, research assistants, laboratory managers and biomedical product representatives. The major also prepares students for advanced study in the natural and social sciences and related professional areas like medicine, nursing, epidemiology, public health, environmental health and safety, and human services. And with numerous health systems throughout the Lehigh Valley, students have abundant internship and networking opportunities.

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This dashing 2-year-old is on the search for an active home where he can wrestle his way into your heart. **Stanley**, a beagle/boxer mix, is always ready to go and is up for any adventure that may come his way. Dog and people friendly, Stanley makes friends easily.



Traveling across country, this adorable 2-year-old spayed female is on the hunt for her furr-ever home. **Harley** loves sitting in comfy places and watching the world pass her by. She is often content to spend her time alone, but is also known to get along with other cats.

VOLUNTEERS

AIDSNET, Bethlehem needs community members and professionals (lawyer, CPA, clergy, physician, etc.) who live in Berks, Carbon, Lehigh, Monroe, Northampton or Schuylkill County to join the board of directors and help oversee the organization's mission of building healthier communities by planning and funding HIV/AIDS Care and Prevention Services in those six counties. All meetings are held every other month at the Bethlehem office. Contact Vickey McKinzey-Gonzalez, 610-882-1119, executive.director@aidsetpa.org.

LEHIGH VALLEY HOSPICE seeks adult volunteers who are comfortable spending time with people at the end of life and who are interested in doing something very meaningful that will have a profound impact on someone's life and their family's lives. All geographical areas are served. Requires a 12-hour in-depth training program, background checks, flu shot, TB blood testing and references. Contact Lynn Schiavone, 610-402-6054, lynn.schiavone@lvhn.org.

ANTINANCO EARTH ARTS SCHOOL invites all volunteers (minimum age 14) to provide tree care for the American Chestnut trees that were planted at Columicille Megalith Park in Bangor, from 11 See **VOLUNTEERS** on Page A10

Twosday twins



Ryan and Katie Gerrity, of Palmer Township, welcomed twin daughters Addison and Rylee on Tuesday (Twosday), 2.22.22 at Lehigh Valley Hospital (LVH)-Muhlenberg in Bethlehem. Addison was born at 4:02 a.m. Rylee was born at 4:20 a.m. Katie, a teacher, is also a twin. Addison and Rylee are the couple's first children.

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Addison Gerrity



Rylee Gerrity

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able in the Capital Plan beginning 2023-2027. Over \$21 million in federal grant funding was received to complete an alternate two-lane roadway with an accompanying D&L Trail from Allentown's Hamilton Street to Whitehall's

Race Street." The formal presentation ended and Armstrong joined guests and well-wishers for snacks and drinks. Among the supporters were Lehigh County Commissioners Dan Hartzel, Bob Elbich and Anthony Pineda. Also attending were Pennsylvania representatives, State Representative

Peter Schweyer (D, 22nd Legislative District) of the PA House of Representatives, Rep. Mike Schlossberg (D, 132nd Legislative District) and Jeanne McNeill (D, 133rd Legislative District). Grace Crampsie Smith of the Bethlehem City Council also attended as did Lehigh County Sheriff Joseph N. Han-

na. Edward Hozza Jr., Director of Administration, Lehigh County, also attended. Other guests included President and CEO of the Greater Lehigh Valley YMCA David Fagerstrom and Executive Director Clair Sadler of the Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor.

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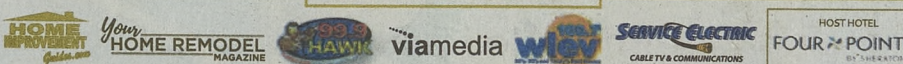
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DARTS AND TRAPSHOOTING

DARTS
Suburban Dart League
Week 23

The brooms came out in Week 23 as every match sweep. Dryland took over sole possession of 1st beating Christ UCC 4-3, 4-3 (on a Jim Goldman's HR in the 9th), & 7-6 (on Earl Sigley's HR in the 9th inning). Leading hitters were Jim Goldman 6-11, Butch Silfies 6-12, Bernie Yurko 5-12, Earl Sigley 5-13, & Nate Phares 4-12 for Dryland. For Christ UCC, Eric Yocum was 6-12 (HR), George Gasper 5-12 (2 HRs), Joe Hunsicker 4-12, with HRs from Kevin Biechy & Sue Gasper.

With Todd Jones going 6-10 (2 run HR), Norm Schoenberger 4-12, & Eric Harper getting base on balls, Light of Christ won 5-2, 4-3, & 2-1 (the go ahead run scoring on a balk by Dan Halteman) over Star of Bethlehem. Scott Hoffert was 5-12 for Star of Bethlehem.

It was Farmersville taking Emmanuel by scores of 2-1, 7-1, 2-0. Top hitters included Tom George 7-12 & Sue Grim 5-12 for Farmersville while Judy Hoffert & Troy Haydt (HR) had 3 hits each with Al Nesbit with a HR for Emmanuel. The final match of the night saw Ebenezer winning over St. Paul's 6-1, 6-5, & 4-2. Leading the way for Ebenezer were Brendan Blevins 5-7, Paul Yoder 4-12, with HRs from Charlie Costanzo, Zani Blevins & Jim Voortman. For St. Paul's, Amber Gross was 4-10, Roger Kern 4-14 & Larry Keller with a HR.

Team	W	L	HR
Dryland	38	25	.603
Christ UCC	35	28	.556
Light of Christ	31	29	.517
Star of Bethlehem	32	31	.508
St. Paul's	31	32	.492
Ebenezer	32	34	.485
Farmersville	26	31	.456
Emmanuel	24	39	.381

Week 24

Dryland remained in 1st 5-4 & 5-2 wins over Ebenezer losing the opener 5-1. Leading Dryland were Bernie Yurko 6-14, Lou Dervarics 5-12, Earl Sigley 5-14, & Jim Goldman 4-11. For Ebenezer, Carol Voortman was 5-11, Connor Lankay 5-13 (2 HRs), with Jim Voortman (Stole Home, HR), P.J. Yoder (HR) & Brendan Blevins all 4-12.

The only sweep saw Star of Bethlehem beating Christ UCC by scores of 10-0, 9-4, 8-5. Top hitters for Star were Jacob Hoffert 10-15, Walt Hoffert 7-15, Bryan Frankenfield 6-14, Kyle Taylor 5-14, Joey Hoffert 4-11 (HR), Austin Hoffert 4-12, Bill Hoke Jr. 4-14 (HR), Tyler Frankenfield 4-14, Susie Gasper 6-12 (HR), Jason Matula 4-10, Eric Yocum 4-12, Steve Hunsicker 4-13 & Keith Laudenslager 2 HRs for Christ UCC.

St. Paul's lost the nightcap 4-3 to Emmanuel after winning 2-0, 3-1. Top hitters for St. Paul's were Rich Kern 7-12, John Hoysan 4-12, Paul Slimmon 4-12 & Amber Gross with a HR. Jim Hill & Jon Rice each 4-12 for Emmanuel.

Farmersville sandwiched 4-2 (10 inn) & 5-1 wins around a 3-2 loss (10 inn) to Light of Christ. Leading the way for Farmersville were Keith Campbell 6-15 & Jason Steigerwalt 4-12, while Terry Knauss was 6-13 with HRs from Steve Harper, Buzz Heidecker & Todd Jones for Light of Christ.

Team	W	L	HR
Dryland	40	26	.606
Star of Bethlehem	35	25	.530
Christ UCC	35	25	.530
Light of Christ	32	31	.508
St. Paul's	33	33	.500
Ebenezer	33	36	.478
Farmersville	28	32	.467
Emmanuel	25	41	.379

TRAPSHOOTING
Lehigh Valley
Trapshooters League

Sunday was the final regular Lehigh Valley Trapshooters League shoot. The shoot-off is on March 13 at Ontelaunee Rod & Gun Club.

Congratulations to North End Gun Club for winning the 2021-2022 Lehigh Valley Trapshooters League COPLAY.

- 24 - Robert Roman, Jack Jabs, Chad Kulp
- 23 - Alan Onkotz, Glenn Bruckno, Robert Koefler
- LAPPAWINZO
- 24 - Steve Buentzli, Mark Ryan
- 23 - Wilbur Von Steuben II
- 22 - Steve Valkovec
- 21 - Noah Durnin, Seth Tavolaro, Craig Peischler

NORTH END

- 25 - Steve Reiter, Chet Karpyn
- 24 - Jack Thomas, Brian Snyder, Bob Bortz, Irvin Dennis Jr, Travis Foose, Jon Zadzora
- ONTELAUNEE
- 24 - Gavin Schmidt
- 23 - Thomas Motzkus, Larry Oswald, Chris Cohoon, Nick Prudente, Owen Daniels, Jason Graczyk

PIONEER

- 24 - Andy Artim Jr, Roger Muschlitz
- 23 - James Delong, Bryan Noble, Sam Goll, Tom Conley, Bob Ruth

RURAL

- 25 - Donald Boehm Jr, Mike Endy, Bob Malmstedt
- 24 - John Bagin
- 23 - Cody Rahn, Ralph Weakland, Harry Balliet, William Madkiff, Jacob Madkiff

POCONO SLATE

- 24 - Ray Di Risio
- 21 - John Soloe, Gregory Spadoni, Tammy Van Blargan-Hensel, Frank Hunt, Franklin Anderson

Team Standings

NORTH END	1735
RURAL	1721
ONTELAUNEE	1719
PIONEER	1684
COPLAY	1665
POCONO SLATE	1640
LAPPAWINZO	1617

DISTRICT 11 WRESTLING



PRESS PHOTOS BY DON HERB

Cael McIntyre, at 120, was one of seven Bethlehem Catholic champions at last weekend's district wrestling tournament.

Becahi claims 7 champions, but falls short of team title

BY PETER CAR
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Bethlehem Catholic crowned seven champions at the District 11 3A wrestling tournament last weekend, but Nazareth was able to steal the shimmer of a golden night with the team title.

The Blue Eagles advanced all 13 wrestlers to this week's Northeast Regional 3A tournament and crowned five champions in the process, which was enough to stomp Becahi's bid for the team championship, as they were snubbed by a 305.5 to 288.5 margin.

While failing to come

away the team trophy was a damper on the weekend, there were still plenty of highlights for the Hawks in the championship round, as they won seven of the eight titles.

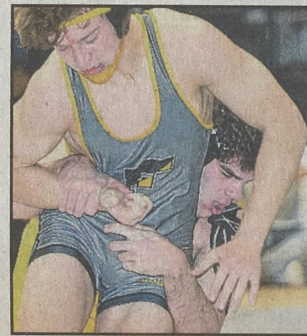
While the Hawks had several repeat champions, Luke Thomas (172) enjoyed his first experience of donning a district gold medal around his neck, as the Becahi junior methodically dispatched Freedom's Jared Karabinus by a 13-2 major decision in the finals.

After missing last season because of injury, Thomas was grateful

to have the opportunity to get back on the mat this year and stamp his name on the historic list of District 11 champions.

"After not being able to wrestle last year, it was heart breaking," said Thomas. "Now that I'm living the dream of being a district champion, it's a great feeling. We work so hard in the offseason and train all season long for moments like this, so it's really gratifying to have this become a reality."

Thomas got an added boost of motivation before heading onto the mat following a rousing



Luke Thomas of Becahi, behind, won a district gold medal.

down with less than 10 seconds remaining to pull out the win and end Becahi's run in the finals of four straight champions.

The energy from the deafening cheers for the Blue Eagles, coupled with one of his best friends losing in that fashion, was more than enough to give Thomas an added boost.

"Landon is my brother and it was tough going out after him," said Thomas. "He lost and the whole gym erupted. That really motivated me."

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Karabinus, Deleon lead the way

BY PETER CAR
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Freedom and Liberty had nearly identical weekend's at Memorial Gymnasium during the District 11 3A wrestling championships.

Both teams finished neck and neck in the team standings, with Freedom coming in seventh with 101 points and Liberty nipping closely in eighth with 98.5 points.

It was a weekend that both head coaches came away with inspiring results, primarily for the Patriots, as sophomore 172-pounder Jared Karabinus reached the finals.

Karabinus didn't have enough in his arsenal to shock his way to the title, losing to Bethlehem Catholic's Luke Thomas by a 13-2 major decision in the finals, but it was an encouraging sign for the Pates hopes of keeping the season alive toward Hershey.

"For him to get into the finals at 172, a man's weight class, was impressive," said head coach Dante Terenzio. "We thought he had a chance to do this, but you don't see many sophomores at that weight get to the finals. He did what he needed to do to get to the finals and that's just awesome."

The finals loss was the only one the Pates suffered in the consolation rounds, as CJ Horvath (120, third), Chris

Jurado (145, fifth) and Noah MacLroy (160, fifth) each were able to move on.

Horvath was able to take third following a 3-0 decision over Pottsville's Connor Demcher, while Jurado avenged a quarterfinal defeat to Parkland's Juan Moya to eliminate him from the tournament with a 6-1 decision in the consolation round.

MacLroy kept his season alive with a 6-2 decision over Easton's Anthony Apgar.

"We won all of our consolation matches, so that was good for us," said Terenzio. "We aren't a team that has any superstars, just a bunch of guys that work hard. We're getting better every year, but we're happy to move four guys to regionals."

Liberty had four medalists, but only three advanced to regionals, led by Javien Deleon's third-place finish at 132.

Deleon lost his first bout of the tournament to Bethlehem Catholic's Kollin Rath, as the 15th-seeded Rath became a thorn in the seeding process coming into the tournament.

However, Deleon battled back to win his next four bouts in convincing fashion (two by major decision and two by fall), including a 14-0 major decision over Aidan Micheli in the medal round.

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PRESS PHOTO BY DON HERB

Freedom's Jared Karabinus reached the finals but fell to Becahi's Luke Thomas this past weekend at the district wrestling tournament.



Ryan Santiago of Liberty was one of three wrestlers to advance to regionals.



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Kailey Turpening, who recently reached the 1,000-point mark, concluded her season with a loss against Northampton in the District 11 playoffs.

Patriots fall to the K-Kids

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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It was just one of those nights for the Freedom Patriots when shots wouldn't fall in a game that mattered in the Lady Pates' District XI Class 6A Girls Basketball Tournament run, losing to Northampton in the quarterfinal, 51-32, last Friday at Whitehall.

"Size definitely was a factor, and we just weren't hitting tonight, so it was a combination," said Freedom coach Steve Raysely. "(Devyn) Demchak had a good game tonight, and, of course, (Grace) Lesko is a tough player, but offensively we just didn't have a lot working for us tonight, so we couldn't get on that run that we needed to close the gap and make it a little more interesting."

Demchak all but took

over the first half, scoring 14 of Northampton's 30 points, and Lesko picked it up in the second half with 12 of the K-Kids' 21 points.

"I said if we could get a 6, 8-0 run early in the third quarter, it could potentially change the pace of the game," said Raysely. "Getting into our offense and running it through multiple times was something we were gonna work on, and we did that. We got shots, and they didn't fall, and Northampton converted, so that was really the difference."

Shots that did fall for the Pates came early in the game with two consecutive threes by Freedom guard Kailey Turpening. Teammate Keturah Stewart made her way into the paint for six points and converted on three free throws.

"They played Kailey tough," Raysely said. "She got her looks and they just weren't falling for her. She was definitely pressing. You could tell she wanted to impact that game in true Turpening style, but they just weren't falling for her tonight."

A 19-point deficit heading into the fourth quarter proved to be more than the Pates could overcome, and Northampton retired its starters with 2:53 remaining in the game.

"A lot of people projected us to be not where we were at the end of the season. The goals we set were to get to the EPC Tournament and districts, so we achieved 50 percent of our goals," said Raysely. "Overall, I think we were three or four wins better than how we ended up at 11-11, but I'm happy where

it ended, getting here, and what these girls experienced in a district game because other than Kailey, no one's experienced a district game, so it was good to get them out here and get that feel."

The Patriots will graduate four seniors: Turpening, Natalie Stannard, Ciana Feliciano, and Isabel Rodriguez. "They're extremely positive, very encouraging, and they helped a lot with the underclassmen this year as far as giving them direction and helping them with the offenses and defensive schemes we put out there," Raysely said. "Definitely a group I'll always remember. It's tough to see your seniors move on, but it's my first one, so you always remember that first group."

After a late invite, 'Canes top PV but fall to Easton

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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The District XI Class 6A Girls Basketball Tournament opened last Tuesday night when the eighth-seeded Liberty Hurricanes beat the ninth-seeded Pleasant Valley Bears, 55-35, at Liberty's Memorial Gymnasium.

"Even though we beat them by a lot in the regular season, we knew they were gonna come out hard because it is districts," said Liberty senior forward Erin Eisenhart. "Everything was on the line for both teams so that definitely was key in today's win."

The Hurricanes came on strong early, scoring

12 straight points in the opening minutes on a combination of Emma Pukszyn, who had a team-high 14 points, Layla Orth, Tamia Bruce, and a three by Ruby Miller.

The Bears answered with six straight from senior Samantha Merklin, who had a game-high 16 points, and who didn't play in the first contest between the two teams on Jan. 18 due to injury.

"With her being back, their primary scorer and rebounder, our main goal on defense was to stop her," Eisenhart. "She did have a lot of points, but I feel like we did a good job containing her rebounds, so

second-chance opportunities were decreased a lot, and Tamia was pulling down boards for us."

Pleasant Valley had some missed opportunities on foul shots in the second quarter that could have kept Liberty's lead at 10 points, but the 'Canes took a 33-19 lead into the locker room.

"We saw this team earlier. They had a girl or two that didn't play last game, so we just came out and wanted to put it on them right away, put it away, and then cruise the rest of the way," said Liberty coach Jarrett Carnes. "Shooting is definitely a big part of our game. We're small, but we do

have a lot of shooters as well. What I'll say is we live and die by the three."

Pukszyn had the hot hand in the third quarter, tallying seven of Liberty's 13 points.

Pleasant Valley rallied at the end of the quarter, scoring nine consecutive points on a combination of Merklin, Aryn Stivala, and Ella Muir.

"It happened three or four different times that I felt good about where we were headed, but they made the shots that kind of broke our backs every time," Pleasant Valley coach Dan Muir said. "You come down here to the Lehigh Valley, and when you go



PRESS PHOTO BY MARK KIRLIN

Layla Orth and the Hurricanes got a late invite to the playoffs but took advantage with a win over Pleasant Valley before falling to Easton.



PRESS PHOTO BY DON HERB

Dante Frinzi was one of the Hawks to capture gold at the District 11.

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Andrew Harmon (145) picked up his second district championship, dispatching Northampton's CJ Fritz 9-1. Harmon knocked off Fritz last year in the district championship and worked his way back this season after dealing with ankle surgery.

"It feels good to win again, but I'm not sure it's a better feeling than last year," Harmon said. "It feels pretty good, but the major thing that I'm looking for is a state title."

The Hawks won the first four titles of the night with Dante Frinzi (126), Kollin Rath (132)

and Tyler Kasak (138) leading the way to Harmon's match.

Much like the motivation Thomas had coming into his bout after seeing his teammate fall, Harmon had similar feelings going into his rematch with Fritz.

"I was feeding off the other guys that won before me and I knew I had to win," he said. "I felt I wrestled pretty well and that's what I'm striving for this year. To get better every week. It's really state championship or bust."

Nate Desmond (106) took home his first district title, as the Hawks stellar freshman scored a 9-1 major decision over Easton's Chris Kelly.

Cael McIntyre (120) rounded out the Hawks champions with a 3-1 decision over Nazareth's Charlie Bunting.

In total, Becahi had 11 wrestlers move onto regionals including: Cole Campbell (113, third); Jake Dailey (152, third) and Eli Thompson (HWT).

Liberty's Memorial Gymnasium is the site of this weekend's action again taking place on Friday and Saturday.

Wrestling gets underway at 4:30 p.m. Friday with quarterfinals taking place at 6:30 p.m.

Semifinals are Saturday at 11 a.m. with all three medal rounds taking place simultaneously at 5 p.m.

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Ryan Santiago (145) and Christian Reid (160) both finished in fourth place, following medal round losses.

Santiago dropped a 5-1 decision to Nazareth's Nick Foster, while Reid lost to Parkland's Adrian Gacek by fall in 3:00.

"I'm really proud

of the way this whole team wrestled," Hall said. "Overall I think we competed and wrestled hard. We had guys that were overmatched, but as a program I'm proud of what they showed. Come out and wrestle hard and you can live with whatever the results are and that's what we did."

BC looks to secure state playoff berth

BY PETER CAR
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There's only one team left standing in the city as the basketball postseason progresses through this week and that's Bethlehem Catholic.

The Golden Hawks kept their season alive for at least two more games after knocking off Northwestern 50-45 in the opening round of the District 11 4A tournament last week.

With three teams moving onto the state tournament in 4A, Becahi (17-6) had some room to breathe heading into Tuesday's semifinal against Central Catholic (20-4), which was past Press deadlines.

The winner of Tuesday's marquee showdown earns a berth in Friday's championship and automatically clinches a berth in the PIAA tournament. The loser moves to the consolation contest, between either top-seeded Wilson (18-6) or North Schuylkill (13-10).

With Wilson claiming the Colonial League Championship, it gave them the top-seed in the bracket, and unfortunately, pitted the two best teams of the tournament in the semifinals.

Hawks' head coach Scott McClary knew it was going to be a difficult outing against the defending district and PIAA champion Vikings.

"Central is a very tough opponent and we will need to play our best



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Aaron Levy and the Pates fell to Parkland in the District 11 playoffs.

game of the year to win this one," said McClary. "They have some great individual players, and they don't do anything to beat themselves. They are likely the best defensive team we will have faced all season, so our ability to find scoring is a concern. Limiting Liam Joyce's touches and limiting Tyson Thomas' ability to penetrate are keys, but Central still has an array of ways to beat you, and their team has tremendous depth as well."

Both teams have dominated the 4A classification, as the Hawks won titles from 2017-19, while Central has won the last two titles.

The Vikings also topped Becahi earlier this season in their only

encounter of the season, winning 39-29, back on December 17.

The Hawks weren't at full strength for that contest and had their star power with Edixon Gomez back in the lineup this time around.

However, they're also playing a lineup that is mostly healthy for the first time in two years, which is something they weren't used to.

"This current lineup has only had a few total practices together, along with one game, in their whole lives," said McClary. "So, while the talent level is a bit higher, along with our depth, our on the court chemistry is still very much a work in progress. Additionally, we have three

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"Certainly Javien wanted a district title, but he wasn't deterred after losing his first match," said head coach Brandon Hall. "Maybe next week at regionals he can get a rematch with Rath. We'd definitely take another crack at

DISTRICT 11 DIVING

Pooley takes second

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Liberty junior Keller Pooley rose from a fourth-place finish at the East Penn Conference diving meet three weeks ago to winning the silver medal at the District XI Class 3A Diving Championships on Saturday at Emmaus High School.

"I'm super, super excited. I did not think I was going to be second, and I wasn't looking at the standings until after the second round, and I looked and was kind of really surprised at where I was," Pooley said. "It gave me some adrenaline for the last round, but then I had to calm myself down a bit, but I did really good. I'm really happy. I wasn't putting a lot of pressure on myself to be second, and I told myself to just do good dives."

Pooley scored high marks on her reverse dive pike, including three sevens.

"That reverse dive is probably my scariest dive," she said. "I landed on my back in that at the last meet, so I've never gotten that high on that dive. That was my biggest accomplishment."

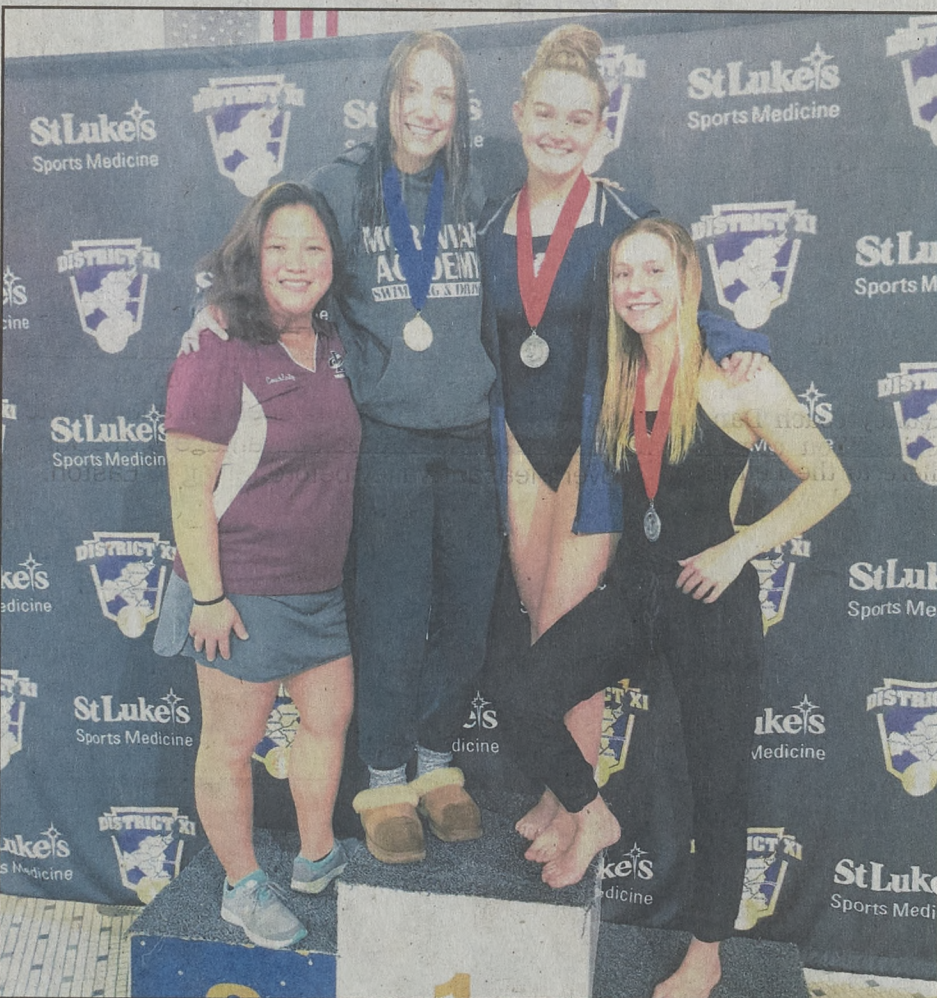
Pooley's overall score was 369.85, only 10 points off the first-place finish of Easton's Rachel Marcus.



PRESS PHOTO BY NANCY SCHOLZ

Keller Pooley of Liberty won silver at the 3A district diving competition.

"We definitely had a goal going into this that she wanted to be in the top four, but today she brought a level of consistency where she was above average on everything which carried her right into the second-place spot," said Liberty diving coach Emily Kocis. "I am exceptionally happy with Keller's performance today." Other medalists were Parkland's Nicole Stofko, who placed third with a score of 336.40 and Easton's Madison Cunnard, who placed fourth with a score of 324.10. Pooley and Marcus will advance to the PIAA State Class 3A Diving Championships later this month at Bucknell University.



PRESS PHOTO BY KATIE MCDONALD

District Diving

Alexa Fegley from Moravian Academy, who won District gold in 2A, Keller Pooley from Liberty who won District silver in 3A, and Anna Petke from Beca who won District silver in 2A, pose with their coach, Emily Kocis, far left, after the District 11 diving meet last weekend.

Fegley wins third title

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Moravian Academy senior Alexa Fegley was crowned District XI Class 2A diving champion for the third year in a row last Saturday at Emmaus High School.

"I felt the pressure," Fegley said. "Anna (Petke) and I go back-and-forth every year, and we were both hitting all our dives, so it was definitely close."

Petke, a Bethlehem Catholic junior, won the silver medal with a score of 361.80.

"Overall, I had a great day," Petke said. "One of my dives, I did poorly on because I got a little distracted, and my feet were off the board, and that made me go down a little, but overall, I did very well."

It was Petke's reverse dive pike that caused some trouble on Saturday, but the Beca junior recovered with high marks on her back



PHOTO BY NANCY SCHOLZ

Becahi's Anna Petke took third in 2A. one somersault one-and-a-half twist. "I did very well in that, and my inward one-and-a-half went very well," she said. "[The silver medal] is good. Next year I'm hoping for gold, so that's what I'm looking for." Diving coach Emily

Kocis, who coaches both girls, called Fegley's performance the meet of her career, scoring 404.30 points.

"Alexa had a stellar performance," Kocis said. "Anna lost a little bit in those middle rounds and was able to pull back up, but it just wasn't enough. She was only four points behind Alexa after the first five, so, not bad. There were just a couple things here and there we can fix up before states and get her up into the higher scores."

Fegley scored high on her reverse dive pike, including three eights.

"My back-and-a-half was higher than normal, but my inward dive was probably the highest-scoring dive I had," she said.

Fegley and Petke will advance to the PIAA State Class 2A Diving Championships later this month at Bucknell University.



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Little Spikers

The Little Spikers volleyball program reached its third week of training this past weekend at Liberty High School with one more week to go, and the kids continue to improve every week. The goal of the program has been to grow the game at the grassroots level, as there are very few opportunities across the country for boys and girls at the elementary school level to play the sport of volleyball. This program is hoping to change that and allow the kids to play at scaled levels - like using different ball types, lower nets and different types of games. Pictured are grades K-2 and grades 3-5 who are taking part.

Henry Repeating Arms donates rifles for good cause

BY NICK HROMIAK
Special to the Press

Every time there's a shooting, guns and gun manufacturers get the blame. They didn't pull the trigger, but the shooter did. A firearm could lay dormant for 100 years and it will never fire. The point is, gun makers rarely, if ever, get good press.

But one company has made news that the anti-gun folks and press will likely not mention.

Henry Repeating Arms, an American company of lever action rifles and shotguns, has done a good deed, and should be recognized for it. Founded by Benjamin Tyler Henry in 1860, the company has manufacturing space in New Jersey and Wisconsin and their recent donation of 55 customized series "Miss Milah's Miracle" edition rifles, will go to raise funds for 4-year-old Milah Schevenius of Decatur, Indiana.

At age three, Milah was diagnosed with bilateral Wilms tumor, a rare occurrence affecting less than 10 percent of all children's kidney cancer cases.

In 2021, Milah underwent surgery to remove the affected kidneys, leaving her with less than half of her right kidney and no left kidney. A follow-up surgery was performed in December 2021 after a legion was found on her remaining partial kidney. Additionally, Milah is undergoing 42 weeks of chemo with radiation treatments at a children's hospital in Indiana.

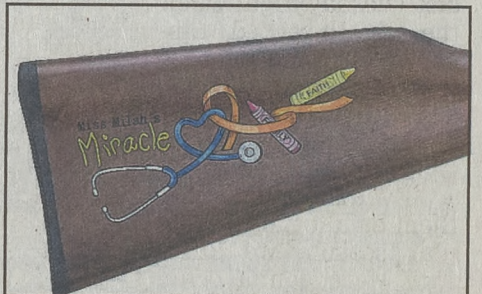
Her parents say Milah loves to color, play with her dolls, have tea parties and spend time with her sisters. And when she grows up, she wants to be a doctor so that she can help kids through what she is experiencing.

When I first read about this, my eyes watered. No young child should have to go through this.

"Never judge a book by its cover, because this little girl is tough," says Ryan Knapp, Milah's grandfather. "She's been through more than most anyone should in less than four years of her life, but does it with a smile and she doesn't quit."

Anthony Imperato, CEO of Henry Repeating Arms says, "To go through what Milah and her family are going through in the middle of a worldwide pandemic, is almost incomprehensible."

Imperato, who you may have seen appearing on cable TV showcasing his Henry lever action rifles,



Henry Repeating Arms has donated 55 rifles with hand painted butt stocks with elements of Milah's personality.

goes on to say, "Milah's courage is nothing short of inspirational, and I hope these rifles or the money raised through the sale of them, gives her a reason to gift her family with a smile and a big hug."

This isn't the first time Henry Rifles went to bat for ailing children. Last year the company raised over \$75,000 for the families of two sick children, with all donated rifles selling out within hours.

For Milah, the Henry "Miss Milah's Miracle" is a .22 S/L/LR lever action rifle that features genuine American walnut stocks with a colorful hand painted motif that incorporates elements of Milah's personality. The stock is painted with a doctor's stethoscope, referring to Milah's adulthood ambitions, it also forms a heart shape and becomes intertwined with a bright orange ribbon that represents kidney cancer.

Two crayons symbolize Milah's love of coloring and the labels bearing the words "Faith" and "Family" serve as tributes to what helps the Schevenius family through their journey.

To learn more about Miss Milah's Miracle fundraising campaign or purchase one of the limited-edition rifles visit www.henryusa.com/missmilah. The auction for the first serial number in the series "MISSMILAH01" is available on Gunbroker.com item #925202160. The last rifle in the series is "MISSMILAH55" is also available at auction (item #925202458). Both online auctions close on March 9. All proceeds of the fundraising will be presented to the Schevenius family to assist the associated health care costs of Milah's treatments.

All firearms purchased through Henry Repeating Arms must be shipped to a licensed firearms dealer. For more information visit henryusa.com or call 866-200-2354.

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players playing with very significant injuries that will not be able to be addressed until after the season has ended."

Gomez, who led the team in scoring against Northwestern's upset bid with 15-points, is one of those players fighting through injury, as he has a torn meniscus.

Ryan Glassmacher followed with 10 points to pace the Hawks, but they'll need a more bal-

anced effort in order to beat Central.

"I was very pleased that we were able to keep our composure down the stretch and beat Northwestern," McClary said.

"They played really well with their season on the line as we expected them to. This time of year, there are no excuses, you just have to adopt a win any way mentality."

Liberty and Freedom both saw their seasons end in the opening rounds of the District 11 6A tournament last

week. Freedom was outmanned against top-seeded Parkland 70-38, while Liberty was nipped by second-seed Pocono Mountain West 55-54.

Liberty held a 54-53 victory late in the fourth before Julian Pagan netted the game-winner for West with eight seconds left to stifle Liberty's upset bid.

Kuwasi Wellington and Joseph Barnes both registered 21 points apiece for the Hurricanes in the loss.

Foundation for success

I have taken each of my children with me to various jobs, at a school, two libraries, a few churches and most recently, on newspaper assignments.

It does not always go well. Erick, when he was little, once interrupted me in front of an entire church congregation by playing peek-a-boo from behind the altar. Nursing my youngest, James, or pumping milk for him at another job proved awkward and interruption-prone.

But there were a lot of benefits too. I enjoy having my kids with me. And they learned valuable lessons, doing volunteer work, and in my oldest child, Samantha's case, she eventually began working at one of the libraries. The official Take Your Child to Work Day was sort of a bore for them, since it wasn't anything novel. But they learned about many different things, and just as importantly, they learned the value of work. Not just the monetary value, they also learned the feeling of accomplishment that comes with a job well done, and they met people. While doing craft shows with me, Erik learned how to interact with customers.

My current day job does not participate in Take your Child to Work Day, but James often accompanies me on assignments for the newspaper. I try to balance time with James with fun things. At the recent Polar Plunge, we were sad that his young friends from the Colonial IU20 Parent Support T.E.A.M had stayed home because of the cold temperatures. But there was a playground at the park where the plunge was held, and he found kids to play with, including another boy his age with the same first name. We pretty much took turns. He walked/stood with me while I took photos and did interviews, then playground time, and so on.

My older two children have found success in their work. I hope the early foundation of going to work with me played a role in setting them up for success. I also hope the same for James. More, I feel blessed to have the opportunity to give him these varied experiences. If you see us out in the community, please say hello.



By Lani Goins

LV Auto Show Electric cars shine

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Electricity has galvanized the automotive industry over the past few years, so it is fitting that when organizers invited the press to preview the upcoming Lehigh Valley Auto Show, they featured eight of this year's electric car models.

"It's a preview of what people are going to see March 16 through the 20th," said Tom Kwiatek, executive director of the Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association.

That auto show is scheduled for March 16-20 at the Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association show at Lehigh University's Goodman Campus.

There will be new cars, trucks, crossovers, SUVs and motorcycles occupying 125,000 square feet in three different venues on the

campus: Stabler Athletic and Convocation Center, Rauch Fieldhouse and Goodman Hall.

"This year marks our 23rd year," said Vice President of Star Buick GMC Keith Muir, the chair of the 2022 auto show. "We've been trying to have the 23rd year for three years now. And we are glad to finally be back in person here at Stabler Center and on the Goodman Campus of Lehigh University."

"In the past three years, we have seen some major changes and shifts in the automotive industry," said Muir. "Probably the most visible, and it is the theme of this year's show, is the increase in the electrification, hence our theme: 'Leading the Charge - Find out what's electrifying the auto industry.'"

Muir said that though electric vehicles are See **SHINE** on Page A11.



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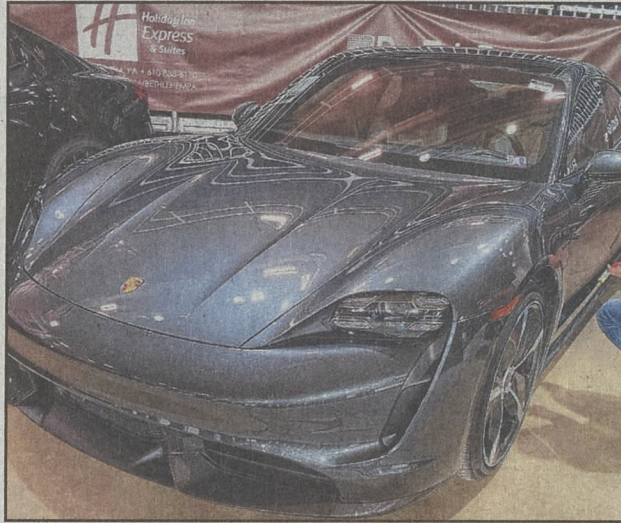
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Kelly Chrysler Jeep Dodge Ram presented a 2022 Jeep Wagoneer at the Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association.



Mercedes Benz of the Lehigh Valley had a 2022 Mercedes Benz EQS on display at the Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association.



A 2021 Porsche Taycan from Porsche of the Lehigh Valley was on display and the Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association.

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a.m. to 3 p.m. March 13. Antinanco will provide tree care, install tree shelters and stakes, and visit the park's treasured and sacred spots. Work gloves and tools will be provided. Food and snacks to share during the day's activities are welcome. Contact Olga Sher, 917-685-1223, osher@antinanco.org.

K9 KOP PROJECT needs a virtual volunteer to be their Social Media Assistant. Tasks include establishing and/or maintaining active social media accounts, researching and creating interesting content for different social media channels, plus posting approximately 3-4 times a week. Contact Vickie Richards, 443-851-3658, k9kopproject@gmail.com.

LEHIGH VALLEY SCORE needs volunteer mentors to coach entrepreneurs at no charge for the local chapter in the nationwide SCORE organization. They partner with the SBA and local agencies who assist small business startups or local small businesses who need assistance. Contact Tracy Damiani, 610-266-3000, tracy.damiani@scorevolunteer.org.

ALL-NEW TRAIL!

MAC & Mocktails

**March 5, 2022
12 to 5 PM**

Mac & Mocktails is our ALL-NEW trail that is shaping up to be the cheesiest yet! Join us as we travel throughout the Historic District, sampling some amazing gourmet mac & cheese prepared by some of the city's best chefs! Between samplings, cleanse your palate with a mocktail!

After you register, arrive at your scheduled check-in time on your confirmation email, to the Bethlehem Chamber's office, located at 74 W. Broad Street, suite 240. You'll receive your passport and your map. From there, you'll travel from location to location, picking up your samples.

Once you've traveled throughout the downtown and have tried all samples provided, you will have the opportunity to vote for your favorite!

One lucky mac & cheese voter and one mocktail voter will receive a \$100 Downtown Bethlehem Gift Certificate. Merchants providing the best mac & cheese and mocktails will receive the ultimate bragging rights!



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Fantastic February

Behind the curtains hides news of the official announcement that the Freedom theater company made this month, declaring that Curtains tickets will launch March 1. For the first time in three years, they will be hosting the spring musical to a full audience. You won't want to miss this event.

Through new experiences and different teaching approaches, the Patriots got fresh perspectives on material applicable to their lives. Pennsylvania Army National Guard visited Freedom and directed the PE courses for a day, informing and enlightening the students on any inquiries. In the health classes, Mrs. Alozie also did some illuminating work. She the health classes the film "42" and taught them about one example of black excellence to showcase Black History Month.

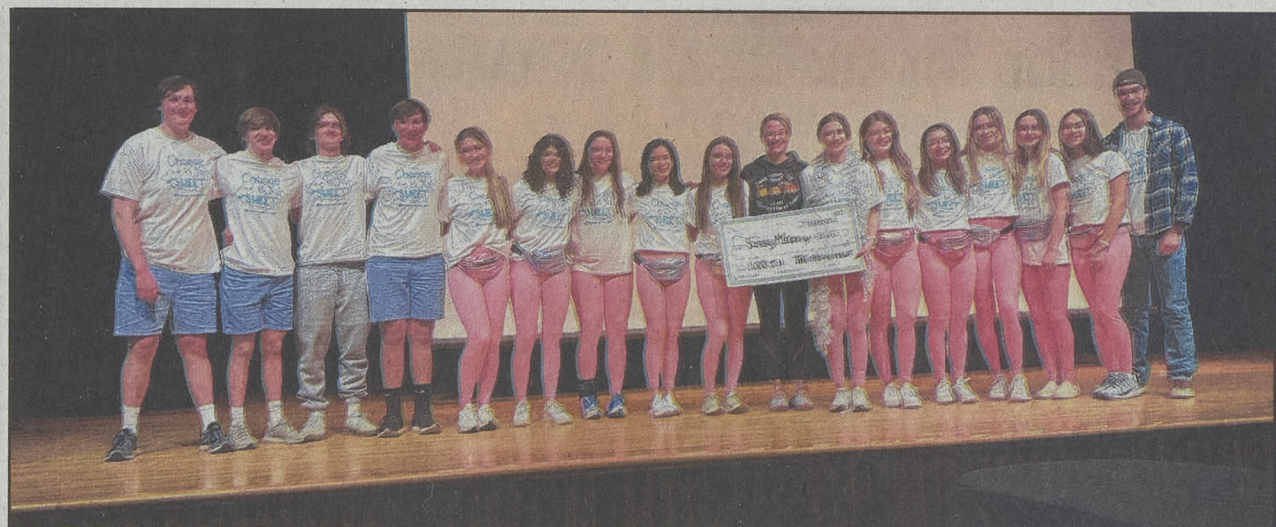
In terms of academic achievements, special congratulations to seniors Ana Reis and Ciana Feliciano for being recipients of the YWCA Bethlehem Educational Empowerment Scholarship. The Freedom family is proud of the hard work the young ladies put in to win such an honor.

Sports at Freedom have been thriving as well. The boys wrestling team includes four Pates who received medals at the highly competitive Junior High District XI Tournament. Ivan Bonilla received third place; Daniel Schifert, fourth place; Nick Lyden, fifth place; and Keenan Ray, eighth place. Jomar Medine received third place in the JV districts; Miles Turner and Nick Farrel, fourth place; and Samuel Acevado, fifth place.

Once again, it has been another safe and successful month. We hope to continue this pattern, as spring is right around the corner.



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PRESS PHOTO BY ISABELLA BAUTISTA

Members of The Movement present the \$20,000 check to Janelle Massey, founder of the Sassy Massey Smiles Foundation.

THE MOVEMENT AT BETHLEHEM CATHOLIC

\$20,000 for a sweet cause

BY ISABELLA BAUTISTA
Special to the Bethlehem Press

On Sunday, Feb. 20, 16 Bethlehem Catholic seniors and a few juniors arrived at the school in the early afternoon prepared for a long night.

The seniors are members of The Movement, Bethlehem Catholic's philanthropic organization whose goal is to engage the student body to help local charities meet their goals.

At 7 p.m., over 100 more students began registering for the annual Lock-In, which would take place over a 12-hour time window from 8 p.m. to 8 a.m. the following morning. Over the course of the night, the students would eat three meals, do yoga, dance to music in the dark with glow sticks during "glow hour," sing karaoke and write letters to children with cancer on behalf of the student body.

All the events were run by members of The Movement. This year's theme was "Change Is Sweet," and accordingly, if you walked into the building during the time of the Lock-In, you might see a Candyland-esque flood of decorations. Students enjoyed vying to be chosen by The Movement's Morale Committee



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as the "sweet person of the hour" and receiving a bag of candy to take home with them after the event.

At 7:30 a.m. Monday morning, the students gathered in the auditorium to meet the person who the proceeds from the event would go to: Janelle Massey. A Bethlehem Catholic alumna herself, she is the founder of an organization called Sassy Massey Smiles Foundation that brings "miles of smiles" to children in hospitals by buying and sending toys for them to play with.

The foundation was begun in honor of Janelle's daughter, Jillian Massey, who passed away at age 4 from disseminated high-risk medulloblastoma. Before her passing, Jillian told her parents that she wanted to bring toys to children just like her. She helped start her first vision of the Sassy Massey Smiles Foundation by delivering over 3,000 toys that had been donated through an Amazon wish list in December 2016. Now, her mother's wish is to carry on Jillian's mission.

In the Bethlehem Catholic auditorium, Janelle Massey told the students her daughter's story and proceeded to show a video of Jillian's wish in action that showed a young boy receiving an iPad from the foundation just a few weeks earlier. Afterwards, The Movement co-chairs Hannah DiLello and Ella Trunzo pre-

sented her with the check of the total donation the student body would make to the foundation: a staggering

\$20,000. Later, Trunzo said, "Handing Janelle Massey the \$20,000 check for the Sassy Massey Smiles Foundation was the most rewarding experience. I am beyond grateful for The Movement and our efforts. This is something I will never forget."

On a similar note, DiLello agreed, "It was a great experience to be able to run the Lock-In this year with Ella and the other kids in our class. I will cherish forever the memories and all that I learned through planning this event. All of the hours we put into this were so worth it when we were able to hand our check to the Sassy Massey foundation."

The Movement would like to especially thank Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, St. Anne's Church and St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Church for allowing them to speak about and collect money for the cause from parishioners after masses. Special thanks also goes out to Joao and Bradley Construction Co. for donating the DJ as well as Heart of a Legend Foundation. Finally, the event would not have been possible without the help of Becahi teacher Stephen Tomaszewski, who oversees The Movement, and the entire Bethlehem Catholic administration's support.

SCHOOL NEWS

Bethlehem Area SD

Thank you offered

BASD thanks the education center's Todd Repsher, coordinator of school safety and emergency management, for his dedication and commitment to the BASD staff during the pandemic. He keeps the buildings safe.

Marivine ES recently welcomed Bethlehem Police Officer Elias to the classroom for a question and answer session.

Pop Up Prom Gown event March 5

The YWCA Bethlehem annual Pop-Up Prom Shop is from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. March 5 at the ArtsQuest Center at SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way. There will be 1,500 plus new dresses for \$20 each including purses and jewelry. HS juniors and seniors, accompanied by one adult guest per shopper, may select up to two dresses. HS I.D.'s are required.

Volunteers are needed on March 4 and 5. To volunteer or donate purses and jewelry (not dresses), email developmentdirector@ywcabethlehem.org or call 610-984-2202; or register and for information, visit www.ywcabethlehem.org/homepage/what-we-do/girls-empowerment/pop-up-prom-shop/

Roy to speak on March 15

BASD Superintendent Dr. Joseph Roy will speak on "Student Opportunity and Diversity in the Bethlehem Area School District" from 7:30 to 9 a.m. on March 15. The event takes place in the Zoellner Arts Center, 420 E. Packer Ave.

Reservations required: email brittney@lehighvalleychamber.org

Positions available

BASD support positions are available. Custodians are needed from 2 to 10 p.m. at Miller Heights and James Buchanan E.S. Child Care leads and aides and school bus driver positions are open at various ES locations.

Aramark is seeking BASD substitute food service workers. No experience needed. No nights, weekends or holidays. Flexible schedules. Apply at <https://bit.ly/3L2B8TT>

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count for only a moderate fraction of new vehicle sales, demand for battery-electric vehicles doubled just in the first half of last year.

He credited General Motors CEO Mary Barra with saying, "This year could be the tipping point." He said the electric vehicle (EV) market and number of new models is exploding. "Analysts anticipate the number long range EV models will quadruple this year.

"There has been a continuing and increasing shift from sedans to SUVs and pickup trucks," said Muir. "You will see that at this year's show."

"When we went into pandemic lockdown, customers couldn't go to dealers, so dealers went to them over the internet," said Muir. "Even after the country opened back up, more and more customers shopped for their cars online."

He said there has been an incredible shortage of manufacturing materials, such as semiconductor chips, and other raw materials like tires, interior plastics and seat foam. That and major shipping issues result in factory slowdowns and lack of inventory.

Muir said that at the end of 2021, a typical new vehicle cost \$45,000, up about \$8,000 from Dec. 2020.

Normally, said Kwiatek, the annual auto show has occupied 140,000 to 150,000 square feet. This year's show will feature 225 cars. "It depends on what cars come in to dealers."

When asked about the effect online dealers are having on traditional car-lot dealerships, Kwiatek said dealers have had online sales managers for years. "Customers can get a lot of information about the products before they actually see them."

"Most people, before they make a purchase decision, still want to touch it, see it, drive it. You can't do that online. It is a tool that helps customers. You can build a car online. In other words, it comes with these colors, it comes with these features. You can have most of the information in hand before you actually go in to a dealer."

When asked if dealerships are going the way of big box stores, Kwiatek said, "No. No, I don't see dealerships going away. I think if you ask most people and most dealers, there's a relationship there."

He said salespeople build relationships with customers. "That's the connection that you're not going to get online."

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Tabled projects get further review

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The newly re-constituted Bethlehem City Council voted Feb. 15 to approve two certificates of appropriateness that green-light two multi-story buildings in South Bethlehem. Several city councilmembers expressed reluctance to vote for the projects, then proceeded to approve them.

Final vote on the projects had been tabled or delayed at a previous meeting to give the newly-hired solicitor Brian Panella time to review them.

Both projects had been rejected by the Historic Conservation Commission as being too tall to fit in with the historic architecture of the neighborhoods where developers wanted to build them.

City council, which is historically inclined to

BETHLEHEM COUNCIL



PRESS PHOTO BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

Councilwoman Dr. Wandlyn Enix, a former history teacher from South Bethlehem, had just that evening been seated at the dais and this was her first action as a councilmember. She said, "I'm not convinced of the historical nature of preservation. It's invasive in a sense, so I'm very hesitant about this."

go along with HCC recommendations, were simultaneously faced with a growing political pressure to find solutions to the shortage of affordable housing in the city.

However, the developers produced slightly modified proposals that got HCC approval and gained, with some dissent, the approval.

One of these will be a five-story building with retail space and apartments at 305 E. Third St. The project by Peron Development LCC was represented by former Bethlehem mayor John Callahan.

Councilmember Dr. Paige Van Wirt gave her support, but explained how she had felt initial "consternation over approving" the building. She was concerned that the building when initially proposed was higher than surround

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The new faces of Bethlehem City Council after Dr. Wandlyn Enix joined their ranks. From left to right: Dr. Paige Van Wirt, Rachel León, Kiera Wilhelm, Hillary Glatt Kwiatek, Dr. Wandlyn Enix, Grace Crampsie Smith and Michael Colon.

YOUR LOCAL WEATHER


7 Day Forecast	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Scattered Rain	Cloudy	Few Showers
	51 / 32 2-10 mph W	42 / 17 6-13 mph NW	39 / 25 2-7 mph W	45 / 36 2-6 mph ESE	61 / 37 2-11 mph SSW	60 / 35 4-6 mph ENE	57 / 34 11-17 mph W

FORECAST FOR LEHIGH VALLEY PENNSYLVANIA

Today we will see partly cloudy skies, high temperature of 51°, humidity of 50%. West wind 2 to 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 72° set in 1972. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight, overnight low of 32°. West wind 6 mph. The record low for tonight is 8° set in 1934. Thursday, skies will be partly cloudy, high temperature of 42°, humidity of 41%. Northwest wind 6 to 13 mph. Thursday night, skies will be partly cloudy, overnight low of 17°. North wind 2 to 9 mph. Friday, skies will be partly cloudy, high temperature of 39°, humidity of 34%. West wind 2 to 7 mph. Friday night, skies will be mostly cloudy, overnight low of 25°. Light winds. Saturday, skies will be mostly cloudy with a slight chance of rain, high of 45°, humidity of 60%.

Weather Trivia

Can tornadoes rotate in the wrong direction?



Answer: Some tornadoes rotate clockwise, opposite of the normal rotation.



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Magisterial District Judge Nicholas E. Englesson swears in newly-appointed Bethlehem City Councilmember Dr. Wandalyn Enix Feb. 15 as Bethlehem Chapter NAACP President Esther Lee holds a Bible.



CITY

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buildings and that she wanted to “mitigate the visual impact to the pedestrian on the street.”

However, she said the current plan calls for a set-back of the top floor “like a wedding cake” which will allow more sunlight to reach the street level.

“The horse is already out of the barn,” said Van Wirt, referring to the fact that the project had already been approved by the administration, but the developer made accommodations to design features to make the building more like a part of a row rather than one big flat apartment building.

“You don’t want perfect to get in the way of pretty good,” Van Wirt said.

Councilwoman Rachel León said she was concerned how the taller building would affect small businesses across Third Street, but she would support the project.

Councilwoman Dr. Wandalyn Enix, a former history teacher and native of South Bethlehem, had just that evening been seated at the dais and this was her first action as a councilmember.

ber. She said, “I’m not convinced of the historical nature of preservation. It’s invasive in a sense, so I’m very hesitant about this.”

The certificate of appropriateness for the project passed 6-1 with Enix voting against.

The other multi-story building up for certificate of appropriateness was the one slated for 317 through 327 S. New St. The 327 South New Street Development, LLC, represented by Rafael Palomino and Jeffery Quinn, plans to build a nine-story building with retail space and apartments.

Discussion of the nine-story building also showed the frustration regarding the overall development process in Bethlehem.

“The size of the building is very problematic,” said Van Wirt. “It’s not the same as the contributing historic buildings in the area.”

She said it will cast a shadow on the Greenway, but said there was not enough data to know how much.

Because the height of the building has already been approved by the administration, Van Wirt said, “The threat of a lawsuit is real.”

“With total reluctance, I’m going to be supporting this so we can focus more on what we can really do and make an impact on growth.”

“This will be one vote I really regret,” said Councilmember Grace Crampsie Smith, “but I am concerned the HCC did ask [the developers] to do a set-back [of upper floors] and they did not do that and I don’t understand why.”


A third project, the re-purposing of the Holy Infancy School building at 127 E. Fourth St. got approval from the city council. The plan calls for a mix of commercial use and 24 apartments.

“It’s a great project,” said Van Wirt. “It’s adaptive re-use. It’s taking a really great building and making it better.”

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BRIEFLY

NAACP

Bethlehem event set for March 27

The Bethlehem NAACP will hold its 77th annual Freedom Banquet at 2 p.m. on March 27 at the Green Pond Country Club, 3604 Farmersville Road, Bethlehem.

Attorney Maraleen Shields of Allentown will be the guest speaker: “2022: A Year for Enlightenment.” Reservation deadline is March 5. Email emlanelee@gamil.com or call 610-866-2078.

A novel Jesus

Bucks author imagines the 'Missing Years'

LITERARY SCENE



By Dave Howell

Robin L. Reichert takes you on a spiritual journey as she explores the inner life of Jesus in her book, "Diary of a Man Called Jesus: His Life and Missing Years" (232 pp., \$9.99 print). Reichert covers Jesus' entire life, but her novel focuses on the years from his childhood until the beginning of his ministry before his death. None of this time is recorded in the Bible. There have been innumerable speculations about this period, many of which have him traveling to the East to gain the wisdom he later shared in the Holy Land. Reichert also has him traveling in the novel, searching for the Magi who visited him at his birth. The book takes a first-person viewpoint, beginning with Jesus' relationship to his mother and speculating

on his reflections about the wisdom he discovers from various teachers.

At many points, it reflects Reichert's own quest for knowledge, which has been a lifelong pursuit. The idea for the book came to her at an important and emotional time.

"Two years ago, I was feeling very lost. I wondered what I was supposed to do next," Reichert says in a phone interview.

She loved her occupation as a massage therapist, but was forced to give it up because of problems from a previous back injury.

"There was something happening. There was more in me that needed to come out. This idea popped into my head." Her idea for the novel came to her right after this low point.

She was frightened at the thought of writing the story, but was reassured by friends. Finally she told herself,

"If I don't do this I will be mad at myself for the rest of my life."

She was surprised that it only took two months to write her novel. "All I had

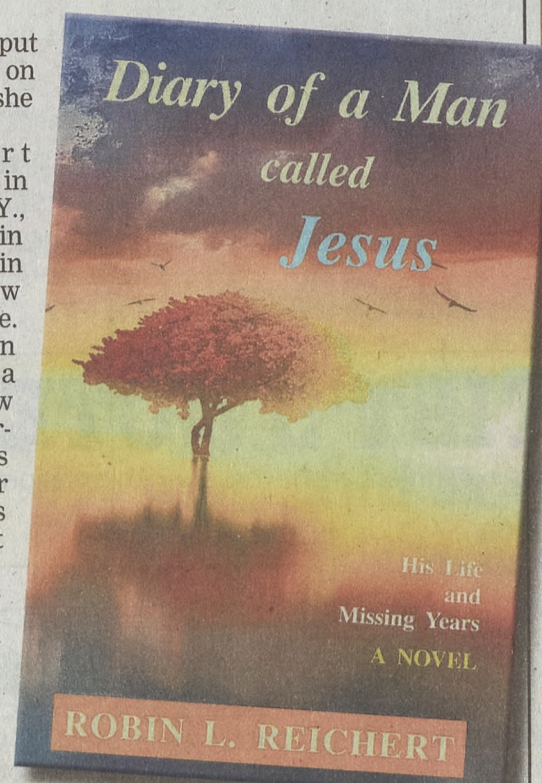
to do was put my fingers on the keys," she says.

Reichert was born in Buffalo, N.Y., and grew up in small towns in western New York State. She lived in Emmaus for a time and now lives in Erwinna, Bucks County. Her father was a Methodist minister.

"He encouraged me to answer questions for myself." He kept an open mind, Reichert says. "He began to ask me about what I was discovering about other spiritual traditions."

Portions of the novel reflect her interest in Native American spirituality, which also started her work in storytelling.

Reichert, a member of



READERS PICK THE OSCAR WINNERS

Nominations for the 94th Academy Awards have been announced. The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences will present the Academy Awards for 2021 outstanding film achievements, 8 p.m. (EST) March 27, Dolby Theatre, Hollywood and Highland Center, Los Angeles, televised live on the ABC-TV.

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

See Oscar contest entry form on Page B3

'Godspell in concert' at LU; 'Cloud 9' at NCC

CURTAIN RISES



By Kathy Lauer-Williams

Two very different shows from the 1970s are opening on two area campuses.

A time-shifting comedy that takes aim at Victorian colonialism and sexual oppression opens at Northampton Community College, while a musical based on the story of Jesus from The Bible's Gospel of St. Matthew opens at Lehigh University.

Northampton Community College's Theatre Department is staging "Cloud 9" by British writer Caryl Churchill, March 3-7, Norman Roberts Lab Theatre on the Bethlehem Town-



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Griffin Boyle, Michael Sheridan, "Cloud 9," March 3-7, Northampton Community College

ship campus.

Lehigh University's Department of Theatre presents "Godspell in Concert," March 4-12, Diamond Theatre, Zoellner Arts Center, Bethlehem.

"Cloud 9" is one of Churchill's most renowned

works. The play, written in 1979, uses controversial portrayals of sexuality and language to establish a parallel between colonial and sexual oppression.

Director Clair M. Freeman says the two-act comedy is "as relevant today as

it was when it was written."

Act 1 is set in British colonial Africa in the Victorian era and Act 2 is set in a London park in 1979. However, only 25 years pass for the characters between the acts and the two acts are structured in counterpoint.

Each actor plays one role in Act 1 and a different role in Act 2. The characters are played by different actors in each act and some switch genders.

Act 1 parodies the conventional comedy genre and satirizes Victorian society and colonialism. Act 2 shows what could happen when the restrictions of the comic genre and Victorian ideology are loosened.

"It's a time when gender roles are changing, cultural values are being questioned and social justice is at the forefront of our society. See CURTAIN on Page B3



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Tre Twitty and Tayla Lynn, 2 p.m. March 6, Roxy Theatre, Northampton. Doors open at 1:30 p.m. The duo are the grandchildren of Conway Twitty and Loretta Lynn. The concert includes the songs of Conway and Loretta and anecdotes. Through their memories of Poppy and Memaw, as they call their grandparents, the concert takes on the quality of a family get-together and often feels more like one is on the front porch with guitars and old family hymns than it does a concert. It's a fascinating opportunity to see two of country music's greatest legends through their grandchildren's eyes and continue a connection that Conway and Loretta fans have felt for more than 60 years. Tre Twitty and Tayla Lynn performed at The Roxy in January 2020. Tickets: www.TwittyAndLynn.com; Information: <https://www.roxytheaternorthampton.com/>; Box Office: 2004 Main St., Northampton; 610-262-7699

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICALS

Salisbury: 'Rent'

BY ED COURRIER
 Special to The Press

With the spotlight on Lehigh Valley high school musicals on the road to the 20th annual Freddy Awards, the Lehigh Valley Press Focus section continues its annual preview series.

The 2020 Freddy Awards ceremony is 7-10 p.m. May 21, State Theatre Center for the Arts, Easton, telecast live on WFMZ and wfzm.com.

For the list of 29 participating high schools, musicals, performances and ticket information: TheLehighValleyPress.com; freddyawards.org

Salisbury High School presents the rock musical "Rent," 7 p.m. March 10, 11, 12; 2 p.m. March 13, auditorium, Salisbury High School, 500 E. Montgomery St., Salisbury Township.

Impoverished young artists struggle to survive in bohemian Alphabet City in Lower Manhattan's East Village in New York City while under the shadow of HIV/AIDS.

"This is a beautiful show about love, chosen family, and how we take care of each other,"



PRESS PHOTO BY ED COURRIER

From left, front, Crystalis Herrera (Tom Collins) and Grace Spellacy (Benjamin Coffin III), and back, Trent Renelli (Mark Cohen), Gabriella Lozada (Mimi Marquez), Bella Natosi (Maureen Johnson) and Mia Bernard (Joann Jefferson), "Rent," Salisbury High School.

says Director Shannon O'Grady, "We hope audiences will embrace the message joyfully, as our students have."

O'Grady is also choreographer and costume designer. Assisting are Music Director Zach Montenegro, Technical Director and Set Designer Chris West and Lighting Designer Scott Ross.

With music, lyrics and book by Jonathan Larson, the musical is loosely based on the 1896 opera "La Bohème" by Giacomo Puccini.

"Rent" premiered off-Broadway in 1993. Its Broadway debut in 1996 garnered 10 Tony Award nominations, receiving four Tony Awards and the 1996 Pulitzer Prize for Drama.

Notable songs include "Seasons of Love," "La Vie Bohème," "Out Tonight," "Another Day" and "I'll Cover You."

Tickets: <https://salburysd.hometownticketing.com/embed/all>

Enter Student Poetry Project

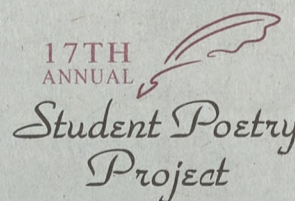
Submissions are now being accepted for the 17th annual award-winning Lehigh Valley Press Student Poetry Project.

In celebration of National Poetry Month in April, poems will be selected in each of the Elementary School, Middle School and High School categories. The first, second, and third place selections in each category will be published in the April 27 and April 28 Focus section in the eight Lehigh Valley Press newspapers and websites.

The student in each of the three categories whose poem is selected for publication on the front page of the Focus section may have his or her photo published, with the permission of the student's parent or guardian, in the Press Focus section.

Three writers of the first-place poems will be invited to read their poems and be interviewed on "Lehigh Valley Arts Salon," 6:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. April 25, WDIY, Lehigh Valley Community Radio, 88.1 FM, www.wdiy.org.

The entry guidelines:
 1. The Student Poetry Project is open to Lehigh Valley elementary school, middle school and high school public, parochial, private, charter,



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

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

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

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

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

5. E-mail poems and/or questions to George VanDoren, Student Poetry Project coordinator: georgevan@me.com

6. Hand-written or printed versions of poems may be mailed to or dropped off to: Student Poetry Project, care of Lehigh Valley Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, Pa. 18104. Teachers may submit multiple class poems in a single envelope as long as they are on separate pages and contain the required student information.

7. Entries must be received by U.S. Mail or email by 5 p.m. March 18.

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

9. Copies of poems will not be returned.

10. For ideas on teaching poetry: facebook.com/PoetryProjectContest/

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Try this oil and water experiment. Can you get the two to stick together?



SCIENTIST'S NOTEBOOK

Perform this experiment and record your observations here!

QUESTION: Will oil and water mix?

HYPOTHESIS: What will happen when I try to mix oil and water?

TOOLS FOR EXPERIMENT:

- Small clear jar or bottle with screw top
- Water
- Food coloring
- 2 tablespoons of cooking oil
- Measuring spoon

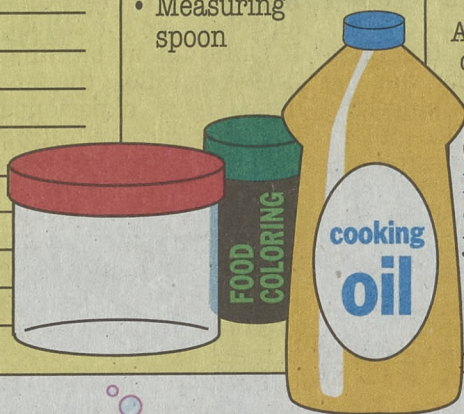
METHOD:



- 1. Fill the jar about half way with water. Add a couple of drops of food coloring.
- 2. Add the 2 tablespoons of oil to the colored water.
- 3. Screw the lid on tight and shake the jar as hard as you can.
- 4. Set the jar down and see if the water and oil mixed together.

OBSERVATION / CONCLUSION:

Draw or describe what you see.



Why won't the water and oil mix?

Water usually _____ well with other liquids to _____ solutions. But, as this experiment shows, oil and water do not mix. Water molecules are strongly _____ to each other. So are oil molecules. Because each is more attracted to its own _____, they just don't mix together. They separate, and the oil _____ above the water because it has a lower density.

Replace the missing words.

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If you add a few drops of dishwashing liquid to your jar of water and oil, what happens?

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_____ There is one way to get oil and water to mix. Add a drop _____

_____ molecules to hook up, which is why adding dishwashing _____

_____ attracted to dishwashing liquid. It helps the oil and water _____

_____ plates and into the water!

_____ liquid to water helps remove oil and grime off the _____

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OBSERVATION / CONCLUSION:

Draw or describe what you see.

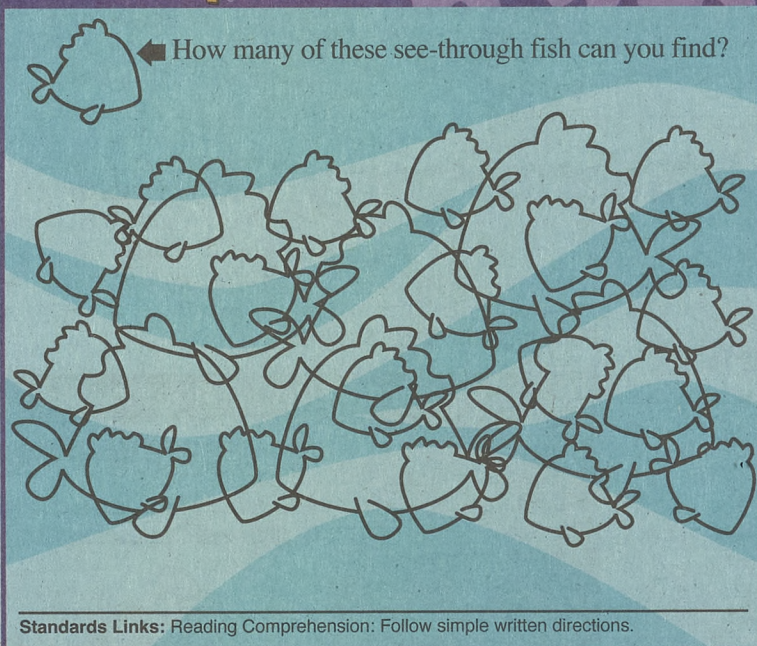
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Repeat with other science words: **matter investigation scientific hypothesis**

Standards Links: Spelling: Spell grade-level appropriate words correctly.

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Standards Links: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

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From left, LCCC professor Jeremy Siedt with student artists Amber Coleman, Biancarosa Vargas, Olivia Allison, Alyssa Dominguez, Quinn Benner, Rachael Bath, Kira Kuehner and Alexis Tewold at the "Lost and Found" opening reception.

'Lost and Found' at PSU LV

"Lehigh Carbon Community College's Capstone in Fine Arts Exhibition: Lost and Found" showcasing 24 pieces by eight LCCC graduating artists, continues through March 18, Community Gallery, Penn State Lehigh Valley, Center Valley.

"I thought the Community Gallery was the perfect space, since the mission of this gallery is to showcase students and young artists from around the Lehigh Valley," says PSU-LV Gallery Director Ann Lalik.

"The theme here is 'lost and found,'" says LCCC art professor Jeremy Siedt.

"There's these series of events where you feel lost at a certain point because it is new or difficult," Siedt says, adding, "Then you become

found at the end with your newfound knowledge or experience with that."

This is the second year of the course that Siedt created to assist graduating fine arts students prepare to transition to a career or transfer to a four-year school. In addition to building their portfolios, the students gain experience by organizing, curating and promoting the exhibition.

Each artist submitted three works and wrote a thesis for the exhibition. All eight are expected to graduate with associate degrees in art.

Participating artists are: Olivia Allison, Rachael Bath, Quinn Benner, Amber Coleman, Alyssa Dominguez, Kira Kuehner, Alexis Tewold and Biancarosa Vargas.

Works include acrylics, oils, fabrics, mixed media and digital prints. The students provided their perspectives on what they "lost" and "found" visually and in written artist statements.

Community Gallery, Penn State Lehigh Valley, 2809 Saucon Valley Road, Center Valley. Gallery hours: 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday, Closed Sunday. <https://lehighvalley.psu.edu/gallery>; 610-285-5078

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CURTAIN

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ety," says Freeman. "This time-shifting comedy offers a reflection of our world as seen through a hall of mirrors."

The scathing comedy examines the Victorian empire's rigid attitudes toward sex and conveys Churchill's message about accepting people who are different and not dominating them or forcing them into particular social roles.

"As trail-blazing now as it was with its first production, it celebrates the journeys to self-acceptance and to finding our own personal definition of happiness," Freeman says.

The cast includes Griffin Boyle, Meaghan Lawlor, Michael Sheridan, Olivia Byrne, Tamara Decker, Justin Ferguson and Andy Van Antwerp.

Because of its themes, the show is recommended for mature audiences.

Performances are 7:30 p.m. March 3, 4, 5 and 7 and 2 p.m. March 6.

Audience members are required to wear face masks.

Tickets: www.ncctix.org; 484-484-3412

Lehigh University's Department of Theatre's Spring 2020 production of "Godspell" was canceled because of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.

"Godspell in Concert" will be presented March 4-12, Diamond Theatre, Zoellner Arts Center.

The concert, directed by Jennifer Wescoe, is based on the musical about a group of hippies that parallels the story of Jesus Christ and the Apostles.

"Godspell" was the first major musical from three-time Grammy and

Academy Award-winner Stephen Schwartz ("Wicked," "Pippin," "Children of Eden").

The songs include the international pop hit, "Day by Day," and, ranging in style from pop to vaudeville, illustrate the Gospel according to St. Matthew.

In the musical, Jesus recruits a group of followers who help him enact different parables using a variety of games, storytelling techniques, and comic improvisation, which dissolve hauntingly into a depiction of The Last Supper and The Crucifixion.

Wescoe, who was Freedom High School Theater Department Director 2000 - 2018, is a 1998 graduate of Lehigh University. She says she is honored to return to Lehigh to direct "Godspell."

"Through my 20 years of directing theatrical pro-

ductions at various levels, 'Godspell' will always stay close to my heart," Wescoe says. "Godspell" is truly a production that has many opportunities for the troupe's talent and creativity to shine."

The wearing of face masks is required on the Lehigh University campus.

Performances are 7:30 p.m. March 4-5, 9-12 and 2 p.m. March 6.

The March 9 performance is a Pay-What-You-Wish. Tickets can only be purchased at the door or by phone.

Tickets: www.zoellner.cas.lehigh.edu; 610-758-2787 ext. 0

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REICHERT

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was working in a Native American store. The owner believed that storytelling would increase business, and convinced Reichert that she could do it.

"I was really shy back then, but I came to feel that I was not that person anymore. I began talking to little kids, and they made it easy. They really appreciate and listen."

Stories her parents told her about Jesus when she was a child had a powerful effect on her. "I was told, 'Jesus can be your friend.'"

"From the age of six to nineteen, my mother was very ill. I was her caretaker when my father could not do it. She was often not in a good space.

"Jesus was my invisible companion. He stayed

there in my heart.

"Even when I studied other spiritual paths, Jesus was always there in the background as a loving, caring presence."

Reichert has also written the book, "Earth Divine: Adventures of an Everyday Mystic," a book of personal reflections taken from her journals, and has released the storytelling CD, "Mystic: Stories of Magic and Wonder."

She has a number of books waiting in her computer. The next one has the working title "My Church," inspired by a poem that takes a religious view of nature.

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St. Luke's receives COVID funding

St. Luke's University Health Network (SLUHN) has been awarded a \$799,000 grant from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that the Network will use to provide state-of-the-art telehealth services at three of its campuses in Carbon and Schuylkill counties.

The grant that St. Luke's has received is part of the COVID-19 Telehealth Program. The Telehealth Program is part of \$200 million in funding that was appropriated by Congress as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. It is designed to help healthcare providers provide connected care services to patients at their homes or mobile locations in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The funds will be used to buy large-screen televisions and other IT equipment that will allow healthcare providers to interact with pa-

tients in real-time from any location.

The three campuses are the Carbon and Miners campuses and Geisinger St. Luke's.

Christina Musser, Senior Director Virtual Care (Telehealth) & Patient Experience at SLUHN, said, "We are starting with these campuses because it will allow specialists and other care team members a way to extend their services while breaking down geographical barriers.

"We also strive to keep patients in their communities, so anytime we can bring care and services to the patient is better than a transfer or unnecessary travel," said Musser.

The 55-inch smart televisions and other equipment will be installed in more than 200 rooms, including patient rooms on medical and surgical floors, intensive care, and the emergency department.

"This technology will

create a more life-like experience between patient and care-team member," Musser said.

The equipment also will allow family, who may have challenges being physically present, the opportunity to participate in visits that are conducted remotely, she said.

Musser expects the equipment to be installed and up and running later this year.

"This is a great step forward for our healthcare system, network, the care team, and most importantly for the patients," Musser said. "With technology, the barriers of geography are quickly shrinking. This solution will help St. Luke's improve access to and coordinate care for patients and their families with greater speed and efficiency."

Telehealth will not replace in-person physicians, advanced practitioners and other care team members, Musser

said. "It will bring more services and specialty care to the patients while keeping them closer to their homes," said Musser.

SLUHN officials said they are grateful to Lehigh Valley U.S. Rep. Susan Wild (D-7th) for her assistance in securing the funds.

Said Congresswoman, "The pandemic has underscored the need to be expansive and forward-thinking in how we approach the delivery of medical care.

"I'm proud to have helped St. Luke's secure this important funding for telemedicine equipment that will increase accessibility, quality of care and family involvement at critical moments," said Wild.

"Investing in our medical infrastructure and creating more opportunities for human connection can only lead to better patient outcomes," Wild said.

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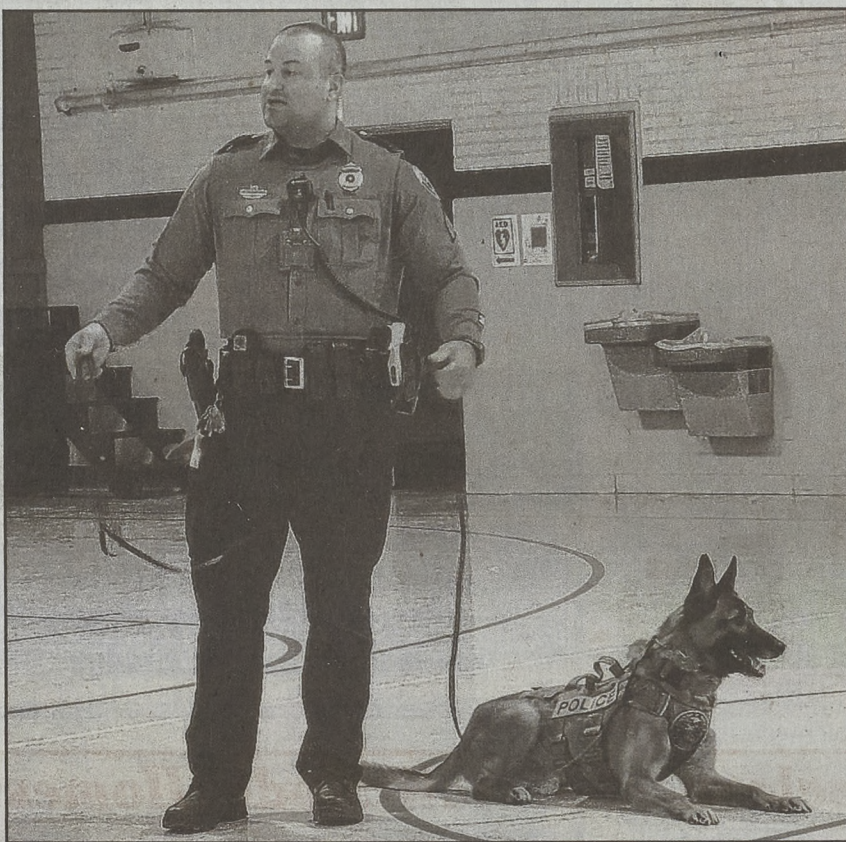
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St. Ann School celebrates Catholic Schools Week

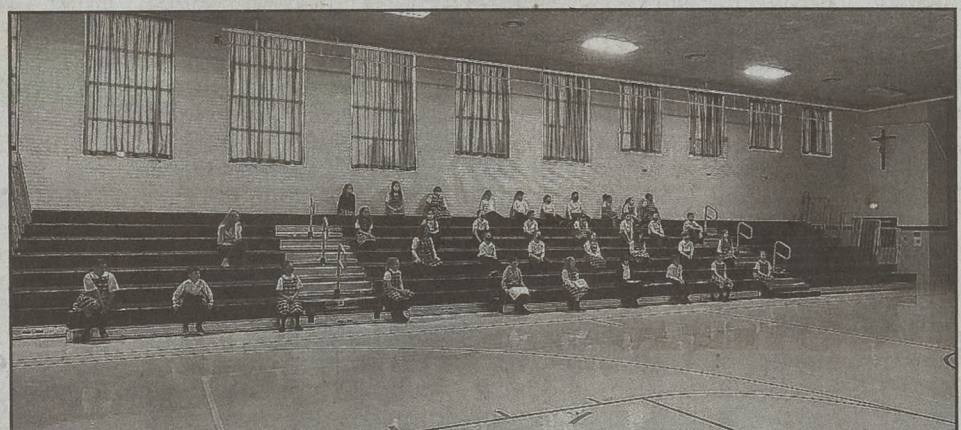


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St. Ann School, 435 S. Sixth St., Emmaus, celebrated Catholic Schools Week with a variety of activities. The Emmaus Police Department paid a visit to the third grade students with K-9 Ronnie after the students read the story "Aero and Officer Mike" by Joan Plummer Russell. ABOVE: Sgt. Vincent Murante talks with the students at St. Ann School while K-9 Ronnie waits for a command.



Sgt. Vincent Murante gives K-9 Ronnie a command to attack Officer Jayme Whipple during a demonstration for students.



Third grade students at St. Ann School, Emmaus, social distance for the presentation by the Emmaus Police Department recently for Catholic Schools Week.

'On The Nile,' 'Uncharted'

"Uncharted" charted at No. 1 at the weekend theatrical box office when it opened, as did "Death on the Nile," when it opened.

Each film has its merits for specific audiences. "Death on the Nile" has a solid cast in a movie based on the Agatha Christie 1937 novel.

The movie is directed by Kenneth Branagh, who directed "Murder on the Orient Express" (2017) based on the 1933 Agatha Christie novel.

It's the third screen adaptation of the Agatha Christie novel. There was a 1978 film and an episode in 2004 of the television series, "Agatha Christie's Poirot."

An Agatha Christie plot is nothing if not complicated and that is the case for "Death on the Nile," which calls for the expertise of Hercule Poirot (again played by Branagh, this time with that double-mustache, the reason for which is explained in the film's prologue), the fictional world-renowned private detective.

The premise has to do with a honeymoon excursion on a luxurious steamship, the Karnak, on the Nile River. The honeymooners are Linnet Ridgeway-Doyle (Gal Gadot), a wealthy socialite, recently married to Simon Doyle (Armie Hammer).

Along for the ride are Bouc (Tom Bateman), Poirot's friend and son of Euphemia (Annette Bening); Linus Windlesham (Russell Brand), a doctor; Andrew Katchadourian (Ali Fazal), an attorney; Louise Bourget (Rose Leslie), Linnet's lady's maid; Marie Van Schuyler (Jennifer Saunders), Linnet's godmother; Mrs. Bowers (Dawn French), Marie Van Schuyler's nurse; Salome Otterbourne (Sophie Okonedo), a cabaret singer; Rosalie Otterbourne (Leticia Wright), Salome's niece, and Jacqueline de Bellefort (Emma Mackey), who was engaged to Doyle.

When everyone's a suspect, it's good to have, in true Agatha Christie fashion, a lot of suspects.

The backdrops of the Aswan, Luxor and Cairo, Abu Simbel temples, Karnak Temple Complex,

AT THE MOVIES

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Valley of the Kings, and Pyramids of Giza give the film an enthralling travelogue sensibility.

As director, Branagh keeps the movie-goer guessing as to "whodunit." He also skillfully juggles the number of characters, their motivations and their interrogations in his role as Poirot.

The screenplay is by Michael Green (Oscar nomination, adapted screenplay, "Logan," 2017; screenwriter, "Jungle Cruise," 2021; "Murder on the Orient Express," 2017; "Blade Runner 2049," 2017).

Branagh has fun working with director of photography Haris Zambarloukos in camera movement, camera angles and lighting to keep the film interesting.

The acting is exaggerated, including Branagh as Poirot. Gal Gadot makes the most memorable impression.

"Death on the Nile" will be of chief interest to Agatha Christie fans and fans of Kenneth Branagh and the murder-mystery movie genre.

"Death on the Nile," MPA rated PG-13 (Parents Strongly Cautioned). Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13.) for violence, some bloody images and sexual material; Genre: Crime, Drama, Mystery; Run time: 2 hours, 7 minutes. Distributed by Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures.

Credit Readers Anonymous: "Death on the Nile" was filmed in Aswan, Luxor, Cairo, Egypt, and Morocco, and Longcross Studios, Surrey, England.

"Uncharted" is a movie in search of a reason to be more compelling. As an action-adventure film, it falls flat, despite two dynamic actors in lead roles, and two big action set pieces.

Nathan Drake (Tom Holland) is a young fortune hunter, who teams with Victor Sullivan (Mark Wahlberg) to locate \$5 billion in lost gold



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Center, foreground: Armie Hammer, Gal Gadot and, right, Kenneth Branagh, "Murder on the Nile."

treasure attributed to the Magellan expedition. Helping them is Chloe Frazer (Sophia Ali), Nathan's girlfriend.

Opposing them in the race for the gold is another treasure hunter, Santiago Moncada (Antonio Banderas), assisted by Jo Braddock (Tati Gabrielle), a mercenary.

Director Ruben Fleischer works from a screenplay by Rafe Lee Judkins, Art Marcum and Matt Holloway. The screenplay is not uncharted. It's mostly charted by the little book of action-movie cliches. I was surprised there wasn't a chase that overturned a fruit cart in an outdoor food marketplace. "Uncharted" is based on the video game series of the same title.

The dialogue between Holland and Wahlberg is nearly quipless and rather witless. The chemistry between the two, evident in a concluding scene, is mostly lacking throughout the movie.

Two huge action scenes nearly redeem the movie. A fight scene takes place aboard a cargo plane carrier and involves cargo crates and a vintage red Mercedes gull-wing door sports car. The other scene involves the air-lifting of two ancient galleons with fighting on board the ships.

"Uncharted" will be of chief interest for fans of Tom Holland and Mark

Wahlberg, action films and video games.

"Uncharted," MPA rated PG-13 (Parents Strongly Cautioned). Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13.) for violence-action and language; Genre: Action, Adventure; Run time: 1 hour, 56 minutes. Distributed by Universal Pictures.

Credit Readers Anonymous: "Uncharted" was filmed in Spain and Studio Babelsberg, Postdam, Germany. Two post-credit scenes foreshadow a sequel.

Theatrical Movie Box Office, Feb. 25-27: The top five places on the chart remained charted.

"Uncharted" explored No. 1 for two weeks in a row, with \$23.2 million in 4,275 theaters, \$83.3 million, two weeks.

"Dog" stayed at No. 2 for two weeks in a row, \$10.1 million, in 3,827 theaters, \$30.8 million, two weeks.

"Spider-Man: No Way Home" hung on at No. 3 with \$5.7 million, in 3,002 theaters, \$779.8 million, 11 weeks.

"Death on the Nile" cruised at No. 4 with \$4.5 million in 3,420 theaters, \$32.7 million, three weeks.

"Jackass Forever" kicked in again at No. 5 with \$3.1 million in 2,913 theaters, \$52 million, four weeks.

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From left: Tom Holland, Mark Wahlberg, "Uncharted."

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Planning the perfect afternoon tea party

Dear Jacquelyn,
My sister's birthday is coming up and I am considering hosting an afternoon tea as a way to celebrate. It seems like there are a lot of details to consider and it is a little overwhelming. Other than serving tea, what else would be needed to have a successful tea party?

RESPECTFULLY YOURS
By Jacquelyn Youst



Hosting a perfect tea party begins by selecting a date and sending out your invitations. The invitation will establish the theme for the event.

Consider a frilly paper invite. It's a thoughtful touch that will set the tone for your get-together. The preparation that goes into it shows thoughtfulness and kind consideration for the person invited.

The tea party table is the focus and takes center stage for the event.

Consider creating the perfect ambiance with an assortment of vintage tea cups, tea pot and lace doilies. A lovely floral arrangement is a beautiful addition.

Three courses are traditionally served with afternoon tea: sandwiches, sweets and scones.

Food items are often served to the guest on a decorative tray. Food may be eaten with the fingers unless cake is served. A fork would then be set on the table along with the napkin, tea cup, saucer and teaspoon.

Offer an assortment of fine teas. It's good to have at least two teas on hand to serve: a black or green caffeinated tea and at least one herbal or decaffeinated.

It's also a show of a good host to know a little about each tea to make recommendations to each person's taste.

Even though hosting an afternoon tea seems a little daunting, with a little planning your tea party will be a success. The magic is in the details.

Respectfully Yours,
Jacquelyn

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Are good-looking people more successful?

There are some questions that might seem to have obvious answers and there are some questions with answers that change as we progress through life.

My question to you today is one that I have debated with colleagues for decades. I hope you will join me in this debate because I'm interested in reader input.

The question really revolves over whether or not our looks determine our success.

I remember having an intense debate over that question more than 20 years ago.

A few of my male buddies were insisting they could tell who would get hired and who wouldn't simply by the applicant's looks and physique.

I argued it was qualifications that would determine who got hired.

This friendly debate raged on for months with both sides continuing to argue their point.

I finally concluded our difference in opinion was shaped by the kind of work we do.

My buddies worked in computer technology and accounting. I, on the other hand, am a writer, a career where it didn't matter how you look. It's how you write that will make or break your success.

Well, attitude also plays a major role in job success. A major study in Psychology Today concluded that attitude was far more important in job success than high intellect or a stellar academic background.

Nothing in the study measured how far one could go based on looks.

So my buddies kept arguing the point with me.

I finally agreed with one of their assertions but added my own caveat. How you look might get a job applicant in the door. But how they perform will determine their success after that.

I have to digress and tell a funny little story about when I was first hired as a journalist. At the time in our county, I was the first female hired as a general assignment reporter. But the publisher was worried readers wouldn't accept me if they knew I was a female. He insisted I write under the name of Pat, not Pattie.

That first year I had two promotions and the publisher asked me to write a weekly column. I told him I would but I would no longer use Pat as my first name. By then, most people in our small town knew I wasn't a guy.

Meanwhile, my friends in other fields kept giving me examples of how looks helped attractive women get in the door.

On occasion over the years I talked with some bosses who admitted their hiring decisions were influenced by looks and physique. One business owner justified hiring based on looks because he said his employees are the face of his business that people see.

Another fellow who ran a dance studio said he hired strictly by looks because it enticed more students.

By the way, subsequent studies show that attractive job candidates

WARMEST REGARDS
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are given preference much of the time. Also, tall men also have an edge, according to the studies.

But I will still argue getting in the door and staying there are two different things.

I can't believe that debate is still going on in my family.

My normally astute older daughter made the surprising observation that my granddaughter Sophie will be guaranteed success because of her good looks.

Both Sophie's mother and I strongly objected to that. We find it offensive. No one works harder than Sophie at everything she does. That's what will make her successful, not her looks, we insist.

The debate rages on. Granted, there are certain jobs where good looks are part of the unspoken requirements. If you're going to have your face magnified on the big screen, it's to your advantage of have appealing looks.

The same must be true for female anchors. There's a cookie-cutter look that must be in place when female anchors are hired. Why else would viewer see one attractive face over another. Oh, don't forget long hair. That seems to be a requirement, too.

Remember way back in 1991 when Katie Couric was named co-anchor of the "Today Show"? She brought with her an outstanding resume that showed an accomplished woman with many media awards to her credit. Yet, I remember wondering why talk show personalities kept saying they "were surprised a woman with short hair was hired for the job."

She didn't have "the look" they expected. But right from the start, the audience loved her.

OK, you tell me. Do we still expect television personalities to have a certain look? Scan through the channels and you'll have your answer.

A long time ago two women who worked at a certain local industry came to ask me to do a story about how that company promoted only on looks. They provided a list they said verified that was true.

Well, first off, that wasn't the kind of story I write. Secondly, it was all based on assumptions.

Of course I refused to write it.

A decade later here I am revisiting the issue. This time, I'd like your input.

Tell me your impressions and experiences. Do you think attractive job candidates are looked upon more favorably?

It may be a moot point now because many employers are having a hard time finding workers who will stay on the job.

In your viewpoint, how has the pandemic changed the employment picture?

Contact Pattie Mihalik at newsgirl@comcast.net.

Research vaping before warning teen son

Q: I have heard that it is easy for kids to hide vape pens and cartridges in their room. I don't think my high school son is vaping, but I also don't want to be naive. I want to protect my child, but I also want to respect his space and privacy. How does a parent balance both?

THE FAMILY PROJECT
By Kathy Lauer-Williams



thing, just ask him for his opinions on it," said panelist Mike Daniels.

"What are the family's values around smoking?" Daniels asked.

"There is nothing wrong with asking him directly if he has been exposed to vaping," said panelist Wanda Mercado-Arroyo.

"It's more than likely he has already been exposed. There are kids who start vaping in middle school," added Daniels.

"Be prepared that you might not get a direct answer and may have to pursue the issue with your son," said Raftas.

"Do a Google search and see examples of what vaping products look like. There are products that look like pens, thumb drives and other everyday items," said Mercado-Arroyo.

Be aware if your son shows any behavior

changes such as agitation or anxiety. And familiarize yourself with the language surrounding vaping. There are many different names for devices, the panel members said.

"It is important that parents educate themselves about all aspects of vaping. Having strong family values gives you the skills to talk about things with your children," added Continenza.

"If you snoop without cause, think how you will be viewed as a parent," Stefanyak said.

"It's smart as a parent to be on top of issues like vaping, but be aware you can't protect your child from everything," Raftas said.

This week's panel: Pam Wallace, program coordinator, Project Child, a program of Valley Youth House; Chad Stefanyak, school counselor; Denise Continenza, extension educator; Joanne T. Raftas, registered play therapist and counselor; Wanda Mercado-Arroyo,

former teacher and administrator, and Mike Daniels, LCSW, Psychotherapist.

Have a question? Email: projectchild@projectchildlv.org

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Answers to questions from the e-mailbag

Q. Is it dangerous to take a beta-blocker for high blood pressure?

HEALTHY GEEZER
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There was one study that found that beta-blockers may increase the risk of having a heart attack or stroke if you are using them to treat high blood pressure alone.

If you are taking a beta blocker, discuss it with your doctor. Warning: Don't stop taking the drug on your own.

Beta blockers, also known as beta-adrenergic blocking agents, are medications that reduce your blood pressure by blocking the effects of the hormone epinephrine, also known as adrenaline.

When you take beta blockers, the heart beats more slowly and with less force. This reduces blood pressure. Beta blockers also help blood vessels open up to improve blood flow.

Doctors prescribe beta blockers to prevent, treat or improve symptoms in a variety of other conditions, such as irregular heart rhythm (arrhythmia), heart failure, chest pain (angina), heart attacks, glaucoma, migraines, generalized anxiety disorder, hyperthyroidism and tremors.

The following are the brand names for common beta-blockers: Sactal, Tenormin, Kerlone, Zebeta, Cartrol, Tandate, Lopressor, Toprol XL, Corgard, Levatol, Visken, Inderal,

Betapace, and Blocadren.

Q. How should I go about choosing a surgeon?

The American College of Surgeons (ACS) recommends that you look for a surgeon who is board-certified and a fellow of the college.

Specialty boards certify physicians who meet published standards. For physicians to become board-certified in a surgical specialty, they must complete the required years of residency training in that specialty, and then pass a comprehensive examination.

The specialty boards issue certificates that are valid for six to 10 years. To retain certification, physicians must become recertified and must show continuing education in their specialty.

Fellows of the ACS are board-certified surgeons whose education, training, professional qualifications, surgical competence and ethical conduct have been found to be consistent with the college's standards. The letters "FACS" after a surgeon's name stands for Fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

If you want to know about a surgeon, you

can phone your state or county medical association for help. Or you can ask a prospective surgeon to provide credentials. Often, you can find the information you need hanging in frames on a surgeon's office walls.

Q. What questions should I ask before undergoing an operation?

Here is a list of significant questions you can ask your doctor before the surgery:

- * Why do I need the operation?
- * Do I need it now, or can it wait?
- * What happens if I don't have the operation?
- * What are the benefits of having the operation?
- * How long will the benefits last?
- * What are the risks of having the operation?
- * Are there alternatives to surgery?
- * How will the surgery affect my quality of life?
- * Where can I get a second opinion?
- * What experience do you have performing this surgery?
- * Where will the operation be done?
- * Will I have to stay overnight in the hospital?
- * Is it possible to have same-day surgery as an out-patient?
- * What kind of anesthesia will I need?
- * What are the side effects and risks of having

anesthesia?

* How long will it take me to recover?

* Will I be in pain? How long will the pain last?

* When will I be able to go home after the surgery?

* What will the recovery be like?

* Can you draw a diagram and explain how you do the surgery?

* Can you please mark the part of my body you will operate on?

* Is there anything else I should know about this surgery?

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Service Electric official in Cable TV Pioneers

Jack Capparell, General Manager, Service Electric Cable TV, has been inducted into The Cable TV Pioneers Class of 2021.

Capparell has worked in cable television for 57 years.

"I have been very fortunate to have worked with some of the greatest innovators and pioneers in our industry, especially John Walson, founder of Service Electric Cable TV," said Capparell, who has spent his entire professional career with Service Electric.

"I am honored to be included with the pioneers of this great industry," Capparell said.

The Cable TV Pioneers' class of 2021 had 24 inductees. The Cable TV Pioneers' original class in 1966 had 21 inductees. Membership, which has grown to almost 700, is made up of some of the most influential individuals in the industry.

"Just as our industry rose to the challenge of keeping America connected this past year, these men and women continued to make significant contributions on their business, home

and community fronts," said Pioneer chairman Dave Fellows.

"The Class of 2021 exemplifies the Pioneer spirit and commitment to do the best no matter the circumstances," Fellows said.

Capparell started his career with Service Electric in 1964 when the cable TV industry was in its infancy and had 12 channels and used tube amplifiers.

Capparell has been a witness to the industry's exponential growth and dramatic change in service offerings over the years.

Capparell played a part in several milestones, including the 1972 launch of the United States' premier pay television service, Home Box Office, in Wilkes Barre.

Capparell also played a significant role in bringing digital cable TV, Internet service and telephone service to the company's offerings.

Service Electric Cable TV & Communications was founded in 1948.

In 1947, John Walson ran a cable to connect his appliance store in Ma-



Jack Capparell, General Manager, Service Electric Cable TV

hanoy City, Schuylkill County, to an antenna tower on top of a nearby mountain, eventually connecting homes in the community.

As a result, the cable television industry was started in the U.S. This model was copied throughout the country in areas where TV reception was difficult or impossible.

Service Electric is the birthplace of Home Box Office (HBO), launching the country's first premium subscription service in the Wilkes-Barre market in 1972.

Walson was guided by one fundamental principle: people wanted quality access to television and his duty was to provide it.

Service Electric,

which is still family-owned, continues to build its positive reputation in the cable industry, offering a variety of TV, Internet, telephone and telecommunication services.

The Cable TV Pioneers, founded in 1966, is composed of individuals responsible for building the systems that have become the nucleus of

today's cable broadband industry.

For more than two decades, the Cable Pioneers has been responsible for establishing and funding the Cable Center. Originally located at The Pennsylvania State University, the Cable Center was moved to the campus of the University of Denver in the 1990s.

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation sites relocated in Bethlehem and its area

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Network moved two of its outpatient sites in Bethlehem and Bethlehem Township to offer more treatment space and added comfort and convenience for patients seeking physical therapy and other rehabilitation services.

Following are details on the relocations:

• Good Shepherd Rehabilitation moved its former Eaton Avenue site to 41 E. Elizabeth Avenue in Bethlehem, one mile away. The site sits across the street from Moravian University's athletic fields.

• Good Shepherd Rehabilitation's Bethlehem Township location has relocated from Highfield Drive to about one-quarter-mile away at 3859 Nazareth Pike. The new location is south of Rt. 191 and 22 in the Bethlehem Plaza shopping center near the former Kmart.

"These strategic site relocations allow Good Shepherd Rehabilitation to continue providing the same high quality and compassionate care that the surrounding communities have known and trusted for decades," said Karen Long, BS, PTA, Good Shepherd vice president of operations for outpatient therapy.

"We've added space,

made parking easier and are more visible for patients to find us and receive the care they need to get back to living their lives with family, friends and fellow community members," Long said.

Teams at both sites specialize in treating musculoskeletal problems, such as back and neck pain, sprains and strains, fractures, joint replacements, sports injuries and arthritis, as well as caring for people recovering from stroke, brain injury and other neurological conditions.

Catherine Dara, PT, DPT, OCS, STC, is site manager of the Elizabeth Avenue location. Dara, who has been a practicing clinician with Good Shepherd for more than 25 years, managed Good Shepherd's former location at 800 Eaton Avenue in Bethlehem previously.

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation's Bethlehem site offers a number of services and programs, including orthopedic rehabilitation, neurorehabilitation, physical therapy, occupational health rehabilitation for injured workers and more.

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation's Bethlehem Township location covers more than 3,500 square feet within two

suites. Situated on the second floor of the Nazareth Pike office complex, the location offers convenient space for orthopedic rehabilitation, neurorehabilitation, physical therapy, vestibular rehabilitation, occupational health rehabilitation for injured workers and other programs and services.

Katelyn Moyer, PT, DPT, is the site manager for the Bethlehem Township location.

To request an appointment: 1-888-44-REHAB; www.GoodShepherdRehab.org



Katelyn Moyer



Catherine Dara

MOVIES

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6. "Sing 2" moved up one place, \$2.1 million in 2,382 theaters, \$151.2 million, 10 weeks. 7. "Marry Me" dropped one place, \$1.8 million in 3,110 theaters, \$20.2 million, three weeks. 8. "Studio 666," opening, \$1.5 million in 2,306. 9. "Cyrano," opening, \$1.4 million in 797 theaters. 10. "Scream" dropped two places, \$1.3 million in 1,566 theaters, \$79 million, seven weeks.

Box office information from Box Office Mojo as of Feb. 27 is subject to change.

Unreel, March 4

"The Batman," PG-13: Matt Reeves directs Zoë Kravitz, Robert Pattinson, Barry Keoghan and Paul Dano in the Action Crime Drama.

That's "the" Batman, to you. Batman gets a reboot with more big-city intrigue.

"Mrs Harris Goes to Paris," PG: Anthony Fabian directs Rose Williams, Jason Isaacs, Lucas Bravo and Lesley Manville in the Drama. A widowed cleaning lady in 1950s London wants her own couture Dior dress.

Movie opening dates information from Internet Movie Database as of Feb. 27 is subject to change.

"Death on the Nile": Three Popcorn Boxes out of Five Popcorn Boxes

"Uncharted": Two Popcorn Boxes out of Five Popcorn Boxes

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Hearing/Meeting**

Notice is hereby given that the Lynn Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing/meeting at the Lynn Township Municipal Building, 7911 Kings Highway, Lynnport, PA 18066 on Tuesday, March 22, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. to hear the following appeal(s):

Appeal #538 Case #22-02

Lynnville Holdings, LLC (owner)-John Brooks (applicant) is appealing Decision of Zoning Officer and Cease and Desist order for construction of a wall and proposed patio within the setback requirements. In the alternative the applicant is seeking a variance of the Lynn Township Zoning Ordinance Sections 27-403.1.A(1), and any other applicable zoning relief, to allow for a dimensional side-yard variance. The parcel number(s) is 542835008230; property location is 8148 Bausch Road, New Tripoli, PA 18066 and is in the RV-Rural Village Zoning District.
Christopher Noll
Zoning Officer
Mar 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Borough Council of the Borough of Alburis, at its regular meeting to be held on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, commencing at 7:00 p.m. at the Alburis Borough Hall, 260 Franklin Street, Alburis, Pennsylvania 18011, will consider and may enact an ordinance entitled and summarized as follows:

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING PARKING ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF SOUTH MAIN STREET IN A ZONE EXTENDING FROM THE SOUTHERN CURBLINE OF FRONT STREET TOWARDS THE SOUTH FOR A DISTANCE OF FORTY-FIVE (45) FEET; AND LIMITING PARKING TO A DURATION OF TEN MINUTES ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF SOUTH MAIN STREET IN A ZONE EXTENDING FROM THE POINT FORTY-FIVE (45) FEET SOUTH OF THE SOUTHERN CURBLINE OF FRONT STREET TOWARDS THE SOUTH FOR A DISTANCE OF FORTY-FOUR (44) FEET.

Copies of the full text of the proposed ordinance may be examined or obtained at cost at the Alburis Borough Hall at the address set forth above during regular business hours, or by making arrangements with the Borough Manager at 610-966-4777. The Alburis Borough Hall is accessible to the disabled. Please contact the Borough Manager at 610-966-4777 to arrange for any accommodations for a disability.

David G. Knerr, Esquire
Solicitor

Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Township of Whitehall is accepting bids for the following project:

BID #2022-02: "2022 ADA Handicap Ramps, Curb and Sidewalk Improvements"

Sealed bids will be received at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, by Lenore Brazier, Purchasing Agent, or her designee, until 10:00 a.m., Local Time, on Tuesday, March 29, 2022, at which time they will be opened, in front of a Township Witness. Should the Municipal Building be closed to the public, bid results will be posted on the Township's website: www.whitehalltownship.org. Late bids will not be accepted.

Bid security in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid price shall be submitted with the bid. Additional post-award bonding requirements for this project include a Performance Bond, a Labor and Material Payment Bond and a Maintenance Bond.

In general, the Project involves the 2022 Construction of about 27 ADA Handicap Ramp Corners along five (5) Street Projects within Whitehall Township. 1) Pennsylvania Street (8) Ramp Corners - Fullerton Area (from Richland Street Alley, North 13th Street to Mercer Street Alley). 2) Tremont Street (4) Ramp Corners - Fullerton Area (from North 9th Street to North 10th Street). 3) Quarry Street (6) Ramp Corners - Fullerton Area (from 2nd Street to Mulberry Alley). 4) South 2nd Street (3) Ramp Corners - Hokendauqua Area (from South Street to Birch Street Alley) and 5) Carbon Street (6) Ramp Corners - Hokendauqua Area (from North 2nd Street to North 3rd Street). The Total Estimated Concrete Curb and Sidewalk Replacement Quantities for all five (5) Street Projects is approx. 500 Ft. of Concrete Curbing and approx. 2,000 Sq. Ft. of Concrete Sidewalks.

The Contractor is required to pay current Federal Davis-Bacon Wage Rates. If the projects wage rates are modified ten (10) or more days prior to the bid opening, an addendum will be issued to each prospective bidder. Should an updated version be applicable, it will be faxed or emailed as an Addendum to each prospective bidder.

The Contractor is also required to contact and solicit Services from Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MBE/WBE) and document their solicitation and commitment on the Federal Form DCA BHD 168 Statement Form with their Bid Submission.

Bidders must be PennDOT Pre-qualified Contractors (or Subcontractors) having current PennDOT Certification in Curb and Sidewalk work. Also, Bidders shall have at least five (5) years past experience in concrete work of a character and quantity similar to that included within the Contract Specifications.

The successful bidder is expected to be able to start work in May 2022 and shall complete all work by August 26, 2022. Liquidated damages of \$250 per calendar day will be assessed to the Contractor for any HC Ramps that are not completed by the August 26, 2022, completion date until its satisfactory completion.

Bid Documents, including plans and specifications, may be obtained beginning immediately by sending an email to request a bid packet to: bids@whitehalltownship.com, or by calling 610-437-5524 x 1165. Bid Packets are free of charge.

Whitehall Township reserves the right to determine, in its sole discretion, whether any aspect of a bid satisfactorily meets the criteria established in this Request for Bid, to accept either in whole or in part, any one bid or combination of bids, to waive or permit the curing of any immaterial defects or irregularities in a bid as permitted by law, to reject any or all bids with or without cause, and to take any action which the Township deems appropriate. The Township intends to select that bid(s) which, in the sole opinion of the Township is/are most favorable and in the best interests of the citizens of Whitehall Township.

Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
REQUEST FOR BIDS**

TWO (2) - 30 PASSENGER SCHOOL BUSES

The Bethlehem Area School District will receive sealed bids in the Business Office, 1516 Sycamore St, Bethlehem, PA 18017, no later than 2:00 PM prevailing time, Friday, March 11, 2022, at which time bids will be publicly opened. DETAILED SPECS ARE AVAILABLE AT www.basd.schools.org or by email at purchasing@basdschools.org. Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID**

Online sealed Bids will be received by the Lehigh County Authority for the WL-18/19 Well Station Demolition Project via the PennBid program until 11:00 A.M. prevailing time on Tuesday, March 15, 2022, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

All documents and solicitation details are available online for no cost at PennBid (www.pennbid.net).

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held at 2:00 P.M. prevailing time on Tuesday, March 1, 2022, at the project site located at 4475 Far View Ct, Emmaus, PA 18049. Bids from parties not present at the pre-bid conference will not be accepted.

Each Bid must be accompanied by Bid security in the form of a Bid bond (in the required form) or certified check, for ten percent of the Bid total.

Bids shall remain open for a period of sixty days from the date of Bid opening unless award is delayed by a required approval from a governmental agency, the sale of bonds, or the award of a grant or grants, in which event the Bids shall remain open for a period of 120 days from the date of Bid opening.

The Contract will be subject to the prevailing minimum wage determination established by the Department of Labor and Industry of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The Lehigh County Authority hereby reserves the right, which is understood and agreed to by all Bidders, to reject any or all Bids and to waive any omissions, errors, or irregularities in any Bid.

Lehigh County Authority
Liesel M. Gross, CEO
March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of South Whitehall Township will meet in the Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, on Thursday, March 17, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. for an agenda review, and at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conducting a public meeting to discuss the following, and any other business brought before the Board. The meeting will be simultaneously held on the GoToMeeting platform. To access through your computer, go to <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/757430189>. To access the meeting through your phone, dial 1-224-501-3412 and, when prompted, enter 757 430 189.

ST. LUKE'S UNIVERSITY HEALTH NETWORK WEST END MEDICAL CENTER SHORT-STAY FACILITY MAJOR PLAN 2022-101

REQUEST FOR PRELIMINARY/FINAL PLAN REVIEW

An application to further develop the property located at 501 Cetronia Road. The plan proposes to construct a two-story 52,571 square-foot medical building on the existing parking lot and provide 605 parking spaces on the 17.33-acre parcel. The property is zoned Highway Commercial-1 Special Height Limitation HC-1. St. Luke's Hospital of Bethlehem is the owner and applicant.

SPRINGFIELD SUBDIVISION MAJOR PLAN 2022-105

REQUEST FOR SKETCH PLAN REVIEW

An application to further develop the property located at 2493 North Cedar Crest Boulevard PIN 548824698560, 2976 Mauch Chunk Road PIN 548827802277, North Cedar Crest Boulevard PIN 548813031059, and North Cedar Crest Boulevard PIN 548803901857. The plan proposes to subdivide the combined 406.94-acre tract into 65 industrial lots and one Open Space lot, each lot typically between four and eight acres. Approximately 3.20 miles of new roads and stormwater management facilities are also proposed. The tract is zoned Industrial I. JERAS Corporation is the owner and applicant.

All properties are located in South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection upon request.
Gregg Adams, Planner, Community Development Department
Mar. 2, 9

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By Dave Green

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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

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6	4	7	8	9	5	3	1	2
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8	5	2	4	3	1	7	6	9
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Difficulty Level ★★★

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the Heidelberg Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a Public Hearing at the Heidelberg Township Municipal Building, 6272 Route 309, New Tripoli, on March 21, 2022 at 7:30 p.m. to hear the following appeal(s):

APPEAL #269, CASE #22-1

The appeal of PA Caring Hearts, Inc. (Elizabeth Jones, President) for a special exception use of Heidelberg Township Zoning Ordinance Section 27-503E and any other relief deemed necessary; pertaining to Kennels and animal hospitals. The property location is 6294 Memorial Road, Germansville, PA 18053 and is in the Agricultural Preservation District.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to COVID-19 the meeting room will be set up for social distancing and occupancy is limited. We are following CDC guidelines for masking. If you are vaccinated you do not need to wear a mask. If you are planning to attend or have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 610-767-9297 x11 or ddidra@heidelberghigh.org for more information and options for participation without physical attendance. If more than 14 persons are present for the hearing, zoom capability will be made available to those who cannot physically attend but wish to.

Dawn Didra, Zoning Officer

Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
SOUTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP**

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct a Public Hearing on **Wednesday, March 23, 2022, at 7:00 P.M.**, in the South Whitehall Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Ave, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, for the following zoning appeal:

ZHB-2022-02: The Appeal of Jemco Capital, LLC, having been continued from the February 23, 2022 Hearing, and publicly announced by the Board during the Hearing, to continue this case to the March 23, 2022 Hearing. The Applicant, Jemco Capital LLC, is seeking a one (1) year Time Extension per Section 350-13(d)(3) of the Zoning Ordinance for relief previously granted under Appeal Docket No. ZHB-2020-06. The subject property is located at 1933 Harold Avenue and is zoned (R-5) Medium Density Residential. Tax ID No. 54970588729-1.

ZHB-2022-03: The Appeal of Cedar Quirky, LLC, seeking a Favorable Interpretation to Change an existing Nonconforming Use to another Nonconforming Use. The current Use of the parcel is a Real Estate Brokerage Office granted under previous Appeal of ZHB-2004-41. The proposed Use is a Professional Office and provided for in Section 350-42(d)(2)(A) through (D), Nonconforming Uses. The subject property is located at 40 S. Cedar Crest Boulevard and is zoned (R-4) Medium Density Residential. Tax ID No. 548664287068-1.

ZHB-2022-04: The Appeal of Kothiya Brothers, LLC, seeking dimensional variance from Section 350-48(r)(9)D, Retail Sales Minimum Off-Street Parking Calculations, where 23 parking spaces are required and 9 spaces proposed; and Section 350-48(o)(2)(E)(iv) Parking Area Setback Variance for Parking Areas less than 8,000 square feet is seeking relief from the setback from the Ultimate Right-of-Way Line of 25 feet and Side and Rear Yard Setbacks of 15 feet; and Section 350-42(b) Buffer Strips seeking relief from the buffering requirement between dissimilar Uses where a minimum 15 foot buffer strip is required between the NC District and the R-5 District. The subject property is located at 2232 Walbert Avenue and is zoned (NC) Neighborhood Commercial and Retail Sales and is a permitted use. Tax ID No. 548785840032-1.

An **Organizational Meeting** of the South Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board to elect its Officers, appoint its Solicitor, appoint substitute conflict Solicitor, and adopt a Resolution regulating the conduct of a public hearing by a Hearing Officer.

The above-referenced properties are in South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, PA. Copies of any plans, applications, and/or supporting documents that were submitted can be available for public inspection at the Township Building during normal business hours where they may be examined without charge or obtained for a charge not greater than the cost thereof (it is recommended that appointments be made in advance). All appellants, or their representative with legal standing, must attend. All objectors and interested parties are invited to attend and will have the opportunity to be heard.

Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Bids Wanted**

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors, Heidelberg Township, Lehigh County at the Municipal Building at 6272 Route 309, Suite A, New Tripoli, PA 18066 until 9:00am on Thursday, March 17, 2022 when the bids will be open and read.

Location of Work: From SR4014 to SR4024 on Church Road (T804), approximately 7,900 feet.

In Place: 3 inch overlay, 20-22 feet wide. Contractor to supply pave in-place 9.5 mm Superpave. Driveway millings as directed.

PA Labor & Industry prevailing wages are applicable to this contract. Contractor required to attend a pre-bid meeting with township representative. Contact Road Superintendent Kevin Huber at 610-767-9297 x15 to make an appointment. The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the bid made payable to the municipality. A performance bond or certified check in the amount of 100% of the contract shall be furnished by the successful bidder within 10 days after the contract is awarded. The municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

All proposals must be made upon the form furnished by the Township by calling Janice Meyers, Township Administrator at 610-767-9297 ext. 14 or emailing jmeyers@heidelberghigh.org.

The Supervisors reserve the right to reject any item or items and also reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. Janice Meyers, Township Administrator Feb. 23, Maar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
HANOVER TOWNSHIP
LEHIGH COUNTY
ZONING HEARING BOARD
PUBLIC NOTICE**

The regular monthly meeting of the Hanover Township Lehigh County Zoning Hearing Board will be held on March 24, 2022, at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, at 2202 Grove Road, Allentown, PA 18109, to hear the following appeal.

APPEAL # 2022-03- Kimley-Horn -50 South 16th Street, Suite 310, Philadelphia, PA 19102. Location: Target - 912 Airport Center Drive, Allentown, PA 18109, PIN 641803060765, the subject property is located in a PC - Planned Commercial Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Section 27-707 (1)(C)(2) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding the total area of all signs proposing an additional 77.1 square foot wall sign.

APPEAL # 2022-04- New World Aviation Inc -987 Postal Road, Allentown, PA 18109, PIN 640897409833, the subject property is located in a AI - Airport Industrial Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Section 27-708 (B) (1) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding proposed second wall sign located on the face of the building in the rear yard which does not face a public street.

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

The decisions of the Hanover Township Lehigh County Zoning Hearing Board are made without regard to race, color, national origin, familial status and disability status of the Applicant.

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

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

The Zoning Hearing Board, in its land use and zoning decisions, does not discriminate against persons based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability, or familial status and reviews all land use and zoning applications in accordance with federal civil rights statutes. Public comments made on the basis of bias and stereotype concerning people within these protected classes will not be taken into consideration by the Zoning Hearing Board in its deliberations.

Melissa A. Wehr, Zoning Officer

Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Bids Wanted**

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors, Heidelberg Township, Lehigh County at the Municipal Building at 6272 Route 309, Suite A, New Tripoli, PA 18066 until 9:00am on Thursday, March 17, 2022 when the bids will be open and read.

Materials: All quantities are +/-
-- 25 tons high performance cold patch
-- Stone -- 100 tons #1 stone, 1,500 tons #8 stone 1.0% washed, 500 tons #57 stone 2.0% washed,
-- 500 tons 2A aggregate, 500 tons 2RC
-- 400 tons PennDot approved Type-2 anti-skid
-- 50 tons R6 Riprap
-- 2,900 tons 9.5mm Superpave asphalt wearing course

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the proposal, made payable to Heidelberg Township. The materials specified herein shall meet the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation specifications. Escalator clause will apply. The successful bidder, when awarded the contract, shall furnish a certified check or a bond with suitable, reasonable requirements, guaranteeing performance of the contract or delivery to be made with sufficient surety in the amount of 100% of the amount contracted within 10 days after the contract is awarded.

All proposals must be made upon the form furnished by the Township by calling the Janice Meyers, Township Administrator at 610-767-9297 ext. 14 or emailing jmeyers@heidelberghigh.org.

The Supervisors reserve the right to reject any item or items and also reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. Janice Meyers, Township Administrator Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on **Monday March 22, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.** at the Township Municipal Campus, Meeting Room "A" 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428. **Please note that all persons entering the building MUST wear a mask and practice social distancing.**

Appeal No. 08 -2022 of Exelo Holding, LLC. 7392 Cedar Road, Macungie, PA. 18062. Property located at 5502 and 5518 Hamilton Blvd. Allentown PA. 18103 in a C-Commercial Zoning District. Lehigh County Tax Parcel No. 547554687577 1. and 547554680166 1. Applicants are requesting a Variance to Ordinance 2019-10, Chapter 27, Part 18, Sec. 27-1803 1. B., Part 10, Sec. 27-1007, and Part 23, Sec. 27-2301 1. regarding minimum lot size, buffer yards and off-street parking requirements for the proposed medical/office building and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 09 -2022 of Timothy Dockerty 7441 Spring Creek Road, Macungie, PA. 18062. Property located in an S-Suburban Residential Zoning District. Lehigh County Tax Parcel No. 546475063637 1. Applicants are requesting a Variance to Ordinance 2019-10, Chapter 27A, Part 4, Sec. 27A-402 regarding the proposed fence within the 100 YR. and 500 YR. flood zones and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 10 -2022 of Seven Development Group Inc. 318 W. Main Street, Birdsboro PA. 19508. Property located at 5037 Wild Cherry Lane Macungie PA. 18062., in an S-Suburban Residential and a CO-Cluster Overlay Zoning District. Lehigh County Tax Parcel No. 548417521482. Applicants are requesting an appeal from the Zoning Officer under Section 27-2604 S. A. (1) (e) and Sec. 27-1603 and in the alternative a Variance to Sec. 27-702 regarding the proposed forty (40) lot subdivision and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

All applicants must appear at the hearing. Any interested persons are invited to appear before the Board at 6:00 p.m.

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

Carl L. Best, Zoning Officer

Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Lynn Township will conduct a **Joint Meeting** with the Lynn Township Planning Commission on **March 15, 2022 at 7:00 pm.** The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the Draft Northern Lehigh Multi-Municipal Comprehensive Plan and Implementing Ordinance, and such other business as the Board may deem fit. Tammy M. White Secretary/Treasurer Lynn Township Municipality Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
BIDS WANTED**

Sealed electronic bids will be received by the Lehigh County Schools Joint Purchasing Board, until 2:00 p.m., March 18, 2022 for the following:

Art Supplies

All bids will be exclusively received and processed through the Eschoolmall easyBid application process at www.eSchoolmall.com; the failure to follow this process (no paper submissions will be considered) will disqualify the bid submission. Bid instructions and specifications can be obtained from Andrew Barnett at 610-769-4111, ext. 1682 or barnetta@cliu.org Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on March 18, 2022.

Patricia T. Bader LCSJPB Board Chairperson Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

MONEY-CHANGING ACROSS

- 1 Combination spear and battle-ax
- 8 Provo native
- 13 Dawn deity
- 16 Some fast autos
- 19 Virtual merchant
- 20 Strong cordage fiber
- 21 Performs a charade of
- 23 Thai money used to buy a Jacuzzi?
- 25 Height when upright
- 26 Protest at which people lie on the ground
- 27 Bright red Indian money?
- 29 "Madam" counterpart
- 32 "The Dance" painter Henri
- 35 Biceps locale
- 36 Powerful auto engine
- 37 "You missed your chance for folding over that Korean money"?
- 42 Already-included tips, e.g.
- 43 Lima locale
- 44 "Rapa —" (1994 film)
- 45 Like even scores
- 46 Feel sore
- 48 Refusals
- 51 She sang "Constant Craving"
- 56 Rocker Brian
- 57 Facts, in brief
- 59 Gobble up Iraqi money?
- 62 Gal entering society
- 63 Jazz's Chick
- 65 Chaise place
- 66 Cognizant of
- 67 School where students learn about Swedish money?
- 72 Norway's capital
- 74 — facias (certain writ)
- 75 Used skillfully
- 76 "— favor, señor"
- 79 Forms Ghanaian money into a cylinder shape?
- 83 Brain tests, for short
- 84 Suffix with meth-
- 85 Venture out on one's own
- 86 — Leppard
- 87 Some PC readouts
- 89 Kicked out of the game, for short
- 90 Radio spots
- 92 Bruins' sch.
- 94 Major shock
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 - 111 Rapper — Rhymes
 - 113 More intoxicating
 - 114 Refuse to contribute South African money?
 - 120 Getty of TV
 - 121 French river
 - 122 Asmara's nation
 - 123 Gobbled up
 - 124 Airport agcy.
 - 125 Played (with)
 - 126 Label on a bargain item
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- 1 Use an ax on
 - 2 One "A" of NCAA: Abbr.
 - 3 Chou En —
 - 4 Nest dweller
 - 5 "If I Can't Have You" singer Yvonne
 - 6 Says again
 - 7 Rive — (Paris' Right Bank)
 - 8 E-address
 - 9 Bistro bill
 - 10 Unpaid player
 - 11 Classic cracker brand
 - 12 Tennis-playing guy
 - 13 Kodak founder George
 - 14 Prefix with -genarian
 - 15 Pentagon

- 16 Reach as high as
- 17 Large, deep serving dish
- 18 Painter Jan
- 22 R-X fillers
- 24 Attending to the matter
- 28 Certain Wall St. trader
- 29 Said
- 30 Antiseptic element
- 31 Bucking bovines
- 33 Jr., last year
- 34 Spirited horse
- 38 Eye coverer
- 39 Takeoff strip
- 40 Often-pickled veggie
- 41 Pirate "Captain"
- 46 From scratch
- 47 Compelled
- 49 In the lead
- 50 Squelched
- 52 Cat that roars
- 53 "The Piano" Oscar winner
- 54 Cable TV's — Geo
- 55 Miracle —
- 57 Here, in Lyon
- 58 Election mo.
- 60 Elected (to)
- 61 Virginia Tech team name
- 64 Cold — (frigid)
- 68 Court plea, for short
- 69 Very angry
- 70 Rule, in brief
- 71 More than loads up (on)

- 72 Assoc.
- 73 Great Lakes' — Canals
- 77 Like a single-guy band
- 78 Traditional Irish brew
- 80 Make laugh uproariously
- 81 Hoopla
- 82 "You Be —" (1986 hit for Run-D.M.C.)
- 88 Jargon
- 89 Women's patriotic gp.
- 91 Secondary field of study
- 93 George who played Danny Ocean
- 94 Mosaic tile
- 95 Long rodent feature
- 96 Most suitable
- 97 Assess again
- 98 Skip over in speech
- 99 Chalice, e.g.
- 100 Nailed the test
- 101 Desert of Mongolia
- 102 Some purple shades
- 103 Milo of films
- 108 Piper's wear
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Supervisors of Heidelberg Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania immediately prior to the regular public meeting on March 17, 2022 at 7:25 P.M. in the Heidelberg Township Municipal Building located at 6272 Route 309, New Tripoli, Pennsylvania shall review for approval the following Ordinances which are summarized as follows:
AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HEIDELBERG, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE "TOWNSHIP OF HEIDELBERG CODE OF ORDINANCES (CODE)" TO PROVIDE AS FOLLOWS:
AMENDMENTS TO THE HEIDELBERG TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE OF 1981 AS AMENDED TO AMEND THE GENERAL REGULATIONS OF SAME, TO DEFINE A "MULTI-FAMILY DWELLING," TO PROVIDE A DEFINITION FOR AN "ACCESSORY APARTMENT," TO ALLOW AN ACCESSORY APARTMENT AS AN ACCESSORY USE IN ALL DISTRICTS, TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES FOR ACCESSORY APARTMENTS, AND PROVISIONS FOR A GENERAL REPEALER, VALIDITY CLAUSE, AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

The Board of Supervisors shall consider the Ordinance for adoption at the regular public meeting on March 17, 2022 at the Municipal Building. Copies of the full text of the Ordinance are available for public view during regular business hours at the Heidelberg Township Administration Office, located at the municipal building and at this newspaper.

STECKEL & STOPP, ESQUIRES
 HEIDELBERG TOWNSHIP SOLICITORS

Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
 LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, will consider for adoption at a Public Meeting to be held at 7:00 p.m. on the 21st day of March, 2022, at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, an Ordinance adding Chapter 26, Creation of Council; Section 26-2D Membership; Section 26-3 Appointment Procedures; Section 26-4 Compensation, Section 26-5 Purpose; Section 26-6 Designation; Section 26-7 Powers; Section 26-8 Record of Meetings; and Section 26-9 Expenses, to the Code of Codified Ordinances to establish provisions for an Environmental Advisory Council within the Township of Bethlehem.

The public hearing will be open to the public; however, **MASKS ARE RECOMMENDED TO BE WORN BY** all individuals attending the public hearing in person. In addition, and due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the hearing will also be held electronically through Zoom or call in by phone. To access the meeting through your computer go to <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89634227953> and enter Meeting ID: # 896 3422 7953. To access the hearing by phone via one tap mobile, dial +12678310333, 89634227953# US (Philadelphia).

Copies of the proposed Ordinance are available for review at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building located at 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania during normal business hours and on the Township's website.

The following is the proposed Ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. _____ - 22

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA ADDING CHAPTER 26, ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL; SECTION 26-1 CREATION OF COUNCIL; SECTION 26-2 D MEMBERSHIP; SECTION 26-3 APPOINTMENT PROCEDURES; SECTION 26-4 COMPENSATION; SECTION 26-5 PURPOSE; SECTION 26-6 DESIGNATION OF CHAIRPERSON; SECTION 26-7 POWERS; SECTION 26-8 RECORD OF MEETINGS; AND SECTION 26-9 EXPENSES, TO THE CODE OF CODIFIED ORDINANCES TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS FOR ESTABLISHING AN ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL LOCATED WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM

WHEREAS, 53 Pa.C.S.A. § 2322 allows the governing body of a municipal corporation by ordinance to establish an environmental advisory council to advise other local governmental agencies, including, but not limited to, the planning commission, park and recreation boards and elected officials, on matters dealing with protection, conservation, management, promotion and use of natural resources, including air, land and water resources, located within its or their territorial limits.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem finds that the public interest, convenience and necessity require adoption of an ordinance creating an Environmental Advisory Council;

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem finds that creation of an Environmental Advisory Council will assist advising the Township on matters dealing with the protection, conservation, management, promotion and use of natural resources located within the Township's territorial limits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM, COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 26-1. Creation of Council

An advisory council to be known as the "Bethlehem Township Environmental Advisory Council" is hereby created and shall continue to function until this subpart is revoked.

SECTION 2. Section 26-2. Membership

- The Environmental Advisory Council shall be composed of:
 - Nine (9) residents of Bethlehem Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania (the "Council Members") comprising:
 - Seven (7) Council Member with voting power (the "Voting Council Members");
 - One (1) non-voting Council Member enrolled as a high school student (the "Junior Council Member"); and
 - One (1) non-voting Council Member enrolled in a college or university (the "Associate Council Member").
 - One (1) non-voting, adult representative residing in a neighboring Northampton County municipality (the "Neighboring Representative").

SECTION 3. Section 26-3. Appointment Procedures

- Council Members shall be appointed in accordance with the following procedures:
 - All Council Members and the Neighboring Representative shall be appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township.
 - Voting Council Members' terms of office shall expire on the first Monday in January following the last year of their term of office.
 - Duly appointed Voting Council Members shall serve a term of three (3) years, except that initial appointments shall be so staggered that the terms of approximately 1/3 of the membership shall expire each year.
 - Whenever possible, one Voting Council Member shall also be a member of the Bethlehem Township Planning Commission, and one Voting Council Member shall also be a member of the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township.
 - The Junior Council Member, Associate Council Member and Neighboring Representative shall serve a term of one (1) year concluding on the First Monday in January following their year in office.

SECTION 4. Section 26-4. Compensation

Council Members and Neighboring Representative shall receive no compensation for their services but may be reimbursed for the expenses actually and necessarily incurred by them in the performance of their duties.

SECTION 5. Section 26-5. Purpose

The Environmental Advisory Council is to be advisory to and shall coordinate its activities with the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township, Bethlehem Township staff, Bethlehem Township Planning Commission, and other local governmental agencies.

SECTION 6. Section 26-6. Designation of Chairperson

The Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township shall designate the Chairperson from the Voting Council Members of the Environmental Advisory Council.

SECTION 7. Section 26-7. Powers

- The Environmental Advisory Council shall have the power to:
 - Identify environmental problems and recommend plans and programs to the appropriate agencies for the promotion and conservation of the natural resources and for the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment within Bethlehem Township.
 - Make recommendations as to the possible use of open land areas within Bethlehem Township.
 - Promote a community environmental program.
 - Keep an index of all open areas, publicly or privately owned, including flood-prone areas, swamps and other unique natural areas, for the purpose of obtaining information on the proper use of those areas.
 - Advise the Bethlehem Township Planning Commission, Recreation Board, Board of Commissioners or other relevant appointed bodies within Bethlehem Township in the acquisition of both real and personal property by gift, purchase, grant, bequest, easement, devise or lease, in matters dealing with agricultural preservation, open space, and recreation.

SECTION 8. Section 26-8. Records of Meetings

The Environmental Advisory Council shall keep records of its meetings and activities and shall make an annual report, which shall be printed in an annual municipal report or otherwise made publicly available. Minutes of each meeting shall be promptly forwarded to the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township.

SECTION 9. Section 26-9. Expenses

The Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township may, from time to time, appropriate funds for the expenses incurred by the Environmental Advisory Council. Appropriations may be expended for those administrative, professional, clerical, printing, engineering and legal services as may be required. The whole or any part of any funds so appropriated in any year may be placed in a conservation fund and allowed to accumulate from year to year or may be expended in any year.

SECTION 10. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable, and if a court of competent jurisdiction declares any provision of this Ordinance to be invalid or ineffective in whole or in part, the effect of such decision shall be limited to those provisions which are expressly stated in the decision to be invalid or ineffective, and all other provisions of this Ordinance shall continue to be separately and fully effective.

SECTION 11. REPEALER. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances or Resolutions conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 12. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) days after adoption.

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

March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the CHESTNUT CIRCLE STORMWATER IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT will be received electronically via the PennBid Program by Alburts Borough, until 12:00 p.m. local time on **March 16, 2022**. At 2:30 pm the bids will be received by the Borough from Pennbid and read publicly.

All project documents and details are available at no cost on PennBid (www.pennbid.net)

A pre-bid conference will be held at 1:00 p.m. local time on **March 3, 2022** at 260 Franklin St, Alburts, PA 18011. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is strongly encouraged, but not mandatory.

Each bidder is required to bid on the total project. Each bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check made payable to "Alburts Borough" in the amount of 10% of the total bid. The successful bidder shall provide a performance bond or certified check to the municipality in the amount of 100% of the contract within 20 days after the contract is awarded. The successful bidder shall provide a payment bond or certified check to the municipality in the amount of 100% of the contract within 20 days after the contract is awarded.

Bid security in the amount of 10% of the total bid shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Alburts Borough hereby reserves the right, which is understood and agreed to by all bidders, to refuse and reject any or all bids submitted, and also reserves the right to waive any informality in bids received.
 Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the rehabilitation of existing sanitary sewer laterals within the Trextertown and Oakland Park areas of the Township. The work involves open-cut excavation and replacement of existing sanitary sewer laterals (Contract "A" and "B"). Approximately 99 service laterals will be rehabilitated and replaced to the Township ROW under this project. Bids will be received until 2:00 PM (prevailing time) on Thursday, March 24, 2022. Bid results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening/review.

The Owner intends to award Contract "A" and "B" as a combined total bid price (Contract A + B) from a single qualified bidder. The Owner reserves the right, based on Township budget, to eliminate a portion or the entire Contract "B" as a result of the Bid Proposal pricing.

Copies of the Specifications/Bid Forms are available at no cost on PennBid (<https://PennBid.ProcureWare.com>).

Each bid must be accompanied by bid security made payable to Upper Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of Paragraph 6.01 of the General Conditions. This project is subject to minimum wage rates in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act and the Public Works Employee Verification Act. Upper Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informality in, and/or to reject, any or all bids.
 Upper Macungie Township
 Robert Ibach, Jr. - Township Manager

Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
 TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL
 ZONING HEARING BOARD
 PUBLIC HEARING

Due to the Pandemic Emergency, ongoing Municipal Building Construction, and pursuant to Act 15 of 2020, the regular monthly meeting of the Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board will be held on **March 15, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.** via Webex.com (Please see whitehalltownship.org for further details), to hear the following appeals/applications:

DOCKET # 2023 - D.R. Horton, Inc. c/o Erin Lee Witt - 260 Detweiler Road, Suite 103, Harleysville, PA 19438. Location: 4302 Main Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 548958690932, the subject property is located in a R-4 Medium Density Residential Zoning District. Applicant is proposing to develop the property by subdividing it into 60 single family residential lots. Applicant is requesting variances to Sec. 27-74 E(1)(a) and Sec. 27-74 E(1)(b)(1) of the Zoning Ordinance to allow 37 of the proposed lots to have less than the minimum required lot size, and 46 of the lots to have less than the minimum required lot width. Applicant also requests Variances to Sec. 27-114(D) and (E) for minimum lot size and minimum lot frontage in areas of steep slopes. Continued to this meeting for deliberation and decision, with consent of the Applicant.

Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building. Comments and questions may be submitted to CGittinger@whitehalltownship.com.

The decisions of the Township of Whitehall Zoning Hearing Board are made without regard to race, color, national origin, familial status, and disability status of the Applicant.

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

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

The Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board has an obligation to affirmatively further fair housing and to review all land use and zoning applications in accordance with federal civil right statutes. This includes taking meaningful actions that overcome patterns of segregation and foster inclusive communities free from barriers that restrict access to opportunity based on protected characteristics.

The Zoning Hearing Board, in its land use and zoning decisions, does not discriminate against persons based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability, or familial status and reviews all land use and zoning applications in accordance with federal civil rights statutes. Public comments made on the basis of bias and stereotype concerning people within these protected classes will not be taken into consideration by the Zoning Hearing Board in its deliberations.

Christopher W. Gittinger
 Zoning and Code Enforcement Officer

Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Whitehall Township Board of Commissioners will hold a virtual Regular Public Meeting on Monday, March 14, 2022 via Webex to discuss and take action on the below listed legislation. PLEASE NOTE THAT, THE BUILDING IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC. If you would like to provide comment or attend the meeting remotely, please see the Township Website (whitehalltownship.org) for your options.

ORDINANCES

- BILL NO. 3-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE DEFERRING THE REQUIRED INSTALLATION OF SIDEWALKS FOR 400 FEET ALONG THE MACARTHUR ROAD FRONTAGE OF 2001 MACARTHUR ROAD AS REQUIRED IN CHAPTER 21, SECTION 21-16 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP. (DEVELOP)
- BILL NO. 4-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP CODIFIED ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 1, ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL, §1-78 THROUGH §1-86.
- BILL NO. 5-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL FOR PURCHASE OF A NEW CATERPILLAR ASPHALT COMPACTION ROLLER, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (PUBLIC WORKS)
- BILL NO. 6-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL FOR PROVIDING OPERATIONAL AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (PUBLIC WORKS)
- BILL NO. 7-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL FOR PROVIDING OPERATIONAL AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR STREET LIGHTS FOR WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (PUBLIC WORKS)
- BILL NO. 8-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE XXXVI, PERSONNEL RULES AND REGULATIONS, SECTION 1-212 (RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS) TO PROVIDE FOR UPDATED GEOGRAPHICAL LIMITATIONS FOR ALL PERSONS EMPLOYED BY THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL.
- BILL NO. 9-2022**
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP CODIFIED ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 1, ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL, §1-78 THROUGH §1-86.
 Copies of the full text of the proposed legislative items may be examined by any citizen in the Administration Office of the Township of Whitehall, PA, on any business day between 8:00 am and 4:00 p.m. The Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Assistance for the visually and/or hearing impaired is available upon request at least five (5) working days prior to this meeting.
 /s/Thomas Slonaker
 FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
 TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL

Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Whitehall Township Legal & Legislative Committee will hold a virtual meeting on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE BUILDING REMAINS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC. If you would like to provide comment or attend the meeting remotely, please see the Township Website (whitehalltownship.org) for your options.
 Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
 PUBLIC MEETING

The Whitehall Township Civil Service Commission will meet on Thursday, March 10, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. via virtual meeting. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED REMOTELY. If you would like to provide comment or attend the meeting remotely, please see the Township Website (whitehalltownship.org) for your options.
 Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 NOTICE

An additional Planning Commission meeting will be held at the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levans Road, (Ironton) Coplay, PA on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 7:00 PM, for the purpose of discussing the Comprehensive Plan Update. Brenda Nordor, Secretary
 NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
 Mar.2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 AUDITOR'S REPORT

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Financial Statement of **Northwestern Lehigh School District** from the auditors for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2021, was filed on January 13, 2022, in the office of the Prothonotary, Lehigh County Courthouse, Clerk of Judicial Court, Civil Department, 455 W. Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1614, and will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof. The report is available for public inspection at the business office of the School District during normal business hours.
 Feb. 16, 23, March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Bids Wanted

Sealed proposals for the purchase of a 2014 John Deere 6115R Premium Cab Tractor with Boom Mower or equivalent will be received by Heidelberg Township at the Heidelberg Township Municipal Building at 6272 Route 309, Suite A, New Tripoli PA 18066 until 9:00am on Thursday, March 17, 2022 when they will be opened and read.

Detailed specifications for the equipment are available in the bid specifications packet. Heidelberg Township reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Proposals must be on forms provided by Heidelberg Township and obtained at the Heidelberg Township Municipal Building or by calling Janice Meyers at 610-767-9297 x14 or emailing her at jmeyers@heidelberglehigh.org. Janice M. Meyers, Heidelberg Township Administrator
 Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 BOROUGH OF MACUNGIE
 ZONING HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Borough of Macungie Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 7:30 P.M. in the Auditorium, Macungie Institute, 510 East Main Street, Macungie, PA, on the following appeal:

APPEAL 2022-01: STACK STORAGE, LLC, 2801 NORTH THANKSGIVING WAY, SUITE 100, LEHI, UT 84042 FOR PROPERTY AT 200 WEST MAIN STREET, MACUNGIE, PA 18062 OWNED BY 178 WEST MAIN, LP., 138 HAMILTON STREET, ALLENTOWN, PA 18101 - The applicant is requesting a Special Exception from Zoning Ordinance §345-21.1.D for the demolition of an historic building on the property to allow for the construction of a proposed four-story, self-storage building located in the MAIN STREET COMMONS SUBDIVISION situated in the General Commercial (GC) zoning district

The applicants and all interested parties must appear at the hearing to be heard.

Joe Peterson,
 BCO Zoning Officer

March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 BOROUGH OF MACUNGIE
 ZONING HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Borough of Macungie Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 7:30 P.M. in the Auditorium, Macungie Institute, 510 East Main Street, Macungie, PA, on the following appeal:

APPEAL 2022-02: STACK STORAGE, LLC, 2801 NORTH THANKSGIVING WAY, SUITE 100, LEHI, UT 84042 FOR PROPERTY AT 200 WEST MAIN STREET, MACUNGIE, PA 18062 OWNED BY 178 WEST MAIN, LP., 138 HAMILTON STREET, ALLENTOWN, PA 18101 - The applicant is requesting a Special Exception from Zoning Ordinance §345-23.A and §345-23. B to reduce the parking requirements from forty-four (44) spaces to twenty-seven (27) spaces for a proposed four-story, self-storage building located in the MAIN STREET COMMONS SUBDIVISION situated in the General Commercial (GC) zoning district.

The applicants and all interested parties must appear at the hearing to be heard.

Joe Peterson,
 BCO Zoning Officer

March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE
 BOROUGH OF EMMAUS
 LAWN MOWING AND TRIMMING SERVICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 The Borough of Emmaus, Lehigh County, PA, will receive sealed bids for lawn mowing and trimming services.

Bids shall be made upon Bidder's Forms supplied by Emmaus Borough and must be in accordance with the Bid Specifications. Copies of the Bid Forms and Specifications can be obtained through the Borough Manager's office, located at the temporary Borough Hall, 420 S 10th Street, Emmaus PA 18049, for a nonrefundable fee of \$25.00.

Bids shall be labeled "Lawn Mowing and Trimming Services" and received in the Borough Manager's Office by 9:00 A.M., Tuesday, March 15, 2022, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read.

Bids shall remain firm for a period of sixty (60) days.

The Borough of Emmaus reserves the right to waive any informalities in, or to reject, any and all bids, and to enter into such a contract as may be deemed to be in the best interest of the Borough of Emmaus.

Borough of Emmaus
 Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager

Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, will consider for adoption at a public hearing to be held at 7:00 P.M. on the 21st day of March, 2022, at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, an Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 5-99, Chapter 275 "Zoning" of the Township of Bethlehem, Code of Ordinances, by amending Article II, "Terminology", §275-24. Definitions. In the event that the Board of Commissions do not consider for adoption the Ordinance described hereinafter at the Public Hearing, the Board of Commissioners will consider the Ordinance for adoption at a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners to be held on the 4th day of April, 2022, at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

The public hearing will be open to the public; however, MASKS ARE RECOMMENDED TO BE WORN BY all individuals attending the public hearing in person. In addition, and due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the hearing will also be held electronically through Zoom or call in by phone. To access the meeting through your computer go to https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89634227953 and enter Meeting I.D. # 896 3422 7953. To access the hearing by phone via one tap mobile, dial +12678310333, 89634227953# US (Philadelphia).

Copies of the proposed Ordinance are available for review at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building located at 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania during normal business hours and on the Township's website.

The following is the proposed Ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 5-99 THE BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE, CHAPTER 275 "ZONING", OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING ARTICLE II, "TERMINOLOGY", §275-24. DEFINITIONS, REPEALING ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HEREWITH, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY OF PARTS OF THIS ORDINANCE DEEMED TO BE INVALID, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, §275-15 of the Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance provides that "The Township may, on its own motion or upon petition of any person or entity, amend, supplement, change or modify, or repeal this Ordinance." And

WHEREAS, the Bethlehem Township Director of Planning and Economic Development has recommended that the Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners enact the following amendments to Section 275-24. Definitions, of the Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners finds that the proposed amendments will promote, protect and facilitate the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners finds that the proposed amendments are consistent with the Bethlehem Township Comprehensive Plan adopted July 1, 1997 including the amendments thereto adopted on November 15, 2004; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 609 of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code, 53 P.S. § 10609, the Township of Bethlehem is authorized and empowered to enact amendments to the Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance after public hearing thereon pursuant to public notice; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem has conducted a public hearing pursuant to the public notice concerning the following amendments to the Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, after public hearing pursuant to public notice, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem desires to ordain and enact the amendments to the Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance set forth hereinafter.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem, County of Northampton, and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as follows:

Section I The Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 275 of the Township of Bethlehem Code of Ordinances, Article II, Terminology, §275-24, Definitions, is amended by adding the following definitions:

"BUILDING CONTRACTOR'S OFFICE"

The office of a business in the building or construction industry, including building trades such as painting plumbing, electrical work, masonry, metal working, carpentry or heavy equipment operating. Such places of business may be used for accessory outdoor storage of materials and/or heavy equipment which are used on construction sites customarily associated with the principal office use.

"BUILDING CONTRACTOR'S OFFICE, SMALL"

The office of a business in the building or construction industry, including building trades such as painting, plumbing, electrical work, masonry, metal working and carpentry, and which does not include any accessory outdoor storage.

"GRADE PLANE"

PUBLIC NOTICE Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors, Heidelberg Township, Lehigh County at the Municipal Building at 6272 Route 309, Suite A, New Tripoli, PA 18066 until 9:00am on Thursday, March 17, 2022 when the bids will be open and read.

Location of Work: From SR4014 to SR4024 on Church Road (T804), approximately 7,900 feet.

Contractor to supply equipment and labor to lay and finish 3 inch overlay. Township to prepare road and supply materials and transportation to job site.

PA Labor & Industry prevailing wages are applicable to this contract. Contractor required to attend a pre-bid meeting with township representative. Contact Road Superintendent Kevin Huber at 610-767-9297 x15 to make an appointment. The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the bid made payable to the municipality. A performance bond or certified check in the amount of 100% of the contract shall be furnished by the successful bidder within 10 days after the contract is awarded. The municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

All proposals must be made upon the form furnished by the Township by calling Janice Meyers, Township Administrator at 610-767-9297 ext. 14 or emailing jmeyers@heidelberghigh.org.

The Supervisors reserve the right to reject any item or items and also reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. Janice Meyers, Township Administrator Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Zoning Hearing Board of the Borough of North Catasauqua, PA will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, March 22, 2022 at 5:30 PM in Borough Hall located at 1066 Fourth Street, North Catasauqua, PA 18032. The subject of the hearing will be the request of:

The following variances will be discussed:

APPEAL No. 2021-02A New Image Enterprises LLC and Neel Shail LLC is required to appear before the Borough of North Catasauqua Zoning Hearing Board for a Special Exception Hearing and including a request for variances. The intended subdivision will also propose 4 apartments and single-family dwelling. The property is located at 1021 5th Street (m4se4c370923) in the R2 (Two-family Residential Zoning District). The proposed use is found in the North Catasauqua Zoning Ordinance, Article 4 (Permitted Land Uses per District); Section 402 (R2 Two-family Residential District); 1.3 (Uses by Special Exception); A-5 (Multiplex). This use is a Special Exception by ordinance and is permitted by right provided that all the standards and criteria are satisfied with approval & authorization granted by the North Catasauqua Zoning Hearing Board.

- The following variances will be discussed:
• Z.O. Article 4 Permitted Land Uses, Section 402 R2 two-family residential district, 2. Bulk and Area Requirements, R-1/R-5 Minimum Lot Width.
• Z.O. Article 4 Permitted Land Uses, Section 402 R2 two-family residential district, 2. Bulk and Area Requirements, R-2/R-5 Minimum Yards.
• Z.O. Article 7 Off-street Parking and Loading Regulations, Section 704 Parking Requirements, 6. Design Standards, 6.2 ...10 feet from any Property Line...
• Z.O. Article 7 Off-street Parking and Loading Regulations, Section 704 Parking Requirements, 6. Design Standards, 6.3 All parking area shall be physically separated from public street by concrete curb and by a planting strip.
• Z.O. Article 5 Use Definitions and Regulations, Section 502 Use Regulations, R. Residential Uses, R-5 Multiplex, 1. Development Regulations, 1.4 Setbacks, a) Apartment building shall be a minimum of 20 feet from any property line.
• Z.O. Article 4 Permitted Land Uses, Section 402 R2 two-family residential district, 2. Bulk and Area Requirements, R-5 Minimum Lot Area, 10,000 square feet. The area of proposed Lot 1 is 8609.46 square feet, a variance from the ordinance of 1390.54 square feet.
• Z.O. Article 4 Permitted Land Uses, Section 402 R2 two-family residential district, 2. Bulk and Area Requirements, R-5 Building Coverage, 35 percent. The area of proposed Lot 2 is 5790.54 square feet with a building coverage of 2189 square feet/37.8%, a variance from the ordinance of 163 square feet/2.8%.
• Z.O. Article 5 Use Definitions and Regulations, Section 502 Use Regulations, R. Residential Uses, R-5 Multiplex, 1. Development Regulations, 1.1, Maximum Residential Density, Number of Bedrooms/2 -2500 SF/dwelling unit. Proposed Lot 1 is 8609.46 SF (4-2 bedroom) with an allowable calculated density of 3.44 units, a variance of 0.64 units, 4 units being allowed on 10,000 SF.
• Z.O. Article 5 Use Definitions and Regulations, Section 502 Use Regulations, R. Residential Uses, R-5 Multiplex, 1. Development Regulations, 1.2, Minimum Lot Area, A lot of not less than 10,000 SF. Proposed Lot 1 is 8609.46 SF, a variance of 1390.54 SF.
• Z.O. Article 5 Use Definitions and Regulations, Section 502 Use Regulations, R. Residential Uses, R-5 Multiplex, 1. Development Regulations, 1.3, Open Space and Community Use Area, ...10% of the lot area ...used for open space and/of community use. This was not addressed.
• Z.O. Article 5 Use Definitions and Regulations, Section 502 Use Regulations, R. Residential Uses, R-5 Multiplex, 1. Development Regulations, 1.4, Maximum Residential Density, c) The minimum open space shall be ten percent of lot area. This was not addressed.
• Z.O. Article 6 General Regulations, Section 601 Accessory Structures, 3. Setback Schedule, R-2 District 3 feet. The garage as an accessory structure has a required setback of 3 feet from the side property line.

Applicant(s) and/or their representatives are required to attend said hearing and present testimony regarding this matter. All other interested parties may attend. A copy of the aforementioned application can be reviewed at the Borough Hall during established business hours.

David Kutzor Zoning Officer Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Feb. 23, Mar. 2

A reference plane representing the average of finished ground level adjoining the building at exterior walls. Where the finished ground level slopes away from the exterior walls the reference plane shall be established by the lowest points within the area between the building and the lot line. Where the lot line is more than 6 feet from the building the reference plane shall be between the building and a point 6 feet from the building.

MANUFACTURING

The making, with substantial use of machinery, of some product for sale, and/or associated assembly, fabrication, cleaning, testing, processing, recycling, packaging, conversion, production, distribution and repair. This term shall not include the following: retail sales, personal services, solid waste disposal facility, truck terminal or uses otherwise defined or classified herein.

RESEARCH, ENGINEERING OR TESTING LABORATORY

An establishment engaged in conducting research and experimental development or analytical testing services in the physical, engineering and life sciences fields. This term shall not include research, engineering or testing or uses otherwise defined or classified herein.

TESTING AND REPAIR OF MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS

An establishment primarily involving testing and/or repair services provided to other businesses, retailers, wholesalers and their agents, and not to the general public. This term shall not include the following: warehouse or warehousing, manufacturing, research, engineering or testing laboratory, auto repair garage, auto service station or uses otherwise defined or classified herein."

Section II

The Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 275 of the Township of Bethlehem Code of Ordinances, Article II, Terminology, §275-24. Definitions, is amended by deleting, in their entirety, the existing definitions for Dwelling, Dwelling Unit, Family, Group Home, Height, Industrial Use and Wholesale and replacing them as follows:

"DWELLING

A building designed or used as living quarters. The term "dwelling" shall not include boardinghouse, hotel, motel, hospital, nursing home, fraternity, sorority house or any other similar group residence. A dwelling may include a dwelling that meets the definition of a "modular home." This chapter categorizes dwellings into the following types:

A. GARDEN APARTMENTS

Three or more dwelling units within a building that are separated by only horizontal floors or by a combination of horizontal floors and vertical walls (see definition of "townhouses"). This shall include buildings with a maximum height of 3 1/2 stories or 35 feet, whichever is lesser. The individual dwelling units may be leased or sold for condominium ownership.

B. MIDRISE APARTMENTS

Three or more dwelling units within a building that is higher than 35 feet or 3 1/2 stories, and less than 60 feet or six stories (whichever is less).

C. MODULAR OR SECTIONAL HOME

A type of dwelling that meets a definition of single-family detached dwelling, single-family semidetached dwelling, townhouse or garden apartment that is in substantial part but not wholly produced in sections off the site and then is assembled and completed on the site. This shall not include any dwelling that meets the definition of mobile/manufactured home, nor shall it include any dwelling that does not rest on a permanent foundation, nor any dwelling intended to be able to be moved to a different site once assembled, nor any dwelling that would not fully comply with any and all applicable building codes. A modular home also shall not include a building that includes only one substantial piece prior to delivery on the site.

D. SINGLE-FAMILY DETACHED DWELLING

A dwelling unit accommodating a single family and having two side yards. The term "single-family detached dwelling" shall be deemed to include a single-family detached factory-built "modular home" placed on a permanent perimeter foundation and a mobile/manufactured home.

(1) MOBILE/MANUFACTURED HOME

A transportable, single-family dwelling designed for permanent occupancy, contained in one unit or in two units designed to be joined into one integral unit capable of again being separated for repeated towing, which arrives at a site complete and ready for occupancy except for minor and incidental unpacking and assembly operations and constructed so that it may be used with or without a permanent foundation.

(a) Mobile/manufactured homes shall be constructed in accordance with the Safety and Construction Standards of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The term "mobile/manufactured home" shall not be deemed to include "recreation vehicle" nor a "modular home" placed on a permanent perimeter foundation. For the purposes of this chapter, no structure of less than 300 square feet shall be considered a "mobile/manufactured home." The terms "mobile home" and "manufactured home" have the same meaning.

E. SINGLE-FAMILY SEMIDETACHED OR TWIN DWELLING

One dwelling unit accommodating one family that is attached and completely separated by a vertical unpierced fire wall to only one additional dwelling unit. One side yard shall be adjacent to each dwelling unit. This use is commonly known as 1/2 of a duplex. Each unit may be on a separate lot.

F. TOWNHOUSE

A dwelling unit that is attached to two or more dwelling units, or that is attached to a dwelling unit that is attached to two additional dwelling units. Each dwelling unit shall be completely separated from each other by vertical fire-resistant walls. Each dwelling unit shall have its own outside access. Side yards shall be adjacent to each end unit. Townhouses are also commonly referred to as rowhouses.

G. TWO-FAMILY DETACHED

Two dwelling units accommodating one family each in one building, with both dwelling units within one lot and without the dwelling units being completely separated by a vertical fire wall. The building shall have two side yards.

DWELLING UNIT

A room or group of rooms intended for human habitation that contains its own sanitary, sleeping and cooking facilities and separate access to the outside, or to a common hallway or balcony that connects to outside access at ground level.

FAMILY

One or more individuals who are related to each other by blood, marriage or adoption (including persons receiving formal foster care) or up to 4 persons aged 18 or over who are not related to each other who maintain a common household with common cooking facilities and certain rooms in common, and who live within one dwelling unit. A family shall also expressly include numbers of unrelated persons that may be allowed by the Group Home provision of this Ordinance residing within an approved Group Home.

GROUP HOME

The use of any lawful dwelling unit which meets all of the following criteria:

- A. Involves the care of the maximum number of persons permitted by the "group home" standards of § 275-189A(36) and meets all other standards of such section;
B. Involves persons functioning as a common household;
C. Involves providing non-routine support services and oversight to persons who need such assistance to avoid being placed in an institution, because of physical disability, old age, mental/developmental disability or other disability;
D. Does not meet the definition of "treatment center" or a "dormitory"; and
E. Does not involve the housing or treatment of persons who could reasonably be considered a threat to the physical safety of others. The Northampton County Department of Human Services, or other appropriate entity having jurisdiction, shall determine whether a person can be reasonably considered a threat to the physical safety of others.

HEIGHT

The vertical distance from grade plane to the average height of the highest roof surface. For structures without a roof, measurement shall occur to the average height of the structure. See exemptions for certain types of structures in §275-170.

INDUSTRIAL USE

Includes manufacturing, distribution, warehousing and other operations of an industrial nature, and not primarily a commercial or residential nature. This term shall not include uses otherwise defined or classified herein for purposes permitted uses within a given zoning district.

WHOLESALE

Sales that primarily involve transactions with other businesses, retailers, other wholesalers and their agents, and not to the general public. This term shall not include the following: warehouse or warehousing, retail store, truck terminal or uses otherwise defined or classified herein.

Section III: The Bethlehem Township Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 275 of the Township of Bethlehem Code of Ordinances, Article II, Terminology, §275-24. Definitions, is amended by deleting the existing definition for Related, in its entirety.

Section IV: Severability. If a court of competent jurisdiction declares any provision of this Ordinance to be invalid or ineffective in whole or in part, the effect of such decision shall be limited to those provisions which are expressly stated in the decision to be invalid or ineffective, and all other provisions of this Ordinance shall continue to be separately fully effective.

Section V: Repealer. All ordinances or codes, or parts of ordinances or codes, conflicting with any of the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as same affects this ordinance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the enactment of this ordinance including this repealer provision, shall not be construed as affecting any act done, liability or obligation incurred or right accrued or vested, or as affecting any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any right or penalty or punish any offense under the authority of any of the repealed ordinances and/or codes.

Section VI: This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) days after the enactment hereof.

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

Feb. 23, Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP ZONING APPEAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of North Whitehall Township will be held in person on Wednesday, March 16, 2022 at 7:30 pm for the purpose of hearing the following Zoning Appeals:

Appeal No. 220001. DDDT, LLC 2946 Turner Street Allentown, PA 18104 is hereby requesting a variance of the North Whitehall Township Zoning Ordinance - Section 803.D.1.6 "Buffer Yards". The Applicant requests a Variance from a 1987 Special Exception Decision from the Zoning Hearing Board requiring to construct a fence on the western side of the property extending 225 feet. Applicant requests a Variance to have no fence constructed on the property as previously ordered.

The property in question is located at 5074 Kernsville Road Orefield, PA 18069, and is situated in the (LI/B) Light Industry/Business Zoning District. Tax ID# 5468 5085 9157.

ALL APPLICANTS MUST PARTICIPATE IN THIS HEARING

All persons interested or those desiring to protest will be heard.

Due to the Covid -19 pandemic, CDC rules and regulations will be followed by anyone attending the hearings.

Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners on March 17, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA, on the conditional use application of Posh Properties No. 48 Hamilton, LLC, who is seeking approval pursuant to Chapter 27, §§ 27-10C03 and 27-2415 of the Township Zoning Code to permit a coordinated commercial land development with a self-storage facility and daycare center at the properties located at 4316, 4320, 4330 and 4344 Hamilton Blvd., Allentown, PA 18103; PIN 548518624507, 548518733098, 548518830850, 548518947026. The properties are located in the HC-Highway Commercial Zoning District. The public hearing is conducted pursuant to Section 27-2403 of the Township Zoning Code. All interested parties are invited to attend the hearing.

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

Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners

Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP NOTICE TO PROPOSERS

The Township of Whitehall is accepting proposals for the following project:

RFP #2022-01: "CODES INSPECTOR/PLANS EXAMINER FOR WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP"

Sealed proposals will be received at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, by Lenore Brazier, Purchasing Agent, or her designee, until 10:00 a.m., Local Time, on March 22, 2022, at which time they will be opened, in front of a township witness. If the Municipal Building is still closed to the public, proposal results will be posted on the Township's website: www.whitehalltownship.org. Late proposals will not be accepted.

A Virtual Pre-Proposal meeting will be held via Webex on Tuesday, March 15, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. Proposal Documents, including plans and specifications, may be obtained beginning immediately by sending an email to: bids@whitehalltownship.com, or by calling 610-437-5524 x 1165. Proposal Packets are free of charge.

The position requires a qualified Code Official, Plans Examiner and Inspector to perform duties pursuant to the PA Uniform Construction Code (Uniform Const. Code) and Whitehall Township Ordinances. Minimum qualifications for this position: Certification from Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry in the following categories: Building Inspector, Electrical Inspector, Mechanical Inspector, Plumbing Inspector, Energy Inspector, Building Plans Examiner, Electrical Plans Examiner, Mechanical Plans Examiner, Plumbing Plans Examiner, Energy Plans Examiner, Building Code Official, Accessibility Plans Examiner, Accessibility Inspector, Certification with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a Third Party Inspection Agency, and Manufactured Housing Inspection Certification.

Whitehall Township reserves the right to determine, in its sole discretion, whether any aspect of a proposal satisfactorily meets the criteria established in this Request for Proposal, to accept either in whole or in part, any one proposal or combination of proposals, to waive or permit the curing of any immaterial defects informalities or irregularities in a proposal as permitted by law, to reject any or all proposals with or without cause, and to take any action which the Township deems appropriate. The Township intends to select that proposal(s) which, in the sole opinion of the Township is/are most favorable and in the best interests of the citizens of Whitehall Township.

LENORE BRAZIER Purchasing Agent

Mar. 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE CATASAUQUA BOROUGH ZONING HEARING BOARD MEETING

March 15, 2022

Notice is hereby provided that the Catasauqua Borough Zoning Hearing Board ("ZHB") will conduct a public meeting on March 15, 2022. The meeting will commence at 7:30 p.m. The following matter will be heard:

- 1. Appeal #01-2022 Applicant: David Erb Nature of Appeal: Applicant seeks variance from 280-30(5)(b), 280-30(5)(c)[1]a], 280-30(5)(c)(4) and 280-56.C(1) to permit a 4' high 1:1 chain link fence within a sight triangle for the residential prop erty, 137 Milton Street in the Borough of Catasauqua. The real estate is located in the Medium Density Residential Zoning District (R2) and is further identified as Tax Parcel 640818754680 1. All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. The Borough will abide by current occupancy restrictions. Please check the Borough website: www.catasauqua.org for more information or call the Borough Office, 610-264-0571 x 200 before 12pm, March 15, 2022. Feb. 23, March 2

PUBLIC NOTICE AT&T proposes to collocate antennas

(tip heights 118') on the 94' building at 333 W Court St, Allentown, PA (20220122). Interested parties may contact Scott Horn (856-809-1202) (1012 Industrial Dr., West Berlin, NJ 08091) with comments regarding potential effects on historic properties. Mar. 2

PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE

The Emmaus Borough Council's Recreation and Entertainment Commission will meet on Wednesday, March 9, 2022, at 5:00 PM via zoom, for general business purposes. The public is invited to attend. Meeting ID:886 6758 8903 Passcode: 232888 Shane M. Pepe Borough Manager

Mar. 2

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Joseph J. Azzalina, deceased, late of Borough of Wilson, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to **Jeffrey D. Azzalina**, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent make payment without delay to: Santanasto Law, 210 E. Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018. Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF JOAN MARIE LATOFF aka JOAN M. LATOFF, Decedent, Allentown, 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 said Decedent are requested to make payment in full, without delay, to:
Executor: Joseph E. Latoff
c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Jr., Esquire
Prokup & Swartz
7736 Main Street
Fogelsville, PA 18051
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF LOUISE C. SCHICK a/k/a LOUISE CAROL SCHICK, Decedent, of Lower Macungie 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 said Decedent are requested to make payment in full, without delay, to:
Co-Executors: John A. Schick, and Jamie L. Roth-Gilly.
c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Jr. Esquire
Prokup & Swartz 7736 Main Street
Fogelsville, PA 18051
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF PEARL H. RUFF aka PEARL HULDA RUFF, Decedent, Allentown, 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 said Decedent are requested to make payment in full, without delay, to:
Executrix: Judith R. Weaver
c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Jr., Esquire
Prokup & Swartz
7736 Main Street
Fogelsville, PA 18051
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Flora F. Lichtenwalner deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:
Judith E. Lichtenwalner, Executrix
c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Or to her Attorney
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119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Barbara F. Rohrbach, a/k/a Barbara Fay Rohrbach, deceased, late of Zionsville, 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:
Lisa Marie Bowers, Executrix
c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Or to her Attorney
YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Feb. 16, 23, March 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of JOSEPH A. SKIBA, 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:
Karen M. Bartels, Executrix
c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Or to her Attorney
YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Bertha E. Blose, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:
Mark D. Menges, Executor
c/o Stephen A. Strack, Esquire
Steckel and Stopp LLC
125 S Walnut Street, Suite 210
Slatington, PA 18080
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF HARRIET A. AKELAITIS, deceased, late of Slatington, Lehigh County, PA. 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:
Michael Maliniak
c/o Steckel and Stopp LLC
Executor or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp LLC, By: Keith W. Strohl, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF MARY B. FRITZINGER, deceased, late of Whitehall, formally of Walnutport, Lehigh County, PA. 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:
Timothy J. Fritzynger
c/o Steckel and Stopp LLC
Executor or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp LLC, By: Stephen A. Strack, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF LIESLOTTE M. NIKISHER, deceased, late of Lehigh Township, Northampton County, PA. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:
DAVID FRANCIS NIKISHER, EXECUTOR
C/O STEPHEN A. STRACK
STECKEL AND STOPP LLC
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON PA 18080
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF DOLORES A. ZIMMERMAN, deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, PA. 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:
Susan Kay Foster
c/o Steckel and Stopp LLC
Executrix or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp LLC, By: Keith W. Strohl, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF Shirley F. Graver, deceased, late of Allen Township, 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:
LORRIE A. GRAVER, EXECUTRIX
C/O KEITH W. STROHL, ESQUIRE
STECKEL AND STOPP LLC
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON PA 18080
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Edith M. Riggs, deceased, late of Schnecksville, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:
Teresa A. Riggs-Fejes, Executrix
c/o Stephen A. Strack, Esquire
Steckel and Stopp LLC
125 S Walnut Street, Suite 210
Slatington, PA 18080
Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Bernice A. Smith, deceased, late of Schnecksville, 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:
Sharon A. Smith and Gregory J. Smith, Executors
c/o Stephen A. Strack, Esquire
Steckel and Stopp LLC
125 S Walnut Street, Suite 210
Slatington, PA 18080
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF LORRAINE S. POMPELLI, deceased, late of Walnutport, 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:
Maria L. Halkias, Executor
Donna M. Reed, Executor
c/o Wiener and Wiener, LLP
512 Hamilton Street, Suite 400
Allentown, PA 18101
OR to their attorney
Wiener and Wiener LLP
512 Hamilton Street, Suite 400
Allentown, PA 18101
Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Arlene Butz, Deceased, late of the City/Boro of Trexlertown, County of Lehigh, 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:
Dennis Harold Butz, Executor, 4048 Abbott Street, Coopersburg, PA 18036-9311.
Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Dorothy J. Greiner, deceased, late of Lynn Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to **Rae Greiner**, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent make payment without delay to:
Santanasto Law, 210 E. Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018.
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE of Julie Yeakel aka Julia Yeakel aka Julia Lazor, DECEASED. Late of Macungie, Lehigh County, PA. 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:
William H. Yeakel, Executor, 7653 Lazor Rd, Macungie PA 18062.
Feb 23, Mar 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Paul E. Miller, Deceased. Late of Allentown, Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 5/15/21. Letters of Administration on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to:
Megan L. Stuckel, Administratrix, 523 2nd Ave., Apt. 13, Bethlehem, PA 18018. Or to her Atty.: Kathleen B. Murren, Skarlatos Zonarich, 320 Market St., Ste. 600W, Harrisburg, PA 17101.
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Walter Harlan Beadling, III, Deceased, Late of Upper Macungie Twp., Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 9/28/21. 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:
Robert Beadling, 6072 Curricket Rd., Kitty Hawk, NC 27949 & **Kevin Bosch**, 404 Nastasi Ct., Mullica Hill, NJ 08062, Executors. Or to their Atty.: Kris E. Fendrock, Myers Brier & Kelly, LLP, 425 Spruce St., Ste. 200, Scranton PA 18503
Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Arthur J. Mulligan, Deceased, late of the Township of Hanover, 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:
Timothy Michael Mulligan, Executor, 1608 Travers Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031-1282.
Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Jean M. Deischer, deceased, late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:
Deborah L. Skinner and Donna L. Rohrbach, Co-executors
c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer
53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 19049
or to their attorney:
Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq.
53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Kenneth J. Lumer, deceased, late of Whitehall Township, 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:
Keith R. Suppan, Administrator
c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer
53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 19049
or to his attorney:
Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq.
53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049
March 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of MICHAEL MOORE SLIFKA a/k/a MICHAEL M. SLIFKA, deceased, January 6, 2022, late of Fountain Hill, 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:
JAY L. SLIFKA, EXECUTOR
c/o Sabetti Law Offices
224 West Broad Street
Bethlehem, PA 18018
or to the Attorney for the Estate:
Daniel P. Sabetti Esquire
224 West Broad Street
Bethlehem, PA 18018
Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Audrey M. Jones, deceased, late of East Allen Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the individuals 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:
Catherine J. Meleta and Thomas William Jones, Co-Executors
c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire
WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C.
2610 Walbert Avenue
Allentown, PA 18104
Mar. 2, 9, 16

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of ANTHONY F. DANIELE, JR., deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the person 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:
Ronald Sivonda
3129 Linda Lane, Apt. D
Allentown, PA 18103
Executor, or his attorney,
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3 North Main Street
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Feb. 23, Mar. 2, 9

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