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MARKING MOTHER'S DAY



butterfly attracts Deb Chorney of Coopersburg and her mother Dorothy Surman of Allentown at the 50th annual Fine Art and Craft Show along Main Street in historic downtown Bethlehem. Chorney said they come "just about every year" and it serves "as a memorable Mother's Day activity." The outdoor steel sculptures for the home and garden are shaped by metalsmith Sandra Webberking.

A large steel

PRESS PHOTOS BY TIM GILMAN

Ashley Chunko Mostek of Hellertown and her mother Helen Chunko check out pottery during the 50th annual Fine Art and Craft Show. Ashley's mom was visiting from Camp Hill.

The Toltesi family of Bethlehem worship together on Mother's Day at St. John's Windish Evangelical Lutheran Church on the Southside. Mother Brighid Toltesi holds her daughter, Rebecca. Father Gary holds infant Raymond.



Gov. Wolf stops at 2 area schools

Discusses impacts of funding during 'Schools That Teach' roundtables

By Nathaniel Jastrzemski njastrzemski@tnonline.com

During what was surely a long day on the road, Gov. Tom Wolf made a pair of Lehigh Valley stops May 8 to stump for his hefty education plan and hear out the concerns of local school administra-

His visits were part of his "Schools That Teach"

tour. In the morning, Wolf and his entourage made a stop at Hazle Township Early Learning Center in Hazle Township, where they spoke with educators about the impact of funding in schools.

His afternoon detour to Governor Wolf Elementary School in Bethlehem was nearly a forgone conclusion.



PRESS PHOTOS BY NATHANIEL JASTRZEMSKI

Pa. Gov. Tom Wolf walks into Governor Wolf ES's library, greeting teachers and administrators.

As students were readying for the weekend and parking became scarce, he apologized, saying, "I understand how disruptive something like this is, but you have to forgive me for wanting to come and see Governor Wolf

Wolf said his mother was a teacher and he has great sympathy for what goes on in public schools.

He implied several times what he's looking for right now is support for his plans for improving the state's education system.

"We have to recognize that mass public education is fundamental to a healthy, free society. As such, it's a practical, bipartisan investment. You have

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PEOPLE SAY BY DANA GRUBB

As Pa. legislators move to legalize medical marijuana, how would you feel if they were to legalize it for recreational use as well?



"I think they should. The state can use the revenue, as you can see by the states who have legalized it out west."

Bucky Szulborski Bethlehem



"I really don't want it. It gives you too much artificial leisure. We don't need that. We should cultivate our leisure naturally."

Mary Ann Rilloraza Bethlehem

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BY DANA GRUBB As Pa. legislators move to legalize medical marijuana, how would you feel if they were to legalize it for recreational use as well?



"I'd probably move to Pennsylvania, because we live in New Jersey right now." **Olivia Larson**

"I only believe in the

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"I just moved back from Colorado and I'd love for everybody to be on the same page." Savannah Shanley Shawnee on Delaware

"I'm not sure I would

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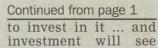
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Mary Colon (center), a retired principal still deeply involved with the district, thanks the governor for his support of early childhood education and teachers' professional development.



returns. "Pennsylvania ranks near the bottom in the country in state funding for K through 12 education and my proposed budget makes historic investments at all levels - early childhood education through higher education," said Wolf. "After years of funding cuts that resulted in the loss of educators, increased class sizes, and cuts to valuable programs, I want to ensure that the new funding in my budget reaches the classroom and directly impacts student achievement.

"Focusing on education will allow us to lay the foundation for long-term economic growth.'

He also said it must be understood by all 13 million Pennsylvanians that his administration is "for real on tax relief."

Wolf did not delve into his proposed education plan, which sees a \$400 million increase over last year. But of that, about \$120 million is set for early education, and Superintendent Dr. Joseph Roy made certain the governor knew of the upcoming universal full-day kindergarten in the district.



Gov. Tom Wolf listens as school Principal Dr. Jodi Frankelli explains how teachers and administrators work together to make the most of resources for both students and educators.

Roy, School Board President Michael Faccinetto and Curriculum Superintendent Dr. Jack Silva explained that cuts have mostly harmed after-school programs in the city, but embracing the neighborhood school model, in which community partnerships with parents, employers and colleges maintains options and flexibility, has kept the district afloat.

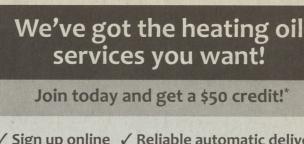
Wolf sounded pleased with what he heard, saying that even as a parent in York County he sometimes points to the Bethlehem Area School District as an example.

He said if his proposed budget passes, the \$4.5 million coming to the city will be well invested.

In March, Department of Education Acting Secretary Pedro Rivera sent a letter to superintendents in all 500 districts detailing accountability measures to ensure the education funding proposed in Governor Wolf's 2015-16 budget is spent directly on students in the classroom to allow them to compete in a modern economy.

In the letter, Rivera called on districts to submit plans to ensure this new investment reaches the classroom and to measure results for Pennsylvania's students.





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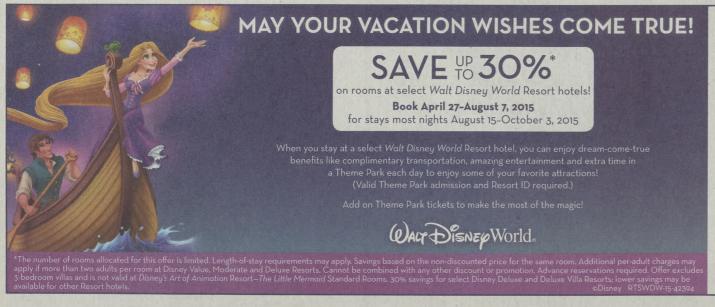
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BAPL Book Sale, noon to 8 p.m. Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org.

Christ Lutheran Church Family Festival, benefits church ministries. 6 to 10 p.m. 69 Main St., Hellertown. Call 610-838-0400 for information.

Thursday, May 14

Salvation Army, seniors 50 and up, 10:45 a.m. followed by lunch (donation). 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681.

BAPL Legal Aid program, 4 to 6 p.m. SouthSide branch, Bethlehem Area Public Library, 400 Webster St. Registration required. Visit www.bapl.org or call 610-867-7852

Christ Lutheran Church Family Festival, benefits church ministries. 6 to 10 p.m. 69 Main St., Hellertown. Call 610-838-0400 for information.

Friday, May 15

Country Garden Faire, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. rain or shine. Governor Wolf Historical Society Country Garden Faire, plants, gardening items, crafts, Civil War re-enactors, children's activities, petting zoo, live music. Society campus, 6600 Jacksonville Road, Bath. Call 610-838-8923 or visit www.govwolf.org.

Senior Fair: Rep. Samuelson and others; 9 a.m. to noon May 15, East Side Youth Center, 1140 E. Clair St., Allentown. Call 610-867-3890.

Christ Lutheran Church Family Festival, benefits church ministries. 6 to 10 p.m. 69 Main St., Hellertown. Call 610-838-0400 for information.

Saturday, May 16

Country Garden Faire, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. rain or shine. Governor Wolf Historical Society Country Garden Faire, plants, gardening items, crafts, Civil War re-enactors, children's activities, petting zoo, live music. Society campus, 6600 Jacksonville

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Kidz Art Zone, Get Creative with Paint; the night sky. Ages six to 12, 1 p.m. Bethlehem Area Public Library, South Side branch, 400 Webster St. Registration required. Visit www.bapl.org or call 610-867-7852.

BAPL Colonial Herb Gardening, 2 to 3 p.m. Penn State Master Gardener Becky Short, Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org. or call 610-867-3761,

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Iglesia Esperanza benefit Camp For Hope; fashion show, dinner, entertainment, 6 to 9 p.m. St. John's Windish Lutheran Church, 617 E. Fourth St. Cost. Call 610-868-3282 for information.

Sunday, May 17

Bethlehem Municipal Band Concert, 7:30 p.m. Bethlehem Rose Garden. Eighth Avenue and Union Boulevard.

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IH hires new director

By BERNIE O'HARE Special to the Bethlehem Press

13, 2015

At this time last year, the National Museum of Industrial History was on life support. Despite the infusion of \$17-19 million in both public and private funds, the museum was no closer to opening than it had been 17 years before, when it was first formed. A Northampton County investigating grand jury had cast a glaring spotlight on a pattern of mismanagement, conflicts of interest and excessive salaries at the Steel Museum on Bethlehem's South-

But after a year that saw the departure of CEO Stephen Donches (no relation to Bethlehem Mayor Bob Donchez), construction is finally under way at the museum, located at Bethlehem Steel's former electrical repair shop on East Second Street. On May 5, standing in front of a 115-ton steam engine that once pumped 8 million gallons of water daily for the citizens of York, museum Chair L. Charles Marcon announced that the museum finally has an executive director.

Amy Hollander was selected out of a field of 34 initial applicants because of her strong museum background, commitment to edu-



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Amy Hollander is the new executive director at the National Museum of Industrial History.

nonprofit organizations.

She'll be paid \$90,000 a year, said Marcon. She will also get a benefits package that is "adequate, but not generous." This pales in comand benefits paid to Donches in 2011:

Hollander has 20 years of cation and understanding of includes AJC New Jersey, explaining that this massive

The Red Hill Museum Village and Readington Museum. She resides in Finesville, N.J., about a 25-minute commute. She is a Vassar graduate with a master's in hisparison to the \$203,000 salary torical preservation from the University of Pennsyl-

She wasted no time and nonprofit sector. This steam engine behind her,

lifeline to York was so large it arrived in nine pieces.

'My vision for the museum is to develop a premier educational experience that tells the story of America's industrial achievements and the accomplishments of the workers, innovators and entrepreneurs who built our great nation," she said. "This is a story that needs to be told here, amidst the artifacts and architecture of Bethlehem Steel, to connect future generations to America's and the Lehigh Valley's industrial roots.'

The museum, with a staff of 10 part-time and full-time workers, will have an annual budget of \$1,050,000. Its board hopes to raise about \$300,000 per year with \$10-\$12 tickets for 50,000 visitors a year. Sponsors and members will be sought, and Hollander hopes to employ a development director within the next three months.

According to Marcon, the museum has enough capital to finish construction (\$6.5 million) and install exhibits (\$1.5 million).

Part of the funding for this project comes from a \$3.1 million state grant. The museum will also use finding from the city's TIF to pay for improvements outside.

The museum will be open experience in the museum describing the 1914 Corliss for business by the middle of next year, according to Mar-

Council reviews negotiations

By MICHELLE MEEH

Special to the Bethlehem Press

Police Chief Mark DiLuzio briefed Beth-Contract lehem City Council members at Page A14 their May 5

meeting on the six-hour standoff on Snapper Drive last week.

issue

injuries, DiLuzio said, and thanked the police for dealing of that contract at the countries and thanked the police for dealing of that contract at the countries. the man was arrested and is in the Lehigh County Contract negotiations Prison hospital ward.

with bullhorn communica- ager David Brong regarding tion, he added. "Some resi- contract negotiations with dents didn't sleep all night. police and firefighters.

with "a stressful situation."

It was a rather noisy time heard from Business Man-

The city's police union ratified a three-year contract The chief said a 37-year-old male wanted to commit "suicide by cop." There were no dent J. William Reynolds members did discuss details cil meeting.

Brong said the fire union Council members also voted down the city's first contract proposal in the beginning of April. After clarifying some matters, See COUNCIL on Page A6

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BETHLEHEM AREA PRIMARY ELECTIONS

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The perils of running

for city council

Jeff Kocsis, along with Olga Negron and Matt McK-

Most people aren't home when candidates knock

on doors. Candidates write out a little "Sorry I missed

was doing that when he saw a dog that was none too

Because it was behind a closed window, Kocsis

was unconcerned. Well, the window may have been

turned his back, the dog jumped him from behind, like

"It got me good!" said Kocsis, who insists "I'm a

a ninja, and sunk his fangs into the back of the politi-

closed, but the door was open. As the candidate

you" note and stick it in the door with a flier. Kocsis

ernan, are running for a two-year seat on Bethlehem

City Council. Kocsis has been knocking on doors all

over Bethlehem, but had a recent close call.

Maybe the dog was a Republican.

Candidates in the May 19 primary Bethlehem Press coverage area were invited to answer the following question:

"What makes you uniquely qualified for the position you seek?" Respondent's names are in

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

County Council District 1 (vote for 1) (Bethlehem-Hanover Twp.)

Ken Kraft (D) District 3 (vote for 1) (Bethlehem Twp.) Lori Heffner (D)

Mickey Thompson (R) John Cusick (R)

District Attorney John Morganelli (D)

County Controller Stephen Barron (D)

BETHLEHEM AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

At large (vote for no more than 3) Samuel Nazario (D/R) Inez Aguilar (D)

Basilio Bonilla Jr. (D) "Over the last three-anda-half years on the Bethlehem School Board of Directors I have had the privilege of serving our district and community in several leadership positions (Curriculum Committee chair in 2014, board representative on the Superintendent's Advisory Committee on Diversity from 2014 to present, chair of the Bethlehem Area Vocational Technical School's Joint board chairman for 2015.) I also have the privilege of representing our district on the national level as a member of the National School Board Association's Hispanic Council and as member of the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials. Throughout my first term on the school board I have stood up for fiscal responsibility, equal rights and senior citizens tax rebate program just to name a few. What makes me qualified to serve for a second term

on the school board is my

understanding of our dis-

s and my

critical foundation they provide. I am an active volunteer in the schools (as a two-year member of the BASD's Parent Advisory Committee), so am aware of the administration's overarching goals as well as what principals and teachers do to enrich the experiences of their students. And I am a city planner who focuses on affordable housing and neighborhood revitalization strategies for cities across the country, so understand the pivotal role public schools play in our communities.

All of these perspectives stress the weight of school directors' responsibilities and those responsibilities are something I would take very seriously. My academic and professional experience (which have both included work on education-related policies and issues), as well as my personal experiences with public schools, prepare me well to tackle them."

Samuel Nazario (R/D) Dean Donaher (R/D) Dan Treffinger (R/D)

Craig Neiman (D)

Craig Neiman (R)

Region 3 (vote for one) Dan Treffinger (D)

Eugene McKeon (R)

SAUCON VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

At large (vote for no more than 5) Bryan Eichfeld (D) Linda Leewright (D) Susan Baxter (D) Mark Sivak (D) Michael Karabin (D)

> Bryan Eichfeld (R) Linda Leewright (R) Susan Baxter (R) Mark Sivak (R) Michael Karabin (R)

BETHLEHEM City Council

Four-year term (vote for no more than 3) J. William Reynolds (D) Shawn Martell (D) "The right candidate for alehem understands 's history and

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Thomas Thomasik III (R/D) Karen Beck Pooley (R/D)

Region 2 (vote for one)

Eugene McKeon (D)

Dan Treffinger (R)

peanut shop on E. Broad; my grandparents both worked for many years at

er taught at Donegan Elementary and Sacred Heart schools; and my father has dedicated his career to the Bethlehem Boys and Girls Clubs. My inspiration for running is the model of community service exemplified by my family, and by

By BERNIE O'HARE

happy to see him.

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the many community members I have come to know in over 30 years of living in

Moreover, my personal background is exceptionally well-rounded. After graduating from Bethlehem Catholic and Moravian College, I worked on a Master's in Political Science at East Stroudsburg University. I have been an Economics and Government Instructor for 7 years. Before that I

worked at the Pennsylvania

Department of Revenue, State Representative Joseph Brennan's local fice, KidsPeace and the lehem Boys and Girls These experiences strate a dedication g others, and have rded me the ability tand the diverse our citizens and needs can be

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Michael Recchiuti (D)

"I believe I am uniquely qualified because I repre-Bethlehem Steel; my moth- sent the interests of many of our constituencies here in Bethlehem. As Vice President of City Council, I know how important it is to be fiscally responsible in city government, so I worked to close a 6-million dollar budget deficit and helped pass a balanced budget. As a small business owner on Center Street, I know how important it is to attract and maintain good middle-class jobs here in the city, so I helped create the Bethlehem Revitalization and Improvement Zone Authority, paving the way for up to \$800 million in new development and between 4,000 and 5,000 new jobs. As a taxpayer I know we must be more transparent in all that we do in city government, so I wrote and secured the passage of landmark legislation that for the first time gives the public insight into how the city spends tax dollars. Finally, as a father, I have a vested interest in keeping our city a safe and attractive place to raise a family, so I fought to continue to ensure that our police force is adequately staffed and trained and to ensure that our mounted patrol is maintained. Bethlehem is where I live, work, and am raising my family - those are three very good reasons why I'm going to continue to do everything I can to make Bethlehem a better

place. Michael Colon (D)

"Aside from my strong resume of service to this community I bring a comprehensive understanding of our local government.

attend our city budget hearings in 2012, 2013 and 2014. Since December of 2012 I've attended all but a handful of our city council meetings while also attending as many committee meetings as my schedule would allow. In the spring of 2013 I completed the Bethlehem Citizens' Academy; A unique course where every week our class met with a different department head in city government to learn about their function, facilities, successes and future challenges. My unparalleled attendance at city council meetings along with my completion of the Citizens Academy has put me in a position to require no onthe-job training, but more importantly properly represent our citizens on day one of my term."

Two-year term (vote for

Matthew McKernan (D) Olga Negron (D) "What makes me

uniquely qualified to fill this position? None of my opponents have the background experience I have: EDUCATION: associate degree, marketing from Austin Community College, leadership development certificate from Institute for Leadership Education Advancement & Development and community organizing certificate from Pacific Institute for Community Organizing; MEM-BER OF: Northampton County Democrats, Bethlehem Democrats, president of CACLV Board of Directors, Bethlehem Rotary Club, co-chair of Bethlehem Planning Commission - appointed by former Mayor Callahan, former vice president of BAPL appointed by Mayor Donchez, Community Revitalization and Crime Prevention Advisory Board appointed by former Governor Rendell; AND worked as a community organizer and executive director for nonprofit organizations, city of Allentown and State Representative Steve Samuelson. Now serving as 1)

Area Public Library. Jeff Kocsis (D) "Growing up in a working class family I learned many life lessons. One of the most important lessons I learned was when my father and grandfather would tell me, "If you don't stand for something you will fall for everything." This is true in every aspect of life, especially in politics. That being said, I will not be a rubber stamp politician. I will examine and discuss arising topics and situations. In doing so, my goal is to form a conclusion that is best for the city and its residents because as an elected official, you represent all residents of Bethle-

the adult services techni-

cian for the Bethlehem

Controller (vote for 1) George Yasso (D) Kaija Farber (D)

Constable (vote for 1) Ward 2 Kevin Spano (R)

Ward 13 Shawn Hoffert (D) Jorge Rivera (D)

Beth Hoffert (R)

Ward 14 Matthew Messinger (D) James Doyle (D) Scott Hough (D)

Ward 15 Patrick Nieves (D) Charles Seyfried (D)

Ward 16 Nicholas Santiago (D)

BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP

Commissioner At large (vote for 1) Robert Birk (R) Paul Weiss (R) D. Martin Zawarski (R)

W1 (vote for 1) Thomas Nolan (R) Arthur Murphy (R) Wayne Buller (R)

W3 (vote for 1) Kim Jenkins (D) Fran Blatz (R) Phil Barnard (R)

Constable - At large (vote for no more than

Richard Seeds (D)

Shawn Fariello (R)

FREEMANSBURG Council (vote for no

more than 4) Homer Lorrah (D) Jim Smith (D) Justin LaBar (D)

> Constable (vote for 1) Will Power (D) Frank Gergar (D) Jose Garcia (D)

FOUNTAIN HILL Council (vote for no

more than 3) Annamarie Jordan (D) Douglas Trotter Jr. (D) Norman Blatt Jr. (D)

HANOVER TOWNSHIP Supervisor (vote for 1) Michael Prendeville (R)

HELLERTOWN Council

Four-year term (vote for no more than 3) Herb Payung Jr. (D) Richard Staffieri (D) Earl Hill (D) Philip Weber (D)

Two-year term (vote for

Earl Hill (D) Herb Payung Jr. (D)

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE District 03-01-04

District 03-02-01 Roy Manwaring (D) Paul Bender (D)

Paul Bender (R) Roy Manwaring (R)

District 03-02-03 William Blake (D) Brian Altieri (D) Patricia Broscius (D) Sandra McClure (D) Andrew Tupone (D)

Patricia Broscius (R) Sandra McClure (R) William Blake (R) Andrew Tupone (R) Bryan Altieri (R)

District 03-02-04 Amanda Kurecjan (D) David Repyneck (D) David Tidd (D)

David Tidd (R) David Repyneck (R) Amanda Kurecjan (R)

District 03-02-10 Nancy Gonzalez (D)

Nancy Gonzalez (R)

LEHIGH COUNTY Controller

ers will be asked to a county controller for of four years.

story."

Democrat Thomas Slon- the ballot in November. aker, of Whitehall Township, is challenging incumbent Repub-

lican Glenn Eckhart, of Salisbury Township, who has held this position for four years. Both candidates will appear on

LEHIGH COUNTY COMMISSIONER **CANDIDATES** SEE PAGE A5

POLICE

Burglary

Two men were reported allegedly entering a garage on East Fourth Street and leaving with unspecified items. Police located the men, who fled on foot when approached. One man was apprehend-

Lucas Hernandez, 41, of East Third Street, is charged with burglary, theft, and receiving stolen property. He was committed to Northampton County Prison in lieu of \$25,000

Hernandez's accomplice is still at large.

Robbery

men who allegedly robbed a person at an unspecified location around 8 p.m. commissioners Democratic May 2.

Police did not state if the men were armed, but they reportedly took from their victim \$80 in cash, a mobile phone and a pack of cigarettes.

Victor Feliciano, 29, of Whitehall Township and East Fifth Street, is Joanne Jackson, of Uppe charged with robbery, theft, receiving stolen property and drug possession crimes.] Timothy Carnes, 58, of Wyandotte Street, is charged with robbery, theft and possessing instruments of crime.

BRIEFIY

CORONER

The Lehigh County Coroner's Office is seeking the next of kin for James C. Koplik of Bethlehem, who died May 9, 2015 at Lehigh Valley Hospital, Muhlenberg.

Anyone with family information should contact the office at 610-782-3426.

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LEHIGH COUNTY: Commissioner

BV MARK RECCEK

Special to The Press

Nine candidates will be going tooth and nail for four open seats on the Lehigh County Board of Commis-Police arrested two sioners in the May 19 primary election.

The county board of race is uncontested. The candidates running for the four open seats are Hillary Smith, of Lower Macungie Township; Bob Martin, of Upper Macungie Township; Dan Hartzell, of South Joanne Jackson, of Upper Saucon Township.

The Republican candidates include Dean N. Browning, of South Whitehall Township; Amanda Holt, of Upper Macungie Township; Victor Mazziotti, of Allentown; Marty Nothstein, of Lowhill Township and Brad Osborne, of South Whitehall Township.

The Press recently asked the Republican candidates Next of kin sought the question: "What makes

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Responses appear below.

Dean Browning

The current commissioners have not passed a balanced budget since they have been in office. We need to truly balance the budget and eliminate the deficit. I have proposed a Balanced Budget Amendment for the county to address the first issue. I have over 35 years of private sector business that gives me the knowledge to identify the real spending reforms needed at the county and the experience to implement those changes. I will responsibly reduce spending and never let expenses grow faster than revenue.

Amanda Holt

My commitment to working for the public good was demonstrated through my pursuit of impartial redistricting solutions,

imately 2 million Pennsylvanians. Since my appointment to the board of commissioners in July 2014, I've brought this same out-of-the-box thinking to find common ground and solutions that will enhance services, while moving the county budget back into alignment. I have invested hundreds of hours, both in visiting the various county departments to learn firsthand how the county operates, as well as working to ensure the county spends money responsibly, while serving the public good with excellence and integrity.

Victor Mazziotti

Just like the average taxpayer, Lehigh County must find ways to do "more with less." I ran for office in 2011 in response to a 16 percent tax increase. I have been fighting to reduce taxes, while maintaining needed county services. In the last three years the

which won relief for approx- county commissioners have their representative. I reduced the county tax rate twice, without reducing county services. If re-elected, I will continue to fight for a cost-effective Lehigh County government. My education (bachelor of science in accounting, master of public administration), prior work experience (chief financial officer in three government organizations) and proven track record as a county commissioner for the past three plus years, qualifies me to serve the residents of Lehigh County as a county commissioner.

Marty Nothstein

I am excited to be part of a team with three current county commissioners who have been able to continue providing exceptional county services while, at the same time, decreasing taxes. The support and resources I received within Lehigh County were important to my career as a cyclist, and I hope to give back to our community as

worked hard to achieve my dream of an Olympic gold medal and promise to bring the same dedication to the board of commissioners.

Brad Osborne

I have been a Lehigh County resident and active community member for over 28 years. During this time, I was the sole proprietor of a small business providing service to Fortune 50 oil companies and am currently the plant manager for a chemical manufacturer providing unique chemicals to the worldwide paints and coating industry.

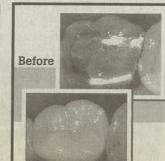
In these roles, I developed and managed within the confines of a budget and led organizations to achieve results by exploring practices and challenging ourselves to improve faster than our competition. I bring a similar analytical and results-oriented approach to local government as a county commis-

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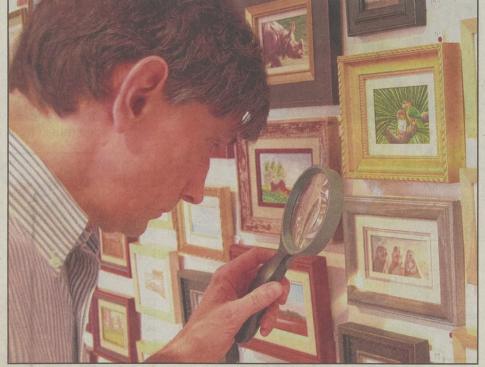
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Born in Turi, Bari, Italy

Miniature art exhibition opens

Miniature art collector Joe Ciezko of Whitehall uses a magnifying glass to examine some of the 475 entries on display in the Art of the Miniature exhibit which opened May 3 and continues through June 14 at the Snow Goose Gallery in downtown Bethlehem at 470 Main St. Eightynine artists with their entries from the United States and some foreign countries make up the show, in its 23rd year. Additional info at www.thesnowgoosegallery.com.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

"Danny" Daniel Palmisano, 88, of Country Meadows, Bethlehem Township, died

May 1, 2015, in the Visiting Nurse Association St. Luke's Hospice House. Born in

Turi, Bari, Italy, he was the son of the late Anthony and the late (Carenza) Caterina Palmisano. He was the husband of the late Mary Jane (McGrath) Palmisano for 58 years.

He was a 1944 graduate lies. of Easton Area HS.

He was a Fireman 1st Class, U.S. Navy, in the Pacific Theater, World War

He was retired from the former GAF Corporation. He attended Our Lady Perpetual Help Roman Catholic Church, Bethle-

He was an independent

living resident of Country Meadows for the past three years, where he enjoyed bocce, weekly card and word games and volunteered at fundraisers.

He is survived by three daughters, Carol and her husband Thomas Smith of Springtown, Donna and her husband Barry Lippincott of Nazareth, and Cathy Palmisano of Pittsburgh;

step-granddaughter, Amanda and her husband James Froling of West Bloomfield, Mich.; two stepgreatgrandchildren, Kate and Kara; and nieces and nephews and their fami-

Donations may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, finance department, 30 E. 33rd St., New York, N.Y. 10016 or the charitable organization of one's choice.

Arrangements were made by Finegan Funeral Home Inc., Palmer Township, Easton.

COUNCIL

Continued from page A3 Brong said, the union was and Northampton and the modified proposal May 5. If no agreement could be reached, the next step would be arbitration, he added.

Reynolds gave credit to union for working out an agreement. "I hope that the DiLuzio added, "We are doing same kind of agreement can our own internal study" by be reached" with the fire mid June to determine the union, he said, adding that cost of a city system versus several members of council are union members. "We know not everybody walks away from these discussions happy," Reynolds said.

911 update

Mayor Robert Donchez told council members the city and the additional \$1.3 state House of Representatives passed new funding legislation "by a wide margin." The legislation does not include state funding for 911 centers in Bethlehem and Allentown, the only two cities in the state that have

Donchez said he hopes that when legislation is discussed in the senate, senators Lisa Boscola and Pat Browne will be able to promote a compromise to preserve state

and Allentown. Reynolds asked when the Reynolds said. new funding formula for 911 would take effect. Donchez Park parking fines said the issue is not deter-

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the mayor added.

Bethlehem, Allentown scheduled to vote again on Lehigh counties were planning to jointly fund a \$50,000 study on consolidating the park during busy summer municipalities' 911 systems. months. There will be two rescheduled the May 19 meet-Donchez said the study would be useless if the state the administration and police mandates Bethlehem to go participating in a county 911 system. Council Member new processes to increase Michael Recchiuti, who chairs the Finance Committee, noted the city's 911 center costs are about \$3.4 million this year. He said \$2.1 million is provided by the million is from the state budget, although the current legislation would take that funding away.

"We're going to have a hole in our budget," Recchiuti said. "We have to plan."

The city 911 center also provides services a county system does not, such as monitoring cameras.

Reynolds, on behalf of the council, commended the current 911 center services. "One thing everyone in this 911 funding for Bethlehem room agrees is the level of service our 911 provides,'

In other business, council mined yet but should be members unanimously resolved by the end of June. approved new parking fines It is not clear whether the in Saucon Park. Violators transition time would be one will face parking fines of

year, two years or three years, \$30. Fines increase to \$45 the way they do business," after 14 days and to \$65 after a citation is issued.

Chief DiLuzio said the extra police coverage in the or three weekends where warnings will be issued and people notified of the new parking regulations. "After that will come enforcement," DiLuzio said.

Council members also noted that the purchasing department is developing efficiency. Council member Louis Stellato said he has been working with the purchasing department.

"I want to thank them for

Stellato said. The changes are very beneficial, he added. "Good things are going to new fines will help pay for happen. It's a cultural

In addition, council ing to May 20 at 7 p.m. due to the primary election.

During the public comment portion of the meeting, Clint Walker of 123 East Church St. encouraged candidates for city council post on their websites their views on the proposed zoning change to permit businesses on Market Street.

This city is a beauty. It's unique, we want to keep it that way," Walker said.

FAUTO RACING

Laura H. Cizikas

born in Delano

Hannibal, Mo., died May 3, 2015, at Hannibal Regional Hospital, Hannibal.

Born in Delano, she was daughter of the late Thomas and Lucy Wright Folweiler. She was the wife of the late Joseph P. Cizikas. She was of the Catholic

She is survived by two nephews, Harry Sr. and his wife Janice Folweiler of Hannibal, Mo. and Ange-

and three great-nephews,

Laura H. Cizikas, 86, of Jerry and his wife Penny Weide, Thomas Folweiler Jr. and Patrick and his wife April Folweiler; 19 greatgreat-nephews and greatgreat-nieces; and several

She was predeceased one brother; Harry Folweiler; a sister-in-law, Carmella Folweiler; and one greatnephew, Jason Folweiler.

Arrangements were made by James O'Donnell Funeral Home, Hannibal, lo Folweiler of Pittston; Mo.





BRIEFLY

PRIZM PROM Haven event set for May 16

HAVEN, the L.V.'s only youth group for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, questioning, intersex, and allied youth, is hosting its 12th annual Prizm Prom from 7 to 11 p.m. on May 16 at the Banana Factory, 25 W. Third St.

The event, for ages 14 to 20, is co-sponsored by Pride of the Greater Lehigh Valley.

For information, visit uuclvpa.org/haven.php or on Facebook at Prizm Prom by Haven.

SAMPSON Naval reunion set for May 21

There will be a reunion for all SALTS trained at the Sampson Naval Station, their spouses or guests and retired Navy and other veterans from other conflicts at noon May 21 at Haags Hotel, Third and Main streets, Shartlesville.

The status of Sampson Naval Station will be presented. A review of the World War II program and naval experiences will be exchanged.

The reservation deadline is May 20. Call 610-562-8253 for information and reservations.

VOLUNTEER Challenge set for May 19

The 2015 Lehigh Valley Volunteer Challenge, hosted by the Volunteer Center of the Lehigh Valley, will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. May 19 at Coca-Cola Park, Allentown. Local companies form teams and select a nonprofit agency to complete a sustainable project for them.

The 2015 participants are Automated Data Processing (ADP); ASR Media Productions/ The Peak TV; Dietrick Group, LLC; Fitzpatrick Lentz & Bubba, P.C.: HMK Insurance; Humana; JR Peters; King Spry, Herman, Freund & Faul, LLC; Klunk & Millan Advertising; Lafayette Ambassador Bank; Lehigh Valley Iron-Pigs; Lehigh Valley Phantoms Hockey; Lutron Electronics Company; Olympus Corporation of the Americas; PPL Services Corporation; Provident Bank; Roey's Paint Box; The Morning Call; UGI Utilities, Inc.; Wells Fargo; and Working Dog Press.

For information, visit http://volunteerlv.org/event s/lehigh-valley-volunteer-challenge.asp or call 610-807-0336.

PENN STATE/LV SAGE talks continue to June

Senior Adults Gaining Enrichment, an outreach program of Penn State Lehigh Valley has announced the schedule for its spring 2015 lecture

series.
Each SAGE session
begins with coffee at 10:30
a.m.; featured speaker at

11 a.m. and lunch at noon. All lectures are in room 135 at Penn State Lehigh Valley in Center Valley.

June 5: "Inside Afghanistan: A Personal Experience," thoughts from Pamela Varkony, journalist, who has twice been on the ground in Afghanistan.

June 19: "Your role in preventing West Nile virus," join them as they partner with the local Cooperative Extension to learn simple techniques for preventing West Nile virus.

There is a fee per lecture. Lunch is included.
To register, contact
Carol Buddock at 610-285-



PRESS PHOTOS BY TIM GILMAN

Bethlehem native Laurel Attanasio stocks up on fresh local produce at the Bechdolt's Orchards stand run by Denise Filo, market manager of the Saucon Valley farm on Leithsville Road. "I love everything here, especially the fresh-made applesauces," said Attanasio, who visits the South Bethlehem market regularly.



Lehigh student Conrad Mason purchases a cookie from Jennifer Knecht at the Tomblers Home Bakery of Easton booth.

Endangered Species Days May 15-17th Lehigh Valley Zoo will inspire guests of all ages with engaging conservation-related activities directly related to the Zoo's full-circle conservation initiatives. Zoo guests will intimately learn about the endangered African penguin and how the environment has impacted their drastic decline over the past century to less than 17,000 breeding pairs in the wild through Zookeeper talks,

a Smart FUN video, and engaging

Bethlehem Farmers' Market opens

The Farmers' Market in South Bethlehem opened May 7 for a new season on Thursdays, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., through Oct. 29. More than a dozen vendors were set up on the Lehigh University Campus Square Complex at New and Morton streets. The market offers a variety of local produce, baked goods, leather items, hand-made soap, and free live music from noon - 2 p.m.



A giant chocolate chip cookie keeps Olivia Haas busy under the watchful eye of her mother Danielle Haaz from Bethlehem Township. The baked goods treat came from the Flour Shop at the Macada Plaza on Linden Street. The bakery specializes in artisan breads and offers glutenfree alternatives.



BRIEFLY

PSU ServSafe class set for May 20

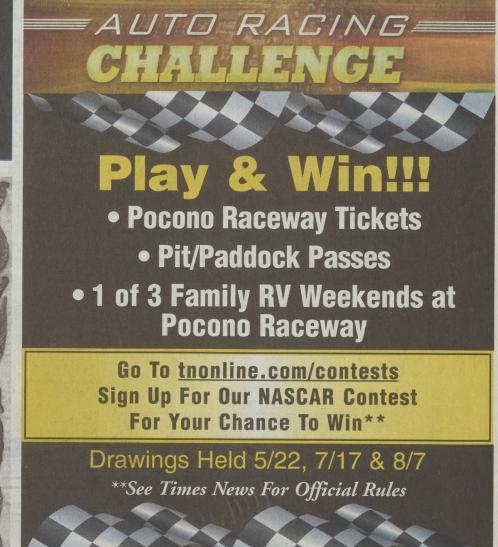
A ServSafe food safety certification class will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 20, and a final exam from 9 to 11 a.m. May 27, at Penn State Extension – Lehigh County, Room 104, Lehigh County Agricultural Center, 4184 Dorney Park Road, Allentown.

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture requires every retail food service operation to have at least one employee with a nationally recognized food safety manager certification. Recertification is required every five years.

For information about workshop content and schedule, call 610-391-9840 or email tms59@psu.com or visit http://extension.psu.edu/food-safety/serv-safe.







NorCo Gaming Board awards \$1.66 M grants

By BERNIE O'HARE Special to the Bethlehem Press

Northampton County's nine-member gaming board, which annually doles out the slots revenue generated by the Sands Casino, is basically finished for the year. At their April 27 meeting, they awarded \$1.66 million in what are referred to as

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ly half of this money. This approval. At the last moment, includes \$400,000 for a \$1.2 Dave Willard seconded

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ton County, Bethlehem and truck, and \$130,000 to re-chas- of discussion." sis an aging 2007 ambulance. rounding Bethlehem. Since Those grants were approved this exhausts all the revenue unanimously, but a \$250,000 grant sought for improvewill be no funds available ments to the South Bethlehem greenway very nearly failed for lack of a second Bethlehem is getting near- to Joe Kelly's motion for

Kelly argued that the greenway is one of the rare projects that rewards a positive impact of gaming. It provides a means of access for casino employees who walk to work, as well as patrons. The reason for the high cost, explained Kelly, is that the connection to Hobart Avenue must be ADA accessible.

In response to questions from several board members, Bethlehem DCED Director Alicia Karner advised workforce live in South Bethlehem, and these improvements will help them commute on foot.

That was enough to per- are as follows: suade the gaming board, who voted in favor of the grant by Two police vehicles (\$101,528),

impact grants to Northamp- million 95-foot aerial bucket Kelly's motion for the "sake a 7-2 vote, with only Tony Pristash and Gerald Yob

opposed. After all grants were awarded, John Dally urged fellow board members to come up with a way to differentiate between impact caused by the casino and impact caused by other things. "If we're here to determine impact by the casino, we have to come up with a way to determine impact of other venues that are there,"

he reasoned. The board also voted to set limits on grants for comthat 15 percent of the casino monly requested items, like police interceptors, adjusted to the consumer price

The other grants awarded

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Dave Heintzelman is a local funeral director who volunteers his time to Northampton County, like his fellow board members.

15 new defibrillators (\$23,514) and replacement of a 2007 ambulance (\$120,200).

Freemansburg - \$102,988 for an enhancement to operational technology.

Hanover Township -\$50,601 for a Chevy Tahoe to be driven by one of the Township's three emergency management professionals, as well as software for accident reconstruction.

Hellertown - \$207,034 for two police officers.

Lower Saucon Township - A police officer (\$101,897) and police cruiser (\$30,294).

Northampton County -\$143,765 to Northampton County Drug and Alcohol for gambling addiction treatment and support services.

The Gaming Board is made up of nine members: Joe Kelly (Bethlehem), Tom Nolan (Bethlehem Township), Gerald Yob (Freemansburg), Jay Finnigan (Hanover, Chair), Dave Heintzelman (Hellertown), Dave Willard (Lower Saucon), Tony Pristash (Northampton), John Dally (Pen Argyl) and James Pennington (Lower Nazareth).



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INSIDE



BASEBALL Liberty advances in the EPC playoffs while Freedom fell

to Easton.

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VOLLEYBALL

Liberty fell to Emmaus in the opening round of the EPC playoffs.

THEY SAID IT

"Parkland has an unparalleled degree of prestige, a **Goliath sort** of team. We were believing and seeing past their credentials, and if we could execute, we could beat them."

> ROSS SONNENBLICK FHS TENNIS PLAYER

BRIEFLY

HOLY FAMILY GOLF

The 11th Annual Holy Family Manor Open Golf Tournament will be held Sunday, Aug. 16, at the Bethlehem Golf Club.

The event will include a round of golf. prizes, hot dog lunch, refreshments, a dinner, a raffle and camaraderie, all to benefit programs and services for residents of Holy Family Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Tournament registration opens at 11:30 a.m. with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. The fee to participate is

\$100 per person. Sponsors, golfers and raffle prizes are needed. For more information on how to become a sponsor, donate a raffle prize or register to golf, please contact Ann Ruggiero at 610-997-8409, or Development@CSHHCS.org.

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The first practice is Tuesday, April 21. If interested or for more information, contact Jim at 484-294-6585.

Freedom wins team title

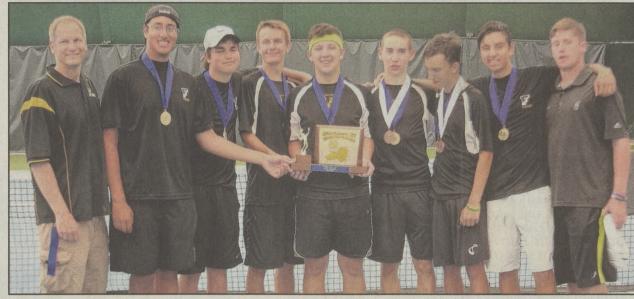
By KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

For the first time in school history, Freedom High School's boys tennis team were crowned district champions after defeating Parkland 3-1 at the District XI Class AAA Team Tennis Championships on Saturday at Winning Touch in Allen-

Freedom's number three singles player, Ross Sonnenblick, said, "It's unbelievably awesome. I'd love to say we acted in a more dignified fashion, but yes, we were just screeching and jumping.'

The Patriots swept the Trojans in all singles matches.

"Parkland has an unparalleled degree of prestige, a Goliath sort of ed Nick Kshatri 6-3, 6-3, team of Ronak Desai and won the first set of their last Friedlest to Appeal match against Kishan team. We were believing Aidan Bodeo-Lomicky and seeing past their credentials, and if we could execute, we could beat defeated Peter Harrison 6them," said Sonnenblick. 4, 6-0.



PRESS PHOTO BY CHUCK HIXSON

The Freedom tennis team came out on top in the District 11 team tournament, knocking off Parkland to win the title.

defeated Nate Lyman 6-3, 6-3, and Sonnenblick

(7-5), 6-1.

Fiorentino, also playing district title had already

Freedom's doubles doubles for the Patriots, been won. Matt Connors and Jon ish the match because the reporting the scores of

Throughout the dis-Jack Fried lost to Aneesh match against Kishan trict final, Freedom coach Kapoor and Alex Wu 7-6 Unjia and Nick Hawk in a Jeff Young ran back and tiebreaker, but did not fin- forth between matches,

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EPC SOFTBALL PLAYOFFS

'Canes top Hawks

Schmidt pitches, hits LHS to victory

By KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Being the batter with two outs and the bases loaded can be a blessing or a curse, but for Liberty pitcher, Victoria Schmidt, it was a blessing as her three-run double proved to be the game winner over Bethlehem Catholic in an EPC softball playoff game on Monday at Liberty.

"It was amazing. I just wanted to run and get those girls home," Schmidt said. "I could

finally breathe." Still scoreless in the

bottom of the sixth field. inning, Liberty outfielder, De Skilee Diaz, singled.

"I was under a lot of pressure for sure, but I got up and did what I had to do," Diaz said.

Reyna DeJesus followed up with a hit, and Diaz got to third.

"I was telling myself I just need to get a hit and not let my nerves get to me," said DeJesus.

ble between left and center

DeJesus said, "I was sprinting from second. I saw it go over my head, and I kept running."

Liberty coach Sam Carrodo had been feeling the pressure, realizing the Hurricanes' first base runner didn't even get on until the sixth inning, but right before that, Carrodo lightened up.

"After the fifth inning, Liberty catcher, Pre- I said, let's have fun. I put cious Torres walked, and Jess [Watts] in the hudthe bases were loaded dle because she likes to with Hurricanes when joke around, and then I Schmidt hit a two-out dou- could see them all just

EPC TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Aminu wins three golds

PRESS PHOTO ROB MERCHANT

Victoria Schmidt pitched a shutout and drove in

all three runs in the Hurricanes victory over Bec-

ahi Monday afternoon to open the EPC playoffs.

By KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Liberty High School sprinter, Jaylyn Aminu, clinched three gold medals at the EPC/Colonial League Track and Field Championships last Wednesday at Whitehall High School.

The Hurricane sophomore took first place in the 100 meter dash, the 200 meter dash, and the 4x1 relay.

"Overall, I knew I was winning, but i still needed to run my hardest, Aminu said.

The 4x1 relay, consisting of Rachel Finn, what to expect."

Aminu, Kaylin West, and

Finn said, "At the Allen javelin. Invitational, we didn't do as well as we'd liked, so we were all really nervous because we know we're capable of doing well. We're so excited, just because it's a huge sur-

Becahi's relay team was comprised of Dana Neupauer, Nicole Lacherza, Katie Altpeter, and Allie Hontz.

Lacherza said, "We're just really excited because hurdles, and Olivia Sahay-

Becahi also medaled Grace Mittl, came in in the 4x4 relay, placing ahead of Bethlehem third, and Tessa Zamolyi Catholic, who placed third. took third place in the

Hurricane sophomore, Jazmyn Aminu, won gold in the discus and silver in the shot put. Jackie Arthur took fourth in the shot put and second in the javelin. West placed third in the triple jump and fourth in the long jump. Finn placed second in the pole vault, and Karli Collins was third.

Rashana Tomkins placed third in the 100

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PRESS PHOTO BY BOB FORD

going in, we didn't know dak was third in the 1600 Liberty's Jaylyn Aminu was part of three gold medals, including the 100, at the EPC meet.

In a rush, Alpaugh takes 2nd Becahi's Freddie Simmons wins two golds

By KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Having one's priorities straight often brings its own reward, but a silver medal for Freedom distance runner, Will Alpaugh, at the EPC-Colonial League Track and Field Championships last Wednesday may have been the unexpected bonus, not for lack of talent, but for circumstances that were beyond his control.

Alpaugh was scheduled to take an AP Physics exam on Wednesday, which would end for him at 3:30 p.m. at best, giving the Patriot junior bare-

meter run, scheduled for 3:50-4 p.m.

What Alpaugh didn't know was that, while he was taking the exam, the meet was delayed 15 minutes due to a timing/scoring issue during the Colonial League girls hurdles

at Whitehall with the middle of the pack at first, delay in his favor but no more time to spare, teammate, Shaina Palmer, hustled him to the track.

Palmer said, "The "It was really sloppy whole time, I knew this in the middle, and some was happening for Will.

ly enough time to get to I told him, 'This is yours. Whitehall for the 1600 Go kill it.'"

Alpaugh barely got his shoes on while the other distance runners warmed

"I had no time to mentally prepare. Shaina kept saying everything happens for a reason," said

Alpaugh. Alpaugh took his place When Alpaugh arrived on the track, and in the Alpaugh's main goal was to get a good spot in the last 400 meters and stay in

the second lane.

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PRESS PHOTO BY BOB FORD

Becahi's Freddie Simmons took gold in the 100 and 300 hurdle events.

LACROSSE LHS earns a district berth

By PETER CAR pcar@tnonline.com

Liberty's boys' lacrosse team is making their first appearance in the District 113A postseason this week and the Hurricanes couldn't be more excited about

the eighth-seed and taking on top-seeded Easton at 4 p.m. Thursday, the Hurricanes enter with a sense of hope on the opening day of the district tournament.

"I think the kids are looking forward to playing a district game," said head coach Joe Sexton. "It's a new game on Thursday and the kids are excited about it.'

Liberty got its first dose of postseason action last By CHUCK HIXSON week in the East Penn Conference semifinals, losing to Easton 17-3. It was their second thumping at the hands of the Rovers and one that Sexton admitted, was "difficult to get our kids up" for the game, knowing Easton's talent level beforehand.

'We knew Easton was going to be tough and we're dealing with some injuries too, which doesn't help," Sexton said. "I think our guys can look at this week as a clean slate and that kind of breathes new life into us.

Easton (16-2) won the East Penn Conference championship Monday night over Parkland 8-6 to capture the top-seed in the district playoffs, which Sexton originally believed he would have had his team playing Southern Lehigh on Thursday.

Liberty (6-12) has sneaked into the postseason, thanks to their 5-5 EPC mark, which guarantees teams a shot at the playoffs because of their .500 mark in the league.

The Canes are noping leading scorer on the season with 25 goals, ready for action on Thursday, as he's one of several players dealing with injuries this week.

Sexton doesn't know the availability of his wounded warriors yet, but hopes his team can accomplish one of the goals he set forth for them earlier this season.

'One thing I wanted to do this year was to have one major upset," he said. "We don't have that yet and this would be a good time to check that off.'



PRESS PHOTO BY CHUCK HIXSON

Despite coming in as Elias Gross and the Hurricanes got past Emmaus to open the EPC playoffs.

DISTRICT 11 BASEBALL Liberty advances

Pates fall to Easton

Special to the Press

If at first, you don't suc-

ceed, try, try again. That's the approach that Mike Mittl took against Emmaus on Monday and it worked beautifully.

Mittl's sixth inning double drove in the first run of the game and put him in scoring position to induce a Hurricanes rally that led Liberty to a 3-2 win over Emmaus in the EPC quarterfinals. Mittl had struck out in his first two at-bats before delivering the big hit for the Hurri-

'I just stayed confident. He struck me out the first two times on those darn sliders. He threw me a 3-1 slider and a 3-2 slider that I fouled off, but then he came back with it again and I drove it down the third base line," explained Mittl about his key at-bat.

Liberty, the number-three seed in the tournament, looked to be in pretty good shape after their three-run outburst broke things open in the bottom to have Tom Murphy, their of the sixth, but Emmaus wasn't quite done.

The Hornets tallied two runs off starter Alexis Calderon in the top of the seventh, keeping him from throwing a complete game. Elias Gross took over on the mound, and hit a batter and gave up the hit that drove in the Hornets two runs, but in the end, he was able to get the final out of the game, sending the Hurricanes to the semifinals and a meeting second-seeded Stroudsburg, who downed

Northampton 6-0. Calderon and Trey Hinkle, who started for Emmaus, engaged in a battle throughout the game, keeping their oppo-



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Tom Czerwinski puts a tag on an Easton runner during Monday afternoon's opening round of the EPC playoffs.

allowed just three hits through five innings.

Emmaus didn't help themselves defensively in the bottom of the sixth.

After Mittl's double that drove home Mike Perrault, Hinkle uncorked a wild third. One out later, Sam ner on second and David Guarriello then hit an easy ground ball to short that looked like it would end the inning, but the throw from Eric Cichocki was wide, allowing the Hurricanes to add an insurance run, which they

wound up needing. Calderon flirted with danger throughout the game, but always either came up with a big pitch to kill a rally or watched as his defense made big plays out of danger.

the top of the fourth when the playoffs are all about,' Emmaus put runners on first and second with two outs. A short fly to cendrop, but Mittl dashed in to make a sliding catch before colliding with shortstop Elias Gross, who also attempted to make the play. Both players came decent shape, with Gross taking the worse part of the damage and Mittl hanging on to the ball to

end the inning. shortstop today [Mittl] just played an outstanding game defensively and had the big hit offensively to help us out. Our defense was just exceptional," said Liberty coach Andy Pitsilos.

A one-out single from

nents off the board. Teddy Tucker kept Calderon allowed just Emmaus alive in the sevthree hits until the top of enth. Calderon came up the seventh and Hinkle with a big strikeout to record the second out of the inning, but then walked leadoff hitter George Smith.

At that point, Pitsilos lifted Calderon in favor of Gross, who threw a wild pitch and hit a batter to pitch that moved Mittl to load the bases. Joel Bartoni then delivered a two-Kraihanzel singled to drive run double to cut the lead home Mittl, putting Liber- to 3-2, but Gross held on to ty up 2-0. An error on a get cleanup hitter Lucas pick-off throw put a run- Wieder to ground softly to first to end the game.

Stroudsburg will provide some tough competition for Liberty. The Mounties, who boast potential first-round draft pick Mike Nikorak as their ace, also have a potent offensive attack. After losing in extra innings to Emmaus a month ago, Stroudsburg has clicked off 15 straight wins on their way to the EPC Playoffs. That game was played Tuesday at behind him to bail him Hackett's Park in Easton.

You're going to see One such play came in tough teams, that's what said Pitsilos. "These are all tough games and you have to play good ball, make ter looked like it might plays and be smart if you're going to win.'

Freedom

The Pates tried to take control of their opening round EPC playoff game against Easton twice in out of the collision in the early stages, but the Rovers always had an answer in the eventual 12-5 victory.

The Pates took a 2-0 lead in the first only to "We have played great see Easton tie it in the botdefense all season. Our tom half. Then in the second, Freedom went up 5-2 only to see the Rovers tie it at 5-5 before scoring two in the fourth, four in the fifth and one more in the sixth for the win.

Casey Brown homered for the Rovers and Trey Durrah added a double and four RBIs.

For Freedom, Tom Czerwinski, Mario McIntyre and John Yocum all hit doubles and drove in a run with McIntyre having two RBIs.

Easton pitcher Ryan Bonfati settled down after the first two innings and didn't allow a hit the rest of the way to pick up the victory, striking out four and walking two.

DISTRICT 11 VOLLEYBALL Emmaus handles LHS in EPC semis

By PETER CAR pcar@tnonline.com

Emmaus volleyball coach Ken Dunkle wanted to see more energy from his team during Monday night's East Penn Conference semifinals against Liberty.

The Hornets had their moments of energy lapse but took care of business, defeating Liberty in four games (25-11, 25-20, 21-25, 25-20) to move on to Wednesday's finals against top-seeded Parkland, who had little trouble dismantling Northampton with a three-game sweep (25-17, 25-17, 25-9) in Monday's nightcap.

After jumping out to a 10-0 lead in the first game, Emmaus (14-1) remained largely in control to set up another bout for a trophy against their suburban rivals.

'We really wanted to focus on energy because we beat them [Liberty] twice already this year,"
Dunkle said. "I thought
we did that for the most part. We had a couple lulls in there. We got our heads down a little bit at times, but we fought through it."

Emmaus experienced one of those lulls in the third game as they were looking for the sweep, rattling off six straight points to take a 16-13 lead.

However, Liberty (10-

5) was able to come back from that and steal the game to force a fourth set.

Emmaus came back strong in the final set and punched their ticket to Wednesday's 7 p.m. show-down with the Trojans at Memorial Gymnasium.

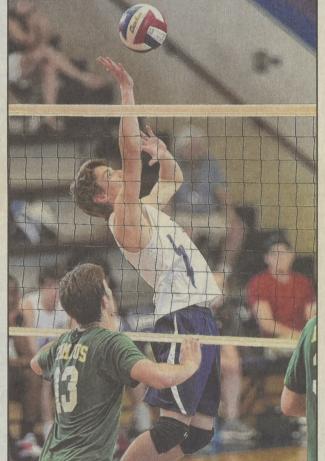
"They're a tough team and well-rounded," Dunkle said of the Trojans. "They got good hitters, good setters, so it's a little harder to get them out of their system.

"Energy is going to be key again because we didn't have a lot of fight until the second set when we played them in the regular season. "

Pat Bryan had 11 kills for the Hornets, while Ethan Maurer added 10 kills. Liberty's Logan Priestas led the way for the Hurricanes with eight

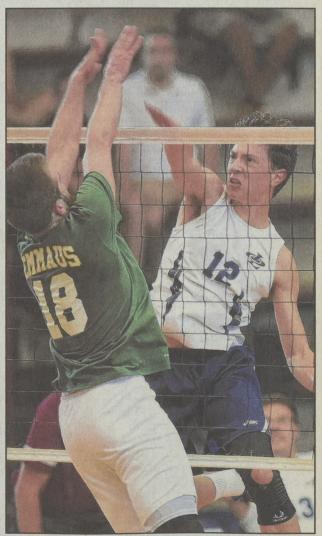
The Hurricanes now shift their focus to Thursday's opening round of the District 11 3A tournament, where they square up against Nazareth in the four-five matchup.

"The next step is for us to learn what we can from this loss and from teams like Parkland by watching them," said Liberty head coach Neiad Ammary. "Everybody respects us, but nobody expects us to run the table. We really have nothing



PRESS PHOTO BY NANCY SCHOLZ

Jake Gallagher and the Liberty volleyball team fell to Emmaus in the EPC playoffs.



Ryan McGuire and the Hurricanes will now look forward to the District 11 playoffs, which start later this week.

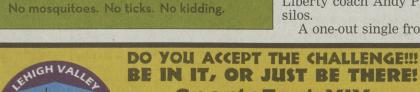
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Easton's

with a double.

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without them," she said. McConnell drove in the Liberty, the number winning run in the third

two seed in the EPC tour- inning and finished the

on Northampton this The Pates managed Tuesday at Liberty, past only three hits off Maegen

ton to open up the EPC for districts while East-

Carrodo said, "Let's seven in the victory.

Maddie

Continued from page A9 other Freedom players.

"For example, when I was down 4-3, the doubles teams were making comebacks, and that knowledge reinvigorated me," Sonnenblick said. "Having the assurance they were putting up fights lifted a weight off our shoulders."

The district final was the second match played by Freedom's number one singles player, Sinai, since suffering a concussion at the EPC Tournament.

"It was a total bummer, but it was only a couple matches," Sinai said.

from injury was last week when the Patriots defeattrict semifinal 4-1.

The Patriots swept the "In the beginning of Mountaineers in singles the second set, we hit a with Sinai winning 6-0, 6-0, Bodeo-Lomicky winning 6-0, 6-3, and Sonnenblick winning 6-0, 6-0.

It was in doubles that the matches were the most challenging with Connors and Fiorentino falling 0-6, 6-7 (1-7), and in the last completed match of the day, all eyes were on Fried and Desai who won 6-4,

a bit much, but in the last Rock North at Winning game, we were on a roll, Touch.

Sinai's first match back and it energized us," said Desai.

Fried, however, has ed Stroudsburg in the discome to love the attention.

rough patch, and they were ahead. It took awhile to get back even with them. It took us a little time to hit around them," Fried said. "They had intense net play, so we brought it to them.'

The Freedom Patriots will have played their first match in the PIAA State Team Tennis Tournament on Tuesday, past Press "At some points, it gets deadlines, against Council



PRESS PHOTOS BY BOB FORD

Kaylin West takes part in the long jump but was also part of the 400 relay team that won gold.



Rashana Tomkins took third in the 100 hurdles.

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run.

Kochmaruk placed third

in the 3200 run, all for Lib-

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got boxed in. I know that

the kid from Emmaus has

a good kick but saw he

started to slow down, and

I just kept pushing,'

other runners before beat-

ing out Emmaus's Ryan

Paradise for second place

with a time of 4:23.57. Eas-

ton's Colin Abert, the

expected winner, took first

shocked. I didn't have time

to think about it," said

Alpaugh, who set a per-

sonal record in the 1600

Palmer wasn't shocked

"I knew he could do it.

Once he's in that, he

by nine seconds or so.

"I'm still kind of

Alpaugh picked off two

Freedom High School

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meter

Boys

Alpaugh said.

place in 4:14.56.

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erty.



Rachel Finn, running in the 100, was part of the 400 relay team.



Nicole Lacherza and

had two gold medal win- front, but I decided if the ners, Gia Erie in the shot pace was lagging, I would put and Shaina Palmer take over. In the middle of the sixth lap, I started 'I'm happy," Palmer to get some space.

said. "I was never able to

the girls 400 relay team took third.

tops LHS to end season Palmer also medaled By KATIE MCDONALD

Softball

relax," he said.

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It was also around that

time that Liberty assis-

tant, Katie Buskirk, told the girls to choke up on their bats to get more con-

Carrodo started to relax.

ning pitcher, it was all

about the Hurricane

For Schmidt, the win-

Freedom High School softball coach Nora Borger had a good feeling leading up to the Patriots game against Liberty last Tuesday, despite their loss to the Hurricanes a couple

of weeks prior. "In the past, we've been in situations that were hard to watch, but now I have faith in these girls, and I know they can do awesome stuff," Borger said.

Some of that awesome stuff included two doubles and strong defense when it mattered the most, leading to a 2-1 Patriot victory over the Hurricanes.

Freedom's Hunter Schantz had an RBI double in the bottom of the third inning, scoring Brenda Reninga, and in the bottom of the fifth, Shay Peterson hit a double down the third base line. Dana Pollock, who had singled before Peterson,

Liberty catcher Precious Torres tags out Morgan Christine at home during Monday afternoon's EPC playoff game at Liberty. The Hurricanes won 3-0.

Freedom's Kylee Schwind races to first base during Monday's EPC playoffs

nament, will have taken

on Northampton this

speed on the bases, even no one thought we'd be one of the Freedom hits

Freedom

dropped a 2-0 game to Eas-

"I felt really good today, playoffs on Monday after- on next plays Parkland.

Press deadlines.

where we're at.'

Freedom

Once Liberty got their hope it continues because

but our defense did amaz- noon. ing. I couldn't have done it

at Easton. The Pates fell to the Rovers 2-0.

choice. 'It was an important at bat, and I knew we had

to get another run," said Peterson.

Liberty's only run sixth inning when Reyna DeJesus hit a home run, but the Hurricanes did not stop trying, so with one out and a runner on first base, Borger approached the mound.

'I wanted them to relax and get control, and to get better about themselves. I had all the faith in the world that they could get themselves out of a jam," said Borger.

Peterson responded with a ground out and a huge strikeout.

It was a curve, and it kind of rose a little," she said.

In the top of the seventh, Liberty's Michaela Brunnaben singled, Tori gle, and both advanced on top.' on a passed ball. Another

Kavanagh, who struck out

Lauren Guidetti had

Shayla Peterson struck

The Pates must wait

scored on a fielder's bunt attempt was caught by Reninga.
"I could tell when the

bunt was coming and that it was higher up," Reninga

said. With two runners on came in the top of the base and DeJesus coming up to bat, this time Freedom pitching coach Tara McGoff talked to Peter-

> "We didn't want to let her beat us. We wanted to create a force at every base," said McGoff.

DeJesus was walked, the defense to feel a little and Freedom second baseman Alexis Szaro caught a pop-up to end the game.

"I knew she was going to hit to the right side, and I prepared for that,' Szaro said.

The Patriots home victory happened to coincide

with senior night.

Borger said, "The girls were confident and focused and excited for their seniors. I expect this from us, these types of Kaleycik had a bunt sin- games with us coming out



PRESS PHOTO BY BOB FORD

E.J. Fineran took third in both the 100 and 300 hurdles during the EPC meet.

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always comes through. I said, 'I told you. This happened for you," Palmer

Alpaugh medaled in the 3200 meter run, placing fourth.

Bethlehem Catholic's Freddie Simmons took first place in the 110 hur- meter dash. dles and the 300 hurdles.

and Mike McDaniel took ius Jones got bronze in fourth place in the 100 the triple jump.

From Liberty, Louie relay team placed fourth.

Teammate, E.J. Finneran Czaszar won the gold placed third in each of medal in the shot put, the hurdles. Becahi's 4x4 Casey Clearie won silver relay team placed second, in the javelin, and Dar-

The Hurricanes' 4x1

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Mercy At The Bank

Charlene, the only Christian at the bank where she worked, was praying for her co-workers. Then, a co-worker in charge of the vault accused Charlene of stealing a large sum of missing money. Because of the timing of the loss, Charlene was the suspect. An investigation involved police and bank authorities. An aggressive co-worker slandered her regularly, called her names, and pressured her to confess the theft, but Charlene never returned an ill word. This went on for three months. Her picture was in the paper with an article reporting she was under investigation. Her children were ridiculed at schoo and some friends abandoned her. Even though the bank found no evidence, they gave her the opportunity to resign. She believed she should stay. Though she no longer had duties handling cash, she worked diligently leav-

ing the case with the Lord.

Then an employee of the transport company said he had made a cash exchange error. Afraid of losing his job, he had waited for the bank to contact him. Charlene's accuser was responsible to confirm there was not an error by the company, but she was so convinced of Charlene's guilt, she never did it In a cold sarcastic voice, her accuser said, "Sorry, big mistake," and walked away. Charlene followed into her office and closed the door. Her coworker's eyes got big and fear covered her face as she got ready for the blast she felt was coming. Charlene looked her in the eyes, and said, "I love you and I forgive you for everything you said and did against me." As the words sunk in, the co-worker's fear melted into deep sorrow. She began to cry and then said, "I don't know what you have, but I have to have it." Charlene confessed her strength and love came only from God. Then she led her accuser to the Lord who then led another employee to the Lord the next day! By the end of the week, five other employees also accepted the Lord! --Adapted, To Heal the Heart by Michael Hinson

HANOVER TOWNSHIP

Township finances healthy

Sen. Scavello plans to have staffer available soon

By BERNIE O'HARE

Special to the Bethlehem Press

Newly elected State Senator Mario Scavello goes on a quest to visit the governing bodies of each of the 40 municipalities in his district at least once every year. On April 28, he visited Hanover Township's board.

Steve Salveson joked that Scavello should have an office in Hanover when he's ready to go 'upscale.

Actually, Scavello is working on plans to do that, and have a staffer available one day a week, either in the municipal building or at the community center.

Upon hearing this, Township Manager Jay Finnigan handed Senator Scavello a new resident package and welcomed him to the community.

"There's even a map in case you get lost," joked Finnigan.

On a more serious note, independent auditor Todd Bushta told supervisors the township is in sound financial shape and actually had a \$1 million profit last year, although \$732,000 of that money was used to pay off a note and reduce debt. He offered a clean and unqualified opinion, and was unable to find any instances of noncompliance with governmental accounting stan-

The township's pension fund is 100 percent funded and fully liquid as well. Overall, there's a \$7.5 million fund balance.

The only debt left is a \$700,000 State Senator Mario note from 2006. Finnigan recommended paying it off to escape interest payments.



Scavello pays surprise visit to Hanover Township supervisors.

Teachers

By MARK RECCEK mreccek@tnonline.com

The Saucon Vall trict may go to non-b tion if a May 7 nego fails to resolve a th

dispute. At the April 28 me voted 6-2 to proceed Board President Mi and board member voted in opposition. Ed Inghrim was not

The board room w teachers and commu who urged the board t sion. Rather than se bers, the board will Solicitor Jeffrey Sulta Business Manager D er to engage in the n

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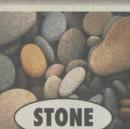


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room was packed with community members board to attend the sesthan send board memard will dispatch labor ey Sultamik and district nager Dave Bonenbergin the negotiations.

particularly took issue cd's refusal to send any he arbitration session. Karabin.

"It's your move. Show up May 7 Mr. Karabin," high school English teacher and boys' soccer coach Mel

Teacher Carol Free spoke with deep concern about the current sit-

'Does anyone besides our teachers see that this place is indeed burning down around us," she asked.

Karabin said he took issue with teachers telling him he lacks concern and respect for them.

'You know the tears that are coming to my eyes," he said. "I always respected all of you. I always reached my hand out. And this is it? It's all our fault? It's everybody involved in this. It has to be.

According to Saucon Valley Education Association Chief Negotiator Rich Simononis, the board indicated it wanted to receive input from rank-and-file members.

This association wants to resolve

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Evie is a gorgeous young gal who gets along with other cats. Evie is microchipped, spayed, litter trained and current on shots.



David is a young male shepherd mix happiest when he's around people he knows and

MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, May 13

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

Thursday, May 14

Bethlehem Water Authority, 3 p.m. City Hall, 10 E. Church St. Bethlehem Authority, 4 p.m. 10 E. Church St. Bethlehem Planning Commission, 4 p.m. 10 E. Church St.

Monday, May 18

BASD regular Board, 7 p.m. East Hills MS auditorium, 2005

Northampton County Gaming and Economic Redevelopment, 5:30 p.m., third floor, room 3116, Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton.

Bethlehem Twp. Board of Commissioners, 7 p.m., 4225 Easton

Fountain Hill Zoning, 7 p.m., 941 Long St. (as warranted) Historic Conservation Commission, 7 p.m., Banana Factory, 25

Hellertown Borough Council, 7 p.m., 685 Main St.

Tuesday, May 19 Freemansburg Council, 7 p.m., 600 Monroe St. (as needed)

Wednesday, May 20

Bethlehem City Council, (rescheduled to this date), 7 p.m. 10 E.

Bethlehem Twp. Municipal Authority, 6:30 p.m., 4225 Easton

Fountain Hill Council, 7 p.m., 941 Long St. The Bethlehem Press calendar listings are, to the best of our knowl-

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MEMORIAL DAY

Sunday, May 17

Bethlehem Municipal Band Concert, 7:30 p.m. Bethlehem Rose Garden. Eight Avenue and Union Boulevard.

Friday, May 22

Fountain Hill Memorial Day event, 1 p.m. American Legion open to the public, free Memorial Day event, Fountain Hill flag pole, with FHES students, essay contest winners and Broughal MS Band.

Saturday, May 23

Mobile Veterans Outreach Van will be available to assist and educate those in attendance about veterans' benefits.

Presented by the Pennsylvania Department of Military and Veterans Affairs . 3 to 7 p.m. SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way. Visit www.steelstacks.org.

Sunday, May 24

Mobile Veterans Outreach Van will be available to assist and educate those in attendance about veteran's benefits.

Presented by the Pennsylvania Department of Military and Veterans Affairs. 3 to 7 p.m. SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way. Visit www.steelstacks.org.

Monday, May 25

American Legion Band of Bethlehem, Taps over Bethlehem, Memorial Day observance, 8 a.m. Nisky Hill to Memorial Park. Sponsored by the City of Bethlehem, Heintzelman Funeral Home of Hellertown and the United Veterans. Trumpeters / Buglers: call 610-262-8762 or 610-838-9247 to register to

Bethlehem City Memorial Day Parade, 9 a.m. Liberty High School, 1115 Linden St. Visit www.bapl.org.

Sands Bethlehem Memorial Day Festival, noon; free concert 6 p.m. free admission; food, family fun, crafts. 320 E. First St. Visit www.sandseventcenter.com.

SteelStacks Memorial Day events, all day: Hometown Heroes display. 3 p.m.: 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War tribute, Levitt Pavilion. 6 p.m.: concert and memorial service, Levitt Pavilion. 101 Founders Way. Visit www.steelstacks.org.

Friday, May 29

Bethlehem Municipal Band Concert, 7:30 p.m. Bethlehem Rose Garden. Eighth Avenue and Union Boulevard.

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Police have new contract, fire department does not

By NATE JASTRZEMSKI njastrzemski@tnonline.com

ayor Bob Donchez and city officials proudly announced Monday the completion of negotiations on a new five-year police union contract. In the next breath Donchez scolded the fire department for holding out.

Both contracts expired in December, and Donchez praised the Fraternal Order of Police for negotiating with professionalism. "While the police union was of course interested in the welfare of its members, as it should be, the public interest was never lost in these discussions. This is a very fair contract for all sides." FOP Star Lodge #20 members voted 88-14 in favor of the new con-

It includes a 3 percent annual wage increase -



PRESS PHOTO BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI

Wade Haubert explains the FOP is equally satisfied, if a little disappointed, as the city, which means a successful negotiation.

retroactive to December some prescription drug plan changes, such as increased co-pays, the introduction of deductibles for single and family plans,

and increased healthcare contributions.

Business Administrator Dave Brong said the healthcare contributions were key to getting ahead

of a Cadillac tax surcharge in the Affordable Care Act that would have cost the city in 2018. Under current legislation, he said, this contract will avoid those surcharges.

Wade Haubert, a former FOP president who began this round of bargaining, agreed with Donchez on the fairness of the deal and said the negotiators never forgot their salaries are paid for by taxpayers, and made an extra effort to accommodate the city. He said the FOP spent nearly \$20,000 on specialists, including a forensic accountant, to research what the city could afford.

The fire department's contract negotiation has not gone as smoothly, suffering two rejections. The contract will go to arbitration May 18-19.

Non-uniformed employees' contracts expire at the end of the year.

ANOTHER VIEW

Morganelli calls Dougherty his 'first choice' for Supreme Court

By BERNIE O'HARE Special to the Bethlehem Press

here are a lot of similarities between Northampton County DA John Morganelli and Philadelphia Common Pleas Judge Kevin Dougherty. Both come from working class backgrounds and were the first in their families to attend college. Both dealt with blue collar families, whether in South Philly or South Bethlehem. Both have distinguished themselves in their profes-

Morganelli is now Pennsylvania's most senior district attorney, while Judge Dougherty is the administrative judge for the Trial Division in Philadelphia's busy Court of Common Pleas.

Judge Dougherty's bid for one of three seats on the Pennsylvania Supreme Court was recently endorsed by Morganelli.

Standing before a group of prosecutors, he called Jud-Dougherty his "first

First elected in 2001, Dougherty presided over Philadelphia's Family Court, where his reforms made Philadelphia a model for the rest of the state. According to Morganelli, "His work has made the streets and schools safer, led to fewer children being placed or burdened with criminal records for life, and streamlined day-to-day operations of the court system by helping to consolidate Family Court's antiquated, scattered facilities into one modern courthouse. He has been widely recognized as a foremost expert on juvenile justice and judicial administration, and has been appointed to serve on numerous boards, committees, and commissions dealing with these

For his part, Dougherty

views his role as "serving the most at-risk and marginalized, the poor and working poor. The average day individual who walks our streets and roads in the desire and hope that they may be safe, in and outside of their home. Each day, every day, we see the worst that life can offer our families and children. Each day, every day, we have a vision, and we implement that vision so that we have a period or a series of accomplishments and successes which advance the health and welfare of our families.

Dougherty is one of six Democrats seeking the Democratic nomination to one of three seats on the Pa. Supreme Court. Other Democrats running include Superior Court Judge Christine Donohue, Jefferson County Judge John Foradora, Superior Court Judge Anne Lazarus, Superior Court Judge David Wecht



Dougherty

and Allegheny County Judge Dwayne Woodruff. There are also six Republicans seeking their party's nomination. They include Superior Court Judge Cheryl Allen, Commonwealth Court Judge Anne Covey, Adams County Judge Mike George, Superior Court Judge Judy Olsen, Supreme Court Justice Correale Stevens and Mountour County District Attor-

ney Rebecca Warren.

Many NorCo job vacancies remain

By BERNIE O'HARE Special to the Bethlehem Press

Northampton County Executive John Brown has

stated that he considers the county employee to be its most valuable asset. But a recent report to Northampton County Council reveals that there are 268 vacant positions throughout the county, which accounts for 12.4 percent of the entire 2,162-person workforce.

This report was generated at the request of Hayden Phillips, who ran on a theme of limited government. He has previously

stated that if a position goes unfilled for a period of time, it should just be eliminated.

The practice of keeping vacant slots unfilled gives municipal officials like Brown more money for projects that were never budgeted.

Where are the vacan-

Most of them, 133.15 to be exact, are in Human Services. They include caseworkers for Children and Youth, Area Agency on Aging, Mental Health and at Gracedale. In Northampton County, more than

18,000 people receive human services of one kind or another. These include neglected and abused chil-

Yet the report reveals

there are 16 vacancies in Children and Youth, which does include caseworker positions. At the same time, there's a full complement in the Department of Community and Economic Development.

Last year, Corrections Officer Tom Davis insisted at several meetings that corrections officer vacancies are going unfilled. Corrections is still down 29.5

positions, and that includes 22 corrections officer jobs.

Despite several complaints from the court, there are still eight vacancies in the Civil Division. There are four unfilled jobs in the Criminal Division and four open jobs in the Recorder of Deeds.

Custodial and maintenance staffs have been decimated. Janitors are down 9.8 jobs, including four full-time cleaners in maintenance, seven jobs remain unfilled.

SAUCON

Continued from page A12 this contract but it takes two people this contract but it takes two people to dance,' right now, we're by ourselves."

If the May 7 talks produce no fruit, the board will ask for nonbinding arbitration. The union, Simononis advised, researching the best available options.

"Everything is on the table," Simononis declared. "And Simononis said. "Negotiate, strike, nonbinding arbitra-

the board refusing to attend the talks does not point to a would then be tasked with group that wants to come

"From my point of view, it

team from the table," he Teacher Tom Koch said ald said the board is commit-conference, discussion and ted to listening to the concerns

> of the teachers union. "The board is hopeful that Fowler said.

together to reach a solution. the union will be willing to join in moving toward this looks like you're pulling your process," Fitzgerald added.

"Put your faces across the table from ours and bring Board Solicitor Mark Fitzger- about a fair contract through compromise," high school science teacher Cameron

LEHIGH COUNTY

Board appointments made

By MARK RECCEK mreccek@tnonline.com

> he Lehigh County Board of Commissioners have appointed two new individuals to boards.

> At the April 22 meeting, the board appointed Lower

Macungie resident Deana Zosky to the Lehigh County Authority and John Crampsie, of North Whitehall Town-

ship, to the Lehigh-Northampton Airport Authority. In the first round of voting for Zosky, only Commissioner David Jones Jr. cast a vote of support.

Commissioners Geoff Brace, Thomas Creighton and Amanda Holt cast their votes for Lower Macungie resident Jeremy Melber.

Commissioner Brad Osborne voted for Jeffrey Morgan, of South Whitehall Township, while Commissioners Percy Dougherty and Michael Schware supported Robert Hamill, of Lower Macungie.

As the voting process progressed, Dougherty said he was changing his vote to Zosky. He urged the other commissioners to follow suit.

During the second round of voting, Jones, Dougherty, Schware and Osborne voted for Zosky. Holt and Brace cast votes for Morgan and Creighton voted for Weber.

During the third round of voting, Zosky received four votes. Holt and Creighton voted for Melber, while Brace voted for Morgan.

Zosky again received four votes during the fourth round. Holt switched back to Melber. Creighton remained with

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Bethlehem Catholic

Outstanding use of costumes; Madelyn Dundon, out-

standing performance by an

actress in a supporting role;

Gianna Stettner, outstanding

phy; Grant Kawecki, outstand-

ing featured performance by an

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actor; Rebecca Nixon, out-

standing performance by an

by a smaller school.

actress in a leading role; and

outstanding overall production

Brigadoon

Ev Dundon

Bethlehem Catholic HS

Grade: 12

Family members: Kristen Dundon, Patrick Dundon, Madelyn Dundon (sister)

Favorite subject: History: It's interesting to see patterns from the past and I have fun searching for resources and learning about its origins.

Activities: Theater, Key Club, Mini-THON committee

Next steps: I want to major in communications at Saint Mary's College.

Career goals: Advertise and/or market for a book publishing company or film studio

Heroes: My sister – she's outgoing, smart and very supportive.

Hobbies: Reading, singing, acting, writing

Volunteer/community work: Judith's Reading Room, Cops 'n' Kids

Likes: Old movies, classic books, libraries, 80s alternative music, national



parks

Dislikes: Not being busy, math, TV, country music

Greatest accomplishment (so far): Attending the National History Day states competition in Carlisle

Advice for peers: Stay active, have fun, and never lose sight of your goals!

Julia Swan coordinates student profiles for the Bethlehem Press.

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

COLLEGENOTES

Northampton Community College Welsh named commencement speaker

Marcia Welsh, Ph.D., president of East Stroudsburg University, will be the speaker at Northampton Community College's spring commencement at 6:30 p.m. May 21 at the Arthur L. Spartan Center, Main Campus, 3835 Green Pond Road.

She is on the NCC Monroe Campus advisory board; and is active with the Northeastern Pennsylvania Association of Colleges and Universities and the Buck Hill-Skytop Musical Festival Board. She is a member of the Marine Science Consortium board of directors, the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, and the Greater Pocono Chamber of Commerce.

She earned an undergraduate degree in physical sciences and a master's degree in anatomy from Colorado State University; and a doctoral degree in anatomy from the University of Texas-Health Science Center, San Antonio, Texas.

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

Dean selected for leadership program

Carol Traupman-Carr, dean of Moravian's curriculum and academic programs, was selected by the Council of Independent Colleges to participate in a yearlong senior leadership academy. The program is designed to prepare prospective leaders to assume positions as the chief officers in any division in independent higher education.

She will participate in two seminars, one in Baltimore, Md. and one in Washington, D.C.; undertake a mentoring program; work with experts; participate in webinars; and engage in a series of readings and case studies during the 2015-16 academic year.

A Lehigh Valley native, the Moravian College summa cum laude graduate earned two bachelor's degrees, one in social studies and one in music; and a master's and a doctorate in musicology from Cornell University. At Moravian, she was a music faculty member, received tenure and was department chair of the music department. She was, for the past 14 years, a dean in the Academic Affairs Office.

She is a volunteer at St. Ann School, Emmaus, and was a parent teacher organization president, chair of the school's annual walkathon, and is a member of their governing board. She was, for 23 years, the choir director of St. Ann R.C. Church, Emmaus. The staff arranger for the Mainstreet Brass Quintet has published numerous arrangements for brass ensemble. Her new choral arrangement was published by CanticaNova.

Tieperman named Fulbright Scholar

Robin Tieperman, Moravian College Class of 2015, an education and Spanish major, has been selected for an English teaching assistantship as a Fulbright Scholarship in Mexico.

She has recently completed a student teaching assignment at Liberty High School, where she taught Spanish III and IV to students in grades nine through 12. She had been previously at East Hills Middle School where she taught Spanish 1 and exploratory Spanish.

Moravian College is located at 1200 Main St. For more information, call 610-861-1300 or visit www.moravian.edu.

PEOPLENEWS

Millersville undergraduate awards

Several area residents were recognized at the 57th annual Undergraduate Honors and Awards Convocation on April 25 at Millersville University.

The honorees and their awards are Ann Kovacs: the Class of 1866 award, the Edna H. Myers Mathematics Scholarship, the Faculty-Student Athletic Committee Award, the Laura B. Doering Library Service Award, the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Scholar-Athlete Award, and the The Reverend Lewis Merwin Hobbs Medallion / Dr. Dominick '53 and Mrs. Helen DiNunzio Award; Connor Casey: the Eugene Groff-Arthur Hulme Football Scholarship.; and Rachel Strzelecki: the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Scholar-Athlete Award.

The Undergraduate Honors and Awards Convocation is a formal recognition of Millersville University students who have excelled in academic, athletic and student organization endeavors during their studies.

Named to Alvernia honor society

Alexandria Crouthamel of Bethlehem was named a member of the Beta Kappa Chi Honor Society. She is studying forensic science at Alvernia University.

The natural sciences and mathematics society encourages the advancement of scientific education through See **PEOPLE** on Page A16



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Fiona MacLaren (Rebecca Nixon) performs "Waiting for My Dearie" as the ensemble of girls listen to her explain her wait to find the right person to marry.

FREDDY nominations

The 2015 Freddy Award nominations were announced by Ed Hanna and Shelly Brown, of WFMZ -TV and The State Theater, on May 7. The ceremony will be televised live at 7 p.m. May 21 on WFMZ channel 69 from the site, the Easton theater.

Freedom HS Hairspray

Outstanding use of scenery; outstanding use of costumes; outstanding use of lighting; outstanding chorus; Kelly Donah, Lizzie Trostle, Olivia D'Aprile, Brady Hill, Nikki Slavic and Victoria Scovens, outstanding small ensemble performance; Lizzie Trostle, outstanding performance by an actress in a supporting role; Brady Hill, outstanding performance by an actor in a supporting role; outstanding choreography; Ben Adams, outstanding featured performance by an actres; Victoria Scovens, outstanding featured performance by an actress; outstanding production number; outstanding stage crew; Kelly Donah, outstanding performance by an actress in a leading role; and outstanding overall production of a musical.



Tracy Turnblad (Kelly Donah) sings the musical's opening song, "Good Morning Baltimore," from her bed.

Liberty HS

Outstanding perform-

ance by an orchestra;

outstanding use of

Rivera, outstanding

performance by an

actress in a leading role; Brielle Rivera,

Vic Kuma award for outstanding vocal

performance.

lighting; Brielle

Aida

Aida (Brielle Rivera), princess of the enslaved Ethiopians living in Egypt with their conquerors, leads her captive people in a singing dance routine during a dress rehearsal for the Liberty HS musical "Aida."

Moravian Academy Hello, Dolly

Alec Cohan, Noah Ruebeck, Madeline Weston and Kylee Jacoby, outstanding small ensemble performance; Noah Ruebeck, outstanding featured performance by an actor; and outstanding overall production by a smaller school.



"I have always been a woman who arranges things," says Mrs. Dolly Levi (Megan Keller) to Nathanael McDowell (Ambrose Kemper).

Notre Dame

A Tale of Two Cities

ing performance by an actress

Mitchell, outstanding perform-

ance by an actor in a support-

Dischinat, Vic Kuma award for outstanding vocal performance; Patrick Davis, outstand-

ing performance by an actor in

a leading role; and outstanding

overall production by a smaller

school.

in a supporting role; Josh

ing role; Patrick Davis, Vic Kuma award for outstanding vocal performance; Nicole

Kathleen Capella, outstand-



Madame Therese DeFarge (Kathleen Capella) performs the solo, "The Way It Ought to Be."

Saucon Valley

Pippin

Outstanding performance by an orchestra; Hannah Gaither, outstanding performance by a female ensemble member; Rachel Altemose, outstanding performance by a featured dancer; outstanding choreography; and outstanding overall production by a smaller school.



Saucon Valley HS "Pippin" cast; reclined: King Charles (Ian Zuber), seated: Prince Pippen I (Dominic Behe) Prince Pippen II (Davis Weaver) with crown holder: Diana Nicholas (main lead/storyteller); dancers left to right: Jenna Skillenge, Jillian Sinko, Lauren Skillenge and Rachel Altemose: and center outsides: Lewis/son (Brendan Weaver) and Fastrada/mother (Meghan Altimo).

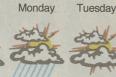
YOUR LOCAL WEATHER

Friday

Wednesday Thursday Forecast



Saturday



Partly Cloudy Sunny 67 / 44 68 / 45 72/52

Few Few Mostly Showers Cloudy Cloudy Showers 68 / 49 73 / 55 74/51 66 / 48

Sunday

LEHIGH

Day

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 67°, humidity of 51%. The record high temperature for today is 92° set in 1949. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 44°. The record low for tonight is 36° set in 1920. Thursday, skies will be sunny with a high temperature of 68°, humidity of 39%. Skies will be partly cloudy Thursday night with an overnight low of

45°. Expect mostly sunny skies Friday with a high temperature of 72°. Skies will become mostly cloudy Saturday with a 30% chance of showers, high temperature of 73° Sunday, skies will be partly cloudy with a high temperature of 74°

Weather Trivia

Which U.S. city has the most cloudy days?

Answer: Cold Bay, Alaska, averages 305 cloudy days per year.



LEHIGH

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Zosky lauded the voting process

"I appreciate democracy and the way that it works,

she said She added she is well qualified to serve on the

"I believe my financial experience, my mom experience and my interest in the community would be very useful," Zosky said. Zosky's term runs until Dec. 31, 2018.

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ages the advancement of scientific education through original investigations, dissemination of scientific knowledge, and stimulation of high scholarship in the pure and applied sciences.

Penn State undergraduate awards

Several Bethlehem residents were honored at Penn State Lehigh Valley's 29th annual awards convocation on April 29

Outstanding achievers and their awards were Lisa Cifres, 2015 President's Freshman Award; and Maria Mikroudis, Alexandria Downing Outstanding Student in Sociology Award.

The highest cumulative average of 3.5 or higher in

Information Sciences and Technology; Lisa Cifres, Liberal Arts; and Maria Mikroudis, Penn State Lehigh Valley Pro-

each college awards were won by Alexander McConnell.

For images, visit www.flickr.com/photos/psulehighvalley/sets/72157652267747402/.

Kutztown honor society

Kutztown University has inducted Bethlehem residents Katherine Dagenbach and Sarah Olmstead into the Phi Alpha National Honor Society for Social Work. The society fosters high standards of education for social workers and invites into membership those who have attained excellence in scholarship and achievement in social work.

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'Les Misérables' setting records

Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival dreams the dream in launching its 24th season at DeSales University



By PAUL WILLISTEIN Press Focus Editor

When "Les Misérables" was announced as the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival (PSF) 24th season-opener, the Lehigh Valley theater community was all abuzz.

Tickets are selling at nearly triple the rate of any previous production and more than half of the 10,400 tickets have been sold, according to PSF officials.

"Les Misérables," also known as "Les Miz," culminates years of effort by Patrick Mulcahy, now in his 12th year as PSF Producing Artistic Director, to stage the iconic musical.

"Les Miz' is very excit- speare Festival. ing, partly because I've been working on getting the rights to it for half of those 12 years. I think it's been actually seven or eight years," Mulcahy says.

"The rights were locked up for either on being on Broadway or national tours. The window would open or

"And to have it while it's still running on Broadway is pretty amazing. It's very unusual for us to get the rights to a show that's on Broadway," Mulcahy says. "Les Misérables" runs

for 22 performances, with previews June 10 and 11, opening night June 12, and continuing through June 28, on the Main Stage of Labuda Center for the Arts on the idyllic Center Valley campus of DeSales University in Upper Saucon Town-

The first day, Feb,. 12, that single tickets became available for PSF's summer seaincrease of 85 percent more than the previous record set, according to PSF offi-

In one day, 809 tickets were sold for about \$38,000, predominantly for "Les Miz." Normal one-day sales in February range between \$4,000 and \$6,000. The previous single largest sale day in the box office was on June 13, 2011, when the total sales were \$18,400, with about twothirds for "South Pacific."

Although PSF held its subscription renewal campaign without informing patrons of the opening-season musical, renewals were up more than 60 percent les compared to the same time last year.

As part of the licensing agreement for "Les Miz," the title couldn't be announced until after Jan. 1. The season's other six titles were announced last fall.

2015 season includes Shakespeare's "Henry V," July 16 - Aug. 2, Main Stage, and "Pericles," July 22 - Aug. 2, Schubert Theatre; the American comedy by Larry Shue, "The Foreigner," July 8 - Aug. 2, Main Stage, and Mark In 80 Days," June 17 - July 12, Schubert Theatre. The chil- Lapos and Paul Wirth. dren's productions are a new adaptation of "Rapunzel" (written and directed 2015 season was made at a by Erin Sheffield), May 29 -Aug. 1, Schubert Theatre, and "Shakespeare For Kids" (written by Erin Sheffield and directed by Matt Pfeiffer), July 22 - Aug. 1, Main unfurled from the balcony

'I love the different kinds of popularity that each of these plays has," says Mulcahy. "'Les Miz' will set a record. It will be the most

the Lehigh Valley.' There are also one-night events, including: "Luminosity," the PSF Gala, 6 p.m.



PRESS PHOTO BY PAUL WILLISTEIN

"Les Misérables" banner unfurled and flags waved when it was announced that the popular hit musical is opening the 24th season of the Pennsylvania Shake-



PRESS PHOTO BY PAUL WILLISTEIN

Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival officials at "Les Misérables" 2015 season-opener announcement, from left: PSF Associate Artistic Director Dennis Razze, PSF Producing Artistic Director Patrick Mulcahy and PSF Photographer Lee A. Butz.

May 30; "The Rape Of seats available for 22 per-Lucrese," 7:30 p.m. June 22, Schubert Theatre, in which Dan Hodge, PSF actor and co-founder of the Philadelphia Artists' Collective, interprets Shakespeare's epic poem, and "Choose Love: Jeremiah James In Concert," 7:30 p.m. July 27, Main Stage.

PSF presents seven productions and 140-plus performances in nine weeks. May 29 - Aug. 2. PSF brings 160 visiting artists and artisans from 20-plus states to the Lehigh Valley, including 35 Equity actors from Broadway, New York, Philadelphia and Los Ange-

PSF draws from a fivecounty region, with 75 percent of its audience from Lehigh, Northampton, Bucks and Berks counties and also from 30 counties in Pennsylvania and 30 states in the United States.

Alvin H. Butz is "Les Misérables" production sponsor. Production co-sponsors are Air Products and Orlando Diefenderfer Electrical Contractors.

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The announcement that special event for PSF subscribers and supporters Jan. Restaurant, Allentown. The "Les Miz" banner was

and flags were waved. rights to produce "Les Miz," increasing the number of demands exceptional singerperformances was explored. 'The best we could do was to attended musical ever in add two Wednesday matinees to our traditional schedule," says PSF Managing Director Casey Gallagher. "We have a total of 10,400 role he performed on Broad-

formances and we expect to sell them all.

"Les Misérables' ticket sales are a driving force, but ticket sales for all the productions are significantly ahead of last year, which came close to matching the attendance record of 33,940 set in 2011," Gallagher says.

"Les Misérables" is directed by PSF Associate Artistic Director Dennis Razze, who has directed all of PSF's musicals, including 'Fiddler On The Roof, "Oklahoma!" and "Sweeney

Says Razze, "Victor Hugo's epic tale of suffering and redemption is one of the greatest classics of literature and this musical brilliantly adapts this story to the stage. PSF has the talent, the energy, and the passion to make 'Les Miz' an unforgettable theatrical experi-

'PSF has wanted to produce Les Misérables for many years," Razze continues, "and I have certainly dreamed that I would have the opportunity to direct it. I am thrilled that day has come and that we will be the first professional theater in our area to produce this monumental achievement in musical theater."

The all-new PSF produc-"Les Miz" would open the tion of "Les Miz" features a cast of 37 that collectively represent the most Broadway credits, most record-15 at The Cosmopolitan ingartists, and most national tours of any cast ever on stage in PSF's 24-season his-

tory.
"The sweeping range of Once PSF received the the operatic music and the epic story of 'Les Miz' actors, and this cast has experience on some of the world's best stages," says Razze.

Leading the cast is Mike Eldred as Jean Valjean, a

way, where he also starred in the original cast of the Tonynominated "Civil War." In addition to his three solo CDs, Eldred is an internationally-renowned tenor who has performed in concert with many of North America's finest symphony orchestras, including Baltimore, Chicago, Detroit, Edmonton, San Diego, Seattle and Toronto.

Valjean is mercilessly pursued by the police officer Inspector Javert, performed by Jeremiah James. James played Billy Bigelow in "Carousel" in London's West End, El Gallo in "The Fanta-sticks!" in New York City and Curly in the Broadway-London first National Tour the Trevor Nunn-meron Mackintosh Cameron revival of "Oklahoma!" James, a solo recording artist, is a member of the

singing supergroup Teatro. Kate Fahrner portrays the impoverished factory worker Fantine, who sings the show's most famous song "I Dreamed a Dream." Fahrner's credits include the National Tour of "Wicked" as Glinda, a role she played in Chicago and on Broadway. She also performed as Nellie Forbush in Lincoln Center's Nation-

al Tour of "South Pacific." Rachel Potter, a Nashville recording artist who played the character of Wednesday in Broadway's "The Addams Family," in addition to other Broadway and national tour credits, plays Eponine, who sings "On My Own." Potter was a Top 12 finalist on Fox TV's "The X Factor" in Season Three and just released her second album.

Performing the role of Cosette, Valjean's adopted daughter, is Delaney Westfall, who recently finished Side Show" on Broadway (multiple roles). She has also played principle roles in several full-length HBO movies.

Brad Greer plays the student revolutionary Marius. Greer's credits include the Riverside Theatre-National Tour of "Altar Boyz" and the Walnut Street Theater, Philadelphia, production of Grease.'

Tim Gulan, reprising the role he played in the 25th Anniversary National Tour of "Les Miz, plays Thénardier, a thief and gang leader. On Broadway, Gulan performed in the world premiere of Sting's "The Last Ship," as well as "The Lion King," "The Frogs" and "Blood Brothers."

Jon Berry, a co-star in hit TV shows "Nashville" and "Drop Dead Diva," plays the student leader Enjolras. His regional theater credits include the title roles in "The Who's Tommy" and

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8 DAYS A WEEK

Your look ahead at Valley Arts



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Drawing room: Enchantment Theatre Company presents "The Adventures of Harold and the Purple Crayon," 2 p.m. May 16, in the "Family Series" at Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown. The approximate 60-minute show, above, is recommended for children 5 and older. "Harold and the Purple Crayon," the first of seven picture books by Crockett Johnson, follows the adventures of an inventive young boy. Harold creates the world he wants to explore, using nothing more than a big purple crayon and his sky'sthe-limit imagination. Enchantment's production combines life-size puppets, masks and music. Tickets: Miller Symphony Hall Box Office, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown; allentownsymphony.org; 610-432-6715



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PSO soloist: Pennsylvania Sinfonia Orchestra, directed by Music Conductor Allan Birney, presents "Piano Grandeur," 7:30 p.m. May 16, Christ Lutheran Church, 1245 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. Critically-acclaimed soloist Michael Gurt, above, joins the Sinfonia in a performance of Frederic Chopin's Concerto No. 2 in F minor for piano and orchestra. The program includes Symphony 104 in D, "London," by Franz Joseph Haydn and Divertimento for Strings by Bela Bartok. Gurt is Paula Garvey Manship Distinguished Professor of Piano at Louisiana State University. He has performed as soloist with the Chicago Symphony, Philadelphia Orchestra, Baltimore Symphony, Capetown (South Africa) Symphony, and China National Symphony Orchestra. A reception follows the concert. Tickets: PASinfonia.org, 610-434-7811.



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10th Young Playwrights Fest: Touchstone Theatre presents the 10th year of its Young Playwrights' Festival, 7:30 p.m. May 16, Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. The preshow celebration begins at 6 p.m. in Butz Lobby. Young Playwrights' Lab is an eight-week arts and literacy residency developed by Touchstone and the Bethlehem Area School District. This year, more than 100 plays were submitted. Six scripts were chosen. The plays, directed by Touchstone's ensemble, are performed by Touchstone actors, community performers and students. This year's schools include Broughal Middle, Calypso Elementary, Central Elementary, Farmersville Elementary, Freemansburg Elementary, Harrison-Morton Middle School, Lincoln Leadership Academy, Lincoln Elementary and Nitschmann Middle School. There's a post-show reception in the Lehigh University Art Galleries. Tickets: touchstone.org, 610-867-

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plays for the Young Playwrights' Festival.

For this year's festival, 100 scripts written by children were submitted to be performed. Six were

"It was hard," says Mary Wright, Young Playwrights Lab' Coordinator. "Not only do we have to pick what showcases the schools and students, but what plays will work together for a festival."

Touchstone Theatre presents the 10th annual Young Playwrights' Festival, 7:30 p.m. May 16, Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh witty dialogue, strong The preshow celebration begins at 6 p.m. in the Butz Lobby. There's a post-Lehigh University Art Galleries.

Young Playwrights' Lab is an eight-week arts and literacy residency developed by Touchstone and the Bethlehem Area School District.

Wright stresses "how important it is for us to take kids' creative voic- include Broughal Middle, es seriously. We tend to not pay a whole lot of attention to what kids say, ersville Elementary, Freethe story of a medic's or their creative voices. And when we stop to do that, that's when our lives become rich."

The six play finalists Elementary were chosen based on Nitschmann their imaginative nature, School.



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10th annual Young Playwrights' Festival, 7:30 p.m. May 16, Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Photo is of students from a previous Young Playwrights Festival.

University, Bethlehem. character development, Touchstone's ensemble, and what "reached out are performed by Touchtors who would be workshow reception in the ing on them. Of the six selected, five were written by elementary school students and one by a middle school student.

from a different school, lightweight," Wright says, allowing for the communias a whole.

This year's schools moments." Calypso Elementary, Central Elementary, Farmmansburg Elementary, struggles in World War Harrison-Morton Middle School, Lincoln Leader- lifestyle he chose and facship Academy, Lincoln ing the horrors war. and

The plays, directed by and grabbed" the direc- stone actors, community performers and students.

Don't be fooled by the age of the playwrights. Because these are

written by young people, I think that people imag-Each student hails ine that these plays are "but I'll tell you, some of ty to be better represented these plays have some serious emotional

> Take "The Nurse," for example, written by Ryan Calhoun. His play tells II, being picked on for the

The Playwrights Fes-Middle tival is all the more special when one considers the 610-867-1689

of Touchstone Theater, this wouldn't be possible,' Wright says.

With school budget cutbacks, Touchstone has picked up more and more of the cost, approximately 50 percent.

Not only is the Festival "an opportunity to do cool theater," says Wright, "but to financially support the program and other such productions, physically and financial-

"To many loyal supporters of the program, the Young Playwrights' Festival is the most magical night of theater of the year," says Lou Cinquino, Festival Committee Chair. "And the Gala Reception that follows the performance makes it possible for Touchstone to maintain the Young Playwrights' Lab program, one of the Valley's signature schoolbased arts education programs.'

One of Wright's favorite moments of the Festival is "at the end when we bring up the playwrights to take their bows and then all the playwrights who were involved. It always ends in a standing ovation, and seeing the expressions of the kids makes it all worth

Tickets: touchstone.org,

Taking Young Play wrights seriously By LUKE MUENCH Special to The Press amount of work and effort that goes into it. "Without the support "Without the support"

I always knew what I wanted to be in life.

Ever since fourth grade, WARMEST I knew I wanted to work for **REGARDS**

I also always knew what newsgirl@comcast.net I didn't want to be.

I didn't want to be like.

my mother. I'm ashamed of myself

when I think of the times I told her, "I never want to be like you.'

Consciously, I don't think I ever tried to be the opposite of everything she was. I don't think it was on purpose that I shied away from liking the same things she liked. I just accepted the fact that we were different from the

clothes. Before a scheduled wedding or special event, she would carefully plan what she was going to wear. So would all my aunts and cousins. Then they would talk about it together.

When my mother would ask what I planned to wear, I would say, "I don't know. I'll just reach in my closet and pull out what strikes

In many ways, my mother was younger than I was with much more youthful activities. It was always like role reversal.

She loved to listen to rock 'n' roll. I played classical music. She went dancing a few nights a week. I stayed home and read.

When I graduated from high school, I continued reading classic books and listening to classical music. My mother continued going dancing a few nights a week to rock 'n' roll bands.

On occasion my classmates danced with my mother, praising her for her youthful stamina. I was too intimidated to dance because I knew I wasn't good at it.

The list of our differences went on and on.

My mother decorated in white. At a time when wallpaper and colored house painted white.

"I love the way it makes the house so restful," she would say, adding that white walls make it easy to decorate with any color.

When I got married and had my first apartment, I said we could paint the walls any color except white. White walls were boring, I thought.

So we painted every room a different color and did the same thing with our first home.

Let's fast forward a few decades to present day. I really am turning into my mother.

The thought hit me after I sent my daughter a photo of me on the way to our Thursday night dance wearing the great dolphin necklace she bought me for Christmas.

My daughter answered my email with a question: How many women your age go dancing several times a week? I thought then of my

mother and her love of dancing. I didn't dance myself how lucky I am.

By Pattie Mihalik



when I was younger but I sure do now. Just like my

Come into my house and look around. What you'll find are white walls. Every room in the house is white. In fact, my favorite decorating scheme is white on white with nautical blue for accent.

Just like my mother did years ago, I find myself saying, "White walls are so restful."

If you look in my clos-She always loved nice ets, you'll find they are packed with clothes. Now, I'm a clotheshorse, just like my mother was.

The first time my daughter Andrea called me a clotheshorse, I said, "No way! The only kind of clothes I buy are kayaking and exercise clothes," I insisted.

How then, did I get two walk-in closets jammed with all kinds of clothes? I blame it all on genes I got from my mother.

And, you know what? I'm proud of every gene and every trait I inherited from her.

Sometimes when I have to have a painful medical procedure done, I don't flinch. I think of my mother and her physical and mental toughness. Then I try to act just like her.

I wish I would have told her more often how much I admired her while she was still here.

I wish I would have said, 'I'm proud of how tough you can be when you have

When she had to support two young children on her own, she never complained. She worked in a factory during the day then came home and made a healthy supper before rushing off to her waitressing job at night.

Did I ever thank her for walls were the rage, she that? No, I complained to had every room in the her because I "was stuck at nome each night watch ing my younger brother."

Did I ever thank her for the diligent way she raised me, instilling in me a strong sense of right from wrong?

No way. Instead I complained that she was too

While I was doing all the complaining, do you know what my mother was doing?

She quietly loved me, sacrificing so much of her life raising her children. It wasn't until she married my stepfather years later that she got the life she deserved.

She didn't get the praise she deserved from me.

Decades later, I sit here hoping she's looking down from heaven knowing how much I love her and appreciate all she did for me.

Every now and then I catch a glimpse of my image in the mirror and am startled to see I'm starting to look like my mother.

But then I smile and tell

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"Jesus Christ Superstar," and Che in "Evita."

"All of those folks are new to us," Mulcahy says. "That's actually not uncommon for a musical

This is a play where the casting often hinges on in scope and scale, and is who can belt the high perhaps the most powerful notes, eight times a week and moving musical ever not the only considera- Mulcahy.

musicals. J. Bennett ahy notes. Durham, who conducts

choral ensembles, is music World In 80 Days," Brad director for the produc-

sweeping, timeless clas- Nym); "The Foreigner," sic that began its life at a Carl Wallnau (Froggy), Shakespeare theater and David Button (Ellard), and fits our mission beautifully. It is Shakespearean (Pericles), Susan Riley

There's an ensemble were held in New York cast of more than 25 and a City. PSF didn't hold Equi- Matt Pfeiffer, and "The full orchestra under the ty auditions for the other Foreigner," directed by baton of Nathan Diehl, plays. "We had a stable of Jim Helsinger, are premusic director and con- actors and those who sented in repertory on the ductor for PSF's last four directors wanted," Mulc- Main Stage, whereby the happens in "Les Mis-

DeSales University's three include: "Around The same stage.

DePlanche (Passapartout), Anita Vasan (Aouda For Mulcahy, "Les Miz' track); "Henry V," Zack is right at home on the Robidas (Henry V), Bill PSF stage. Zielinski (Pistol-Ely), "'Les Misérables' is a Jacob Dresch (Dauphin-"Pericles," Chris Mullen Stevens (Dionyza) and Gina Lamparella (Thaisa).

Other returning PSF and really nail it. That's created," according to favorites are Greg Wood, Anthony Lawton, Wayne "Les Miz" auditions Turney and Jane Ridley.

"Henry V," directed by same cast is in both plays, Equity actor favorites which alternate on the

"We've really got something for everyone," says Mulcahy. "Side-splitting comedies that have a heart to them. One of Shakespeare's great history plays, a penetrating look at leadership, justification for war and a look at nationalism. It's the original 'Band Of Brothers. And it ends with a delightful love scene.'

"That's something that's true about the season," Mulcahy says. "That's a thread, that of the heart opening up. It happens in 'The Foreigner.' It happens in 'Henry V.' It happens in 'Pericles.

And, we might add, it érables."

Tickets: pashakespeare. org, 610-282-WILL (9455)

Breast cancer diagnoses, treatments

Second of three parts The most common breast cancer symptom GEEZER is a lump. Other symptoms include swelling, skin irritation, nipple pain or retraction, and an unusual discharge.

Early diagnosis saves lives. The combination of a mammogram, a clinical breast exam and selfexams is recommended by healthcare experts to reduce breast-cancer deaths.

A mammogram is a breast X-ray. If mammography finds an abnormality, confirmation by biopsy is required. In a biopsy, a tissue sample is taken for analysis. About 10 percent of

gram. Only about 10 per-

cent of those women will

need a biopsy. Out of those

come back negative for cancer. Women 40 and older

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should have an annual mammogram and breast exam by a healthcare professional. As long as a woman is in good health and would be a candidate for treatment, she should continue to get mammograms and exams.

Research has shown that self-exams help find breast cancer. Self-examination teaches women how their breasts feel norwomen examined will mally and to notice need another mammochanges.

Ultrasound and MRI are other diagnostic tools. Ultrasound uses high-

to outline a part of the destroy cancer cells that body. Breast ultrasound remain in the breast, chest can focus upon something wall, or underarm area picked up by a mammo- after surgery.

imaging (MRI) use radio waves and strong magnets instead of X-rays. They can be used to examine cancers found by mammogram.

Most women with breast cancer have some type of surgery. Surgeries include lumpectomy to remove only the breast lump and surrounding tissue, a mastectomy that removes part or all of the lymph nodes and muscle tissue.

Medicines are also used

Magnetic resonance to treat breast cancer. Chemotherapy employs intravenous and oral drugs that can kill cancer cells in most parts of the body. The anti-estrogen drug tamoxifen has been used for many years to treat breast cancer.

Hormone therapy is a cancer treatment that removes hormones or blocks their action and stops cancer cells from growing. Hormones are breast or can be more substances made by extensive to include glands in the body and circulated in the bloodstream. Some hormones Radiation therapy is can cause certain cancers to grow.

another form of treatment. It uses high-ener-If tests show that the gy rays or particles that cancer cells have places destroy cancer cells. This where hormones can biopsies, 80 percent will frequency sound waves treatment may be used to attach (receptors), drugs,

Wedding

apy are used to reduce the cancer. production of hormones the ovaries from making estrogen is called ovarian ablation.

Hormone therapy with three parts tamoxifen is often given to patients with early stages of breast cancer and those with metastatic breast cancer (cancer that has spread to other parts of the body). Hormone therapy with tamoxifen or estrogens can act on cells all over the body and may increase the chance of

surgery, or radiation ther- developing endometrial

Women taking tamoxor block them from work- ifen should have a pelvic ing. The hormone estro- exam every year to look gen, which makes some for any signs of cancer. breast cancers grow, is Any vaginal bleeding, made mainly by the other than menstrual ovaries. Treatment to stop bleeding, should be reported to a doctor as soon as possible.

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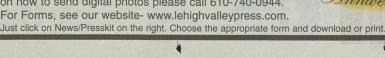
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It's a Marvel Universe, after all Parkland, Dieruff tie with 15,

"Avengers: The Age Of Ultron" succeeds on multiple levels, despite a title that sounds like an ad slogan for a new household REVIEW cleaning product.

"Avengers: Ultron" has its share of kitsch, in dianary a smile. James Spadlogue, characterization, er (Ultron) is chillingly editing and visuals. And vet the spoofing around isn't hit or myth. If anything, it enhances the Marvel Cinematic Universe (CMU) superheroes.

Director Josh Whedon, ory cells. who directed "The Avengers" (2012) and wrote the screenplay for both (based on comic book characters created by Stan Lee and Jack Kirby), puts an ungainly number of superheroes (Supposedly, Whedon wanted more, including Spider-Man and Captain Marvel, but studios' rights negotiations couldn't be resolved.) on the screen, yet manages to give each their time to strike in the conflict spotlight, while also giving what seems like equal time in dialogue and character development.

"Avengers: Ultron" has a Shakespearean tone in the appearances of the god-like superheroes, their interaction and their dialogue. Whedon manages to have it both ways: "Avengers: Ultron" is simultaneously an incredibly intense action-packed science fiction thriller and a rumination on the nature of power, loyalty and the "can-do" belief in overcoming.

The Shakespeare connection shouldn't be surprising. Whedon wrote and directed a version of the Bard's "Much Ado backyard.

The dialogue in "Avengers" Ultron" is English-American Literature major smart.

Tony Stark (Robert Downey, Jr) says, "It's been a really long day ... like, Eugene O'Neill long," a reference to O'Neill's "Long Day's Journey Into Night" play.

Ultron (voiced by James Spader) is asked, "What's the vibranium for?" Ultron, responds, "I'm glad you asked that because I wanted to take this time to explain my evil plan."

Ultron, initially a bodiless entity, sings the lyrics to "I've Got No Strings" from "Pinocchio" (1940).

More than this, "Avengers: Ultron" is a consummate cinematic achievement. It's simply one of the best, if not the best, comic book superheroes-to-the-big-screen movies ever. This is not only because of its gargantuan proportions. It is huge in every cinematic way imaginable. The main action set pieces (five, by my count), special effects, and computer-generated imagery are stupendous.

Simply put: The film works. Complicated as it is, it would bear a second "Avengers: viewing. Ultron" was seen in Imax 3D for this review. It's worth the premium for the fan boys and girls.

Let's not forget the allstar cast.

Robert Downey, Jr. (Iron Man-Tony Stark), as a fast-talker with speedbump pauses for hesitation intonation, is the epitome of snarky.

Chris Hemsworth (Thor) gets the trophy as the real superhero. The 6 ft., 2 in. guy has biceps the size of your thighs. Mark Ruffalo (The Hulk-Bruce Banner) has some nice moments as Banner, making us empathize with his monster alter-ego. Scarlett Johansson (Black Widow-Natasha Romanoff) sparks some emotions with Banner.

Chris Evans (Captain America-Steve Rogers) is clinch-jawed forthright. Jeremy Renner (Hawkeye-Clint Barton) is a, ahem, straight arrow, with

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normal.

Samuel L. Jackson (Nick Fury) has what is not much more than a cameo, but, as usual, he commandeers your mem-

Aaron Taylor-Johnson (Quicksilver-Pietro Maximoff) and Elizabeth Olsen (Scarlet Witch-Wanda Maximoff) create quite the sibling rivalry. Paul Bettany (The Vision-Jarvis) is his usual otherworldly self.

Admittedly, the hierarchy, storyline, psychology and motivation of the characters and the minutiae of the MCU is mindboggling.

You may need a degree from MCU. It's a "Marvel Cinematic Universe." We ous just watch.

Of Ultron," MPAA Rated PG-13 (Parents Strongly Cautioned. Some Material May Be Inappropriate For Children Under 13.) for intense sequences of sci-fi action, violence and destruction, and for some suggestive comments; Genre: Action, Adventure, Science-Fiction; Run Time: 2 hrs., 21 min.; Distributed by Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures.

Readers Anonymous: Marvel Lehigh Valley Press web Comics "Iron Man," etc. site, thelehighvalleycreator Stan Lee has a press.com; the Timescameo early on in News "Avengers: The Age Of About Nothing" (2012) in black and white in his veteran. Location shooting Art Salon "6 - 6:30 p.m. veteran. Location shooting included England, Italy, South Africa, and Korea. There's a mid-end credits teaser scene with Thanos (Josh Brolin).

Box Office, May 8: "Avengers: Age Of Ultron" kept the MCU (Marvel Cinematic Universe) intact, staying at No. 1 two weeks straight with \$77.2 million, \$312.5 million, two weeks, keeping

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3. "The Age Of Adaline," \$5.6 million, \$31.5 million, three weeks; 4. "Furious 7," \$5.2 million, \$338.4 million, six weeks; 5. "Paul Blart: Mall Cop 2," \$5.1 million, \$58 million, four weeks; 6. "Ex Machina," \$3.4 million, \$15.7 million, five weeks; 7 "Home," \$3 million, \$162.1 million, seven weeks; 8. 'Woman In Gold," \$1.6 million, \$26.9 million, six weeks; 9. "Cinderella," \$1.5 million, \$196.1 million, nine weeks; 10. "Unfriended," \$1.4 million, \$30.9 million, four

Unreel, May 15: "Mad Max; Fury Road," R: George Miller is back to direct. Tom Hardy, Charlize Theron, Nicholas Hoult and Zoe Kravitz star. The action is fast and furi-

t watch.

"Pitch Perfect 2," PG'Avengers: The Age 13: Anna Kendrick, Rebel Wilson, Hailee Steinfeld and Brittany Snow star in the musical comedy. The Barden Bellas are back. Elizabeth Banks directs.

"Good Kill," R: A drone operator faces a crisis of confidence. Ethan Hawke, January Jones, Zoe Kravitz and Bruce Greenwood star in the

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students from each of the 30 participating schools began May 7 at the State Theatre Center for the Arts for the 2015 Freddy Awards Ceremony, to be broadcast live, at 7 p.m. May 21 from the State Theatre on 69 WFMZ-TV and wfmz.com,

Tickets for the Awards 14 Ceremony on May 21st are made available to the participating schools first. Any remaining tickets will go on sale to the public at 10 a.m. May 18 statetheatre.org.

The public can get a "sneak peak" of the 2015 Freddy Awards TV pro-

Parkland High School duction in action on Dress received 15 nominations Rehearsal night, May 20. pins": 7 Information: dyawards.org

Freedom, 14, in Freddys noms

Nominations for the 2015 Freddy Awards were announced live at noon May 7 on 69 WFMZ-TV dur-Freedom High School, with ing the Noon News broad-

Following is the list of 5 2015 Freddys nominations for participating schools, ing Number of the live musicals presented and broadcast featuring four number of nominations received.

For nominations by category, see: thelehighval- 4

leypress,com Dieruff, Heights": 15

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spray": 13 Southern Lehigh, "The Drowsy Chaperone": 12 Whitehall, "How to Succeed in Business Without

Really Trying": 10 Bethlehem Catholic, "Brigadoon": 7

Emmaus, "Mary Pop-

Easton Area, "Sweet Charity": 6

Notre Dame, "A Tale of Two Cities ... The Musi-

William Allen, "The Music Man": 6 Saucon Valley, "Pippin":

Belvidere, "The Wed-

ding Singer": 4 Hackettstown, "Shrek: The Musical": 4

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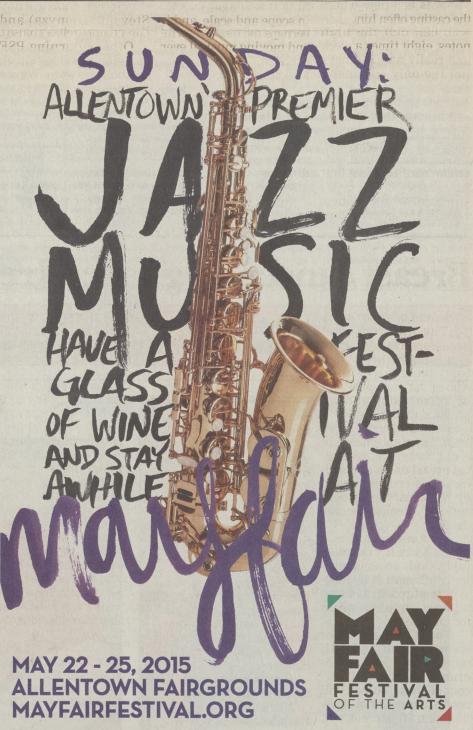
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Warren Hills Regional,

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New Tripoli, PA 18066
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Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
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ZION LEHIGH LUTHERAN CHURCH
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610-395-1215 8 & 10:30 a.m. Worship 9:15 a.m. Sunday School (Communion first Sunday/month) Handicapped Accessible Rev. Herbert H. Michel

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Thurs. Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m.

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610-756-6676

Church School 9 a.m.
Family Worship 10 a.m.
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135 Quarry Rd., Alburtis
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10:30 a.m. Worship
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GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
902 Lincoln Ave.
Northampton, PA 18067
The Rev. Heather N. Kurtz
610-262-7186 graceuccchurch.com
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10:30 a.m. Worship
Summer Worship 9:30 a.m.
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10:15 a.m. Worship
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10:30 a.m. Horizon Worship

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Breinigsville, PA 18031
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship, 8:30 a.m.
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PRESS PHOTOS BY LOU WHEELAND

Boy Scout Troop 57, Union Lutheran Church, Neffs, cooked up a fundraising spaghetti dinner April 18 at the church. A large number of families and friends turned out to enjoy an evening of good food and friendship. Todd Bachman of Neffs shows his tray loaded with delicious food.

Serving spaghetti



Dylan Kuntz (right) shows his "family ties" sauce, which includes meatballs, pepperoni, tomato sauce and SpaghettiOs to a hungry Dan Moffett.



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PUBLIC NOTICE REQUEST FOR BIDS BAND UNIFORMS - EAST HILLS MIDDLE SCHOOL TIRES & SERVICE

The Bethlehem ASD will receive sealed bids, no later than 12:00 PM prevailing time, June 3, 2015, at which time bids will be publicly opened. Detailed specs may be requested by email to - jcoy@basdschools.org. May 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE ZONING HEARING BOARD OF BETHLEHEM TOWNSHIP, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA MAY 27, 2015

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING APPELLANTS HAVE FILED AN APPEAL FOR A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE ZONING HEARING BOARD OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM, A HEARING TO BE HELD AT 6:30 PM ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2015 AT THE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 4225 EASTON AVENUE, BETHLEHEM, PA 18020. THE MEETING, AMONG OTHER ISSUES, CONCERNS THE FOLLOWING ZONING APPEALS:

Appeal # 03-2015 Shop-Rite of Hunterdon County, and Thomas J. Gough appearing on behalf of the corporate owner, request a variance from Section 275-164D of the Bethlehem Township Codified Zoning Ordinance, as amended, regarding real estate located on Freemansburg Avenue, Bethlehem Township, Pennsylvania as found in near proximity to the northwest corner of the intersection of Freemansburg Avenue and Route 33 (i.e. the site is located on the north side of Freemansburg Avenue across from the St. Luke's Hospital Anderson Campus) upon which site will be constructed a Shop-Rite Supermarket, an anchor tenant at Madison Farms. The Applicant seeks to install a total of 7 signs upon three walls of the supermarket in order to identify and promote specific goods and services available therein. A singular main entrance sign has already been approved at 200 square feet. The Zoning Code only permits two wall signs maintaining a total sign area not to exceed 200 square feet. Therefore a variance is sought to place as many as 7 additional signs maintaining a total area of 550.20 square feet. The Shop-Rite supermarket property is located within the Light Industrial (Phased) Zoning District with a Mixed-Use Overlay District (LI(P)/M-UOD). The property maintains Northampton County Tax Parcel Identification number N8 1 1-B 5 0205.

All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. Deborah Roseberry, Zoning Officer Telephone: (610) 814-6464 May 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS Lower Macungie Township is soliciting bids on behalf of Lehigh Valley Co-operative Purchasing Council Members for

PUBLIC NOTICE

on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. in the Municipal Bldg.,

2900 South Pike Avenue, Allentown, PA 18103.

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING SALISBURY TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PA
The Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council will be meeting

Bid 15-02RB Sanitary Sewer Root Control 2015-2017

Bids will be accepted until June 3, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. at which time they will be opened and publicly read. Any bids received after 3:00 PM prevailing time will be returned unopened. All proposals must be valid for a period of not less than sixty (60) days from the opening of the proposals. Bid surety in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid is required. Performance surety in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder. Forms may be obtained at the municipal building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA between the hours of 8a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (\$15 for hard copies or can be emailed at no charge - info@lowermac.com)

Participating Members of the Council reserve the right to make purchases on an as-needed basis. The Township of Lower Macungie and participating LVCP Council members reserve the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any and all informalities in the Bidding and furthermore award the contract in such a manner as may appear to be in the best interest of the Township or the members of LVCPC.

Renea Flexer, Secretary Lower Macungie Township

May 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL ACTION-LAW NO. 2014-C-2970 NOTICE OF ACTION IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

National Penn Bank, c/o KNBT, a Division of National Penn, Plaintiff vs. Mabel M. Moyer, Last Record Owner, Trudy A. Moyer, Known Heir of Mabel M. Moyer, James N. Moyer, Known Heir of Mabel M. Moyer, Keith A. Moyer, Known Heir of Mabel M. Moyer and Unknown Heirs, Successors, Assigns and All Persons, Firms or Associations Claiming Right, Title or Interest From or Under Mabel M. Moyer, Last Record Owner, Defendants TO: Mabel M. Moyer, Last Record Owner, and the Unknown Heirs, Successors, Assigns and All Persons, Firms or Associations Claiming Right, Title or Interest From or Under Mabel M. Moyer, Last Record Owner, Defendant(s), whose last known address is 804 North 9th Street, Allentown, PA 18102

AMENDED COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE You are hereby notified that Plaintiff, National Penn Bank, c/o KNBT, a Division of National Penn, has filed an Amended Mortgage Foreclosure Complaint endorsed with a Notice to Defend, against you in the Court of Common Pleas of Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, docketed to NO. 2014-C-2970, wherein Plaintiff seeks to foreclose on the mortgage secured on your property located, 804 North 9th Street, Allentown, PA 18102, whereupon your property would be sold by the Sheriff of Lehigh County.

YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN COURT. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the notice above, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this Complaint and Notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the Court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the Court without further notice for any money claimed in the Complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the Plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you. YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH THE INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE. LAWYERS REFERRAL SERVICE, Lehigh County Bar Assoc., 1114 Walnut St., Allentown, PA 18102, 610.433.7094. Udren Law Offices, P.C., Attys. for Plaintiff, Udren Law Offices, P.C., 111 Woodcrest Rd., Ste. 200, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003, 856.669.5400. May 13

CRYPTOGRAM

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RWK Y Y C C V E V J C V C C W E J. HJENDO ON I

See cryptogram answer on page B7

Today's Cryptoquip clue: C equals P

By Frank A. Longo

PREMIER Crossword

CHAIN LINKS

- **ACROSS** 1 Neaten (up)
- 7 Lab compounds 16 Terrific, slangily
- 21 Thinks up something 22 Witchy sorts
- 23 Furniture chain,
- literally 25 Prime draft
- classification
- 26 Many times, in verse
- 27 "What I tell you?" 28 Bygone rival of Delta
- 29 Using an Rx, say 31 Restaurant chain.
- literally 37 Synchronize
- 40 One in sales, briefly 41 Big letters in fashion
- 42 Strong coat fabric 43 TV pioneer Jack
- 44 "- For" (1995
- Nicole Kidman film)
- 46 Wildly 49 It carries a small
- charge 50 Dog chain, literally
- 56 Swivel about an axis 57 Tan shade
- 58 Baseball great Casey 61 Cry a river
- 64 "It's my turn to go" 66 Kipling's
- Rikki-tikki-"- pity" ("Alas")
- 69 Mountain chain, literally
- 76 Jewish month 77 Arouse
- 78 Skin opening 79 Beer belly, e.g.
- 80 It's not a pretty sight 84 Casts forth
- 87 Give a summons to 89 Food chain, literally
- 95 Native Coloradan 97 Pop's Stefani
- 98 Jeans giant
- 99 Nastase of tennis
- 100 -Croatian
- (language)
- 102 "BTW" part
- 105 Gigi's refusal 106 NFL lineman
- 108 Island chain, literally 113 Pedal pusher
- 114 Badger 115 "It's so cold!"
- 116 OS computer 119 Stephen King's rabid dog
- 120 Watch chain, literally 126 Time period
- 127 Asbestos, e.g.
- 128 Sean Penn film 129 "Woe -!

- 20 Talented talker 76
- 0 9 0 8 D 0 AS G 3 ON AM 9 9 49 8 A 3 95 | 96 100 0 N 108 199 110 A A (2 123 124 0 130
 - 130 Celebrities of daytime
 - dramas 131 Clear record holder

DOWN

- 1 Merely OK 2 U. lecturer
- 3 Finn's craft
- 4 Thespian Hagen
- 5 Police line 6 Otter relative
- 7 Tai -8 Bit of a laugh
- 9 Legal rider? 10 Damon and Dillon
- 11 Somewhat
- 12 Cubans, e.g.
- 13 Sweetened drink
- 14 "Bad" Brown
- 15 Camille Saint-
- 16 Lisa's role on "Friends"
- 17 Excessive display of distress 18 Way in the past
- 19 Org. with bag screeners
- 24 Curious 30 Large pike, for short
- 31 Copies a happy cat

34 Offer a view

32 Slangy ending for switch 33 Copy over, as a soundtrack

- "Kapow!" Deep desire 37 Android extra 38 T on a frat tee
- 39 Recess game 44 It's led by a Sec'y-General
- 45 Think piece 47 Postgrad degs. 48 Hitter Mel
- 51 Double- (tourney type) 52 Arizona tribe 53 "I got — in Kalamazoo"
- 54 Impose, as a tax 55 Opposed to
- 59 Jacob's wombmate 60 Café au 61 - Ball
- 62 Unctuous 63 Certain fruity spread 65 Sleeping garb
- 67 Wee demon 70 Rick's love in a classic film
- 71 Kong's kin 72 - roast 73 Hocus-

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- 74 Author Leon 75 Actor Rogen 81 Like many hockey shots
- 82 Unvarnished 83 Dir. from L.A. to K.C.

- 85 Rocker Reznor 86 Revel in 88 Writer Jong 90 Echidna food
- 91 Lollobrigida of Hollywood 92 Type 93 .001 inch
- 94 Split second? 95 Kind of port for a PC 96 Servers in saucers 101 Flagship U.K. TV network
- 104 In-box fillers 106 Like the Tatar language 107 To another continent 109 Hero shops

110 University of Maine's city

103 Ended a phone talk

- 111 Strain at (fuss pettily) 112 Hitting stat 116 Flat-topped hill "What -! 117 ("Such fun!")
- 118 Attended 119 Hit CBS drama 121 Secret govt. group 122 Flight deck guess,

briefly

- 123 University sisters' org. 124 Triage sites, for short 125 Ovid's 2,100
- See crossword answer on page B6

PUBLIC NOTICE THE BOROUGH OF CATASAUQUA ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

FUND EQUITY, JANUARY 1, 2014	\$ 12,350,323
REVENUES General Fund Special Revenue Funds Debt Service Fund Enterprise Funds Fiduciary Funds	4,388,198 133,140 214,231 2,612,247 520,857
Total Revenues EXPENDITURES General Fund Special Revenue Funds Debt Service Fund Enterprise Funds Fiduciary Funds Total Expenditures	7,868,673 3,753,333 122,341 214,231 2,825,955 289,480 7,205,340
FUND EQUITY, DECEMBER 31, 2014	\$ 13,013,656

THE BOROUGH OF CATASAUQUA ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

STATEMENT OF RESOURCES, LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

MIND I OI	D LGOIII
\$	8,421,333
	6,162,11
	3,685,40
\$	18,361,72
\$	1.
	5,002,93
	195,73
	149,38
	\$

Fund Equity \$ 18,361,726 ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE BOROUGH \$329,088,800 Taxable Exempt \$380,824,400

GENERAL OBLIGATION NOTES & BONDS GO Notes, Series of 2011 GO Notes. Series of 2012

9.221 83,641 GO Notes. Series of 2013 GO Bonds, Series of 2011 4,905,000 Total WATER REVENUE NOTES \$ 5,002,930 Pennvest 2002 note \$ 195,737

5,068

Copies of the complete audit report are available for examination at the Borough Office.

PUBLIC NOTICE ZONING HEARING BOARD AGENDA

Thursday, May 28, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in Borough

Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA, to hear the following appeals:

APPEAL 10473 - MARVIN & JANET MOYER,
1370 BEVERLY HILLS RD., COOPERSBURG,
PA 18036 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 225

NORTH ST., EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicants

are proposing to convert an existing day care in-

to a 4 unit apartment. Applicants are requesting

a Special Exception Use to Z.O. Section 601.2 to

reduce the required parking spaces from 8 to 4

parking spaces. Site is located in a R-HO zoning

APPEAL 10474 - MARVIN & JANET MOYER, 1370 BEVERLY HILLS RD., COOPERSBURG, PA 18036 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 225

NORTH ST. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicants

are proposing to convert an existing daycare into

a 4 unit apartment. Applicants are requesting an

interpretation of Z.O. Secton 806.B or in the al-

ternative a variance to Z.O. Section 901. They

are also requesting a variance to Z.O. Section 805. Site is located in a R-HO zoning district. APPEAL 10475 - EMMAUS FIRE CO. #1, 50 S.

6TH ST. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicants are

proposing to have outside horseshoe tourna-

ments once per week along with an Friday

Happy Hour. Applicants are requesting a Special

Exception Use to Z.O. Section 807.5 Site is lo-

cated in a R-HO zoning district.

APPEAL 10476 - DALE & KIM WASHBURN,
1258 PA. AVE., EMMAUS, PA 18049. Appli-

cants are proposing to construct a 45' x 55' ac-

cessory structure on their property. Applicants are requesting a 1,715 sq.ft. floor area variance

to Z.O. Section 403.4.J(3)(a). Site is located in a

R-1 zoning district.

APPEAL 10477 - CHRISTOPHER ROESCH,

302 N. 7TH ST., EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant

is proposing to place sections of a 4' high split

rail fence in a clear sight triangle on his property

Applicant is requesting variances to Z.O. Sec-

tions 403.4D(2) and 803.3.B&C. Site is located

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

James L. Farnsworth - Zoning Officer

in a R-M zoning district.

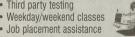
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ALBURTIS Heritage Heights Com munity Yard Sale (350+ town homes!) Saturday May 16th 8am-1pm Located off of Spring Creek Rd. & Heritage Dr. date Sunday May 17th

GERMANSVILLE Yard Sale/Moving Sale Sat., May 16, 8-3. 5267 Memorial Rd.

NORTHAMPTON Neighborhood Sale. 3074 Eisenhower Drive. May 16, 8-1. DR set. Musicfest posters, tools, clothes & HH stuff.

OLD ZIONSVILLE UCC MULTI-FAMILY Yard Sale, 5981 Fountain Rd. Sat. June 13, 8 a.m.-1 p.m Rain or Shine. Cost \$10 per space. Con-610-967-3044 to reserve a space. Games & Food Available.

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cense. We are based in Germansville & serve Lehigh & Berks. 484-239-8269

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but not limited to, greeting township residents, checking identification and directing residents on where to dispose of their vard waste. Applications available at the

Township Building 3400 Brookside Rd. Macungie, PA 18062 8 AM - 4:30 PM or www.lowermac.com

Machine Operators 2nd & 3rd shift. FT \$12-13/hr. Manufactur ing exp. req'd. Temp to perm. Bethlehem, near the airport. Call HTSS 610-432-4161 Today! ext. 14.

Machine Operators FT pos. avail. in Fo gelsville. 7pm-7am. \$14.58/hr. Call 610-432-4161 ext. 33

Maintenance Mechanic FT position in Fogelsville. Mon-Fri 7am-3:30pm, \$21,60/hr. also avail. 7pm to 7am. working every other wkd. Candidates must have mfg. mach maintenance exp. Call HTSS: 610-432-4161 ext. 33.

> MAINTENANCE **POSITIONS**

Lehigh County Authority has several exciting opportunities for skilled individuals with maintenance, and/or equipment operation experience knowledge. Electrical training or experience is a plus but not required. Individuals in this role will operate a variety of machines tools, equipment, and truck pertaining to the water and sewer main tenance and construction fields.

To learn more and apply go to: www.myhrpartnerinc. com. Click on job postings, then current openings and search maintenance.

Part Time Drivers nior transportation service. seeks drivers. All rides in Lehigh area only. Must have own car/clean driving record. hours. Hourly plus mileage rate. Call 610-419-1645.

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at the Municipal Build-& CHILD CARE ing, 6272 Route 309, New Tripoli PA, 18066 DAY CARE done in my and on the website home, nr Air Prod. FT, heidelberglehigh.org PT. 25 yrs. exp., any age. AM & PM kinder Twp.Administrator garten avail. E. Penn School Dist. Exc. refs Also, drop-in dr's

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and/or treatment facilities. candidates to possess wastewater treatment plant operation certificates and/or training, as well as college-level coursework related to the operation of water and wastewater facilities. Past experience in a Water/Wastewater treatment plant is a To learn more and ap-

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REQUEST FOR BIDS

FALL SPORTS SUPPLIES. PAPER SUPPLIES. HEATING SUPPLIES & PLUMBING SUPPLIES The Bethlehem ASD will receive sealed bids no later than 1:00 PM, prevailing time, May 21, 2015, at which time bids will be publicly opened. Detailed specs may be requested by email to -

jcoy@basdschools.org Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE Estate of Peter P. Garber, Sr. a/k/a Peter P. Garber, Deceased. Late of the City of Allentown, Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Peter P. Garber, Jr. Nancy Garber, Executors. c/o Alice Hart Hughes, Esq., 27 S. State St. Newtown, PA 18940. Or to their Atty.: Alice Hart Hughes, 27 S. State St., Newtown, PA 18940.

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of DEBORAH J. FRITZ, deceased,

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

Tammie Clark-Heller 634 Benner Road Apt. 103 Allentown, PA 18104

Executrix, or to her attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Charles A. Waters, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. May 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

MEETING NOTICE Macungie Borough Zoning Hearing Board will be holding a meeting on Wednesday, May 19, 2015 at 7:00 pm in Council Chambers at Borough Hall, 21 Locust Street, Macungie, PA for the purpose of holding interviews to appoint a Zoning Solicitor

Chris L. Boehm, Borough Manager May 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Building Code of Appeals Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct public hearings on Wednesday, May 27, 2015 at 3:30 p.m., in the South Whitehall Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania

Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Building during normal business hours. All interested parties are invited to attend

> Gerald J. Harbison, Manager Community Development Dept

May 13

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PUBLIC AUCTION CAPE COD HOME W. GARAGE

2 P.M. SAT. MAY 23, 2015 Location: 2739 PA Route 309, Orefield, PA Real Estate: Cozy 1250 sq. ft. frame w. alum. sided cape cod home & detached garage-workshop that is situated on a landscaped 60'x 200' lot. The interior home feares a mod. kitchen, dining area, spacious liv. rm., w. w/w carpet, 4 bedrms (2 up / wn), full bath & basement / laundry – storage utility area. EXTRAS include cent. ai

w floors, and Ige. rear yard that adjoins school district property. WELL MAINTAINED OME <u>Terms</u>: 10% down, bal. in 45 days. Other terms day of auction. <u>Inspec.</u>: Sun. lay 17, 2015 – 1 to 2 P.M. FULL AD/PICS at www.Houserauctioneers.com Doug/Tim Houser Aucts. AU-000446L Jason/Nathan Houser – Assoc. Aucts. 610-799-2396 or 570-386-2191

Sale by: Estate of Kathryn Praetorius & Late "Don Praetorius" Exec.: Lynn Pruneski V ant not along Atty: Charles Waters, Steckel & Stopp

759,400

54,608

66,105

(146.865)

4,690,648

COPLAY-WHITEHALL SEWER AUTHORITY WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2014

CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents 3,871,318 Account receivable Less allowance for doubtful accounts Accounts receivable, net Materials and supplies inventory

Total current assets RESTRICTED ASSETS Investments, escrow accounts Total restricted assets 40.298.247

Less accumulated depreciation Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation 24,181,365 28,938,118 Total assets LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION

Accounts payable 307,669 Current maturities of long-term debt Note payable, bank 306,472 Payroll taxes and deductions payable 1,094,866 Total current liabilities

CURRENT LIABILITIES PAYABLE FROM RESTRICTED ASSETS Total current liabilities payable from restricted assets **NONCURRENT LIABILITIES**

Compensated absences 17,988 9.016,892 Long-term debt Total noncurrent liabilities Total liabilities Investment in capital assets net of related debt

Unrestricted Total net position \$ 18,742,267 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

Year Ended December 31, 2014 **OPERATING REVENUES** Sewer rentals Other Total operating revenues **OPERATING EXPENSES** Operating expense - sewer 1,515,144 Depreciation expense Operating expense - administrative Total operating expenses

2,876,806 Operating income 532,423 NONOPERATING REVENUE Interest on investments 12,831 12,040 Tapping fees Total nonoperating revenue 24,871 SPECIAL ITEMS Sewer treatment arbitration settlement 448,257 Debt service payment to Lehigh County Authority

INCREASE IN NET POSITION 410,429 NET POSITION, January 1, 2014 NET POSITION, December 31, 2014 The complete copy of the Authority's financial statement, with all required disclosures, is available for review

at the Authority's office during normal business hours.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Upper Macungie Township Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on May 27th, 2015 at 6:30 P.M., at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breiningsville (one mile west of Route 100) to hear the following appeal:

#05 15 007 The Zoning Appeal of Charles H. Crawford, 10136 Weiss Road, Breiningsville, PA 18031; for a variance from § 27-403.4.L.(2).(a). To permit construction of an Accessory Structure greater than one-thousand (1,000) square feet on a lot less than two (2) acres in area. The property is located on Weiss Road near the intersection of Ziegels Church Road and is situated in the RU1.5 Zoning District.

Applicants must appear at the hearing. All interested parties may appear and be heard.

May 13, 20

Daren Martocci, Zoning Officer

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Whitehall Township Planning Commission has scheduled their meeting for May 20, 2015 at 7:30 PM in the Public Meeting Room of the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA to discuss the following:

SUBMISSION REVIEW INDEX #1869 -15 - CHICK-FIL-A 2610 MacARTHUR ROAD LAND DEVELOPMENT

> INDEX #1870-15 - ALL-MacARTHUR TOWNE CENTER 2540 MacARTHUR ROAD SPECIAL EXCEPTION

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Cash & investments

TOTAL ASSETS

C) OTHER: Approval of 3/18/15 Meeting Minutes.

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

The Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physi-

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

Applicants and all interested parties MUST appear at this meeting to be considered. May 13

PUBLIC NOTICE THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER MACUNGIE LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT NEWSPAPER REPORT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

16,704,580 \$ 34,710,089

\$ 1,863,261

LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	
Liabilities	\$ 4,253,729
Fund Equity	30,456,360
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ 34,710,089
REVENUES	
Taxes	\$ 7,673,783
Licenses & permits	844,289
Fines & forfeits	17,146
Interest & rents	554,636
Intergovernmental	2,077,483
Charges for services	6,317,885
Other	617,631
Other financing sources	772,934
Total Revenues	18,875,787
EXPENDITURES	
General government	1,641,374
Public safety	1,250,146
Sanitation	4,915,650
Highways, roads, streets	2,040,263
Culture and recreation	1,819,619
Debt service	541,379
Other	4,804,095
Total Expenditures	17,012,526

Revenues and Other Financing Sources

Over (Under) Expenditures and

Other Financing Uses

Above is a concise financial statement of the Township of Lower Macangle for the year ended December 31, 2014. The audit of the accounts is performed by Certified Public Accountants. The full report, including various schedules and notes, will be available at the Township's offices upon completion of the audit. May 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Bethlehem Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, will consider for adop tion at a Public Meeting to be held at 7:00 p.m. on the 1st day of June, 2015, at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, an Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 6-86 General Parking, Chapter 252, Vehicles and Traffic of the Township of Bethlehem Code of Ordinances, as Amended, by Amending Article IV, General Parking, by Providing Additional No Parking Locations on Public Streets within the Township of Bethlehem. Copies of the proposed Ordinance are available for review at the Bethlehem Township Municipal Building located at 4225 Easton Avenue, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania during nor-

The following is the proposed Amendment: ORDINANCE NO. ___-15

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 6-86 GENERAL PARKING, CHAPTER 252, VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM CODE OF ORDINANCES. AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING ARTICLE IV, GENERAL PARKING, BY PROVIDING ADDITIONAL NO PARKING LOCATIONS ON PUBLIC STREETS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM

WHEREAS, by its Ordinance No. 6-86, as amended, the Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners provided for general parking regulations including no parking locations on certain public streets of the Township of Bethlehem; and

WHEREAS, the Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners now desire to amend Ordinance 6-86, as amended, by providing for additional no parking locations on the public streets of the Township of Bethlehem. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Bethlehem, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as follows:

Ordinance 6-86, as amended, Chapter 252, Vehicles and Traffic, of the Township of Bethlehem Code of Ordinances, Article IV, General Parking, Section 252-24, Parking Prohibited at all times, is hereby amended by adding the following locations where parking shall be prohibited:

STREET	TYPE SIGN	BETWEEN
Fritch Drive	No Parking/Standing Anytime	Brodhead Road and Township Line with Lower Nazareth (both sides)
Tracy Lane	No Parking/Standing Anytime	Brodhead Road to the dead end (both sides)
Opus Way	No Parking/Standing Anytime	Brodhead Road to the dead end (both sides)
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SECTION 2: Severability. the provisions of this Ordinance are severable. and if a court of competent jurisdiction declares any provision of this Ordinance to be invalid or ineffective in whole or in part, the effect of such decision shall be limited to those provisions which are expressly stated in the decision to be invalid or ineffective, and all other provisions of this Ordinance shall continue to be separately and fully effective.

SECTION 3: Repealer Clause. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances or Resolutions conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective five (5) James L. Broughal, Solicitor Bethlehem Township 38 West Market Street

Bethlehem, PA 18018

May 13

CRYPTO SOLUTION

WHEN THAT GUY SPRINKLED BLACK SEASONING ON ACTOR GEORGE'S BODY, I WOULD SAY HE PEPPERED PEPPARD.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
Township Commissioners of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on the application received from Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza of Trexlertown, LLC ("Anthony's") to apply for a liquor license. The hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on May 21, 2015 at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building located at 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062. Anthony's is seeking an intermunicipal transfer of a Restaurant Liquor License from 2730 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, PA 18104 (South Whitehall Township) to a location at 750 Krocks Road, Allentown, PA 18106 (Lower Macungie Township). The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments and recommendations of interested individuals residing within the municipality concerning Anthony's intent to acquire a Restaurant Liquor License.

All persons are welcome to attend and be heard. If you are a person with a disability and wish to attend this hearing, and require an auxiliary aid, service or other accommodation to participate in the proceedings, please contact Renea Flexer, Lower Macungie Township Secretary, to discuss how Lower Macungie Township may best accommodate your needs.

Renea Flexer, Township Secretary

Lower Macungie Township

May 6. 13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held by the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners on May 21, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA, to hear the Conditional Use Application of Sharif Said & Manal Said, who are seeking approval of a Conditional Use for the Poblono Med-Mex Grill, pursuant to Section \$27-1003(J) and/or Section \$27-1003(P) of the Codified Ordinances, to permit a Fast-food restaurant and/or a Restaurant at the property located at 6900 Hamilton Boulevard, Trexler-town, PA; PIN 546581317549. Said property is located in the C-Commercial Zoning District. All interested parties are invited to attend this hearing. A public hearing is required pursuant to Section §27-2403 of the Codified Ordinances.

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

May 6, 13

Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners

PUBLIC NOTICE PS ORANGECO INC. LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PS ORANGECO, INC. WILL BE SELLING THE CONTENTS OF CERTAIN STORAGE SPACES IN LIEN AT THE BELOW-LISTED PUBLIC STORAGE FACILITIES TO SATISFY THE OWNER'S LIEN AT PUBLIC SALE BY COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Estate of DONNA

L. MILLHOUSE, de-

ceased, of the Town-ship of Hanover,

County of Lehigh, PA.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamen-

tary for the above Es-

tate were granted to Jill S. Salim, Executrix,

on April 15, 2015. All

persons indebted to

the Estate are required

payment, and those

having claim or de-

mand are to present

the same without delay

to Jill S. Salim, in care

of Gregory R. Reed,

Attorney-at-Law, 141 South Broad Street, P.O. Box 299, Naza-

reth, PA 18064-0299.

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of RICHARD K. THOMAS, de-

ceased, late of White-

hall, Lehigh County,

Pennsylvania. Letters

been granted to the

undersigned, who re-

having claims or de-

mands against the Es-

tate of the Decedent to

same, and all persons

indebted to the De-

fendant to make pay-

ments without delay to:

Colleen Thomas

2204 Fuller Street

Whitehall, PA 18052

Esquire

Or to her Attorney:

Richard D. Director,

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all persons

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May 6, 13, 20

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of PAUL D. STAHL, deceased, late of the Borough of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Paul D. Stahl

c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or to his attorney:

Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq. 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE Estate of Herman O. Albitz, Deceased. Late of Lower Macungie Twp., Lehigh County, PA. Letters of Administration on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Loretta M. Rice, Administratrix, c/o Charles A. Rick, Esq., 933 N. Charlotte St., Ste. 1A, Pottstown, PA 19464. Or to her Atty.: Charles A. Rick, Rick Linn, LLC, 933 N. Charlotte St., Ste. 1A, Pottstown, PA 19464. Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF CARL ALOYSIUS BOLEZ a/k/a CARL A. BOLEZ, deceased, late of the Township of Salisbury, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Mark Stephen Bolez and

Kevin Carl Bolez, Co-Executors c/o Richard J. Haber, Esquire 150 West Macada Road Bethlehem, PA 18017 Or their Attorney: Richard J. Haber, Esquire 150 West Macada Road Bethlehem, PA 18017

Apr. 29, May 6, 13 PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in the of LAVERNE R. BINDER a/k/a LAV-ERNE BINDER, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, the Register of has granted Letters of Administration C.T.A. to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Trinity Memorial Lutheran Church 535 W. Emaus Avenue Allentown, PA 18103

Or to counsel: Curtis C. Creveling, Esq.
CREVELING, CREVELING & CAPPELLINI
123 North Fifth Street Allentown, PA 18102 610-435-8711

May 6, 13, 20 PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, in the estate of the decedent set forth below, the Register of Wills has granted letters testamentary to the person(s) named. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment without delay, to the executors or administrators or their attorney named below

ONCHECK, MARGARET M., dec'd. Late of the Township of Lehigh, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Executor: Rose Marie Fritzinger, c/o Karl F. Longenbach, Esquire, 425 West Broad St., P.O. Box 1920, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, 18016

Attorney: RKarPIF. Longenbach, Esquire, 425 West Broad St., P.O. Box 1920, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, 18016-1920 (610) 867 8150. Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE Estate of JOYCE A. EISENHARD, deceased, late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent

to make payments without delay to:
Sandra A. Sanders, Co-Executor Larry L. Eisenhard, Co-Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to their Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 19 E. Main Street

Macungie, PA 18062

Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of JOAN L. FISTER, AKA JOAN FISTER, AKA JOANNE L. FISTER, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

Aaron M. Snyder 6411 Haasadahl Road Allentown, PA 18106

or to his attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Keith W. Strohl, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of JOYCE M. WAGNER, Deceased, late of Allentown, County of Lehigh, Commonealth of Pennsylvania.

Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Jace J. Wagner, Executor, c/o 702 Hamilton Street, Suite 300, Allentown, PA 18101; or Stacy Wagner, Executrix, c/o 702 Hamilton Street, Suite 300, Allentown, PA 18101; or Andrew V. Schantz, Esquire, Davison & McCarthy, P.C., 702 Hamilton Street, Suite 300, Allentown, PA 18101. May 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of ROSE ANN TAPLER, a/k/a ROSE A. TAPLER, deceased, late of Lower Milford Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known all the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

c/o John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 or to her attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street

Lily June Tapler, Executrix

Emmaus, PA 18049

May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in the Estate of RICHARD P. SAYLOR, JR. a/k/a RICK SAYLOR late of the Borough of Coplay, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, the Register of Wills has granted Letters of Administration to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Erica Lynn Saylor 36 Saylor Drive Coplay, PA 18037 Or to her attorney:

Douglas G. Cappellini, Esq. CREVELING, CREVELING & CAPPELLINI
123 North Fifth Street Allentown, PA 18102 610-435-8711 May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE Estate of FLORENCE E. MECK, deceased. late of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make pay-

ments without delay to:

DENNIS J. MECK, Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Or to his Attorney: YOUNG a.
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq.
Lia K. Snyder, Esq. Macungie, PA 18062 orney: YOUNG & YOUNG

Macungie, PA 18062

May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE Estate of MARYANN PITTAS, a/k/a MARYANN ANDREW PITTAS, deceased, late of Piraeus, Greece, Letters of Admininstration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to

David M. Roth, Administrator c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to his Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq.

Macungie, PA 18062 May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of STEPHEN DRABICK, deceased, le'e of Whitehall, Lehigh County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

Stephen J. Drabick Natalie L. Ricci 1327 Doe Trail Road Allentown, PA 18104 1796 Sycamore Drive Quakertown, PA 18951 or to their attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Charles A. Waters, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. May 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of WILLIAM R. LAUB, deceased,

late of Coplay, Lehigh County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to:

4240 Route 309 5037 Egypt Road Schnecksville, PA 18078 Coplay, PA 18037 or to their attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Keith W. Strohl, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Apr. 29, May 6, 12 Tami E. Whitehouse Terri D. Donchez Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of ROBERT J. READNACK, deceased, late of Kutztown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: Patricia A. Lightner

80 Poplar Street
Middleburg, PA 17842
Executrix or to her attorney, Steckel and Stopp,

By: Stephen A. Strack, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of JUNE K. SEARFOSS, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Ronald C. Searfoss, Co-Executor Gregory A. Searfoss, Co-Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Or to their Attorney:

Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 19 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday May 27, 2015 at 7:30 p.m., in the South Whitehall Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, for the following zoning appeals:

ZHB-2015-07: The appeal of JR Hamilton LLC seeking relief to install a roofed concrete porch attached to the front wall of the dwelling, located at 4184 Orefield Road. The appellant is seeking relief to Section 12.30(a)(4)(A) applicable per Sections 12.28(c)(2) and12.31(i)(2) as they are conforming provisions for a minimum 75 foot front yard setback measured from the minimum ultimate right-of-way of Orefield Road (which is 40 foot from road centerline) which makes the existing home a non-conforming setback building. The subject property is zoned "RR-2", Rural

ZHB-2015-08: The appeal of Ryder Truck Rental Inc seeking relief to install parking lot luminaires mounted higher than the maximum permitted by the ordinance, on their property lo-cated at 1327 Bulldog Drive. The appellant is eeking related relief from Section 12.37(d), S/A 12.37(d)(1)(D). The subject property is zoned "HC", Highway Commercial.

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

May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

The North Whitehall Township Board of Supervisors will hold a Special Meeting on Wednesday, May 20, 2015, at 4:00 PM. The sole purpose of this meeting is to award contracts for the 2015 in-place road projects and fuel contracts. The meeting will be held at the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, (Ironton) Coplay, PA.

Brenda Norder, Secretary NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP

May 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of JOANN R. ADAMS, deceased, late of Slatington, Lehigh County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments with-Maria M. Beltz

Sondra R. Herman 3830 Best Station Road 4925 Park Avenue Slatington, PA 18080 Slatington, PA 18080 Ronald E. Adams 4925 Park Avenue Slatington, PA 18080

or to their attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Charles A. Waters, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Apr. 29, May 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of RICHARD J. BERNARD, a/k/a RICHARD J. BERNARD a/k/a RICHARD BERNHARD, deceased, late of 6244 Jessup Court, Slatington, County of Lehigh and State of Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Executrix: Melissa S. Kayser

f/k/a Melissa S. Bernhard Address: 35 S. St. Cloud Street
Allentown, Pennsylvania 18104
or to her Attorney: Joshua D. Shulman, Esquire SHULMAN & SHABBICK 1935 Center Street

Northampton, PA 18067 May 6, 13, 20

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PUBLIC NOTICE May 20, 2015 Planning Commission Agenda

The Upper Macungie Township Planning Commission will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 at 7:00 P.M., at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, one mile west of Route 100, Breiningsville, PA, to review and make recommendations on the following:

Subdivision and Land Development Review: 5831 Tilghman Street, Proposed Dunkin Donuts Restaur-

rant - Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan, located near the intersection of Tilghman Street and Blue Barn Road; #2137 Bortz Property - Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan, located at 4715 Schantz Road; Penske Truck Leasing Facility, Preliminary/Final Land

Development Plan, located 1050 Mill Road near the intersection of Ambassador Drove; Lehigh Valley West II, Lot 9B, Condominium Unit #1, Proposed Hotel, Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan, #2157

located at 110 PA Route 100 (Southbound) near the intersection of Schantz Road: Above and Beyond Personal Care Facility - Preliminary/

Final Land Development Plan, located at 5844 Daniel Street; Liberty at Mill Creek - Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan - Located along Mill Creek between Hamilton Blvd. and the Route 222 Bypass;

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

Work Session: Monday, May 18th, 2015 at 7:00 P.M.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 26, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Campus, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428.

Appeal No. 12-2015 of William and Kristine Burfeind 2902 Sheffield Drive, Emmaus Pa. 18049 Property located in an S-Suburban Residential Zoning District. Lehigh County Tax No. 5484564360511. Applicants are requesting a Variance to Chapter 27, Part 7, Sec.27-706 regarding the maximum building coverage allowed for the proposed addition and any other relief as may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordi-

Appeal No. 13-2015 of Todd and Joy Messner 2165 Wisteria Road. Macungie Pa. 18062. Property located in an S-Suburban Residential Zonquesting a Variance to Chapter 27, Part 7, Sec. 27-706 regarding the maximum building coverage allowed for the proposed addition any other relief as may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 14-2015 of Greg and DeAnna Ligenza 6887 Sunflower Lane Macungie Pa. 18062. Property located in an SR-Semi- Rural Residential Zoning District. Lehigh County Tax No. 5474130691931. Applicants are requesting a Variance to Chapter 27, Part 6, Sec. 27-607 regarding building setbacks for the proposed addition and any other relief as may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

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

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

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