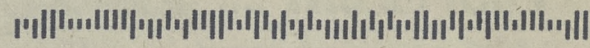




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GRACEDALE \$2.9 M savings

Premiere initiates recommended policies at home

By CAROL SMITH
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Gracedale's new management company has begun to implement its recommendations to improve Gracedale Nursing Home's bottom line.

At a March 15 Northampton County Human Services Committee meeting, Ross Marcus, director of Human Services, told committee members he was optimistic that the close to \$2.9 million in cost savings and revenue enhancements recommended by Premier Healthcare Resources would keep the county's contribution to Gracedale's budget at \$5.1 million this year.

"We are determined to make it work this year at \$5.1 million," said Marcus.

In previous years, the county's contribution to Gracedale's \$65 million budget averaged between \$6 million and \$7 million. In 2011, Gracedale's budget required an additional \$15,000 in county contributions.

Part of Premiere's improvements include a marketing goal of 90 percent occupancy of the nursing home's 688 beds by the end of 2012. This would add \$745,000 in revenue if achieved. Marcus said the current census is 610.

Human Services Committee members had Marcus clarify and update them on Premier's operational assessment recommendations for privatization of certain operations, contract negotiations, admissions policy, billing and collections, and patient safety.

Councilman John Cusick said he saw the recommendation to analyze the cost savings in privatizing the facility's

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FIRST WEEKEND OF APRIL



Palms, fishing and protests

An annual rite for father and daughter has been casting their lines together on the first day of trout season. John Pupa of Bethlehem and Aubrey fish at Monocacy Creek in Bethlehem's Monocacy Park March 31. Aubrey's mother, Ashley Koehler, said, "Aubrey and her father have been together every year on the first day of fishing season since she was 3 years old."

PRESS PHOTOS BY TIM GILMAN



Mother and daughter select palm fronds from a basket at St. Anne's Church in northeast Bethlehem. Mary Fiorini of Bethlehem and Mary Theresa, a pre-K student at St. Anne's School, were worshipping on Palm Sunday with the rest of the family.



Protestors attending the Trayvon Martin rally at Bethlehem City Center Payrow Plaza display signs in support of the young man who was shot and killed in Sanford, Fla., more than a month ago. Holding signs are Uresa James of Allentown, Keshawn Morris of Breinigsville and Uresa's brothers Unique and Olric James, also of Allentown. Despite rainy and colder weather, some 80 people attended the Saturday morning rally. Civil rights leaders across the country are demanding the arrest of alleged killer George Zimmerman.

VALLEY

Tax grab suit filed

By BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Commonwealth Court has been asked to set aside "special" legislation designed to benefit Allentown at the expense of other municipalities.

As expected, Hanover and Bethlehem townships filed suit last week attacking the legislative framework establishing Allentown's 130-acre Neighborhood Improvement Zone (NIZ), which funds a hockey arena and other improvements with the earned income taxes of other municipalities.

In a news release accompanying the complaint, township managers Jay Finnigan and Howard Kutzler state that other municipalities in Northampton and Lehigh counties will join this litigation "in the coming days and weeks."

Filed by James Preston, an attorney in the Bethlehem firm of Broughal and DeVito, the lawsuit challenges the constitutionality of

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BETHLEHEM CITY ZONERS Board OKs academy with restrictions

By BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Bethlehem's five-member ZHB was crammed into a hot conference room to consider appeals on March 25, but zoners still soldiered on for nearly three hours, ruling on each of five matters.

The most controversial of these was for Rainbow Academy, a preschool located on a 2.64-acre lot at the southwest corner of Linden Street and Johnston Drive, an area designated as rural residential. It's directly across the street from Elias Farmers Market, whose expansion request has been fought tooth and nail by a group of neighbors,



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Because Town Hall was being used for the Citizens' Academy, Bethlehem's five-member ZHB was crammed into a hot conference room to consider appeals on March 25.

and is still in the courts.

Although generally supportive of a daycare, neighbors still had concerns about traffic, Saturday activities and a proposed summer camp that could include much older children.

Rainbow, which already has 13 New Jersey locations, has decided to branch out into Pennsylvania. Joseph Negro, who owns the Linden and Johnston site and plans to operate a Rainbow franchise, already has zoning approval for a two-story, chise, already has zoning approval for a two-story, 90-bed, 24-hour, assisted living center at that loca-

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What is the first thing you would have done after learning you had won \$640 million in the Lotto drawing?



"Call off from work and take a vacation."
Sean Ramos
Bethlehem



"Pay off my debt."
Stephanie Faerber
Bethlehem



"I would have given most of it away. I have a lot of people I'd like to make happy since come from a big family."
Betty Theodore
Whitehall



"Call my lawyer to get the paperwork going. I'd probably buy all of my close friends something."
Dan Weiner
Allentown



"Take a long vacation to a warm and sunny place, like maybe Tahiti."
Laurel Attanasio
Bethlehem



"I'd take a month off and sort through all of it to organize my thoughts, pay everything off, and set everything up and figure out what I can do to help a charitable cause."
Will Carpenter
Bethlehem

Unions say nix NIZ suit

HANOVER TOWNSHIP

By **BERNIE O'HARE**
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Fed up with Allentown's plans to build a hockey arena, hotel and office space with Hanover Township's Earned Income Tax (EIT), supervisors unanimously authorized Solicitor Jim Broughal to sue during their March 13 meeting. Two other municipalities – Bethlehem and Lower Saucon townships – have since decided to join this legal challenge, aimed at Allentown's tax grab.

But with litigation looming, Allentown has launched its own pre-emptive strike at Hanover Township.

About 30 Lehigh Valley trade union members invaded Hanover Township March 27 to ask supervisors to reconsider that lawsuit. Their general? Allentown Mayor Edwin Pawlowski's campaign manager, Mike Fleck. In addition to his campaign work, he also does public relations work for the trade unions.

Before the meeting, Fleck pointed out that Hanover Township had no problem taking about \$170,000 in casino money last year. But he admitted that most townships, boroughs and even legislators had no idea that the Neighborhood Improvement Zone (NIZ) legislation, first enacted in 2009, authorized this tax grab.

Fleck stated that, as a courtesy, he had called Hanover Township to inform them that union members would be at the



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Representatives from numerous Lehigh Valley trade unions gather for the Hanover Township Supervisors meeting March 27. Mike Fleck orchestrated the trade union invasion of Hanover Township. He also is Allentown Mayor Ed Pawlowski's campaign manager.

supervisors' meeting. But Township Manager Jay Finnigan said that his first warning, about an hour before the meeting, was a telephone call from a local newspaper.

As 30 plus union members crammed into the township's small meeting room, one very large Colonial Region police officer stood quietly at the rear. There was no need. The crowd was courteous.

Lehigh Valley Building Trades President Brett Helfrich, who lives in Schnecksville, told supervisors that their EIT is a "small price to pay."

Union organizer and carpenter Francis Loughney, who lives in New Tripoli, was a little more blunt.

"We need those jobs,"

he said. "We're desperate out there."

Hellertown resident Kevin Lott, who represents 800 carpenters, reminded supervisors, "Hanover Township does not stand alone. You are part of the Lehigh Valley's community."

"This is something that's going to help a weak part of our community, which is Allentown. They need the help," Lott concluded.

Two union members who live in the township – Joe Farrell and Greg Horne – also addressed supervisors about the need for jobs.

When they had all finished speaking, the invasion had failed. Chairman John Diacogiannis thanked everyone for com-

ing and said he appreciates their support for Allentown, where he happens to work himself. But he pointed out that Allentown has been reluctant to provide information about the tax revenue that would be lost.

"The litigation will speak for itself," Diacogiannis stated, declining any further comment.

Solicitor Jim Broughal was even briefer.

"I have no report," he said at the end of the meeting.

When supervisors meet again April 10 at the township's municipal building on Jacksonville Road, Broughal will likely have a more lengthy report.

Bethlehem Twp. joins EIT challenge

By **BERNIE O'HARE**
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Two municipalities, both from Northampton County, have decided to sue over the diversion of their local taxes to pay for the construction of a 8,500-seat hockey arena and other improvements in Allentown's 130-acre Neighborhood Improvement Zone (NIZ).

On March 13, Hanover Township supervisors voted unanimously to

fight the "misappropriation of Hanover Township's EIT by the City of Allentown." Bethlehem Township, Hanover's next door neighbor, has decided to join the lawsuit.

Bethlehem Township commissioners' unanimous decision, reached during their March 19 meeting, comes on the heels of a 30-minute executive session requested by President Paul Weiss. It authorizes Solicitor Jim Broughal to join in

Hanover Township's "potential litigation involving the appropriation of Township earned income tax to support the City of Allentown NIZ."

There was no public discussion prior to or following the vote, with Weiss directing all inquiries to Broughal.

Lehigh Township is considering joining this potential litigation as well, according to Supervisor Cindy Miller.

"We were blindsided,"

she has complained. Their next meeting was scheduled for March 27.

In Lehigh County, East Penn School District adopted a resolution March 12 condemning the NIZ legislation, but stopped short of authorizing litigation. Salisbury Township has voted against litigation, while Upper Macungie Township has authorized the pursuit of "additional remedies."

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the NIZ legislation for two reasons.

First, it violates a constitutional prohibition of special legislation, laws that give favorable treatment to one municipality at the expense of everyone else. A NIZ can only be established in a city of the third class with "a population of at least 106,000 and not more than 107,000, based upon the 2000 Federal decennial census." Only Allentown meets that description.

Second, the NIZ legislation violates the Uniformity Clause. It fails to identify who is being taxed and at what rate. It instead systematically and delib-

erately diverts EIT revenues due to other municipalities, even though those funds are "critical to performing their legislative functions."

In addition to seeking a declaratory judgment that the NIZ legislation is unconstitutional, Hanover and Bethlehem townships are asking for injunctive relief against a project that "could have disastrous consequences on local municipalities."

The suit names the Commonwealth, Governor, Department of Revenue, Attorney General, Auditor General and State Treasurer as defendants.

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Delaware-Lehigh Amateur Radio Club, "Lightning!" 7:30 p.m., Bethlehem Area Vo-Tech School, 3300 Chester Ave. XXXprogram.www.dlarc.org, KE3AWARRI.NET or 484-895-7038.

Friday, April 6

LEPOCO potluck and politics: "Death and Taxes" film. 7 p.m. Peace Center, 313 W. Fourth St. Visit www.lepoco.org or call 610-691-8730.

Monday, April 9

First Presbyterian Church Hi Neighbors, 10 a.m. 2344 Center St.
United Veterans of Bethlehem and Harry F.W. Johnson Post #379 American Legion meetings, 7 p.m., D.A.R. Log Cabin in the Rose Garden, Eighth Avenue and West Union Boulevard Call 610-866-3835.

Tuesday, April 10, 2012

South Bethlehem Historical Society, 7 p.m. Victory Fire House, 205 Webster St.

Wednesday, April 11

The Gluten-Free/Celiac Sprue Support Group, 7:30 p.m. Lower level board room of St. Luke's - Warren Hospital. Call 610-865-3543 or 732-207-6666.

To have an event listed, contact George Taylor at 610-625-2121, ext. 3112, gtaylor@tnonline.com or fax 610-625-2126. For additional local news items not in our print edition, check out www.bethlehempress-aroundtown.blogspot.com

MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, April 4

Historic Architectural Review Board, 4 p.m., City Hall, 10 E. Church St.

Thursday, April 5

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

Monday, April 9, 2012

Bethlehem Housing Authority, 4:30 p.m., Monacacy Tower, 645 Main St.
Bethlehem City Council Committee of the Whole, 7 p.m., Town Hall, 10 E. Church St.
Fountain Hill Council workshop, 7 p.m., 941 Long St.

Tuesday, April 10, 2012

Hanover Twp. Supervisors, 7 p.m., 3630 Jacksonville Road. Municipal Building.
Saucon Valley School Board, 7 p.m., Audion building, 2097 Polk Valley Road.
South Bethlehem Historical Society, 7 p.m. Victory Fire House, 205 Webster St.

Wednesday, April 11, 2012

Bethlehem City Council Committee of the Whole, 7 p.m., Town Hall, 10 E. Church St.
Hellertown Authority, 7 p.m. 685 Main St.
Lehigh Co. Commissioners, 7:30 p.m. public hearing room, Government Center, 17 S. Seventh St., Allentown.

EASTER EVENTS

Saturday, April 7

City of Bethlehem residents Easter egg hunt, 10 a.m. on the lawn at Memorial Pool, Illick's Mill Road. Call 610-865-7081.
S.V. Jaycees Easter egg hunt, 10 a.m. Hellertown. Call 610-838-3478.
Fountain Hill Easter egg hunt, 10 a.m. at Stanley Avenue park. Call 610-867-0301. Borough residents only; must have been pre-registered.

Sunday, April 8

Scripture Egg Hunt for toddlers and up, 10 a.m. Old Chapel, Heckewelder Place. Call 610-866-5661.

SPRING MUSICALS

LIBERTY HS "Les Miserables" - school edition, 7 p.m. April 12 through 14. 1115 Linden St.

BETHLEHEM CATHOLIC HS "The Wizard of Oz", 7 p.m. April 13, 14, 20, 21; 2 p.m. April 15. 2133 Madison Ave.

NOTRE DAME HS "Little Women," 7:30 p.m. April 19, 20; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. April 21. 3417 Church Road, Easton.

COLLEGE NOTES

Lehigh University
 Dickens display opens

Lehigh University Libraries Special Collections commemorates the 200th anniversary of Charles Dickens' birth with an exhibit of his early editions and works and supporting materials. The exhibit features the publication history as well as contemporary reviews of some of the writer's works. The display is on view in the Café Gallery, the first floor Reading Room, and the Bayer Galleria through July 6 during regular library hours. For information, call 610-758-4506 or email inspc@Lehigh.edu.

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WHEN SPRING HAD SPRUNG



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The official start of spring was on Tuesday, March 20. However, just three days before, it looked like spring had already arrived as three motorcyclists cruise by on West Broad Street and the trees are already in full bloom, providing a colorful backdrop.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

Basketball players chase a loose ball during a pickup game at Edgeboro Park behind the BASD Education Center in Northeast Bethlehem on Friday after school. With sunny skies and afternoon temperatures in the upper mid-50s, spring fever encouraged the young athletes to play without their shirts. They are classmates at nearby St. Anne School and play on the seventh grade Saints team. Antonio Drew reaches for the ball as Cole Gilotti, far left, Jamison Gillen and Alex Kolesnikov watch the one that got away.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

With his hands full, Adam Fox of Bethlehem takes his two young children, Corban, back, and Aynlea on a bike ride along the Southside's Greenway. "It's our first ride of the spring season," commented a smiling Fox. The North Bethlehem resident said they enjoy the Southside Greenway and the SteelStacks area.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

With the official arrival of spring, unseasonably warm temperatures in the high sixties brought out plenty of people the next day along the Greenway in South Bethlehem. After a bike ride March 21, longtime Southside resident Carlos Cuyan relaxes on a bench where Buchanan Street crosses the Greenway between Third and Fourth streets. In the background, the converted multi-use path on a former railway winds through the Southside, where park visitors enjoy a variety of activities.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

A cyclist with shorts and a light windbreaker passes by a sailboat for sale in Bethlehem March 14, when temperatures reached 70 degrees. The 23-foot single-handed cruising Santana model belongs to Ed Zondag, who lives near Center Street and Pine Top Trail, where the boat was on display. Captain Zondag, who acquired his passion for sailing in his homeland of Holland when he was 9, said he is refurbishing a larger 37-foot motor sailer for longer trips along the Eastern U.S. coast and Chesapeake Bay. The avid sailor, who has lived in Bethlehem for 25 years, said he put the smaller boat out for sale for several weeks in the fall and is hoping to sell it this spring.



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

Magnolia blossoms behind the Bethlehem Public Library at the City Center Payrow Plaza attract the attention of Joel Tolbert and his daughter Emme. The Tolberts, who are from Bethlehem Township, were in Bethlehem for their monthly Saturday visit to the library. A Farmersville Elementary School second grader, Emme enjoys reading, says her father.

Gary R. Bachman

Ebenezer Bible Fellowship Church member

Gary R. Bachman, 71, of Bethlehem, died Feb. 27, 2012, in Lehigh Valley Hospital-Cedar Crest, Salisbury Township. Born in Philadelphia, he was a son of Catherine I. (Custer) Bachman of Bethlehem and the late Harrison C. Bachman.

He was a member of Ebenezer Bible Fellowship

Church.

He was a member of United Cerebral Palsy of Bethlehem.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by a sister, Sharon Lee Bachman of Bethlehem.

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

Robert F. Csizma

school principal

Robert F. Csizma, 79, of Bethlehem Township, died March 3, 2012, in St. Luke's Hospice House, Lower Saucon Township. Born in Bethlehem, he was a son of the late John and Irene (Kranyczc) Csizma. He was the husband of Jolan E. (Mihaly) Csizma for 57 years.

He was a graduate of Moravian Preparatory School and Penn State University, where he was a member of Pi Lambda Phi. He earned a master's degree from Lehigh University, where he was a member of Phi Delta Kappa.

He was an instructor in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War.

He began his career as a sixth grade teacher. He later was an elementary school principal for many years in the Southern Lehigh School District, retiring in 1991.

He was a member of the Hungarian Evangelical

Reformed Church, Bethlehem.

He was a member of the National and Pennsylvania Association of Elementary Principals. He was a member of the American Legion Post, Freemansburg, and the Roosevelt Democratic Association.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Roberta "Robin" A. Rohrbach of Lenhartsville; and two granddaughters, Meghan Elizabeth and her husband Ryan Zotter and their son Liam and Jill R. Rohrbach and her daughter Emily Hyland.

He was predeceased by a sister, Lillian Rose Mosier.

Contributions may be made to the Hungarian Evangelical Reformed Church, 635 High St., Bethlehem, PA 18018.

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

Michael J. Dudash Jr.

general contractor

Michael J. Dudash Jr., 57, of Bethlehem, died March 6, 2012, at his residence. Born in Fountain Hill, he was a son of the late Michael J. Sr. and Ruth (Neipert) Dudash. He was the husband of Tammy (Snyder) Dudash.

He was a 1972 graduate of Liberty HS.

He was a general contractor for the home improvement industry.

He was a member of the Wesley United Methodist Church, Bethlehem.

He was a volunteer for

the N.E. Little League, Bethlehem.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Benjamin and Adam, both at home, two sisters, Debra and Kathleen; and several nieces and nephews.

Contributions may be made to N.E. Little League/NELL, c/o Lou Angelucci, 3298 Marchant Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18017.

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Margarita Torres de Ortiz

Born in Aibonito

Margarita Torres de Ortiz, 88, of Bethlehem; died March 8, 2012, at Good Shepherd. Born in Aibonito, Puerto Rico, she was a daughter of the late Pedro and Ofelia (Torres) Ortiz. She was the wife of Luis Torres for 72 years.

She is survived by four daughters, Peggy and her husband Terry DeLong of Colorado, Evelyn and her husband Stephen Belzner of Jim Thorpe, Maria Torres of South Carolina and Patri-

cia and her husband Rafael Cuevas of Bethlehem; a sister, Virginia Ortiz of Florida; 12 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by a daughter, Geraldine; two sons, Luis Anthony and Humberto Torres; two sisters, Leonor and Josefina; and two brothers, Juan and Vincente.

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

Robert Hancik

former Radprin employee

Robert Hancik, 58, of Bethlehem, died March 9, 2012. Born in Bethlehem, he was the son of the late James Hancik and Margaret (Haveric) Hancik Moritz. He was the husband of Sherry (Taylor) Hancik for 27 years.

He was employed by Radprin from 1981 until its closing in 2009.

He was a member of Sts. Simon and Jude Catholic Church.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two brothers,

James and Larry Hancik; two sisters, Judy Maffea and Margie Daily; stepfather Bruno Moritz; two stepbrothers, Gary and Bruno Moritz; and in-laws, Kathy, Linda, Bill and Robert.

Contributions may be made to the Lehigh Valley Council of the Blind, c/o the funeral home, 245 E. E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA 18018.

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Sharing 60 years



PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

Jack and Florence 'Flo' Kemmerer are originally from the Slate Belt area and met while working in the Kaiser Hosiery Mill. They married on March 15, 1952, when Jack, a private first class in the U.S. Army, was home on leave. Today they reside in Bethlehem at Holy Family Manor. Among the many 60th wedding anniversary highlights experienced by Jack and Flo Kemmerer was the congratulatory note they received from President Barack and First Lady Michelle Obama.

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laundry, housekeeping and dietary departments as the most controversial.

Marcus said that Premier is currently exploring options based upon the significant savings they have seen in other county homes as a result of privatization. Marcus added that there are no current plans for privatization since the unions will want to have a say. Contract negotiations are going slowly.

"We are trying to build a team at Gracedale and would rather do it without battling the unions every step of the way," Marcus said in response to a committee member's question about using privatization as a negotiating tool.

One new revenue opportunity will be the re-opening of one nursing unit as a dedicated 26-bed short-term rehabilitation unit with a gym. A separate entrance and lounge area will make it more attractive to patients and could increase revenue by \$1.1 million.

Marcus said that he is hopeful this unit will be operating by late spring of this year.

Councilman Tom Dietrich, who chairs the Human Services Committee, voiced his concerns over patient safety and the need for new employees to have a drug screening.

Marcus said that while drug screenings are a best practice when it comes

to hiring employees, he did not see it as a major concern: "Gracedale does not have any more alcohol or drug problems than other homes or hospitals."

Marcus also reassured Dietrich that routine visits by members of the housekeeping and nursing staff on a daily basis were addressing patient safety issues.

Some improvements in the billing process and the implementation of a collection policy for delinquent accounts are planned for Gracedale's billing department. About 18 percent of accounts receivable, totaling \$11 million as of Sept. 30, 2011, were more than 180 days overdue. Marcus told Cusick that a collections

agency has now taken over the job of recovering longer term debt and that the billing department would be more aggressive in collecting short-term debt.

Councilwoman Margaret Ferraro said she was pleased to hear that Gracedale's admission policy would now include daily admissions.

Marcus added that the new admitting process will be streamlined to allow an admittance decision in 30 minutes and would include evening and weekend admissions.

The next Human Services Committee meeting is 5 p.m. April 19 at 669 Washington St., Easton.

ZONERS

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tion.

The Negrao family already owns and operates three Alexandria Manor facilities in Nazareth and Bath, but have argued the assisted-living market in saturated.

Although zoners unanimously granted a special exception for a 180-student preschool, they imposed conditions that appeared to have the Negrao family wondering whether they'd be better off with an assisted living facility. In addition to ruling out Saturday classes for physical activities like gymnastics and karate, the Zoning Hear-

ing Board placed an age cap on the summer camp, restricting it to children 10 years old and younger.

"I'll have to re-evaluate," said Joe Negrao Jr., after the hearing was over. Before the zoners, he had argued that a one-story day care would be "less of an impact on the community" than a 90-bed, two-story assisted living center.

In other business, zoners unanimously approved four additional zoning appeals.

Francis Hayman Jr. was granted a special exception to convert a vacant club meeting room at 618 Second Ave. into a

small business office, where he would collect the rents for property investors. After listening to Hayman, neighbor Jennifer Bradley said his business "would work well in the neighborhood."

Artist Sandra Corpora was granted relief from zoning restrictions so she could convert 57 East Wall St. into both her primary residence and a studio. Neighbor George White told zoners, "We're very excited to have her there as a neighbor. Very supportive."

Zoners granted relief from parking requirements for a day care and small pharmacy at 817-9

East Fourth St., which is owned by the Alliance for Building Communities. But they still insisted that leases be obtained so that 12 parking places are available.

Finally, they granted Scott Speshok's request to erect an above-ground swimming pool at 1641 Lansdale Ave.

"Let us know when it opens, will you?" joked Chairman Gus Loupos.

The next scheduled meeting of Bethlehem's Zoning Hearing Board will be Wednesday, April 25 at 7 p.m. at Town Hall.

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Police arrested a 27-year-old man following a traffic accident and foot chase around 2 a.m. March 29.

According to police, Ricardo Alicia, of West Goepf Street, was observed making several traffic infractions while driving through town. He failed to stop when signaled by police and crashed his car into a pole. He then leapt out and ran.

Officers caught him after a brief pursuit.

Alicia is charged with DUI, reckless driving, driving while suspended, escape and fleeing and eluding.

Theft

Fountain Hill Police arrested a woman for allegedly stealing from a friend around 12:20 p.m. Feb. 28.

Police investigated the report of a fraudulent ATM transaction - a theft of \$1,000 - which led to Sharena T. Broadnax, 25, of Bethlehem. Police said she used a friend's ATM card without permission.

Broadnax is charged with theft and access device fraud.

DUI

Colonial Regional Police arrested 28-year-old Joshua Cunningham, of Allentown, following a traffic accident at Schoenersville and Stoke Park roads around 9 p.m. March 23.

According to police, Cunningham was driving north and crashed his Mazda into the rear of a vehicle stopped at a red light. That vehicle likewise struck the car in front of it.

Three adults in the first-struck car were treated for minor injuries. Another woman and her infant son were evaluated at St. Luke's Hospital.

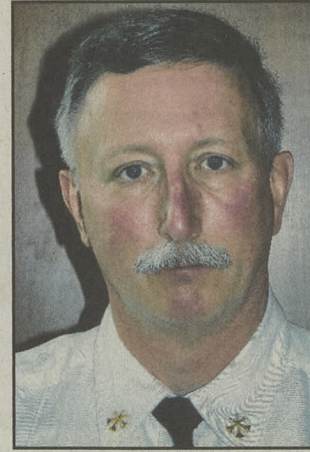
Cunningham is charged with DUI and careless driving pending blood alcohol results.

Bethlehem firefighters earn promotions



PRESS PHOTOS BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI

Wendi Achey pins new rank insignia onto her husband, Training Captain Warren Achey, in City Hall. Achey and two fellow firefighters received new positions during the promotion ceremony March 29. Achey joined the department in 1992 and later served as the officer for Engine Six, referred to as the city's busiest by Chief George Barkanic. Assistant Chief Richard Zimmerman joined the department in 1986 and most recently served as HAZMAT captain beginning in 2003. Lt. Raymond Alpha joined the department in 2001. He was the Ladder One operator and will now join Second Platoon.



Zimmerman



Achey



Alpha

AREA POLICE

Burglaries

Three residents reported burglaries to their homes the afternoon of March 27.

According to police, a 20-year-old woman on Randolph Road reported around 3:20 p.m. her residence was entered sometime during the previous three days. A Nintendo Wii and a wallet containing personal documents were stolen.

About 20 minutes later a 46-year-old man on Turner Street said his second floor apartment had been entered. About \$150 in loose and rolled change was taken. Another nearby apartment was found to have an open rear door, but nothing was missing, police said.

Around 5:20 p.m. a 29-year-old woman on Ninth Avenue reported the theft of jewelry from her residence. Police did not indicate a suspected method of entry of the home.

Theft

State Police arrested a man for stealing another's wallet at the Airport Road BJ's Wholesale Club in November 2011.

Police said the victim accidentally left his wallet at a register. It was gone when he returned.

Video footage showed Michael John Riddle, of Bethlehem taking the wallet, and he later pleaded guilty of multiple theft offenses during court proceedings.

Supt. asked to explore cuts

By MARK RECCEK

Special to the Bethlehem Press

Saucon Valley School Board members asked Superintendent Sandra Fellin to explore potential budget cuts, particularly by cutting staff positions and non-priority courses, during the board's March 13 meeting.

Rather than approve Fellin's plan to replace staff who are retiring through the reconfiguration of positions, Director Ralph Puerta said it was an opportune time to

explore budget cuts, based on 13 district-wide retirements, the stagnant nature of the economy, and the consequences of how school districts are funded by the state.

"I think it's something we can do," Puerta stressed. "The most opportune time to cut costs is during times of attrition."

Director Susan Baxter agreed with Puerta and said the district should review course offerings each year to determine

what courses are sustainable.

Director Lanita Lum expressed her support of Fellin's proposed budget

and said she did not want the school district and its students to suffer due to budget cuts.

"I will not compromise the quality of education," See CUTS on Page A7

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 Good Friday Tenebrae at 7:30 pm
 Easter Communion April 8 at 10:30 am
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GOOD FRIDAY, April 6
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EASTER SUNDAY, April 8
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 9 & 10:30 AM in the Kirk Center

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 April 6th Good Friday
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 April 8th Easter
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Holy Week

 Maundy Thursday, April 5, 7:00 pm
 Holy Communion — Jesus' Last Supper

 Good Friday, April 6, 7:00 pm
 Tenebrae — Service of Darkness

Easter Sunday, April 8 — Christ Is Risen!
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 in the Sanctuary; Open Door service
 at 11:00 AM in the Wesley Center

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 Good Friday
 7:30 pm
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April 5, 2012 "Maundy Thursday"
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 call church office at 610-865-6565 by April 2
 7:00 p.m. Holy Communion

April 6, 2012 "Good Friday Services"
 10:00 a.m. Worship - Holy Communion
 11:15 a.m. Cross Carry through Bethlehem
 7:00 p.m. Tenebrae Service

April 8, 2012 "Easter Sunday"
 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

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 12:00 noon Holy Eucharist

Maundy Thursday
 12:00 noon Litany & Holy Eucharist
 7:00 pm Holy Communion
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Good Friday
 12:00 noon Litany, Ante Communion,
 Reproaches & Sermon
 7:15 pm Evening Prayer
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 Noon and Good Friday Liturgy at 7 pm

HOLY SATURDAY
 Sat., April 7 ... The Service of the Light
 and First Mass of Easter at 7:34 pm

EASTER DAY
 Sun., April 8 ... Holy Eucharist
 at 8 & 10:30 am

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Craig Golden

A coach for all seasons

Q & A

BY BERNIE O'HARE

Unpaid and unrecognized, the men and women who coach our grade school children often have a far greater impact on them than the professionals later seen in high school or college. Fundamentals, discipline, persistence and teamwork are learned from volunteers who are rarely thanked for their dedication.

Craig Golden is one of these unsung heroes. For the past 36 years, he's coached youth sports programs in basketball, baseball, football and even bowling. After finishing a perfect season with a sixth grade 'Canes team, he's decided to go out on a high note.

Vice president of contract underwriting for International Fidelity Company, Golden has also served as president of the Hurricane Basketball Club and is vice president of the Lehigh Valley Knee High Basketball League.

Over the years, you have been offered positions in several high school programs. Why did you stick with youth sports?

I have discussed some assistant coaching posi-

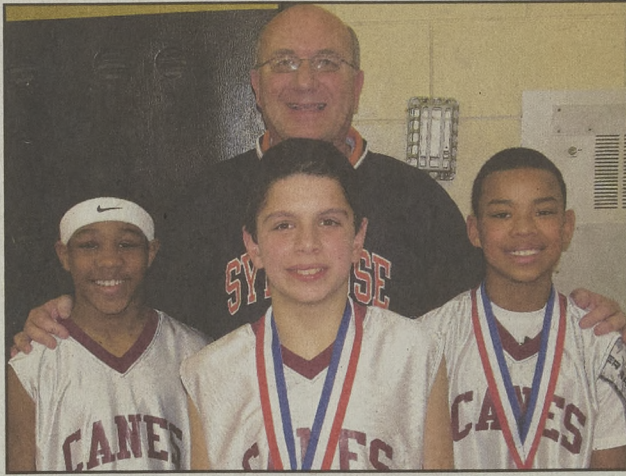
tions for high schools, but I have enjoyed working and developing younger kids and never seriously considered the positions.

What got you started?

I started as an assistant coach in baseball at 14 with a friend of my father's team. I then became a head coach at 15 of my cousin's 11-12 baseball team in the Dewitt Little League. I love sports and wanted to be a coach when I grew up. Even though I am a huge Syracuse Orange fan, I idolized John Wooden and the UCLA teams. Though my mother was very supportive of my endeavors, I also believe my father's passing when I was 8 years old had something to do with my interest in developing kids, since I never really had that experience.

How do the kids compare today, from the way they were 36 years ago, when you first started coaching?

The kids are pretty much the same. I do think the intensity of the involvement at a younger age has increased significantly, along with the importance of winning versus player development. The big difference over the years is the parental involvement.



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Coach Craig Golden and some members of the sixth grade 'Canes team that compiled a 74-1 record over the last three years. Sixth grade boys on his team were Jermaine Battle, Jaziah Scrafano, Dom Italiani, Alex Serrano, Dat Lambert, Josiah "JoJo" Piazza, Josh Clark, Todd Erney and Darius Seaman.

In the wake of the Jerry Sandusky and other scandals, is it harder to find people who are willing to coach?

I don't think it's harder to find people, but organizations are more cautious and perform more background checks than before. I do think the Sandusky situation has caused coaches to draw lines in regards to their direct involvement in kids' lives.

If you could only teach your kids one thing, what would it be?

With the Hurricane basketball program, I was more concerned in developing kids into young adults and building teamwork and skill sets that are needed when they become adults. What I was most proud of in my tenure with the Hurricane bas-

ketball program was not that almost all of our kids played for Todd Rothrock or Chad Landis, but that the kids who played in and stayed in our program graduated high school.

How does it feel to go out on a high note with a perfect season, in both tournament and regulation play?

The undefeated season this year was great, as was the 74-1 record over the last three years with this group, but watching the kids develop as young men, the camaraderie of the team and their competitive spirit in every minute of every game was my greatest take away. Also, that every player contributed in every game and all nine players scored in double figures at least once and that we weren't solely dependent on one or two players.

What will you be doing next winter, when the boys start looking for you?

I will still watch games and still serve on the board of the LVKBL. I will not lose touch with the program but I will devote more time to my youngest son and his aspirations.

L.V. FAIR

Budget coalition set for April 13

The Lehigh Valley Fair Budget Coalition will meet at 1 p.m. April 13 at the Fowler Family Southside Center, sixth floor, 511 E. Third St.

Neighbors will discuss the impact of Gov. Tom Corbett's proposed budget cuts and the possible effects on the area. For information, email ezaehringer@caclv.org.

EXCHANGE

Deeds award set for April 10

The Fountain Hill Exchange Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. April 10 at the Fountain Hill Republican Club, 1137 Broadway.

The club will present the Fountain Hill Bacchanalia Committee with the "Book of Golden Deeds" award for the committee's outstanding contribution to the borough's recreation department.

For the past nine years, the Bacchanalia Committee's Bacchanalia wine and food tasting event, to raise money for the youth of the borough, has raised more than \$35,000.

UNITED WAY

Kindergarten sing-ups begin

United Way of the Greater Lehigh Valley has resources for all 17 school districts in both Lehigh and Northampton Counties.

In order to register your child for kindergarten, you will need the following materials: child's birth certificate and up-to-date immunization records; proof of identification; and proof of residency.

For more information, visit www.unitedwayglv.org/kindergartenreg or call 61-807-5745.

CUTS

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Lum said.

Director Charles Bartolet said he was ready to move forward with Fellin's plan.

"I don't want to belabor this," he said. "I want the best teachers for the district."

Director Edward Inghrim told his school board colleagues that it was too late in the year for the district to explore budget cuts.

Fellin postponed her plan and instead cautiously agreed with the board to look into alternatives to cutting costs and their potential ramifications.

Also during the meeting the board decided to postpone drug testing students involved in extracurricular activities until the legal challenge to the Delaware Valley School District's drug and alcohol testing policy is resolved.

Board solicitor Mark Fitzgerald recommended to the board that the district wait until the court renders its final decision in the Delaware Valley case to randomly test students and employees.

Inghrim said while there are members of the public who have questioned his support of drug testing students, Pennsylvania is among 15 states nationwide where there is a higher rate of people dying from drug overdoses than in car crashes.

In 2003 the Pennsylvania Supreme Court held that the Delaware Valley School District drug testing policy was unconstitutional because the school district could not adequately show that the students tested had a higher rate of drug use.

During the meeting, the board also approved June 15 as the graduation date for Saucon Valley HS seniors.

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Rahab & The Scarlet Line

The two men Joshua sent as spies to Jericho were led of God to a house on the wall that encircled that heathen city which was soon to be destroyed. It was the house of Rahab—a harlot. She had grown up in spiritual darkness and depravity, serving false gods. Then she heard the good news of the true and living God of Israel and how He had "dried up the water of the Red Sea" for the Israelites (Joshua 2:10). She longed to know Him and expressed her faith to the spies, "I know that the LORD hath given you the land" (v9) and "the LORD your God, he is God in heaven above, and in earth beneath" (v11). She believed without seeing and was blessed! Jesus said, "blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed" (John 20:29). God saw Rahab's hungry heart and sent these two "messengers" as James 2:25 refers to them, to save her. Because of her faith in God, she protected them. "By faith the harlot Rahab perished not with them that believed not, when she had received the spies with peace" (Hebrews 11:31).

Rahab's faith was evident when she helped the "messengers" escape through the window by letting them down with a scarlet cord. They promised to save her and her relatives if she would "bind this line of scarlet thread in the window" (v18). So, "she bound the scarlet line in the window" (v21). That scarlet line pictures the scarlet line that runs throughout the Bible and points to Calvary where the scarlet blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was shed on the cross for our salvation!

Rahab found grace through faith in God, and her life was transformed! She married a prince of Israel, became the great-great grandmother of King David, and is in the bloodline of Jesus Christ! Hear this full message at: www.naog.ws/sermons.htm

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From coal cracker to code cracker

As a Bethlehem housing inspector, the mere mention of Suzanne Borzak's name was enough to strike fear in the hearts of many a landlord. She had a reputation for being tough, but fair. Now she's Bethlehem's new Zoning Officer, and attended her first meeting March 28. A proud coal cracker from Schuylkill County, Borzak has 17 years of experience in planning, zoning and code enforcement. She credits her coal region roots with giving her a strong work ethic. "I'm still a coal cracker," she said during a break in the testimony, as her piercing blue eyes looked right through lawyers and engineers. She's also a grandmother.



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Mountain Hawks at Zoners?

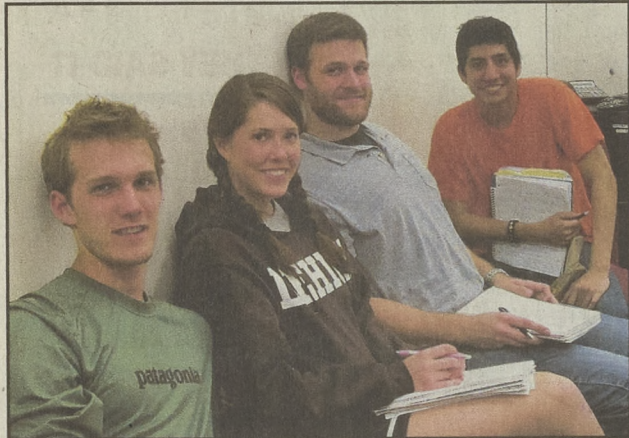


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That's what Bethlehem's Zoning Hearing Board Chairman, Gus Loupos, claimed during a break in a long night of five zoning appeals on March 28. Pointing to the young students, Loupos insisted that "[a]ll four of them played on the Lehigh team that beat Duke last week." Loupos later boasted that he was a point guard, and demonstrated his patented Loupos Layup. These four Mountain Hawks - Will Addis, Carolyn Tespasz, Dan Jones and Mario Calvache - are actually students in a "Urban Sprawl and Politics of Development" class. Their professors, State Rep. Bob Freeman and CACLV Executive Director Alan Jennings, suggested they attend a zoning hearing board meeting. The professors, however, stayed home.

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Darla has the most amazing silky coat pattern. She enjoys playing with toys and knows basic commands, but does not care for other animals.



Krimpet enjoys being around people and gets along well with other cats. He is neutered, up to date on shots and ready to go.

VOLUNTEERS

BOUTIQUE AT THE RINK, Bethlehem, has volunteer info meetings scheduled for April 4 at 2:30 and 6:30 p.m. Contact Becky Morgan, 610-861-7555, ext. 27, bmorgan@CancerSupportGLV.org.

DOWNTOWN BETHLEHEM ASSOCIATION has several volunteer opportunities for its "Spring on Fourth! What's on Third?" event April 21. Contact Loly Reynolds, 484-554-5229, lolyr@lehighvalleychamber.org.

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ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, Allentown, needs gift shop volunteers. Contact Sandy Wambold, 610-628-8495, wambols@slhn.org.

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Area wrestlers earn awards

By PETER CAR
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Randy Cruz gets butterflies before big wrestling matches, but he also gets them during public speaking engagements.

Cruz doesn't speak in public often, but he had to Sunday night when he was chosen as District 11 2A's scholar athlete recipient.

Cruz was joined by fellow Bethlehem stalwart, Liberty's Devon Lotito, as he won the 3A honors for a Bethlehem sweep.

For Cruz, receiving the award was a surprise, which was him just being humble.

It's tough to sell any better candidate than someone who was a 132-pound state champion this year, carries a 3.6 GPA, as well as will be attending Lehigh next fall.

"I was really happy to win the award," Cruz said. "People don't always know how you do in school. All they really see is how you do on the mats, so it's nice to be recognized."

The only down part was Cruz having to deal with one of his least favorite hobbies—public speaking.

"I knew when I won I had to talk," he said. "I was nervous, but I also knew it was for only 30 seconds, so it was fine. I just hate talking in public."

Lotito, who joined Cruz as a fellow 132-pounder at the podium, as well as a Karam coached disciple, just like Randy, savored the opportunity to be recognized one last time by the District 11 wrestling community.

"I think it says a lot about what type of character both of us have," Lotito said about him and Cruz winning the awards. "All wrestlers are hard working and that definitely carries over to school work."

Hard work and talent paid off for Becahi's Zeke Moisey over the weekend as well. The junior 120-pounder won the same title at Drexel University during FloNationals, which is a major off-season tournament that showcases wrestlers from all over the country to a plethora of college coaches.

Moisey, who was a PIAA runner-up last March at 120-pounds, knocked off Pennsylvania 3A champ Godwin Nyama of Brashear by a 7-6 margin.

"It feels good to prove to people that 2A is just as good as 3A," Moisey said. "I always hear people calling 2A as JV, but we're really all the same. We're all wrestlers."

Moisey trailed 3-0 in the second period, but hit a flying cement job at the end of the second to catapult a deficit into a 4-3 lead that he wouldn't relinquish.

There were 78 wrestlers from 31 different states in Moisey's bracket. He wrestled three matches on Saturday and Sunday and knocked off a California place-winner in the preliminaries, a two-

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PRESS PHOTOS BY SCOTT W. PAGEL

Bethlehem Catholic shortstop Pat Mergel gets Liberty's Evan Allman out at second and looks to turn a double play during last week's loss to the Hurricanes.

BASEBALL

'Canes start off hot

By PETER CAR
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Andy Pitsilos knows that you can never measure a team's true value after only three games.

So as his Hurricanes jumped out to a 3-0 start to the baseball season before yesterday's pivotal division battle with Easton, Pitsilos welcomed the positive start, but also recognized the journey ahead.

Allowing two runs a game, along with belting in 20 runs through three contests, Liberty has been on point in all aspects in wins over Wilson West Lawn, Stroudsburg and Bethlehem Catholic.

How sharp Liberty really is will be put to test this week. Along with the Easton bout, the 'Canes take on a talented Central Catholic squad today

and travel to Hazleton on Saturday.

"I think we've played as well as we can up to this point," Pitsilos said. "We've done enough to win, but we have a big week coming up. This type of week won't make or break us, but it's the next step to show us where we are at the moment."

With games against some of the top teams in the league this week, along with Whitehall and Parkland up on the calendar next week, Liberty's mettle will be put to the test.

With Jimmy McCarthy racking up two wins so far this season, Liberty's pitching has been strong, coupled with quality hitting and defense that Pitsilos said has been solid.

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Jimmy McCarthy has won two games already this season for the 3-0 Hurricanes.

SOFTBALL

LHS rallies for victory

By KATIE MCDONALD
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If there's one guarantee in high school softball, it's that the LVC season opener that pits Bethlehem Catholic against Liberty is bound to be a barn-burner.

Last Thursday, the Hawks were two outs away from a 4-2 victory over the Hurricanes, but Liberty's Mariah Kondravy changed all that with a shot down the right field line that turned into a three-run home run and a 5-4 victory for the Hurricanes.

"I just knew I had to

do it for my team. We beat Beca. I'm happy," said Kondravy.

With one out in the bottom of the seventh inning, Liberty's Alyshia Dellatorre hit an infield single. Lauren Epsaro followed, reaching first base on an error, and Kondravy hit the game-winner on the first pitch.

"I saw that the two girls were on base, so I was focused on hitting to get the win," Kondravy said.

Liberty scored its first run on an error in the first inning. Becahi scored three runs in the fourth

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PRESS PHOTO BY SCOTT W. PAGEL

Shortstop Alysia Dellatorre looks to make a throw to second during last week's game with Becahi.

Hawks put away Freedom

By KATIE MCDONALD
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Lauren Visconti's grand slam in the sixth inning sealed the deal for Bethlehem Catholic in their 12-2 victory over Freedom on Monday.

"It felt great. I always go up there to get a base hit. I was, thinking, I've

got to get my team in," said Visconti.

The Becahi leftfielder hit her first career grand slam over the left field fence, scoring Kate Yanders, Taylor Brady, and Marissa Merriman.

"I actually didn't know it was gone. I looked back when I got to second base," Visconti said.

The Patriots scored the game's first run in the first inning. Becahi scored two in the second, but Freedom tied the game in the fourth.

Becahi Coach Rich Mazza said, "We were playing too tight. We needed to relax a little bit."

After Visconti's grand slam in the sixth, the

Hawks added four more runs in the seventh inning.

Marissa Merriman doubled to score Arcadia Hewins, who singled. Jackie DeSarro hit into a fielder's choice, scoring Merriman. Joelle Morey singled to score DeSarro, and Sara Beaupre also hit

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ANDY PITSILOS
LHS BASEBALL
COACH

SCHEDULE

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April 4

- Soccer at Allen, 3:30
- Baseball vs. Nazareth, 4

- Softball vs. Easton, 4
- Volleyball vs. Easton, 7

April 5

- Track vs. Whitehall, 12
- Tennis at Emmaus, 3:30

April 10

- Tennis vs. Whitehall, 3:30

- Track vs. Dieruff, 3:30
- Baseball vs. Allen, 4
- Soccer vs. Central, 4
- Softball vs. Allen, 4
- Volleyball vs. Allen, 7

FREEDOM

April 4

- Baseball vs. Northampton, 4
- Softball at Liberty, 4
- G Lacrosse at Parkland, 4
- Volleyball at Chris Dock HS, 7

April 5

- Soccer at Central, 11
- Track at Double Dual, 12
- Tennis at Dieruff, 3:30

April 9

- Baseball vs. Stroudsburg, 4
- Softball at Saucon Vy., 4

April 10

- Tennis vs. Parkland, 3:30

- Track at Emmaus, 3:30
- Baseball vs. Central, 4
- Soccer vs. Allen, 4
- Softball vs. Central, 4
- B Lacrosse at Parkland, 4
- G Lacrosse at Liberty, 4

LIBERTY

April 4

- Track at Central, 3:30
- Baseball at Central, 4
- Softball vs. Freedom, 4
- Soccer vs. Whitehall, 7

April 5

- Tennis vs. Nazareth, 10

- Softball at Bangor, 11

April 7

- Baseball at Hazleton, 12

April 10

- Tennis at Dieruff, 3:30
- Track LVC meet, 3:30
- Baseball at Whitehall, 4

- Soccer at Parkland, 4
- Softball at Whitehall, 4
- Volleyball at Whitehall, 7

SOCCER

Inexperience, youth for FHS

By PETER CAR
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Youth is the theme for Freedom's soccer team this fall and head coach Jamie Halper hopes it won't be a deterrent for success this spring.

After losing 11 seniors from last year's 4-13-1 season, the Patriots have five freshmen starting and two sophomores to account for nearly 60-percent of their lineup.

After struggling through their first two losses of the season on opening weekend, which resulted in a 4-0 setback to Pocono Mountain East and a 2-0 defeat to Saucon Valley, getting up to speed with the varsity game is the top agenda for Halper this spring.

"It's really about getting these girls experience with playing at this level," said Halper, who enters her third-year at the helm of the program. "Getting these girls com-

fortable in this setting and playing at the varsity level is what we really need to focus on right now."

Senior defender Sarah Bilheimer is the stalwart that Halper has in the back, along with senior defender Alex Lutz. Those two will be looked upon for leadership with this young core which also includes junior Molly Magnan (midfield), sophomore Haley Wather (GK) and freshman Erica Barrett.

"We're still trying to find right mix of players at different spots on the field," said Halper. "We're going to have some learning curves, but we hope to have a better record than last year."

Freedom (0-4) hoped they could get their first win of the year yesterday against Liberty.

The Pates also play Central Catholic tomorrow to finish the week.



PRESS PHOTO BY SCOTT W. PAGEL

Becahi's Abby Guman (#4) battles with Freedom senior Alexandra Lutz during last Friday's 4-1 Hawk victory. Guman and the Hawks are both off to a hot start this season.

Hawks off to hot start, Easton next

By PETER CAR
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An undefeated start to the season is what Bethlehem Catholic's soccer team has enjoyed over the first three games of the year, but all that will be put to the test this week.

The Hawks (3-0) squared off at Easton (3-0) Tuesday, after Press deadlines, in their biggest season clash to date.

Head coach Gus Belaires knows that a battle with the Rovers will be a true indicator of where his team stands at the moment. With wins over Pocono Mountain West, Liberty and Freedom, who are a combined 1-9, Belaires is taking the hot start with a grain of salt.

"The game with Easton is going to tell us where we really stand," he said. "We

had a tough battle with West and Liberty was tough too, but we know that Easton is going to be a true indicator of where we are as a team. We may need to make some changes in that game because they're good, but we'll have to see what happens."

The Hawks have outscored their opponents 10-2 on the year, scoring four goals in wins over West and Freedom, but don't expect that trend to continue against Easton, a team that has won the East Division three-straight years since the LVC split up into three divisions.

If there's one team to beat for Becahi, it's certainly the Rovers.

"It's been important that we've started out this way because it gives our

girls confidence," Belaires said. "They feel good about what they've been able to do at this point and we're getting more confident on defense, but we'll see what happens this week."

Abby Guman has led the team in scoring, netting five goals so far this season, while goalkeeper Bridget Michael has grown into her role, giving Belaires more confidence in his young keeper.

"We've only given up one legitimate goal this year and that was just a defensive breakdown," he said. "Bridget's getting more confident and the defense is playing better; so those are all good signs for us."

Outside of Wednesday's tussle with Easton, the Hawks then take on Allen tomorrow to close out the week.

'Canes need leaders

By PETER CAR
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A work in progress is how Jason Horvath describes this year's Liberty's soccer team.

As Horvath enters his fifth and final year at the helm of the girls' program, he hopes the team can get their act together before it's too late in this spring season.

After suffering an 8-0 loss to Stroudsburg in their season opener, Horvath knows there's a lot of work that needs to be done.

"Right now we're just lacking leadership and focus and that's the most frustrating aspect for us," said Horvath. "I would think that an 8-0 loss would be a wake-up call for our girls, but we'll see. Until our attitude changes, results are going to stay the same."

Things haven't gotten better for the 'Canes, who are sitting at 0-4 on the year.

Key returning starters for Liberty include juniors Paige Gross (F), Vicky Koutsouris (D), Sarah Torres (M) and sophomore Lee Koutsombis (F). Horvath said he has plenty of experience back from last year's 6-12 club, but the loss of some key seniors has kept the team in limbo, citing the lack of leadership and direction as one of the key problems with the team right now.

"We're really missing some of the girls from last year, strictly from a leadership aspect," he said. "We have a lot of girls back from last year, but we're missing the girls that everyone looked up to a year ago."

Liberty took on Freedom yesterday and take on one of the LVC's best teams tomorrow when Whitehall comes into town.



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Freedom's Carli Markle (#5) looks to get off a pass in front of Becahi's Megan Strucko. The play eventually led to a goal by Markle, who is one of several key, young players on the Pates.

TENNIS

Hawks 3-1 so far this year

By KATIE MCDONALD
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Two weeks into boys' tennis season, Bethlehem Catholic's record is 3-1, with victories over Dieruff, Allen, and Northampton.

The Hawks' only loss came to Allentown Central Catholic, although within that defeat was a 6-2, 6-0 victory by Ryan Schmidt and Luke Mesko,

Becahi's number four doubles team. Both are freshmen.

"It can be a little intimidating, especially when we play against seniors. We don't want to mess up," said Schmidt.

Schmidt and Mesko are strong at the net, and both agree that if they play as well as they know they can, the pair will have a successful season.

"We both had two that

went down the line off their serves," Mesko said. "We forced them to make mistakes."

Pat Keenan and Paolo Turco also won for Becahi at number three doubles, 5-7, 6-4, 6-0, and Peter Demyan and Niko Franekic won at number one doubles, 8-4.

The week before, Becahi's number three singles player, Kevin Hamilton, had an important

victory against Allen, which ultimately clinched the match for the Hawks.

Most recently, the Hawks scored a 5-2 victory over Northampton.

Winners for the Hawks were Hamilton 6-2, 6-4, and all doubles teams: Turco and Marcin Boraganli, 8-0, Andrew Hoppe and Keenan, 6-3, 6-0, Schmidt and Mesko, 7-5, 6-7, 6-3, and Demyan and Franekic, 6-2, 6-3.

Hurricanes get a victory

By KATIE MCDONALD
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Low temperatures and high winds did not make for great tennis weather last week, but somehow, the Liberty Hurricanes muddled their way through to one victory and one tie, which will be broken later this season.

The Hurricanes played to a 3-3 tie with Pleasant Valley last Monday. Winners for Liberty's singles were Grant Wilsterman at number one and Kyle Manley at number three.

Manley came back from a 4-1 deficit to win 7-5, 6-3.

"I just needed to calm myself down. I kept the ball in play and stayed positive," said Manley, regarding his comeback.

Liberty's Jackson Burlew and Everett DeLu-

ca also won for the Hurricanes at number three doubles, 6-4, 0-6, 7-6.

"It took a little while to get our momentum going. In the middle of the second set, [Coach Schnalzer] told me to try serving underhand [because of the wind]. It was pretty successful and it caught our opponents by surprise," said Burlew.

Burlew and DeLuca was the last match to finish that day.

"It was really intense. The team was really cheering. We were pretty happy. We sort of saved our team," Burlew said.

Despite the return of low temperatures and high winds three days later, Liberty defeated Allen 5-2 last Thursday. Wilsterman and Manley repeated with singles' victories, 6-3, 6-4, and 6-2, 6-4, respectively.

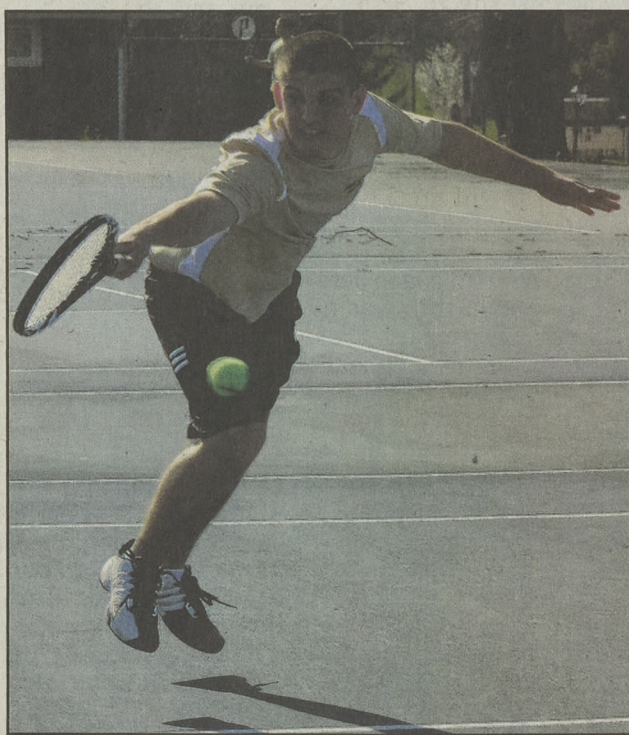
"I had a couple nice forehands today," Manley said.

Burlew and Cameron Angstadt had a number three doubles victory, 6-0, 6-2.

"Iaced them once, and Jackson had a nice shot that was hit between the two of them. We had some other nice shots, and we forced them into errors," Angstadt said.

Also winning for the Hurricanes were John Labiak and Manley at number two doubles, 6-3, 7-6 (7-4), and Larry Noble and Everett DeLuca at number four doubles, 6-0, 6-0.

Angstadt said, "Our doubles are pretty solid. We've had some tough games, but we came out and were able to take games and play under pressure."



Chris Blaszk and the Hawks are 3-1 as a team so far this season.

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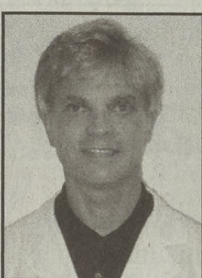
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Bethlehem's Ronald Cruz set to fight at Sands

By JEFF MOELLER
Special to the Press

Bethlehem native Ronald Cruz will be returning to the Lehigh Valley in the next few months in grand style.

The 24-year-old Freedom High graduate will be fighting at the Sands Hotel and Casino in Bethlehem June 1. Manager Lemuel Rodriguez indicated Cruz could be involved in a NBO or WBO welterweight title fight, but final preparations for a fight have not been secured.

It will mark Cruz's first return to the Lehigh Valley in nearly a year. In front of most

of the estimated crowd that was chanting his name during his bout, Cruz stopped veteran Doel Carrasquillo in the sixth round of their scheduled 10-round bout at the Sands Hotel and Casino in Bethlehem July 1.

Recently, Cruz (16-0, 12 Kos) remained unbeaten with a 10-round unanimous decision over Allen Conyers (12-6, 9 KO) at Bally's Hotel and Casino, Atlantic City on Feb. 28. Cruz won on all three score cards, 99-90, 98-89, 99-90.

In his bout against Conyers, Cruz landed a late blow in the first round that dropped

his opponent. But Conyers rebounded in the second round, and both boxers exchanged blows over the next three rounds.

Cruz wobbled Conyers in the sixth round and he pursued him in the seventh. In the ninth round, Cruz appeared to take control of the fight, and he also came out strong in the 10th. Yet, Conyers regrouped and temporarily staggered Cruz with a right in the final bout. Cruz regained his composure and finished the round.

With a series of impressive bouts and continuing impres-

sive opponents, Cruz steadily has gained respect and recognition among his peers.

"He (Cruz) has really established himself as a top 10 fighter," said Rodriguez. "We know he will get a title shot soon. The boxing world knows who he is (Cruz) and he continues to establish himself. In the fight (against Conyers), he (Cruz) had to reach back and respond when he needed to. He fought back when he had to and it was another step further for him as a fighter."

"We are looking forward to fighting in Bethlehem again, so the people of the Lehigh Valley

can see they will have another champion in their backyard soon."

Despite arguably his biggest victory, Cruz isn't totally satisfied and realizes the possibilities ahead.

"I know I made some mistakes," he said in reference to his bout against Conyers. "I have to go back and work on them. It was a nice win, but I wasn't happy with my performance. The competition will continue to get better and I have to be ready for it."

"I want to come back to the Lehigh Valley and make everyone proud."

VIA ALL-STAR CLASSIC

LVC teams fall short of sweep

The Via All-Star Basketball Classic took place on Saturday, March 31, at Northampton Community College in Bethlehem.

The Mountain Valley Conference, paced by Quindell Brice's 26 points, defeated the Lehigh Valley Conference East team 92-88.

LVC East, which featured Bethlehem players, was coached by Freedom's Joe Stellato. Jarrod Dilts of Freedom scored 15 points while teammates Joe Lococo and Tajmire Flood added 14 and six points, respectively. Becahi's Connor Casey scored four points and Evan Cowen added two in the loss.

The LVC East girls, coached by Becahi's Bill Lanscek, had a better fate, defeating Mountain Valley 94-66. The team pulled away from a close 41-39 lead at halftime to outscore the MVC 53-27 in the second half.

Ciara Hilliard, of Liberty, led the team with 17 points while teammate Jody Chickey helped out with 14. Jahara Hilliard added

12. Becahi's Jamie Deisher had three points while Rana Plesko had eight.

LVC East Girls

Deutsch 2 0-0 4, Deisher 1 0-0 3, Napolitano 3 0-0 7, Plesko 4 0-0 8, J. Hilliard 4 2-2 12, Flannery 6 0-0 12, Marcks 1 0-0 2, Hall 3 1-2 7, C. Hilliard 6 5-6 17, Chickey 6 1-1 14, Shaner 4 0-0 8. **Totals 40 9-11 94.**

MVC Girls

Redles 2 0-2 4, Chieffo 1 0-0 2, Roberts 2 0-0 4, DeVivo 1 0-0 3, Borden 1 0-0 2, Roth 2 0-0 6, Blake 2 0-0 4, Harris 9 3-5 21, Steakin 4 1-1 11, Ingram 4 1-2 9. **Totals 28 5-10 66.**

LVC East 41 53 - 94
MVC 39 27 - 66
Threes - LVC: J. Hilliard 2, Chickey, Deisher, Napolitano; MVC: Roth 2, DeVivo.

LVC East Boys

Cowen 2 0-2 4, Holley 8 3-5 19, Dilts 6 0-0 15, Flood 2 1-1 6, Hightower 5 2-4 14, Lococo 3 6-6 14, Huber 1-1 0-0 3, Holubowski 0 0-0 0, Smith 1 0-0 2, Casey 1 0-0 2, Walsh 4 1-1 9. **Totals 33 13-19 88.**

MVC Boys

Garcia 3 1-2 7, Wright 1 2-2 4, Luzzi 1 1-2 3, McLaughlin 2 0-2 4, Dixon 4 0-1 8, Brice 9 0-1 21, Asyo 6 2-5 16, Simmons 4 0-0 8, Amoroso 6 1-1 13, Knudsen 4 0-0 8. **Totals 40 7-16 92.**

LVC East 43 45 - 88
MVC 51 41 - 92

Threes - LVC: Dilts 3, Hightower 2, Lococo 2, Huber, Flood; MVC: Brice 3, Asyo 2.

LVC West Girls

Bet 4 4-6 14, Kinek 8 3-3 20, Horton 9 2-4 20, Kocsis 3 2-2 9, Gee 2 0-0 4, Moussa 2 0-0 4, Gomez 0 0-0 0, Lubenetski 3 0-0 6, Basile 1 2-2 4, Persichetti 0 0-0 0. **Totals 32 13-17 81.**

Colonial Girls

Hay 6 1-4 13, Oertner 4 0-6 8, Pierzga 5 2-3 13, Nemeth 5 0-0 11, Spirko 2 4-9 8, Polgar 3 0-0 7, Swiatek 1 6-6 9, Bastardi 1 0-0 2, Schiavone 1 4-4 6, Muschlitz 0 0-0 0, Undercuffer 0 0-0 0. **Totals 28 17-32 77.**

LVC West 32 49 - 81
Colonial 36 41 - 77
Threes - LVC: Bet (2), Kocsis, Kinek; C: Nemeth, Polgar, Pierzga, Swiatek (c).

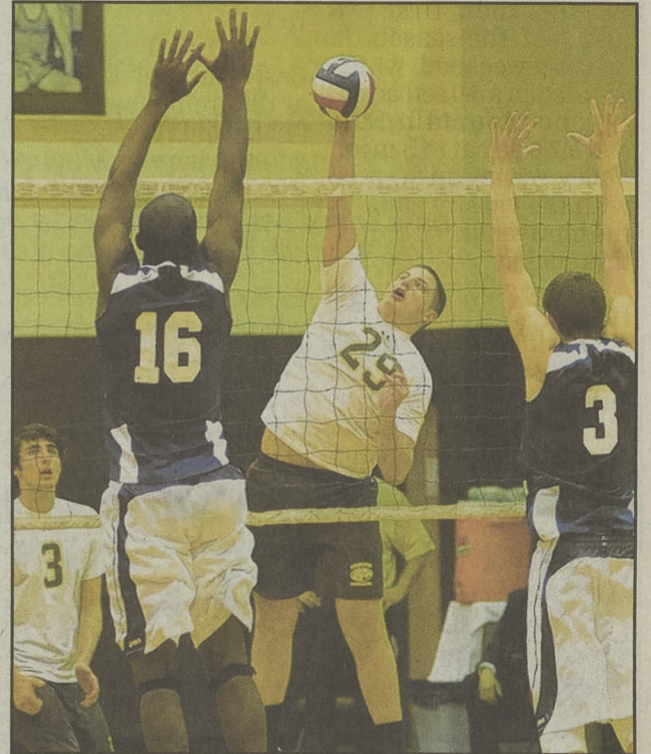
LVC West Boys

Brown 11 4-4 26, Stouff 7 0-0 15, Melosky 6 0-2 13, Moran 8 0-1 17, Muhr 6 0-0 12, Bobal 3 0-0 7, Bitto 3 2-2 9, Charles 4 0-0 8, Wiseley 3 0-0 7. **Totals 51 6-9 114.**

Colonial Boys

Reider 12 0-0 25, Gregg 5 3-4 14, Maron 7 0-0 14, Irons 7 2-4 16, Kennedy 1 2-3 4, Muller 2 0-0 5, Glose 1 0-0 2, Anderson 2 0-0 5, Spirko 2 2-4 6, Hughes 3 1-2 7, Ringland 4 0-0 8. **Totals 46 10-17 106.**

LVC West Boys 60 54 - 114
Colonial 40 66 - 106
Threes - LVC: Stouff, Melosky, Moran, Bobal, Bitto, Wiseley; C: Reider, Gregg, Muller, Anderson.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Becahi's Taylor Wills and the rest of his teammates reached the elite eight of the Bobcat Tournament.

VOLLEYBALL

Hawks reach elite eight

By PETER CAR
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If there's one thing that Bethlehem Catholic can take away from their performance at the Bobcat Invitational over the weekend, it's that they've made progress from a year ago.

The Hawks reached the elite eight over the weekend, in perhaps the most prestigious boys' volleyball tournament in the state, falling to Seneca Valley in three games to be eliminated.

Becahi went 8-5 over the course of the tournament, 3-1 in pool play, and were the only 2A school in the elite eight mix.

After being knocked out of the round of 16 last year, head coach Jeff Koch knows this was a positive step for his program.

"This is one of the best tournaments in the state, but we saw that we can beat some of the best teams around," said Koch. "Our competition is average at best here in the Lehigh Valley, but when you're in the York area, there are so many good teams. You have to play your best every point and that's a great thing about the tournament. It elevates your play and hopefully this will prep us better for the postseason."

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The Hawks knocked off Warwick in the play-in round to reach the round of 16 and then topped Pennsbury to reach the elite eight.

In their matchup with Seneca Valley, Becahi won the first game 15-11, but lost their next two 15-9 and 15-6.

Seneca valley then swept Parkland en route to the finals, where they lost to Chambersburg.

The Hawks are currently ranked fourth in the state at the 2A level, but that could change this week with how they played over the weekend.

Still, Koch knows there's plenty of work needed to be done if winning a state championship is the Hawks ultimate goal.

"We still have to find more consistency on the court," he said. "It's comforting to have us reach the elite eight, but we still need to get better."

Freedom also participated in the tournament, but ended up 1-3 in pool play to not advance to any other rounds.

The Hawks (2-0) and Patriots (0-2) squared off against each other last night, while Becahi hosts Easton tonight in their final match before the holiday break.

is doing great at first base. Taylor Brady is doing a great job."

The Hawks will take on Easton this Wednesday.

Visconti said, "I think we'll go into Wednesday's game with a lot of confidence, but every game is a new game, and on any day, any team could win."

Hawks

Continued from page A9 into a fielder's choice, scoring Kayla Kresley, who singled.

"Toward the end, we did great. We're a very good hitting team. Lauren Visconti is a heck of a softball player," said Mazza. "Courtney DuPont



Freedom's Tajmire Flood, Joe Lococo and Jarrod Dilts at the Via Classic.



Becahi's Rana Plesko

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Becahi's Connor Casey



Becahi's Evan Cowen



Liberty's Jahara Hilliard



Liberty's Ciara Hilliard

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Second half standings March 27

Holy Trinity	22 (23) 11 (13) 667
St. Matthew's	19 (16) 11 (20) 633
Bethany UCC	18 (24) 12 (12) 600
East Hills	18 (18) 12 (18) 600
Christ UCC	17 (8) 13 (28) 567
Fritz-Wesleyan	17 (20) 13 (16) 567
College Hill	15 (18) 15 (18) 500
Trinity UCC	15 (19) 15 (17) 500
St. Peter's	13 (15) 17 (21) 433
West Side-Ed.	14 (20) 19 (16) 424
Christ Lutheran	11 (19) 19 (17) 367
First UCC	10 (14) 20 (22) 333

Schoenersville 9 (20) 21 (16) 300 (First half record in parentheses)

RESULTS FROM 3/26/12

3/26: Bethany at East Hills 4-7, 5-6, 10-1; Christ Lutheran at Christ UCC 3-2, 0-2, 7-2; First UCC at Holy Trinity 2-4, 2-8, 2-5; Schoenersville at Trinity UCC 5-6, 5-7, 3-1; St. Peter's at College Hill 5-2, 10-4, 3-5; St. Matthew's at West Side-Edgeboro 4-0, 7-3, 2-1

Bye: Fritz-Wesleyan (Holy Cross Lutheran - exhibition)

HIGHLIGHTS FROM 3/26/12

1) Cliff Weston 5-13 & Dave Horvath 4-8 for St. Matthew's.

2) Paul Messman 5-12 for West Side-Edgeboro.

3) Mike DiMenich 4-7 for College Hill.

4) Travis Frankenfield 8-14, Tony

DeAngelis, Jr. 7-15 & Connie Wirth 5-13 for St. Peter's.

5) Dick Hacker 6-12 for First UCC.

6) Bill Repnyek 8-123 (including his 2,000 career run)

7) Bob Ackerman 4-12 (including the cycle) & Bud Konschnik 6-13 for Bethany.

8) Joe Hegedus III 6-12 & Joe Hegedus IV 4-7 for East Hills.

9) Bud Walker 4-13 & Sterling Gogle 3-6 for Schoenersville.

10) Tom Beahm 5-11, Matt Fullman 4-11 & Bob Mease 4-11 for Trinity UCC.

11) Jacob Buss 6-12 for Christ Lutheran.

THE PLAYOFF RACE

First half winner: Bethany

Second half winner: TBD

Next two teams with best overall record: TBD

HOLY TRINITY 45 24

BETHANY UCC 42 24

Fritz-Wesleyan 37 29

East Hills Moravian 36 30

St. Matthew's 35 31

Trinity UCC 34 32

College Hill 33 33

West Side-Edge 34 35

Christ Lutheran 30 36

Schoenersville 28 35

St. Peter's Luth. 26 37

Christ UCC 25 41

First UCC 24 42

Capitalized: clinched playoff spot, if necessary

Note: If Bethany wins both halves, there will be no playoff.

Softball

Continued from page A9 inning, and in the bottom of the fifth, Kondravy hit an RBI triple.

"I just went up there swinging, knowing we needed more runs," she

said.

In the top of the seventh, Marissa Merriman hit an in-the-park home run, giving the Hawks a little extra security with a 4-2 lead, heading into the bottom of the seventh inning.

"When you get to the

city games, they're intense. This is the first for the younger ones [on the team]. I told them the intensity goes up," said Liberty coach, Rich Giering.

Regarding the Hurricanes' near loss, Giering said, "I told them the two

hardest outs are the first one and the last one. I told them to play hard and have fun. They stayed loose."

The Hurricanes also have victories over Southern Lehigh, 8-5, and Stroudsburg, 11-4.

Baseball

Continued from page A9 in their game clicking, the true test will be to see if Liberty can stay consistent against more stringent competition.

"The object is to try and win and we know our next couple games are going to be tough," he said. "Hopefully we come out of this stretch well, but we just have to take things one game at a time."

Freedom (4-1) continued their strong start to the season on Monday with a 5-2 win over Bethlehem Catholic (2-3) to register their first LVC win of the season. Freedom jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the first inning thanks to

a two-run homerun by Eddie Milisits.

The Pates take on Northampton today in their final contest of the week, while Becahi takes on a talented Nazareth squad today at home.

Wrestling

Continued from page A9 time Michigan state champion in the quarters and a Massachusetts state champ in the semifinals en route to

the championship bout.

"These tournaments give you good exposure," he said. "I've watched my video of the final online a couple times and it just makes me feel good, but I was definitely sore on Monday."

FOUNTAIN HILL

Recycling chipper purchase debated

By CAROLE GORNEY
Special to the Bethlehem Press

A heated discussion erupted at Fountain Hill Borough Council's March 21 workshop over a suggestion that the borough should purchase an \$18,000 chipper to handle tree and grass waste, instead of the current practice of renting a chipper for \$1,000 once a year.

In making the suggestion, Councilman Fred Capuano said the chipper would pay for itself in two years with money generated from recycling. Councilwoman Helen Halleman objected, reminding the council that the Finance Committee has told the borough it can't purchase any more equipment.

"No more equipment - none," she said. "We can't afford it. You are going to bankrupt the borough with all the equipment for public works."

Capuano responded that in the past years more than \$90,000 has been put into the recycling fund, and none of it has been spent. Since that money can't be used for anything other than recycling, he said it should be used to help the borough recycle even more than what it is already doing.

No action was taken on the suggestion.

The council was split on a resolution to establish a recreation impact fee and revise pool fees. Councilman Ed Stech told the council that the current season pass pool fee schedule was too complicated and included too many disclaimers that were hard to enforce.

"If you go to the movies, you don't

have different costs if you have two children or three children," Stech said.

A suggestion to raise the pool fee for a family summer pass from the current \$140 was challenged by Councilwoman Carolee Gifford.

"Do you want the pool to be a really good place for families to go to?" she countered. "If we charged less, we'd get more people coming."

Capuano said the pool loses money every year and is subsidized by the borough. To that, Halleman added that prices at other municipal pools also are being raised.

Mayor Jose Rosado raised the issue of whether the pool is handicapped accessible. Council President Lawrence Rapp said the council needed to know what is needed to comply, and by when.

In other business, the council voted to send the borough's Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance plan (SALDO) to the Lehigh County Planning Commission for review. May 23 has been set as the tentative date for a public hearing on the plan.

Council also agreed to place on April's agenda a resolution to amend the 2012 Animal Control Services contract.

At the end of the meeting, it was announced that the annual Easter egg Hunt will be held at the Stanley Avenue playground Saturday, April 7, starting at 10 a.m. The event is open only to Fountain Hill Borough residents, who had to register by March 30 at Borough Hall or the Fountain Hill Police Department.

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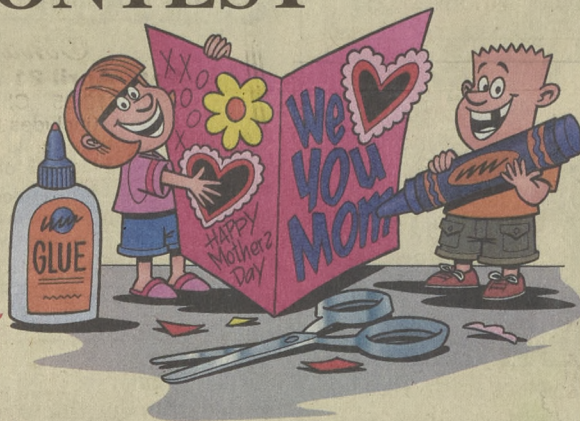
PRESS PHOTOS BY TIM GILMAN

Unseasonable springlike weather provided an early start for PennDOT workers to seal cracks on local roads maintained by the state. On March 2 a crack-sealing crew was busy improving the surface of Center Street, Route 512, in the 1500 block. The asphalt rubber sealant can be applied when road temperatures reach 40 degrees, according to Chris Repsher of the Northampton County PennDOT maintenance office. "This winter's mild temperatures have helped our seasonal crack sealing operations," said Repsher, a Bethlehem native who resides in Hanover Township. **BELOW:** A PennDOT yellow truck pulls a "hot buggy tank" which heats the hot black sealant to approximately 400 degrees before it is applied to the roadway cracks with a hose. State workers, protected by special work apparel, walk behind the truck and its tank as they apply and smooth out the hot black sealant.



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They will be joined by Moravian College Student Affiliates and members of other local organizations and institutions.

The public events feature an "Unhappy Hour" from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Looper's Bar and Grille, 313 E. Third St. On April 12, women are asked to wear red. On April 17, which is Equal Pay Day, there will be a flash mob and sing-along at 12:15 p.m. at Payrow Plaza, 10 W. Church St.

The calendar with links to supporting materials is available by visiting <http://bethlehem-pa.aauw>.

FIRST FRIDAY

"Bring On Spring" April 6 theme

First Friday's "Bring On Spring" night will be held from 6 to 10 p.m. April 6.

The event will take place on the SouthSide, between First, Fourth, Evans and Polk streets. There will be music, food, entertainment, arts and more.

For information, visit www.downtownbethlehem-massociation.com/events.

BETHLEHEM

City egg hunt date changed

The City of Bethlehem's annual Easter egg hunt has been postponed until 10 a.m. April 7. It will be held on the front lawn, Memorial Pool, 259 Illick's Mill Road.

The event is open to Bethlehem children ages three to eight. Just Born has contributed candy and WLEV will be handing out Gertrude Hawk chocolates. Prizes will be awarded in each age group. For information, call 610-865-7081.

VALLEY

Fathering style speech April 27

Community Services for Children hosts speaker Dr. Randell Turner addressing how a father's parenting style benefits his child's development.

The event is scheduled for 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. April 27 at CSC's Training Institute located on their campus, 1520 Hanover Ave., Allentown. There will be a cost and it is open to the community. Continuing education credits will be available for teachers and other professionals.


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Daffodil Days at Billy's Diner



PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

The American Cancer Society's 2012 Daffodil Days sale kicked off March 20 at more than 50 Lehigh Valley locations, one of which was Billy's Downtown Diner, where owner Billy Kounoupis pledged 20 percent of his sales between 7 and 10 a.m. and then matched it from his own pocket, as a donation in support of Daffodil Days. The American Cancer Society's Lehigh Valley Unit hoped to raise \$210,000 from selling 275,000 daffodils throughout the region. Two area residents were among early morning Billy's patrons who supported Daffodil Days. Steve Margeson, from Bethlehem Township, said he thought it was a good cause. Elwood Spaar Jr., a Bethlehem resident, said he wanted to brighten his wife's day. Daffodil Days was held from March 19 to 25 and funds raised support cancer research, education, advocacy and services. **ABOVE:** Anne Baum, vice president of Capital BlueCross Lehigh Valley, purchases four bundles of daffodils from Daffodil Days honorary chair Tony Ianelli at Billy's Downtown Diner. Karen Schiavone, an employee at the Lehigh Valley Unit of the American Cancer Society, assisted with sales. Capital BlueCross is a sponsor of the 2012 cancer fundraising effort.

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April 4, 2012

Peeps and Sam Born

Why do Americans associate marshmallow Peeps with the holiday of Easter? Some historians have suggested that the marshmallow chicks are tied to spring pagan rituals of celebrating the egg, which symbolizes birth. The egg later became a part of the Christian celebration of Easter. German immigrants, who are credited with popularizing the Easter Bunny tradition in America, settled Pennsylvania. Josh Early Company founders moved to Bethlehem in 1932 and may have been influenced by local traditions.



Karen M. Samuels
Columnist

More than 700 million Peeps are sold each year. The candy inspires a cult following, giving impetus to diorama contests and fan websites. The company website supplies a history of the firm. Russian-born Samuel Born immigrated to the United States from France in 1910, already trained in the art of chocolate making. In 1912, Sam Born invented the Born Sucker Machine, a machine for automatically inserting sticks into lollipops. In 1916, Sam Born was awarded the key to the city of San Francisco for the invention. Lollipops were very popular in California at the time.

In 1923, Sam Born opened a small chocolate shop in Brooklyn, N.Y. His chocolate was made fresh every day, and he would put a sign "Just Born" in the window when a new batch of chocolates was ready. That's how the company became "Just Born" and also inspired its early logo, which was a baby in a candy scale.

Soon after he opened his store, Born invited two family members, his brothers-in-law Jack and Irv Shaffer, to become his business partners. At the time of his death in 1996, Jack Shaffer was 94 years old and had not yet retired. He celebrated 70 years with the company shortly before his passing.

As the company grew, Sam Born invented new products. He created chocolate jimmies and a chocolate that is used as a hard coating on ice cream. In 1930, James Bartholomew operated the new machine that produced the chocolate sprinkles. Born decided to name the product after his worker, calling them "Jimmies."

Just Born was doing so well it eventually outgrew its New York headquarters. The company moved to an empty printing factory in Bethlehem in 1932 due to the good rail connections there. The price of land was reasonable and the railroad made receiving ingredients and shipping candy convenient. There was a good labor force available, as large groups of new immigrants were attracted to Bethlehem because of the many manufacturing mills. Just Born acquired the candy company Maillard, which made upscale candies, in 1935.

Next, Born produced two new candies Mike and Ike (1940) and Hot Tamales (1950). Hot Tamales were an invention of Sam Born's son, Bob. He needed a use for leftover licorice and thought of adding cinnamon to it. Bob Born was president of the company for 40 years.

In 1953, Just Born acquired the Rodda Candy Company of Lancaster, Pa. Although Rodda was best known for its jellybeans, it also made a small line of marshmallow products. They made a Peep by hand-squeezing marshmallow through pastry tubes. The marshmallow chicks took 27 hours to make, and the eyes had to be painted on individually by hand. Bob Born helped to mechanize the marshmallow forming process and Just Born has become the world's largest manufacturer of marshmallow treats. It now takes six minutes per Peep.

They created Jolly Joes, a grape flavored candy, in 1960. Two years later the company put out a spearmint candy named Cool Kids. The flavors were expanded to include Strawberry for strawberry and banana, Lem and Mel for lemon and watermelon, Cherri and Bubba, for cherry and bubble gum and Root-Too, a root beer-flavored chewy candy. At this time, the company decided to halt production of chocolate candies to focus entirely on non-chocolate and marshmallow confections.

In the 1980s, the company focused on advertising campaigns that would bring its candy to national attention. One such effort was putting sample boxes of its fruit candies inside General Mills' sweet Cocoa Puffs cereal. They began producing marshmallow shaped candies for other seasons during the year, such as Christmas and Halloween.

President Ronald Reagan's passion for jellybeans helped sell the Teenie Beaniees in 35 flavors. Just Born sent the former president a Waterford crystal decanter filled with his favorite jelly beans for his desk in the Oval Office and kept refilling it during his White House years. Carl Lewis, 1984 Olympic medal winner, said he lived entirely on a diet of Peeps during the summer Olympic trials.

Just Born continues to be a family owned business. In 1992 Sam Born's grandson Ross Born and nephew David Shaffer became the co-CEOs. In 1997, Mike and Ikes became the top selling candy for the company. Then in 1999, Just Born released television advertising for Peeps for the very first time. Lavender, blue and flavored peeps were produced during the 1990s.

The first Just Born retail store opened in fall 2009 at National Harbor, Maryland. They have added stores at the Mall of America in Minnesota and The Shoppes at Sands, next to the Sands Casino Resort Bethlehem. Also in 2009, Just Born joined ArtsQuest to create the Peeps Fest, four days of activities leading up to New Year's Eve when the giant Peep drops.

Just Born employs about 450 people at its plant in Bethlehem. Through the three generations the Borns and the Shaffers have generously supported the Bethlehem community.

A realted story about the new Peeps & Company store at the Sands appears on



Energy Choices and Marcellus Shale Gas Creating a culture of safety

By DOROTHY GLEW
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Prices at the pump have become progressively more painful, with no relief in sight; tensions with Iran, a major oil supplier, remain unresolved; and Pennsylvanians worry about the safety of hydraulic fracturing (fracking), the process of drilling for natural gas in shale formations.

Addressing these issues during a recent talk at Moravian College was John Hanger, secretary of the Pa. Dept. of Environmental Protection (DEP) from 2008 to 2011 and Commissioner of the Pa. Public Utility Commission (PUC) from 1993 to 1998.

As DEP secretary, Hanger was responsible for overseeing the development of a balanced ecological system by protecting Pennsylvania's environmental resources and helping the public to comply with environmental laws and regulations. As state Public Utility Commissioner, he advocated policies that would assist low-income families struggling to pay utility bills and that would benefit the environment, such as energy conservation and developing renewable energy.

Hanger is currently Special Counsel at Eckert Seamans, supporting their practices in areas such as clean transportation infrastructure, energy efficiency and competitive energy markets. He is a nationally recognized expert on energy, green economy, gas drilling and environmental issues.

His talk, "The Truth and Nothing But the Truth About America's Energy Choices and Marcellus Shale Gas," March 20 was sponsored by Moravian College's environmental studies and sciences program.

Hanger began on a positive note, observing that despite the economic

Though Pennsylvania's strategic objective has been to produce gas while protecting the environment, there is some tension between the two goals and summarized the potential problems that shale gas poses to the environment.

John Hanger
Former Pa. DEP secretary



downturn, energy production in the United States is at record levels. Starting three years ago, oil production has increased annually, and oil imports declined from 60 percent on 2005 to 47 percent in 2010. While coal production peaked in 1998 and has been declining steadily, gas production has increased, setting a record in 2011.

Hanger gave a brief overview of the nation's energy resources. At this point, he said, oil is the nation's single biggest energy source followed by natural gas, coal, renewables (such as ethanol, biomass energy, wind, solar) and nuclear power. U.S. energy consumption peaked in 2007 and has declined in part because of higher fuel efficiency standards. President Obama has raised those standards twice.

Hanger said that all energy sources have advantages and disadvantages. Dependence on foreign oil makes us vulnerable to unstable regimes abroad; coal is a great polluter and mining it can be dangerous. Nuclear power also poses dangers.

Hanger spoke enthusiastically about renewables. In 2010 they provided 11 percent of our energy, but he predicted that solar power will be a much greater energy source in the next few years.

Then-Governor Rendell and Hanger tried without success to get the state legislature to levy a tax on natural gas extraction.

Hanger outlined the measures that he took while DEP secretary to address the problems created by shale gas drilling. Wastewater can no longer be dumped in rivers and streams. New, more stringent drilling standards have been imposed, and disclosure of the chemicals used in drilling is now required. In addition, drillers must include water-use and waste-disposal plans with their well permit applications. Companies are now paying for the cleanup of spills, leaks and gas migration. In short, his goal was strict rules concerning drilling, sufficient staff to enforce the rules and leadership that would ensure enforcement of the rules.

For all that has been done, additional environmental issues remain. These include air emissions and the release of heat-trapping methane into the atmosphere, which is not readily reversed. In addition, two studies have found that drilling causes the migration of gas into water. During the question period following the talk, audience members cited additional safety issues, such as the lack of regulation of abandoned wells, well casing failure and links between fracking and leukemia.

Hanger acknowledged there remain safety issues with regard to shale gas drilling. Moreover, people who have been adversely affected by hydraulic fracturing must be fairly compensated. We need rigorous inspections, he noted. Above all, "we need to create a culture of safety" within the industry.

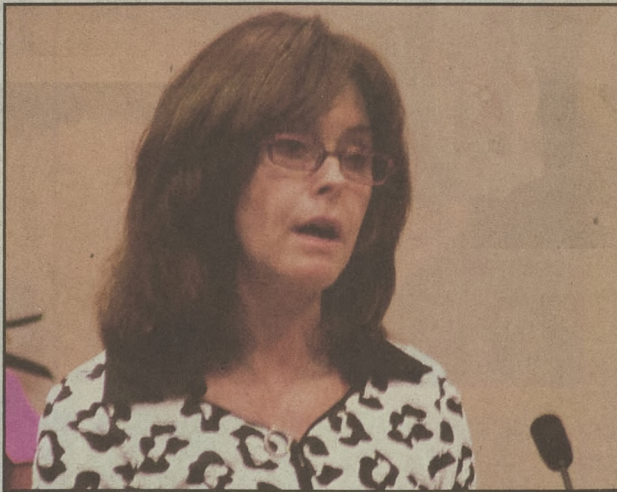
LEHIGH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Highway safety program delayed

By DANIEL MINGUEZ
Special to The Press

Lehigh County Commissioners made two appointments at their March 14 meeting.

Karen L. Francis, of Whitehall, was appointed to the Adult Service Advisory Board and Christina "Tori" Morgan, of Allentown, was appointed to the Lehigh Valley Planning Commission. Both appointments were unanimous.

Following the appointments, the commissioners waylaid a bill to approve funding for a highway safety program for Lehigh and Northampton counties. Commissioner Scott Ott



PRESS PHOTO BY DANIEL MINGUEZ

Director of Community and Economic Development Cindy Feinberg defends the bill to grant money for a highway safety program at the March 14 Lehigh County Commissioners meeting.

made the motion to postpone voting on the bill until the March 28 meeting to allow for consideration of statistics on previous implementations of the program. The motion was approved on a 5-4 vote.

"I want to make sure the data we see reflected from those previous experiences justifies what we're asked to do here, which is essentially to spend about \$95,000 of money from a federal government that has told us every day that they don't have any money and they're borrowing 40 cents of every dollar that they get ... We are the last

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More than 700 million Peeps are sold each year.

Lauren Ashley Miller

Bethlehem Catholic HS

Grade: 10

Family members: My mom, Michelle, my dad, Roger, and my dog, Cooper

Favorite subject: My favorite subject is biology, because I enjoy learning about life and living organisms.

Activities: I do cross country, track and field, horseback riding, and am part of the Pro Life Club.

Next steps: I want to go to college and med school.

Career goals: I hope to become a doctor.

Heroes: Mrs. Sturnback; she was my teacher for four years, influenced me in my faith and my outlook on life.

Hobbies: My hobbies are running, boating, surfing, cooking, hanging with friends and listening to music.

Current job(s): I am a babysitter.

Volunteer/community work: I lector at church and I altar serve. I fundraise for Mary Shelter and I help my school community.

Likes: I like animals, the outdoors, the beach, the band O.A.R. and my iPhone.

Dislikes: I dislike disorgan-



ization, fast food and negativity.

Greatest accomplishment (so far): I was selected to be an ambassador for the United States through the People to People Organization.

Advice for peers: "You just have to live your life not caring what other people think, and shake off the drama, and prove to others that you're better than who they think you are." - Unknown

Julia Swan coordinates student profiles for the Bethlehem Press.



PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB

Getting ready for 'Les Miz'

The cast of Liberty High School's spring musical 'Les Miserables' had a special visitor at its March 3 rehearsal, as Broadway actor Neal Mayer attended and spent several hours observing, answering questions and instructing the students. Mayer, who performed in the Broadway production of 'Les Miserables' for four years, said he hoped his visit would encourage the cast "to take pride in their work" and "to realize how extraordinary theater can be." Mayer related that his first night performing in 'Les Miserables' was both terrifying and thrilling as he fielded about two dozen questions prior to working with the cast on a visualization exercise. Questions ranged from

the pay scale to his favorite part in the production, the finale. Sean Manion, a senior theater leader, said the time spent with Mayer was enlightening. "It helps to visualize what you're doing before hand, and to put into perspective what those characters are feeling," he added. Mayer's tips to individual members of the cast seemed to be immediately translated into dramatic results. 'Les Miserables' will be performed on April 12, 13 and 14. For additional information and tickets call Tish at 610-837-4755. **ABOVE:** Neal Mayer conducts a visualization exercise with the 73-member cast during his visit to Liberty HS.



Actor Neal Mayer fields questions from students performing in Liberty's spring musical production of 'Les Miserables.' Mayer's advice was for the students to "remember what a great show this is."

NOTRE DAME NEWS

Students celebrate stellar winter; everyone looks forward to spring

Although the year is coming to an end, Notre Dame is certainly not slowing down with activities. The spring brings much excitement for the school academically, spiritually and athletically.



Mary Paige Nesfeder
Notre Dame HS

Finishing up Notre Dame's stellar winter sports season, we were blessed to have a few players awarded with All-Area team honors. Junior wrestler Sean Williams earned an honorable mention for his season.

Both the boys and the girls basketball teams had players honored with spots on the All-Area team as well. For the girls, senior Brittany Pierzga scored a spot on the third team and juniors Shannon Moran and Alexandra McGivern earned honorable mentions.

As for the boys, senior Connor Hughes earned a second team title, while senior Alex Gregg got an honorable mention. Both Hughes and Gregg also received invitations to the 37th annual Via All-Star Basketball Classic March 31 at Northampton Community College. Pierzga also earned a spot on the Colonial League girls roster.

Taking a spiritual turn, Notre Dame says goodbye to beloved Deacon Anthony Koury in May. A Mass and banquet celebrating his years of service will be held June 2

at Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church at 4 p.m..

Bishop John O. Barres will be visiting the school April 12 and celebrating Mass with the student body.

In the world of theater, head of the Fine Arts Department Rody Gilkeson is working hard with his cast to create magic on the stage for the spring production of "Little Women." Junior Tyler Fernandez stars as Professor Bhaer, while seniors Samantha Prentice, Shannon Rinker, junior Maddie Prentice and freshman Nicole Dischinat star as the March sisters. Senior Thomas Kennebeck plays a dashing Laurie while senior Irene Kurtz is a sweet Marmee. The play will be performed April 19, 20 and 21.

The Speech and Debate team had an amazing season finishing, with four members placing at the state competition. Kurtz, mentioned above, is the new state champion in the Student Congress category. Junior Natalie Prager took third in Oral Interpretation and Poetry. Sophomore Gabrielle Grys finished fifth in Informative Speaking. Senior Jonathan Tabuzo made it to the semi-finals in Persuasive Speaking, ultimately finishing 12th. The championships were held at Susquehanna University March 23 and 24.

Notre Dame will have an Open House and Information Day April 15. We'd like to invite you all to come and see what we're all about! For any other information, feel free to check out our website at www.ndcrusaders.org.

A little help from some 'Friends'

Faculty and friends attended an evening that featured tasty hors d'oeuvres and dessert buffet, a silent auction fundraiser and cabaret performances by students and alumni involved in Liberty theater. According to Friends of Liberty board vice president and co-founder Mary Wright, almost 200 students are involved in theater productions at Liberty. Funds raised support professional enrichment opportunities, outreach to the local community and production support. Additional information about the nonprofit organization can be found at www.friendsoflibertytheatre.org.



PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB

Supporters of Liberty theater enjoy a delicious Valentine's themed dessert buffet after the cabaret performances. Culinary students at BAVTS prepared the treats.

Reading Across America



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St. Michael the Archangel Primary School held a birthday celebration March 2 for Theodor Seuss Geisel, aka Dr. Seuss. Students shared cupcakes in celebration and listened to second-grade students read from the Dr. Seuss book, "Green Eggs and Ham." Dr. Seuss character, The Cat in the Hat, stopped by to join in the celebration.

ABOVE: With the Cat in the Hat are fourth grade students, Carl Link and Willem Shimer, both of Lower Saucon Township, and kindergarten student Gianna Rachiele, of Center Valley.



Michelle Trempel, Rachel Durs, Anna Siftar and Emma Illick-Frank show their support for Lillian Schrecengost (center), a performer in Liberty theater.



Bethlehem Councilman Dave DiGiacinto joins his son Luke who sings in Liberty theatre.



Hannah Michael and Kelsey Elliott perform "Simple Joys of Maidenhood" from Camelot during the evening's cabaret program.

Peeps & Company Just in time for Easter

By TIM GILMAN
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Just Born Inc. has started a Friends and Neighbors discount promotion for its newest Peeps and Company store, just in time for the Easter holiday season.

"Our Bethlehem owners are very community-minded and would like to show their appreciation for the many years of support by the community," said Peeps & Company Vice President Marvin Cooper, who oversees and operates the new line of retail outlets.

All Lehigh Valley residents with ID are being given a special limited time 15 percent discount at the South Bethlehem Peeps and Company store, which opened Feb. 15.

The locally owned "quality confections" company has been in the candy business for eight decades and its home plant and executive offices are located on Stefko Boulevard in Northeast Bethlehem.

The Bethlehem Peeps and Company flagship store is the third retail outlet to open in two years.

Just Born's intent is to promote its candy lines at its own retail shops where gift and souvenir merchandise for the company-established brands will also be available.

The first store opened at the National Harbor in Maryland and was followed this past Christmas by a second store at the Mall of America in Minnesota.

Since Easter has always been a prime sales period for the candy producer, the store shelves are stocked with a variety of Easter related items.

During Easter, the most popular Just Born candy are marshmallow Peeps



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

Peeps & Company shopper Mary Lou Young of Hellertown makes a return visit to the Just Born store in the Shoppes at the Sands Mall to look for a birthday party gift. "I love it," she said of the recently opened specialty store, which is locally owned. "We need to make purchases to support our favorite candy," she added while holding a gift set box.



Peeps & Company associate Debbie Schneider of Bethlehem greets shoppers Loretta Costa of Upper Saucon Township and Tara Airoidi of Lower Saucon Township with a tray of samples. The Peeps Chick in the background glows in the various colors in which Peeps are produced.

Chicks and Bunnies in a variety of colors and flavors. Plush stuffed toys of the chicks and bunnies and plush Easter baskets are also available.

A recent visit to the South Bethlehem store revealed a steady flow of shoppers.

Store associate Allyson Branco of Bethlehem was busy ringing up sales on her register and notifying customers of the additional 15 percent discount.

She was also offering visitors candy from a samples tray.

"The company wants us to make sure the customers are chewing and happy while they visit our store," the sales associate said with a smile.

"We've been surprisingly busy for Easter," commented Brandi Poss of East-

"It was always our intention to open a store in Just Born's hometown first, but the sagging economy delayed the opening of the Sands outlet mall where we wanted to be."

MARVIN COOPER

ton, a store manager on duty, referring to the Shoppes at Sands Mall, which is not at full capacity and continues to announce new store openings.

"Our newest store is exceeding our sales expectations," said Cooper during a recent telephone interview.

"It was always our intention to open a store in Just Born's hometown first, but the sagging economy delayed the opening of the Sands outlet mall where we wanted to be," added Cooper.

"We are happy to have opened our flagship store in time for the Easter holiday season, which should be one of our busiest sales periods," he added.

"We hope that our Friends and Neighbors discount promotion will continue to attract customers to our newest store and help fill their Easter baskets during this holiday season."

The daily hours of the Shoppes at Sands Mall are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and extended to 11 p.m. Friday and Saturdays.

MAJESTIC CENTER Crayola becomes first tenant

Mayor John Callahan recently announced that Crayola LLC will be the first tenant of Majestic Bethlehem Center (MBC,) a 442-acre business park on former Bethlehem Steel land at 3001 Commerce Center Blvd.

Majestic Realty Company will construct an 800,000-square-foot centralized distribution center built to Crayola's specifications. The center is expected to draw 60 to 80 jobs into the city.

Earlier this month, the mayor announced Liberty Property Trust had filed plans for an 800,000-square-foot warehouse in Lehigh Valley Industrial Park VII, off Commerce Center Boulevard.

In October, 2011, Liberty Property Trust broke ground on a 1.2 million-square-foot warehouse in Lehigh Valley Industrial Park VII.

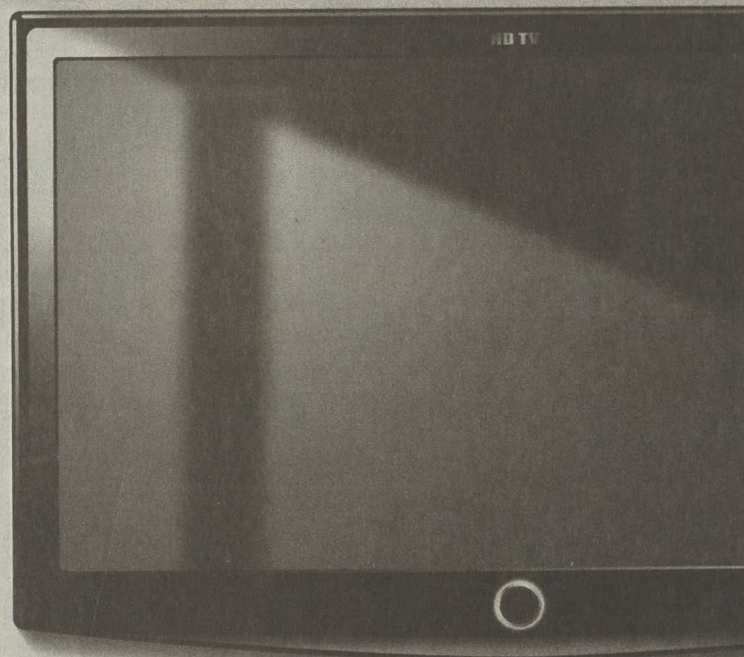
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line of defense for this expenditure of money and if they ask us to spend it then we should exercise due diligence over it," Ott said.

The decision seemed to come as a surprise to representatives from the Lehigh Valley Health Network who had come to the meeting expecting to give a presentation on the details of the program.

Director of Community and Economic Development for Lehigh County Cindy Feinberg delivered the information requested by Ott March 11 and addressed Ott saying, "the information would have taken about 10 minutes to review and it was sent to you several days ago."

Commissioners were to debate the merits of the bill and were scheduled to vote on it at the March 28 meeting.



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To 'The Planets' and beyond Allentown Symphony plans multi-media concert



Classical Views

By Diane Wittry

The worlds beyond planet Earth have always fascinated us. For centuries, we have looked at the stars, admired them and used them for navigation.

In 1969, we rushed to land the first man on the moon. Movies like "Star Trek," "Star Wars," "StarGate," "Deep Space Nine" and "Apollo 13" have valiantly tried to capture how things might be in the future traveling through the galaxy. The vastness of the universe continues to mesmerize and beckons us to discover its well-kept secrets.

Because we are infatuated with space, it was very easy for me to plan a concert for the Allentown Symphony based upon "The Planets." Of course, the most obvious and longest piece on the program is Gustav Holst's famous composition "The Planets."

Holst includes seven movements: "Mars," "Venus," "Mercury," "Jupiter," "Saturn," "Uranus" and "Neptune." This piece is most famous for the relentless 5/4 rhythm in the opening movement of "Mars" and for sections of "Jupiter" that were once used as television news show theme music.

To make the concert even more exciting, I invited astronomer and video artist, Jose Francisco Salgado, of the Adler Planetarium in Chicago, to speak with us about the planets during the concert and show the film he created to accompany Holst's "The Planets" as



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Jose Francisco Salgado, above, of Adler Planetarium, Chicago, will speak and show a film he created to accompany Holst's "The Planets," which the Allentown Symphony performs in its concerts, 8 p.m. April 14; 3 p.m. April 15, Symphony Hall, Allentown.

we play the music live.

As I was getting organized for "The Planets" concerts, 8 p.m. April 14 and 3 p.m. April 15, Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown, I realized that there was no music to celebrate the planet Earth that Gustav Holst simply left out.

In honor of our beloved planet Earth, we held a composition contest for young

students in the area. The goal was to write music for "Earth" and to perform it with a school ensemble. We had a nice selection of entries and chose three as our winning pieces.

The winning composers are: First Place, "Earth" by Kira Butz, Eighth Grader, Allentown School District; Second Place, "Earth" by Evan Nygard, Fifth Grad-

er, Homeschooled; and Honorable Mention, "Terra: The Bringer of Life" by Carina Wetherhold, Seventh Grader, Allentown School District.

The first- and second-place winning pieces will be performed live at 2:30 p.m. before the Allentown Symphony 3 p.m. April 15 concert. Come early and support our wonderful young composers and performers in the Lehigh Valley.

Within "The Planets" program, I knew I also wanted to have a calm moment to feature Claude Debussy's beautiful "Clair de Lune" ("Light of the Moon") with pianist Michael Toth. Michael lives in Bethlehem and has been a valuable member of the Allentown Symphony for many years. In this piece, Debussy's quiet and lyrical writing is quite breathtaking. It is one of my favorites.

I also thought it would be fun to open the concert with theme music from the movie "Apollo 13." The score, written by renowned film composer, James Horner, is both lyrical and powerful. Many people saw the film with Tom Hanks in the lead role and many were alive when the Apollo 13 crisis was happening. This music captures that spirit.

But I still had the middle of the program to finish. There were many great pieces to select from, but I chose a slightly unusual direction. Because "The Planets" ends softly with an off-stage women's chorus, I felt that I wanted to feature the full chorus in the first half of the concert so that you could actually see who they were.

Our chorus is composed of members of the Lafayette See **IEWS** on Page B5

8 DAYS A WEEK

Your look ahead at Valley Arts



PHOTO BY KEN EK OF KENEK PHOTOGRAPHY

"Abridged" too far: "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)," a fast-paced, madcap, satirical look at Shakespeare's plays, continues for one final weekend, 8 p.m. April 5 - 7, Allentown Public Theatre (APT), Long Haul Room, America On Wheels Museum, 5 N. Front St., Allentown. In a scene, above, from the "Works" send up of "Romeo and Juliet," Michael Fegley, center, is narrator; Josh Neth, left, is Benvolio; and Matt Candio, right, is Romeo. APT received a \$3,500 grant from the Lehigh Valley Community Foundation toward the troupe's building of a stage and purchase of 10 LED lighting fixtures, all of which were used for the first time with "Works" Tickets: 888-895-5645, www.AllentownPublicTheatre.com

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PHOTO BY DAVID SESTAK

Friday at the "Park": Relive your memories of barrels of fun at Bushkill Park with "David Sestak: Bushkill Park - Closure," an exhibit of 65 personal photographs, including the above image, made over a 15-year-period at the 109-year-old flood-damaged Lehigh Valley landmark amusement park. The "Bushkill Park" exhibit will be shown concurrently at two locations, opening with First Friday receptions, 7 - 10 p.m. April 6, Fox Optical & Gallery, 28 E. Third St., and Home & Planet, 25 E. Third St., both Bethlehem. Sestak and Bushkill Park's Neal Fehnel will talk 6 - 8 p.m. April 19, Home & Planet. The exhibits continue through May 27. Information: Home & Planet, 610-866-7370; Fox Optical & Gallery, 610-332-2400



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"Pulp" nonfiction: "Pulp Icons: Cast Paper & Prints By Stewart Nachmia" opens with a First Friday reception, 6 - 9 p.m. April 6, including a gallery talk by Nachmias, 7 p.m. April 6, Banko Family Gallery, Banana Factory, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. The exhibition, which continues through May 20, features 30 expressionist images, including "The Bridge, Tanks & Dumbo" (woodcut, 36" x 48"), above, drawn from the artist's experiences as a musician, puppeteer and printmaker. The Brooklyn-based artist employs a cast-paper technique. Nachmias demonstrates his techniques, 6 - 8 p.m. May 4 at the Banana Factory. Information: 610-332-1300, www.artsquest.org

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Psychedelic Furs play music their way

By MELISSA SIMOCK
Special to The Press

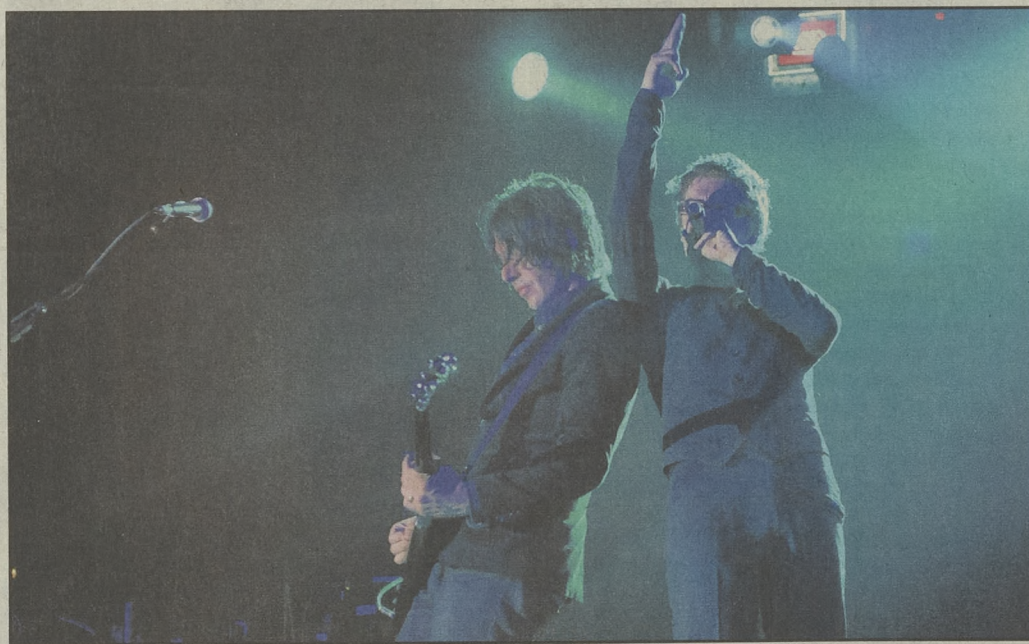
The Psychedelic Furs, led by founding members, singer Richard Butler and his brother Tim on bass guitar, emerged from England's punk scene in 1977. The band has released seven studio albums, several compilations, a live concert DVD, and a boxed set, including such hits as "Love My Way," "Pretty In Pink," "Heaven," "The Ghost In You" and "Heartbreak Beat."

The Furs take the stage at 7:30 p.m. April 7, Musikfest Café, ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks, Bethlehem.

When asked how he felt about movie director John Hughes borrowing the Furs' song title "Pretty In Pink" (from 1981's "Talk Talk Talk") as the title for what would become a hit 1986 movie, Tim Butler, says, "We were pleased at the time, but not happy when he wrote the story. The song is about an easy girl, who sleeps around."

According to Tim, the Furs' song, "Pretty In Pink," refers to being naked, not being dressed in a pink prom dress as depicted in the movie. "It turned a lot of our hardcore fans off. Suddenly, teenage girls were showing up at shows, running down the aisles in pink shirts." Some of those fans did eventually come back around. Butler continues, "America is great because once you have followers, they stick with you." With all the sell-out shows on their latest tour, that certainly seems to be the case.

Unlike other warring rock bands with brothers in lead roles (like Ray and Dave Davies of the Kinks, and Noel and Liam Gallagher of Oasis), the brothers Butler do get along.



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Brothers Tim, above left, bass and Richard Butler, above right, lead vocals, and their band, The Psychedelic Furs, make a concert tour stop in Bethlehem, 7:30 p.m. April 7, Musikfest Café, ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks.

According to Tim, in the 1980's they would drink and fight, but they've grown up. "Our egos are in check. I know we are both important to the band. He [Richard] writes a lot of the lyrics and I write a lot of the music."

In 1982, The Furs were experimenting with cellos and new sounds. They were fans of multi-instrumentalist-songwriter-producer Todd Rundgren's solo work, particularly his album "Faithful," which includes an impressive cover of The Beach Boys' "Good Vibrations." When it came time to record their next album, The Furs thought Rundgren would be a great fit for the role of producer. The result was "Forever Now." "That's my favourite album," says Tim. This album included the song, "Love My Way," which became another United Kingdom and United States chart hit.

Richard Butler's vocal style is at once intellectually disdainful, emotionally authoritative and earnestly intimate. "In the beginning, he [Richard] was intoning lyrics. Along the way he improved his vocal style, and we [The Furs] improved our playing."

Tim continues, "It's rare these days to have a sound that's so distinctive. Bands don't get a chance to formulate a style today. If you're not an immediate hit, you're dropped. We were signed to a five-record deal, so we'd have a chance to build and create a style."

Tim believes that as a result of this, a lot of bands coming out today sound the same. "Robert Smith of the Cure and Morrissey have such distinct styles. A few notes into the song and you know who the band is."

Comparing touring and recording in an era of an essentially non-existent

music business, to the "good ole days" of the 1980's, Tim believes it is healthy that there are more ways to get your music out there, i.e., Facebook and YouTube.

"You don't need big, expensive recording studios anymore. You can do it all at home."

He does feel it is unhealthy to not get radio play, though. "Normal radio will go the way of the dinosaurs," says Tim. "In the 80's, on college radio, if you were a hit, you would go Top 40 next. It doesn't work that way anymore. College radio isn't what it used to be."

The band continues to tour around the world. The Psychedelic Furs touring lineup remains Richard Butler, vocals; Tim Butler, bass; Rich Good, guitar; Mars Williams, saxophone; Amanda Kramer, keyboards; and Paul Garisto, drums.

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Rev. Maritza T. Dolich, Outreach Pastor
Sunday Worship 8 & 10:30 a.m.
9 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
Parking Lot Available
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CONCORDIA LUTHERAN CHURCH
2623 Brookside Rd., Macungie
(Intersection of Sauerkraut Lane)
Join Us Every Sunday!
8 & 10:45 a.m. (Worship)
9:15 a.m. Fellowship
9:30 a.m. (Family Education)
Rev. Wally Vinovskis, 610-965-3265
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FAITH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
3355 MacArthur Road
Whitehall, Pa. 18052
(610) 435-0451
8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Sunday School, all ages
The Rev. Michael J. Bodnyk
e-mail prayer requests to
mbodn@aol.com
Handicapped Accessible
Hearing Devices Available

HEIDELBERG LUTHERAN CHURCH
Irvin & Church Roads
Heidelberg Township
Rev. David L. Hess
610-767-9513
Info and map on website:
www.heidelberg-lutheran.org
8:30 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
Handicapped accessible & air conditioned

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
3461 Cedar Crest Blvd.
Emmaus, Pa. 18049
610-967-2220
Rev. Richard H. Elliott, Sr. Pastor
Rev. James Bowers, Assoc. Pastor
Rev. Marge Dean, Assoc. Pastor
Sunday Holy Communion
7:30, 8:45, 10:45 a.m.
Rejoicing Spirits...
Special service for developmentally disabled adults & children
2nd Sunday each month at 2:30 p.m.

HOLY TRINITY MEMORIAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fourth & Pine Sts., Catasauqua
610-264-2641 - Rev. John Hart
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship, Nursery
(Communion 1st & 3rd Sun./month)

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
4131 Lehigh Drive, P.O. Box 1030
Cherryville, PA 18035
(610) 767-7203
www.hopecherryville.org
The Rev. Jami Possinger
Sunday Worship, 8 & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School for all ages, 9:15 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible & Air Conditioned
"Anchored in Christ, Alive in HOPE"

JERUSALEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF EASTERN SALISBURY
1707 Church Road
Allentown, PA 18103
610-797-6933
Rev. Shirley Guider
8:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship

JORDAN LUTHERAN CHURCH
5103 Snowdrift Road
Orefield 610-395-5912
The Rev. Herbert H. Michel, D.D.
8 & 10:30 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
Holy Communion
1st & 3rd Sun. at 10:30 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sun. at 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible
Hearing Devices Available

NATIVITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
4004 Tilghman St. - 610-395-5062
John P. Minnich, STM, Pastor
Richard H. Stough, STM, Assoc. Pastor
Communion
1st & 3rd Sunday & every Saturday
Saturday Worship, 6 p.m.
Sunday Worship 8 & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.
www.nativityallentown.org



SHARED MINISTRY

JERUSALEM WESTERN SALISBURY CHURCH
3441 Devonshire Road
Allentown, PA 18103
610-797-4242 or 610-791-4979
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
and the United Church of Christ
Rev. Homer E. Royer Jr., Sr. Pastor
Rev. Samantha Drennan, Assoc. Pastor
7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Worship
7:30 p.m. Good Friday Worship
Easter: 6:30 a.m. Dawn Worship
8 a.m. Holy Communion, pew
9 a.m. Sunday School Classes
10:30 a.m. Holy Communion, altar

UNION

ST. PETER'S UNION CHURCH
(Lutheran, UCC)
7863 St. Peters Road
(on Macungie Mountain)
610-966-3030
Rev. Jerel W. Gade, Pastor
9 a.m. Worship
10:15 a.m. Sunday School

ST. PETER'S UNION CHURCH
(Lutheran & UCC)
Lynnville, PA 610-298-8064
Pastor Carol Ivey
Worship 9:30 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible
All Welcome!

UNITED CH. OF CHRIST

CEDAR U.C.C.
3419 Broadway
(2 blks. W. Cedar Crest Blvd.)
610-395-6332
Pastor Lee Schleicher
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship

CHRIST'S CHURCH AT LOWHILL U.C.C.
4695 Lowhill Church Road
New Tripoli - 610-298-2527
Rev. Russell Campbell
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
Ramp Accessible
christchurchatlowhill.com

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD U.C.C.
135 Quarry Rd., Alburts
610-966-2991
Rev. Scott M. Sanders
9 a.m. Sunday School
Easter Celebration,
8 & 10:30 a.m. Communion

EBENEZER U.C.C.
Route 143, New Tripoli
610-298-8000
Rev. Kevin Frucht, Pastor
10:15 a.m. Worship Service
Nursery Available
Handicapped Accessible
Hearing Devices Available

EGYPT COMMUNITY CHURCH
4129 S. Church Street
Whitehall - 610-262-4961
Pastor Larry E. Pickar, Sr.
Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Series: Plan to Win!
Message Outlines on Website
(Child-Care Available)
Adult/Children's Sunday Sch., 9 a.m.
Visit Our Website: www.EgyptUCC.com

GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
902 Lincoln Ave.
Northampton, Pa. 18067
610-262-7186 graceucc@rcn.com
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
Handicapped accessible

U.C.C. GREENAWALDS
2325 Albright Avenue
Allentown, PA 18104
610-435-1763
Jeffery A. Brinks, Pastor
9 a.m. Education Hour
10:30 a.m. Worship
(Nursery available)
Sanctuary handicapped accessible

HEIDELBERG U.C.C.
Irvin & Church Roads
Heidelberg Township
Pastor Karen Yonney
610-767-4740
Puppet Ministry
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship Service
Handicapped Accessible
Air Conditioned
www.uccheidelberg.org

JORDAN UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
1837 Church Road, Allentown
(Corner of 309 & Walbert Ave.)
Jordanucc.org
610-395-2218
Rev. Dr. David Charles Smith, Sr. Pastor
Sat., April 7: Easter Egg Hunt
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
Easter Services: 6, 8 & 10:30 a.m. Worship

ST. JOHN'S U.C.C. FULLERTON
575 Grape Street, Whitehall 18052
Rev. Dr. Becky J. Beckwith, Sr. Pastor
Rev. George R. Eckstein, Assoc. Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship
Accessible & Elevator
Everyone is Welcome!
610-264-8421
stjohnsucc.pastor@rcn.com

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

139 North Fourth St.
Emmaus 610-965-9158
Sr. Pastor, Rev. Paul Knappenberger
8 & 10:30 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Sunday School

ST. PAUL'S UCC OF INDIANLAND
787 Almond Road
Walnutport (Cherryville)
610-767-5751
Rev. Martin E. Nuscher
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Traditional Worship
8 a.m. Contemporary Worship,
2nd & 4th Sunday
Nursery Available, Handicapped Accessible

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Rt. 100 & Church Lane
Trexelton - 610-395-4571
Rev. Al Bastin, Co-Pastor
Rev. Carol Bastin, Co-Pastor
9 a.m. Sunday School
9 a.m. Worship
10:30 a.m. Worship, Nursery

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
19th St. & Lincoln Ave.
Northampton - 610-261-2910
Rev. Todd Fennell
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship
Nursery & Child Care provided
Sally Jane Payson,
Child Care Teacher
Sanctuary, Handicapped Accessible

SALEM UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
615 Third Street
Catasaqua, PA 18032
610-264-4091
Rev. Mike Smith, Pastor
9 a.m. Sunday School
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
Handicapped Accessible
Nursery Available

TRINITY U.C.C.
Third & Copley Sts.
Coplay, PA 610-262-8933
Pastor Steve Hummel
9:30 a.m. Divine Worship
(Child Care available)
Communion, 1st Sunday/mo.

UNION U.C.C.
5550 Route 873, Neffs
(610) 767-6961
Rev. Thomas N. Thomas,
Senior Pastor
Rev. Kris P. Snyder-Samuelsen,
Associate Pastor
8 a.m. Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

ZIEGEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
9990 Ziegels Church Road
Breinigsville, PA 18031
Phone: 610-285-6157
www.ziegelschurch.org
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Worship, 11:05 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible
Pastor Candi Cain-Borgman

UNITED METHODIST ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Springhouse Rd. & Walbert Ave.
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services, 8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.
Open Door Community Worship, 11 a.m.
610-398-2577
www.asburyuv.org

BETHANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
1208 Brookside Road
Wescosville 610-395-3613
Contemporary Worship, Sat. 5 p.m.,
Sun. 9:15 and 11 a.m.
Blended Worship, Sun. 8 a.m.
(Child Care Available, Hearing Asst.,
Handicapped Access at all services.)
(Signing for the Deaf at 11 a.m.)
9:15 & 11 a.m. Sunday School
5 p.m. Children's Church
Jr. & Sr. High Youth, Friday 6:30-8:30 p.m.
Sr. High Cafe, Friday's 9-11 p.m.

WESLEYAN CALVARY WESLEYAN CHURCH
1414 Pennsylvania Avenue
Bethlehem - 610-866-1388
www.calvarywesleyanchurch.org
Blended Worship, 9 a.m. & 10:40 a.m.
Signing for the Hearing Impaired
Autism Ministry
Sunday a.m. Children, Youth & Adult Classes
AWANA & Youth (Wednesday evenings)
Senior Pastor, Dwight Mikesell

TRINITY WESLEYAN CHURCH
"Home of the Live Nativity"
6735 Cetronia Road
Allentown, Pa. 18106
610-398-1711
www.twcallentown.org
Rev. Jake Lee, Sr. Pastor
Easter Sunday, Worship, 9:15 & 10:45 a.m.
Egg hunt during the 10:45 a.m. Service,
Free Refreshments

NEW JERUSALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

3233 Apples Church Road
Bethlehem, PA 18015
(610) 838-0731, www.njlc.org
The Rev. Tricia McMackin
Saturday Worship, 6 p.m., 1st & 3rd Sat.
Sunday Worship, 9 a.m.
Sunday School for all ages, 10:30 a.m.
Preschool for 3 & 4 year olds
"Come and See - All are Welcome"

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH
822 N. 19th Street
Allentown, PA 18104
610-434-1291
The Rev. Donna T. Deal
Sat. Eve. Worship, 6 p.m.
Sunday School - 9 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 10:15 a.m.
(Communion, all services)
VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
5th & Chestnut sts.
Emmaus, Pa. 18049
610-965-9885
Rev. Wayne A. Matthias-Long, Pastor
Rev. Fred S. Foerster, Pastor Emeritus
www.stjohnsemmaus.org
Worship, 8 & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Church School
for All Ages, 9:15 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
1028 Church Street,
Fogelsville - 610-395-5535
Pr. Andrew Carlsson, Interim Pastor
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship, with Communion
(Handicapped Accessible-Elevator)
www.stjohns-fogelsville.org

SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH
4331 Main St., Whitehall
610-262-1900
Rev. James W. Schlegel
Wheelchair accessible
8 & 10:15 a.m. Sunday Worship
Communion every Sunday, 8 a.m.
Every 1st, 3rd & 4th Sun. 10:15 a.m.
8 & 10:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship
5th Sunday of the Month

UNION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
5500 Rt. 873, Schnecksville
610-767-6884
Rev. Dennis Moore
Worship Service, 8 & 10:45 a.m.
Youth & Adult Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.
Summer Worship, 8 & 10 a.m.
(No Sunday School)
Handicapped Accessible
All Welcome, Ulch.org
Rejoicing Spirits...
Special service for developmentally disabled adults & children
4th Sunday each month at 2:30 p.m.

WEISENBERG LUTHERAN CHURCH

7645 Weisenberg Church Rd.
New Tripoli, PA 18066
610-298-2437
Pastor Ray Hand
Worship, 9 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.
Holy Communion - 1st Sunday
Wheelchair accessible

ZIEGELS LUTHERAN
9990 Ziegels Church Road
Breinigsville, PA 18031
Phone: 610-285-6157
www.ziegelschurch.org
Worship, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible
Pastor Bruce MacLaughlin

WHITESHALL MENNONITE CHURCH
4138 Wilson Street
Whitehall (Egypt), PA
610-262-1270
Sunday School
10 a.m. Worship Service
Child Care provided
"To be the people of God
inviting others to know Him."

EMMAUS MORAVIAN CHURCH
146 Main St., Emmaus, PA 18049
610-965-6067
9 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
Nursery during worship
www.emmausmoravian.org
Rev. Kevin J. Henning, Pastor

SONrise COMMUNITY CHURCH
10 a.m. Worship:
The Macungie Institute
510 E. Main Street, Macungie
2nd Sunday/month:
Worship at The Village
at Willow Lane, 9:30 a.m.
Contact: Kate Dekker, LCL
610-965-1879
CHURCH WITH NO WALLS

FREEDOM FAITH FELLOWSHIP CHURCH
560 Dalton Street
Emmaus, PA 18049
Phone 610-928-4036
Pastors Bill & Sue Whitney
Sunday Service - 10 a.m.
Bible Study - Tuesday - 7 P.M.

JACOB'S CHURCH
Route 143, Jacksonsville, PA
Rev. Scott L. Shay, Pastor
610-756-6352 or
610-756-6676
Church School, 9 a.m.
Family Worship, 10 a.m.
Nursery Available
Bible Study Wed., 7:30 p.m.
Handicapped Accessible

PRESBYTERIAN

ALLENTOWN FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Cedar Crest Blvd. & Tilghman St.
8:45 & 10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship
9 a.m. Church School, all ages
8:45 a.m. & 10:10 a.m. Alternative Worship
10 a.m. Arabic Worship in the Chapel
Childcare provided
www.fpcallentown.org

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF EMMAUS
N. 2nd & Cherokee Sts.
Emmaus - 610-967-5600
Rev. Timothy Michael Dooner
10:30 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
Nursery care provided
www.faithchurchemmaus.org
faithchurch@faithchurchemmaus.org

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BETHLEHEM
2344 Center Street
610-867-5865
Rev. Dr. Alf Halvorson, Sr. Pastor
Easter Sunday Worship:
8, 9:30 & 11 a.m. Traditional Service
9 & 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Service
Childcare & Handicapped Accessible
www.fpc-bethlehem.org

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF HOKENDAUQUA
3005 S. Front Street
Whitehall, PA 18052
610-264-9693
Rev. Joyce Smothers
Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Worship, 10 a.m.
Email: hokeypres@verizon.net
Web: www.hokeypres.org

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CATASAUQUA
2nd & Pine Sts.
610-264-2595
Rev. P. Douglas Cronce, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service

LEHIGH VALLEY FRIENDS MEETING
4116 Bath Pike, Bethlehem, PA
1/2 mi north of US 22 on PA 512
610-691-3411
Meeting for Worship at 9:30 a.m.
Everyone welcome
Childcare provided
Web: LehighValleyQuakers.org

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Sunday, April 15, 2012 at 2:00 pm
Oberkotter Hall, Cedar Crest College
100 College Drive, Allentown, PA 18104
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Faith Presbyterian Church holds Daffodil Days
Cancer survivor Elizabeth Winters, with Paul Winters, shows the flowers she purchased in memory of many friends and in honor of caregivers, showing her support for the American Cancer Society.
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8 DAYS A WEEK

YOUR LEHIGH VALLEY ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

ART EXHIBITS

ALLENTOWN ART MUSEUM

31 N. Fifth St., Allentown. 610-432-4333
The Art of Stories, 1 - 3 p.m. April 7: Family Time
Rock On! ... Up to Art Ways, through May 14, Art Ways Interactive Family Gallery
Salisbury School District Student Exhibition, through April 11, Community Gallery
Who Shot Rock & Roll: A Photographic History 1955 - Present, through May 13, Scheller, Rodale, Fowler Galleries
Lydia Panas: Photographs, through April 15: "The Mark of Abel," Fuller Gallery; Lydia Panas, noon April 4: Wednesday Noon Talks
Gothic to Goth: Embracing the Dark Side, through April 29, Goodman Gallery
Walter Baum and His Circle: 250th Allentown Anniversary, 200th Lehigh County Anniversary, through May 13, Payne Hurd Gallery
AMERICA ON WHEELS
 5 N. Front St., Allentown. 610-432-4200
Third Annual Bulldog Beauty Contest, 1 - 3 p.m. April 15
Museum's Fourth Birthday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 14
Cars That Were Stars, April 14 - Oct. 30
Second Annual Slot Car Show, Swap, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 14
Make Your Own Easter Bunny Ice Cream, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. April 7

ANTONIO SALEMME FOUNDATION

542 Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-433-4150
Barnaby Ruhe: Her Dreams ... Women Inmates, through April 5: Closing Reception, 6 p.m. April 5
ARTSQUEST CENTER
 SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-297-7100
Barry Assed: Dancing with Triangles, through April 22, Alvin H. Butz Gallery
ART SCHNECK OPTICAL COMPANY
 720 Harrison St., Emmaus. 610-965-4066
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Barbara Moyer: Paintings, through April 30
BANANA FACTORY
 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. 610-332-1300
Richard Redd: Surface and Symbol, April 14 - June 17, Crayola Gallery
Sixth Annual Red Show, through April 30, Third Floor ArtsQuest Staff Exhibition, through May 13, Hallway to the Arts

Stewart Nachimas: Pulp Icons: Cast Paper and Prints, through May 20, Banko Family Gallery; First Friday reception, 6 - 9 p.m. April 6; Stewart Nachimas Gallery Talk, 7 p.m. April 6
Contemporary Caribbean Artists: Cuba, Dominican Republic and Puerto Rico, through April 8, Crayola Gallery
BAUM SCHOOL OF ART
 510 Linden St., Allentown. 610-433-0032
Children, Teen Student Exhibition, through April 15; Open House, 2 - 4 p.m. April 15, David E. Rodale, Rodale Family Galleries
BETHELEM ROTUNDA
 City Hall, 10 E. Church St., Bethlehem. 610-865-7000
Frank T. Smith, through April 30
CEDAR CREST COLLEGE
 Lachaise Gallery, Miller Family Building, 100 College Drive, Allentown. 610-437-4471
Sara Woster: We Are All Stardust, through April 16
DA VINCI SCIENCE CENTER
 3145 Hamilton Boulevard Bypass, Allentown. 484-664-1002

Olympus BioScapes 2011 Exhibition, through May 31
FEGLEY'S BURRITO WORKS
 818 Hamilton St., Allentown. 484-223-3805
The Game of Life - A Family Game, through April 20: Allentown Art Works
FLOREANT PROJECTS
 215 Main St., Emmaus. 610-762-6602
Two Wheels to Change Our World: Photography Competition, through May 31: Winners announcement June 15
FOX OPTICAL AND GALLERY
 28 E. Third St., Bethlehem. 610-332-2400
David Sestak: Bushkill Park - Closure, April 6 - May 27: First Friday Reception, 7 - 10 p.m. April 6; **GALLERY AT ST. JOHN'S**
 330 Ferry St., Easton. 610-258-6119
13th Annual Plaid Show: Occupy Plaid! 99 Percent, through April 29
HOME AND PLANET
 25 E. Third St., Bethlehem. 610-866-7370
David Sestak: Bushkill Park - Closure, April 6 - May 27: First Friday Reception, 7 - 10 p.m. April 6; David Sestak and Bushkill Park's Neal Fehnel Gallery Talk, 6 - 8 p.m. April 29

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER OF ALLENTOWN
 702 N. 22nd St., Allentown. 610-435-3571
Margaret Noel, Rose DeSiano: The Landscape of Commerce: Paintings, Photographs, through April 20
KALMBACH MEMORIAL PARK
 200 Cotton St., Macungie. 610-965-1140
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Marian Stewart - Paintings, through April 30
KEMERER MUSEUM OF DECORATIVE ARTS
 427 N. New St., Bethlehem. 610-691-6055
Design in Divided America, through April
LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
 Grossman Gallery, Williams Visual Arts Building, 243 N. Third St., Easton. 610-330-5831

Impressions from Life, through Sept. 3: Selected works from Helen Frank's 50-year career, Skillman Library, 307 Markle Hall, Easton. 610-330-5151
An Altogether Different World: Utopian Worlds As Depicted in Chinese, Japanese Paintings, through May 20, Williams Center for the Arts Gallery, Hamilton and High streets, Easton. 610-330-5010
Emergence and Structure, through April 21
LEHIGH COUNTY SENIOR CENTER
 1633 Elm St., Allentown. 610-437-3700
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Maur Levan: Paintings, through April 30
LEHIGH UNIVERSITY
 Main Gallery, Zoellner Arts Center, 420 E. Packer Avenue. 610-758-3615
Mario Del Curto: Aux Large Des Yeux (With Wide Eyes), April 9 - May 25: Photographs of Outsider Artists and Their Creations, Rauch Business Center Gallery, 621 Taylor St., Bethlehem. 610-758-4608
Girls On Film: 40 Years of Women in Rock - Photography by Anastasia Pansios, through May 25
Patti Smith 1969-1976 Photographs by Judy Linn, through May 25, Dubois Gallery, Maginnes Hall
The Art of Printmaking, through May 25, Siegel Gallery, Iacocca Hall, Mountaintop Campus, 111 Research Drive, Bethlehem

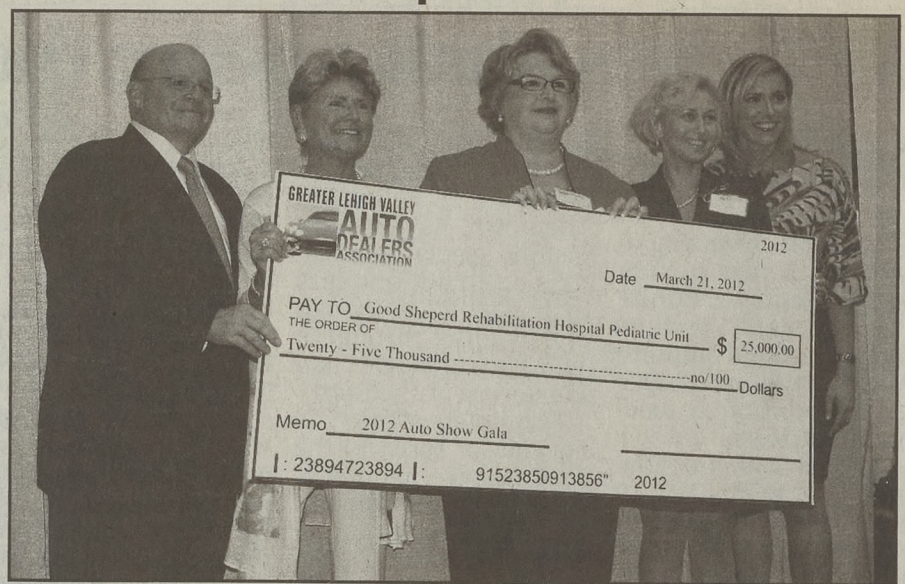
William O' Brien, Junior: Totems, Silhouettes and Iconographic Pluralism; through May 25, Rauch Business Center Gallery
That Was Then, This Is Now, through Fall: Late 19th, early 20th century paintings, contemporary photographs, videos, Rauch Business Center Gallery
LEHIGH VALLEY ARTS COUNCIL
 840 Hamilton St., Suite 201, Butz Building, Allentown. 610-437-5259
Maryann Schwartz: Photography, through May 1
LEHIGH VALLEY HERITAGE MUSEUM
 432 W. Walnut St., Allentown. 610-435-1074
Lehigh County Bicentennial, through Dec. 31
Glory and Triumph: Trains Made America, through July 1
LIBERTY BELL SHRINE MUSEUM
 Zion United Church of Christ, 622 Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-435-4232
200 Years: Scenes from Lehigh County and Cases from County Court, through May 31
100 Years of the Girl Scout Journey, through May 5
LOWER MACUNGIE LIBRARY
 3450 Brookside Road, Lower Macungie Township. 610-966-6864
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Gianfranco Zanchettin: Oil Paintings, Mosaics, through April 30
LUTHER CREST RETIREMENT COMMUNITY
 800 Hausman Road, South Whitehall Township. 610-391-8011
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Betty Allender - Paintings, through April 30
MACUNGIE INSTITUTE
 510 E. Main St., Macungie. 610-966-7830
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Tina Madonia - Oils, Mono-Type Paintings, through April 30
MARTIN GUITAR MUSEUM
 Visitor's Center, 510 Sycamore St., Nazareth. 610-759-2837
Martin Guitars that Rock the World, through May 13
MITCHELL CENTER
 555 Harrison St., Emmaus. 610-965-6418
Parkland Art League Exhibit: Agnes Boyle: Paintings, through April 30
MORAVIAN COLLEGE
 Payne Gallery, Priscilla Payne Hurd Campus, Main and Church streets, Bethlehem. 610-861-1491
Senior Show, April 15 - May 12
Art Faculty Show, through April 8
MORAVIAN MUSEUM OF BETHLEHEM
 66 W. Church St., Bethlehem. 610-867-0173
Weighted Spirits: Bethlehem and Salem Moravians in the Civil War, through April
MUHLBERG COLLEGE
 Galleria Lobby, Baker Center for the Arts, 24th and Chew streets, Allentown. 484-664-3467
Along the Eastern Road: Hiroshige's Fifty-Three Stations of the Toakido, through April 18
MUSEUM OF INDIAN CULTURE
 2825 Fish Hatchery Road, Allentown. 610-797-2121
Southwest Visions: The Photo Portraits of Carl N. Wertz, through May
Mystery Unearthed: The Extraordinary Story of Two Lenape Rock Shelters, through April
NEW ARTS PROGRAM
 173 W. Main St., Kutztown. 610-683-6440
Lauren Gohara: Found-Object Paintings, through April 29
NEW VOX ART GALLERY
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 Communications Hall, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem Township. 610-861-5300
Northampton First Year Drawing Students: Kraus Drawing Exhibition, April 10 - 24, Awards Ceremony, 11 a.m. April 19
PENN STATE LEHIGH VALLEY
 2809 Saucon Valley Road, Center Valley. 610-285-5261
Home Front Heroes: Penn State Women During World War II, through April 28
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 70 W. North St., Bethlehem. 610-861-2741
Artists in Recovery, 1 - 3 p.m. Third Thursdays
SAUCON VALLEY CONSERVANCY
 Heller Homestead Gallery, 1890-92 Friedensville Road, Lower Saucon Township. 610-216-0566
James R.X. Heller: Retrospective of Paintings, Photographs, through April 22
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 725 N. 15th St., Suite 7, Allentown. 484-838-4252
Elizabeth Johnson: Anti-Story, through April 14
Marlowe Rodale: Neo-Futurism, through April 14
STATE THEATRE FOR THE ARTS
 Brown-Daub Gallery, 453 Northampton St., Easton. 610-258-7766
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THE SWAIN SCHOOL
 1100 S. 24th St., Allentown. 610-433-4542
Steven Siegel, Swain Students: Environmental Art Exhibit, through May 4; Artist Reception, 2:45 - 3:30 p.m. April 12

CINEMA

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"Manon", noon April 7; The Met: Live in HD
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 Frank Banko Alehouse Cinema, First Street and Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-1300
"The Princess Bride", 7:30 p.m. April 4
"Being Flynn", 7:30 p.m. April 4, 5; 4:15 p.m. April 5
"Bethlehem: The Christmas City", 6:45 p.m. April 4; 6:30 p.m. April 5
"Attack the Block", 11:15 p.m. April 6, 7
"Rashomon", 7:30 p.m. April 9: Cinema 101: Speakers Michael Kramp, Timothy Molchany
"Friday the 13th Part 3", 11:15 p.m. April 13, 14
"Ghostbusters", 10:30 p.m. April 14: Almighty Terribles perform in front of film
"Waiting for Superman", 7:30 p.m. April 15
"Salmon Fishing in the Yemem", opens April 6
CIVIC THEATRE
 527 N. 19th St., Allentown. 610-432-0888
"Chico and Rita", 7:30 p.m. April 4, 5
"Iron Lady", 5 p.m. April 4, 5
"Salmon Fishing in the Yemem", opens April 6

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Good Shepherd benefit



PRESS PHOTO BY PAUL WILLISTEIN

A symbolic \$25,000 check was presented at the 2012 Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Show Preview Party Gala to benefit the Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Hospital Pediatric Unit. At the March 21 presentation in Stabler Arena, Goodman Campus, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, left to right: Richard Salezze, Greater Lehigh Valley Auto Dealers Association Board President; Sally T. Gammon, Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Network President & CEO; Connie Koch, Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Hospital Pediatric Unit Clinical Nurse Manager; Lynn Rothrock, Chairman Gala; and Eve Tannery, WFMZ-TV, Channel 69 news morning anchor. Gala dessert contest winners were Upper Bucks County Technical School students Dana Stephenson and Tia Reinhart. New vehicles from more than two dozen manufacturers and Concours d'Elegance rare, antique and luxury cars were displayed at the auto show March 22 - 25.

LCCC links with Bloomsburg

Officials from Lehigh Carbon Community College (LCCC) and Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania (BU) have formalized an agreement whereby students with an LCCC Associate's Degree may transition to a Bachelor of Applied Science in Technical Leadership program. The new major for BU was approved earlier this year by the Board of Governors of The Pennsylvania State System of Higher

Education (PASSHE). The program is the first of its kind in the 14 PASSHE institutions and only the second in the Commonwealth. The new BU program is a partnership with LCCC and the Lehigh Career and Technical Institute (LCTI), both in Schnecksville, North Whitehall Township. Bachelor's degree requirements may be completed at LCCC and students enrolled at LCTI may enter

the program at the high school level. The first class will enroll in fall 2012. The B.A.S. degree requires 120 course credits. Bloomsburg University faculty will offer the final 60 credits of the Bachelor's Degree program at LCCC. Students may receive a four-year Bachelor's Degree in as little as three years at a cost of less than \$20,000 via the LCTI-LCCC dual enrollment.

LEHIGH VALLEY STAGE

"A Resting Place," by Alison Carey, world premiere, Touchstone Theatre and Moravian College Theatre, 6 p.m. April 13, Moravian College North Campus, Priscilla Payne Hurd Academic Complex, near West Locust and Main streets; Panel Discussion: "How the Civil War Affects Us Today," follows show, 7:45 - 9 p.m. UBC Room, Moravian College Haupt Union Building; "A Resting Place," 1 p.m. April 14, South Bethlehem Greenway, 300 block north of Touchstone Theatre; Panel Discussion: "Building Community through Theatre" follows show, 2:45 - 4 p.m., Touchstone Theatre, 321 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem; "A Resting Place," 6 p.m. April 14, Lehigh University campus lawn near Packer Chapel; "A Resting Place," 1 p.m. April 15, Gordon Payrow Plaza, Bethlehem City Center, East Church and New streets; Panel Discussion: "Bethlehem's Civil War History" follows show, 2:45 - 4 p.m., Moravian Museum, 1741 Gemeinhaus, 62 - 66 W. Church St., "A Resting Place," 6 p.m. April 15, Ohio Road and Old York Road, Colonial Industrial Quarter, Lecture: "Civil War Era Music" follows show, 7:45 - 9 p.m., Central Moravian Church Old Chapel, 44 W. Church St., all Bethlehem. In case of rain: Charles A. Brown IceHouse, Sand Island, Bethlehem. 610-867-1689
"Alice in Wonderland," 10 a.m. April 10; 12:30 p.m. April 17; 10 a.m., 12:30 p.m. April 19; 10 a.m. April 26; 10 a.m.

May 1, 3, Act 3 Children's Theatre Company of DeSales University, Schubert Theatre, Labuda Center for the Performing Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley. 610-282-3192, www.desales.edu/act1
"Almost Heaven: Songs of John Denver," through June 3, The Pines Dinner Theatre, 448 N. 17th St., Allentown. Matinees Wednesday (May), Thursday, Sunday, Dinner, 12:30 p.m.; Show, 2 p.m.; Evenings Friday, Saturday, Dinner, 6:30 p.m.; Show, 8 p.m. 610-433-2333
"Anything Goes," April 25 - May 6; 8 p.m. Wednesdays - Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays; 8 p.m. May 1, 2 p.m. May 5; talk back with director and cast follows 2 p.m. April 29 performance, Act 1 Company, Main Stage, Labuda Center for the Performing Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley. 610-282-3192, www.desales.edu/act1
"Death and Taxes," 7 p.m. April 19 - 21, Salem Bible Church, 8031 Church Road,

Macungie.
"Fortinbras," 7:30 p.m. April 13, 14, 15, 16; 3 p.m. April 15, Lipkin Theatre, Northampton Community College, Main Campus, Green Pond Road, Bethlehem Township. Admission is free with a donation of canned goods for a local food bank and or a minimum \$5 donation to the Norman R. Roberts Theatre Scholarship Fund. Ticket reservations suggested: 610-861-5524
"The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)," 8 p.m. April 5, 6, 7, Allentown Public Theatre, Long Haul Room, America On Wheels Museum, 5 N. Front St., Allentown. 888-895-5645, www.AllentownPublicTheatre.com
"Young Frankenstein," 8 p.m. April 5, Baker Hall, Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, 420 E. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem. Free pre-show talk, 7 p.m., Tony Bleach, Assistant Professor of English, Kutztown University. 610-758-2787, www.zoellnerartscenter.org

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THEATER REVIEWS

APT gives Shakespeare the 'Works'

By PAUL WILLISTEIN
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From improv to improbable, from rap to rapt, from silly to sublime, Allentown Public Theatre's (APT) production of "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)" covers all the bases.

The basis, ahem, is the Bard's 17 comedies, 10 tragedies, 10 history plays and five groupings of poetry (including the sonnets).

The play concept's conceit is that theater companies cut Shakespeare's works all the time, so voluminous and time-consuming (from an audience seat point) are most at full-length.

"Complete Works" is Shakespeare cut to the bone. It's theatrical ingenuity for our down-sizing age and sound-bite world.

The show continues April 5 - 7 in the Long

Haul Room, an admirable space at America on Wheels, 5 N. Front St., Allentown. As you walk past the special interest, classic and antique cars on display, it's as though you're going through a time warp to the cart and donkey era of the Bard.

"Complete Works" is a primer, of sorts, for the Shakespeare neophyte. Were it not for some of the scatological humor, the APT production of the play by Adam Long, Daniel Singer and Jess Winfield could be a good introduction to the Bard for high school and younger students.

You've got to hand it to Matt Candio, Michael Fegley and Joshua Neth for their energy, inventiveness, as well as line memorization in the fast-paced send up of all things Bardian, which includes a rap number, wrestling, leaping and hopping, and otherwise merry theatrical may-

hem.

On a bare stage, painted light tan, with two doors, each emblazoned with a large "S," and a large line drawing of the familiar face of William Shakespeare (with roving eyes, no less), the trio of funnymen romp, stomp, scream, cajole and wheedle — and that's only with the audience (including Jennifer Watson, who was pulled up on stage at the March 24 show) during the two-hour show (including a 15-minute intermission).

Tony Galanti's lighting design provides atmospheric touches. Matthew Meckes did the sound design. Suzanne Checkfield's costume design provides lots of laughs — and kneepads for all those pratfalls.

Neth, who directs the carryings-on, has the most costume changes, thanks to the several dresses and wigs he dons against his better judgment, provid-

ing one of the show's running gags.

Fegley plays a Shakespeare authority as blustering as he is effusive, attempting to keep the plays somewhat true to form and, as it's said in those car commercials, moving forward.

Fegley has a nice comedic touch, but also scores with a few moments of serious note in the leading role in a version of "Hamlet" that mostly occupies the second act.

Candio, after introducing the proceedings, steps into several roles as a hapless, beleaguered and always resourceful foil.

At the same time, Neth's rendering of "What a piece of work is man" quieted the house so as to hear the proverbial pin drop.

Yes, APT shakes up Shakespeare and gives him the "Works."

Be still and savor life

Do you remember the simple joys of childhood? Do you remember lying on your back and watching the clouds float by?

Do you remember the way freshly mowed grass smelled when you were lying on the ground?

Do you recall the smell of earth that was one of the perfumes of childhood?

Maybe you liked to dig in dirt. Maybe you rolled in it. Or, maybe you were just content to sit on the ground and be aware of every smell, every sound — the way the sun felt on your face and the way a breeze tickled you.

Remember those days? Remember how, as a child, we could soak in every sensation because there were few demands on our day. It could stretch out before us and we could be as idle as we wanted.

When we grew older, we realized we were never idle as children — even when we were lying on the ground doing nothing more than watching clouds float by. No, we were doing something important.

We were enjoying the simple days of childhood, days we remember with fondness and longing.

Why can't we do that anymore?

Well, maybe you can, but I can't. At least not for long.

Today, I wanted to clear my head as I went from one writing assignment to another. So I abandoned my computer and headed for my favorite place — outdoors.

I didn't have to go any farther than the settee on my lanai to be filled with total relaxation. Within minutes I had emptied my mind, closed my eyes, and just reveled in the way a mild breeze kissed my face.

It was then that I remembered childhood and how I could find so much pleasure in doing nothing.

I could occupy myself with studying a sturdy tree or watching a bee. I didn't always have to be doing an activity to be happy. Back then, I didn't know what the word productive meant and I didn't have to know. I only had to know how to enjoy being a kid.

It was such a good feeling recalling those childhood joys as I "did nothing" on my porch.

I said to myself, "the heck with writing. I'm just going to stay here and savor the day, celebrating all my senses."

For a while, it worked, especially when I deliberately kept my eyes shut. If I opened them, I knew I would see the sea grape leaves in the yard that have to be raked up or the empty bird feeder that has to be filled. Or, I would see something else I "should" be doing.

By blocking out the world with closed eyes, I listened to the sweet sound of birds calling to each other.

I heard the way the bam-

WARMEST REGARDS

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boo trees next door played their own symphony. If I didn't open my eyes I wouldn't have to see the way those strong trees were pushing against the fence, breaking the old wood. I wouldn't see the leggy plants that need to be cut back.

No, I told myself. Just sit here and savor life.

But when I inhaled deeply, I smelled gasoline from the pressure cleaner that was never put away.

Oops. My eyes open at that thought and I start seeing what else has to be done. Then I think about the unwritten story I have to do and the business phone calls I have to make.

Soon, all too soon, I'm back in the house. Back to my chores. Back to everyday life.

Why, I wonder, can't I idle away time? Why can't I do what I did as I kid and just lie on my back watching the clouds go by?

Why does my mind have to get clogged with things I should do?

I don't punch a time clock anymore. No one will beat me or berate me if I just do nothing. So why don't I?

My daughter Maria says anyone who doesn't have to work all week can find time for anything. "If you claim you can't 'do nothing' that's only because you chose not to," she says.

I think it has to do with the habits of a lifetime. When I worked and had a lot of responsibilities, I thought every second counted. "Doing nothing" was out of the question, except right after dinner.

That's when I gave myself permission to sit in a rocker on the porch, listening to the sound of my backyard waterfall. It totally relaxed me and gave me energy for the rest of the night.

I don't program leisure into my days anymore because, in retirement, the entire day is supposed to be leisure, or so I'm told.

Can you just do nothing except savor life?

Can you open all your senses and truly "feel the day?"

I've given myself a new assignment. My assignment is to find moments in my week when I do absolutely nothing except sit still and open my senses to the beauty of life around me.

I want to be like a kid again. I want to be that "big kid" who knows how to appreciate the sight of clouds floating by without feeling the need to grab a camera or do something else.

More often, I want to be still and just savor life.

Some of the simple joys of childhood don't have to end.

'Alice' worth another look at DeSales

By DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to The Press

Was it a dream? Alice was just getting comfortable on a blanket, starting to doze when a well-dressed and bespectacled White Rabbit hurried past saying he was "Late for an important date."

When he disappeared down a rabbit hole, Alice followed him into a wonderful, topsy-turvy world where things aren't always as they seem.

Rachel Sommons directs a high-energy production of Michele L. Vacca's adaptation of Lewis Carroll's classic children's story "Alice in Wonderland," in select times and dates through May 3, Schubert Theatre, Labuda Center for the Performing Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley.

Jillian Ports, perfect in the title role, plays an adventurous and curious little girl who explores the mysterious under-

ground kingdom of the King and Queen of Hearts, played by Leo Bond and Colleen Clancy, respectively. Clancy is especially imperious as she commands, "Off with his head!" for the slightest infractions of her fearful subjects.

As Alice chases Max Frauel's character, White Rabbit, she encounters a bewildering array of underworld residents and befriends the always-smiling Cheshire Cat, played to "purr-fection" by Nick Della Moser, who is the cat's puppeteer.

Frauel beautifully portrays the frenetic White Rabbit. His bunny mannerisms are fun to watch.

Narrator Henry Gibson lends continuity to the scenes as Brendan Moser's Mad Hatter steals the one-act show. Moser's teatime antics are central to the kid-friendly story as he and saucy and pretty Abbi Snee's March Hare challenge Alice with their

riddles.

Dormouse couldn't get any cuter than the sleepy-headed character portrayed by Ashley Rudakewiz. She can barely stay awake through tea.

Twins Tweedledee (Abbie Richards) and Tweedledum (Katie Wexler) bring their fast-talk comedy to the show in several scenes.

Lindsay Sauer as Cook keeps the cauldron boiling with plenty of help from the other characters. Dan Pittman wears the cleverest costume as he plays Humpty Dumpty sitting on the castle wall. He has a believable egg all over his face.

Daniel Bound-Black's Knave of Hearts appeals to every kid who has been tempted to sneak a cookie from the kitchen. His crime of eating the tarts brings him before the King of Hearts for a quick trial.

The Duchess, played by Adriana Stigliano in

a huge hat, entertains and confuses as she seeks a moral to every story and event.

By far the funniest creature in the story is Jeff Mindock's Caterpillar. Mindock has mastered the creepy that goes with crawly. It's just fun to watch him.

Jenn Pinkos' beguiling costuming lends the enchanted Wonderland characters an element of charm that makes this version of Carroll's fairy tale believable.

From Alice's simple blue dress to Mad Hatter's wonderful hat, the costumes underscore and enhance the characters played by senior-class students in the Act 3 Children's Theatre Company of DeSales University.

The set design by Josh Yentsch, constrained by the theater-in-the-round format, creates a believable underground world for Alice's great adventure.

Diabetes explained

Q. What is the difference between type 1 diabetes and type 2 diabetes?

If you have diabetes, your body can't produce insulin or use it properly. Insulin is a hormone that helps control the sugar

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in your blood. Insulin is made by the pancreas, a

large organ behind the stomach.

A small percentage of diabetics have type 1 diabetes, which usually occurs in people under age 30. Diabetics with this form of the disease cannot produce insulin.

About 90 percent of Americans with diabetes have type 2 diabetes. It is most common in adults over age 40, and the risk of getting it increases with age.

With this form of diabetes, the body does not always produce enough

insulin or does not use insulin efficiently. Being overweight and inactive increases the chances of developing type 2 diabetes.

Type 2 diabetes can be prevented in those who are at an increased risk or have pre-diabetes, a condition in which glucose levels are higher than normal but not yet high enough for a diagnosis of diabetes.

Those with pre-diabetes are more likely to develop diabetes within 10 years and are also more likely to have a heart attack or stroke.

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Allentown Public Theatre (APT) was misidentified in a theater review of "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)" on Page B2 of the March 28 and 29 Focus section.

VIEWS

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College Chamber Singers, directed by Dr. Jennifer Kelly, and members of the Kutztown University Choir, directed by Christopher Hoster. The piece I selected for the chorus to sing is by living American composer John Corigliano.

John won a best original score Oscar for "The Red Violin" (1998). His piece, "Invitation au Voyage," is a slow, sentimental work in the style of Samuel Barber. The piece is about a journey, which I figured worked well with space travel.

Then to round out the program and to end the first half, I wanted to perform an exciting, upbeat piece. After looking around for quite a while, I found another piece by Corigliano that I thought would work very nicely, and together the two Corigliano works would function like a slow movement, fast movement composition.

The piece, "Mannheim Rocket," is "soundscape" piece, meaning that you are going to hear an assortment of wild and unusual sounds, all associated with a rocket going up, floating in space, and then coming back down to Earth.

There is no real melody in the piece. Rather, it is all about sound. In order to produce the sounds that Corigliano wants, we have a tremendous amount of percussion instruments, including a musical saw. He also writes for interesting things: cellophane, flexi-glass, jaw harp, police whistle, glass in a bucket, and toy piano, as well as more standard percussion instruments: xylophone, glockenspiel, crotales, tambourine, tamtam, triangle, vibraphone, bass drum and snare drum.

In "Mannheim Rocket," Corigliano gives us a giant 18th century "wedding-cake-rocket." He says his commander is the great Baron Munchausen. The piece begins with the striking of the match to light the rocket (played with sand-paper blocks). The ignition starts slowly and then the rocket begins to rise as the music rises.

The percussionist plays

the suspended cymbal turned upside-down with a handful of one-inch screws in it to make the sound. String musicians are told to play in between the notes (quarter tones) and to play certain musical motives randomly. There are lots of glissandos and sound clusters.

Finally, the rocket "breaks through the glass ceiling into the heavens." Believe it or not, at this moment, one of the percussionists, with hammer, gloves and goggles, is instructed to break four panes of glass in a bucket.

We then have some quiet and beautiful "star" music as the rocket floats in the heavens and then begins its descent. Just before it crashes to Earth, a little music of Wagner interrupts, trying to halt the rocket's progress, but it is of no use. The rocket lands with a crunch accompanied by tamtam, bass drum, two slide whistles, jaw harp and an amplified toy piano — a wildly exciting journey.

As you can tell, the performance of John Corigliano's "Mannheim Rocket" is something that you will not want to miss.

Diane Wittry, noon April 13: "The Planets" Brown Bag Lecture, 23 N. Sixth St., Symphony Hall

Diane Wittry is Music Director and Conductor of the Allentown Symphony and Artistic Director (USA) of the International Cultural Exchange Program with the Sarajevo Philharmonic, Bosnia.

ASO concert ticket information: 610-432-6715, www.Allentown-Symphony.org

Funhouse 'Mirror' is Grimm, no less

"Mirror Mirror" holds the reflecting glass up to a classic fairy tale and the resulting image yields mixed results.

Julia Roberts as The Queen is great fun tearing through the scenery in her gorgeous costumes (the last completed by the late costume designer Eiko Ishioaka). The evil queen's mission in life seems to be making Snow White's life miserable.

The Snow White in this revisionist tale is no melting snowflake. Snow White (Lilly Collins, "Abduction," 2011; "The Blind Side," 2009, and a daughter of Phil Collins and his second wife Jill Tavelman), is a spunky Audrey Hepburn lookalike and more protagonist than victim.

The live-action "Mirror Mirror" (with Computer Generated Imagery for certain outdoors scenes, battling wooden puppets and a dog-bird-dragon creature) is much different from the familiar Walt Disney 1937 animated version of "Snow White the Seven Dwarves"

"Mirror Mirror" director Tarsem Singh ("Immortals," 2011; "The Fall," 2006; "The Cell," 2000) brings a vivid palette to the sword-play, wisecracking dialogue and castle and wedding scenes.

The screenplay by Melissa Wallack and Jason Keller ("Machine Gun Preacher," 2011) is based on the 1812 fairy tale by Germany's

MOVIE REVIEW

By Paul Willistein



Jacob and Wilhelm Grimm.

Many elements in Grimm's "Schneewittchen und die sieben Zwerge" are retained, including the magic mirror and seven dwarves.

The magic mirror becomes a portal whereby the Queen emerges from a lake to a walkway and hut of multiple mirrors. Sometimes, different and more is not better.

The dwarves have different names from the Disney version. Instead of Doc, Grumpy, Happy, Sleepy, Bashful, Sneezy and Dopey, there are Napoleon (Jordan Prentice), Half Pint (Mark Povinelli), Grub (Joe Gnoffo), Grimm (Danny Woodburn), Wolf (Sebastian Saraceno), Butcher (Martin Klebba) and Chuckles (Ronald Lee Clark), acting more like the randy dwarves in "Under the Rainbow" (1981), the fictionalized movie about the making of "The Wizard of Oz."

Armie Hammer (Cameron and Tyler Winklevoss, "The Social Network") as Prince Alcott is very pleasant, perhaps too pleasant, and makes less of an impression than one would like.

Broadway star Nathan Lane has some funny moments as Brighton, the Queen's aide de camp.

"Mirror Mirror" should be of chief interest to children 10 and under.

It would seem to be less dark, more in the style of "The Princess Bride" (1987) than what one anticipates of this summer's release, "Snow White and the Huntsman," starring Kristen Stewart ("Twilight") as Snow White, Charlize Theron as the Wicked Queen and Chris Hemsworth as the Huntsman.

"Mirror Mirror," MPAA Rated PG (Parental Guidance Suggested). Some material may not be suitable for children) for some fantasy action and mild rude humor; Genre: Adventure, Comedy, Romance; Run Time: 1 hour, 46 min.; Distributed by Relativity Media.

Credit Readers Anonymous: Lily Collins sings "I Believe in Love" in a Bollywood-inspired production number during "Mirror Mirror" closing credits.

Box Office, March 30: "The Hunger Games" again took a huge bite out of the box office, No. 1 for a second week in a row with \$61.1 million, \$251 million, two weeks, keeping "Wrath of the Titans" opening at No. 2, \$34.2 million, and "Mirror Mirror," opening at No. 3, \$19 million; 4. "21 Jump Street," \$15

million, \$93.1 million, three weeks; 5. "Dr. Seuss' The Lorax," \$8 million, \$189.6 million, five weeks; 6. "John Carter," \$2 million, \$66.2 million, four weeks; 7. "Salmon Fishing in the Yemen," \$1.2 million, \$3.1 million, four weeks; 8. "Act of Valor," \$1 million, \$67.7 million, six weeks; 9. "A Thousand Words," \$915,000, \$16.5 million, four weeks; 10. "Journey 2: The Mysterious Island," \$835,000, \$98.4 million, eight weeks.

"American Reunion," R: Jason Biggs, Alyson Hannigan, Seann William Scott and Chris Klein are back for more slices of the "Pie."

"Titanic," PG-13: James Cameron resurfaces from his record-breaking solo deep-sea diving record for the 3-D re-release of the 1997 movie that made Leonardo DiCaprio and Kate Winslet superstars — and Cameron King Neptune.

Hear Paul Willistein's movie reviews on Lehigh Valley Arts Salon, 6 - 6:30 p.m. Mondays, WDIY 88.1 FM, www.wdiy.org, Lehigh Valley Community Public Radio. Read previous movie reviews at www.tnonline.com. Email Paul Willistein at: pwillistein@tnonline.com and on Facebook.

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The Small Grants Committee of the Bethlehem

Fine Arts Commission invites arts organizations to apply for funds to support their activities that take place in Bethlehem between June 1, 2012, and

May 31, 2013.

Submit two copies of proposals to: Small Grants Committee, Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission, P.O. Box 1851, Bethlehem,

Pa, 18106, postmarked no

later than April 13, 2012.

Information: Donald Spieth, dspie7@ptd.net

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encore WEDS., APR. 25 at 6:30 pm

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encore TUES., MAY 1 at 6:30 pm
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23 North Sixth Street, Allentown, PA 18101
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www.allentownsymphony.org

LVHM Book talks

Scholar and rare document expert Stuart Lutz will present a lecture on collecting historic documents and discuss how experts evaluate and detect forgeries, 7 p.m. April 5, Lehigh Valley Heritage Museum, 432 W. Walnut St., Allentown. Lutz will sign copies of his book, "The Last Leaf," an oral history book of some 40 interviews by the final survivors or eyewitnesses of important events.

Author Jeffrey E. Finegan, Sr. will present a PowerPoint Lecture about his new book, "Colonel Washington and Me," 1 p.m. April 7, Lehigh Valley Heritage Museum, followed by a book signing. "Colonel Washington and Me" is an illustrated book about the relationship between George Washington and one of his slaves, William Lee.

Copies of the books will be available for sale. Information: 610-435-1074, www.lehighvalley-heritagemuseum.org

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8 DAYS

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DAVINCI SCIENCE CENTER
3145 Hamilton Boulevard Bypass, Allentown. 484-664-1002
"Blast!," 8 p.m. April 10: On Screen in Person: Discussion with Director Paul Devlin
LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
Kirby Hall of Civil Rights, 710 Sullivan Lane, Easton. 610-330-5154
"Procession," noon April 4: Question and Answer Session with Filmmaker Beth Spitznagel proceeds film "Saviors in the Night," 1 p.m. April 15
MUHLENBERG COLLEGE
Red Door, Seeger's Union, 24th and Chew streets, Allentown. 484-664-3100
"Favorite Son," 7 p.m. April 10
NORTHAMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Main Campus, Lipkin Theatre, Kopeczek Hall, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem Township. 610-861-5300
"Generation M: Misogyny in Media and Culture," 11 a.m. April 10: Reel Men and Reel Women II
17TH ANNUAL JEWISH & ISRAELI FILM FESTIVAL
Kirby Hall of Civil Rights, 710 Sullivan Lane, Easton. 610-330-5154
"Saviors in the Night," 1 p.m. April 15; brunch, 11:30 a.m. April 15, Hillel House, 524 Clinton Terrace, Easton. 610-252-0984

COFFEEHOUSES, NIGHTCLUBS, RESTAURANTS

ARTSQUEST CENTER STEELSTACKS
Capital BlueCross Creativity Commons, ArtsQuest Center, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-1300
Maggie Spike, 8 p.m. April 6. Free
Kristi Lynn Quartet, 8 p.m. April 7. Free
Paula Scott Duo, 8 p.m. April 13. Free
Field Mouse, 8 p.m. April 14. Free
YOUiversity of Music and Arts, 2 p.m. April 15. Free
Fowler Blast Furnace Room, ArtsQuest Center, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-1300
Emily Bergl, 7:30 p.m. April 25: "Kidding on the Square"
CROCODILE ROCK CAFE
520 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-434-4600
Badfish: Sublime tribute, Scotty Don't, Splintermite, 6 p.m. April 7
The Blackout Forever Tour, 6 p.m. April 10: Breathe Carolina, The Ready Set, Ashland High, Matt Toka, It Boys
Fight the Silence Tour, 4:30 p.m. April 14: For Today, A Skylit Drive, Make Me Famous, My Children My Bride, Stick to Your Guns
GODFREY DANIELS
7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. 610-867-2390
Bill Kircho, 8 p.m. April 5
BC Combo, 8 p.m. April 6
Rory Block, 8 p.m. April 7
Jeffrey Gaines, 8 p.m. April 13
The Youngers, 8 p.m. April 14
MUSIKFEST CAFE
ArtsQuest Center SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-3378
The Ventures, 7:30 p.m. April 6
The Psychedelic Furs, 7:30 p.m. April 7
Big Bad Voodoo Daddy, 7:30 p.m. April 12
Salsa Night with Hector Rosado y su Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. April 13
Ryan Montbleau Band, Sister Sparrow and The Dirty Birds, 7:30 p.m. April 14
Rory Albanese, Al Madrigal, 8 p.m. April 20
The Lesson Center, 5 p.m., dinner, 6 p.m., show April 21: Showcase
Mary Chapin Carpenter, Shawn Colvin, 7:30 p.m. April 29
Kathleen Edwards, 7:30 p.m. May 3
Steve Kimock with Wally Ingram, Reed Mathis, Bernie Worrell, 7:30 p.m. May 9
Rusted Root, 7 p.m. May 20
Dickey Betts and Great Southern, 8 p.m. June 7
Classic Albums Live: The Doors tribute, 8 p.m. June 16
Sonny Landreth, 7:30 p.m. June 22
Collective Soul, 8 p.m. July 1
Here Come the Mummies, 8 p.m. July 28
The Turtles featuring Flo and Eddie, Micky Dolenz, The Grass Roots, Gary Puckett and the Union Gap, The Buckingham, 7 p.m. July 30
Pat Metheny Unity Band, 7:30 p.m. July 31
Jan Osborne, 8 p.m. Aug. 17
Ramin Karimloo, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 12
PENN'S PEAK
325 Maury Road, Penn Forest Township. 1-866-605-7325
Roadies Open Mic Nights, 6 p.m. Thursdays
Mickey Hart Band, 8 p.m. April 12
Glen Campbell, 8 p.m. April 19: Goodbye Tour. Also, Instant People
Mike DeGuidice and Big Shot: Billy Joel tribute, 8 p.m. April 20
Peter Rowan and the Travelin' McCourys: Bill Monroe tribute, 8 p.m. April 22
Aaron Tippin, Nicole Donatone 8 p.m. April 27
Beatlemania Now: Beatles tribute, noon, lunch, 1 p.m., show May 3; 8 p.m. May 4
Get the Led Out: Led Zeppelin tribute, 8 p.m. May 5
Survivor, Pat Travers Band, 8 p.m. May 6
Branson Fever: Tim Gillis, Twitty Fever, noon, lunch, 1 p.m., show May 8 - 10, Oct. 2 - 4
Dennis DeYoung: Styx tribute, 8 p.m. May 12
King Henry and the Showmen, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show May 15 - 17; Oct. 16 - 18
Harry James Orchestra, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show May 23, 24
Dark Star Orchestra: Grateful Dead tribute, 8 p.m. May 31
Kansas, 8 p.m. June 1
Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Coal County Express, 8 p.m. June 2
The Diamonds, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show June 6, 7
America, 8 p.m. June 8: 40th Anniversary Tour
Kellie Pickler, 8 p.m. June 14
7 Bridges: Eagles tribute, 8 p.m. June 15
Steven Wright, 8 p.m. June 24
Foreigner, 8 p.m. June 29
Johnny Winter, Magic Slim and The Teardrops, 8 p.m. June 30
Arrival: ABBA tribute, 8 p.m. July 13
Jim Messina, 8 p.m. July 20
An Evening with Vince Gill, 8 p.m. Aug. 18
Glenn Miller Orchestra, Gary Tole, Conductor, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show Sept. 11 - 13
Bill Haley's Comets, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show Oct. 10, 11
The Swing Dolls: The Andrews Sisters tribute, noon, lunch; 1 p.m., show Oct. 23, 24
VARGTIMM KING KOFFEE
506 Chestnut St., Emmaus. 610-965-3257
Open Mic Nights, 7 p.m. Wednesdays

CONCERTS

ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY HALL
23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. 610-432-6715
Allentown Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m. April 14, 16; 3 p.m. April 15; Holst, "The Planets," accompanied by talk and film by Jose Francisco Salgado.
Homer, "Apollo 13"; Debussy, "Clair de Lune (From the Clear of the Moon)"; Corigliano, "Voyage"
BEETHOVEN WALDHEIM CLUB
1984 Waldheim Road, Hellertown. 610-838-9059
Country Grass, Stained Glass Window, 12:30 p.m. April 15: Appalachian Fiddle, Bluegrass Association; Monthly Shindig
CENTRAL MORAVIAN CHURCH
Main and Church streets, Bethlehem. 610-867-2996
Bach Choir of Bethlehem, 12:10 p.m. April 10: Bach, "Cantata 130"; Beethoven, Cello Sonata in F Major, Op. 5, No. 1: Bach at Noon
CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
69 Main St., Hellertown. 610-838-0400

Diane Bish, 7:30 p.m. April 14: Dedication Concert
CHRIST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
75 E. Market St., Bethlehem. 610-865-6565
Open Mic Night, 7:30 p.m. Thursdays
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ALLENTOWN
Cedar Crest Boulevard and Tilghman streets, Allentown. 610-395-3781
Chancel Youth, Gloria Snyder, organ, 7:30 p.m. April 5
LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
Williams Center for the Arts, Hamilton and High streets, Easton. 610-330-5010
Lafayette College Instrumental, Vocal Students, Faculty, 12:15 p.m. April 4: First Wednesday Recital, Free. No ticket required
Glen Velez, drums, 8 p.m. April 15: "Ta Ka Di Mi Project"
LEHIGH UNIVERSITY
Zoellner Arts Center, Asa Packer Campus, 420 E. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem. 610-758-3615
Paco De Lucia, guitar, 8 p.m. April 12
Lehigh University Jazz Band, Combo, Ensemble, 8 p.m. April 14
Lehigh University Symphonic Band, Albert Neumeier, Conductor, 2 p.m. April 15, Free. No ticket required
MACUNGIE INSTITUTE
510 E. Main St., Macungie. 610-966-7830
Friction Farm, 7:30 p.m. April 14: Listen Live Open Mic
MAUCH CHUNK OPERA HOUSE
14 W. Broadway, Jim Thorpe. 570-325-0249
Justin Haigh, 8 p.m. April 13
The Janis Experience: Janis Joplin, Jimi Hendrix tributes, 8 p.m. April 14
MORAVIAN COLLEGE
Foy Concert Hall, Priscilla Payne Hurd Campus, Main and Church streets, Bethlehem. 610-861-1640
Wind Ensemble, 7:30 p.m. April 13: "Friggatriskaidekaphobia" ("Fear of Friday the 13th"), Peter Concert Hall
Student Composers' Concert, 7:30 p.m. April 14, Peter Concert Hall
Delta Omicron, 3 p.m. April 15: Spring Musicale, Peter Concert Hall
Moravian College Community Orchestra, Donald Spitheth, Conductor, 7 p.m. April 15, Tchaikovsky, "Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy"; Arnold, "Four Scottish Dances, Op. 59"; Leon Bates, piano, Rachmaninoff, Concerto Number 2 in C minor, Op. 18; Leon Bates, 4 p.m. April 15: Pre-Concert Lecture
MUHLENBERG COLLEGE
Egner Memorial Chapel, 24th and Chew streets, Allentown. 484-664-3363
Applied Music Students, 5 p.m. April 4, 11, Recital Hall; 5 p.m. April 12, Rehearsal House. Free. No ticket required
Jazz Improv Group, Dr. Ted Conner, Director, 8 p.m. April 10, Recital Hall. Free. No ticket required
Kathryn Krull, piano, 6 p.m. April 13: Senior Recital. Free. No ticket required
Collegium Musicum, Dr. Ted Conner, Director, 4 p.m. April 14, Empie Theater, Baker Center for the Arts. Free. No ticket required
Musicians from Marlboro, 8 p.m. April 13: Haydn, "Piano Trio in E-flat Major, Hob. XV: 29"; Mendelssohn, String Quartet Number 2 in A Minor, Op. 13; Shostakovich, Piano Quintet in G Minor, Op. 57, Empie Theater
Taylor Ross, soprano, 6:30 p.m. April 14: Senior Recital. Free. No ticket required
Musica Da Camara, Dr. Diane Follet, Director, 4 p.m. April 15. Free. No ticket required
SANDS BETHLEHEM EVENT CENTER
77 Sands Boulevard, Bethlehem. 877-726-3777
Incubus, 8 p.m. May 16
The Beach Boys, 8 p.m. May 17. Sold Out
Glenn Frey, 8 p.m. May 18
Alan Jackson, 8 p.m. May 19. Sold Out
Blink 182, All American Rejects, Le Biorr, 8 p.m. May 20
Flogging Molly, 8 p.m. May 24
Melissa Etheridge, 8 p.m. May 26
Paul Anka, 8 p.m. May 27
Michael Bolton, 8 p.m. June 6
Loretta Lynn, 8 p.m. June 9
Kenny G, 8 p.m. June 21
Crosby, Stills and Nash, 8 p.m. June 24
Bob Saget, 8 p.m. July 7
Diana Krall, 8 p.m. July 8
B-52s, 8 p.m. July 17
Jay Leno, 8 p.m. Aug. 10
Barenaked Ladies, Blues Traveler, Big Head Todd and the Monsters, 8 p.m. Aug. 17
Kathy Griffin, 8 p.m. Aug. 25
Kansas, 8 p.m. Sept. 14
Celtic Thunder, 8 p.m. Oct. 5
SELLERSVILLE THEATRE 1894
24 W. Temple Avenue, Sellersville. 215-257-5808
Perry Brown, The Sweetback Sisters, 8 p.m. April 4
Melanie, Steve Brosky and Jimmy Meyer, 8 p.m. April 5
Ozric Tentacles, Igor's Egg, 8 p.m. April 6
James Hunter, Jesse Dee, 8 p.m. April 7
Janiva Magness, David Jacobs-Strain, 7:30 p.m. April 8
Shemekia Copeland, Midnight Shift, 8 p.m. April 11
Professor Louie and the Crowmatrix, Bob Malone, 8 p.m. April 12
Rhonda Vincent, The Rage, 8 p.m. April 13
John Cassidy, 1 p.m. April 14
Loudon Wainwright III, Rob Morsberger, 8 p.m. April 14
The Bacon Brothers, Erick Baker, 4, 7:30 p.m. April 15. Sold Out
SHERMAN THEATRE
524 Main St., Stroudsburg. 610-420-2808
90.3 Wess Frequency Modulation Cypher Battle, 8 p.m. April 6: Ashak, Double O, Face, Gic, Lyrical Genius, Radio Raheem, Tinesha Michelle, They Call Em Teck, Mia Warring, Y.N.G.M.
Sully Erna, 8 p.m. April 7
Cota Jazz Scholastic Swing, 7:30 p.m. April 11
Sound Party Lazer, Foam Tour, 7:30 p.m. April 14
STATE THEATRE FOR THE ARTS
453 Northampton St., Easton. 610-252-3132
The Moody Blues, 8 p.m. April 7: Easton School of Rock, 6:45 p.m. April 7, Brown-Daub Gallery
Linda Eder, Tom Wopat, 8 p.m. April 14
ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ALLENTOWN
37 S. Fifth St., Allentown. 610-435-1641
Tyler Canonico, 12:10 p.m. April 10: Bach, Franck, Utterback, Weaver, Widor: The Arts At St. John's: Noon-Ten Concerts
ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH NAZARETH
200 S. Broad St., Nazareth. 610-759-3090
Festival Choir, 10 a.m. April 7
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
424 Center St., Bethlehem. 610-866-7652
David Leonhardt Jazz Group, 3 p.m. April 15: Second Sunday Concert Series

DANCE

ANTONIO SALEMMI FOUNDATION
Empire Ballroom, 542 Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-433-4150
Lehigh Valley Tango Society, 7 - 10 p.m. Wednesdays: "Tango Practicas"
BALLET GUILD OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY
556 Main St., Bethlehem. 610-865-0353
Fifth Annual Marjorie B. Fink Scholarships Auditions, 12:30 - 1:45 p.m., ages 7 - 9; 1:45 - 3 p.m., ages 10 - 12; 3:45 - 5 p.m., ages 13 and up April 15
FEARLESS FIRE COMPANY
1221 Front St., Allentown. 610-767-2549
Allentown Area Swing Dance Society, Con Gallagher, 5:45 p.m. April 10: Advanced Lesson: East Coast Swing; Dave Kim, 7 p.m. April 10: Main Lesson; 8:30 - 10:30 p.m.: open dancing, Country Two Step, California Mix
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER OF ALLENTOWN
702 N. 22nd St., Allentown. 610-435-3571
Israeli Dancing, 7:30 p.m. Mondays: Beginners; 8:30 p.m. Mondays: Experienced dancers
JORDAN LUTHERAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH
5103 Snowdrift Road, Orefield. 610-398-1361
Jef Savage, Nancy Walker, 6:30 p.m. April 12: "The

Titanic: A Salute through Dance"
LEHIGH COUNTY SENIOR CENTER
1633 Elm St., Allentown. 610-437-3700
King Henry, 1 p.m. April 4; 7:30 p.m. April 14
The Blue Notes, 1 p.m. April 18
STATE THEATRE CENTER FOR THE ARTS
453 Northampton St., Easton. 610-252-3132
Rivardance, 8 p.m. April 11: Farewell Tour
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
424 Center St., Bethlehem. 610-923-0997
Folk Dance, 6 p.m. Sundays
Barbara Goldstein, 7 p.m. April 14: Contra Dance, Fin-gerpex. 610-868-7432

EVENTS

ALLENTOWN BREW WORKS
812 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-433-7777
Free Brewery Tours, noon - 1:30 p.m. Saturdays
ALLENTOWN FAIRGROUNDS AGRI-PLEX
302 N. 17th St., Allentown. 610-433-7541
Snowmobile Sneak Peak, 4 - 9 p.m. April 4
Rubber Stamp, Paper Arts Festival, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. April 14; 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 15
AMERICA ON WHEELS
5 N. Front St., Allentown. 610-432-4200
Central Catholic Car Club, 1 p.m. April 15: Meeting
BETHLEHEM AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL
3300 Chester Avenue, Bethlehem. 610-866-8013
Delaware-Lehigh Amateur Radio Club, 7:30 p.m. April 5: "Lightning! What You Should Know": Monthly Meeting
DA VINCI SCIENCE CENTER
3145 Hamilton Boulevard Bypass, Allentown. 484-664-1002
Eggcellent Adventures, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. April 6, 7, 9
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2344 Center St., Bethlehem. 610-867-5865
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HAWK MOUNTAIN
1700 Hawk Mountain Road, Kempton. 610-756-6961
Wednesday Walks, 11 a.m. - noon through April
Mountain Moonwalk, 8 p.m. April 6. Registration required
Ellen Grim, 3 p.m. April 14: "Veracruz, Mexico: A River of Raptors" lecture, slideshow
Evenings on the River, 4 - 7 p.m. April 14, 15. Registration required
HISTORY EXPO
Lehigh Valley Heritage Museum, 432 W. Walnut St., Allentown. 610-435-1074
Patrick Falci, Civil War Encampment, Living History Demonstrations, Trout Hall Tours, Exhibits by Regional Historical Organizations, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 14
KALMBACH MEMORIAL PARK
200 Cotton St., Macungie. 610-965-1140
Sue Drabic, 7 p.m. April 11: "Flowering Trees: The Good, The Bad and The Scabby." Registration required
MACUNGIE INSTITUTE
510 E. Main St., Macungie. 610-966-7830
Candy, Safety Swap Night, 7 p.m. April 13: Family Fun Night
MACUNGIE MEMORIAL PARK
50 N. Poplar St., Macungie. 610-966-4289
Easter Egg Painting, April 7
Easter Egg Hunt, April 8
MORAVIAN BOOK SHOP
428 Main St., Bethlehem. 610-866-5481
Donna Yob, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. April 6, 7: Pyskansky Egg Decorating Demonstration
MUSSELMAN ARTS DEVELOPMENT CENTER
610 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-821-0345, ext. 124
Family Drum Circle, 10 a.m. Mondays: Host: Moe Jerant. Free
Kids, Family Jam Time, 11 a.m. Saturdays: Hand Drumming Sessions: Host: Moe Jerant. Free
RON BOYER FARM
Route 100, Barto. 215-679-6592
John Deere Eastern Pennsylvania Two Cylinder Club
Plow Show, 9 a.m. April 14; Snow Date, 9 a.m. April 21
ROCK THROUGH THE VALLEY
Lehigh Valley venues
Who Shot Rock and Roll: A Photographic History, 1955 to the Present, through May 13, Fowler, Rodale, Scheller Galleries, Allentown Art Museum, 31 N. Fifth St., Allentown. 610-432-4333
Lehigh University, Rauch Business Center Gallery, 621 Taylor St., Bethlehem. 610-758-4608
Girls on Film: 40 Years of Women in Rock: Photographs by Anastasia Pantisios, through May 25; Robert (Reeve) Garofalo, April 12: Guest Lecture
Patti Smith 1969-1976 Photographs by Judy Linn, through May 25, Dubois Gallery, Maginnes Hall
Martin Guitars Museum, Visitor's Center, 510 Sycamore St., Nazareth. 610-759-2837
Martin Guitars that Rock the World, through May 13
State Theatre for the Arts, 453 Northampton St., Easton. 610-258-7766
The Moody Blues, 8 p.m. April 7; Easton School of Rock, 6:45 p.m. April 7, Brown-Daub Gallery
SOUTHERN LEHIGH PUBLIC LIBRARY
3200 Preston Lane, Center Valley. 610-282-8825
Coldwater Creek Fashion Show, 10 a.m. April 10
SOUTHSIDE BETHLEHEM
First Friday, 6 - 10 p.m. April 6: Art Galleries, Musicians

FAIRS, FESTIVALS

ALLENTOWN FAIR
302 N. 17th St., Allentown. 610-433-7541
Blake Shelton, Sunny Sweeney, 7 p.m. Aug. 29
The Band Perry, Easton Corbin, 7 p.m. Sept. 31
Victoria Justice, 7 p.m. Sept. 2
LEHIGH VALLEY ZOO FARM FEST
Lehigh Valley Zoo, 5150 Game Preserve Road, Schnecksville. 610-799-4171
Compost for Kids Program, Farmers' Market, Encounters with Animals and Mascots, Old Time Plow Boys, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 14
MUSIKFEST
Sands Steel Stage, PNC Plaza, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-1300
MGMT, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 5
Sheryl Crow, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 10
Daughtry, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 11
Boston, 8 p.m. Aug. 12
RIVERJAZZ FESTIVAL
Musikfest Cafe, ArtsQuest Center SteelStacks, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610-332-3378
Walter Trout and The Radicals, 7:30 p.m. May 10
Preservation Hall Jazz Band, 7:30 p.m. May 12
Lynnie Godfrey, 7 p.m. May 18
Bela Fleck and The Marcus Roberts Trio, 7:30 p.m. May 23
Kevin Eubanks, 7:30 p.m. May 25
SCIENCE FESTIVAL OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY
DeSales University, 2755 Station Avenue, Center Valley. 610-282-1100
DeSales University Chemistry Demonstrations, 6 - 8 p.m. April 13
Weyerbacher Brewing Company, 905-G Line St., Easton. 610-559-5561
Weyerbacher Brewing Behind-the-Scenes Tour, 5:30 p.m. April 13; 3:15 p.m. April 14
Allentown Fairgrounds Agri-Plex, 302 N. 17th St., Allentown. 610-433-7541
Controlling Robot Used for Surgery, Live Animals, Chemical Experiments, Dinosaur Balloon, Hands-On Exhibits, Demonstrations, Live Shows, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. April 14;
SPRING FEST
Charles A. Brown Icehouse, 56 River St., Bethlehem. 610-332-1400
Lehigh Valley Storytelling Guild, Mock Turtle Marionette Theater, Northampton Community College Horizons, 10 a.m. April 14: Songs, Stories on Fishing, The Coming of Spring

LITERARY EVENTS

ALLENTOWN BREW WORKS
812 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-433-7777
Lehigh County Conference of Churches, noon April 4:

"From Racism to Grace": Lenten Discussion Series
ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY HALL
23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. 610-432-6715
Diane Wittry, noon April 13: "The Planets" Brown Bag Lecture
BARNES AND NOBLE BOOKSELLERS
Promenade Shops, 2960 Center Valley Parkway, Upper Saucon Township. 610-791-3261
Josh Berk, 2 p.m. April 7: "Guy Langman, Crime Scene Procrastinator" book signing
CENTRAL MORAVIAN CHURCH
Main and Church streets, Bethlehem. 610-867-2996
Comenius Forum, 12:30 p.m. April 15
DESALES UNIVERSITY
McShea Center, 2755 Station Avenue, Center Valley. 610-282-1100
"Theology of the Body," 9 p.m. April 8, 15
EMMAUS PUBLIC LIBRARY
11 E. Main St., Emmaus. 610-965-9284
Josh Berk, 7 p.m. April 9: "Guy Langman, Crime Scene Procrastinator" discussion, book signing
LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
Farinon House, 750 A. Sullivan Road, Easton. 610-330-5352
Lennard Davis, 7 p.m. April 10: "The End of Normal: Diversity, Disability and Identity in a Biocultural Era"
Hugel Science Center, 701 Sullivan Lane, Easton. 610-330-5219
Martha McCaughey, 7 p.m. April 12: "A Cyber-Rape in the Workplace: Privacy and Identity in the Digital Age"
Kirby Hall of Civil Rights, 710 Sullivan Lane, Easton. 610-330-5154
Michael W. McCann, 7:30 p.m. April 4: "Beyond Legal Mobilization: Rethinking Rights and Power"
Oeschle Auditorium, N. Campus Lane, Easton. 610-330-5288
Dr. Micah Sadigh, noon April 4: "The Faces of Anxiety"
Portlock Black Cultural Center, 101 McCarty St., Easton. 610-330-5819
Peter Bredlau, 5 p.m. April 12: "On Your Edges Thinking." Reservation required
Scott Hall, Quad Eye, Easton. 610-330-5080
Courtney Buetler, E.J. Hudock, noon April 9: "Planning for the Next Generation Smart Classroom"
Skillman Library, 307 Markle Hall, Easton. 610-330-5151
Christopher Ruebeck, 12:15 p.m. April 4: "Works-in-Progress: Identity Networks and Educational Effort"
Van Wickle Hall, 4 S. College Drive, Easton. 610-330-5196
Keith Brugger, noon April 13: "Cold Facts, Imaginary Glaciers, and Visions of Paleoclimate in the Colorado Rocky Mountains"
Williams Center for the Arts, Hamilton and High streets, Easton. 610-330-5010
Matthew Dickman, Student Winner of MacKnight Black Poetry Contest, 7 p.m. April 11: MacKnight Black Poetry Reading
Gary Schneider, 12:15 p.m. April 12: "Artist in Residence Program"
LEHIGH CARBON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Bookstore, Main Campus, 4525 Education Park Drive, Schnecksville. 610-799-2121
Jerome Lucido, 3 - 5 p.m. April 10: "COTU" book signing
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1633 Elm St., Allentown. 610-437-3700
Current Events Discussion Group, 2 p.m. Thursdays
Joe Lubell, 1 p.m. April 5: "Ghettos, Concentration Camps and Gas Chambers, The Nazi Era, 1933 - 1945"
LEHIGH UNIVERSITY
Linderman Library, Asa Packer Campus, 30 Library Drive, Bethlehem. 610-758-3996
Michele Kimpton, 4:10 p.m. April 12: "Preserving the Scholarly Record": Friends of the Lehigh Libraries
Maginnes Hall, Asa Packer Campus, 9 W. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem. 610-758-3095
Rodney Hessinger, 4:10 p.m. April 11: "Becoming Mother Ann Lee: Depiction of a Shaker Prophet's 18th Century Life in the Early 18th Century"
Amir Moosavi, 4:15 p.m. April 12: "Writing the War Story: Literature and Contending Narratives of the Iran-Iraq War": Center for Global Islamic Studies: Cluster Development Lecture
Neville Hall, Asa Packer Campus, 6 A. E. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem. 610-758-3470
Christine Thomas, 4:10 p.m. April 11: "Metal-Metal Multiple Bonds in Early, Late Heterobimetallics: Small Molecule Activation and Catalytic Applications"
Science, Technology, Environment, Policy & Society building, Asa Packer Campus, 1 W. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem. 610-758-4644
Jonathan D. Moreno, 4 p.m. April 4: "The Body Politic: The Battle Over Science in America": The Class of 1961 Ethics Series
Michael Burger, 4:10 p.m. April 4: "Turning Auditory Neurons to Sound Location: Implications for Hearing Loss"
Ed Rastetter, noon April 6: "Modeling Nutrient Limitation: Ecosystem Consequences of Resource Optimization"
Taeb Berrada, 4:15 p.m. April 9: "The Issues of the Haragas in North African Francophone Literature": Center for Global Islamic Studies
University Center, Asa Packer Campus, 29 Trembley Drive, Bethlehem. 610-758-3615
Dr. Zain Abdullah, 4:15 p.m. April 4: "Living Islam Out Loud: African Muslims in Contemporary America": Center for Global Islamic Studies: Cluster Development Lecture
LEHIGH VALLEY HERITAGE MUSEUM
432 W. Walnut St., Allentown. 610-435-1074
Stuart Lutz, 7 p.m. April 5: "Collecting Historic Documents and Forgery Detection" PowerPoint presentation
Jeffrey Finegan, Sr., 1 p.m. April 7: "Colonel Washington and Me" PowerPoint presentation, lecture, book signing
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Douglas E. Peters, 1 - 3 p.m. April 14: "Lehigh Valley Transit-In Color" book signing
MORAVIAN COLLEGE
Prosser Auditorium, Hauptert Union Building, North Campus, Locust and Monocacy streets, Bethlehem. 610-861-1516
Carol Howard Merritt, 9:30 a.m. April 12: "Christian Community and Practice for a New Generation"
MUHLENBERG COLLEGE
Seeger's Union, 2400 Chew St., Allentown. 484-664-3623
Kenneth W. Warren, 7 p.m. April 4: "The Bluest Eye: Toni Morrison and the Post-Segregation Black Writer": 25th Anniversary John D.M. Brown lecture
Social Research Social Justice Conference, 7 p.m. April 12
NORTHAMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Spartan Center, Main Campus, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem Township. 610-861-5300
Doris Kearns Goodwin, 7 p.m. April 12: "Abraham Lincoln and the Civil War." Registration required
PENN STATE LEHIGH VALLEY
2809 Saucon Valley Road, Center Valley. 610-285-5058
Frank Whelan, 10:30 a.m., coffee; 11 a.m., lecture; noon, lunch April 13: "Mr. Allen's Little Town at 250": Senior Adults Gaining Enrichment. Registration required
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342 Northampton St., Easton. 610-253-1222
Ed Henning, 10 a.m. Tuesdays, Fridays: "Stories about Northampton County: Lenape Lifeways - What the Rocks Tell Us." Reservation required
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Sustainable Lawns - Genesis Turf Grass repre-
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Answer to previous puzzle
5 3 8 9 2 6 7 4 1
1 2 9 7 4 5 8 3 6
6 7 4 1 8 3 9 5 2
3 6 5 4 1 7 2 9 8
7 8 2 3 5 9 1 6 4
4 9 1 2 6 8 5 7 3
9 1 3 8 7 4 6 2 5
8 5 7 6 3 2 4 1 9
2 4 6 5 9 1 3 8 7

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

Sudoku grid with numbers: 5, 9, 1, 3, 2, 9, 5, 6, 4, 6, 3, 5, 5, 9, 2, 7, 3, 8, 6, 4, 7, 3, 8, 6, 4, 3, 2, 8, 6, 5, 4, 3, 7, 4, 9, 4, 9

Difficulty Level ★★★

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Monday, April 2: Onion romano soup, beef barbecue on a bun, Sun chips, pasta salad, tropical fruit.
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Thursday, April 5: Old fashioned meatloaf with gravy, whipped potatoes, peas and carrots, wheat bread, banana.
Friday, April 6: Closed. Good Friday.
Monday, April 9: Chicken marsala, wax beans, buttered noodles, wheat bread, tapioca pudding.
Tuesday, April 10: Country fried steak with mushroom gravy, cottage fried potatoes, carrots, wheat bread, apple wedges.
Wednesday, April 11: Baked pork loin, mashed potatoes, peas and pearl onions, rye bread, diced peaches. BB: Meat loaf.
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Friday, April 13: Stuffed shells with tomato sauce, green beans, applesauce, wheat roll, brownie.

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PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

JOKE TIME JUMBLES

- ACROSS
1 Joe of "Raging Bull"
6 Boss woman
13 Gabs with flirtatiously
20 Routinely
21 Explorer Leif
22 Carolina of fashion
23 Bought brass and bronze?
25 Swallow greedily
26 Selected passages
27 Mediocre grades
29 Field marshal Erwin
30 Took a chair
31 Where a beautiful woman swims?
34 Jay-Z hit, e.g.
37 Moon of Jupiter
40 Restroom, for short
41 City in central Sicily
42 "Alas, it's true, Ms. Bergen?"
47 Autumn chill
49 Dolled (up)
50 Library of Congress ID
52 "Hawaiian Favorites" singer
57 "Yer darn —!"
58 Show off parquet work?
62 Ocean Spray flavor prefix
63 Take — (chance it)
65 Oil qty.
66 "... some kind of —?"
67 Ruminant's chew
68 Guthrie launches a Jedi master into a somersault?
73 Addenda to ltrs.
74 Blind as —
76 Hesiod's H
77 Like Carroll's "borogoves"
78 Part of TLC
80 Tinkerbell's ancient milky gem?
84 "The Raven" maiden
86 Blasé feeling
87 Yemen port
88 Sugar quantity
90 During each
92 Maneuver to avoid a traffic jam doesn't work?
96 Hot tub locales
100 Succor
102 Beaverlike rodent
103 Driver's peg
104 Inundate Liotta's bucket?
108 Size up from medium: Abbr.
111 Actor Brando
112 Big drink
113 Recurring melodic fragment
118 Scale ranges
120 What each of this puzzle's eight longest answers is a 93-Down of

19x19 crossword grid with numbers 1-128

- 123 Least nice
124 Hit from behind
125 Rainer of film
126 Classifies
127 Myopic cartoon guy
128 Rocker Bob
DOWN
1 Pontiff
2 PC-sent page
3 Glue — (adhesive brand)
4 Gives up
5 Prefix with red
6 Pal of Ernie
7 Savings plans, briefly
8 Jazz poet Scott-Heron
9 Cato's 1,150
10 Withdrawn from people
11 "True Blood" co-star Stephen
12 Adams of photography
13 "Evita" role
14 Title king for the Bard
15 Strong rival of Sparta
16 — l'oeil
17 Homily
18 Spur
19 Simmered Spanish dish
24 Decided to enter
28 "My Gal —"
31 Dandy fellow
32 GI's address
33 Popular Irish ballad
34 Spellbound
35 Like the conga drum, ethnically
36 Destine
38 Manipulate
39 Fishing stick
43 "— girl!"
44 1986 book by rocker Turner
45 Sassy talk
46 Big inits. in fashion
48 Many a sharable PC file
51 Soft as a — bottom
53 Ending for Rock
54 Like the United Way and NPR
55 Locale-specific regulation
56 Meal bits
58 "What's the —?"
59 Molokai or Maui: Abbr.
60 Penny-pinch
61 Municipal pol.
63 Certain female opera solo
64 Writer Dahl
67 Snug eatery
69 Not a bus.
70 Ms. Zadora
71 Size that's the opp. of 108-Across
72 — clubs (certain card)
75 Capote, to his buddies
79 Kournikova of the court
81 Quick bark
82 Berlin article
83 Yoko —
84 Sticking by
85 In addition
88 35mm camera type
89 Maui paste
91 Impassioned
93 Letter shuffle
94 Hwy. crime
95 Old religious scandal inits.
96 Gallery in western CA
97 Sites
98 Big arteries
99 California county
101 Bad: Prefix
105 Capital of Delaware
106 Bee cluster
107 Pied —
109 Fish parts
110 Come after
113 — concern
114 "— I" ("Me too")
115 Take — at (insult)
116 Hit with a zapping gun
117 — and terminator
119 Aves.
121 Lyric-penning Gershwin
122 Tripod piece

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See crossword answer on page B9

CRYPTOGRAM

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QYTQ BIK T XTQ-WVJR, ZIQ XSVZTZMK CEBISDW
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Today's Cryptquip clue: Q equals T

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3108 St. Stephens Lane, Whitehall. From Rte. 22: Take exit for MacArthur Rd. / PA-145 North. Proceed approx. 2 miles. Turn left onto Mechanicsville Rd. & continue for about a half mile. Turn left onto Brynwood Dr. Make your first left onto St. Stephens Ln. & follow signs to the Sales Office.

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390 HELP WANTED

POLICE CHIEF Lehigh Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania seeks an experienced & skilled individual to serve as its Police Chief. For complete job description, go to www.lehightownship.com. Resumes should be received by April 27, 2012 to Township Manager Alice Rehrig, Lehigh Township, 1069 Municipal Road, Walnutport, PA 18088 or arehrig@lehightownship.com. Equal Employment Employer.

510 APARTMENTS UNFURNISHED

Fullerton -Whitehall 1 BR, mod. kit. & bath. AC. No pets. Non smoking. 1st flr. \$650/mo. + util. 610-264-2921.

520 HOUSES FOR RENT

EMMAUS 1/2 twin 3 BR, 1.5 baths. No pets. No smoking. \$1025/mo. Avail. imm. 484-225-8553

580 BUSINESS RENTALS

COMMERCIAL small office. \$275/mo. incl. all util. 610-865-5022.

600 WANTED TO RENT

MATURE married couple no children, no pets, non-smokers seek 1st flr. small apt. to rent long-term in private home or small complex. Desired area W/WN Allentown, west of 19th St. References: 610-433-4398

610 WANTED TO BUY

ALL ANTIQUES, Furniture, Quilts, Dishes, Toys, Rugs, Attic Items, Holiday Decorations, Jewelry, Jars, Slate Items Crocks, Etc. FREE ESTIMATES DAVE IRONS ANTIQUES 610-262-9335

650 HOUSES FOR SALE

HEIDELBERG TWP. 4 BR, 2 ba, 2900sf w/1500sf full apt. in walkout LL. Unusual features incl. wind generator. \$454,900. Rudy Amelio R.E. Charlie 610-437-5503 ext. 15

670 LOTS FOR SALE

1 acre of land waterfront on Lehigh River. N. Whitehall Twp. Build a family home or cabin. \$58,000. 610-261-2056 or 610-262-0764.

420 BABYSITTING & CHILD CARE

DAY CARE done in my home, nr Air Prod. FT, PT, 25 yrs. exp., any age. AM & PM kindergarten avail. E. Penn School Dist. Exc. refs. Also, drop-in dr's appts., shopping, etc. 610-395-1791

470 RESORT RENTALS

BETHANY BEACH, DE - Vacation house 3 BR, 2 bath. Pool, tennis, non smoking. No pets. Close to beach. 610-298-3378.

DISNEY - stunning 4/3 vac. home w/priv. south facing pool & lanai. WIFI, W/D, linens, towels, etc. Minutes from theme parks. No pets. \$1,100 /wk. 610-597-2634.

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DRIVER: Allentown, Local/Regional Mix, Home 2-3 Nts/Wk + Wknds, 432CPM + \$15.29/Stop, Benefits, Apply: www.disttech.com, 800-321-3143 x2278

Head Girls Basketball Coach and Girls Soccer Coach needed for varsity teams. Deadline: April 17, 2012 at noon. Visit www.stsd.org for details

Local Organization is seeking a qualified candidate to contract with for an Absence Coordinator position. The Absence Coordinator is responsible to find substitute employees to fill Bus Driver and Bus Aide positions that are open from a pool of Substitute Bus Drivers and Bus Aides. This position works Sunday through Thursday, approximately 6 hrs. per day, pay rate of \$11/hr. minimum. If interested please submit your resume to:

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- or Call
Jim Fowler @ 610-926-0897 ext. 138108
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DUE TO CONTINUED GROWTH Ashley Distribution Services is looking for CDL-A qualified Drivers to join our Regional Fleet.

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9 A.M. SAT., APRIL 7, 2012
Location: 4061 Chestnut St., Emmaus, PA (across from "Yocco's Hot Dog - WATCH FOR SIGNS")
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Doug/Tim Houser Auctioneers, AU-000446L. Sale by: Estate Stephen Haklitesh
Jason/Nathan Houser - Assoc. Aucrs. Exc.: Lucy Wolf
610-799-2396 or 570-386-2191 Attorney: James Ritter

PUBLIC NOTICE BID INVITATION

HIGH PERFORMANCE CHIP SEAL WITH GRIP TIGHT FOG SEAL ULTRA-THIN FRICTION COURSE, GRADATION B

The Township of Upper Macungie will receive sealed bids for the following road construction:

High Performance Chip Seal with Grip Tight Fog Seal: approximately 30,000 sq. yards high performance chip seal, with approximately 30,000 sq. yards tight fog seal.

Ultra-Thin Friction Course, Gradation B, SRL-H, PG64-22: approximately 43,000 sq. yards, with approximately 500 sq. yards Variable Depth Milling and with approximately 3,000 gal. Polymer Modified Crack Sealing.

Specifications and bid forms are available at the Municipal Office at 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031 during normal business hours, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Bids will be received no later than April 17, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. prevailing time, at the Upper Macungie Township Municipal Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031. Bids will be publicly opened and read at 9:01 a.m.

There will be a Mandatory pre-bid meeting held on April 12, 2012 at 9:00 a.m., at the Upper Macungie Township Building.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the proposal, in favor of the Township of Upper Macungie, which will be forfeited if the successful bidder fails to enter into a contract with the Township within 20 days of notification of bid award.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to waive any informality in bidding, increase or decrease the quantities, reject any or all bids, and award the contract in the Township's best interest.

Kathy A. Rader, Township Supervisor
Mar. 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Whitehall Township Board of Commissioners will hold a regular Public Meeting on Monday, April 9th, 2012, at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA, to discuss and take action on the following legislation:

BILL NO. 8-2012
TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15, SECTION 40 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCE OF WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHING A 15 MINUTE MAXIMUM PARKING ZONE ON MONDAY THRU FRIDAYS FROM 9 AM TO 5 PM ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH STREET FOR A 60 FOOT LENGTH ALONG 522 FIFTH STREET IN THE FULLERTON AREA OF THE TOWNSHIP - Charles J. Fonzone, Solicitor

BILL NO. 9-2012
TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15, SECTION 37 OF THE 2006 CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, ESTABLISHING "NO PARKING ZONES" AT ALL TIMES IN WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP ALONG BOTH SIDES OF AVERY LANE (FROM ROBERT STREET TO ANDREW DRIVE) IN PEACHTREE TOWNES AND ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF S. FRONT STREET FROM LEHIGH STREET (SR 10104) NORTHWARDLY FOR A DISTANCE OF 240 FEET IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA - Charles J. Fonzone, Solicitor

BILL NO. 10-2012
TITLE: AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE REQUIRED INSTALLATION OF SIDEWALKS ALONG 4521 QUARRY STREET, WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR A DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 235 FEET, AS REQUIRED IN CHAPTER 21, SECTION 407 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP. - Charles J. Fonzone, Solicitor

RESOLUTION NO. 2765
TITLE: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR RENOVATION AND REFINISHING OF THE PARKVIEW SWIMMING POOL IN THE HOKENDAUQUA SECTION OF THE TOWNSHIP AND TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWNSHIP MAYOR TO ENDORSE ALL DOCUMENTS PURSUANT TO THIS GRANT. (RECREATION/ADMIN)

RESOLUTION NO. 2766
TITLE: A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MACARTHUR PARKWAY/HISTORIC SHOPPING DISTRICT PLAN FOR WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP. (Planning Commission)

RESOLUTION NO. 2767
TITLE: A RESOLUTION CONDITIONALLY APPROVING THE MINOR SUBDIVISION PLAN OF JERRY R. KNAFO, LOCATED AT 4521 QUARRY STREET, WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, INDEX NO. 1819-12. (DEVELOP)

RESOLUTION NO. 2768
TITLE: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF SPECIFIC TOWNSHIP RECORDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP'S RECORD RETENTION AND DISPOSAL SCHEDULE. (ADMINISTRATION)

Copies of the full text of the proposed legislative items may be examined by any citizen in the Administration office of the Township of Whitehall, PA, on any business day between 8:00 am and 4:00 p.m. The Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Assistance for the visually and/or hearing impaired is available upon request at least five (5) working days prior to this meeting.

/s/Paul F. Geissinger
FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL

Apr. 4

CRYPTO SOLUTION

THE SECURITY WORKER COULD'VE GIVEN THAT GUY A PAT-DOWN, BUT PROBABLY FIGURED IT WASN'T WORTH THE FRISK.

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF
NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to the requirements of the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1988, as amended, notice is hereby given that St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Upper Milford Township is currently in the process of voluntarily dissolving.

Keith W. Strohl, Esquire
Steckel and Stopp
125 South Walnut Street
Suite 210
Slatington, PA 18080

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING/MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Lynn Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing/meeting at the Lynn Township Municipal Building, 7911 Kings Highway, Lynnport on Thursday, April 26, 2012 at 7:00PM to hear the following appeal(s):

APPEAL #494, Case #12-02

A hearing of the appeal of Paul Browning for a variance or interpretation and/or other relief deemed necessary in order to reconstruct an attached garage and addition to the existing dwelling. The home is a non-conforming structure. The proposed garage and addition if constructed will not meet the front yard setback of 80 feet. The property is located at 6244 Schochary Road, New Tripoli PA 18066 and is in the R-Rural District. The size of the lot is approximately 2.1622 acres.

Kevin N. Deppe, Zoning Officer

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING MEETING

Public Notice by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board is hereby given for hearings on April 18, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. in the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levans Road, Coplay (Ironton), Pa. regarding the following zoning appeal:

ZONING APPEAL - 2012-4

Richard F. Burke et al. - The applicant is requesting a Variance from Section 603.E.2 to allow portions of a loading area to remain in crushed stone and not be paved. The property is located at 4185 Independence Drive, Schnecks-ville, PA 18078. The property is zoned L1/B - Light Industrial/Business District PIN: 5469 5111 7210.

Copies of the above noted appeal applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building. The North Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically challenged.

The applicants must appear at this zoning meeting. Any party interested in the above matter has the right to appear in person, by counsel, or by representative and be heard at the time and place indicated above. North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board requests that all persons who wish to be considered parties to this hearing enter their appearances in writing on Praeipce For Appearance Forms provided by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Office. The Zoning Hearing Board also reserves the right to change the order in which the zoning appeals will be heard at this public meeting.

Ken Nicholson
Zoning and Codes Enforcement Officer
Mar. 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
BIDS WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received by the Township of Lowhill, Lehigh County at 7000 Herber Road, New Tripoli, PA 18066 until Thursday May 3, 2012 until 2:30 PM and will be opened on Thursday, May 3, 2012 at 3 PM for the following:

300 Tons Superpave 9.5mm, PG 64-22, Wearing course, 0.0 to 0.3 million ESAL, SRL-1, 100 Tons Superpave 9.5mm, PG 64-22, Wearing course, ANY ESAL, ANY SRL, 100 Tons Superpave 19.0mm, PG 64-22, Binder course, ANY ESAL, ANY SRL, 100 Tons AASHTO #1 Stone, 1500 Tons AASHTO #8 Stone with 1.0% loss by wash, 400 Tons AASHTO #57 Stone with 2.0% loss by wash, 40 Tons UPM, 100 Tons AASHTO #3 Stone, 800 Tons PennDOT 2RC, 800 Tons PennDOT Type 2 Anti Skid. All asphalt materials must be in accordance with PennDOT specifications. All prices to be FOB quarry AND delivered, hauling costs will be considered in awarding of the bids. 7500 Gallons Diesel Fuel (Winter Blend), 900 Gallons 89 Octane Unleaded Gasoline, delivered as needed "PUB 408/2000-Revision 9 shall apply".

Forms for responsible bidders may be obtained by calling 610-298-2641 or by picking up at the Township Building at 7000 Herber Road, New Tripoli, PA 18066. Office hours are 8 am to 3 pm, Monday through Friday. All amounts are more or less. Proposals must be upon the forms furnished by the Municipality. The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the bid, made payable to the Municipality. The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Lowhill Township, 2nd Class
Jill Seymour, Secretary

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID

Borough of Coplay
Lehigh County, Pennsylvania

2012 CONCRETE HANDICAP
RAMPS AND SIDEWALK PROJECT

BOROUGH OF COPLAY will receive sealed bids for the installation of 41 concrete handicap ramps and sidewalks at various locations within the Borough. Bids shall be delivered or mailed, to the Borough of Coplay Municipal Building, 98 S. 4th Street, Coplay, PA 18037. Bids will have to be in the office by 3:00 P.M. prevailing time on May 1, 2012, and will be publicly opened and read aloud at a workshop meeting by the Borough Council on May 1, 2012 at 7:00 P.M. prevailing time. All bids shall be sealed, marked and addressed as follows:

Borough of Coplay
ATTN: Sandra A. Gycsek, Secretary
2012 CONCRETE HANDICAP
RAMPS AND SIDEWALK PROJECT

Contract Documents for the work may be obtained at the Borough of Coplay Municipal Building, 98 S. 4th Street, Coplay, PA 18037 phone (610) 262-6088 during regular business hours of Monday through Friday from 8 AM to 4:30 PM.

Mailed bids must be placed in separate sealed carrier envelopes noted "BID ENCLOSED". Each bid shall be accompanied by certified check, bank cashier's check or bid bond payable to Borough of Coplay in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid as security. If the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and the performance and payment bonds with proof of insurance shall be properly secured.

Borough of Coplay reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept any bid which, in its judgment, is in the best interest of the Borough.

This Project is being funded with Federal Community Development Block Grant funds. Because the contract amount is expected to be at least \$25,000, bidders will be required to pay federal prevailing wage and must show that they have solicited bids from minority and women business enterprises (MWBE). Each bidder must seek Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MBE/WBE) firms participation in obtaining subcontractors for construction work, equipment, service and supplies in accordance with the goals and objectives set forth in this contract. The contact list of certified MWBE material suppliers and service providers pertaining to this project is enclosed within the bid packet.

Sandra A. Gycsek, Borough Secretary

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE
THE BOROUGH OF EMMAUS
ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT
DECEMBER 31, 2011

Table with 2 columns: FUND EQUITY, JANUARY 1, 2011 and REVENUES. Values include \$ 22,456,817 and 8,665,844.

Table with 2 columns: EXPENDITURES and FUND EQUITY, DECEMBER 31, 2011. Values include 8,286,319 and \$ 22,062,184.

STATEMENT OF RESOURCES, LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Table with 2 columns: ASSETS and LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY. Values include \$ 8,995,056 and \$ 26,684.

Table with 2 columns: ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE BOROUGH and FUND EQUITY. Values include \$ 261,923,580 and \$ 28,086,390.

Table with 2 columns: ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE BOROUGH. Values include \$ 261,923,580 and \$ 301,614,250.

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

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID
MUNICIPAL BUILDING ROOF REPLACEMENT
ALLEN TOWNSHIP, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PA

Sealed bids will be received by Allen Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania for re-roofing of the existing slate portion of the Allen Township Municipal Building located at 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, PA. The project consists of: the removal of the existing slate on lathe roof system (approximately 3,216 square feet), the installation of new wood substrate decking and the installation with either a new 50-year asphalt fiberglass shingle or a new 50-year composite slate tile roof system.

The specific requirements for the bidding and material are further described in the Contract Documents and Specifications and are available to all Bidders. All Bids must be submitted on forms furnished by the Township. The Bid Packages are available at the Allen Township Municipal Office, 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, PA 18067 during regular business hours.

Bid Proposals should be mailed or hand delivered to the Township Manager at the Allen Township Municipal Building, 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, PA, 18067, prior to 12:00 Noon, April 24, 2012. Bid Proposals will be opened and publicly read aloud at 12:15 pm prevailing time on April 24, 2012.

The Contractor shall be required to pay wages in accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry Prevailing Wage Rates; if applicable.

The Township reserves the right to reject any and all Bids for any reason and to waive any informality in any Bid Proposal. Within ten (10) days after the Contract has been awarded, the successful Bidder shall furnish, to the Township, the documents required by the Contract Documents.

No Bidder will withdraw his Bid Proposal within sixty (60) days after the date of Bid Opening.

ALLEN TOWNSHIP, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PA

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE
UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP
ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

Table with 2 columns: FUND EQUITY, JANUARY 1, 2011 and REVENUES. Values include \$ 7,542,557 and 1,805,040.

Table with 2 columns: EXPENDITURES and FUND EQUITY, DECEMBER 31, 2011. Values include 1,816,022 and \$ 7,560,508.

STATEMENT OF RESOURCES, LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Table with 2 columns: ASSETS and LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY. Values include \$ 1,704,429 and \$ 103,191.

Table with 2 columns: ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE TOWNSHIP. Values include \$243,652,150 and \$267,450,400.

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

April 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct public hearings on Wednesday April 25, 2012 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-2012-07: The appeal of the Lehigh Valley Educators Credit Union seeking temporary use special exception approval for a two-day, 50 vehicle sale (for credit union members) to be conducted on the bank property at 3720 Hamilton Boulevard. The appellant is seeking a favorable review per Sections 12.25(c) & (d) for the event proposed for May 31 & June 1, 2012, and then next year on May 30th & 31st, 2013. The subject property is zoned "HC", Highway Commercial.

ZHB-2012-08: The appeal of Nick Pidstawski seeking relief to install and maintain an open-loop, open water ground source, geothermal heating system for the residential property located at 4021 River Road. The appellant is seeking a variance to Section 12.41(m)(3)(B) regarding an explicit prohibition against open-loop, open water systems (only closed-loop systems are permitted). The subject property is zoned "R-H", Rural Holding.

ZHB-2012-09: The appeal of the Stephen and Beverly Volk seeking relief to construct an addition onto the rear of their attached garage, and also for an existing sunroom that was built years ago without permits, at 1511 Red Maple Lane. Both the proposed addition and the existing sunroom encroach into the required minimum rear yard setback per Section 12.28(c)(4). The appellants seek setback variances accordingly. The subject property is zoned "R-3", Low Density Residential.

ZHB-2012-10: The appeal of the Deborah Shaeffer/Deborah Schroyer seeking relief to construct a small porch roof addition to cover her front door entrance area of the home located at 2515 Helen Street. The appellant seeks a front yard setback variance from Section 12.28(c)(5), per Section 12.31(b). The subject property is zoned "R-4", Medium Density Residential.

ZHB-2012-11: The appeal of the Robert James seeking relief to construct an 8 foot tall solid fence (6 foot is the permitted maximum height) on his residential property located at 1331 Whitehall Avenue (aka 1328 N. 24th St). The appellant seeks a variance from Section 12.35(b). The subject property is zoned "R-4", Medium Density Residential.

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 are available for public inspection at the Township Building during normal business hours (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

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE
MEETING NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Women's Club of Whitehall Township will be held at Faith Lutheran Church, MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA on Monday, April 9, 2012 at 7:30 P.M.

Marie Thomas, Recording Secretary

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of CONSTANCE N. ROUDIS a/k/a GUSTAV N. ROUDIS, a/k/a GUS N. ROUDIS

deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

David J. Boyko, Administrator
c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Donald S. Young, Esq.
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.

119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Or to his Attorney:
YOUNG & YOUNG
Donald S. Young, Esq.
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.
119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Mar. 21, 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

On April 16, 2012 at 7:30 p.m., the Council of the Borough of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, will consider the adoption of the following ordinance:

Ord. 2012-02 - An Ordinance of the Borough of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Amending Chapter 274-58, Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plans, Section 274-59, Hauled Wastewater, Section 274-61, Wastewater Discharge Permit Requirement Of Article IV of the Code of the Borough of Macungie.

A copy of the ordinance is available for review at Borough Hall, 21 Locust Street, Macungie, Pennsylvania, during normal business hours and at the Lehigh County Solicitor's Office, Lehigh County Government Center, 17 South 7th Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

Chris L. Boehm, Borough Manager

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL
ZONING HEARING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING

The regular monthly meeting of the Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board will be held on April 17, 2012, at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, at 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, to hear the following appeals:

DOCKET # 1741 - Nadine MacAdam - 1293 Forest Road, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 1293 Forest Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 549767525702, the subject property is located in a R5 High Density Residential Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Sec. 27-18 and Sec. 27-75 E(5) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding work without permit and maximum impervious coverage for a deck that was constructed without first securing the necessary and required permits.

DOCKET # 1742 - BMG Investments, LLC and Interstate Nursing Services, Inc. dba Whitehall Medical Transport - 1041 N. Sixth Street, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 1041 N. Sixth Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 549796320016, the subject property is located in a C2 Regional/Community Commercial Zoning District. Applicants are requesting a variance or interpretation to Sec. 27-80 B(1) and Sec. 27-194 ("accessory use") of the Zoning Ordinance regarding use of private auto repair shop for medical transport business to include repair of employee vehicles.

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

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

Applicants, and all interested parties MUST appear at this hearing to be considered. MELISSA A. CEASAR, Zoning Officer

Mar. 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE
LEHIGH TOWNSHIP, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
ANNUAL AUDIT AND FINANCIAL REPORT
DECEMBER 31, 2011

Table with 2 columns: FUND EQUITY, JANUARY 1, 2011 and REVENUES. Values include \$4,553,666 and 3,504,534.

Table with 2 columns: EXPENDITURES and FUND EQUITY, DECEMBER 31, 2011. Values include 3,633,708 and \$5,072,432.

STATEMENT OF RESOURCES, LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Table with 2 columns: ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS and LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY. Values include \$ 5,391,848 and 38,405.

Table with 2 columns: ASSESSED VALUATION OF THE TOWNSHIP and SUMMARY OF DEBT. Values include \$283,248,900 and \$ 625,587.

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The books and accounts have been audited by the Township's appointed auditors for the year ended December 31, 2011. The above statements have been compiled from the audit report for 2011. The complete audit report is available for inspection at the Township Office during normal business hours.

Alice A. Rehrig, Township Manager

Apr. 4

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Crossword solution grid with words filled in.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of ESTHER D. PENGILLY, late of the Township of Whitehall, County of Lehigh, 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 payable without delay to:

LINDA M. KREG
712 South Shore Drive
Portage, MI 49002-6945

John L. Obrecht, Esq.
1731 Main Street
Northampton, PA 18067-1544

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Pennsylvania Statutes 25 P.S. § 2726, notice is hereby given to the electorate of Lehigh County, Pennsylvania of polling place changes before the April 24, 2012 Special Election & General Primary.

Permanent Changes:

Allentown 14th Ward 1st & 2nd Districts
St. Joseph's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 41 South Carlisle Street, Allentown to Mosser Village Family Center, 614 South Carlisle Street, Allentown

Upper Milford Western District
Upper Milford Township Municipal Building from 5831 Kings Highway South to Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5901 Kings Highway South, Old Zionsville

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING MEETING
Public Notice by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board is hereby given for hearings on April 18, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. in the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levans Road, Coplay (Ironton), Pa. regarding the following zoning appeals:

ZONING APPEAL - 2012-3
Kenneth Cressman- The applicant is requesting a variance from Section 403.15.b 1) to permit the construction of 24 ft. by 43 ft. accessory structure, which would exceed the allowable limit of 1000 sq. ft. The property is located at 5500 Roberts Road, Rd. Schnecks-ville, PA 18078. The property is zoned AR-Agricultural Rural Residential. PIN 5560 6324 0402.

Copies of the above noted appeal applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building. The North Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically challenged.

The applicants must appear at this zoning meeting. Any party interested in the above matter has the right to appear in person, by counsel, or by representative and be heard at the time and place indicated above. North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board requests that all persons who wish to be considered parties to this hearing enter their appearances in writing on Praeipce For Appearance Forms provided by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Office. The Zoning Hearing Board also reserves the right to change the order in which the zoning appeals will be heard at this public meeting.

Ken Nicholson
Zoning and Codes Enforcement Officer
Mar. 28, Apr. 4

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Karen L. Papay
7975 Seventh Street
Slatington, PA 18080

Brian J. Rubright
1185 Arbor Lane
Slatington, PA 18080
c/o to their attorney,
Steckel and Stopp, By:
Charles A. Waters, at
125 S. Walnut Street,
Suite 210, Slatington,
PA 18080.

Apr. 4, 11, 18

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of IDA E. O'BRIEN, deceased, late of Alburtis, 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:

Jodi Ann
Lichtenwalner,
Co-Executor
David Lloyd
Lichtenwalner,
Co-Executor

c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Donald S. Young, Esq.
Rebecca M. Young, Esq.

119 E. Main Street
Macungie, PA 18062
Or to their Attorney
YOUNG & YOUNG
Donald S. Young, Esq.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

BOROUGH OF NORTH CATAAUQUA NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the North Cataauqua Borough Civil Service Commission will hold a meeting on Monday, April 16, 2012 at 6:00 PM. The meeting will be held at the Municipal Building, 1066 Fourth Street, N. Cataauqua, PA 18032. The purpose of the meeting is reorganization.

Nancy K. Knecht, Borough Secretary

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of RICHARD D. McCANDLESS, deceased, late of Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to him.

Robert F. Schuster, Esquire 1204 Maple Street Bethlehem, PA 18018

Mar. 28, Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Campus, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428.

Courtesy of the Floor for Faith Evangelical Free Church, 6528 Hamilton Boulevard, Allentown, PA 18106, Appeal No. 11-011 Appeal No. 06-2012 of Dean and Faith Ziegler 6254 Sage Drive, Macungie Pa.18062. Property located in a S-Suburban Residential Zoning District. Pin No.547461398131. Applicants are requesting a variance to Ordinance 1998-11, Part 23, Chapter 27-2302, 6. A. regarding driveway setbacks for the proposed driveway addition, and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 07-2012 of Via of the Lehigh Valley, Inc. 336 W. Spruce Street, Bethlehem, Pa. 18018. Property located at 5910 Hamilton Blvd. Allentown Pa. 18106 in a C-Commercial Zoning District. Pin No. 547543181209. Applicants are requesting a variance to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 24, Sec.27- 2406 AA. (2.) and (3.) regarding Minimum Lot Area, Buffer Requirements and setbacks for open space dedicated for athletic use, and/or in the alternative would request a favorable interpretation (27-202) of the Definition of a Day Care Center or an Education Institution and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 08-2012 of Anthony Mannino dba Italiano Delight 1995 Brookside Rd. Macungie Pa. 18062. Property located in a S-Suburban Residential Zoning District. Pin No. 547499543864. Applicants are requesting the expansion and extension of a Non-Conforming use to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 25, Sec. 27-2503 for the proposed roof structure over the existing outdoor patio and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 09-2012 of LUOLIN Realty of Allentown LLC, by its agent Heim Construction Co. Inc. 82 Tunnel Rd. Pottsville Pa. 17901. Property located at 5201 Hamilton Blvd. Allentown Pa. 18106 in a C-Commercial Zoning District. Pin No. 547576217150. Applicants are requesting a variance to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 10, Sec. 27-1008 and Part 18, Sec. 27-1803, A.C.E. regarding Building Setbacks and Buffer Requirements for the proposed Medical/Office Center and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

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

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

Carl L. Best, Zoning Officer

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to the requirements of the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1988, as amended, notice is hereby given that St. Peters United Church of Christ Macungie Route #1 PA is currently in the process of voluntarily dissolving.

Keith W. Strohl, Esquire Steckel and Stopp 125 South Walnut Street Suite 210 Slatington, PA 18080

Apr. 4

TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Township of Whitehall is soliciting sealed bids for the Lehigh Valley Cooperative Purchasing Council:

Contract No. PC 12-44 "SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE" until APRIL 18, 2012 (Wednesday) at 3:00 p.m. Bids will be opened on April 19, 2012 (Thursday) at 2:30 p.m. Forms can be obtained at the Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052 or FAX REQUEST to (610) 437-6963.

MARY ANN MILLER, CPPO Purchasing Agent

Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners has prepared a supplement to the existing Act 537 Sewage Facility Plan for Lower Macungie Township (the "Plan Supplement"). This notice has been published to allow the public to comment on the proposed Plan Supplement.

Lower Macungie Township reviewed its existing Act 537 Sewage Facility Plan and determined that it is adequate to address the present and most, but not all, of the future sewer needs within the designated public sewer service area which requires an expansion of this area. For the area outside the public sewer service area, which utilizes individual on-lot sewage disposal systems, Lower Macungie Township has determined that its existing Act 537 Sewage Facility Plan is not adequate in addressing future needs because of the lack of an On-lot Sewage Management Program for individual sewage disposal systems. Lower Macungie Township intends to supplement its existing Act 537 Sewage Facility Plan by adding a new On-lot Sewage Management Program which addresses the needs for every individual on-lot sewage system. There are two (2) sewer service areas within Lower Macungie Township. Service Area No. 1 represents the majority of Lower Macungie Township, which is served by a public sewer system consisting of the Township's collection system and the Lehigh County Authority's conveyance system, which discharges to the City of Allentown conveyance system and sewage treatment plant. Service Area No. 2 represents individual on-lot sewer systems.

The Plan Supplement provides pertinent background information about the two (2) sewer service areas, outlines the feasible alternative of establishing a new On-lot Sewage Management Program, and identifies the proposed limits of the public sewer service area. Lower Macungie Township will adopt a Sewage Management Ordinance, which establishes a five (5) year pumping schedule throughout Lower Macungie Township. Lower Macungie Township will be divided into five (5) sewer districts identified in the Plan Supplement.

A thirty (30) day comment period has been established on the date of this advertisement to allow the general public to comment on the proposed Plan Supplement. The general public may review the proposed plan at the Lower Macungie Township Building during regular office hours 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The general public may provide written comments to Bruce Fosselman, Township Manager, Lower Macungie Township, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062. All written comments must be received prior to the end of the thirty (30) day public comment period. A copy of written comments received and the responses to the comments will be included in the Plan Supplement.

Renea Flexer, Township Secretary

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

"Mission & Goals Open Forum" Notice is hereby given that the Lynn Township Board of Supervisors, along with the Township's appointed Boards and Committees and the public are asked to attend a Mission & Goals Open Forum on Thursday, April 19th, 2012 @ 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be conducted at the Lynn Township Municipal Building, 7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli.

Tammy White, Secretary/Treasurer

Apr. 4

AUDITORS REPORT NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AUDITORS REPORT

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Financial Statement of Catasauqua Area School District from the auditors for the Fiscal year Ended June 30, 2011, was filed on March 30, 2012, in the offices of the Prothonotary at, Lehigh County Courthouse, Clerk of Judicial Court, Civil Department, 455 W. Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA, 18101-1614 and the Northampton County Courthouse, Criminal Department, 669 Washington Street, Easton, PA, 18042 and will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof. The report is available for public inspection at the business office of the School District during normal business hours.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Pennsylvania Statutes, Title 73, Chapter 26 § 1901 et seq., a public auction will take place on April 19, 2012, at the below-listed Public Storage facilities, for the following units, the contents of which shall be sold to satisfy the owner's lien.

1. PUBLIC STORAGE located at 2977 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052; (610) 770-0773; TIME: 11:00 AM. Units: F0556 J. Sherman; F0564 A. Mickens, F0566 M. Leibman; F0613 C. Steinmetz

All sales are subject to cancellation. Public auction terms, rules, and regulations will be made available prior to the sale. Date of Publication: 4/4/12 and 4/11/12

PS Oraneco, Inc., 701 Western Avenue, Glendale, CA 91201. (818) 244-8080, Bond No. 6004928. Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING MEETING Public Notice by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board is hereby given for hearings on April 18, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. in the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levens Road, Coplay (Ironton), Pa. regarding the following zoning appeal:

ZONING APPEAL - 2012-2 SE Keystone Pizza Partners, LLC. The applicant is requesting a Special Exception under Section 306.B. in order to establish a Restaurant, and Section 801.B. c) to allow this use as a second principal use. The property is located at 4445 Route 309, Schnecksville, PA 18078. The property is zoned VC - Village Center. PIN: 5469 3237 5655.

The Planning Commission will review this application at their March 27, 2012 Meeting at 7:30 P.M. in the Municipal Building.

Copies of the above noted appeal applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the North Whitehall Township Municipal Building. The North Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically challenged.

The applicants must appear at this zoning meeting. Any party interested in the above matter has the right to appear in person, by counsel, or by representative and be heard at the time and place indicated above. North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board requests that all persons who wish to be considered parties to this hearing enter their appearances in writing on Præcipe For Appearance Forms provided by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Office. The Zoning Hearing Board also reserves the right to change the order in which the zoning appeals will be heard at this public meeting.

Ken Nicholson Zoning and Codes Enforcement Officer

Mar. 21, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Whitehall Township Legal & Legislative Committee will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, April 11th, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 Mac Arthur Road, Whitehall, PA.

Apr. 4

ELECTION BOARD MEETING

The Lehigh County Board of Elections will convene a meeting on Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 3:00 P.M. in the Conference Room 43A, Basement Floor, Government Center, next to the Voter Registration Office, 17 South 7th Street, Allentown, for the purpose of approving the ballot to be used at the April 24th, 2012 General Primary and for general purposes.

Election Board of Lehigh County By: Timothy A. Benyo, Chief Clerk

Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of ROBERT W. YENSER, Deceased, late of 3000 Fellowship Drive, Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent, to make payments without delay to: Barry L. Yenser, Wayne D. Yenser Co-Executor Co-Executor Address: c/o Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire 352 Fifth St., Ste. A Whitehall, PA 18052 or to their attorney: Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire Address: 352 Fifth Street, Suite A Whitehall, PA 18052

Mar. 21, 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of CAROL ANN SCHLAGETER a/k/a Carol A. Schlageter, deceased, late of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Janet Lynn Schlegeter, Executrix c/o Michael Ira Stump, Esquire 207 E. Main Street, Suite 100 Macungie, PA 18062 Or to her Attorney: Michael Ira Stump, Esquire 207 E. Main St., Suite 100 Macungie, PA 18062

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of JACOB McCLELLAN WOOLBERT, JR., a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert, Jr., a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert, a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert a/k/a Jake M. Woolbert, deceased, late of Bethlehem, 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: Barry L. Woolbert, Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Donald S. Young, Esq. Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to his Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Donald S. Young, Esq. Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Mar. 21, 28, Apr. 4

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BIDS WANTED Sealed electronic bids will be received by the Lehigh County Schools Joint Purchasing Board, until 2:00 p.m., April 9, 2012 for the following:

Art Supplies All bids will be exclusively received and processed through the eschoolmall easyBid application process at www.eschoolmall.com; the failure to follow this process (no paper submissions will be considered) will disqualify the bid submission. Bid instructions and specifications can be obtained from Andrew Barnett at 610-769-4111 or barnetta@cliu.org. Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on April 10, 2012. Randy Hensinger, LCSJPB Board Chairman Mar. 21, 28, Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELECTION BOARD NOTICE The Lehigh County Board of Elections will convene a meeting on Friday, April 27, 2012, 9:00 A.M. in the Election Bureau Office, Government Center - Room 40, 17 South 7th Street, Allentown for the following purposes:

- 1. To commence the official canvassing of votes from the April 24, 2012 Special Election & General Primary.
2. To examine each provisional ballot envelope from the April 24, 2012 Special Election & General Primary to determine if the individuals who voted a Provisional Ballot was qualified to vote at the election district where the vote was cast.
3. General purposes.

Election Board of Lehigh County By: Timothy A. Benyo, Chief Clerk Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

MEETING NOTICE Macungie Borough Council will be conducting a workshop on Monday, April 16, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Macungie Institute, 510 E. Main Street, Macungie, to review the organizational assessment. The public is invited to attend. Chris L. Boehm Borough Manager Apr. 4

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of MARGARET S. NEUBAUER, deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Marilyn L. Smith 4517 Mountain Road Slatington, PA 18080

Judith A. Neff 3444 Main Street Emerald, PA 18080 Executors, or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp. By: Charles A. Waters, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Mar. 28, Apr. 4, 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of JACOB McCLELLAN WOOLBERT, JR., a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert, Jr., a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert, a/k/a Jacob M. Woolbert a/k/a Jake M. Woolbert, deceased, late of Bethlehem, 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: Barry L. Woolbert, Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Donald S. Young, Esq. Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to his Attorney: YOUNG & YOUNG Donald S. Young, Esq. Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Mar. 21, 28, Apr. 4

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