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Greco presents 'new vision' for Valley transportation

By **KEN PETRINI**
 Special to The Press

Lehigh County commissioners heard from Armand Greco, executive director of the Lehigh Northampton Transportation Authority, at their March 24 meeting.

Greco presented to the board LANTA's "Regional Transportation Plan for the Lehigh Valley."

He said the document was a "final report for an attempt to create a new vision for regional transportation."

The year-and-a-half study was undertaken by the Abrams-Cherwony Group, part of Gannett Fleming Engineering.

LANTA provides Metro bus service and Metro Plus specialized services as well as managing the Carbon

County Community Transit system.

According to Greco, LANTA riders take 20,000 trips per weekday or about 5 million per year.

These are split between work commutes and trips for shopping, medical and other needs.

About 10 percent of the riders are seniors.

"Transit service levels have not kept pace with demand," Greco said.

Residential and commercial development have outgrown the LANTA service model.

The regional vision of the Lehigh Valley Planning Commission's "Comp Plan - The Lehigh Valley 2030" would mitigate con-

gestion and sprawl, link land use and transportation decisions and preserve open space and revitalize urban centers, according to the study.

He said that land use planning should be transit-oriented and transit friendly.

LANTA has agreed to work hard to review development plans and development ordinances, Greco

said. Commissioner Percy Dougherty agreed that land use planning was a key aspect of the study.

"We have been a dismal failure here in the Lehigh Valley in allowing urban sprawl," Dougherty said.

He explained that a spread out population makes it more difficult to

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Lunch in motion

April Greenway walks promote healthy living

PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

Accompanied by another walker, breast cancer survivor Maryalice Gross smiles and waves from the finished section of the Greenway. The Bethlehem Health Bureau is capitalizing on spring weather by promoting its Lunch N' Motion walking program twice weekly in April. The roughly 2.6 mile circuit gives walkers an opportunity for exercise on Tuesdays and Thursdays through April

29. Those interested should meet at noon near the grassy area between the Comfort Suites and West Third Street. Participants should dress properly and wear comfortable walking shoes. Health Bureau staff are escorting each session and will provide exercise and dietary tips. A group of about 17 walkers joined the initial Tuesday, followed up by about a dozen on Thursday.

Gross said it was "a chance to walk someplace else and with other people." She also cited statistics that showed several hours of activity each week would reduce her chances of having the cancer return after being cancer free for almost two years.

Additional information is available by calling the health bureau at 610-997-3562.

'They are taking the gamble'

Biden praises Franklin Tech Ventures entrepreneurial spirit

By **DOUGLAS GRAVES**
 Special to the Bethlehem Press

"There is no reason that what we're doing here can't be done in the rest of the country."

JOSEPH BIDEN

"There is no reason this city [Bethlehem] can't lead the way," said U.S. Vice President Joseph Biden as he addressed a small crowd of invited guests corralled together in the bright sunshine behind the Ben Franklin Tech Ventures building on Lehigh University's campus April 15.

"This administration will not settle for the United States to be anything other than the [world] leader in technology," Biden said.

Biden was visiting the Research Drive site in celebration of a \$6 million federal stimulus grant to allow

the technology incubator to add a new wing to be called Tech Ventures2. He was accompanied by Deputy Secretary of Commerce Dennis Hightower.

Many of those attending were invited to stay for a ceremonial groundbreaking for the 47,000-square-foot expansion of the Ben Franklin Tech Ventures facility on Research Drive.

"Incubators are magnets that allow hard-working people to get back to work," Biden said. "There is no reason that what we're doing here can't be done in the rest of the country."

He praised Mark Granahan who, See **SPIRIT** on Page A3



PRESS PHOTO BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

Texas Instrument's Mark E. Granahan shows off a circuit board that represents the "virtual collision" of two trends of growing demand for real-time electronic delivery.

BASD

Vo-tech seeks 2.64% increase

By **DOUGLAS GRAVES**
 Special to the Bethlehem Press

Bethlehem Area Vocational-Technical School Director Brian Williams wants the Bethlehem Area School District to increase its contribution to BAVT's budget by 2.64 percent for the 2011-12 school year.

Williams said he wants BASD's contribution to increase by \$227,490 for a total contribution of \$8.9 million.

"You are our major contributors," Williams said, noting that 60 percent of BAVT's students are from the BASD. The share of BASD's contribution for the school's budget is 62.5 percent.

The other school districts that support

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Q&A

BY CYNTHIA UNDERHILL

Curt Mosel leads all marketing and public relations initiatives for ArtsQuest, including its programs and events.



QWhat does the marketing manager do for ArtsQuest?

AAs ArtsQuest director of marketing and public relations, I develop and implement marketing, promotion and public relations campaigns for ArtsQuest events, programs, memberships and merchandise including Musikfest, the Banana Factory, Christmas City, SteelStacks and more. All of this is done to support our mission of celebrating arts and culture in the Lehigh Valley.

QWhat is your own background?

AI have worked primarily in professional sports in ticket sales and sponsorship with the Minnesota Timberwolves of the NBA and Chicago Fire of MLS. Most recently I was the marketing manager at the Morning Call where I developed and managed partner relationships with nonprofit organizations to increase awareness of the various causes and events.

QWhat are you looking forward to the most?

ASeeing the faces of kids and adults enjoying themselves at our events throughout the year. Developing meaningful relationships with media partners to help build awareness of the Lehigh Valley and its growing arts and culture offerings.

QWhat are your initial goals?

ADeveloping great relationships with our

media partners, launching innovative campaigns for concerts currently being announced and growing our ArtsQuest memberships.

QWhat do you consider your biggest challenge?

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QThe ArtsQuest center at Steel Stacks is close to the Sands Casino project. How would you describe the relationship between SteelStacks and the Sands?

AThe Sands is a phenomenal partner, not only to us, but to so many organizations in the Lehigh Valley. They understand that the more we can all work together to bring people to the Lehigh Valley from outside of the area as well as promote our programs and offerings to those within the area, the more we all benefit.

QIs there anything else you would like to share with our readers?

A2010 is going to be an exciting year for ArtsQuest and all of our ancillary brands, Banana Factory, Christmas City/Christkindlmarkt, Peepsfest and Musikfest, as well as many smaller events. 2011 will bring new venues, new programming and a multitude of new opportunities for residents of the Lehigh Valley and beyond.

BASD

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BAVTS's budget are the Nazareth Area School District (27.96 percent) and the Saucon Valley School District (9.18 percent).

According to information provided by Williams, almost 70 percent of BAVTS's expenditures are for salaries and other employee costs.

He said that it costs \$8,000 per year to send a student to the vocational school.

According to Williams, the state's contribution decreases year after year and local school boards have to pick up the difference.

Williams said that academic attainment has increased for BAVTS's students by 15 percent in such indicators as PSSA scores, career placements and student retention rates.

He said that the BAVTS must obtain and maintain facilities, technologies, equipment and



PRESS PHOTO BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

BAVTS Director Brian Williams presents his budget request for next year to the Bethlehem Area School District's school board.

instructional resources that support student achievement.

"Every effort is made to

reduce or eliminate non-essential resources from operational and instructional budgets," he said.

William's request will be on the agenda for the regular school board meeting April 26.

In other business, the school board heard Director of Student Services Dean Donaher introduce a plan to increase revenue from school sports by increasing the cost of family tickets and decreasing the number of family members that can come to the games on a "family ticket." Donaher said that there have been incidents of non-family members coming through the ticket gate on family tickets.

School board member William Burkhardt objected to the idea of increasing prices on athletic tickets or reducing the number of family members admitted on family tickets. "It's a big to-do about nothing," Burkhardt said.

Board President Loretta Leeson suggested that the issue be studied for a year before making any changes.

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ices. "I feel very guilty that we as a county have not been able to contribute more," Dougherty said.

The LANTA study would require additional state, federal and local funds to implement its goals.

The Moving LANTA Forward Study looked at the areas of service, marketing, land use outreach and technology.

Greco called it "a plan to implement a lot of new technology to make us more efficient."

The LANTA system is undersized in comparison to its peers, the LANTA director noted.

Part of the study looked at ways to increase the scope and span of LANTA.

In addition to improving existing core services, the plan calls for expanded

service in currently unserved or limited service areas, including a network of satellite hubs, the connection of flexible services to fixed routes at hubs and a focus on intermodal hubs that serve different types of transit.

The plan also looked at changes in the mode of transportation including bus rapid transit with faster routes.

Commuter rail planning is also part of the study, especially as to how buses would interconnect with rail services.

"I look at this creating an even greater demand for LANTA services," Greco said, of a possible rail corridor in the Lehigh

Valley. The short-term plan, which Greco termed "doable in the context of how the county has funded us over the years," would improve core services, including expanding weekend and evening service and route frequency.

The intermediate-term plan for three to six years in the future would seek to bring LANTA service levels up to the average of markets the size of the Lehigh Valley while adding more flexible services that respond to demand as needed.

The short-term plan requires \$18.7 million in funding while the intermediate-term plan esca-

lates to \$26 million.

The long-term plan that goes beyond six years would have a \$53 million funding gap, making it "a very expensive plan to get to," Greco said.

That plan would implement bus rapid transit and ties with light rail.

Greco outlined an ambitious \$157 million capital plan for 2011-22.

In addition to \$69 million for buses and hybrids, the plan seeks nearly \$3 million for more bus shelters.

Funding is expected to come from federal sources (\$125 million), state funds (\$24 million) and local contributions (\$8 million).

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St. Stephen's Preschool open house, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the church, 67 W. Washington Ave. Call 610-865-1435.
Bethlehem Township Municipal Authority, 7 p.m. at Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Ave.
Freemansburg Borough Parks and Recreation meeting, 7 p.m. at 600 Monroe St.
Fountain Hill Borough Council work session, 7 p.m. at 941 Long St.
Hellertown Borough Authority meeting, 7 p.m., 685 Main St.

Thursday, April 22

Family Place Next Step play date, 10 to 11 a.m., Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St., www.bapl.org/word-press or phone 610-867-3761, ext. 499.
Bethlehem Health Bureau walks along the Greenway, noon to 1 p.m., start at the grassy area of the Comfort Suites, 120 W. Third St. Parking is available in the Comfort Suites lot. Call 610-997-3562.
Hanover Township zoning hearing meeting, 7 p.m. at 3630 Jacksonville Road
"Guys & Dolls," Liberty HS, 7 p.m., 1115 Linden St., info: 610-865-5231
"Into the Woods," Notre Dame HS, 7:30 p.m., 3417 Church Road, Bethlehem Township. Call 610-515-8656.
Northampton County Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., Northampton County Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton

Friday, April 23

"Camelot," Bethlehem Catholic HS, 7 p.m., Culver Performing Arts Center, 2133 Madison Ave. Tickets at main office or at the door. Call 610-866-0791, ext. 18.
"Guys & Dolls," Liberty HS, 7 p.m., 1115 Linden St., info: 610-865-5231.
"Into the Woods," Notre Dame HS, 7:30 p.m., 3417 Church Road, Bethlehem Township, info: 610-515-8656.

Saturday, April 24

Earth Day Northside cleanup at Main and Broad streets. Rain or shine. Gloves and bags provided. Call 610-841-5831.
Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St., is having a birdwalk. Phone 610 867-3761, ext. 259 or visit www.bapl.org.
Mt. Airy Neighborhood Association's park cleanup, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Westside Park between 11 and 13 avenues and Lehigh and Spring streets. Call 610-317-2378.
"Spring on Fourth! What's On Third" street festival and chili cookoff, 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., on the southside along Third, Fourth and New streets.
"Guys & Dolls," Liberty HS, 2 p.m., 1115 Linden St., info: 610-865-5231.
"Into the Woods," Notre Dame HS, 2 p.m., 3417 Church Road, Bethlehem Township, info: 610-515-8656
Hanover Township Lions Club spaghetti dinner, 4 to 7 p.m., Christ U.C.C., 5050 Airport Road. Call 610-691-6999.
Jack Pressmann Memorial Scholarship Fund's "Spring Forward for Jack!" fundraiser, 4 to 7 p.m. at Jack Callaghan's Ale House, 2027 Tilghman St., Allentown. For tickets and information, call 610-462-3730.
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Sunday, April 25

Pulaski celebration and community service, 10:30 a.m. at the Pulaski monument, Third Street and Broadhead Avenue
The Bethlehem Garden Club's basket bingo, 1 p.m., East Hills MSI cafeteria, 2005 Chester Road

Monday, April 26

Bethlehem Area School District Board of School Directors regular meeting, 7 p.m. at East Hills MS auditorium, 2005 Chester Road
Bethlehem Township Planning Commission meeting, 7 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Ave.

Tuesday, April 27

Bethlehem Health Bureau walks along the Greenway, noon to 1 p.m., start at the grassy area of the Comfort Suites, 120 W. Third St. Parking is available in the Comfort Suites lot. Call 610-997-3562.
Mayor's South Side Task Force, 4 p.m. Call 610-865-4695.
Bethlehem Democratic Association candidate's night and rally, 7 p.m. at the club's facility, 540 N. New St. Call 610-216-3872.
BASD public budget hearing, 7 p.m., Education Center dining room, 1516 Sycamore St.
Freemansburg zoning meeting, 7 p.m., 600 Monroe St.
Hanover Township Supervisors meeting, 7 p.m. Municipal Building at 3630 Jacksonville Road
Saucon Valley School Board meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Audion Building, 2097 Polk Valley Road

Wednesday, April 28

The Bethlehem Area Public Library's fashion show to benefit "Room To Grow," 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Hotel Bethlehem, 437 Main St. Fee. Call 610-867-3761, ext. 259 or visit www.bapl.org
Chamber of Commerce walk at work day, noon to 1 p.m., 561 Main St. E-mail melody@lehighvalleychamber.org to register.
Bethlehem Planning Commission meeting, 4 p.m. at Town Hall, 10 E. Church St.
Bethlehem Parking Authority meeting, 4:30 p.m. at 85 W. North St.
Bethlehem Zoning Hearing Board meeting, 7 p.m. at Town Hall, 10 E. Church St.
Bethlehem Township Zoning Hearing Board, 7 p.m. at Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Ave.
Lehigh County Board of Commissioners meeting, 7:30 p.m., public hearing room, Lehigh County Government Center, 17 S. Seventh St., Allentown

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with former Lucent Microelectronics Bell Labs colleagues, had established the CICLON Semiconductor Device Corp. in 2005 at the Ben Franklin TechVentures facility and built it into a business that raised \$24 million in venture capital. The company then negotiated a successful buy-out by Texas Instruments. Granahan stayed on as the general manager for the Texas Instruments Lehigh Valley company which employs 50 people.

"They need to be able to raise capital and take risks," Biden said, referring to the nation's entrepreneurs like Granahan. "They are taking the gamble," he said. "All we can do is provide seed money to unleash the entrepreneurs of the country."

"We don't want to build a new economy that looks like the last one," Biden said.

Biden also urged all citizens to take advantage of the tax relief plans available now.

"Wealthy people have tax accountants but normal people file their own taxes," he said noting that "today is the IRS deadline for filing taxes."

Earlier, the vice president's motorcade of two black sedans with flags on the front fenders and several SUVs drove up Mountain View Drive to the mountain-top offices of Ben Franklin TechVentures. One of the sedans continued into the building's concealed driveway while the other parked in full view of the crowd of invited guests and journalists.

Several local political leaders were present to welcome Biden, including Allentown Mayor Ed Pawlowski, Easton Mayor Sal Panto and Bethlehem Mayor John Callahan. Northampton County Council President Ron Angle was there as was state Sen. Lisa Boscola, D-18th district.

Angle was one of the very few Republican politicians to appear at the event, which had overtones of Democratic support for Democrat John Callahan, who shared the dais with Biden. Republican Angle and Democrat Boscola did put aside party differences to join in the ceremonial groundbreaking after the speeches.

Callahan called the TechVentures2 a "critical component of the South

Bethlehem Keystone Innovation Zone" (KIZ). He said it is one of the most successful such KIZs in Pennsylvania.

He said that the City of Bethlehem has "supported TechVentures2 since its inception," by investing \$150,000 during the conceptual and development phases. "The new and expanded space is a critical part of improving the city's technology infrastructure and will serve as an economic engine for the creation of 21st century jobs for years to come."

Boscola addressed the group of business and political leaders.

"This is smart investment because it allows start-up businesses access to state-of-the-art facilities at rental rates well below current market rates when they [start-ups] are most vulnerable," she said.

"This is the type of project that government should be funding," she said. "I have seen too many government grants that have not created the jobs as envisioned. Rest assured that jobs will be created [in this facility.] Two hundred new jobs will be created and 100 jobs will be retained."

"I am so proud to have been able to secure a \$4 million grant for this project from the Commonwealth," Boscola said.

According to Laura Eppler, director of Marketing for Ben Franklin TechVentures, the new wing will have wet labs, office and meeting space and parking to accommodate 260 cars. It will be a "certified Leadership Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) building and will have a photovoltaic solar array on its rooftop and the latest energy management and light harvesting technologies."

Callahan, who is running for the

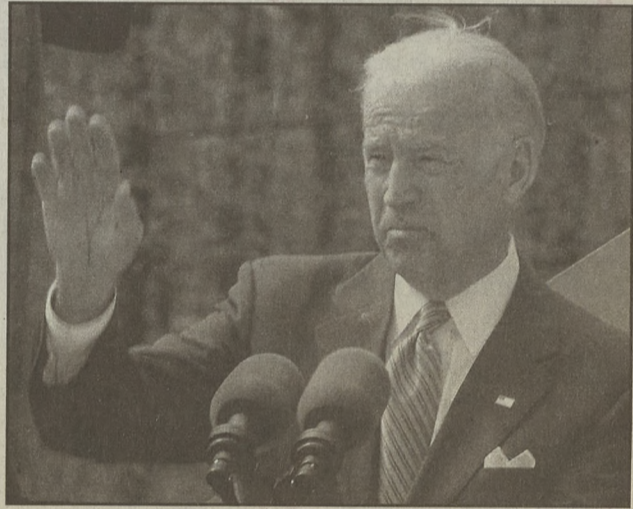
15th District House of Representative seat in the U. S. Congress, later joined the Biden for a fund-raising luncheon at Bethlehem Township's Blue Grill and Wine Bar restaurant. The luncheon (lunches went for \$250) reportedly raised \$178,000 for Callahan's campaign against Republican U. S. Rep. Charlie Dent.

Dent, who was not present at the groundbreaking ceremony, reportedly said that the vice president's "tax-day" trip was a "slap-in-the-face" to taxpayers.

Callahan's campaign spokesman Justin Schall, said the campaign picked up all of Biden's expenses associated with the fundraising side of the trip.



Bipartisanship ruled as Republican Ron Angle and Democrat Lisa Boscola join eight other dignitaries for a ceremonial groundbreaking using \$90 chrome-plated D-handled shovels.



U.S. Vice President Joseph Biden gestures to the crowd as he speaks at the celebration of a \$6 million federal stimulus grant to allow the technology incubator to add a new wing to be called Tech Ventures2.



Chadwick Paul, Jr. watches state Sen. Lisa Boscola address the audience in connection with the groundbreaking ceremony for the expansion of the Ben Franklin TechVentures2. Paul is the president and chief executive officer of Ben Franklin Technology Partners of Northeastern Pennsylvania based in Bethlehem.

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Janet E. Pillsbury

Tally Ho waitress

Janet E. Pillsbury, 68, formerly of Bethlehem, died April 15, 2010, at Phoebe Home, Allentown. Born in Bethlehem, she was the daughter of the late Gerald and Rhoda Furry. She was the wife of the late William B. Pillsbury for 42 years.

She worked at Valley Farm Market. She was a waitress and a cook at the



Tally Ho Tavern.

She is survived by two daughters, Wendi L. and her husband Alex Csala of Bethlehem and Hollie B. and her late husband Scott Knauss of Bath; two grandsons Kyle and Kristopher; and a brother-in-law, Jack Pillsbury of Balliettsville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 617 A Main St., Hellertown, PA 18055.

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

Evelyn A. Shepard

of Bethlehem

Evelyn A. Shepard, 99, died April 10, 2010, in Holy Family Manor, Bethlehem.

She is survived by a daughter, Shirley and her husband Edward W.

Richards of Bethlehem Township; and two grandchildren.

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

Denise A. DeBarbieri

of Lower Saucon Township

Denise A. DeBarbieri, 58, of Lower Saucon Township, died April 8, 2010, in her home. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of Ada (Nigro) DeBarbieri of Bethlehem and the late Joseph DeBarbieri. She was the wife of Raymond K. Payne.

In addition to her husband and mother, she is survived by two sisters, Josette Kane of Bethlehem and Mary Lou and her husband Fred Belfor-

ti of Pleasant Valley; a brother, Louis and his wife Melissa of Cherryville; and nephews and nieces, Mark, Michael, Matthew, Marisa, Skylar and Gabrielle.

Contributions may be sent to the Center for Animal Health & Welfare, 1165 Island Park Road, Easton, PA 18042.

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

Jack A. Fliter Sr.

Korean War vet

Jack A. Fliter Sr., 85, of Allentown, died April 15, 2010, while in the care of his family and the staff of Westminster Village. He was the husband of Anastasia (Kahermanes) Fliter for 54 years last November.

He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

He was employed for more than 30 years as a code enforcement officer for the city of Long Branch, N.J., retiring in 2000.

He was a former member of St. George's Greek Orthodox Church, Asbury Park, N.J.

He was a member of VFW Post 2140 in Long

Branch. He was a four term past exalted ruler of the Long Branch Elks Lodge #742.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Debra A. and her husband Gordon Toth of Neptune, N.J.; two sons, Jack A. Jr. and his wife Jody of Bethlehem Township and Michael T. and his wife Suzanne of Pepperell, Mass.; and four grandchildren.

Contributions may be made to the Special Children's Fund c/o the Elks Lodge #742, 175 Garfield Ave., Long Branch, N.J. 07740.

Arrangements were made Long Funeral Home Inc., Bethlehem.

Ophelia Grace Smith-Balogach

of Bethlehem

Ophelia Grace Smith-Balogach, 91, of Bethlehem, died April 10, 2010, at Cedarbrook Fountain Hill Annex, Bethlehem. Born in Towamensing Township, she was the daughter of the late Elvin O. and Bertie J. (George) Smith. She was the wife of the late Lewis R. Smith and the late John J. Balogach.

She was a trimmer for the former Fernbrook Company, Forest Inn before retiring. She was a farmer on the family owned Smith Orchards, Forest Inn.

She was a member of Jerusalem United Church of Christ, Trachsville.

She was a member of the Farmers 4-H and Trachsville Fire Company, the Big Creek 4-H and the Towamensing Grange.

She is survived by a son, Richard L. and his wife Kathy of Whitehall; a daughter, Renee G. and her husband Keith Youse of Forest Inn; three grandchildren, Richard Jr. and Teresa Smith, Laurie Hutterer and Annette Schrantz; five great-grandchildren, Michael, Tyler, Frank, Kadie and Ryan; a foster sister, Edna Taleha of Kunkletown; and her caregiver for many years, Ellen Bloom of Allentown.

Contributions may be made to Care Alternatives Hospice or the Cedarbrook Fountain Hill Annex, both c/o the funeral home, 525 Delaware Ave., Palmerton, PA 18071.

Arrangements were made by Campton Funeral Home Inc., Palmerton.

Herman W. Beck

Bethlehem Steel electrician

Herman W. Beck, 89, of Bethlehem, died April 11, 2010, at Gracedale Nursing Center. Born in Allentown, he was a son of the late Charles and Minnie (Leiberzeit) Beck. He was the husband of Helen G. (Reszek) Beck.

He retired from the Bethlehem Steel Corpo-

ration in 1983, where he was an electrician.

He was a member of Calvary Temple, Allentown prior to attending Calvary Baptist Church, Bethlehem.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Gerald W. of Bethlehem; and two sisters, Eleanor Bailey of Bethlehem and Rosie Morris of Bath.

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

Lorraine M. Miller

Calvary Wesleyan member

Lorraine M. Miller, 78, of Bushkill Township, died April 14, 2010. Born in Nazareth, she was a daughter of the late Paul and Mildred (Wimmer) Werkheiser. She was the wife of Marshall M. Miller for 53 years.

She was a teacher's aide in Bushkill Township. She was an office

secretary many years ago. She was a member of Calvary Wesleyan Church, Bethlehem.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, Kevin of Philadelphia; and a sister, Betty Weiss of Bethlehem.

Contributions may be sent to Calvary Wesleyan Church, 1414 Pennsylvania Ave., Bethlehem, PA 18018.

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

Andrew J. Moskwa

AT&T lab technician

Andrew J. Moskwa, 81, of Bethlehem, died April 10, 2010, at Whitehall Manor, Whitehall. Born in Nanticoke, he was the son of the late Frank and Mary (Sasotta) Moskwa. He was the husband of Betty Jean (Dunton) for 35 years.

He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1949 to 1953 during the Korean War.

He earned an electrical engineering degree from Lehigh Community College.

He was an electrical lab technician for the former AT&T/Bell Labs, Allentown for 28 years before retiring in 1987.

He was of the Roman Catholic faith.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Sherry L. and her husband Dodd Sawka of Danielsville and Laurie A. and her husband Salvatore Santoro of Collegeville; a son, Barry A. and his wife Lori J. Bartholomew of Danielsville; and seven grandchildren, Kimberly, Rebecca, Lea, Luigi, Mitchell, Holly and Mason.

Contributions may be made to the Disabled Veterans of the Lehigh Valley, c/o the funeral home, 2119 Washington Ave., Northampton, PA 18067.

Arrangements were made by Schisler Funeral Home Inc., Northampton.

Pauline Kester

Sister of Bethlehem woman

Pauline Kester, 79, died April 15, 2010 in Bethlehem. She was the wife of the late David Kester.

She is survived by a sister, Helen Murray of

Bethlehem; nieces, nephews and their families.

Arrangements were made by the Long Funeral Home Inc., Bethlehem.

Harold J. "Ham" Horn

Postal worker

Harold J. "Ham" Horn, 60, of Slatedale, died April 13, 2010, in the inpatient hospice unit of Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown. Born in Allentown, he was the son of the late Willard F. and Ruth E. (Kistler) Horn. He was the husband of Suzanne E. (Parfitt) Horn for 37 years.

He was in the army stationed at Fort Knox, Ky, during the Vietnam era.

He worked for Lehigh Valley Post Office, Northampton County for the past 15 years. Previously he was employed at Mack Trucks, Allentown for 15 years.

He was a life member of Citizens Fire Company, No. 1, Slatedale, serving on fire police for 29 years and as treasurer for 10 years. He was a member of Emerald Fire Company, Copechach Fish and Game Club and the former Slatedale Rod and Gun Club. He had been active in the Slatedale

Athletic Association.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Michael J. and his wife Ramona J. (Kistler) of Best Station; two daughters, Lisa A. and her husband Carl F. Schmoyer III of Breinigsville and Melissa M. and her husband Michael A. Lilly of Slatedale; three brothers, Richard and his wife Evelyn of Slatington, Larry of Washington and Lynn and his wife Chris of Slatington; a sister, Peggy and her husband Michael Mack of Slatington; and three grandchildren, Nathan, Miranda and Hayden.

Contributions may be made to Citizen's Fire Company, No. 1, Slatedale and/or the Slatedale Athletic Association, c/o the funeral home, P.O. Box 190, Breinigsville, PA 18031.

Arrangements were made by Schmoyer Funeral Home Inc., Breinigsville.

Amado Trinidad

Coke Works pushman

Amado Trinidad, 87, of Bethlehem, died April 13, 2010, at Lehigh Valley Hospital-Muhlenberg in Bethlehem. Born in Corozal, Puerto Rico, he was the son of the late Juan and Anicasca (Rivera) Trinidad. He was the husband of Graciela (Maldonado) Trinidad for 65 years.

He worked for the Bethlehem Steel Company in the Coke works as a pushman, retiring in 1984 with 33 years service.

He was a member of Holy Infancy Catholic Church.

He was a member of the Puerto Rican Club.

In addition to his wife,

he is survived by three sons, Noel L. and his wife Carmen, Concepcion and his wife Lucy, all of Bethlehem Township, and Nelson W. and his wife Christine of Burns Harbor, Ind.; three brothers, Emilio, Michael and Rafael Trinidad, all of Bethlehem; six sisters, Valentina Trinidad of Corozal, Puerto Rico, Auroura Padilla, Theresa Fieves, Carmen Rodriguez, and Lucy and Iris Pena, all of Bethlehem; seven grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by two sisters, Maria Albino and Gloria Negron; and two brothers, Jose and Jesus Trinidad.

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

Shirley Stieber Kemp

Foster parent to 200 children

Shirley Stieber Kemp, 77, of Bethlehem, died April 16, 2010, at St. Luke's VNA Hospice House, Lower

Saucon Township. Born in Fountain Hill, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Alma Harryn. She was the wife of the late David Kemp, the late Norman Stieber and the late Vernon Cope.

She was a foster parent for more than 30 years, caring for more than 200 children.

She was a member of Ebenezer Bible Fellowship Church.

She is survived by children, Stanley and his wife Eiko of Federal Way, Wash., Gail Dillman-Long and partner Janice Dill-

man-Long of Seattle, Wash., Sandra and her husband John Dempsey of Bethlehem Township, Gordon and his wife Rita Lynn of Kokomo, Ind., Bradley and his wife Kimberly of Bethlehem Township, and Douglas and his wife Jennifer of Lansdale; two sisters, Betty and her husband Andrew Wargo and Janet and her husband Richard McGee, all of Bethlehem; a brother, Donald and his wife Jerry Harryn of Quakertown; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by three brothers, Melvin, Paul and Kenneth Harryn.

Contributions may be made to Ebenezer Bible Fellowship Church, 3100 Hecktown Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020.

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

Mary A. Krokoszynski

OLPH member

Mary A. Krokoszynski, 92, of Bethlehem, died April 16, 2010 at Hospice of the VNA of St. Luke's, Bethlehem. Born in Bethlehem, she was the daughter of the late Michael and Julia (Salzinger) Folar. She was the wife of the late Walter Krokoszynski.

She was a waitress in New York City.

She was a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church,

Bethlehem Township.

She is survived by a sister, Elizabeth "Betty" Provenzano; nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by a sister and two brothers.

Contributions may be made to the church, 3219 Santee Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020.

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

Margaret Wagner

St. Anne's member

Margaret Wagner of Bethlehem, died April 14, 2010, in her home. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of the late Frank and Rose (Werner) Szwetec. She was the wife of the late Joseph F. Wagner.

She was a member of

St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church, Bethlehem.

Memorials may be sent to St. Anne's Catholic Church, 450 Washington Ave., Bethlehem, PA 18017.

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

Richard C. Miller

IBM employee

Richard C. Miller, 83, a native of Bethlehem, died April 10, 2010, at home. He was a resident of Florida since 1982. He was the husband of the late Marjorie Wyant and the late Simone Stakolt Tolksdorf. He was a 1951 graduate of Lehigh University.

He served in the armed forces during World War II.

He retired from IBM in 1987 after 36 years of employment. He was in

engineering and management positions in several IBM locations.

He is survived by a daughter, Marni Sue Cardillo and her husband of Weirsdale, Fla.

He was predeceased by a son, Jeffery Miller.

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AREA POLICE

Theft

Police arrested St. Luke's Hospital employee Rosa Leon-Santiago, 51, of Bethlehem, around 4 a.m. March 5 for stealing from a patient.

According to police, a woman had left her bag unattended in the ER waiting room. Her wallet was missing when she returned.

Police later examined closed-circuit video footage and observed Leon-Santiago reaching into the bag and removing the wallet, though she denied doing so.

She was transported to Lehigh County Prison for processing.

Burglary

A Fountain Hill resident reported a burglary in the 1300 block of Delaware Avenue, stating the incident took place April 9 between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

According to police, a witness observed a man standing on the target building's front porch during the time of the burglary and video footage places the suspect walking from the scene. He allegedly gained access to the home through the back door and took an unspecified amount of jewelry and cash.

Police describe the suspect as a Hispanic male with a "medium brown complexion" and no facial hair. He is estimated to be about 6 feet tall and 200 pounds with a large build. At the time of the incident, he was wearing a light-colored shirt, dark blue jeans and a red baseball cap.

Police said the suspect may have been involved in several recent burglaries. Anyone with information about the suspect is asked to call Investigator Sam Del Rosario at 610-691-5512.

CITY POLICE

Robbery

Police arrested two young men for hitting and robbing a Lehigh University student on Laufer Street around 12:05 a.m. April 14.

According to police, the victim was walking home from the school library when he was struck on the head near his left ear. An MP3 player was taken from him. Police were nearby and took descriptions of the actors, who were found "almost immediately" at Packer Avenue and Park Hill Street.

The victim was taken to St. Luke's Hospital for treatment of his head injury, and the MP3 player was returned to him.

Marcos Misael Antonetty, 18, is charged with robbery. Luciano Jose Martinez, 19, is charged with criminal conspiracy. Both are of West Gordon Street in Aquashicola.

Safety vests, tools, gloves and bags



Press photos by Cynthia Underhill. Kristin Wetzel, Elissa Silverman, Steph Runge and Ashley Skibicki, all members of Alpha Phi Omega, a community service fraternity, clean up East Fifth Street.

By CYNTHIA UNDERHILL
Special to the Bethlehem Press

More than 200 volunteers turned out between 7:30 a.m. and noon April 17 to clean up Southside Bethlehem. The event, sponsored by Lehigh University and the Mayor's South Side Task Force, has been held for more than 10 years.

Volunteers enjoyed a continental breakfast from Lehigh University as they gathered on campus to pick up their safety vests, tools, gloves and bags and receive their clean-up assignments.

Employees from the City of Bethlehem Streets, Parks and Recycling departments had six dumpsters on hand for household trash. Residents were lined up with larger items like mattresses, chairs and cabinets all morning.

Volunteers included students from Lehigh University, Northampton Community College, Holy Infancy and the Bethlehem Area School District. There were also local residents, churches, organizations and businesses, including a large group from the Sands Casino-Resort Bethlehem.

LEFT: Members of the Boys & Girls Club sign in to help clean up: from left, Robinson Canario, Jerell Mitchell, Carlos Peña, Timothy O'Toole and Javon Mitchell.



Dawn Rogers and her son, Zachary, 7, get breakfast before they go to work with volunteers from the Epic Church.



City employees help Michael Pristu (brown shirt) unload his truck.



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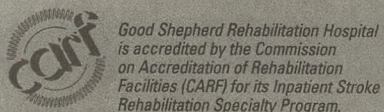
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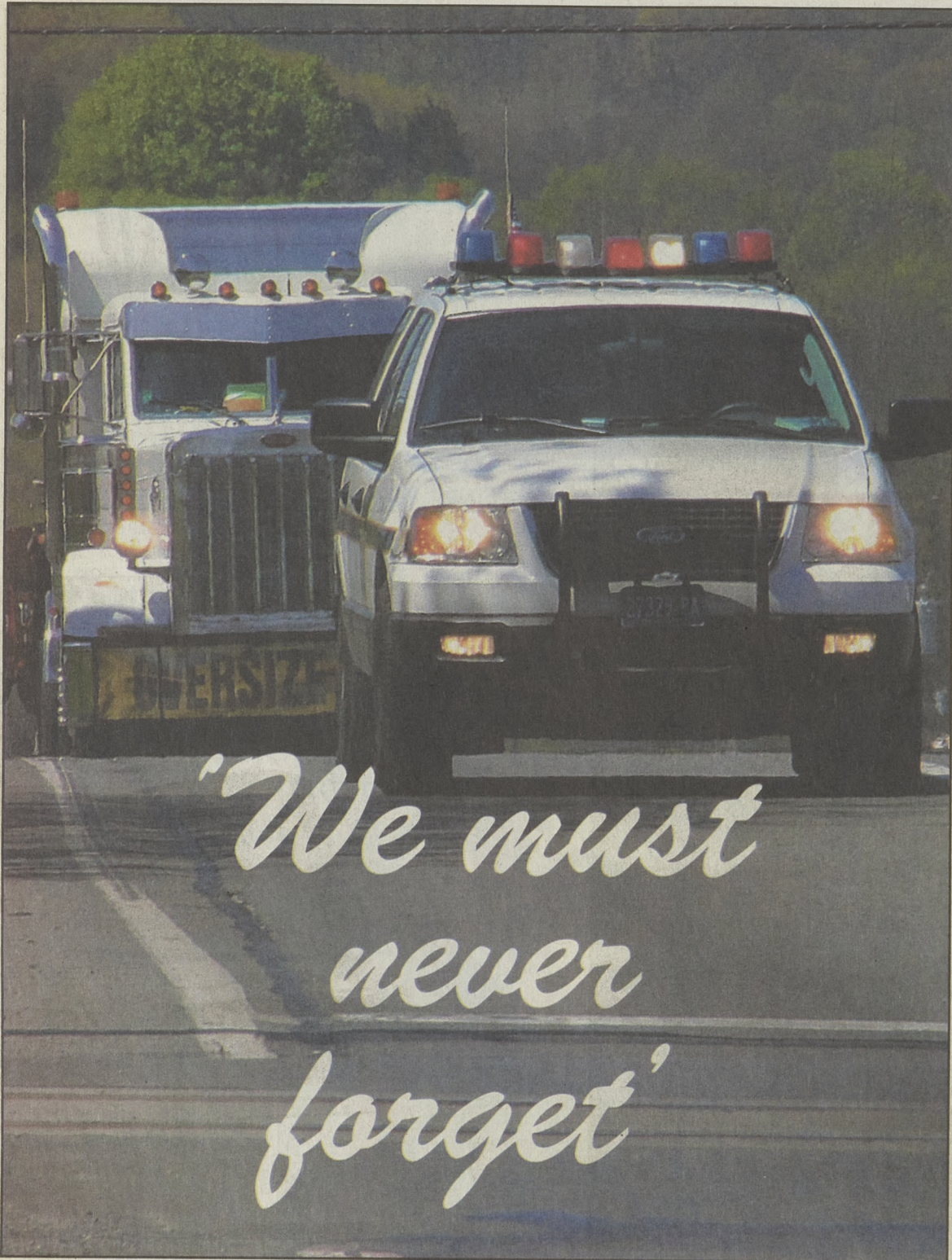
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Lori and Dave Stack spent four hours on the road with the convoy transporting steel from the World Trade Center from New Jersey to Coatesville, where the steel had been made. Here in their own words, are Dave and Lori's report on their experience.

Wednesday morning started out as a typical day until my husband Dave and I started to receive multiple phone calls from friends telling us about the convoy of trucks carrying steel (known as the trees) from the World Trade Center that would be passing through the Lehigh Valley on their way back to Coatesville, where they were originally forged.

September 11 affected us both very deeply. Every year on the anniversary, we make the trip to Ground Zero to pay our respects.

Being a photographer for over 25 years, I have captured many images of NYC, and we knew this would be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, so we grabbed the cameras and headed towards Interstate 80 in New Jersey. As we traveled on Route 33, we saw people waiting and holding flags on the overpasses and the median, only to find out later that the route had been changed due to construction.

We pulled off I-80 onto an overpass, just as the

trucks started passing by. The people cheered, clapped, saluted and waved with horns blaring and flags waving. What an awesome and breathtaking experience.

Thanks to CAT Country 96 and the name of Tim Philmon (he was the lead truck in the convoy) for giving us the air as to where the convoy was. Tim's updates allowed us to stay in the convoy and photograph it at three different locations.

We headed towards Route 33, again finding people on either side of the road and Dave and I were waiting. We knew we were at the end of the road and Dave and I were waiting for the trucks to pass us for the second time.

It wasn't until the third time that we pulled off the road and just took it all in. When what we were seeing really hit home, I brought back all of the emotions that day when so many people, including the World Trade Center, but those in the Pocono Mountains, Pa., lost their lives.

As the last truck passed us, I had tears running down my cheeks, I grabbed my camera and said, "We must never forget."

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Becky Manley, a volunteer for the Pennsylvania German Cultural Heritage Center from Phoenixville, stirs a bowl of Boova Schenkel (potato filled noodles) as Rhonda Miller, a student at Kutztown University from Bethlehem, cuts the bread in the kitchen inside the farmhouse at the center.

PAC Seniors' dance set for May 16

A semi-formal/formal prom night, "Memories," is planned for May 16 at the Portuguese American Club's Founders Hall, 337 Brodhead Ave. Events begin at 4 p.m. Dinner is at 5 p.m.

The prom is for all adults, couples and singles; men are encouraged to get out their suits or tuxedos and ladies their cocktail dresses and gowns. Attendees are encouraged to bring old photos and yearbooks which will be displayed at the event.

The cost includes hors d'oeuvres, a buffet dinner and entertainment which includes "oldies" music by D.J. Tony C.

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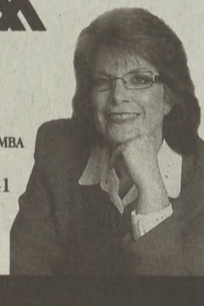
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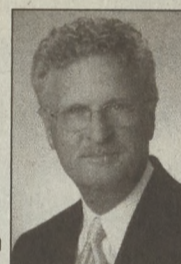
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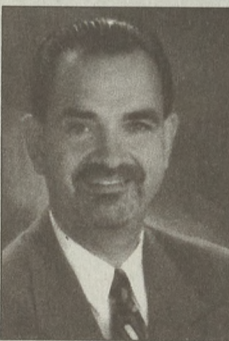


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ND's duo team goes to national tournament

The Notre Dame HS Speech and Debate Club competed in an Allentown Diocesan Forensics League tournament March 6 at Holy Name HS, Reading.

The following students won awards: Mario D'Aniello, third place, Original Oratory; Abby Deely, first place, Original Oratory and third place, Extemporaneous Speaking; Jeff Finegan, first place, Extemporaneous Speaking; Laurel Kandianis, second place, Original Oratory; Tom Kennebeck, second place, Oral Interpretation; Kristin Kramer, first place, Student Congress; Linzie Rosa, fourth place, Oral Interpretation; Joe Salmento, first place, Lincoln/Douglas Debate; Anthony Snover, second place, Student Congress; Cristina Watson, third place, Oral Interpretation. All of these winners have qualified for the National Qualifier tournament to be held in March.

The following students earned degrees from the National Forensic League: Degree of Merit, Mario D'Aniello; Degree of Honor, Anthony Snover and Cristina Watson.

The club competed in The National Catholic Forensic League Grand National qualifier on March 20 at Phillipsburg HS. The following students won awards: Lauren Albers and Steven Prager, first place, Duo Interpretation; Vicki Baker, second place, Student Congress; Zaneta Bell, second place, Oral Interpretation; Sara Bondi and Anthony Saraceno, second place, Duo Interpretation; Abby Deely, third place, Original Oratory; Jeff Finegan, first place, Extemporaneous Speaking; Tom Kennebeck, third place, Oral Interpretation; Kristin Kramer, first place, Student Congress; and Joe Salmento, first place, Lincoln-Douglas Debate.

All first, second and third place winners have qualified for the National Catholic Forensics League Grand National Tournament, May 28 to 31 in Omaha, Neb.

This is the fourth time that Bondi and Saraceno have qualified for the national tournament, all as partners in Duo Interpretation.

Notre Dame won the Allentown Diocesan Forensics League Championship by winning the league's annual cumulative sweepstakes award.

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'Know what you want'

Twentysomethings lectures focus on finding work

By CYNTHIA UNDERHILL
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Susan Berg, author of "Choose on Purpose (for twentysomethings): Finding work you love, places to grow, people who care" is giving a series of workshops at the Moravian Book Shop April 22 and 29.

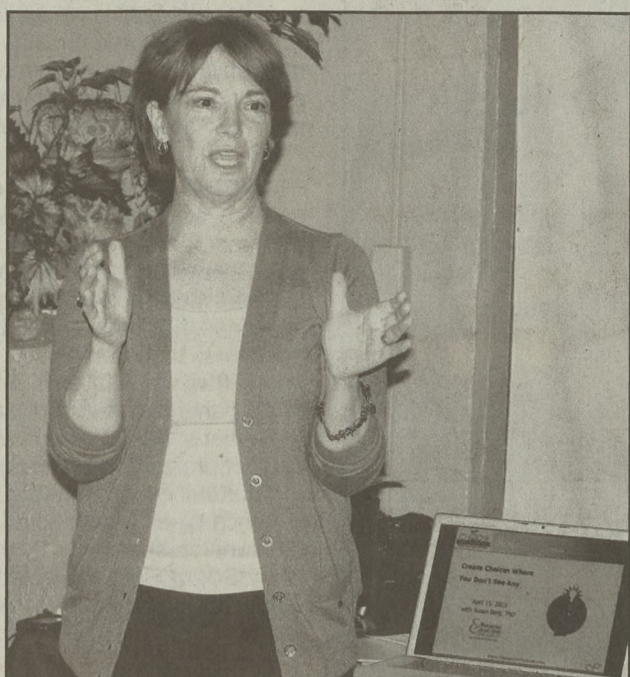
The workshops are "open to everyone who is going through a transition. Whenever we're making a big change we're all twentysomethings at heart," Berg explains.

She initially wrote the book and designed the workshops for twentysomethings.

"I had been working with new young hires for several years," she says. "They're not sure what they want to make happen around balancing family, career and life."

Having two twentysomethings of her own watching how tough it is to make a decision when there are so many things to make a decision about prompted Berg to write the book.

"It started out being focused on twentysome-



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Susan Berg, author of "Choose on Purpose (for twentysomethings): Finding work you love, places to grow, people who care" is teaching a series of workshops at the Moravian Book Shop April 22 and 29.

things, but it turned out to be appropriate for anyone," she says.

Twentysomethings have a disadvantage by growing up in a world that's addicted to the Internet, she says.

"They now have to fig-

ure out that it's just a tool," she explains. "The Internet doesn't get the job. It's easy to get buried in the Internet, but the job's not in the computer."

"It's still face-to-face, nose-to-nose interaction

that gets people the information they need" to get a job, Berg says.

It's also key to "know what you want" and "love what you do," she adds.

The workshops build on each other, but can be taken individually. Contact the Moravian Book Shop to register for the workshops, which cost \$12 each.

"Create choices where you don't see any" was offered April 15. "We see obstacles before we see opportunity," says Berg of the workshop about getting yourself ready to move.

"Move than think," she adds. How did it feel? How did it work?

"Nuts and Bolts of a Purposeful Search" is the topic for April 22. Berg describes this as learning how to perform a "purposeful search instead of taking whatever's out there."

"Tips for Moving Forward Faster" is offered April 29. In this workshop, participants will learn "what are the things that help people make concrete steps forward," Berg says.

HANOVER TWP.

Board addresses light agenda

By MALLORY VOUGH
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Members of the Hanover Township Board of Supervisors unanimously adopted a resolution that authorizes the township to submit an application for the Pa. Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) C2P2 Community Recreation and Conservation Grant during the April 13 meeting.

IntegraONE of Allentown was awarded the bid for a new server/computer hardware project. The alternate bid was in the amount of \$15,444.

According to John Finnigan, township manager, IntegraONE was the only company to put in a bid.

"I am comfortable with IntegraONE doing our services because they've done work for the township for as long as I can remember," Finnigan told board members.

In other business, Ted Laskowski of 1st Patriot Realty gave the board an update on the Airport Commons Office Complex, Northgate II Lot 3.

According to Laskowski, there has been little to no action since ground was broken in 2008 on the office condominiums due to the economic times.

"There is a lack of interest in the units," Laskowski said. "We lowered our price and continue to market. We're in a holding pattern right now."

James Birdsall of Hanover Engineering said he is concerned that many of the improvements that were already completed are starting to deteriorate.

Birdsall told Laskowski that grading, seeding and the backfilling of a fire hydrant should be completed within the next month.

"The clock is expiring on the improvements," Birdsall said. "You need to come up with a plan and clean those things up. We need a commitment from you."

Chairman John Diacogiannis was absent from the meeting.

The next Board of Supervisors meeting is set for April 27 at 7 p.m.

ELECTIONS

Shегда on primary ballot

Ron Shегда, R-136 district, successfully won a ballot position for the May 18 Republican primary. Shегда said he intends to win back this seat for

the people of the 136th district in the state's House of Representatives. The district includes Hellertown, Freemansburg and parts of Bethlehem and Lower Saucon townships.

Shегда said he is challenging "a long-term incumbent who for decades has supported

high taxes, spending, borrowing and pension policies that people from Easton to Hellertown can no longer afford."

Shегда, a Hellertown planning commissioner, hosts a radio program on WGPA Sunny 1100 AM every Tuesday morning from 8 to 9 a.m.

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SteelStacks takes shape



PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

A key milestone in the construction of the \$26 million SteelStacks development by ArtsQuest occurred April 7 as contractors began erecting the steel framework for the Center for Performing Arts. Erection of the precast wall system was expected to follow and begin during the week of April 12. ArtsQuest spokesperson Mark Demko

said that the project continued to advance on schedule and is expected to open in May 2011. **ABOVE:** In a little over two days of work on April 9, the framework for the ArtsQuest Center for Performing Arts has taken its form and is still dwarfed by the one-time Bethlehem Steel blast furnaces in the background.

Reeb Millwork seeks expansion

By ADRIENNE WRIGHT
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Reeb Millwork is seeking approval from Fountain Hill to build a 40,000-square-foot addition in exchange for allowing St. Luke's Hospital to build an access road through Reeb's Brighton Street property.

The issue was discussed at an April 12 Planning Commission meeting, where Reeb representatives presented their expansion plans and discussed St. Luke's proposal in more detail. Thomas Maloney, Reeb's attorney, prefaced the presentation with a nod to the spirit of cooperation needed to move forward.

"This has to be a joint effort, and we have to proceed in tandem," Maloney said.

St. Luke's proposed plan would extend Brighton Street and subdivide the Reeb property into two sections, allowing a second exit from the hospital and helping to cut down on traffic conges-

tion in the borough.

Maloney said that Reeb is sacrificing some of its space for the good of the community.

"We're giving up a portion of our property to accommodate this traffic situation," Maloney said. "So that's why we're asking for this warehouse space."

Reeb's proposed expansion would add 40,000 square feet of warehouse space but would not add to the manufacturing company's work force.

Commission member Rocky Bayer questioned whether the new road would negatively impact stormwater drainage, and borough engineer Brad Youst echoed these concerns.

"Not only does this change the amount of stormwater drainage, it changes the type of stormwater drainage," Youst said. "Our concern is the overall effect of this entire development."

According to Maloney,

the increased runoff could be handled by Reeb's existing stormwater management system. Youst said that there would be multiple reviews of the stormwater aspects of the plan as the parties move through the process.

Commission members also questioned whether a new road would increase "undesirables" in the residential area.

"A new road is a concern," Bayer said. "We want to do what's best for our community."

Commission members and Reeb representatives agreed that it would benefit all parties to coordinate their efforts and submit concurrent plans from Reeb and St. Luke's. There was no vote on the subject Monday night.

Also discussed at a previous meeting was the request of Fountain Hill resident Kristen Hrusovsky to open a pet grooming business in her home on Delaware Avenue.

Hrusovsky, a certified pet groomer who had previously worked at the Clip Joint for more than 10 years, was seeking to use the first floor of her home for a by-appointment-only pet salon.

"It would be a small, simple operation," Hrusovsky said. "A few dogs here and there, and only one dog at a time."

Commission member Christopher Bennick questioned whether smell and noise would become a problem for neighbors. Hrusovsky said that the three dogs she already owns have never been a problem in either regard.

"Our neighbors are very dog-friendly anyway, and have dogs of their own," Hrusovsky said. "I don't see there being an issue."

The commission voted to recommend to the zoning commission to allow Hrusovsky's home-based pet grooming business, pending a signed form of consent from her neighbors.

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Unsustainable?

"Unsustainable" is defined as "not able to be maintained or supported in the future, especially without causing damage or depletion of a resource." Environmentalists, worried about depletion of natural resources, use the word in phrases such as: "the environment is being sucked dry by unsustainable development." It is used by economists as in the term, "unsustainable economic growth." It has been used to warn our leaders in government, who seem to think our taxes are an unlimited resource, to cut their immense unsustainable spending!

Last Sunday I spoke on three Bible verses where the word "sustain" appears. The first is in 1 Kings 17:9 where God said to the prophet Elijah, "Arise, get thee to Zarephath... and dwell there: behold, I have commanded a widow woman there to sustain thee." This Hebrew word for "sustain" means "to maintain (in various senses) - feed, nourish, make provision, provide sustenance." Perhaps Elijah thought a rich widow would sustain him, but when he arrived he found the widow's resources were extremely limited! How could she sustain him? Only by a miracle of God through her faith and obedience! "For thus saith the LORD God of Israel, The barrel of meal shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail." Man cannot sustain! Our capacities, time, and strength are all limited! The Creator has unlimited resources! "By him all things consist." (Col. 1:17). God alone sustains!

The second verse is in Nehemiah 9:21, "Yea, forty years didst thou sustain them in the wilderness, so that they lacked nothing; their clothes waxed not old." Had Moses known he would lead the 2 1/2 million Israelites in the wilderness for 40 years, I suppose he might have said, "That's unsustainable!" But Moses witnessed divine sustainability as God fed His people daily with manna from heaven and gave them water from the rock!

The third verse is in Psalm 55:22, "Cast thy burden upon the LORD, and he shall sustain thee." Hear this message, "Unsustainable?" (subtitled "God Sustains"), at: www.naog.us/sermons.htm



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Northampton Community College

Master dance class weekend set

There will be a master dance class weekend April 24 and 25. Dancers from Philadelphia and New York will teach classes in ballet, modern jazz, swing, African and lyrical dance at the College Center, 3835 Green Pond Road. Eli Kababba, a contemporary hip-hop dancer, teacher and choreographer from New Jersey, will teach from 10 to 11:30 a.m. April 25.

The event is free for NCC students; there is a fee for the public. For more information and to register, send e-mails to nschultz-kahwaty@northampton.edu or trobinscott@northampton.edu.

Events planned for Africa week

The history, culture, politics and arts of Africa will be explored April 26 to 30 with programs in the Main Campus' College Center. The events are open to the public.

The schedule is as follows: 11 a.m. April 26, speeches by African students on culture, history and traditions; 11 a.m. April 27, screening of the film "Hotel Rwanda"; 11 a.m. April 28, Amnesty International panel discussion; 11 a.m. April 29, "Africa Reflections: Past, Present, Future," by James Powers, adjunct professor of political science; and 11 a.m. April 30, cultural event featuring African music and dance.

Africa Week is sponsored by the Political Science Club and co-sponsored by the Christian Fellowship, Film, ISO, Model United Nations, and Pan African clubs, the International Education Office and the Student Senate.

Chorus presents April 30 concert

The N.C.C. Chorus, Bel Canto Dalle Stelle, will hold a public concert, "In Celebration of the Human Spirit," at 7:30 p.m. April 30 in the Lipkin Theatre of Kopechek Hall.

Selections include "The Impossible Dream," "Song of the Mira," "I Believe," "You Raise Me Up," "The Armed Forces Salute," "With a Voice of Singing," "If" (the poem by Rudyard Kipling) and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You."

Student Vince Rostkowski will conduct "Song of the Mira" and guest conductor attorney Richard Haber will conduct "You Raise Me Up." There will be a piano solo performed by accompanist, Lyel Bram Rader.

Admission is either a nonperishable food item to benefit the homeless or a minimum donation to the Vocal Music Scholarship.

For more information, call 610-861-4541, ext. 1171 or e-mail rhaber@northampton.edu.

For more information or for detailed course descriptions, or to register, go to www.northampton.edu and click "search courses," or call 1-877-543-0998.

Student fine arts exhibit opens May 3

The annual fine arts students' exhibition will be held May 3 through 16 in the Main Campus Gallery. The exhibit will include paintings, drawings, sculpture and mixed/experimental media.

There will be an artists talk at 3:30 p.m. May 6 in College Center, room 146. Participating students will show slides of their artwork and speak about their experiences during the semester. The talk is followed by an opening reception from 5 to 6 p.m.

Local students whose art will be displayed include Howard Crockett, Rachael Pietkiewicz, Amber Remaley and Liz Ronneberg.

Northampton Community College's main campus is located at 3835 Green Pond Road. The Fowler Family Southside Center is located at 511 E. Third St. For more information, contact NCC at 610-861-5300 or 1-877-543-0998 or visit www.northampton.edu.

Moravian College

Women's chorus concert scheduled

The Moravian College Women's Chorus, under the direction of Eduardo M. Azzati, will perform a concert of sacred and secular music by American composers at 7:30 p.m. April 24 in Foy Concert Hall, Main and Church streets.

The main course of the secular portion of the program will be the *Winter Cantata Op. 97* (Cantata No 2) for women's chorus, flute and marimba by Philadelphia Vincent Persichetti, one of the most prolific American composers of the 20th century and together with Samuel Barber the most famous Philadelphia composer. The *Winter Cantata* is comprised of 12 short pieces, vignettes about winter, on English translations of Japanese Haiku poems. The program will conclude with a few very well-known standards from a jazz, music theater and African-American repertoire. For information, call 610 861-1350 or visit the college's Web site.

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SOUTHSIDE

Street fest to be held April 24

The 15th annual "Spring on Fourth! What's on Third?" street festival and Chili Cook-off will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 24. Founded 15 years ago to celebrate Bethlehem's historic, revitalized Southside, "Spring on Fourth! What's on Third?" is a free, public event that takes place along Third, Fourth and New streets. Highlighting the celebration is the popular chili contest, live entertainment by a variety of performers, fun family activities and more. In addition, many of the Southside merchants feature sales and special discounts throughout the afternoon. The chili contest, which takes place from noon to 2 p.m., features more than 30 entries ranging from spicy, five-alarm chili to vegetarian versions of the dish. Patrons are invited to sample the entries for a fee.

WDIY hosts a special celebration of community at Godfrey Daniels with a special performance by Roman's Kind of Blue from 4 to 6 p.m.

There is a Cops 'n' Kids block party and a Banana Factory Arts Block Party with a Hot Tamale Stage and Arts projects.

Sponsors include Embassy Bank, WDIY 88.1 FM, Lehigh Valley Community Public Radio, Pulse Weekly, B-104, the Morning Call, Lehigh University, Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce, Saraceno Design, St. Luke's Print Shop, U.S. Food Service, the Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission, Coalition for Appropriate Transportation (CAT), Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department, Downtown Bethlehem Association.

For information, visit www.springon4th.blogspot.com.

PULASKI

Memorial service to be held April 25

The annual service to commemorate Polish American Casimir Pulaski will be held 10:30 a.m. April 25 at the Pulaski Monument, Third Street and Brodhead Avenue. Pulaski, one of seven persons to be made an honorary U.S. citizen, was a brigadier general in the U.S. Continental Army. He saved the life of George Washington during the Revolutionary War.

Pulaski wrote that he came to the United States "to serve freedom" and "to live or die for it." He was wounded in the Battle of Savannah, Oct. 9, 1779, and died two days later.

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Gubernatorial candidates talk economic development

By H.L. STONE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Six major party candidates vied to set the tone for Pennsylvania's future at a 2010 Gubernatorial Forum on Economic Development April 14 at TEK Park in Breinigsville.

The Lehigh Valley Economic Development Corporation (LVEDC) and the Berks Economic Partnership (BEP) played host at the breakfast event in an effort to pin down the candidates on major issues facing Pennsylvania, including job creation and retention, steps needed to create a favorable business climate and paths available for fiscally responsible economic development.

The panel of six included Democratic candidates Montgomery County Commissioner Joseph Hoeffel, Allegheny County Executive Daniel Onorato, Pa. Auditor General Jack Wagner, Pa. Senator Anthony Williams, and Republican candidates Pa. Representative Sam Rohrer and Pa. Attorney General Thomas Corbett, who contributed to the question and answer portion of the event via a pre-recorded video.

"I'm convinced we can turn this economy around and create jobs for Pennsylvania," said Onorato, who cited his success with improving the job situation in his home county of Allegheny, where he says the unemployment rate is 2 percent lower than the state average.

Williams maintains that the success is actually here in the Lehigh Valley, which he claims has created more jobs than either Philadelphia or Allegheny County, more than 43,000 since 1995. He complimented the local economic development partnerships on their accomplishments and efforts in the area.

"It's simply, simply, simply an amazing jewel for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," said Williams, adding that he wants to keep things that work working.

"I want to make sure Pennsylvania has the will to invest in Pennsylvania," Hoeffel said, describing his bipartisan efforts that brought in county dollars for economic development incentives.

"It's an attitude," Rohrer said. He believes businesses need to have a sense of predictability about public policy, adding that he would like to see the rules for doing business in Pennsylvania made clearer and more accessible.

"One of the most important things an elected official



PRESS PHOTOS BY HL STONE

Berks Economic Partnership President and CEO Jon Scott makes his rounds before the kickoff of the 2010 Gubernatorial Forum on Economic Development April 14 featuring gubernatorial candidates Daniel Onorato, Sam Rohrer, Jack Wagner and Anthony Williams.



Democrat Pa. Auditor General Jack Wagner



Republican Pa. Representative Sam Rohrer



Democrat Pa. Sen. Anthony Williams



Democrat Allegheny County Executive Daniel Onorato

can do is listen," Wagner said, adding that Pennsylvania needs to stop wasting taxpayer dollars. He maintains that many economic development programs are currently mismanaged, adding to the waste.

The two-hour forum gave the four Democratic and two Republican candidates the opportunity to share their outlooks for Pennsylvania's road to economic success for up to 10 minutes, with a 90-second follow-up response to three questions vetted by LVEDC and BEP members.

Candidates were asked what they would do to improve economic programs and attract jobs to Pennsylvania.

Corbett said he'd like to restore funding to the Department of Community and Economic Development (DCEd), using it as liaison to businesses and as a salesperson for marketing Pennsylvania to attract new industry and jobs. He also wants to analyze the existing economic development programs thoroughly, retaining those that work and fixing or jettisoning those that don't.

A common thread to the candidates' answers was continuing, restoring and bolstering funding for econom-

ic development corporations like LVEDC and BEP, a position that was not lost on the hosts of the event.

"We've got to learn how entrepreneurs think," Rohrer said when asked how Pennsylvania could become a more attractive location to small businesses and entrepreneurs. Rohrer believes that union regulations are the number one reason Pennsylvania lost its manufacturing jobs, which he says have gone mostly to Southern states. Although he said he is not opposed or hostile to unions, he said a more balanced approach is called for, citing the need to preserve individuals' rights.

He also wants to push back against federal policies, including environmental policies that prevent job creation.

Onorato said he wants to revise the corporate tax structure and lower taxes on small businesses. He would also like to see PennDOT and the DEP be made more responsive and realize that businesses coming

into the area are not enemies. Onorato says that tax credits, research and development credits and venture capital funding for spin-offs and new industries are important, but we've got to be realistic and accept the fact that some ventures will be successful while others may fail.

Wagner said that small businesses should have greater presence in the bidding process for government contracts and would like to see more competition and fairness in the process, claiming that there aren't enough small businesses, women-owned or minority-owned businesses getting the opportunity to compete for these contracts.

When addressing Pennsylvania's long-term road infrastructure needs, some candidates didn't quite see eye to eye.

Hoeffel would like to see a robust extraction tax on development of Pennsylvania's natural gas deposit, referring to the Marcellus Shale discovery in the north-

eastern part of the state. He said these monies would go to fund EPA programs for dealing with environmental issues resulting from the resource's development and for road improvements. He says tolling, user fee increases and borrowing, if necessary, are all viable ways he would consider to pay for improved infrastructure.

Onorato talked about how, with the recent shale discovery, Pennsylvania has one of the largest natural gas deposits in the country, saying that rather than discouraging development with high extraction taxes he'd like to see a reasonable tax in place so as not to kill development.

But Williams said that the developers of the Marcellus Shale deposits should pay for road and infrastructure improvements in advance, and that all major enterprises should help pay for road improvements.

"We're not raising taxes — the public can't stand that," Williams said, adding that "you can't toll every road."

Other topics that featured highly on candidates' agendas were fiscal responsibility, education and green energy initiatives, with most agreeing that the expansion of community colleges is necessary for new and green industry job training and displaced worker re-training.

"We've got to stay competitive," Hoeffel said. "We can make Pennsylvania successful — that's what this election is all about."

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'An essential preservation effort'

By DANA GRUBB

Special to the Bethlehem Press

About 50 volunteers answered the call for the third annual St. Michael's Cemetery cleanup April 10. With a contingent from the Bethlehem Catholic HS football team among them, they raked, collected litter, removed downed tree branches and filled low spots throughout the nearly 150-year-old Southside historic landmark.

Donations of tools, supplies, food, beverages, topsoil and transportation support the effort each year. The initiative is sponsored by the South Bethlehem Historical Society, Delaware and Lehigh Navigational Corridor, St. Michael's Preservation Association and the Mayor's South Side Task Force. The event is conducted in conjunction with the Great American Cleanup of PA.

Volunteer Kim Carrell-Smith summed up the effort, calling it an "essential preservation effort. St. Mike's represents that bit of ethnic heritage from the south side of Bethlehem."

In addition to the cleanup, Lehigh University student Kelly Bouchard, a Lehigh University senior public history student, continued her research on one cemetery quadrant. Bouchard continues to identify the backgrounds of individuals and families who purchased the 300 plots in this section of the cemetery, which was established in 1867.

Through her painstaking efforts, Bouchard has been able to identify those interred in the plots, their ethnicity, where they lived on the south side, their occupations, military service, maiden names and countries of origin. She hopes to become a genealogist.

Cemetery clean up



PRESS PHOTOS BY DAN GRUBB

Lehigh University senior Kelly Bouchard continued her research in the first quadrant of St. Michael's on the cleanup date. Here she uncovers a marker for the Morgan family plot. Sophomore Dan McLaughlin assisted Bouchard.



A contingent of BECAHI football players led by head coach Mike Palos Jr., swarms over the piles of topsoil used to fill in low areas throughout the cemetery. Topsoil was donated by Chiles and Sillivan, Inc. and delivered by Barker and Barker Paving.

CENTER FOR ANIMAL HEALTH & WELFARE

Animals are available for adoption at the Center for Animal Health & Welfare no-kill shelter, 1165 Island Park Road, Easton. The shelter is working to end pet overpopulation by running a clinic so animals can be spayed or neutered before they go home. For more information, call 610-252-7722 or visit www.healthyanimalcenter.org.



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VOLUNTEERS

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HISTORIC BETHLEHEM PARTNERSHIP needs volunteers for "Rooms to View House Tour" June 5. Call Megan vanRavenswaay at 610-882-0450, ext. 20 or e-mail mvanravenswaay@historicbethlehem.org.

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SENIOR CORPS RSVP, a one-stop resource for people ages 55 and over, is looking for people who want to find challenging and rewarding volunteer opportunities in Northampton and Lehigh counties. Contact Jill Rothrock at 610-691-7705 or e-mail rothrockj@diakon.org.

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BASEBALL
East Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Easton	4-1	7-2
Liberty	3-2	6-2
Becahi	2-3	6-3
Freedom	1-4	3-5

West Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Central	4-1	7-1
Emmaus	3-2	5-2
Allen	1-4	1-6
Dieruff	0-5	1-8

North Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Parkland	5-0	7-2
Nazareth	3-2	5-3
Whitehall	2-3	4-4
Northampton	2-3	4-5

SOFTBALL
East Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Liberty	5-0	8-1
Becahi	3-2	6-2
Freedom	2-3	5-5
Easton	1-4	2-6

West Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Allen	3-2	4-5
Emmaus	3-2	5-5
Central	1-4	1-5
Dieruff	0-4	5-5

North Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Nazareth	4-0	7-0
Northampton	3-2	4-5
Parkland	2-2	2-3
Whitehall	2-3	4-4

SOCCER
East Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Easton	5-2-0	6-4-0
Becahi	4-3-0	4-4-0
Liberty	3-4-0	6-4-0
Freedom	1-6-0	1-9-0

West Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Central	6-1-0	8-2-0
Emmaus	3-3-0	5-3-1
Dieruff	1-4-0	1-6-0
Allen	0-7-0	0-10-0

North Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Parkland	5-0-0	6-1-1
Nazareth	4-3-0	6-3-0
Whitehall	3-2-1	5-2-1
N'ampton	3-3-1	4-5-1

VOLLEYBALL
East Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Becahi	4-0	6-0
Freedom	4-0	5-0
Easton	1-4	2-5
Liberty	1-5	3-6

West Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Emmaus	4-1	5-1
Allen	1-4	3-4
Dieruff	1-4	3-4
Central	—	—

North Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Parkland	6-0	7-0
Whitehall	5-1	6-1
Nazareth	2-4	2-5
Northampton	0-6	0-9

TENNIS
East Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Emmaus	8-0	9-2
Parkland	7-0	8-0
Central	6-1	7-2
Easton	6-2	7-3
Freedom	5-3	6-4
Nazareth	4-4	9-4
Liberty	3-4	3-5
Allen	3-5	5-6
Becahi	2-6	3-7
Dieruff	1-6	1-7
Northampton	1-7	1-9
Whitehall	0-8	1-10

West Division

Team	LVC	Ovr
Emmaus	8-0	9-2
Parkland	7-0	8-0
Central	6-1	7-2
Easton	6-2	7-3
Freedom	5-3	6-4
Nazareth	4-4	9-4
Liberty	3-4	3-5
Allen	3-5	5-6
Becahi	2-6	3-7
Dieruff	1-6	1-7
Northampton	1-7	1-9
Whitehall	0-8	1-10

TRACK
Boys

Team	LVC	Ovr
Parkland	4-0-0	4-0-0
Whitehall	4-0-0	4-0-0
Dieruff	3-1-0	3-1-0
Liberty	3-1-0	3-1-0
Easton	2-1-1	2-1-1
Emmaus	2-2-0	2-2-0
N'ampton	2-2-0	2-2-0
Nazareth	1-2-1	1-2-1
Becahi	1-3-0	1-3-0
Central	1-3-0	1-3-0
Allen	0-4-0	0-4-0
Freedom	0-4-0	0-4-0

Girls

Team	LVC	Ovr
Liberty	4-0	4-0
Parkland	3-1	3-1
Whitehall	3-1	3-1
Becahi	3-1	3-1
Allen	2-2	2-2
Easton	2-2	2-2
Emmaus	2-2	2-2
Nazareth	2-2	2-2
Northampton	2-2	2-2
Central	1-3	1-3
Dieruff	0-4	0-4
Freedom	0-4	0-4

LACROSSE

Team	LVC	Ovr
Emmaus	3-0	4-3
Central	3-1	6-1
Parkland	2-2	6-2
Easton	1-2	2-5
Allen	0-2	0-4
Nazareth	0-2	4-2

BOYS
100 — 1 (tie). Tyler Kern (Nazareth), Rico Goldstone (Parkland), Matt Haas (Parkland), Andre Williams (Parkland) 10.8;
200 — 1. Stephen Lewis (Liberty) 21.9, 2 (tie). Williams (Parkland), Kern (Nazareth) 22.3;
400 — 1. Christian Malone (Whitehall) 50.3, 2. Haas (Parkland) 51.9, 3. Oris Rocha (Dieruff) 52.2;
800 — 1. Jon Merwine (Bethlehem Catholic) 1:59.6, 2. Steve Leonhardt (Whitehall) 2:00.5, 3. Steven Werley (Parkland) 2:02.9
1600 — 1. Steve Leonhardt (Whitehall) 4:32.0, 2. Merwine (Bethlehem Catholic) 4:34.8, 3. Werley (Parkland) 4:38.3;
3200 — 1. David Strauss (Parkland) 10:11.2, 2. Matt Kacyon (Whitehall) 10:27.0;
110 hurdles — 1. Lewis (Liberty) 13.9, 2. Andre Williams (Parkland) 14.6, 3. Jason Solensky (Parkland) 14.7;
300 hurdles — 1. Solensky (Parkland) 39.5, 2. Lewis (Liberty) 40.7, 3. Kyree Riddick (Dieruff) 42.6;
400 relay — 1. Parkland (Goldstone, Haas, Wetherhold, Williams) 43.7, 2. Whitehall 44.3, 3. Allen 44.4;
1600 relay — 1. Easton (Caul, Dronebarger, Toribio, Panky) 3:33.4, 2. Bethlehem Catholic 3:35.0, 3. Dieruff 3:36.0;
3200 relay — 1. Bethlehem Catholic 8:23.0, 2. Dieruff 8:26.0, 3. Easton 8:35.7;
Long jump — 1. Goldstone (Parkland) 22-0, 2. Adam Bridgeforth (Nazareth) 21-9 1/2, 3. Chris Astocio (Whitehall) 21-5 3/4;
Triple jump — 1. Astocio (Whitehall) 43-3 1/4, 2. Bridgeforth (Nazareth) 43-0, 3. Jarrod West (Liberty) 42-0;
High jump — 1. Lewis (Liberty) 6-10, 2. Jon Hendershot (Nazareth) 6-9, 3. West (Liberty) 6-8;
Shot put — 1. Andrew Sandt (Whitehall) 46-3 3/4, 2. Alex Jacob (Whitehall) 45-5, 3. Justin Kulhamer (Northampton) 43-2;
Discus — 1. Braden Zeiner (Whitehall) 132-9, 2. Andy Cook (Emmaus) 123-6, 3. Chris Hanushack (Parkland) 120-11;
Javelin — 1. Steffon Kellerman (Dieruff) 164-11, 2. Joe Kaminski (Nazareth) 155-0, 3. Pete Miller (Emmaus) 154-6;
Pole vault — 1. Andrew Beers (Whitehall) 14-6, 2. Eric Hunter (Northampton) 13-6, 3. Adam Director (Whitehall) 13-0.

LVC TRACK BESTS

zalez (Liberty) 1:00.5, 3. Raven McChristian (Liberty) 1:01.3;
800 — 1. Jess Sygan (Liberty) 2:25.5, 2. Amy Darlington (Liberty) 2:25.7, 3. Tara Ghorm (Dieruff) 2:28.6;
1600 — 1. Amanda Faust (Emmaus) 5:21.0, 2. Christina Faust (Emmaus) 5:22.6, 3. Darlington (Liberty) 5:23.2;
3200 — 1. C. Faust (Emmaus) 11:41.7, 2. A. Faust (Emmaus) 11:41.8, 3. Darlington (Liberty) 11:55.0;
100 hurdles — 1. Dominique Best (Allen) 15.0, 2. Walker (Easton) 15.4, 3. Alexandra Carter (Liberty) 15.5;
300 hurdles — 1. Best (Allen) 47.1, 2. Walker (Easton) 47.9, 3. Erika Shumock (Liberty) 48.9;
400 relay — 1. Whitehall (Gregory, Smith, Hamscher, Patterson) 49.5, 2. Allen 50.9, 3. Bethlehem Catholic 52.2;
1600 relay — 1. Easton (Graham, Farrar, Brown, Walker) 4:09.3, 2. Bethlehem Catholic 4:12.6, 3. Liberty 4:15.0;
3200 relay — 1. Liberty (Horwath, Tomlin, Reynolds, Darlington) 10:15.0, 2. Northampton 10:31.6, 3. Emmaus 10:52.1;
Long jump — 1. Best (Allen) 17-10, 2. Brooke Hamscher (Whitehall) 17-7 3/4, 3. Alyssa Cardillo (Bethlehem Catholic) 17-3;
Triple jump — 1. Hamscher (Whitehall) 34-1 1/4, 2. Kelly Robertson (Parkland) 34-1, 3.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT
Liberty's Erika Shumock ranks third in the LVC in 300 hurdles.

Jasmyin Butryn (Liberty) 33-10;
High jump — 1 (tie). Lindsey Stitzer (Nazareth), Kayla Howland (Liberty) 5-2, 3. Three tied at 5-0;
Shot put — 1. Monica Hagenauer (Parkland) 35-11, 2. Erinne Schmalzer (Whitehall) 35-8, 3. Two tied at 35-4;
Discus — 1. Courtney Sniscak (Parkland) 108-3, 2. Marisa Repasch (Liberty) 99-11, 2. Schmalzer (Whitehall) 94-4 1/2; (Liberty) 5-2, 3. Three tied at 5-0;
Javelin — 1. Morgan (Nazareth) 108-4, 2. Kiki Villalobos (Emmaus) 104-10, 3. Alyssa Tomcho (Parkland) 103-6;
Pole vault — 1. Hamscher (Whitehall) 11-6, 2. Maria Yezzo (Northampton) 9-6.

Hawk girls win, boys lose vs. Dieruff

By **KATIE MCDONALD**
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Becahi's girls track and field team added another win to their record after defeating Dieruff last week 117-28, while Becahi's boys lost to the Huskies 80-55. "Dieruff came out of nowhere this year. They

have a lot of good sprinters and distance guys," said Becahi senior, Jon Merwine. "We had a meet two days earlier against Whitehall, and we were beat." Dieruff won two out of three relays with Becahi's Merwine, Jake Hungarter, Collin Roszyk, and Rob

Leeson taking the 4x8. "Our distance team is probably the best at Beca overall. We have a lot of really good guys, and we're eight guys deep," Merwine said. Merwine also won the 3200 and 1600, and Hungarter won the 800. Al Blount took first

place in the long jump and the triple jump for the Hawks, and Larry Hanig placed first in the shot put. Individual event winners for the girls were Alyssa Cardillo in the 100, the 200, and the long jump, Rachel Balogh in the 400, and Kate Maroney in the 300

hurdles, Sarah Braun in the 1600, Jenny Schadt in the 3200, and Shannon Smith in the triple jump. In throwing events, first place winners for the Hawks were Sarah Peppe in the pole vault, Liz Bidwell in discus, Caitlin Kessler in javelin, and Kelly Brown in shot put.

Vball

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dom within 18-14, prompting Zile to spark a timeout to settle his troops. It worked, as Becahi went on a 7-4 run to close out the match.

Despite suffering the first loss of the year, Freedom head coach John Yanek came away with some positive critiques. "Our inexperience showed, but we didn't give up in any of the games," said Yanek. "We showed some stellar defense, but we just didn't have enough offense."

"I think our guys will learn from this. It was a good test for us. We just

made too many mistakes." Becahi took on Nazareth (2-5) Tuesday night and then take on Whitehall (6-1), on Thursday. They close out the week with the Quakertown tournament.

Freedom hit the road to Northampton (0-9) Tuesday, but face a much more difficult task Thursday at Parkland (7-0). They then host North Pocono on Friday.

Liberty (3-6) knocked off Allen last week in four games (25-14, 25-23, 23-25 and 25-17) to get back on the winning track. The Canes take on Dieruff (3-4) Thursday and then join Bethlehem Catholic in Quakertown over the weekend.

COLLEGE

Sophomore pitcher Rocky Sawyer (Bethlehem, Pa./Liberty) scattered seven hits and allowed just one earned run to lead The University of Scranton to a 4-2 victory over Drew Uni-

versity in the second game of a key Landmark Conference doubleheader Saturday afternoon at Doc Young Field.

In the second game, Sawyer settled down after allowing two hits and an earned run during a two-run rally in the first inning.

5K

Together for Derek 5K Run/Walk will take place Saturday, May 29, at the Northampton Community College in Bethlehem. • 8 a.m. On-site registration and check-in

• 9 a.m. run
• 9:05 a.m. walk
Pre-registration: \$15 postmarked by May 14, 2010
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Visit www.togetherforderek.org for more details.

HOOP CAMPS

Former Notre Dame Green Pond girls basketball coach and Lehigh Valley Basketball Hall of Famer Traci Cyr will hold two camps at the Hanover Township Community Center. It's located at 3660 Jacksonville Road, Bethlehem. For information contact the Center at 610-317-8701.

Coed Camp
The coed camp will take place for boys and girls ages 8-15 from July 19-22, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. Cost of the camp is \$125 with team discounts available.
Girls Camp
The girls camp will take place for girls ages 8-17 from July 26-29, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. Cost of the camp is \$125 with team discounts available.

LHS GOLF

The Liberty High School boys soccer team will hold its Third Annual Golf Tournament. It will take place at Southmoore Golf Course in Bath on Sunday, April

25. It's a shotgun start for 1 p.m.
Cost is \$85. Donations of raffle and golfer goody bag items are greatly welcomed and appreciated.
Questions, contact Dina and Ed Lomas at 610-698-2852.

BSC TRYOUTS

The Bethlehem Soccer Club will hold its annual tryouts on: Friday, April 30, at 6 p.m.

Sunday, May 2, at 6 p.m.
Tryouts take place at the Crawford Soccer Fields in Hanover Township, Bethlehem. Tryouts are for fall 2010 and spring 2011 teams: boys U9-14 and Girls U9-18.

SUBURBAN DART LEAGUE

Dryland (4-2, 3-2)
at Salem Luth (2-1 10in)
D — Butch Siffies 5-11, Rich Dern 4-12, Earl Sigley 4-12.
SL — Bryan Frankenfield 5-13, Kyle Taylor 4-11, Walt Hoffert walk-off HR.
Christ UCC (9-8)
at St. Pauls (9-2, 10-4)
SP — Jason Gross 7-14, Rich Kern 7-14 HR, Jennifer Erkingier 5-11, Zach Kern HR.
C — Ron Wagner 8-14, Garry Hunsicker 6-13, Dan Dalcin 6-13, Mark Fujita 6-14, Dave Dalcin HR.
Bath Luth at St. Stephens (2-1, 3-2 10in, 5-4)
SS — John Hoysan 5-11 HR, Josh Buczynski 2 HR.
BL — Bob Meixsell 6-12, Matt Creyer 5-13, Doug Moser HR.
Emmanuel
at Salem UCC (4-2, 3-2, 4-0)
S — Bill Rinker 6-13, Jack Troxsell 5-13, George Gaughler 5-14 HR.
E — Tim Floyer 5-12, Jim Hill 5-13, Jon Rice 4-13 HR.

Ebenezer (2-0, 1-0)
at Farmersville (6-4)
E — Todd Siegfried 5-11 2 HR, Kevin Voortman 5-11, Leroy Wilcox 4-12, Frank Marzigliano 4-12 HR.
F — Keith Campbell 7-12 HR, Kyle Campbell 5-12, Robert Campbell 4-11.
Nazareth UCC (10-3)
at Messiah (4-3, 3-2)
M — Jeff Hasonich 6-11, Mark Wargo 5-11, Rick Hasonich 4-12, Norm Schoenberger HR.
N — Sandy Wombold 6-13, Larry Fehnel 5-13, Jeff Hoffert 5-13 HR, Harold Wombold 5-14, Barbie Ribble 2 HR.

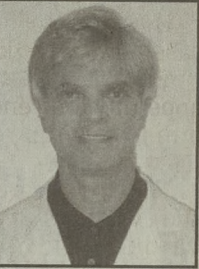
Standings

St. Pauls	49	32	.605
Dryland	49	32	.605
Salem Luth	48	33	.593
Messiah	45	36	.556
St. Stephens	41	40	.507
Bath Luth	39	42	.481
Emmanuel	39	42	.481
Ebenezer	39	42	.481
Salem UCC	38	43	.469
Farmersville	34	47	.420
Christ UCC	33	48	.407
Nazareth UCC	32	49	.395

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Nathan Homer Knorr

By KAREN M. SAMUELS
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Nathan Homer Knorr and his siblings, Robert and Isabel, enjoyed the unique privilege of having a father who was the manager of the Pergola Theatre, Allentown's first modern theater. The theater was a vision of grandeur and attracted large crowds on the weekends.

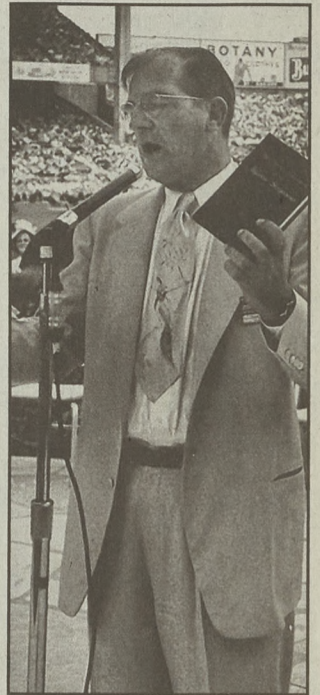
The Pergola was located conveniently at a trolley stop. The public would gather there to see the latest silent film, which was accompanied by an electric organ. The Pergola was demolished in 1926 to make way for the PPL building. A new Pergola was built around the corner at 28 N. Ninth St. but was demolished in the 1970s for a PPL building addition.

Nathan was born in Bethlehem April 23, 1905, to Donald and Estella Knorr. By 1910, the family was living at 338 Fulton St. in Allentown. When Nathan was 16 and attending Allentown HS, he first learned about the religious group, the Watch Tower Society. He left his parents' church, the German Reformed Church, to become a "witness" for the group in 1922.

Upon graduating high school, in 1923, Nathan moved to Brooklyn, N.Y. to work as a shipping clerk for the Watch Tower Society printing plant. By the time Nathan was 27, he was the manager of the plant. He became vice president of the Society in 1935, then was elected as president Jan. 13, 1942, upon President Joseph Franklin Rutherford's death.

The Watch Tower Society was founded and incorporated in 1884, by Charles Taze Russell, a minister. The group adopted the name, Jehovah's Witnesses in 1931. The group translated the original Hebrew and Greek texts of the New Testament in 1949. They believed that the Bibles used by Christians were not the accurate translation as intended by the writers.

In addition, Jehovah's Witnesses are known for believing that only their fol-



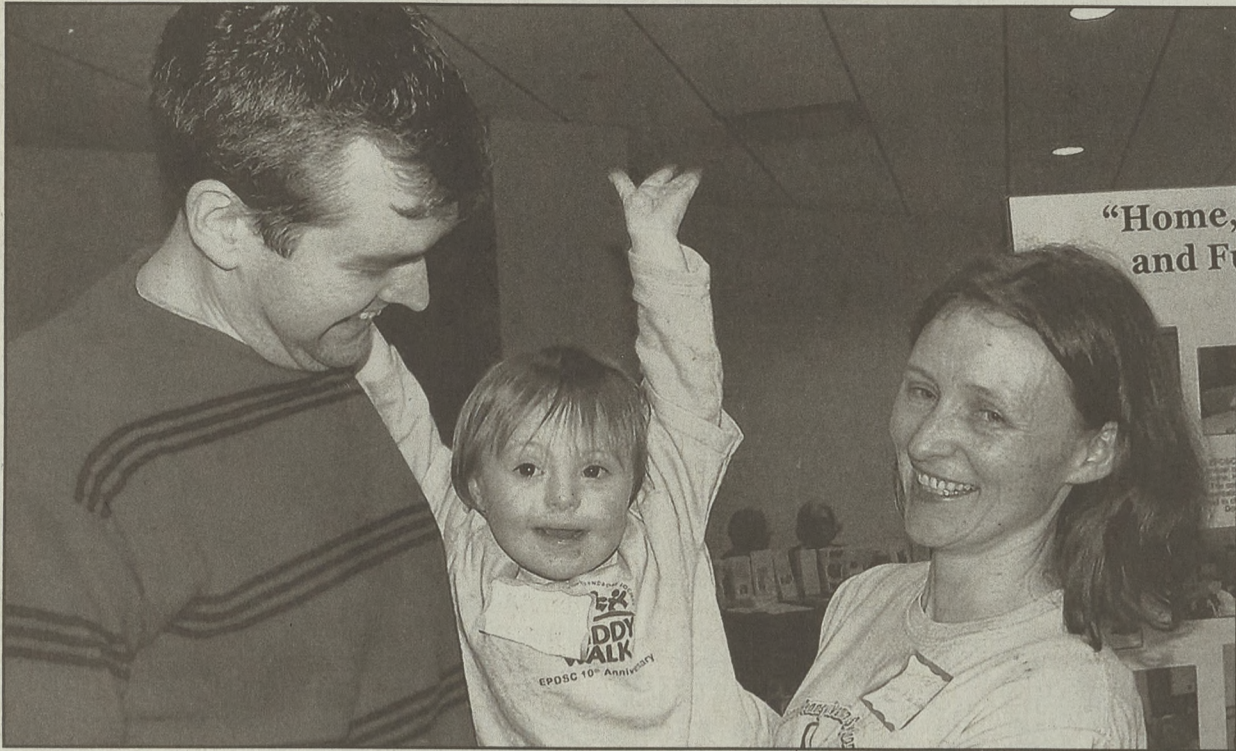
Nathan H. Knorr speaking at a Jehovah's Witness convention in New York in 1953. Photographer: Ralph Morse

lowers would survive the expected Armageddon and the second coming of Christ. Their door-to-door preaching and their refusal of military service and blood transfusions separates them from other Christian groups.

Jehovah's Witnesses have suffered imprisonment and mob violence for their beliefs. In 1941, the American Civil Liberties Union stated, "The record of violence against the Jehovah's Witnesses has been unparalleled in America since the attacks on the Mormons." The Jehovah's Witnesses' second president, Joseph Rutherford, was blamed for stirring up violence in reaction to his lectures criticizing Catholics.

Nathan H. Knorr led the group away from violent confrontations. He championed the new translation of the Bible. Knorr created a stronger training program for Witnesses and a new school for Bible research and public speaking. He expanded the number of branch offices of the group to 97 worldwide. Knorr greatly increased the number of their publications, distributing millions of books and tracts, each

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PRESS PHOTO BY CANDICE WILLIAMS

Owen Miller, his mom Jennifer Miller, and Jason Anderson, board member, represented the Eastern Pa. Down Syndrome Center, Trexlertown, table at the third annual Special Needs Awareness Day free event hosted by state Rep. Doug Reichley, R-134, and the Lehigh Valley Health Network and Integrated Health Campus at the 250 Cetronia Road complex March 13.

Hundreds attend gathering

By CANDICE WILLIAMS
Special to The Press

Three-year-old Owen Miller owned the room at the third annual Special Needs Awareness Day in west Allentown on March 13.

"He's always this friendly," Jennifer Miller said as she smiled as her son welcomed all who passed by their Eastern Pa. Down Syndrome Center, Trexlertown, display table located on the second floor of the Integrated Health Campus Building on Cetronia Road.

"The Eastern Pennsylvania Down Syndrome Center is dedicated to the physical and mental well-being of all persons with Down syndrome and their families," Jason Anderson, board member and event volunteer explained.

Located at 3241 Hamilton Blvd., Allentown, the center's staff consults with specialists in the fields of medicine, education and behavioral and psychological supports, when appropriate for families and

Special Needs Awareness Day

patients, Anderson said. For example, many times a child or adult needs to have an eye exam or visit a cardiologist to be certain a potential disease or abnormality associated with Down Syndrome is diagnosed and followed up, he added.

Anderson said the center also has developed a list for families and individuals of physicians/therapists that have both knowledge and experience in areas related to Down Syndrome and "recommendations are made to professionals that we know have what it takes to deliver the best of care to our patients. It is our goal that each one of our patients reaches his/her full potential in a lifetime. We're here to help in any way we can."

"We came to learn what new services might be available for children with autism," said April Jordan of Macungie. Accompanied by

her husband Atiba, the couple said the special services their young child is currently receiving are excellent. "She's doing very well," Atiba added.

Sponsored by state Rep. Douglas Reichley, R-134th district, and the Lehigh Valley Health Network and Integrated Health Campus, the event had more than 50 special needs social service and health care agencies were on hand to answer questions, offer suggestions and provide information for families and individuals in need.

"Special needs are defined as people with physical disabilities and people with mental challenges, including mental retardation, autism and mental illnesses," Reichley said. "This has become a local event that provides a great deal of information to interested persons in one location, making it easier to make the choices that need to be made to ensure the best care to help loved ones overcome their challenges."

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New school buses win board approval

By JOSH POPICHAK
Special to the Bethlehem Press

It was a close call, but a majority of Saucon Valley School Board members ultimately voted in favor of an administration recommendation to purchase two new school buses at a cost of \$186,192.

The purchase, which was voted upon at the board's April 13 meeting, met with opposition from several board members who argued that the two buses scheduled for replacement could be repaired for far less money than the new buses will cost.

Administration members, however, argued that the district traditionally replaces two school buses each year and asserted that maintaining the current rotation schedule makes sense.

"I support trying to stay on rotation ... because of the wear and tear (on the buses)," Director of Campus Operations Wally Zimpfer told board members.

An initial vote on whether to award a bid for the two new buses to Rohrer Bus Sales of Duncannon, Perry County, failed by one vote.

Subsequently, after district business manager David Bonenberger stated that the district "will be repairing the two buses" which had been scheduled for replacement, board member Charles Bartolet

voted to reopen the vote taken earlier.

By that time board member Edward Inghrim, who earlier had voted against replacing the buses, had excused himself from the meeting to attend to a pre-scheduled conference call.

When a revote was taken, Bartolet, who had also voted against replacing the buses, changed his vote, and the bid award was approved 5-3.

Voting against the bus bid award were Lanita Lum, Susan Baxter and Michael Karabin.

In other business, a vote to approve a proposal by Keystone Consulting Engineers to conduct a survey of the district's tennis courts also won narrow approval, apparently to the surprise of Board President Lachlan Peeke, who just prior to calling the vote announced, "I anticipate a 'no' vote."

As it was explained at the meeting, the \$2,700 survey is necessary if the district plans to reconstruct the district's 41-year-old tennis courts, which are in need of repairs.

Several board members indicated they would not support spending money on the survey because they do not support a

proposal, outlined by the architectural firm TAS, to reconstruct the courts' sub-surface at a cost of approximately \$300,000.

"I think the numbers are really high," Lum said. "We should fill in the cracks and resurface it for much less."

A representative from TAS countered Lum's argument by telling board members that "you can continue to fill (cracks in the courts), and that's an acceptable fix. It's just that the cracks will come back."

Board member Ralph Puerta asked TAS representatives, including architect Paul Felder, whether the more expensive, subsurface solution to the cracking problems at the courts would come with a five or 10-year guarantee.

He was told, however, that the guarantee for the subsurface work would only be for one year.

Other projects discussed at the meeting included proposed renovations to the Saucon Valley School District stadium and the adjoining fieldhouse, which Felder said does not meet Title IX or Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements.

TAS recommends constructing a 3,000-square-foot addition to the fieldhouse, which would include large "family rest-

rooms" and a new locker room for female athletes, in order to meet those requirements, he explained.

The addition would also include a new weight room.

"The current weight room is very small ... (And) I think there are some safety issues in there," Felder said.

Renovations to the stadium, if approved, would possibly include a new press box, improved seating and repairs to leaks.

Puerta praised TAS for its presentation, which was lengthy and touched on many areas of concern for both board members and district officials.

"I think you always do a great job of trying to address what our objectives are," he said.

District Supt. Sandra Fellin, who noted that board members were seeing the proposals for renovations to the athletic facilities for "the first time," announced that a discussion of the various options under consideration will appear on the board's next meeting agenda.

The next Saucon Valley School Board meeting will be held April 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the high school Auditorium.

BRIEFLY

ROTARY

Mowrer roast set for April 26

Gordon "Gordy" and Clifton "Tip" Mowrer will be honored by the Rotary Club of Bethlehem beginning with cocktails at 6 p.m. April 26. Dinner is served at 7 p.m. followed by a "roast" of the brothers to honor their 50 years of service as Rotarians. The event will be at the Best Western Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center, 300 Gateway Drive, Bethlehem.

Both Rotarians served as presidents and as district governors of the organization.

Clifton Mowrer was in the army in the Pacific Theatre from 1953 to 1955. He was a Northampton Community College trustee. He was a director of both Ambassador Bank and Lafayette Bank, the Bethlehem Area School District and the Bethlehem Area Vocational Technical School. He was a past chairman of the senior alumni council of Lehigh University.

Gordon Mowrer, former mayor of the City of Bethlehem from 1974 to 1977, is a Laros Foundation trustee. He was a past president of the Bethlehem Area Chamber of Commerce. He was the pastor of Advent Moravian Church from 1990 to 2002.

For information and cost, call 610-868-8507.

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Vendor fair is April 25

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year, in more than 60 languages.

Knorr was married to Audrey Mock in 1953. They met as she worked in the subscription department in The Watch Tower Society printing headquarters. They lived for more than 20 years in a penthouse apartment at 122 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, overlooking the East River.

Knorr remained in a leadership role in the Society until his death from a cerebral tumor June 8, 1977. During his final days, he received hospice care at the Watchtower Farms in Wallkill, N.Y. He was survived by his wife, Audrey.

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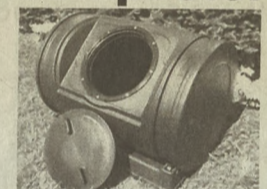


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RACE FOR ADAM 5K run set for May 1

The Race for Adam Foundation's fifth annual 5K Run/Walk for a Cure of Childhood Alzheimer's will be held 10 a.m. May 1 at the Lehigh Parkway, Allentown. The Race for Adam Foundation is named for Adam Recke, the son of Sean and Amy Recke of Bethlehem Township. Adam is a victim of Niemann-Pick disease, known as childhood Alzheimer's, which is progressive, degenerative and fatal.

From 9 to 10 a.m., there will be music by Scott Marshall and Secret Garden, a raffle, food, inflatables and registration. The race begins at 10 a.m.

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NORTH SIDE Cleanup set for April 24

The first annual Earth Northside cleanup will be 8 a.m. at Main and Broad streets. The rain-or-shine event targets litter removal. There will be flower planting. Bags and gloves will be provided. No advance registration is required.

The cleanup is part of The Great American Cleanup of Pennsylvania, March 1 through May 31. For information, call 610-841-5831.

PRESSMANN Fundraiser set for April 24

The Jack Pressmann Memorial Scholarship Fund's "Spring Forward for Jack!" fundraiser will be held from 4 to 7 p.m., April 24 at Jack Callaghan's Ale House, 2027 Tilghman St., Allentown. All ticket and raffle proceeds will benefit the Jack Pressmann Memorial Scholarship Fund.

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Saucon Valley School District and the Saucon Valley Conservancy presents the third annual Young Artists' Exhibit at the Heller Homestead Art Gallery, 1890 - 92 Friedensville Road (Water Street) in Lower Saucon Township.

Saucon Valley HS students will exhibit their work from May 1 through May 30. A "Meet the Young Artists' Reception" will be held May 1 from 10 a.m. to noon. The exhibit is under the direction of Sandra Eckert and Brenda Stever.

The Art Gallery is free and open to the public on Saturdays and Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m. and on Sundays from noon to 3 p.m. from May to November.

For more information, call 610-216-0566 or visit www.sauconvalleyconservancy.com or e-mail SVConservancy@aol.com.

HANOVER

Sousa concert to be held May 2

A free John Phillip Sousa Concert will be held at 2 p.m. May 2 at the Hanover Township Community Center, 3630 Jacksonville Road.

The music will be performed by the Easton Municipal Band under the direction of Keith Wagner and the Liberty Alumni Band under the direction of Ronald Sherry.

Refreshments will be served before the show.

Call 610-866-1140 for information.



PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB

Nathan Detroit (Sean Manion), Benny Southstreet (Jamie Alderiso) and Nicely-Nicely Johnson (Jordan Roman) and the 'guys' perform "The Oldest Established."

'Guys and Dolls' opens at Liberty

Liberty HS presents the five-time Tony Award winning musical "Guys and Dolls," a 1950 production based on several Damon Runyon short stories

and is set in New York City. Music and lyrics are by Frank Loesser. Performances are scheduled Thursday and Friday, April 22 and 23, at 7 p.m., and

Saturday, April 24 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Judy Danilovicz directs a cast of over 60 in the performance. For information or tickets call 610-865-5231.



Miss Adelaide (Courtney Haines) performs "A Bushel and a Peck" with some of the Hot Box Girls at the Hot Box Nightclub.

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"A doll is a necessity," Sky Masterson (Ryan Mulligan) tells Nathan Detroit (Sean Manion).



Finally letting her hair down for the first time in her life, Sarah Brown (Rachel Schachter) performs "If I Were a Bell" while visiting Havana, Cuba, with Sky Masterson.



General Cartwright (Katie Mowrer) announces to Sarah Brown (Rachel Schachter) and Arvide Abernathy (Jordan Dunnigan) that the Save a Soul Mission branch run by Brown will have to close unless there is a better turnout at an upcoming revival meeting.

**ST. STEPHEN'S
Preschool open
house is April 21**

Saint Stephen's Preschool is holding an open house from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. April 21 at the church, 67 W. Washington Ave. See the facility, meet the teachers and hear about the program. This event is open to the public and no registration is required. For more information, call 610-865-1435.

**COPS 'N KIDS
Celebration to be
held April 24**

The fourth annual Cops 'N Kids Children's Literacy Program will be held from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 24 on the grounds of Looper's, 313 E. Third St. High energy guitarist and lead singer, Michael Messer, of the New York City-based kids rock group the Dirty Sock Funtime Band kick-starts the event.

The project was started by retired school teacher and Bethlehem resident Beverly Bradley. The program pairs area youth with new and gently used books collected via book drives and donations. For many of the children who receive the free books, it is the first time they have owned a book.

"The more these children see good people, the more they see that they are valued," says Bradley. "That book is just the conduit to making the connection."

In addition to taking home free books of their own, children and their families who attend will enjoy free entertainment, participate in crafts, sports and other demonstrations, and enjoy free food prepared by volunteers from the City of Bethlehem Police Department, Bethlehem Police Commissioner Stuart Bedics and Northampton County Sheriff Randy Miller.

Participants include Dan's Camera, Donegan Choral Group, Farmersville ES dancers, Holy Infancy String Ensemble, the IronPigs, Kim's Black Belt Academy, L.V. Academy Singers, Liberty HS bagpipers, NCC dance and theater troupes, Nick Jr., the Nittany Lion, the Par-

kettes and the Tooth Fairy.

Sponsors include Looper's Grille and Bar, Just Born, Inc., Rotary Club of Bethlehem, Bethlehem Business Forms, KNBT (a division of National Penn Bank, Tallman, Hudders and Sorrentino Law Offices, Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. State Farm Insurance, Coca-Cola Bottling Company of the L.V., L.V. Educator's Credit Union, Moravian Village and Northampton Community College.

**AAUW
Book fair to be
held April 21-24**

The 48th annual Bethlehem Branch, American Association of University Women (AAUW) Book Fair will be held April 21 to 24. Since the first sale in 1963, dedicated volunteers have raised almost \$600,000 and awarded hundreds of scholarships to area high school seniors starting college and to mature women students whose education has been interrupted and are now returning to college.

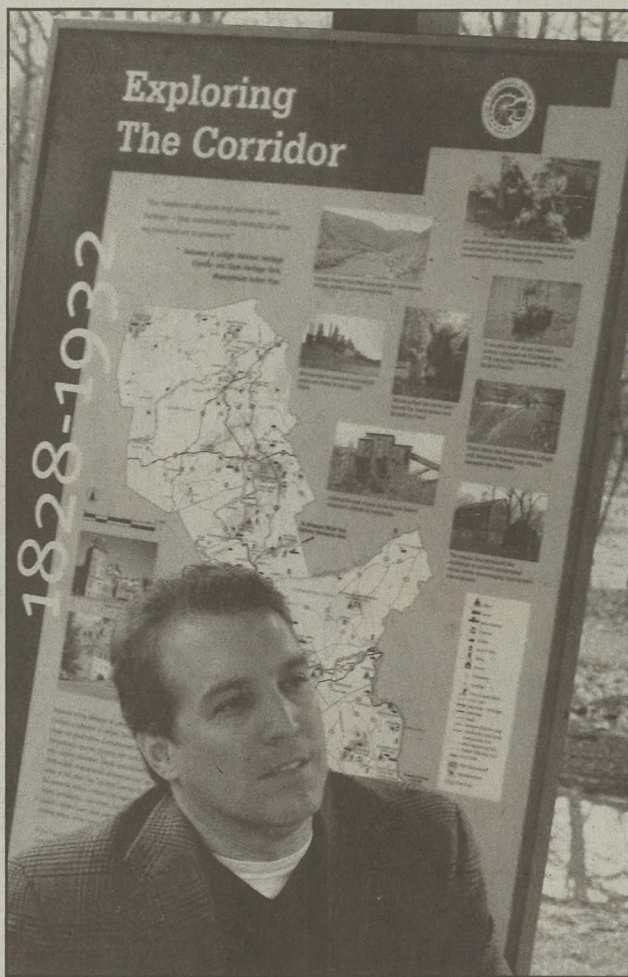
At the 2009 sale, more than 35,000 books were purchased enabling AAUW to award \$25,000 in scholarships.

For information, call 610-867-8533 or 610-746-0337.

**WDIY
Fund drive
ends April 24**

WDIY 88.1 FM, Lehigh Valley Community Public Radio, kicked off its spring membership drive, "Sustainability," April 16. The drive, which runs through April 24, culminates as part of the "Spring on Fourth! What's on Third?" Festival on Bethlehem's Southside. The winner of the Chili Cook-Off will be announced and "Kind of Blue" will perform. There will be a celebration concert at 4 p.m. Admission is free.

The station is heard on WDIY 88.1 FM Allentown/Bethlehem, 93.7 FM Fogelsville/Trexlerstown, 93.9 FM Easton/Phillipsburg, and at www.wdiy.org.



PRESS PHOTO BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

Trail dedicated in Lehigh

Lehigh County Executive Don Cunningham beneath a sign describing the newly-dedicated portion of the Delaware and Lehigh Trail in Cementon, Whitehall Township. Cunningham and fellow officials spoke at the opening ceremony March 29. A portion of the new trail is visible behind him, as is the Lehigh River.

**GARDEN CLUB
Basket bingo
set for April 25**

The Bethlehem Garden Club's basket bingo will be at 1 p.m. April 25 at the East Hills MS cafeteria, 2005 Chester Road. Doors open at noon. There will be raffles and door prizes. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Food is available for purchase. Proceeds benefit the Bethlehem Garden Club scholarship fund.

**DEMOCRATS
Rally night
is April 27**

The Bethlehem Democratic Association will hold the third annual candidate's night and rally at 7 p.m. April 27. The event will be at the club's facility, 540 N. New St.

Ladd E. Siftar, a club board member and its political director, said, "We are returning to the old-fashioned grass roots tradition that most political organizations abandoned 20 years ago. We stand ready to assist other Democratic clubs to reignite this time-honored tradition." Call 610-216-3872 for more information.

**CACLV
Victims' Rights
Week celebrated**

April 18 to 24 is the 2010 National Crime Victims' Rights Week. This year, Crime Victims Council of Lehigh Valley will commemorate this special week's theme—crime victims' rights: fairness, dignity, respect—by remembering and honoring crime victims, as well as presenting the annual Allied Professional Awards for Lehigh

and Northampton counties, at its annual Victims' Rights Week Vigil 6 p.m. April 22 at the Memorial Tree of Life Grove, located at Cedar Crest Boulevard and Chestnut Drive, Allentown. This event will be open to the public, at no cost.

Among the participants will be several victim-survivors who will speak about how their lives have been impacted by crime. Detective Joseph Vazquez of the Lehigh County Homicide Task Force and Northampton County Detective Bob Righi will be recognized for their outstanding commitment to the welfare of victims of crime and their families in their respective counties. The Pa. State Police Color Guard will participate and Eugene Kutzler will play "Amazing Grace" on the bagpipes. There will also be a release of peace doves to signify the participants' hopes for a world without violence.

For more information or directions, please call the CVC office at 610-437-6610 or visit www.cvc.org.

**BOSCOLA
FAFSA deadline
is May 1**

State Senator Lisa M. Boscola reminds high school seniors, other prospective college students and their families that the deadline for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is May 1, 2010.

"The FAFSA determines eligibility for federal grants, state grants, many scholarships, student loans and work-study programs," Boscola said. "If you plan to start college in the fall and have not applied already, I urge you to do so today. My staff will be glad to assist you with any questions you may have."

Applications are available at any of Senator Boscola's District Offices, but individuals are encouraged to apply online at www.pheaa.org or www.fafsa.ed.gov for expedited processing. To complete the application, applicants will need information found on their 2009 tax returns.

Returning students who have previously submitted a FAFSA will be notified by the federal gov-

ernment by e-mail or post mail when the 2010-11 renewal application is available.

For more information, contact Senator Boscola's office at 610-868-8667.

**BAPL
Fashion show
set for April 28**

The Bethlehem Area Public Library will host a fashion show 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. April 28 at the Hotel Bethlehem, 437 Main St. WLVT-TV's Amy Burkett will emcee. Local celebrities will model. There is a fee. All proceeds benefit "Room To Grow," the library's capital campaign to refurbish the children and youth services area. Advance tickets may be purchased at the main library, the South Side branch and the bookmobile.

Call 610-867-3761, ext. 259 or visit www.bapl.org.

**VETS GROUPS
Monthly meetings
set for May 3**

The Harry F. W. Johnson Post #379, American Legion, will meet at 7:30 p.m. May 3 in the DAR Rose Garden log cabin, Eighth Ave. and West Union Blvd. All veterans interested in attending are welcome.

The United Veterans of Bethlehem will meet immediately afterward.

All veterans are welcome to attend. Veterans who are not presently Legionnaires or those wishing to transfer to a local Bethlehem Post are also invited.

For more information, call 610-866-3835.

**TUNES
Fourth season
opens May 6**

The fourth season of Tunes at Twilight begins May 6. The free concerts will take place from 6 to 8 p.m. every Thursday evening in May and June at the Sun Inn Courtyard, 556 Main St., rear. Bring a blanket or lawn chairs. Food will be available for purchase. Wine and beer samples will be available.

Call 610-841-5831 for information.

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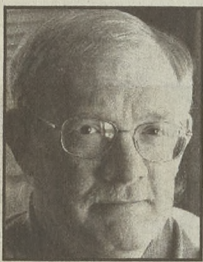
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Turning 60

Yesterday's memories



Dana Grubb
Press
columnist

In December of this year this "baby boomer" will turn 60 years old. I'm sure in the coming months I will have a number of opportunities to prepare for this momentous event by celebrating other 60th birthdays with classmates and friends from my Liberty and Freedom HS Class of 1968 and my Moravian College Class of 1972.

It's sort of an accomplishment for me in that I will achieve something that both my father and his father, a grandfather I never knew, did not achieve. My dad died at age 59, about four-and-one-half months shy of his 60th birthday. His father was only 35 when he died from what I've been told was the cancer that developed as the result of trauma caused by a Bethlehem Steel industrial accident.

I don't feel much different than I did 10, 20 or even 30 years ago. Sure I don't compete in athletics anymore, and my running days are over as a result of degenerative cartilage in my knees, but I'm still that fun-loving, extremely dedicated to my close friends, and romantic-at-heart person that I've always been. My commitment to truth, honesty and integrity still burns deeply untainted by the passing years' disappointments. And yes, life experiences occasionally bring out some personal cynicism, but overall I feel optimistic and even a bit idealistic, and am still drawn to truth and justice much like when I collected my bachelor's degree at Moravian College 38 years ago.

As I await that momentous 60th birthday, I find myself searching for connections to my past, which helps me bring my present life even more into focus and gives it some perspective.

Several recent events have also caused me to reflect more deeply on my approaching status of sexagenarian.

Viewing a recent television interview with baseball great Willie Mays, someone I idolized growing up and someone after whom I modeled my own career playing ball, I realized that the "Say Hey Kid" will soon be 79 years old.

My mother turned 80 years old in February, yet it seems like just yesterday that our family, my young parents with me and my two younger sisters in tow, were piling into our station wagon to head up to Portland in Canada for our annual summer vacation, which was spent in a cabin on the lake swimming, fishing and setting off July Fourth fireworks.

In the last few weeks, former Los Angeles Dodger center fielder Willie Davis, a thorn in this San Francisco Giants fan's proverbial side during those heated 1960s rivalries, passed away. So did Merlin Olsen one of the Los Angeles Rams famed "Fearsome Foursome," a mountain of a football player who played a violent game with a gentle spirit against my beloved Green Bay Packers and their coach Vince Lombardi. Both were only 69 years old.

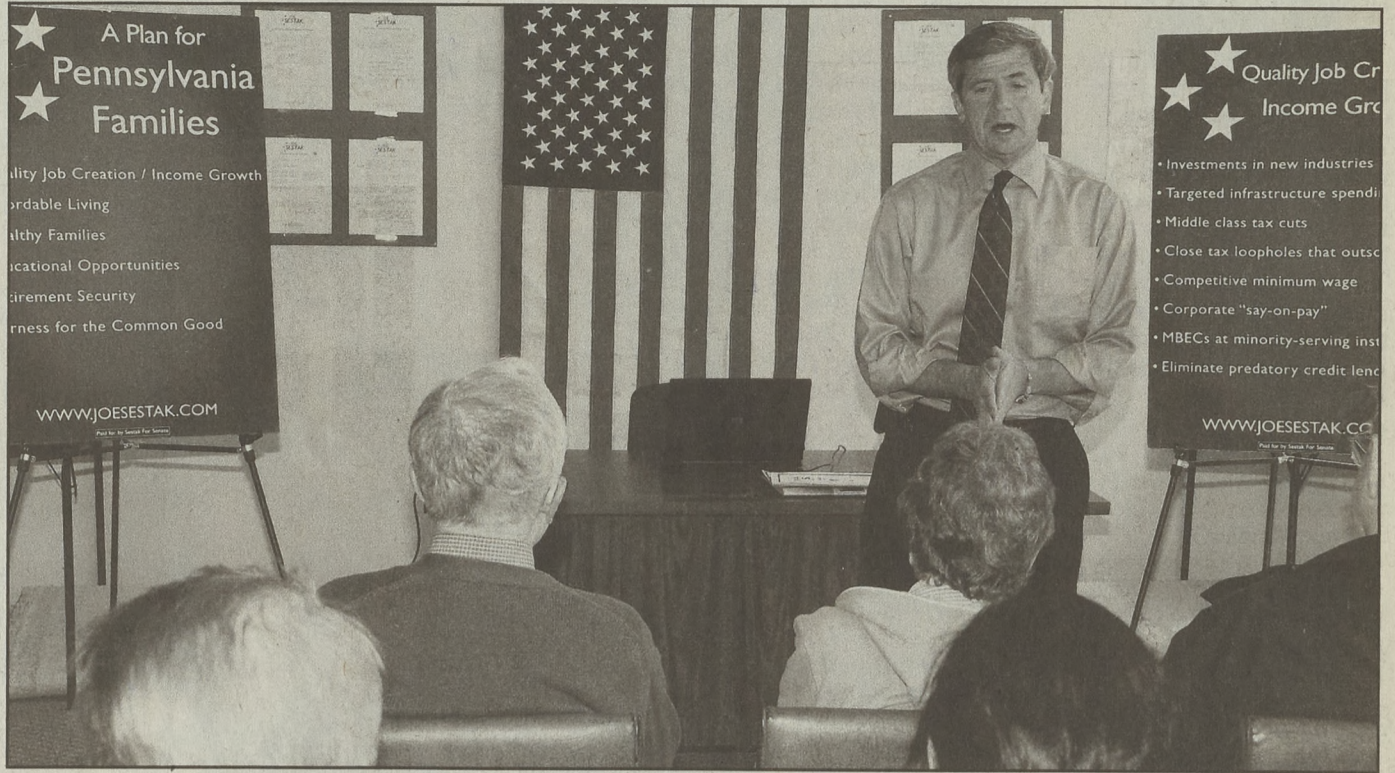
Davy Crockett portrayal, actor Fess Parker, just passed away too. Parker's earnest representation of an American frontier hero for Walt Disney captured the imagination of many kids growing up in the 1950s, and many of us wanting to emulate him by wearing a coonskin cap or owning our own "Old Betsy" toy rifle. I would finally get my coonskin cap in a 1972 visit to Disneyland. I never did get that rifle.

The other night as I watched Swedish pop group ABBA be inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, a nearly 65-year-old grandmother, Anni-Frid Synni Lyngstad, accepted the honor graciously. My how we've each aged from the early 1970s when she held such a special appeal to a 20-something young man as she danced and sang her way to fame. She's still beautiful and radiant in my eyes, as is my all-time favorite Sophia Loren, who will be 76 in September.

As I await that momentous 60th birthday, I find myself searching for connections to my past, which helps me bring my present life even more into focus and gives it some perspective. The 1950s, 1960s and 1970s aren't as long ago as they might seem to someone who is only 20 or even 30 years old. Yet, by connecting to, reflecting on and reviewing yesterday's memories through today's happenings, I am reminded of the many joys, few sad moments and often extraordinary experiences that have affected who I am today and will become tomorrow.

I can only begin to wonder what becoming 70 will be like!

Candidates begin arriving on the scene



PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

Democratic candidate for the U. S. Senate Joe Sestak paid a visit to his Bethlehem campaign office at One East Broad St. April 12.

Sestak, a congressman from Pennsylvania's 7th Congressional District, spent about 20 minutes promoting his platform, which favors middle class families and small businesses, and then fielded a variety of questions from about

40 supporters in attendance.

Navy veteran Jeff Washburn from Orefield was among those attending, and he asked Sestak about an issue involving veterans and unemployment. Afterward, Washburn said he was convinced by the congressman's stance on veterans' issues and would follow through on Sestak's direction to contact his congressional office for further assistance.

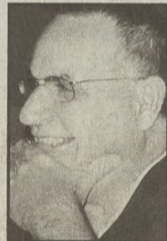
Sestak is a 31-year veteran of the U.S. Navy and attained the rank of three-star admiral. He faces former Republican and now Democratic incumbent Sen. Arlen Specter in the May 18 primary election.

He was born and raised in Delaware County, is one of eight siblings, is married and has a daughter.

ANOTHER VIEW

'Play ball!' means spring is here

Throughout the Lehigh Valley, most Little Leagues finally got underway last weekend. At Northwest Bethlehem, where my grandson Dat plays, opening day is always a big deal.



Bernie O'Hare
Guest
columnist

Wailing sirens from firetrucks heralded a procession of colorfully-uniformed ballplayers as they made their annual pilgrimage from Buchanan ES to baseball diamonds, two blocks away. This year, the girls' softball teams are wearing different colored socks, apparently the latest fashion rage. The boys more subdued uniforms looked very crisp and clean, the last time they'll ever look like that.

Play ball!
Sluggers were greeted on the diamond by Mayor John Callahan (a self-

described former Northwest baseball rat) and city council members Eric Evans and Willie Reynolds. Putting politics aside for another day, these three amigos regaled young athletes with a stirring, if slightly off-key, rendition of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game." That was followed by Callahan's ceremonial first pitch, which was actually a pretty good fast ball that blazed right into Evans' mitt.

Play ball!
Smoke curled from a concession stand, where the alluring aroma of hot dogs, burgers and fries led to long lines of moms, dads, brothers, sisters and the occasional older fan. One moment, they'd all be roasting and complaining about the heat, but whenever the wind kicked up, sweatshirts were unfurled and everyone wondered why it was so cold.

Play ball!
Three 10 year-olds, including Dat, nervously awaited their debut in the majors, wondering if they could really

hang with bigger 12 year-olds. They got their answer as soon as the first ball was thrown. As lead-off hitter for the Braves, Dat nailed the very first pitch thrown by Phillies' hurler Vinnie, and the ball screamed right over second base as he ran for first. Safe! The very next hitter, my grandson's 10-year-old best friend Justin, sent one deep into a gap in right field, as Dat rounded the bases and slid into home in a cloud of dust, beating the throw to the catcher.

Who Dat? Safe!
Not to be denied, the Phillies roared back with great hitting, and the lead went back and forth over six exciting innings. In the end, youth and speed bowed to experience and strength. The Mighty Braves lost their season opener to the Fightin' Phils, 6-5. But they will meet again. This isn't over.

Play ball!

LETTERS

Hope Lodge: A home away from home

Dear Editor:
Although progress in the diagnosis and treatment of cancer has been extraordinary, cancer patients today still face many obstacles. The distance that separates patients from advanced care is one of those obstacles, as most insurance does not cover the cost of travel and

lodging associated with cancer treatments.

The American Cancer Society Hope Lodge offers a home away from home where adult patients' caregivers stay, free of charge, when traveling 40 miles or more for treatment. There are two lodges in Pennsylvania —The American Cancer Society Hope Lodge of Central Pennsylvania, located in Hershey; and the AstraZeneca Hope Lodge of the American Cancer Society, located in Philadelphia. Both locations offer private guest rooms, living and dining rooms and other amenities to make the stay as comfortable

as possible. According to a recent study, a stay at Hope Lodge can increase the likelihood that a patient will complete his or her lifesaving treatments because of the practical and social support offered there. With all the expenses today's families face, especially those dealing with cancer, the American Cancer Society's Hope Lodge is a welcome respite from hotel costs, which in Philadelphia and Hershey average \$100 per day and more.

Daffodil Days was celebrated in March. At that time, daffodils, the flowers of hope,

were purchased at sites throughout the Lehigh Valley. Through your contribution, you allow the American Cancer Society to save more lives, help people get well in facilities like Hope Lodge, find cures and fight back.

For more information about the Hope Lodge, call the American Cancer Society at 800-227-2345 or visit www.cancer.org/hopelodge.

Sincerely,
Kris Schwartz
Daffodil Days Chair
Bethlehem

PEOPLE SAY ... BY DANA GRUBB

"Why do you participate in extracurricular activities in high school?"



"To make friends, because it adds to my education, and it gives me something to look forward to during the days."

Hannah Brown
Hanover Township



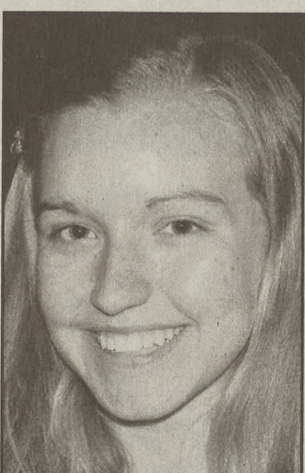
"It's a lot of fun and I love that school offers them. It gives us a chance to make new friends, and some people want to be involved in careers that come from extracurricular activities."

Lily Haller
Bethlehem



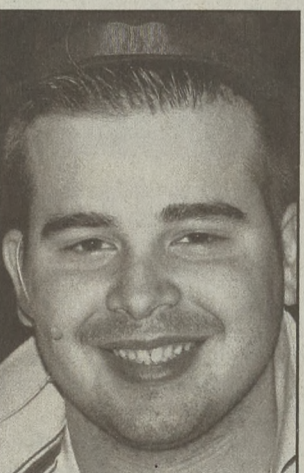
"Because it's a great way to meet people and make friends. The actual activity itself is a great opportunity and a lot of fun."

Claire Labanz
Bethlehem



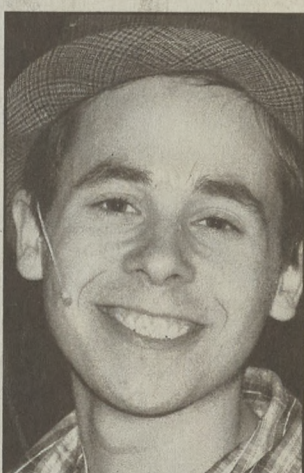
"Because my brother is in them and I do it so I can be in his life more."

Jessica Mulligan
Bethlehem



"I participate because you meet all the great people in all these great organizations that the school has to offer. I enjoy the people in each activity."

Jordan Roman
Hanover Township



"I think it's important to have something else in your school life. Once a person finds something they like to do, it brings a lot of joy and it really shapes your life."

Jamie Alderiso
Hanover Township