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## 'It was not really a job'

Township crossing guard recognized for service to community

By H.L. STONE  
 Special to the Bethlehem Press

For Albina DaSilva, three decades of crossing Catholic school kids has come to an end.

DaSilva, a resident of Prospect Heights, Bethlehem Township was honored for her 33 years of service as a crossing guard for Sacred Heart ES at the Board of Commissioners meeting June 21.

Township Manager Jon Hammer presented her with the award to commemorate her outstanding contribution to the community.

"I loved it. When they announced that they were looking for a crossing guard, I said to my husband that I wanted to go for it, and he said, 'You've got to be kidding me.' I gave myself one week and figured that's it, but that one week turned into 33 years," DaSilva said, reminiscing about how she came to the decision to apply for the position.

While she did earn some small pay, DaSilva stresses that it was for the enjoyment of the job and the convenience of having a part-time job she could structure around her daughter's schedule that she took the position, which reported to the township's police department.

"It was not really a job. I just enjoyed doing it," DaSilva said. This was, in fact, DaSilva's second career. She had



PRESS PHOTO BY H.L. STONE

Crossing guard for 33 years, Albina DaSilva was honored for outstanding service, dedication, professionalism and public trust by Bethlehem Township at its Board of Commissioners meeting June 21. DaSilva plans to enjoy retirement helping out her daughter with her grandchildren but says she will miss the students, parents, teachers and principal of Sacred Heart ES, where she served since 1977. The school closed its doors June 11.

worked as a seamstress in a tie factory for 20 years before becoming crossing guard in 1977.

DaSilva can also boast about the fact that she has been serving long enough to have crossed not one but two generations of students at Sacred Heart, the first generation of students that went to school with her own daughter in the late 70s and early 80s and many of the children of this first group of students.

She also fondly remembers the connections she made in the school community, and how the teachers and principal felt to her like an extended family.

"I knew all of them and whenever something was going on I was invited. It made me feel so good. I was treated so nicely," she said.

For DaSilva, the job was all about the people and special relationships she forged with the children, parents and grandparents.

"I chatted with the grandmas waiting for their kids. I'd talk across the street to them," DaSilva said, describing how she grew to know the people.

And of course safety played a big role.

"I thank God every day that there was never an accident," said DaSilva, who says she never had a problem in all her 33 years.

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## COUNTY Council tables charter change

By BERNIE O'HARE  
 Special to the Bethlehem Press

"This is an opportunity to clear things up that have already been heavily covered in the media."

That's the justification Councilman Tom Dietrich offered for a proposed amendment to Northampton County's Home Rule Charter at Council's July 1 meeting. It would bar all county elected officials from holding any other elective office, paid or unpaid.

Dietrich was referring to a June 4 decision by Senior Judge Michael V. Franciosa, barring Council President Ron Angle from serving simultaneously on county council and Bangor's school board. Angle resigned his unpaid school board position, but has since appealed Franciosa's decision to the Pa. Supreme Court June 14.

A Home Rule Charter amendment must be approved by referendum, and Dietrich explained this would allow the people to speak.

"The people have spoken, but the people's voice was usurped. The very thing you talk about is the very thing that has been diminished," said Councilman Bruce Gilbert, noting Angle was elected to both his council and school board seats.

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## BETHLEHEM AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 'Back to something that's better'

Former superintendent Doluisio heads up district's Code of Conduct review process

By DOUGLAS GRAVES  
 Special to the Bethlehem Press

There will soon be some recommendations for changing the Bethlehem Area School District's Code of Conduct.

Officials announced June 28 that a review of the current policy is under way and that recommendations for changes, effective at the start of the academic year, may be expected.

However, officials, who called a special press conference at BASD headquarters on Sycamore Street to announce the initiative, were vague on details as to why they needed changes or what the changes will be.

Former district superintendent Thomas Doluisio, at Acting Supt. Thomas Persing's request, is heading the review. Monty Perfetti, a former director of secondary education, is assisting Doluisio. The BASD school board approved the review at its last meeting.

Persing said that the review is "proactive" and will help the administration "find out how our code is working [and] improve the way we do things."

According to Perfetti, the current code of conduct was adopted 15 years ago and is similar to one he used when he was with a school district in the Poconos.

Perfetti said after the code was adopted the number of suspensions dropped from 18,080 to 600 in only one year.

"Behavior absolutely did improve," he said.

He called the current review a "fine tuning." Jolene Vitalis, president of the Bethlehem Education Association, said that she has been trying to bring community leaders, school administrators and teachers together to share more gang-related resources. Vitalis said "grass-roots" political action is needed to get laws changed to include gang-related language.

Regarding the review of the BASD's Code of Conduct, she said, "We are not looking to expel kids, but the BEA wants the Code to have consequences."

At the core of the review of the Code of Conduct, according to a source who wished to remain anonymous, is an inconsistent enforcement of the exist-

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# Rep. Joseph Brennan

133 legislative district

## Q&A

BY BERNIE O'HARE

State Rep. Joe Brennan's legislative district includes part of Bethlehem's Southside, Fountain Hill and meanders all the way to Coplay.



**Q** Two state legislative leaders have been convicted of using their office for political or personal gain while others are under indictment. Will we ever change the way business gets done in Harrisburg?

**A** We have taken steps and I think you'll see a drastic reduction, if not elimination, of the types of unfortunate behavior we've had in the past. Specifically, members and all staff attend mandatory ethics meetings about all that we may and may not do. We are told to err on the side of caution.

**Q** According to the National Conference of State Legislatures, Pennsylvania has the largest full-time and second most expensive legislative branch in the nation. Is it time to cut back?

**A** Yes, it is. And we have reduced, by attrition, the size of our capital and district offices. But you have to remember we make up only 1/2 of 1 percent of the state budget. We have also consolidated departments. It's not going to happen overnight, but we are headed in the right direction.

**Q** Last year, you and other Lehigh Valley representatives had something to do with breaking the state budget impasse by demanding to keep the House in session as a Committee of the Whole, which gives every member a voice. How did you avoid a devastating budget impasse like the one we suffered last year?

**A** Last year, Craig Dally, I and other Lehigh Valley members started a movement for a Committee of the Whole, and the budget impasse broke. We might have nudged them. This year, we started the budget process much earlier. In the

House, we sent a spending plan to the Senate in March. We have to see results and have taken a more urgent approach. We need to be able to deliver a good and sound budget by deadline. People are tired of it.

**Q** Many state reps tell me too much power is invested in just a few powerful committee chairs and leaders. How can you change that?

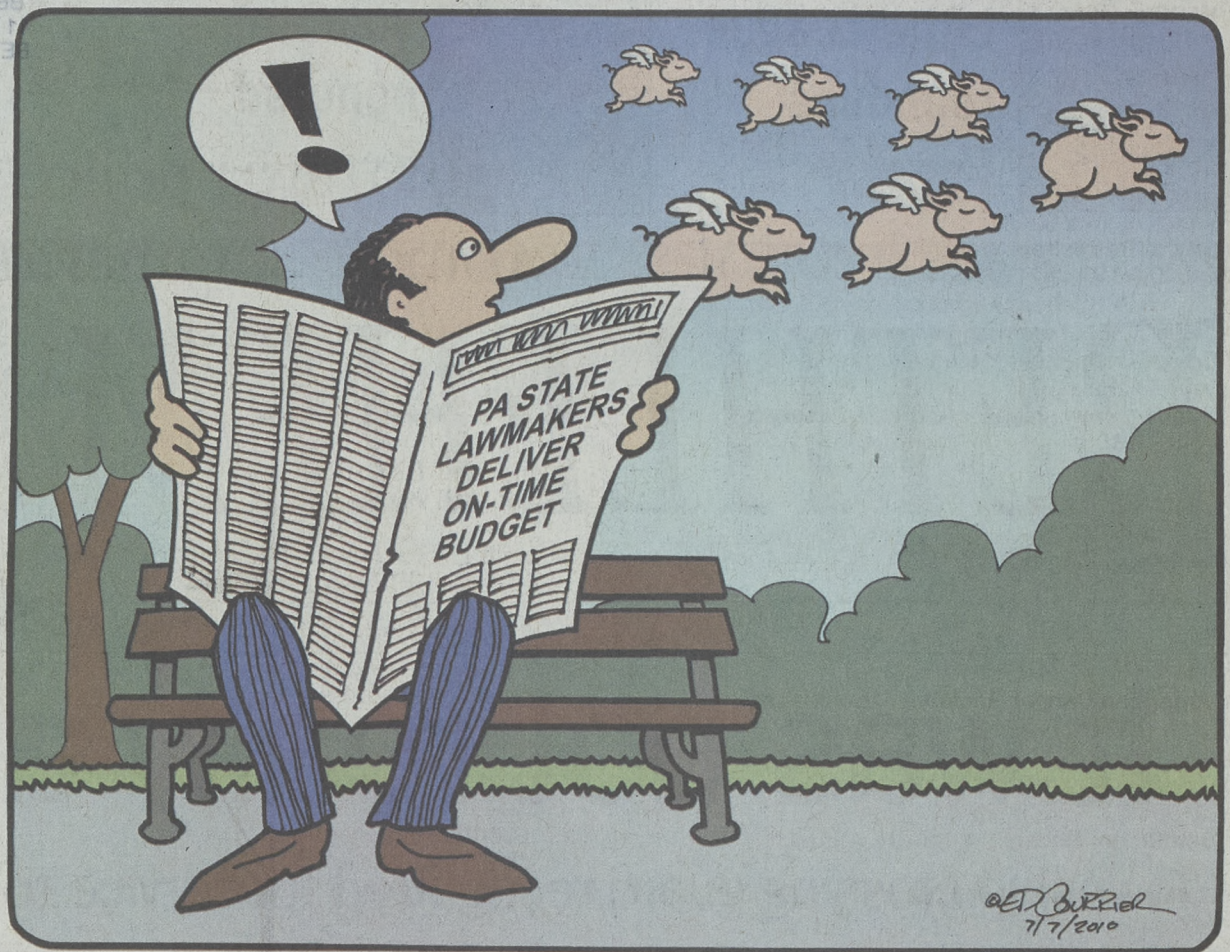
**A** The whole process is leadership driven. Our leadership team takes a different approach and does a better job of reaching out to members to find out what we think needs a vote. The structure is not necessarily bad, but leaders need to talk to rank-and-file members.

**Q** The biggest concern people have is taxes, especially property taxes. Despite the promise that gambling revenue would reduce or eliminate property taxes, they go up nearly every year. Any relief in sight?

**A** Yes, there is a movement to freeze school property taxes for senior citizens. It's something worth reviewing. There has been some property tax relief, but two or three of our biggest casinos are not even open. Property tax is often driven by the school district. I am not being critical, but every year, we increase our contribution to school districts.

**Q** Is there anything else you'd like Bethlehem Press readers to know about what's going on at the statehouse?

**A** I've worked hard every day to make sure we got a balanced budget passed in time so that it does not unnecessarily overburden people.



## JOB

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One of the most touching moments of DaSilva's career was when a former student, now grown, made a point of greeting her on the street years later.

"I got so overwhelmed. A car came up and slowed down and a man got out of it and it was one of the kids I used to cross ... and he just hugged me to death. That I will never forget," she said.

The young man, incidentally, grew up to be one of Bethlehem's prominent small business owners, Rey Ramirez, owner of The Foo Foo Shoppe at the Main Street Commons in Bethlehem, a bath, body and curio shop which has garnered many local awards.

"He was a good boy," DaSilva said, reflecting on the seven or so years she crossed Rey to school.

DaSilva, too, made a big impression on Ramirez growing up.

"She was always really, really nice to me. I was quite honestly a

really shy child," said Ramirez, talking about how DaSilva chatted with him and helped him to "open up."

"She'd remember my birthday and give me a lollipop as big as my head," Ramirez said, adding that it soon after became a tradition. Ramirez remembers how this birthday tradition made him feel special growing up.

DaSilva says she will miss all of the children from Sacred Heart. The school of roughly 175 students closed its doors permanently June 11 due to budgetary concerns.

"I get overwhelmed when I think about it. I'm just sad ... I didn't think it would end this way. I figured I'd be here until I'm 80 if my health held out," DaSilva said, adding that many of the children cried on the last day of school because of the closing.

She also fears for the teachers in this tough economy. This last year she was only crossing five students, as compared with 30-some students when she began.

"I'm going to miss it. I'm just sad."

But in spite of sad-

ness over the recent closing, DaSilva said she feels it was all worthwhile.

"I enjoyed it no matter if it was snow or wind or rain," she said. "I enjoyed those 33 years. I really did. I love to make people happy — talking to the kids ... and it was all worth it."

In other business, Bethlehem Township Board of Commissioners held an executive session before its June 21 public meeting and expressed intentions to continue the executive session afterward to further discuss several issues, including litigation by developer Abraham Atiyeh.

Atiyeh, dissatisfied with the 18 conditions approved by the township's zoning hearing board, is placing the decision for a third time in front of a Northampton County judge.

Other issues to be discussed in executive session included township contracts and the appointment of a new zoning hearing board member.

There was a spark of discussion about the burn ban and the township's proposed efforts

to make current burning and air pollution ordinances comply with DEP regulation in order to receive grant monies.

"It's a long time coming and we've both made some concessions on it," said Commissioner Michael Hudak. Hudak and Commissioner Thomas Nolan had sparred in the past but have since reached consensus over the burning issue.

Nolan says the proposed alterations to the existing ordinance will basically outlaw open burning, curb air pollution and seal current restrictions, bringing the township into compliance with DEP and EPA requirements.

"To me it's never been an issue of grant money ... it's been an issue of air pollution," Nolan said.

Hammer clarified that the board was not approving the new ordinance at that night's meeting, only approving the township to advertise the proposed amended air pollution ordinance, which he speculates will pass in approximately two weeks.

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ing Code of Conduct from school to school, a matter that has caused tension between teachers and school administrators. Different principals in the various schools have been free to interpret the Code of Conduct without centralized guidance from the superintendent's office.

At least two unspecified incidents have brought the matter of uniform enforcement of the code to a head and made it the subject of a grievance by the teachers' union.

Vitalis did not immediately return a call to the Press asking for further clarification.

Doluisio said that he surveyed the public and met with BEA's Vitalis,

with teachers and with administrators.

"We listened," he said, "and got good input."

He said he wanted to find out if the community stands behind the values of the Code of Conduct.

When a school district does expel a student, the state still requires that the district provide an education for the student. BASD educates these expelled juveniles by sending them to an alternative education school, Lafayette Academic and Motivation Program, or LAMP. The program averages 40 to 55 students over an academic year. The classrooms for LAMP are in the Liberty HS building, according to administrator Dean Donaher.

Perfetti questioned the effectiveness of this program, calling it a "parking garage" for the expelled

kids.

He praised the previous program, "CAMP" for Career Academy for Character, Academic and Motivational Program. That program was eliminated by the school board.

Loretta Leeson, president of the school board and the only board member present, echoed Perfetti's comment, saying, "I thought CAMP was very worthwhile. I would love to see it restored."

Perfetti said "alternative education is an artificial setting," noting that there is not an "alternative life" for students to graduate to.

Joe RaHS, Northeast MS principal and member of the Code of Conduct review committee, said that the district needs an open dialog and out-of-the-box thinking.

"We need to present universal values in a uni-

form manner," he said. "We are shoring up some pedestals that have been eroded. Some interventions are no longer available. We need to think of ways to intervene. The Code of Conduct is not just reactive; it can be a proactive instrument."

Vitalis said the Code of Conduct is a necessary document, but that it has been the cause of a level of frustration with teachers because they have not been properly trained in the use of the code.

"There is a 50-50 chance that [a particular] teacher has been trained, said Vitalis."

Leeson said the review is proactive. "We just want to get back to something that's better," she said.

The current 50-page Code of Conduct can be found and read on the district's Web site: [www.beth.k12.pa.us](http://www.beth.k12.pa.us).

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City of Bethlehem Water Authority meeting, 3 p.m., City Hall, 10 E. Church St.

City of Bethlehem Authority meeting, 3:30 p.m., City Hall, 10 E. Church St.

City of Bethlehem Planning Commission meeting, 4 p.m., City Hall, 10 E. Church St.

Hanover Township Recreation Advisory Board meeting, 7:30 p.m., 3630 Jacksonville Road

**Friday, July 9**

Rooftop beach party, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., roof of the parking garage, 85 W. North St., food, drinks, entertainment. Fee. Call 610-841-5831.

**Monday, July 12**

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Bethlehem Housing Authority, 4:30 p.m., 625 Main St.

Bethlehem Area School Board Facilities Committee meeting, 6 p.m. at Education Center dining room, 1516 Sycamore St.

Steelworkers' Archives public meeting, 6:30 p.m. Northampton Community College Fowler Family Center Southside Campus, 511 East Third St., Room 623

Fountain Hill Planning Commission meeting, 7 p.m., 941 Long St.

Hellertown Council budget meeting, 7 p.m., 685 Main St.

Bethlehem Area School Board Finance Committee and public budget meeting, 7:30 p.m., Education Center dining room, 1516 Sycamore St.

**Tuesday, July 13**

Bethlehem Township Parks and Recreation meeting, 6 p.m., Municipal Building, 4225 Easton Ave. Freemansburg Zoning meeting, 7 p.m., 600 Monroe St.

Hanover Township Supervisors meeting, 7 p.m., Municipal Building, 3630 Jacksonville Road

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

Saucon Valley School Board meeting, 7:30 p.m., Audion Building, 2097 Polk Valley Road

95th annual Dewey Fire Company Carnival, Hellertown's Dimmick Park, July 13 to July 17, from 6 to 10 p.m. each evening. Details at [www.deweyfireco.org](http://www.deweyfireco.org).

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9 a.m. to noon, "Baobab Blast," Messiah Lutheran Church, 2020 Worthington Ave. For information, call 610-691-2321.

9 a.m. to noon, "The Green VBS," Wesley Methodist Church, 2540 Center St. For information, call 610-865-5715.

**July 12 - 23**

6 to 8 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, "Baobab Blast," South Side Ministries, Cathedral Church of the Nativity, 321 Wyandotte St. For information, call 610-865-9405.

**July 19 - 23**

9 a.m. to noon, "SonQuest Rainforest," First Presbyterian Church, 2344 Center St. For information, call 610-867-5865.

**July 25 - 30**

6 to 8 p.m., "High Seas Expedition," St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, 521 E. Locust St. For information, call 610-867-6021.

**July 26 - 30**

6 to 8:30 p.m., "Hero Headquarters," Bethany U.C.C., 5th Avenue and W. Market Street. For information, call 610-868-4441.

6:30 to 8:15 p.m., "Galactic Blast," St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 3771 Easton Ave. For information, call 610-694-0212.

# A 'cocktail for disaster'

## Casino, area police and state DUI assoc. promote summertime safety message

By DANA GRUBB  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Officials from the Lehigh Valley DUI/Highway Safety Task Force, area police departments, The Sands Casino Resort, Pennsylvania DUI Association, and Buckle Up Pennsylvania joined forces at a June 28 press conference to get across a summertime message of, "Don't drink and drive, or go boating."

Held at the Sands Casino's seventh floor media area, the event featured several speakers who cited statistical evidence and social responsibility as the overriding reasons for not drinking and driving, while Dawn Horn of Lehigh Valley Transportation Services Inc. offered their telephone number — 610-867-6000 — as a safe way to obtain a designated driver.

DUI Task Force co-chair Brian Downs cited AAA statistics that indicated a 17 percent increase in 2010 trip planning over the Fourth of July weekend, and that 90 percent would travel by automobile.

Downs stressed the "risk that could turn your holiday trip into a tragedy" when alcohol becomes a factor.

Sands Casino Resort Bethlehem President Robert DeSalvio called the initiative "a great opportunity to get out the message," and added, "We want you to have fun, but do it responsibly."

DeSalvio emphasized, "Call a cab or limo, take a



PRESS PHOTO BY DANA GRUBB

Bethlehem Police Officer Michael Manfredi received two Alcohol and Traffic Safety Enforcement Awards from Robert Webre of Buckle Up Pennsylvania. Manfredi issued 1,257 traffic citations and had 30 DUI arrests in 2009.

break, ride the LOOP ... you have to know your own limits."

Bethlehem Police Captain David Kravitz quantified the DUI carnage by citing statistics. "Every 30 minutes someone dies as a result of DUI," said Kravitz, adding "a wave of enforcement has already begun in the Lehigh Valley."

George Geisler, president of the Pennsylvania DUI Association, explained that PennDOT provides \$3 million annually to assist DUI enforcement efforts throughout

Pennsylvania.

Later, Geisler also explained that prescription drugs are becoming more of an issue across all age ranges, and especially when mixed with alcohol. Prescribed as anti-depressants and pain killers, when combined with alcohol they become a "cocktail for disaster," according to Geisler, who also said that drug abuse will soon equal alcohol abuse as the cause for DUI crashes.

Officers and state policemen recognized for their enforcement efforts

on area roadways included Officer Michael Manfredi, Bethlehem PD; Officer Jeremy Hantz, Lower Saucon Township PD; Officer Jason Nothstein, Walnutport PD; Trooper Pasquale Russo, Bethlehem Station; Officer Dathan Schlegel, Berks-Lehigh Regional PD; Officer Peter Swan, Nazareth PD; and Trooper Seth Kelly, Belfast Station.

Together, the officers combined for 167 DUI arrests and 2,830 traffic citations in 2009.

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Councilman Michael Dowd, stating he "would rather wait until the court decides this," persuaded Council to table the matter, 6-2. Only Dietrich and Council Vice President John Cusick opposed Dowd's table motion.

After the vote, Angle told his colleagues, "Had this passed tonight, it would not be on the ballot. [County Executive John] Stoffa told me he would veto it. He served on a school board, and told me he sees no conflict."

In other business, councilwoman Ann McHale proposed that they start webcasting all committee meetings, as well as the

Gaming Authority and other board meetings. Council's regular meetings have been webcast since January, and they can be viewed on the county Web page.

McHale said these additional meetings could be broadcast at a very minimal cost, which was music to the ears of legislators worried about a tax hike next year.

"I think it's a terrific idea," said Dowd. He and McHale were the prime moving forces behind council webcasts.

"It's proof people have no life," joked Angle. Council took no formal vote, but the consensus was "Cameras, Lights, Action."

Council also briefly touched on some cost-sav-

ing measures. At a June 30 Finance Committee hearing, members were given the sobering news that the county is heading toward a 20 percent tax hike next year unless drastic measures are taken to make up a \$16 million shortfall.


One of those drastic measures is a hiring freeze, announced by Stoffa June 16. His goal is to eliminate 100 county jobs by the end of the year. He opposes lay-offs, which would be costly to a county that is self-insured for unemployment compensation. He is instead trying to reach that goal by attrition. He's well on his way, too. Director of Administration John Conklin told council there are already 89 vacant slots.

But in addition to these drastic cuts, council is also looking at small ways to find \$16 million for next year. That even extends to bottled water, supplied at taxpayer expense to some offices at the courthouse. Angle estimates the county could save \$5,000 annually by stopping this practice, noting that's why there's water fountains.

"You ever taste Easton water?" asked McHale, who lives in Bethlehem.


"Easton has the best-tasting water in the Lehigh Valley," replied Dowd, who lives in Easton.

"Second only to New York," added Dietrich, who lives with Big Apple commuters in Hellertown.




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D. Bruce Evans, 56, of Bethlehem, died June 15, 2010, at Lehigh Valley Hospital, Muhlenberg Campus. Born in Cobleskill, N.Y., he was the son of the late Daniel I. Evans, and Jane L. (Dumont) Evans of Delanson, N.Y. He was the husband of Peggy A. (Hungerford) Evans for 31 years.

He earned a Ph.D. in paper science colloidal chemistry from the State University of N.Y., Syracuse.

He worked for Specialty Minerals, Inc. He was awarded four patents and was co-inventor of Minerals Technologies Acid-Tolerant AT technology. He and his research team developed the first three satellites to use the technology for groundwood paper, beginning with Mylykoski Paper in Finland. Before coming to Minerals Technologies, he was a research chemist at the former Hercules Company, now Ashland Chemicals. He was a past president of the executive board for the

Empire State Paper Research Association (ESPRA). He was the Mineral Technologies representative to ESPRA for 17 years.

He volunteered as Cub Scout leader for Pack #40, Northampton and for Cub Pack #43, Bath.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Debra L. of Rochester, Minn.; two sons, Bradley F. and William B., at home; two sisters, Donna J. Evans of Amsterdam, N.Y. and Kimberly S. and her husband Timothy McGee of Ballston Lake, N.Y.; a brother, Brian C. Evans of Burnt Hills, N.Y.; a niece, Danielle; and two nephews, Cory and Matthew.

Contributions may be made to the Evans Children Education Fund, c/o PNC Bank, Northampton Branch, 21 E. 10th St., Northampton, PA 18067-1718.

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

**Carlos Arce**  
of Fullerton

Carlos Arce, 51, of Fullerton, recently passed away. Born in New York City, he was a son of the late Florentino and Julia (Carazo) Arce Sr., and the stepson of Luis Maldonado of Allentown. He was the husband of Jennifer L. "Jenny" (McAndrew) Arce for two years.



and her husband Jeff Danner of Arizona; his wife's parents, Bruce and Paula (Ladd) Smith of Allen Township and Patrick and Jeanne McAndrew of Tamaqua; Jenny's siblings, Kelly Whitton, Michelle and her husband Ryan Brobst, Marie McAndrew, Katie and her husband David Mosser and Sam Smith; nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by a brother, Angel.

Contributions may be made to Lehigh Valley Hospice, 2166 S. 12th St., Allentown, PA 18103.

Arrangements were made by Gilbert Funeral Home Inc., Whitehall.

**Frank J. Kovacs Sr.**  
contractor and builder

Frank J. Kovacs Sr., 94, died June 18, 2010, at Hospice House of the VNA of St. Luke's in Bethlehem. Born in Bethlehem, he was the son of the late Joseph and Mary (Nagy) Kovacs. He was the husband of the late Valeria (Pinter) Kovacs and the late Irene (Huyter) Budura Kovacs.



He was the owner of Frank J. Kovacs, Inc. He was a general contractor and custom builder/remodeler from 1947 until he retired in 1998.

He was a life member of the Jefferson Democratic Club. He was a past member of the Lehigh Valley Home Builders Association and other community organizations.

He is survived by a son, Frank J. Jr. of Bethlehem; three daughters, Valerie and her husband Greg King, Linda and her husband Norm Marlow of Bethlehem, and Suzanne

and her husband Gibby of Somers, Mont.; a brother, Imre Kovacs of Bethlehem; three stepchildren, Victor Budura of Alabama, John and his wife Bonnie Budura of Allentown, and Marianne and her husband Paul Tendler of Somers Point, N.J.; three grandchildren, Kelli Knupp of Texas and Shelli Marlow Coley of Colorado and F. Jay Kovacs III of Minnesota; step-grandchildren, Matthew and Amanda Budura of Virginia, and Joe Morganelli and family of Pennsylvania; four great-grandchildren, Greg Knupp, Taylor Simpson, Tyler and McKenna Coley; and a great-great-grandchild, Casen Knupp.

He was predeceased by three brothers Joseph, Bela and Emil Kovacs; and a sister, Mary Herczeg.

Contributions may be made to Hospice of the VNA of St. Luke's, 1510 Valley Center Parkway, Suite 200, Bethlehem, PA 18017.

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

**Garden Club presents scholarship**

By CYNTHIA UNDERHILL  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Michael MacDonald, a sophomore at Northampton Community College from Fountain Hill, received a \$1,500 scholarship from the Bethlehem Garden Club at its luncheon meeting June 17. He was able to sign up for two extra classes this semester with the scholarship.

"I started a medicinal herb garden this year to showcase some of the medicinal herbs that have been used over the centuries," MacDonald said. MacDonald, president of NCC's Science Club started the garden as part of NCC's Tribute Garden.

"Some of the more well known [medicinal herbs], like echinacea, have been well studied," he continued. "I'm hoping some of the students will research some of the lesser researched ones. I'm planning to in the fall."

MacDonald also started a new student group called Good Growers that will be working on a community garden at the school.



PRESS PHOTO BY CYNTHIA UNDERHILL

Fran Wilson of the Bethlehem Garden Club gives Michael MacDonald, of Fountain Hill, a \$1,500 scholarship check for Northampton Community College.

Ironically, the Bethlehem Garden Club found MacDonald in the Bethlehem Press. She contacted the school and sent an application to him. MacDonald learned of the

MacDonald at the groundbreaking for the garden in the Bethlehem Press. She contacted the school and sent an application to him. MacDonald learned of the

scholarship from one of his science club advisors. MacDonald said "I was beside myself: pleasantly shocked."

**Police dept. auctioning off bikes**

By JOSH POPICHAK  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

**HELLERTOWN**

The Hellertown Police Department will auction off approximately 20 bicycles during the month of July. Borough Police Chief Robert Shupp recently announced.

At Hellertown Borough Council's June 21 meeting, Shupp received permission to conduct a closed-bid bicycle auction between July 1 and July 30 at police headquarters in Borough Hall.

According to the resolution approved by Borough Council at the meeting, the bikes recovered

were either stolen or abandoned and have been kept in storage by the borough for some time.

"After diligent efforts by the police, in many cases without success in finding the rightful owner(s) of said bicycles, a number of unclaimed bicycles currently remain in storage at Borough Hall to the detriment of storage space," the resolution read.

The value of the unclaimed bicycles was estimated at less than \$1,000, and proceeds from

the sale of the bicycles will benefit the police department's annual participation in Hellertown-Lower Saucon Community Day, Shupp explained.

In order to inspect the bicycles available for bid, interested individuals should visit the police department before Friday, July 30, he said.

Each bike will be identified by a number and interested bidders are to submit sealed, written bids identifying their desired bicycle by using this num-

ber. At the end of the auction period all of the bids will be opened and the winners will be notified by the Hellertown Police Department. Bicycles will be available for pick-up after that time.

Final bids will be accepted Friday, July 30 at noon, Shupp said.

More information about the bicycle auction is available by calling the police department at 610-838-7040.

The police department is located on the first floor of Borough Hall, which is at 685 Main St. in Hellertown.

**Teen crime concerns residents**

By NATE JASTRZEMSKI  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

**FREEMANSBURG**

In a record short meeting June 21, Freemansburg Borough Council discussed a few citizen concerns and performed some minor business, but during the summer lull, there was little on the agenda.

The most involved discussion regarded incidents of minor crimes, vandalism and annoyances throughout the borough by

—supposedly—teenagers. Several residents complained there have been numerous incidents of spray-paintings, potted plants overturned or missing, eggings and persistent loud music from cars, all late at night.

One woman said she would not mind calling the police about the incidents, but she knows that officers

tell the kids who placed the report. Others agreed the thought of retaliation was holding them back.

"We don't want to harp on the police," she said, but we just want a little presence from 10 [p.m.] to 2 [a.m.]."

Solicitor Lawrence Fox said residents must give their names when they place reports, but officers are under no obligation to tell anyone else. Bethlehem Police Department has its own anonymous tip line.

President Homer Lora said police were

patrolling and would see to it.

"Come to the next meeting and we'll see if it's gotten better," he said.

A representative for the parks and recreation department reminded residents of the community-wide yard sale, for which there were already about 40 residents registered. The sale will be July 17 and 18 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. with no rain date.

There is no early July meeting, so the next meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. July 19 at Borough Hall, 600 Monroe St.

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DUIs

Freemansburg police conducted a sobriety checkpoint on Pembroke Road June 26 and 27, resulting in numerous arrests.

Charged with DUI are Aaron Feaver, 27, of the 1500 block of Easton Avenue in Bethlehem; Brian Sabo, 37, of the 2000 block of Hart Street in Bethlehem; Timothy Morgan, 41, of the 3300 block of Division Street in Easton and Gerald Kish, 29, of the 100 block of Monroe Street in Freemansburg.

Others charged are Victor Vaz, 45, of the 100 block of Livingston Street in Bethlehem for DUI and possession of marijuana, Thomas Banach, 21, of the 700 block of Creek Road in Pen Argyl for DUI, drug law, and offensive weapons; Timothy Sobiech, 40, of the 3300 block of Division Street in Easton for DUI and a drug violation and Matthew Dreisigmeyer, 19, of the 100 block of Garfield Street in Freemansburg for DUI and possession of marijuana.

CITY POLICE

Domestic

Police issued a warrant for the arrest of 19-year-old Jaquan Timothy Howard, of West Fairview Street around 10:40 p.m. June 16.

According to police, Howard and his 20-year-old girlfriend were together at his residence when he became agitated because she was "staring at him." He first threw a bag of potato chips in her face and then grabbed her by the throat and thrust her into a wall.

Howard is wanted for harassment and simple assault.



Chris DiRado, Eric Shields, Trevor Tompkins, P.J. Phillips, Aaron Dolgos, Niko Franekic, Devon Alvaner and Alex Ferencin, from Troop 335, Saints Simon and Jude Roman Catholic Church in Bethlehem, try their skill at the tug-a-war game at the Jambo 100 as their scout leaders Butch Dolgos, Wayne Ferencin and Dave Shields watch from the sidelines.



Connor Morgandale from Pack 319, First United Church of Christ in Hellertown, looks down the barrel of a BB gun at the BB gun range during Jambo.

Area scouts attend Jambo

The Boy Scouts of America in collaboration with Kutztown University, Berks County, hosted Jambo 100 May 14 to 16. The event, held at the university, celebrated scouting's 100th anniversary. The Jambo featured a variety of games, scout activities, re-enactors, special guest and family fun and entertainment.



William Wagstaff, lead volunteer for the kayak instruction at the Boy Scouts of America Jambo 100 at Kutztown University, teaches Nate Schrifert and Alan Molder from Troop 319, First United Church of Christ in Hellertown, about kayaking.

Home invasion

Police arrested two men for breaking into a home, assaulting the owners and stealing their belongings and car June 20.

Luis Nestor Martinez, 26, and Jeremeimah Nieves, 23, allegedly chose an East Market Street home at random and broke in wearing masks and gloves and armed with at least one firearm. The homeowners were bound with wire, duct tape and chains in their basement and the male was doused with chemicals and sprayed in the face.

The suspects took jewelry, laptop computers, cash, ATM cards and the victims' 2010 Lexus SUV. At some point they stopped at two banks and withdrew \$1,000.

About three hours after the suspects left, the female victim was able to free herself and call police. The victims were treated by paramedics.

The Lexus was found soon thereafter in Allentown and the suspects arrested. Many of the items were recovered. Nieves allegedly refused to drop his firearm during the arrest in Allentown and was shot twice by an officer. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital for treatment.

Martinez and Nieves are charged with robbery, kidnapping, burglary, criminal trespass, aggravated assault, criminal conspiracy, recklessly endangering another person, terroristic threats, unlawful restraint, theft, receiving stolen property, possessing instruments of crime, prohibited offensive weapon and access device fraud.

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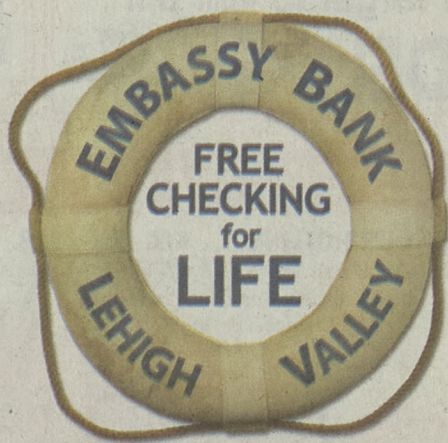


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**HELLERTOWN**  
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**HANOVER TWP.**  
Memorial concert set for July 7

Friends of the late James Stewart Mante are hosting a memorial concert July 9. The event, which will feature several bands, including the band where Mante was the lead singer, will be held in the field next to the Hanover Township Community Center on Jacksonville Road from 4 p.m. to dusk. Mante, 14, of Bethlehem, died June 24. The public is invited and cost is \$3. There will also be a sale of T-shirts, wrist bands and other items. Money raised will be donated to Mante's church, Calvary Baptist Church Building Fund.

**NCC**  
Table games open house July 8

Now that casino table games are coming to the Lehigh Valley, have you been thinking about a career as a dealer? You can find out what it takes at Northampton Community College's Table Games Dealer School Open House July 8 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Fowler Family Southside Center. Participants can wander at leisure in the training casino on the third floor, "playing" blackjack, craps and poker. There will also be opportunities to interact with past students (who are now casino employees!) and current instructors to ask questions about what the training and career entails. A specialist from Career-Link will also be present to discuss tuition assistance options. Pre-registration for the open house is not necessary. For additional information, visit [www.northampton.edu/hci](http://www.northampton.edu/hci) or call 610-332-6580. The next session of dealer classes begins July 26.

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# Zoners approve cell antennas

By ADRIENNE WRIGHT  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Fountain Hill Zoning Hearing Board June 21 voted 3-2 to allow cell carrier MetroPCS to build additional antennas on the roof of 1101 Seneca St. Representatives from MetroPCS appeared before the zoning board to ask for an ordinance expansion that would allow them to add six antennas to the roof of the building, owned by the Housing Authority of Lehigh County.

The building's roof currently houses antennas for multiple wireless providers, such as AT&T, Verizon and Sprint, and the site provides telecommunications to the majority of Fountain Hill.

Traian Popescu, radio frequency engineer for MetroPCS, said that the company is trying to expand in the Lehigh Valley.

"We do the best we can to co-locate on existing structures," Popescu explained. The company will be building on some of the steel frames that were vacated when Cingular merged with AT&T.

Popescu said that local MetroPCS customers aren't currently receiving adequate service.

"Without the proposed expansion, residents in Fountain Hill wouldn't have reliable coverage," Popescu said.

## FOUNTAIN HILL



PRESS PHOTO BY ADRIENNE WRIGHT

Traian Popescu, radio frequency engineer for MetroPCS, explains to Fountain Hill zoning board members that the company is trying to expand in the Lehigh Valley.

Two Fountain Hill residents expressed their concern about the additional antennas.

David Miller of North Hoffert Street lives across from the building.

"I have to look at that abomination on the roof every night when I go home," Miller said. "It's an antenna farm. When is enough enough? How many

more are we going to put up there before we say no more antennas?"

Sharon Kipila, who also lives across from Seneca Street, wondered about the health effects. "I'm concerned about what all this radiation is doing to the neighborhood," Kipila said.

"What kinds of health problems are associated with these antennas?"

Popescu provided a report from Dr. Kenneth Foster, an electromagnetic safety consultant, who indicated that the site would not exceed the FCC's limits for exposure to radio frequency if the additional antennas were to be built.

Zoning board member Terry Markovic expressed concern about whether MetroPCS would remove its steel structures and equipment if it moved the business elsewhere. Markovic cited AT&T, which had not removed its equipment when it merged with Cingular.

"They appeared before the board, too, and made these promises," Markovic said. "What guarantee do we have that you're going to do that?" The borough's ordinance requires that cell carriers remove their equipment within six months of vacating a building.

The board approved the expansion, provided that MetroPCS provide the borough with the total wattage levels emitted by all antennas on the roof, and that borough engineer Brad Youst approve all structural reports and plans.

Markovic and board member Ed Stech voted "no."

The zoning board will meet July 19 at 7 p.m. in the borough building on Long Street.

**YASSO**  
5K walk set for July 17

The annual George K. Yasso 5K Memorial Walk will be held at 8:30 a.m. July 17. The walk begins at the Fountain Hill community pool, 1445 Spiegel St. There are three hills, splits every mile and five year age divisions.

There will be prizes, refreshments and a raffle. All proceeds go to the George Yasso and James Skelly scholarship funds for local scholar-athletes. There is a fee.

To register, call 610-868-5482 or 610-694-0502 or go to [www.facebook.com/event](http://www.facebook.com/event).

**VOLUNTEERS**  
Points of Light set for July 12-16

The Volunteer Center of the Lehigh Valley is holding a Points of Light youth leadership institute July 12 to 16. The training sessions will be held at the center, 2121 City Line Road. PYLi prepares high school age youth for community leadership roles and skills applicable to community service.

Information and application forms are available by visiting [www.volunteerlv.org](http://www.volunteerlv.org) or by calling 610-807-0336.

**ACS**  
Makeover set for July 12

The American Cancer Society, Lehigh Valley unit, will have a Look Good...Feel Better makeover session for cancer patients at 1 p.m. July 12 at the Cancer Support Community, 83 S. Commerce Way, Suite 310, Bethlehem.

Women actively undergoing cancer treatment will be taught beauty techniques to help them combat the appearance-related effects of radiation and chemotherapy. The sessions are led by a trained cosmetologist. Participants will receive a complimentary make-up kit. There is no charge for materials or the workshop.

For information or to register, call 1-800-227-5445 and select option #1.

# Residents protest group home

By BERNIE O'HARE  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

"I already live two doors away from one group home and they're going to put a second group home just two doors from that."

That's how Hanover Township resident Joe Janowski said he feels about a group home proposed by Moravian Development Corporation, partnering with Northampton County, at 3925 Airport Road. Janowski is just one of 18 people, from concerned mothers to senior citizens, who crowded into a tiny meeting room to voice their concerns June 22.

Northampton County Mental Health administrator Kathleen Kelly told supervisors that the county is partnering with Moravian Development to establish a supported housing program for four county residents as well as two short-term guests.

In response to questions from Bethlehem Attorney William Matz, Kelly stated that the group home is for people who suffer from mental illnesses like depression or bipolar disorders but have no drug or alcohol addictions and no criminal record.

"These are individuals who are very capable of

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living in the community," she stated. She added that the home will be staffed by two "highly trained and skilled mental health professionals" during the day, and one at night. She indicated the home would be funded by the state and is one of about 30 similar group homes throughout the county.

Stephanie Anthony, a mother of two who lives near the proposed group home, told supervisors, "We already have a group home behind us, and it gets awfully rowdy." She later told the Bethlehem Press, "We see the cop lights behind our house almost every night."

Neighbor George Werkheiser noted there was a playground nearby and worried some residents might "roam" there. That concern was echoed by Supervisor Stephen R. Salvesen. In a booming baritone, he spoke of a person from another group home, "wandering neighborhoods at odd hours of night and peeping into the windows of residents."

But Kelly assured everyone there would be "no roaming" because that behavior only is exhibited by people suffering from

"cognitive disabilities."

Supervisor Glenn R. Walbert, chairing in the absence of John N. Diacogiannis, wanted to know what would prevent the county from changing the category of resident once approval is granted.

"What prevents it from becoming a treatment center?" he asked. Matz assured Walbert that Hanover Township's Zoning Ordinance prevents that from happening.

Solicitor James Broughal told residents and supervisors that the Fair Housing Act requires that group homes be treated like any other residence. "You could have 100 group homes in your neigh-

borhood and there's not a lot we could do," he warned.

An exasperated Werkheiser retorted, "We give rights to one group of people, take them away from another and then we have to pay for it." But Broughal remained adamant that "we cannot treat this application any differently than any residential request."

Hanover Township Supervisors will vote on the conditional use application July 14. Moravian Development's David Roth told supervisors he'll seek the necessary permits about three weeks after the application is granted. Roth also told residents that the property will remain on the tax rolls.

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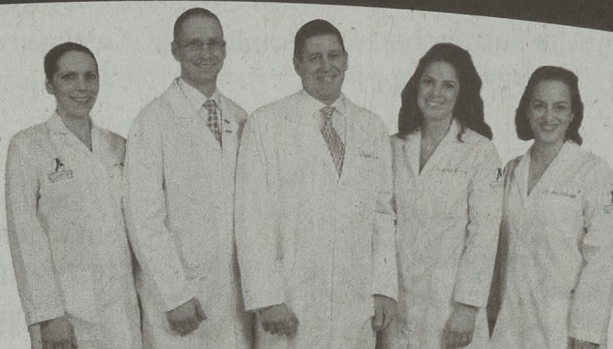
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# Board rejects charter's renewal

By DOUGLAS GRAVES  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Bethlehem Area School Board June 21 declined to renew the charter for the Vitalistic Therapeutic Charter School (VTCS) of the Lehigh Valley. Richard Agretto, director of Special Education, told the school board that the Bethlehem Area School District has never needed to send a special education student to VTCS.

Agretto told the Press if a student needs services not provided by BASD, he or she is referred to Colonial Intermediate Unit # 20, an education service organization serving Northampton, Monroe and Pike counties.

There are about 10 BASD students enrolled at VTCS, by the choice of their parents, according to board President Michele Cann. At \$15,500 per special education student attending a charter school, the 10 students cost BASD about \$155,000 per year.

Creed Hyatt, the president of VTCS's board, said that the charter school provides mental

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School board director Aurea Ortiz supported renewing Vitalistic Therapeutic Charter School's charter, but the school board voted against it. The charter school will appeal the decision.

health services for children from below-poverty level homes. Hyatt said the year-round school provides a more intense service than does the special education departments of mainstream schools.

Cann said that the school board voted not to renew the charter because VTCS does not offer a unique service, a service

not available at BASD.

Director Aurea Ortiz, who has emerged as a consistent supporter of the poor and underprivileged, said she thought that VTCS, "is a good thing. I will vote for it." Ortiz was out-voted.

VTCS has 113 students, according to [PublicSchoolReview.com](http://PublicSchoolReview.com) and 73 percent of them are eligible

for free lunches. Its student body is 57 percent Hispanic, 18 percent black and 23 percent white.

Several board members considered that voting against it "was a waste of time."

"We can vote it down," said director Rosario Amato, "but it will do no good — they will still be there."

The charter school gets about \$9,000 in revenue per student, according to [PublicSchoolReview.com](http://PublicSchoolReview.com). Public school districts pay the tuition for each child from their district who attends a charter school. Dean Donaher, BASD's director of Student Services, told the board, "If you try to prevent the charter renewal, it will be very expensive. It will probably be approved by the state anyway."

Hyatt, accompanied by legal counsel, said that the charter school would appeal the decision to the Charter School Appeals Board.

VTCS, located at 902 Fourth Ave. in Bethlehem, is also accredited by the Allentown School District.

# Annual audit completed without a hitch

By NATE JASTRZEMSKI  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Bethlehem Parking Authority regular meeting June 23 was a brief affair; coming up to its usual summer hiatus, there were few issues to discuss.

Executive Director Hector Nemes and Supervisor of Accounts Jill Fessler proudly told the board of directors the annual audit was completed without a hitch and no adjustments were needed. Nemes said Fessler

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sends all the paperwork to the auditors in advance so, "They're halfway done with the audit before they get here."

President Joseph Hoffmeier simply said, "Another year, another clear audit."

There were no new communication issues or director's report, but Nemes did say the top deck of the Commons lot off Main Street was now open and renovations on

the bottom should be finished by July 19. Parking spots on the bridge due to the deck's closure will remain for the time being though Nemes said they aren't really necessary as there are about 200 spots open between the North Street and Walnut Street garages.

When Hoffmeier asked about a meter cost increase, Hector said a recent study indicated Bethlehem is currently

"operating at optimal" and with the recession he really didn't want to make any changes that will slow business at local merchants' stores.

"I think, as director, now is not the time," he said. He did suggest more use could be made of the Downtown Business Association's parking validation program.

The Park & Shop program allows downtown member merchants to validate patrons' stubs who use the Walnut and North Street garages, but some may be looking to back out from cost/benefits in the poor economy.

The authority will not meet in July and August. The next meeting will be 4:30 p.m. Sept. 22 at 85 W. North St.

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## So long, South Africa

I made a pact to myself in 2006 after attending the World Cup in Germany that I would make the pilgrimage every four years for the rest of my life to the greatest sporting event on the planet.



PETER CAR

### AT THE WORLD CUP

After arriving back in the States last weekend, I'm glad to say that all the trepidation, concern and nerves I had before going to South Africa have been calmly shelved in my memory bank as a week long festival of fun and learning. You don't have to be a soccer fan to enjoy the World Cup. You just have to be a fan of life.

That's why the tournament, wherever it is during its summer's stay, is a wonderful opportunity to gorge on your savings account, but more importantly, thrust some spice into your life and truly define the meaning of the word living. Here are some of the many highlights I enjoyed during this year's World Cup in South Africa.

**Landing in Dubai:** Flying with Emirates Airlines made my 21-hour trek across the world much more enjoyable. I previewed the horror of staying on a plane for nearly a day well before my trip, but Emirates was top-class. I've become hooked on Indian food and saw some great movies I never would have seen at home. The only regret I have is not staying a night in Dubai. Our in-flight camera showcased the man-made islands called "The World" as we flew to Johannesburg. It was stunning and made me want to come back one day.

**Taxi drivers:** This may seem like a simple measure, taking a taxi on a daily basis, but when you get the same South African drivers taking you all over the place daily, you build some common ground with them and learn to understand these people. From the haggling of fare prices, to laughter of pieces of the vehicle falling off our on the highway, no taxi ride was ever dull.

**Vuvuzela:** Everyone complains about them and I even heard someone got thrown out of Yankee Stadium recently for blowing one in someone's ear. I wouldn't suggest that, but they truly are an addicting piece of plastic. Best moments came from decibel competitions outside of bars, to blowing the vuvu in unison with thousands of people in and around stadiums. There is an art form to the little menace, but my favorite moment may have been when I blew it toward my neighbor over the weekend as I got back.

Let's just say the cell phone he was holding didn't stay in his hand.

**South Africa:** You'd have to be totally naive to not do any research on the dangers of South Africa before going. The more I read, the more I got scared, especially

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## BASEBALL



PRESS PHOTO BY KATIE MCDONALD

Northeast's Andrew Hudak (foreground) hit his second career grand slam in the first inning against Northwest on July 1. David Angelucci (left) was on third base, Jordan Santee (center) was on second, and Connor Morro (right) was on first.

## Hudak helps NE to a win

By KATIE MCDONALD  
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Northeast's Andrew Hudak set the tone with a grand slam in the top of the first inning against Northwest on July 1, which led to an 8-3 Northeast victory in the District 20 North Majors All-Stars Tournament.

"It felt great because I got a chance to help my team, and this was a very

important game," said Hudak.

Northeast already had one loss in the double-elimination tournament, as did Northwest, which knocked them out.

Northwest manager Fred Hossler had prepared his players with a productive practice earlier in the week.

Hossler said, "Practice ended on a high note, but we only had four hits, and

that grand slam in the first ..."

Hudak's slam went over the fence in left center, scoring David Angelucci, Jordan Santee and Connor Morro.

"It just felt like a regular hit, and it carried over the fence. I watched the ball when I hit it because it felt pretty good," Hudak said.

Northeast's Jeff Bell was 3-for-3, and Connor

Orcutt was 1-for-1. Santee, Angelucci, and Kyle Ross were 1-for-2. Alex Calderon was 1-for-4, and Zack Assad was 1-for-3. Hudak was 2-for-4. Defensively, Assad made a catch at the fence after Northwest's Vinny Marfisi hit a low fastball to center. Pitchers for Northeast were Calderon and Santee.

## Lehigh edges NE

By KATIE MCDONALD  
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Lehigh Little League's Isaac Samuel scored the winning run against Northeast in the bottom of the sixth inning on Monday night to give Lehigh the District 20 North Majors All-Stars Championship.

It was the first meeting for Lehigh and Northeast in the double-elimination tournament, which began on June 25. Lehigh was undefeated, squeaking by Lower Nazareth last Friday by a score of 13-12. Northeast had one loss to Lower Nazareth, but avenged that loss on Saturday with a 10-7 victory.

"Jordan Santee pitched a great game," said Northeast manager, Jeff Bosak.

Santee also hit a grand slam, and teammate, Connor Morro, hit two home runs.

On Monday, Lehigh held a comfortable 7-0 lead over Northeast after three innings, having scored six runs in the second.

Third baseman Owen Hawk led off the second with a double.

"I noticed the centerfielder was playing to the left, so I hit it in the gap. It felt good, really good, to lead off the

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## NORCO Legion playoffs are under way

By PETER CAR  
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The NORCO legion playoffs took off on Monday night and the race to two wins in the best-of-three series have heated up.

Top-seeded Northampton (15-5) took on eighth-seeded Roseto (9-9) Monday and came away with a

7-6 win.

In the other contests, second-seeded Nazareth (13-5) topped seventh-seeded Kemp Post (9-9) by an 8-5 margin. In the 3-6 matchup between Wanderers (11-4-3) and Freemansburg (9-8-1), Freemansburg stole the first game by a score of 5-4.

Fifth-seeded Bath (11-7

fell to fourth-seeded Wind Gap (11-6-1) courtesy of a 8-7 score.

All game twos were played on Tuesday, and if needed, after Press deadlines, while game threes would be played on Wednesday.

The second round continues on Thursday and Friday, with Saturday

being game three if needed. That means six straight days of possible baseball for some teams this week, who will have to battle the intense heat, while manage their pitchers.

Northampton boss Mike Bodnar is happy that his team doesn't have to sit another week without

play, as his team could of had themselves a first-round bye if Roseto didn't qualify.

That obviously didn't occur, but Bodnar believes it is an advantage for his group to be playing, rather than sitting.

"To me, playing is more important for us than hav-

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Katie Souders, right, along with Erin Wilson and Dior George, were three Liberty players who were members of the Lehigh Valley Carpenter Cup softball team. The squad was eliminated last week in an extra inning game.

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BY NANCY SCHOLZ



## Valley ousted from Cup play

By KATIE MCDONALD  
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Just when the Lehigh Valley Carpenter Cup softball team started building momentum, its run in the Carpenter Cup Softball Classic came to an end on Monday with a 5-4 extra-inning loss to Olympic Colonial.

With the score tied 3-3 after regulation, the international tiebreaker rule went into effect. When a game goes into extra innings in a championship tournament, the last batter from the previous inning automatically takes second base to start off the extra inning. In the top of the eighth,

Olympic Colonial scored two runs, while Lehigh Valley scored only one run in the bottom of the inning. It was Lehigh Valley's second loss in the double-elimination tournament.

Liberty High School's Dior George said, "We wish we could have gone further than we did. We're all sad because it's over. The girls were just really fun to be around."

George was credited with the RBI that earned Lehigh Valley its final run. Earlier in the day, Lehigh Valley defeated SOL American 3-1.

"It's been a really good experience because we're all from different schools,

and we had to work together," said Emmaus High School's Jessica Light.

The Carpenter Cup Softball Classic began on June 21 at FDR Park in Philadelphia. Lehigh Valley scored its first victory against Philadelphia Public Schools before suffering an 11-2 loss against Berks County.

"The first day, we didn't play really great, but I knew we had to get our feet wet," said Lehigh Valley head coach, John Eyer. "Berks was good, but they got knocked out."

While Berks struggled on June 23, the third day of the tournament, Lehigh Valley succeeded.

"We knew we would have a rough road last Wednesday, but we were like a different team," Eyer said. "That's when we started clicking."

Lehigh Valley scored two victories over Delaware South, 4-3, and Burlington County, 6-2.

Palmerton's Martina Herring pitched in the game against Burlington County.

"I was actually able to settle in pretty good," Herring said.

Lehigh Valley returned to FDR Park on June 28 for its game against SOL American, and immediately following was the game against Olympic Colonial.

## HOOPS

## Teams prep for Stellar

By PETER CAR  
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Summer has hit full swing and there's no tournament bigger in the area than the Stellar Catch a Rising Star Basketball Showcase at Cedar Beach this week. Games start on Thursday and run through the weekend with Sunday night's championship finale.

Liberty, Freedom and Bethlehem Catholic are all in again and know the stakes are raised when this Thursday rolls around.

Liberty opens up with Delaware Valley at 4:30 p.m., while Becahi takes on Daniel Boone at 6:30. Freedom opens up with North Penn 8:30 Thursday night and head coach Joe Stellato hopes his team can reach the coveted final day as their main goal for the weekend.

"Getting to Sunday is everyone's goal in this tournament," he said. "Everyone comes to play in this tournament and we did well last year by getting to the final day and getting a win."

"I'm not going to say we have expectations of See **Stellar** on Page A10





Members of LVU 97 are: front (left to right) — Aki Mollenthiel (East Stroudsburg) JD Haaf (Northwestern Lehigh), Michael Visperas (Bethlehem), Tony Kleckner (Whitehall), Ahmad Awadalla (Parkland), Sammy Abiles (Bethlehem), Steven Gaber (Bethlehem); center — Tyler Andre (Palisades), Cameron Sheva (Pennridge); back — Anthony Papageorgiou, Southern Lehigh, Moyin Opeyemi (Nazareth), Kevin Silva (Bethlehem), Antonio Tavares (Nazareth), Jake Stengel (Parkland), Tanner Shane (East Penn), Levi Roberts (Boyetown), coach Rob Hurley.



Members of LVU 96 are: In front of trophy — Noah Snyder (Central Bucks); seated — Garrett Keys (Whitehall), Mark Forrest (Pottstown), Cameron Keys (Whitehall), Brian Heckman (Whitehall), Parker Landis (Emmaus), Brendan McNamee (Kittatinny, NJ); standing — assistant coach Ashley Kozicki, Zachary Carlson (Parkland), Aidan Cronin (Tunkhannock), Zeb Shifert (Northern Lehigh), Brandon Levano (Whitehall), Nick Jachwak (Souder-ton), Brandon Herb (Northwestern), head coach Greg Ramos.

# Lehigh Valley Untied earns three state championships

Lehigh Valley United has not only one state championship team in their club — they have three.

All three teams won in the top division—the National Championship Series for the EPYSA Outdoor State Cup. Not only does the club have three champions, they have the distinct honor of having the most champions from one club.

This is one of the reasons National Soccer Ranking rated LVU as the 20th best club in the nation ([www.nationalsoccerranking.com](http://www.nationalsoccerranking.com)).

All three teams—LVU 97 Boys, LVU 96 and LVU 95 combined did not concede a single goal during the entire tournament. This is the first state cup championship for the U12 boys' team (LVU 97) led by coach Rob Hurley who

defeated FC Delco 1-0 in the championship game. The U13 boys' team (LVU 96) led by coach Greg Ramos, defeated Lower Merion Lightning 4-0 in their second back to back State Cup championship game.

It was the fourth consecutive win for the U14 boys team (LVU 95) also led by Greg Ramos, who defeated PA United Grifos 2-0 for the title of best

in the state. Ramos' accomplishments of creating statewide, region wide and nation wide recognized teams earned him the honor of being named the Region 1 Youth Soccer Coach of the Year by the NSCAA.

LVU teams are comprised of the very best soccer players in the Lehigh Valley and surrounding areas.



Members of LVU 95 are: back (left to right) — Jared Bartholomew (Muhlenberg), Ayo Opeyemi (Nazareth), Colten Habecker (Reading), Luke Masiado (Saucon Valley), Shaun Quinn (So. Lehigh), Aaron Belman (Parkland), Wyatt Fabian (Wyndcroft School), Brian Ly (Dallas), Justin Worley (Muhlenberg), Colby Thomas (Mountain View), Greg Ramos (coach); front — Elijah Bartholomew (Upper Perkiomen), Danny Busichio (Central Bucks), Ryan Brown, (Moravian Academy), Jordon Ellison (E. Stroudsburg), Belal Mohamed (Parkland), Zach Goodwin (Dallas).

## Cup

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when you're traveling alone. From murder, to car jackings, to muggings, HIV, malaria and driving on the other side of the street, South Africa does keep you on your toes, but it's not as bad as everyone makes it seem.

Lions are not walking around the city, you could drink the water and you can be safe if you're smart. The cities of Durban, Pretoria and Cape Town each offer their own bliss, but being based in Jo'burg, I saw the poverty of villages in Soweto, to the riches of Sandton, where Lamborghini's and Porsche's are commonplace.

The polars in economic levels are stag-

gering in a country still trying to mend it's gaps, but one thing is certain in South Africa, security is always on your mind. There are no white picket fences and the suburbs aren't sprawling with acres of green grass. From the rich and famous, to the poverty stricken areas, everyone has at least barb wire or electric fences. Even when you may feel free, there is always a wall staring at you.

**People:** When you travel anywhere solo, it's imperative you make friends. I was fortunate enough to hang with new friends from Italy, Mexico, New York, California, Brazil, Spain, Uruguay and South Africa.

The reason why this tournament is wonder-

ful, isn't only for the sport, it's because of the people, the culture and the experience of truly being in a global environment. That's why I loved it in Germany and that's why I loved it in South Africa.

**The games:** You can't attend a World Cup without being part of the game in some aspect. From going to two matches, watching the games with groups at our hotel, as well as at Fan Parks across the country, no matter where you were, there was always fans of the team on the big screen or pitch.

You get to see their joy and anguish and thankfully there were plenty of Americans to relish in the moments we had in South Africa.

For a country where people act like they don't care about the sport, Landon Donovan's goal at the death against Algeria in the final group stage con-



PRESS PHOTO BY PETER CAR

From the games to the people to the vuvu, this writer had another enjoyable trip to the World Cup.

test was the best sporting moment I've ever been through. The sheer emotion of the goal that made Americans rejoice, cry and smile in Pretoria and made me feel united with our flag. It's those types of

moments that this country needs more of.

The 2-1 loss to Ghana is bitterly disappointing, not only from a results perspective, but also from the sense of momentum. With 15 million-plus viewers

watching last Saturday's game, it showed that people cared, even the haters.

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winning the tournament, but we definitely feel like we can get to Sunday."

Opening up with North Penn, who are led by former Central Catholic coach Ron Hassler and former Whitehall boss Jerry Radocha, gives Stellar

lato a little bit of insight on what his team can expect on Thursday. However, teams and players won't be the only obstacles this weekend.

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# EYE ON THE IRONPIGS Pigapalooza is this Saturday

By MIKE FEIFEL  
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The Pigapalooza Triple-A All-Star FanFest is finally here to kick off All-Star week at Coca-Cola Park.

For nine hours this Saturday, the IronPigs open the doors to their stadium for an afternoon of fun, food, and entertainment for fans of all ages.

For the adults, there will be live entertainment throughout the afternoon and evening on two separate stages beyond the first baseline. While one band is playing, another is setting up. Kicking off the Fanfest is the Billy Bauer Band at noon. Throughout the day The JoEs, Acoustic Duo Red, and Lime Time will entertain fans.

There will also be autograph session with ex-Phillies Larry Anderson, Gary Matthews, Greg "The Bull" Luzinski, Darren Daulton and Ricky Bottalico.

There will also be a number of question and answer sessions by authors followed by a book signing. The first of which will be Phillies Announcer Chris Wheeler who will be on hand for his effort. "View from the Booth". Also on hand will be Rich Westcott who authored Phillies related book "The Fightin' Phils."

Along the concourse there will be interactive displays by over 20 of the area's businesses. The Allentown Fire Department and Dan's Camera City will be joined by the American Heart Association, Lehigh Valley Health Network, and Capital Blue Cross to name a few. The MLB Network, Service Electric, and WFMZ will provide the media flavor for the day.

For those who missed the opportunity before, fans will have another chance to cozy up to last season's National League Championship Trophy as well as the 2008 World Series Trophy.

For the kids, Sprout TV will have a spot on the concourse along with The DaVinci Science Center, Lehigh Valley Zoo, and the Wild Lands Conservancy who will provide an educational flavor. Walking about will be Tootsie the Clown and friends Beebop and Bluebell.

"There will be 20 inflatables for the kids in the outfield," IronPig General Manager Kurt Landes said. "There will also be a stage facing out toward the berm that will provide children's entertainment."

The Capital Blue Cross Law will include musical acts like School of Rock as well as The Magic of Michael Mage. It will also include book readings. Yes, book readings.

You may know Troy Hein from his relentless coverage of local sports on Channel 69 and even his outings as announcer for the IronPigs on week-

ends. What you may not know is that he authored and published a series of children's books. He will read his book and then have a signing for his book "Jay at Play: The Big Hit." Another writer, Michele Mack, will read her book "Henry Fickle & the Magic Dragon of Penn" and then pause for a signing.

There are thousands of giveaways for the early arrivals like the Pigapalooza baseball for the first 3,000 kids 12 and under and a Pigapalooza pennant for the first 10,000 that arrive.

With all of this there are more fun and games along with the staple at a ballpark: Food. The night will end at 9 p.m. with a patented IronPig fireworks display.

Tickets are just \$10 and an admission is good for the entire day.

### Autograph Sessions

• Larry Anderson & Gary Matthews  
1-1:45 p.m. - U.S. Lawns Dugout Suites

• Greg Luzinski & Marty Bystrom  
2-2:45 p.m. - PPL Picnic Plaza

• Darren Daulton & Ricky Bottalico  
3-3:45 p.m. - U.S. Lawns Dugout Suites

### Book Signings

• Chris Wheeler "View from the Booth"  
Noon - "Q&A", Capital Blue Cross Lawn  
12:30 p.m. Book Signing, PPL Picnic Plaza

• Troy Hein, "Jay at Play: The Big Hit"  
12:30 p.m. Book Reading - Capital Blue Cross Lawn  
1 p.m. - Book Signing, PPL Picnic Patio

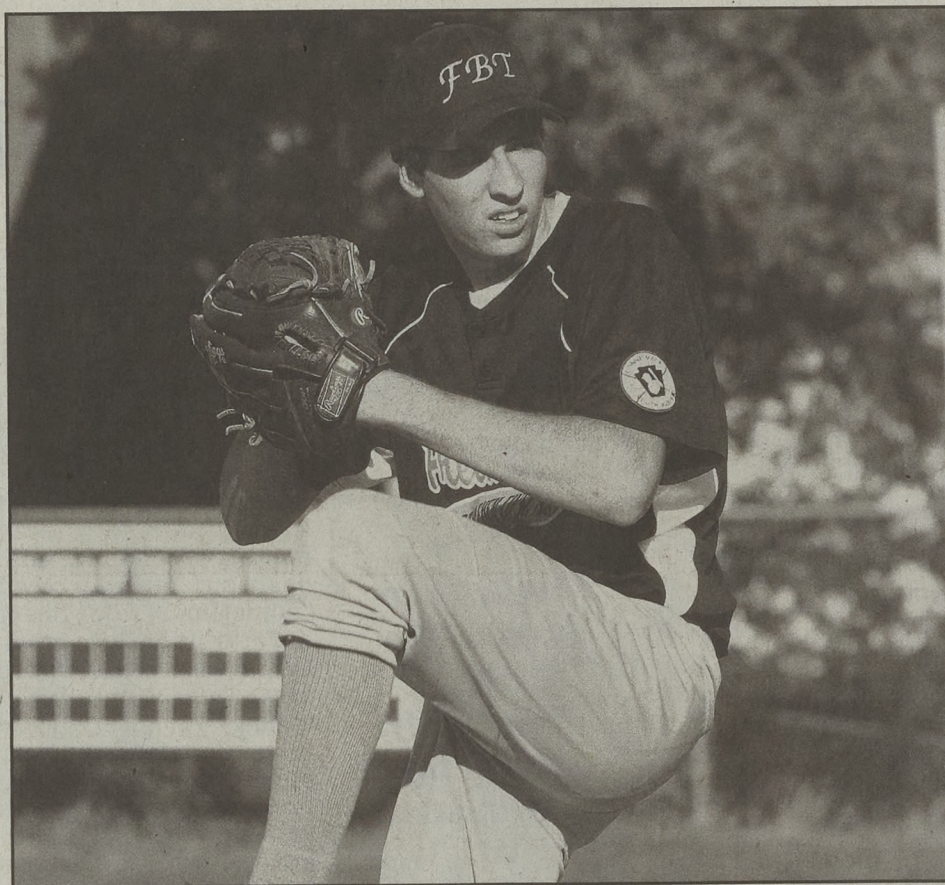
• Michele Mack, "Henry Fickle @ the Magic Dragon of Penn."  
1 p.m. Book Reading - Capital Blue Cross Lawn  
1:30 p.m. Book Signing, PPL Picnic Patio

• Todd Zolecki, "The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly"  
4 p.m. "Q&A", PPL Picnic Patio  
4:30 p.m. Book Signing, PPL Picnic Patio

• Rich Westcott, "The Fightin' Phils"  
5 p.m. "Q&A", PPL Picnic Patio  
5:30 p.m. Book Signing, PPL Picnic Patio

### Live Entertainment

Noon Billy Bauer Band (AT&T Plaza)  
1:30 p.m. The Magic of Michael Mage (Capital Blue Cross Lawn)  
3 p.m. School of Rock (Capital Blue Cross Lawn)  
3 p.m. The JoEs (Bud Light Trough)  
5 p.m. Acoustic Duo Red (AT&T Plaza)  
6 p.m. The Magic of Michael Mage  
6:30 p.m. School of Rock (Capital Blue Cross Lawn)  
7 p.m. Lime Time (Bud Light Trough)



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Kevin Rold helped to pitch Freemansburg past Catty in a Connie Mack game. Rold was also named to the all-star game this Saturday.

## CONNIE MACK Freemansburg tops Catty, all-stars are selected

By JOE ZEMBA  
Special to the Press

Catty Connie Mack turned five double plays against Freemansburg at Catasauqua's Opportunity Field on Friday night, but Freemansburg turned the tide and came out as 6-3 winners.

Kevin Bold was a bear on the mound throwing over 110 pitches for Freemansburg going the distance to get a Lehigh Valley Connie Mack League victor Bold came through

with the stick, too, getting two RBIs in the fifth while collecting two extra base hits in the game.

Bryce Reinert was the hitting star in the sixth inning in which he drove in three runs. Reinert was 2-for-3 on the night.

Freemansburg took the lead over Catty in the fourth 1-0, then 2-0 in the fifth.

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The Lehigh Valley Connie Mack all-star baseball game will be held on Sat-

urday, July 10, at Limeport Stadium at 7 p.m.

Members of the Blue team are: North-Central Bethlehem - Nate Becker, Angel Ortiz, RJ Snyder.

Members of the Maroon team are: Freemansburg - Cal Davis, Tyler Romero, Kevin Rold; Lehigh-Bethlehem - Damien Brusko, Dustin Peters, Ben Lehman; Fountain Hill - Dimitrius Markou, Justin Santanaso, John Bordne.

## CATTY GIRLS LEAGUE

### Liberty makes league playoffs

By JOE ZEMBA  
Special to the Press

Alicia Marcks scored six points for Northampton in a defensive struggle with Palmerton in the regular season basketball finale last Thursday at the Catasauqua Playground.

Northampton won 28-21 and advanced to the playoffs as the number-one seed in the high school girls league.

Playoffs began on Monday. Northampton is the top seed while Liberty is second. Southern Lehigh is the three seed and Palmerton is in fourth. A much-improved Dieruff was seeded fifth and East Stroudsburg South is the sixth seed.

League Director Dave Troxell said the seedings got a bit mixed up due to some teams not being able to make the scheduled playoff games.

"Northern Lehigh would have been the second seed, but will not be around for the playoffs," Troxell said, "and Parkland would have been the four seed, but will also not be around for the playoffs."

Normally, eight teams make it to the playoff tournament.

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Meanwhile, C.J. Hilliard led the Canes in scoring with 13 points as the Liberty girls basketball team got primed for the Catasauqua Varsity Girls Basketball League

Playoffs by slaying the Lady Spartans from Southern Lehigh 42-33 last Tuesday. Last Thursday in the league finale Parkland made a statement beating Liberty 33-26 in what was Parkland's last game.

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Northampton and Liberty had byes on Monday. Palmerton played Dieruff with the winner of that game playing Northampton on Tuesday. Southern Lehigh played East Stroudsburg South and the winner of that game played Liberty Tuesday, after Bethlehem Press deadlines.

The championship game is set for Monday July 12.

## Lehigh

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inning with a good hit. It gets your team pumped," said Hawk.

In the top of the fourth, Northeast began a rally, tying the game on a David Angelucci three-run homer, scoring Jake Petro and Alexis Calderon.

Hawk said, "I was at third base thinking, what are we doing? I was wondering if we were ever going to get out of it."

Lehigh scored two more runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to go ahead 9-7.

"It was our subs and the bottom of the line-up that came through for us tonight," said Bosak. "Connor Orcutt, Christian Olson, Jake Petro. They reached base every time."

With two outs in the top of the sixth and little time left for Northeast, Morro hit a two-run home run, scoring Petro, who was pinch running for Angelucci, who had singled. Tied again, Lehigh's Samuel led off the bottom of the sixth inning with a walk. Michael Lehman hit an infield grounder that resulted in a Northeast error, scor-

ing Samuel.

Hawk said, "We were really excited. We knew, with his speed, he was going home."

Despite the disappointment for Northeast, Bosak expressed pride in his team's all-star tournament run.

"I just hated to see it end like that, but I'm proud of these kids and the way they came back," Bosak said.

### GOAL KEEPER OPENING

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## STANDINGS

### LEHIGH VALLEY LEGION

	W	L	T
* N. Parkland	16	6	0
x S. Parkland	16	6	0
x Salisbury	16	6	0
x Lehigh	15	7	0
x No. Valley	14	8	0
x Coplay	14	8	0
x Fullerton	11	11	0
x Lower Mac	11	11	0
Emmaus	10	12	0
So. Lehigh	7	18	0
West End	2	19	0
Mountainville	2	19	0
* League winner			
x Playoff team			

### NORCO LEGION

x Northampton	15	3	0	30
x Nazareth	13	5	0	26
x Wanderers	11	4	3	25
x Wind Gap	11	6	1	23
x Bath	11	7	0	22
x Freemansburg	9	8	1	19
x Kemp	9	9	0	18
x Roseto	9	9	0	18
L W Bethlehem	8	9	0	16
Big Pocono	7	10	0	14
Eastburg	7	10	0	14
Birches	7	11	0	14
Jeffs	6	11	1	13
Lehigh Twp.	6	12	0	12
Easton	6	12	0	12
Wilson	5	12	0	10
x Playoff team				

July 5, 5:30

Roseto 6, Northampton 7  
Kemp 5, Nazareth 8  
Freemansburg 5, Wanderers 4  
Bath 7, Wind Gap 8

July 6, 5:30

Northampton at Roseto  
Nazareth at Kemp  
Wanderers at Freemansburg  
Wind Gap at Bath

### LV JUNIOR LEGION

	W	L	%
Bath	18	1	.947
S. Parkland	17	3	.850
N. Parkland	16	4	.800
Nazareth	13	6	.684
Lehigh W. Beth	12	6	.667
Lower Nazareth	13	7	.650
Quakertown	12	7	.632
Silver Creek	12	8	.600
Emmaus	11	9	.550
Freemansburg	10	9	.526
So. Lehigh	10	9	.526
Forks	10	10	.500
Lower Mac	9	12	.429
Beth Wanderers	8	12	.400
Palmer	7	12	.368
Pleasant Vy.	7	12	.368
No. Valley	7	13	.350
Hellertown	6	12	.333
Easton	7	14	.333
W. Allentown	6	14	.300
Lehigh Twp.	3	17	.150
N. Central	1	18	.053

### LV CONNIE MACK

	W	L	T	Pts
No. Valley	16	2	0	32
Coplay	15	3	0	30
Nazareth	14	3	0	28
Fullerton	12	4	0	24
Lower Mac	12	5	0	24
Freemansburg	10	6	1	21
Stroudsburg	10	5	0	20
Eastburg	10	7	0	20
N-Cent. Beth	10	9	0	20
Northampton	9	7	2	20
Lehigh Twp.	9	8	0	18
Bangor	8	8	0	16
Palmerton	8	10	0	16
Lehigh-Beth	8	11	0	16
S. Parkland	6	10	2	14
Catty	5	10	1	11
N. Parkland	5	11	1	11
Pen Argyl	4	13	1	9
Salisbury	3	13	2	8
Fountain Hill	2	14	0	4
Moore Twp.	1	18	0	2

## Legion

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ing a bye," said Bodnar. "We have pressure being the top-seed, but I think that will just motivate our guys. Our guys are ready to live up to their expectations."

Northampton defeated Nazareth 3-0 in their season finale, which was a contest that Bodnar hopes is a message that will resonate for his club throughout the postseason.

"That was probably the best game we played all year," he said. "They [Nazareth] hammered us early in the season and I think we knew that they were one of the best teams in the league."

"Getting that win was a big confidence boost for our guys."

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# After numerous failed votes Board approves final district budget

By JOSH POPICHAK  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Final approval of a 2010-2011 budget for the Saucon Valley School District proved torturous for the eight school board members who attempted to find common ground at their meeting on June 29.

After listening to comments from district residents, many of whom expressed frustration over Saucon Valley's already high tax rate, board members narrowly voted to approve a \$40 million budget which will not increase property taxes.

Instead, and in order to balance a \$180,000 shortfall, the district will withdraw \$90,000 from its fund balance and make \$90,000 in cuts to district programs; cuts which will be made at the discretion of Supt. Sandra Fellin.

According to Fellin, who stipulated that the reductions in spending be hers alone to make, the cuts will be felt by students, staff and community members.

"Yes, I can (make the cuts). Absolutely. But will there be impact? Yes," she reluctantly told board members, who ultimately voted 5-3 to approve the compromise after a protracted and sometimes testy debate failed to produce any other solution.

Voting in favor of the final budget were board President Lachlan Peeke and board members Sandra Miller, Sharon Stack, Charles Bartolet and Ralph Puer-ta.

Opposed to the final budget that was approved were board

Vice President Susan Baxter and board members Edward Inghrim and Michael Karabin.

Board member Lanita Lum was absent, which created temporary gridlock by producing a number of 4-4 votes on various compromise suggestions floated by board members with opposing viewpoints.

"It's been a 5-4 board for most of the budget deliberations and we're missing one person," Peeke at one point explained to audience members, some of whom appeared increasingly exasperated as the stalemate dragged on for more than an hour.

"It is unfortunate that we have eight tonight," Miller agreed, before ultimately casting the deciding vote on the compromise solution suggested by Stack.

At the center of much of the discussion was the creation of a reading specialist position requested by Fellin, which added \$69,823 to the budget in base pay and benefits costs.

Baxter, who at previous meetings instructed Fellin to attempt to "do more with less," continued to oppose the creation of the new position on ideological grounds. She also said she opposed taking money out of the district's fund balance in order to keep spending levels the same; a budget-balancing solution she called

"dangerous."

Inghrim noted that the reading specialist position will cost the district more money in years to come, as a result of salary increases and the increased cost of providing benefits.

Karabin agreed, and after repeatedly voting against compromise budgets which included funding for the reading specialist position, stated, "sometimes you have to put your foot down to actually get some action."

As forceful as opposition to the creation of the reading specialist position was, was support for the person who will help tutor children whose reading skills are lacking.

"They need this person to meet the needs of students," Stack advocated on behalf of the administration. "How are they going to learn if they're struggling reading?"

When Baxter proposed a budget that would have eliminated funding for the reading specialist but kept other spending in place, resulting in a millage rate increase, Stack said that idea was "like doing two stupid things."

"I cannot see approving a (tax) increase without the most important thing the administration recommended," she explained.

Adding drama to the negotia-

**"Yes, I can (make the cuts). Absolutely. But will there be impact? Yes."**

SUPT. SANDRA FELLIN

By CAROL SMITH  
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Visitors to Northampton County Courthouse in Easton will find parking at a premium for the next four months.

Northampton County Executive John Stoffa said to save thousands of dollars on the massive repair bills needed to the parking garage they are trying to free up 120 spaces on the two levels of the deck. Stoffa reported to Northampton County Council members at their June 17 meeting.

Steve DeSalva, the county's director of public works, said the \$1.2 million parking deck restoration and the \$472,000 walkway repairs are needed. Contractor RAM Construction Services will replace the top deck of concrete that lies on top of structural concrete "T" beams, said DeSalva of the major repair work. The deteriorated concrete on the lower and upper walkways to the employee entrance will also be replaced.

"We truly need that reading specialist," she said.

Approval of the final budget came in the nick of time for the district, which only had until June 30 to approve a new budget according to Solicitor Ellis Katz, who offered advice at the meeting.

"If you don't have a budget, you can't operate after June 30," he told the board, after repeated 4-4 votes made approval of any budget begin to appear doubtful.

The next Saucon Valley School Board meeting will be Tuesday, July 27, at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Audion.

Stoffa said alternative parking for county employees is being sought at St. Anthony's School which has 85 parking spaces and the Wolf parking lot.

## McClure misses 3 consecutive meetings


By BERNIE O'HARE  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

If Northampton County Councilman Lamont McClure were playing baseball, he'd be called out by now. He's missed three consecutive County Council meetings (June 3, June 17 and July 1) over the past six weeks. He's also missed all committee meetings over that time.


According to Council Clerk Frank Flisser, McClure called before the July 1 meeting to report he is on vacation, but gave no explanation for his absences on June 3 and June 17. Council President Ron Angle told the Bethlehem Press he has heard nothing from McClure, whose district includes Bethlehem and Lower Saucon townships.

Under the county's Home Rule Charter, Council can remove absent members, but only after a member has continuously missed six months of meetings.


According to McClure's law office, he is on vacation this week. He missed council's June 3 meeting because of business travel.




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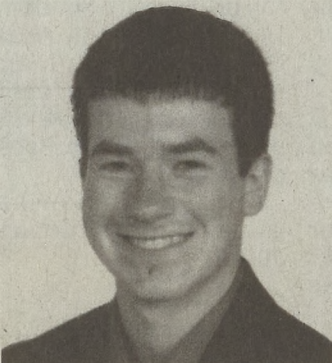
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**Sandra Day O'Connor**



Supreme Court Justice-nominee Sandra Day O'Connor talks with President Ronald Reagan outside the White House, July 15, 1981.

By KAREN M. SAMUELS  
Special to the Bethlehem Press

On July 7, 1981, honoring a campaign promise, President Ronald Reagan nominated Sandra Day O'Connor to the Supreme Court. Reagan had pledged, during his 1980 presidential campaign to appoint the first woman justice to the Supreme Court. In O'Connor, Reagan had selected a conservative Republican. The president noted in his diary that he was surprised by the opposition to his nominee by the "Moral Majority" and Jerry Falwell.

Sandra Day O'Connor was born March 26, 1930 in El Paso, Texas. Her parents, Harry Alfred Day and Ada Mae Wilkey, owned the Lazy-B-Cattle Ranch near Duncan, Ariz. The ranch was founded in the early 1880s by her grandfather, Henry Clay Day. The ranch, with more than 2,000 cattle, covered 240 square miles along the Gila River. Electricity and running water were not installed there until O'Connor was 7 years old. Her younger sister Ann was born in 1938 and brother, Alan, in 1939. O'Connor dealt with the isolation of the ranch by becoming an avid reader and having a menagerie of pets. Before she turned 8, she could drive a truck, ride horses and fire rifles.

It was clear to O'Connor's parents that their oldest daughter was a very bright child who needed better educational opportunities than their rusticated ranch could provide. They sent her to live with her maternal grandmother, Mamie Wilkey, in El Paso. Sandra attended the Radford School, a private school for girls that offered kindergarten through 12th grade. Sandra excelled academically and graduated at age 16.

Sandra next attended Stanford University and graduated in 1950, magna cum laude, with a degree in economics. She continued at Stanford to earn a law degree, in two years. She served on the Stanford Law Review and met her future husband, John Jay O'Connor III, a fellow law student, at Stanford.

O'Connor graduated third out of a class of 102. First in the class was William H. Rehnquist, chief justice on the Supreme Court (1972-2005). O'Connor and Rehnquist briefly dated during their years at Stanford.

With her law degree in

hand, Sandra found that no law firm in California would hire a woman. She declined the only job offered to her, a position as a legal secretary. Instead she accepted a job as the deputy county attorney for San Mateo, Calif.

On Dec. 20, 1952, Sandra married John Jay O'Connor at the Lazy-B-Cattle Ranch. Upon John's graduation from Stanford, he was drafted by the army to serve in the Judge Advocate General Corps, in Frankfurt, Germany. After John's discharge in 1957, the O'Connors settled in Phoenix, Ariz. They built a stucco home on an acre of land and had three sons, Scott, Jay and Brian.

In 1957, it was still difficult for a female attorney to find work. Sandra decided to form her own law firm, as she and John raised their three boys. In 1965, Sandra worked part-time as the assistant state attorney general in Arizona. In 1969, she was appointed to occupy an empty Arizona senate seat, as a Republican. O'Connor then won two consecutive elections to keep the seat. Sandra was elected twice as Senate Majority Leader, the first woman to win this position. She was elected to the Maricopa County Superior Court in 1975 and was appointed to the Arizona Court of Appeals in 1979, serving until 1981.

Reagan announced his nomination of O'Connor for the Supreme Court, stating, "She is truly a person for all seasons, possessing those unique qualities of temperament, fairness, intellectual capacity and devotion to the public good which have characterized the 101 'brethren' who have preceded her."

A coalition of 21 conservative and anti-abortion groups vehemently protested O'Connor's nomination. Rev. Falwell said "good Christians" should oppose Sandra Day O'Connor's nomination. Her six years of judicial experience was considered inadequate by the conservatives. O'Connor was confirmed unanimously by the Senate and was sworn in as the first female justice on Sept. 25, 1981.

In July 2005, Sandra Day O'Connor announced that she would retire from her position as a Supreme Court Justice as soon as a replacement was appointed. Her husband was diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease in 1990 and his condition continued to deteriorate. She felt it was vital that she spend more time with him. O'Connor had served the court as a moderate conservative. She considered each case as narrowly as possible, basing her decisions upon existing law. She once said, "The power I exert on the court depends on the power of my arguments, not on my gender." Justice Samuel Alito succeeded her Jan. 31, 2006. John Jay O'Connor passed away Nov. 11, 2009.



PRESS PHOTOS BY CYNTHIA UNDERHILL

A large crowd fills the Hotel Bethlehem's Grand Ballroom for the Salvation Army's Festival of Flavors.

**Flavorfest supports youth programs**

Guests sampled delicious cuisine from several fine Lehigh Valley restaurants while enjoying the sounds of local musicians at the Salvation Army's Festival of Flavors fundraiser May 16 at the Hotel Bethlehem. Food was provided

by The Apollo Grill, The Chocolate Lab, Hotel Bethlehem, The Limeport Inn, Lucy Lennon Catering, Mama Nina's, Mex Tex Trio, The Other Fish, Pearly Bakers, River Grille, Roseanne's, Shula's Steakhouse,

Texas Roadhouse, Tika's and the Career Institute of Technology. Local performers included students from The Lehigh Valley Charter High School for the Performing Arts, in Bethlehem, as well as Tyler Grady, 2010

American Idol contestant from Nazareth. Proceeds from ticket sales, as well as from a silent auction and direct sponsorships were for the Salvation Army's youth and after-school programs in the Lehigh Valley.



Samuel Case of Bethlehem gets help from his mom, Sally Case, as he fills a bag with candy.



Carly Bosak of Bethlehem fills a bag with candy.



Sebastian Rivera, a senior at Lehigh Valley Performing Arts Charter High School, entertains during the Festival of Flavors.



Joan and Dominic Condomitti, of Nazareth, talk with Carol Trunzo from Tika's, on Main Street in Bethlehem, as they sample some of Tika's food.



Friends Sabina Olenchock, of Bethlehem, Holly Celasch, of Hellertown, Joy Hoyesmcquay, of Center Valley, and Anita Deai, of Center Valley, savor the flavors at the Salvation Army's Festival of Flavors.

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## Despite World Cup mania Soccer too dull for America



**Dan Kline**  
Guest  
columnist

A good showing in the World Cup by the United States will not launch soccer as a major sport in the United States any more than the 1980s "Miracle On Ice" Olympic hockey gold medal made ice hockey mainstream. If the American team gets out of the first round, it will increase interest in the World Cup, but that will not lead to all that many people becoming Major League Soccer fans.

Soccer will stay a sport played at some point by most kids, but one that remains a fringe TV property at best. This is, of course, because soccer, no matter how much you sell it or how well you know the game, is essentially boring.

Americans already have baseball, our own slow-moving technical sport where long periods of nothing much are offset by short bursts of activity. Baseball games at least offer the possibility of high scoring and being down 2-0 does not represent a nearly insurmountable lead.

Admittedly, the World Cup transcends soccer. It's exciting to root for the United States in a sport where we don't dominate. That's why we all watch Americans in the Olympics, but none of us attend local pole vaults or luge races.

The World Cup offers a story line that makes the game matter even though the actual games are mostly dull. That's probably why the Europeans who seem to love soccer gather to watch it in pubs where there's beer and other libations that



PRESS PHOTO BY TIM GILMAN

### Parrot's got soccer fever

During the World Cup Soccer Tournament, underway in South Africa until the final on July 11, everybody in the Gilman home in Bethlehem is fanatic about the world-wide sport — and their parrot is no exception. Wearing the green and yellow colors of Brazil along with a red, white and blue upper forehead of the USA — Alex gets a kick out of playing with his cloth-covered ball on top of his cage. Tim Gilman of Bethlehem has had his parrot for approximately 16 years — four World Cups.

turn a 0-0 tie from "dull" to captivating.

I also find the argument absurd that Americans don't become soccer fanatics because we don't understand the game. As a former high school soccer goalie, I understand the game just fine. I also understand that it's fun to play, but not fun to watch.

High level soccer involves almost no scoring and very few shots on goal. Most of the "action" involves passing, long kicks and the ball going out of bounds. There's limited physical contact (at least compared to football) and the giant field makes following the action — even on HDTVs — a bit of a challenge. As each World Cup comes

around — at least the ones where the United States qualifies — the American media does the same lazy stories about how perhaps a good showing by the U.S. side will ignite the sport in this country. They usually couple these stories with stories about how Major League Soccer hopes to capitalize on this interest and how youth leagues are bracing for an explosion of new players.

The same thing happens every four years during the Olympic hockey tournament yet hockey, like soccer, remains a marginal sport. Singular televised events like the World Cup do not change overall behaviors of the public at large.

Would we see a huge explosion in horse racing fans if we got a highly viewed Triple Crown winner? Did Lance Armstrong's unprecedented wins at the Tour de France ignite a U.S. passion for competitive cycling?

Of course not, and we should not expect differently. Enjoy the World Cup. Cheer on our boys and hope we can shock the world, but, please, stop the media hype on soccer. We won't like it more once we get exposed to it. We'll like it exactly the same and maybe a few more kids will play the game.

The United States will never be Brazil or Italy where the fortunes of the national soccer team set the tone for the nation. Soccer won't ever be bigger than baseball or football, in fact, it won't ever be bigger than hockey or Ultimate Fighting. The sport might catch Arena Football or get more popular than the Winter X Games, but that's as far as it will go.

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### BEIJING BLOGGER

## Riding the high-speed rails



**Brandon Taylor**  
Press  
columnist

My seat was in the full, upright position as one of the attendants came by. I showed her my ticket, to which she smiled and said, "Enjoy your trip."

The seat was spacious and comfortable. I'd paid extra for business class. And I had a window seat. A muffled voice came over the loudspeaker, informing us about our departure time and destination.

Before I could ask for a complimentary drink, we were off — the intercity train for Tianjin, a coastal city near Beijing, leaving the station without so much as a jolt or engine start.

I wouldn't have even realized we were moving had the scenery outside my window not changed from Beijing South Railway station to the southern outskirts of the city. Not five minutes after departing, we were cruising at a smooth 340 km per hour (211 mph) toward Tianjin. I didn't even have time to soak up the scenery — we arrived at the coastal city 30 minutes later.

I'm not sure what was more impressive: the lack of any clickety-clacking sounds as we glided briskly along or the fact I was enjoying a train ride in the first place (and a nice train at that).

In the United States, train rides are usually limited to special occasions. As a child, I usually got the thrill of feeling the rails beneath my feet during the Tamaqua Historical Society's annual Heritage Festival, when large locomotives rolled into town, billowing smoke and blowing their whistles.

I've often heard stories and seen pictures of Tamaqua during its coal mining heyday when it was a major rail hub. Passenger trains made regular stops at the Tamaqua Railroad Station, until they stopped all together in 1961. Now, taking a train is restricted to that once-a-year occasion.

Of course, there is the Amtrak link between Washington, D.C., and New York City, but for anyone outside metropolitan areas in America's east, train travel — particularly high-speed train travel — is excruciatingly limited, if not non-existent.

Not so in China. Trains, as many Chinese friends and co-workers have told me, are more widely used than planes.

China's current rail network covers more than 53,000 miles, with about 3,000 passen-



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The Beijing-Tianjin high-speed intercity train waits to leave the station. The train has a top speed of more than 350 km per hour. The price of a one-way ticket on the train is about \$9.

ger trains operating daily. Almost all major cities from China's east coast to the western interior are connected by rail.

During China's major holidays, when city dwellers return to their home provinces, most trains are standing room only — and some train rides can last longer than eight hours.

Last July, I took an overnight train to Xi'an. I was skeptical about spending the night on a train in motion since I usually don't sleep well on airplanes or while traveling in general. But I slept like a baby — the calm, consistent rolling of the wheels helping me drift into dreamland. I awoke only once, and that was due to the snoring of the guy in the bunk above me.

But it was the high-speed train to Tianjin that sold me on China's modern and vast rail network. The seats were more comfortable and spacious than the business class sections of most aircraft I'd taken and the ride lacked any turbulence common during flights. It was, as I would imagine, like floating on a cloud — an extremely fast cloud.

But what gave the trip real meaning was that I'd traveled to Tianjin by bus last fall — and it took two-and-a-half hours that time.

China will continue to improve and expand

its system of high-speed rails — by 2012 the Asian giant is expected to have more than 8,000 miles of high-speed track, greater than the rest of the world combined, and by 2020 almost 31,000 miles. And in the coming years, the United States, too, will invest in a high-speed rail network, an undertaking put forward by President Obama last year, and provide fast, quality rail service as a cheap alternative to air travel. It could also be one solution to breaking America's fixation on oil.

Friends from abroad have told me about the amazing bullet train (Shinkansen) in Japan and the super-fast Chunnel train connecting Great Britain and France. Now I can tell them about the Beijing-Tianjin intercity train. And I'll be waiting ever so patiently for the opportunity to ride a high-speed train across America.

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### BY DANA GRUBB

The question: What is your all time favorite movie, and why? (Asked at Movies by Midnight in the Sun Inn Courtyard July 1.)

"Some Like It Hot," because I'm in it!"

**Karan Merkel**

Bethlehem



"Fried Green Tomatoes." I love a good story and I think it tells a wonderful story on so many levels."

**Barbara Garrison**

Bethlehem Township



"A Few Good Men." It was a great movie and every time you see it you pick up on something new."

**Dick Heberling**

Northampton



"Probably 'Citizen Kane,' for its cinematography, use of symbolism and the plot."

**Lauren Gifford**

Allentown



"Moulin Rouge" for the mix of acting, singing and dancing. It's out of the ordinary, catastrophic, and the ending isn't predictable."

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"Invincible," because it was a good story about a person from Philadelphia who tried out for the Eagles and ended up playing for three years. It showed that if you want it bad enough, you can probably attain it."

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## Theresa Byrnes

### Freedom HS

**Grade:** Graduated senior  
**Family members:** My mother, Ann, my father, Michael, my sister, Carol, and my two brothers, Tom and Willy

**Favorite subject:** Art and science; I have a passion to create art, while science, especially biology, has always interested me.

**Activities:** Art Club president

**Next steps:** Attend college  
**Career goals:** Freelance artist and a career in the funeral industry

**Heroes:** I believe everyone is a hero in their own way; we all have our moments.

**Hobbies:** Art, music, movies

**Current job(s):** Dietary aide at Country Meadows Nursing Center

**Likes:** My car, a '67 Volkswagen Beetle, and spending time with friends



**Dislikes:** Waking up early and having to wait; I'm very impatient.

**Greatest accomplishment (so far):** Second place awardee of Artist Discovery last year

**Advice for peers:** Don't be afraid to stand alone and be your own person.

*Julia Swan coordinates student profiles for the Bethlehem Press.*

## Biology Olympics participants



PRESS PHOTO BY SUSAN BRYANT

Bethlehem Catholic HS seniors Jack Braniec, Sarah Livengood, Zach Kaeser, Caroline Hozza and Jen Labarre participate in the Biology Bowl, a competitive question and answer event at the 28th annual Biology Olympics hosted by the Dept. of Biological Sciences at Cedar Crest College, South Whitehall in the Alumnae Hall Auditorium April 16.

## Miller-Keystone honors students

At a May 11 high school recognition breakfast, J. Michael Lee, president and CEO of the Miller-Keystone Blood Center noted, "You guys are superstars," as six area students received annual blood donor recruitment scholarships. Close to 40 area schools were recognized for their efforts in facilitating blood collection donations. One, Catasauqua HS, received the Spirit Award for its 59 percent increase in blood donations. Scholarship recipients in 2010 are: Krystal Parr from Quakertown HS, \$1,000; Cindy Braeunig from Upper Perkiomen HS, \$750; Joelle Stesak from Liberty HS, \$500; Cassandra Ward from Parkland HS, \$500;



PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB

Liberty HS senior Joelle Stesak with AP Physics teacher Mark Hoffman, who advises the National Honor Society at the school. Stesak, NHS coordinator for blood drives at Liberty, received a \$500 college scholarship. She plans to attend York College and major in nursing.

Sarah Everitt from Career Institute of Technology, \$250; and William Thieme from Catasauqua HS, \$250.

Guest speaker Vaughn Walker, a sophomore at the Lehigh Valley Academy, recounted the importance of donating

blood for use by people battling sickle cell anemia.

## COLLEGE NOTES

### Northampton Community College Kenyatta appointed director of Tech Prep

NCC has appointed Janice Kenyatta as the new director of its Tech Prep program. Born and raised in Newark, N.J., Kenyatta graduated as a business technology major from Essex County Vocational Technical HS at age 16. She earned an associate of science degree in office systems technology and management from Essex County Community College and bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees in business and distributive education from Montclair State University.

Tech Prep enables students in grades 9 and above to explore careers in technology, allied health, business and consumer services while gaining a strong foundation in math, science, reading, writing, communications and technical studies. Students who participate in the program may enter the community college with advanced standing. NCC is part of one of 16 Tech Prep consortiums in Pennsylvania.

### Free grant locating workshop July 15

Representatives from non-profit agencies who want to learn more about locating grant sources are invited to Northampton Community College's Mack Library, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem Township, July 15 from 10 a.m. to Noon for a special workshop. The workshop will highlight the services provided by The Foundation Center, Northampton County's largest database of private foundations, and provide an overview of its database of more than 71,000 grant makers.

Although the workshop is free, reservations are required. Call 610-861-5358 by Monday, July 12.

### NCC Class of 2010 shatters records

The Northampton Community College (NCC) Class of 2010 shattered previous records for number of graduates. Seven hundred and eighty men and women received degrees, certificates and diplomas at the May 27 commencement ceremony, in addition to the 779 who met the requirements in August or January, bringing the size of the class to more than 1,550.

Key to abbreviations: AA - associate in arts; AS - associate in arts; AAS - associate in applied science; CERT - certificate and SD - specialized diploma.

The graduates from Bethlehem are Dejah Abraham, AA; Daisyvette Acevedo, SD; Fidelia Akabogu, AAS; Melissa Almodovar, AAS; Venice Anderson, AAS; Matthew Ares, AAS; Amary Atiyeh, AA; Rejimon Augustine, SD; Juliana Avila, AA; Ashley Bennett, AA; Dana Borkowski, AAS; Michael Bowyer, AA; Jennifer Breiner, AAS; Robert Brockel, AAS; Tyler Buddock, AA; Michael Budrock, AAS; Nicole Cabrera, SD; Nicole Cabrera, SD; Abel Calderon, AAS; Anthony Cappellano, AS; Maria Colletta, AA; Bryan Cone, AA; Aubree Cote, AAS; Mitchel Dean, AAS; Jessica D'Elia, AA; Eva Diaz, AAS; Claudia Dilliplane, AAS; Isabel Dos Santos, AA; Nicholas Dunn, AAS; Ashley Earnshaw, SD; Joshua Egner, AA; Rebecca Elliott, AA; Jennifer Esack, SD; Amanda Fehnel, AAS; Brittany Fleming, AAS; Deborah Fulmer, SD; Kristen Gandy, AAS; Laura Garger, SD; Kristen Georgis, AA; Cheryl Gidley, AA, SD; Miranda Giessel, AAS; Winsome Grant, AAS; Christopher Greg, AAS; Darelee Hamilton, AA; Zachary Haas, AA; Henry Hernandez, AA; Michael Hernandez, AAS; Karyn Hierl, SD; Ryan Himmelwright, AAS; Melissa Hippert, SD; Andrew Holva, AA; William Janvrin, AA; Meghan Keiper, AAS; Robert Kislow, AAS; Daniel Kluemper, AAS; Justin Knappenberger, AAS; Kattia Krouse, AA; Pooja Ladani, AAS; Amber Lutzi, AA; Silvia Mancini, SD; Shaun Marakovits, AA; Enid

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Lehigh Valley HS for the Performing Arts seniors and student council representatives Emily Gibson, Emily Mert and Shalyn Baum attend the breakfast. Teacher adviser Amy Nesfeder said that blood drives were done through the student council. Mert will take a year off and tour with a national Broadway show.



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Team building activities are the core of Nitschmann MS's Sequoia Program, according to teacher adviser Tanya Thear, who along with teacher Rick Amato mentor 56 boys and girls in the program. Ordinarily centered along environmentally active lines, the group recently undertook collecting stuffed animals to be donated to the St. Luke's Hospital pediatric unit, where they'll be given to young patients to ease their often difficult and traumatic stay while in the hospital. On May 11, students presented hospital officials with dozens of stuffed animals collected through their pals for patients' initiative. **ABOVE:** Nitschmann students enrolled in the Sequoia Program display many of the stuffed animals donated to St. Luke's Hospital for pediatric patients. Joining them are Dr. Leo Heitlinger, chairman of pediatrics, and Charlotte Becker, pediatric nurse manager, who accepted the donation on behalf of St. Luke's.

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**Moravian College**

**Open House set for July 22**

Moravian College will hold summer open house for prospective students beginning July 22, for high school sophomores, juniors and their parents. Registration is at 9 a.m. in Johnston Hall, followed by welcoming remarks by college President Christopher M. Thomforde, Vice President for Enrollment Bernard Story and Angela Colon, assistant director of admissions.

From 9:45 to 10:45 a.m., Twenty-Six Points student ambassadors will conduct tours of the main campus.

Admission and financial aid process for parents will be held from 11 to 11:45 a.m. in the Prosser Auditorium, Hauptert Union Building (HUB).

At 11:45 a.m., Moravian faculty will provide an hour-and-a-half overview of academic opportunities and the liberal arts curriculum in the atrium of the Priscilla Payne Hurd academic complex.

For more information or to register online, visit [www.moravian.edu/openhouse](http://www.moravian.edu/openhouse).

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The other applicants began grumbling and one spoke up, "Wait a minute, he was the last to come in, and we never even got a chance to be interviewed—yet he got the job. That's not fair!" The employer said, "I'm sorry, but the last several minutes while you've been sitting here, the telegraph has been ticking out the following message in Morse Code: 'If you understand this message, then come right in. The job is yours.' None of you heard it or understood it. This young man did. The job is his."

We are so busy living in a world that is full of noise and clutter. People are distracted and are not hearing the still, small voice of the Lord as He summons, "Come unto me...and I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28). —Author Unknown, Adapted

Have you heard and responded to the Lord's summons? Are you listening for the summons "to meet the Lord in the air" when "the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout" (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)? See [www.naog.ws/billboard.htm](http://www.naog.ws/billboard.htm)

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## Blueberry thrill

### 25th annual festival at Bethlehem Burnside Plantation

Historic Bethlehem Partnership's Blueberry Festival returns for its 25th year for a weekend of food, music and family fun July 17 and 18 at Burnside Plantation, the farm in the city of Bethlehem.

The Blueberry Festival features plenty of activities and food for everyone in the family. Children will enjoy a petting zoo, pony rides, a horse-drawn carousel, craft activities and Colonial games. They can even make their own birdhouse to take home.

There will be crafters and demonstrations as well as food vendors. Performances by theater, dance and music groups will entertain throughout both days.

Of course, the Blueberry Festival wouldn't be complete without all the blueberries. Festival attendees can enjoy fresh blueberries, blueberry pie, blueberry strudel, blueberry crumb cake and blueberry ice cream.

A highlight of the Blueberry Festival that brings a smile to all is the Blueberry Pie Eating Contest at 2:15 p.m. both days.

Burnside Plantation was an integral part of the Moravian farming system and the homestead of James Burnside, a Moravian missionary and county representative.

Burnside Plantation is now home to the Bethlehem Police Department's horses. Come watch these popular "officers" in demonstrations during the Blueberry Festival.

Tours with guides in Colonial dress will be available at Burnside Plantation throughout the Blueberry Festival. Festival hours are 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. July 17 and 18.

Burnside Plantation is at 1461 Schoenersville Road.



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Madeline and William Morris, above, docents, volunteers and members of Historic Bethlehem Partnership, are all dressed up and ready to go to the 25th annual Blueberry Festival July 17 and 18 at Burnside Plantation, Bethlehem.

Take the road east at the bottom of the hill from the former Bethlehem Steel Corp. Martin Towers headquarters.

Those who subscribe to a new family membership at the Blueberry Festival admissions table get two free admissions. Those who subscribe to

a new individual membership also get free festival admission.

Information: 610-691-6055

## Rob Stoneback comes to the Cabaret

By JERRY DUCKETT  
Special to The Press

In February 2005, a small group of jazz enthusiasts in the Allentown Symphony Association decided to try something different, a jazz cabaret, upstairs in the new Rodale Community Room on the third floor of the expanded and renovated Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown.

They envisioned an evening of great local and regional jazz groups playing in a cabaret-like setting to a crowd of jazz lovers dining on light fare with a cash bar.

Since that opening night, many popular musicians have participated in the monthly musical adventure, "Jazz Upstairs, a Jazz Cabaret at Symphony Hall" — from the Poconos' Bob Dorough to Lehigh Valley's Zen for Primates.

Valley big band leader and trombonist Rob Stoneback joins the cabaret at 7:30 p.m. July 16 with a never-before heard septet. Doors open at 7 p.m.

Accompanying Stoneback are Dale Orris, trumpet; Mike Trach, saxophone; Marty Mellinger, piano; Gene Perla, bass; Paul Wells, drums; and Robin Work, vocals.

"This is the first time for me at the cabaret, and the first time I am using a septet anywhere," Stoneback says.

"I have used a sextet in the past, but I decided to add my vocalist, Robin Work, from my big band for this gig because it's special to me.

"Everyone but Paul [Wells] has played with us no less than a year. Paul is new, but excellent. Mike [Trach] and I have been playing together since we were about 15."



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Rob Stoneback makes his "Jazz Upstairs" debut with a new septet July 16 at Symphony Hall, Allentown.

"I'll be flying out to Los Angeles the week after Symphony Hall to play with my good friend and well-known trombonist, Bill Watrous. We work the summer Jazz Series at the L.A. Farmers' Market there each year.

"It's a great gig playing with him. It's only two trombones and rhythm.

Garry Rissmiller and Craig Kastelnik joined

Stoneback in April for the band's latest CD, "Bare Bones." Stoneback's other CDs include "Caught in the Web" with his Big Band; "Mad to the Bone," with Watrous; and "Live in Living Comfort," with Watrous, Kastelik, Tom Kozik and Bill Goodwin.

Stoneback is not only a world-class musician, but very outspoken concerning

traditional jazz and big band music. It's difficult to keep good musicians together, and it's all because of the money, he says.

"Most Americans don't know a better band from a lesser band. It's really been a bad year for all big bands and tough for local artists.

"One of the problems is that today most Americans don't know a band that plays our type of music well from one that does not. They really don't know.

"Some bands that I lose work to can't even play in tune, but they are just hired because they are cheaper, and the people who book the bands are only interested in the bottom line.

"When you find a difference it's because the venue got a grant from a music endowment. I remember being told by a very prominent person in the music business that the arts funding for the City of Berlin, Germany, was more than the entire [National] Endowment for the Arts [budget] in the U.S.

"It's an entirely different picture outside the United States, especially in Europe. Music is part of everyone's daily life. The kids do not just listen to everything, but our stuff [jazz and big band]. Everything is played on the radio and also live."

So, support jazz — and good jazz musicians — by attending Stoneback's debut at the Jazz Cabaret.

This year's series includes: Fusion Jazz Trio, Aug. 20; Bill Warfield, Sept. 17; Zen for Primates, Oct. 22; Frank DiBussolo Quartet with Justin Odom, guitar, Nov. 19; and Eric Mintel Quartet, Dec. 3.

Ticket information: 610-432-6715

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## Your look ahead at Valley Arts



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**Just a rock and roll band:** Rock legends The Moody Blues, including Justin Hayward, Graeme Edge and John Lodge, above, return to the State Theatre, Easton, at 8 p.m. July 15. The Moodies' 1967 opus, "Days of Future Passed," was an orchestral rock, progressive rock and space rock trendsetter. The band has sold more than 70 million albums worldwide and been awarded 14 platinum and gold discs. The group's hits include: "Nights in White Satin," "Ride My See Saw," "The Story In Your Eyes," "Isn't Life Strange," "Question," "I'm Just A Singer (In A Rock And Roll Band)," "Your Wildest Dreams" and "I Know You're Out There Somewhere." Ticket information: 610-252-3132



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**Boys in the Hood:** The children's show, "Robin Hood," continues through Aug. 7 in the Shubert Theatre, Labuda Center for the Arts, at the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival at DeSales University. Robin Hood (Jacob R. Dresch, above right) and his Merry Men, including Friar Tuck (James Nester, above left) pursue villains and victories in Sherwood Forest in the new adaptation of the classic story. The show is described as "a family-friendly celebration of a folklore hero, with lots of action and fun." The cast of 13 features the PSF Acting Intern Company. Youngsters may sit stage-side. After the show, the cast signs autographs and poses for photos. Ticket information: 610-282-9455

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**The hex you say:** The last hex sign artists in the United States are among the folk artists at the Kutztown Folk Festival, through July 11 at Kutztown Fairgrounds, Kutztown, Berks County. The colorful hex signs, also known as barn signs, were placed on barns by Pennsylvania-Germans, either as decorative motifs, or to scare away witches, depending on which folklore expert you believe. Some 200 Pennsylvania-German, aka Pennsylvania-Dutch, and other artisans demonstrate their skills in crafts at the festival. The 2010 exhibition and sale of nearly 2,500 hand-made Pennsylvania-German motif quilts is said to be the largest quilt sales event in the U.S. Ticket information: 610-683-1597



# PSF 'Robin Hood' staging hits bull's-eye

By DIANE BAKOS  
Special to The Press

What's old is new again. And it's really cool. The Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival's "Robin Hood" is a fresh take on an oft-repeated tale, and this time around it's geared squarely toward the kids - well, mostly.

Oh, there are plenty of beautiful maidens and evildoers and brave heroes. And there's scarcely a dull moment.

"It's full of archery and action," says Director Erin Hurley, "so it's fun for all ages."

But many of the jokes and double-entendres are aimed to skim right over the heads of the little ones and plunk smack-dab into the funny bones of the older set.

In sum, it's entertaining for all.

Coming in at barely an hour, perhaps the only real complaint is that this show is too short.

That's no reflection on the amount of preparation it took to put together this production. Design meetings began back in December with Hurley, PSF education director, informing her crew that their goal was to create "a classic, storybook, folklore, legend kind of look - but with fun."

Some of that fun is of the in-your-face kind, such as the big fight scene where swords are actually baguettes and sausage links serve as nunchucks.

Other touches are more subtle. Costume designer

Amy Best came up with the perfect image to emblazon across the chests of the Sheriff of Nottingham's henchmen: a chicken. Pay close attention and you'll see that the sheriff himself gets a similar birdie on the booty when he's branded at one point in the play.

Design of the set itself required a bit more serious consideration. "Robin Hood" takes place on the stage of the Schubert Theatre which, during the run of the festival, is home to two other productions: "The Playboy of the Western World" (June 16-July 3) and "The Merry Wives of Windsor" (July 14-Aug. 8).

"So what?" you ask. So, "Robin Hood" continues through Aug. 7, throughout almost the entire run of the two other plays. Overlapping plays means the scenic designer has to come up with a set that can quickly be adapted from one to the next, to the next.

Lucky for PSF that 15-year-veteran Bob Phillips is up to the challenge. "It's definitely a puzzle every summer," he laughs.

Phillips says the task of coordinating concurrent shows is more manageable if placed in the hands of just one person. His approach: break it down by virtue of priorities. The needs of the Shakespeare production always come first, followed by the other "adult" play, and then the children's show.

In this case, Phillips says, "We kind of needed a classic Shakespeare set

with two levels. We added things to climb on, and branches and bushes. We turned limitations into assets."

The set works beautifully. The two-story wooden structure required for "Merry Wives" becomes a forest canopy simply by strategic placement of a few pegs for Robin and his Merry Men to climb and several scattered branches. Paint has turned the floor into a patch of ground surrounded by a babbling brook. A large rock, some bushes, and the scene is set; effective, yet uncluttered.

That brings up one other major consideration for Phillips. In its children's shows, PSF offers little ones have the option of getting out of their seats and sitting at the edge of the stage. This is great not only for the young ones, but for the entire audience. It's priceless to see the grimaces and watch the kids slap their hands over their eyes in feigned horror when Robin Hood kisses Maid Marian. They're not just part of the audience anymore; they're in some middle ground between spectator and performer. But Phillips has to incorporate their presence into his sets. Floor-level youngsters have very low lines of sight, making obstructions a no-no.

If anyone is up to the challenge, however, it's this man. Phillips has won an Emmy for his work on another kids' program you may have heard of, a little TV show called "Sesame

Street." "It keeps you focused on, 'What is the goal of this?'" Phillips says. "It can't be what I want, or what the director wants. It has to be something that works for those little kids. It keeps you honest."

Hurley seconds that and says she has 14 nieces and nephews to serve as her own personal consultants. "They keep me current. I always pay attention to what they find silly and amusing. I always make sure to know what they like," Hurley says.

The actors hit the mark on that point, with Jacob Dresch's Robin the perfect to-swoon-for-hero and his fair Maid Marian (Melissa Christine Egan) appropriately beautiful and yet admirably spunky. Her sidekick, Celia (Katie Wexler) is a one-line laugh machine. Dan Bound-Black as Will Scarlett is as lively and engaging a storyteller as you'll find anywhere, and Jonathan Mulhearn's Sheriff is the coward-you-love-to-hate.

The fight scenes are staged by Rick Sordelet, who has more than 50 Broadway credits under his belt. He's also choreographing the action for "Romeo and Juliet," which runs later in the festival.

And lest you think this is pure entertainment, there is a moral to this woody tale: Women may be women and men may be men, but no one need be limited because of their gender. And that hits the bull's-eye.

# Seeing the world in a better light

When I finally got around to having a complete eye exam because my failing vision made driving difficult, the eye doctor was thorough and competent.

But he sounded stern as he told me it was two cataracts, not poor glasses, that were making it hard for me to see street signs. "You'll have to have these taken care of if you want to see better," he said.

I had a hard time not jumping up and down and yelling: "Yippee!"

Like most people, I dread any kind of surgery. But I've been listening to people and seeing the phenomenal results they've had with cataract surgery.

It used to be something to dread. I remember decades ago visiting a woman who just had cataract surgery. She was in a hospital with her head surrounded by sand bags. It was a scary sight and she complained about having to lay motionless on her back for so long.

As the expression goes, We've come a long way, baby. Cataract surgery is now done as an outpatient, recovery time is minimal, and patients get back to their normal activities in a few days.

Best yet, the results are astonishing.

My friend, Jeanne, wore thick glasses and we both made jokes about how little we could see when we didn't have our glasses on. Sometimes, we couldn't see well enough to find the glasses.

All that changed for Jeanne when she had cataract surgery. Now, she doesn't wear glasses at all.

Some of my other friends had the same experience.

We were out to dinner one night with a few friends and I took my glasses off and laid them on the table because they were uncomfortable. "Remind me not to leave these behind when we go," I said.

Then they regaled me with stories about how they don't need glasses anymore because they've had cataract surgery. I joked about looking forward to that part of aging if it meant I didn't have to wear glasses.

I lose too many pairs of glasses. If they're not falling into the water when I kayak, I leave them behind somewhere. It gets expensive and it's agonizing not to be able to see while I wait for a new pair.

I try to eliminate the situation by buying "two for one" specials. But then I still need sunglasses and reading glasses that seem to disappear as quickly as an ice cream cone in the sun.

Last year, when I totaled my medical expenses for income tax, I was startled to see how much money I spend on glasses. No wonder I was looking forward to cataract surgery.

A month or so ago, my husband needed cataract surgery for one eye. I had

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By Pattie Mihalik  
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more discomfort after teeth scaling than he had after cataract surgery. He walked out of there saying, "I can see better already." And he felt wonderful. I had a hard time holding him down for the required two-days of taking it easy.

With all that as a background, of course I was looking forward to those astonishing results, too.

But then I did what I always do - I went on the Internet and spent days researching cataract surgery and types of permanent intraocular lens implants used to restore focusing power.

I believe in being well informed, not in undergoing any procedure without being aware of potential risks. Through several medical sites, I learned there are some serious sight-threatening complications to cataract surgery, including retina detachment and blindness.

In one study of 17,000 procedures, fewer than two percent had serious complications. While that sounds fine, what if you're among the two percent?

Online I read stories from people who wish they never would have had it done. "I wanted cataract surgery so I could stop wearing glasses," wrote one woman. "Now, I can't see well at all and wish I had my old vision back."

Other medical sites stressed that 95 percent of patients were satisfied or highly satisfied with the results of their cataract surgery. Again, that sounds like good odds, unless you're part of the five percent.

All of life is gamble. Any surgery is a gamble. Heck, so is any hospitalization. It's better to avoid it all, if you can. But since I could no longer see well enough to be a safe driver, I decided to take the gamble.

I told David his job was to pray me through the surgery. The actual surgery is only six to 10 minutes and patients are ready to go home two hours after they arrive.

I'm happy to report the first surgery went well. Even before the second cataract is removed next week, I'm seeing much better.

I'm now one of 15 million people each year who experience the miracle of better sight after cataract surgery.

We've learned to give ailing people new hips, new hearts, new knees, teeth implants, and now, new eye lenses.

All that turns back the odometer and makes the ride called life longer and better.

Think about that progress if you want to see the world in a better light.

## LEHIGH VALLEY SUMMER THEATER

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"John Adams Pays a Call to James Allen: A Revolutionary Tale of the Lehigh Valley," premiere, 7 p.m. July 8, written by George Miller and Peter Wrenn-Meleck, featuring Frank A. Whelan

and Joshua A. Fink, Liberty Bell Shrine Museum, Zion's Reformed Church, 622 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-435-4232.

"Robin Hood," through Aug. 7, Pennsylvania Shake-

spare Festival, Schubert Theatre, Labuda Center for The Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley. 610-282-WILL

"Romeo and Juliet," July 21 - Aug. 8, Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival, Main Stage, Labuda Center for The Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley. 610-282-WILL

"Seven Brides for Seven Brothers," through Aug. 22, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Sunday: dinner, 12:30 p.m.; show, 2 p.m.; Friday, Saturday: dinner, 6:30 p.m.; show, 8 p.m., Pines Dinner Theatre, 448 N. 17th St., Allentown. 610-433-2333

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"The Green Show," 7 p.m. through Aug. 7, Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival, Outdoor Stage, Labuda Center for The Arts, DeSales University, Center Valley. Free

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By ALEXANDRA RACINES  
Special to The Press

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**Myths, Religion and Ritual: Indian Art from the Koblenzer Collection**, June through Sept. 5, Rodale Gallery

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310 W. Broad St., Bethlehem  
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**ArtsQuest Staff Exhibition**, through Aug. 15

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510 Linden St., Allentown. 610-433-0032

**Lehigh Art Alliance Past Presidents Exhibition**, through July 30, David E. Rodale Gallery, Rodale Family Gallery; Reception, 6 - 8 p.m. July 8

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**The Health of Thy Countenance**, through Sept. 21: 250th anniversary of Count Nicholas Ludwig von Zinzendorf

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**House on the Lecha: An Architectural History of Bethlehem's Gemeinhaus**, through Dec. 31

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE

Baker Center for the Arts, 2400 Chew St., Allentown. 484-664-3100

**Lehigh Art Alliance: Spring Juried Exhibition**, through July 30

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19th Street Theatre, 527 N. 19th St., Allentown. 610-432-0888

**"Joan Rivers: A Piece of Work,"** 7:30 p.m. July 7, 8

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5 E. Packer Avenue, Bethlehem

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So, 'Grownups,' already

The title of "Grownups" is ironic, given the movie's juvenile humor.

Adam Sandler co-wrote the script with Fred Wolf, former "Saturday Night Live Writer" who wrote the screenplays for "Dickie Roberts: Former Child Star" and "Joe Dirt."

Sandler also wrote or cowrote the screenplays for his movies, "You Don't Mess with the Zohan," "Little Nicky," "The Waterboy," "Happy Gilmore" and "Billy Madison." So, you know what to expect with "Grownups": tart and often humorous observations about perceptions, mistakes and learning from them.

Sandler reteams with director Dennis Dugan, who directed Sandler in "You Don't Mess with the Zohan," "I Now Pronounce You Chuck & Larry," "Big Daddy" and "Happy Gilmore."

While Sandler is at the center of the storyline, "Grownups" is more of an ensemble comedy. Sanders shares screen-time with funnymen Kevin James, Chris Rock, David Spade and Rob Schneider.

The five play friends who were members of a championship youth basketball team. They reunite for a Fourth of July weekend following the death of their former basketball team coach.

Their wives and children accompany them to a lakeside house for the weekend. The wives are played by Salma Hayek, Maria Bello, Maya Rudolph and Joyce Van Patten. There are only four because the character played by Spade is single.

Members of the rival team that they defeated also show up in the Massachusetts town, including those played by Steve Buscemi, Colin Quinn and Tim Meadows.

The screenplay has the funny behavioral comedy and humorous dialogue typical of Sandler, who plays a high-powered Hollywood agent married to a fashion designer wife, played by Hayak.

Each of the actors in "Grownups" has his or her moments and is frequently funny. There is some good physical comedy. Some of the humor is rude and crude. At times, it seems the five male leads improvised their razzing of each other.

The cinematography is a drawback, though, as the production values seem rushed and second-rate in terms of lighting, framing and editing.

MOVIE REVIEW

By Paul Willistein



29 with \$30 million, and on opening day, June 30, grossed \$68.5 million, short of the \$72.7 million taken in by "The Twilight Saga: New Moon."

The Wednesday opening was the largest gross ever for a Wednesday, surpassing the \$62 million of last summer's "Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen." Also, "Eclipse" had the highest-grossing summer day ever, surpassing the \$67.2 million of "The Dark Knight." "Eclipse" opened on 8,000 screens at a record 4,416 locations.

**Unreel, July 9:** "Despicable Me," MPAA Rated PG; Gru, voiced by Steve Carell, steals the moon — literally — in the 3-D animated comedy that also includes the voice talents of Russell Brand, Will Arnett, Krisen Wiig and Julie Andrews.

**"Predator,"** MPAA Rated R, brings back the gooey creatures in a science fiction film starring Adrien Brody, Tophér Grace and Laurence Fishburne.

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

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## KNBT appoints two managers for Lehigh, Northampton

KNBT has announced that Ricky Gower and Diane Jones have been promoted to new roles in the company.

Gower, a vice president, and formerly dual manager of KNBT's Hellertown Main Street and Hellertown Giant community offices, has been named regional manager of KNBT's southern region.

In this position, he is responsible for the growth and profitability of the bank's business and consumer delivery functions in Northampton County, the City of Bethlehem, and Hellertown Borough.

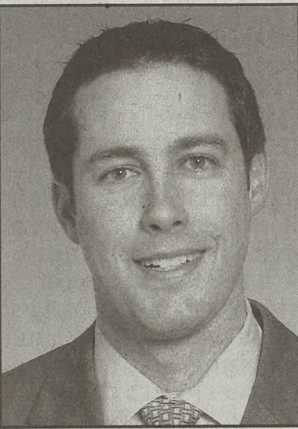
Gower joined KNBT in 2002 as a management trainee. Since then, he has served in various management capacities.

Gower is director of the Hellertown - Lower Saucon Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club of Saucon - Center Valley.

He is a graduate of Moravian College.

Gower and his wife, Sarah, live in Bethlehem.

Jones, a vice president



Ricky Gower



Diane Jones

and formerly manager of KNBT's Bethlehem Highland Avenue community office, has been named regional manager of KNBT's western region.

In this role, she is responsible for the growth and profitability of the bank's business and consumer delivery functions in Lehigh County.

Jones has nearly 30 years of banking experience including management positions in retail banking, corporate finance and residential mortgage lending.

She is a board member of the Lehigh County

Humane Society.

Jones received an MBA from Wilkes University.

She resides in Allentown.

National Penn Bancshares, Inc., and its KNBT division, is the fourth largest bank holding company based in Pennsylvania. KNBT is the largest division of the organization with 54 offices in six counties.

KNBT also has National Penn Bank and its First Service Bank, HomeTowne Heritage Bank, and Nittany Bank divisions.

## Account executive joins Miers agency

Bobby Rodriguez, PAHM, CBC, of Allentown has joined Miers Insurance as an Employee Benefit Account Executive.

Rodriguez, formerly associated with BR Consulting and Capital Blue Cross, brings to Miers Insurance his expertise in group medical insurance and alternative employee benefit solutions.

Miers Insurance, established in 1892, provides

insurance brokerage, risk management and employee benefit services for businesses, families and institutions in the Lehigh Valley and eastern Pennsylvania.

Miers Insurance represents more than 40 major insurance companies and has working relationships with international insurance brokerage firms throughout the world.

The firm employs 21 at its offices, 2222 S. 12th



Bobby Rodriguez

## Petrucci starts construction of new Bennett Toyota facility

J.G. Petrucci Co., Inc. (JGPCO) has broken ground on a new 46,130-square-foot dealership facility for Bennett Toyota-Scion at 2121 Lehigh St., Allentown.

The new facility will include a showroom, service center, parts department, body shop and associated retail uses. Bennett Toyota-Scion has been a mainstay among Lehigh Valley automobile sales and service businesses for more than 39 years.

"Bennett Toyota has been a respected name in the Lehigh Valley business community for many years," said Lehigh County Executive Donald T. Cunningham at the groundbreaking. "Everyone benefits when a former Brownfield site is put back into productive reuse."

The site, at the eastern end of Allentown's "Lehigh Street Auto Mile," was formerly an Exide Battery plant.

The brownfield property was acquired by JGPCO in December 2005

and then taken through the Act 2 voluntary cleanup process with Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources.

As a result, JGPCO will transform a previously environmentally impacted site into a LEED-certified building without the need for unsustainable infrastructure expansion often typical of suburban projects. The LEED-certified, state-of-the-art facility will be the first of its kind in Toyota-Scion's Mid-Atlantic region.

"This is an exciting project and one that will eventually create more than 150 jobs," said Greg Rogerson, a principal with JGPCO.

"This project was made possible in part through HUD loans and grants. It also provides an excellent example of what can be accomplished through public-private partnerships, in this case both municipal and federal levels of government, as well as Bennett Toyota-Scion and J.G. Petrucci Co.," Rogerson said.

Bennett Toyota-Scion is a subsidiary of J.H. Bennett, Inc., which has been family-owned and operated since 1951. The Bennett dealerships include Jaguar, Land Rover and Infiniti.

The company's client and tenant roster includes Merrill Lynch, Weyerhaeuser Co., Federal Express, St. Luke's Hospital & Health Network, Flemington BMW and Synchronoss Technologies.

JGPCO has an investment portfolio of more than 3 million-square-foot of industrial, retail and office space. The firm, based in Asbury, N.J., maintains offices in the Lehigh Valley.

## Spark firm hires account associate

Spark, a Lehigh Valley award-winning advertising and public relations agency, has hired Christine Barnowsky as an account service associate.

She will assist Spark's growing list of clients in a variety of marketing services.

"We are pleased to welcome Christine as a full-time staff member after completing a successful public relations internship at Spark," said Michael Drabenstott, prin-

cipal of Spark.

"Christine will work closely with the entire team to help manage a number of online and offline client campaigns, including traditional advertising campaigns, media planning, public relations and web development."

Prior to her internship with Spark, Barnowsky served in various public relations and marketing roles at internships with ArtsQuest and Kutztown University.



Christine Barnowsky

She received a bachelor of arts in English and Professional Writing from Kutztown University.

She lives in Bucks County.

## 8 DAYS

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"Gasland," 7:30 p.m. July 15: South Side Film Institute Third Thursday Film Club

ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY HALL  
23 N. 6th St., Allentown. 610-432-6735

Rob Stoneback Septet, 7:30 p.m. July 16: Jazz Upstairs, Rodale Community Room

BETHELEM SCULPTURE GARDEN  
Church Street, Bethlehem

Friends of Tom, 6 p.m. July 9

BC Combo, 6 p.m. July 16

CEDAR CREST BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH  
1151 S. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Orefield

Instruments of Praise, 7 p.m. July 10

CROCODILE ROCK  
520 Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-434-4600

Rock The Crook, 7 p.m. July 10

Reel Big Fish, 7 p.m. July 12

In Alcatraz 1962, 6 p.m. July 13

Bret Michaels, 8 p.m. July 14

Asphalt Valentine, Mama Kin, Modern Superstar, 6 p.m. July 15

Green Jelly, 6 p.m. July 16

Summer Slaughter Battle of the Bands, 5 p.m. July 17

DAVE PHILLIPS MUSIC AND SOUND  
622 Union Boulevard, Allentown. 610-428-0544

Joe Jerant, 6:15 p.m. July 7: Lehigh Valley Drum Circle

EVERGREEN CLUB  
Summer Oktoberfest, 415 Hartz Road, Fleetwood. 610-944-7501

Emil Schanta, 7 p.m. July 9

The Rhinelanders, 7 p.m. July 16

GODFREY DANIELS  
7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. 610-867-2390

Irish Seisiún, 7:30 p.m. July 7. Free

Zen for Primates, 8 p.m. July 9

Mary Fahl, 8 p.m. July 10

Frank DiBussolo, Bucky Pizzarelli, 7 p.m. July 15

George Hrab, Triologic, 8 p.m. July 16

Froggholler, 8 p.m. July 17

Leon Bonam, 7 p.m. July 18: Open Mike Night

Swing Jam, 8 p.m. July 20. Free

Steve Walker, 8 p.m. July 27: Songwriters' Workshop. Free

Blues Jam, 8 p.m. July 28. Free

HARD BEAN CAFE  
201 E. Third St., Bethlehem. 610-419-9833

Open Mic Nights, 8 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays

LOWER MACUNGIE LIBRARY  
3450 Brookside Road, Lower Macungie Township. 610-966-6864

Claude "Shep" Shappelle, 6 p.m. July 14

MACUNGIE INSTITUTE  
510 E. Main St., Macungie. 610-966-7830

Valley Music Together, 9:30, 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays; 10 a.m. Saturdays

MAIN STREET BETHELEM  
Recordante Recording Choir, 1:30 p.m. July 10

Lehigh Valley Italian American Band, 7:30 p.m. July 17

FREE MUSIC IN THE PARKS  
Alburtis Park, 328 Main St. Alburtis

Gone Images, Bill Murray, noon July 10

Banned from the Ranch, Moore Brothers, noon July 11

JW and the Buicks, noon July 17

East Texas Park, Lower Macungie Township

The Pioneer Band of Allentown, 7 p.m. July 10

Emmaus Community Park, Shimerville Road, Emmaus

Johnny Dee Polka Band, 6 p.m. July 11

Haines Mill Park, Dorney Park and Haines Mill Roads, Cetrionia. 610-435-1074

Allentown Band, 6:30 p.m. July 15

Macungie Memorial Park, North Poplar Street, Macungie

Macungie Band, 6:30 p.m. July 16

The Main Street Cruisers, 7 p.m. July 17

Milford Park, Routes 29 and 100, Zionsville

Sunnyside, 7 p.m. July 17

Rose Garden, Eighth Avenue and Union Boulevard, Bethlehem. 610-865-7081

Lehigh Valley Italian American Band, 7:30 p.m. July 9

Dave Neith Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. July 10

Vince Pettinelli Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. July 11, 16

NAZARETH CENTER FOR THE ARTS  
30 Belvidere St., Nazareth. 610-759-8590

Groovin' East, 7:30 p.m. July 8

Open Mic Night, 7 p.m. July 14

PENN'S PEAK  
325 Maury Road, Jim Thorpe. 866-605-7325

Roadies Open Mic Nights, 6 p.m. Thursdays

Aaron Lewis of Staind, 8 p.m. July 8

Herman's Hermits, 8 p.m. July 9

Cinderella, Lynam, 8 p.m. July 13

The B-52s, Supercluster, 8 p.m. July 15

Old Crow Medicine Show, 8 p.m. July 22

Sammy Kershaw, 8 p.m. July 23

Peter Frampton, 8 p.m. July 27

Bachman and Turner, Lukas Nelson and The Promise of the Real, 8 p.m. July 29

Skid Row, Firehouse, 8 p.m. July 30

Little Feat, 8 p.m. July 31

Asia, 8 p.m. Aug. 5

Umphrey's McGee, 9 p.m. Aug. 6

Live Wire, Bad Medicine, 8 p.m. Aug. 20

The Outlaws, Nightwind, 8 p.m. Aug. 21

50's Dance Party: Big Bopper, Buddy Holly, Richie Valens tribute, 8 p.m. Aug. 27

Blondie, Gorevette, 8 p.m. Sept. 1

Norris and James, 1 p.m. Sept. 21, 22

The Temptations, 8 p.m. Sept. 23

King Henry and the Showmen, 1 p.m. Tuesdays - Thursdays, Sept. 29 - Oct. 21

Dick Fox's Golden Boys: Fabian, Frankie Avalon, Bobby Rydell, 8 p.m. Oct. 8

Blood, Sweat and Tears, 8 p.m. Oct. 14

America, 8 p.m. Oct. 22

Restless Heart, Nicole Donatone, 8 p.m. Oct. 23

An Evening with Jethro Tull's Ian Anderson, 8 p.m. Oct. 24

The Glenn Miller Orchestra, 1 p.m. Oct. 26, 27. Sold Out Oct. 27

Kix, Stephen Pearcy, 8 p.m. Oct. 29

Get the Led Out: Led Zeppelin tribute, 8 p.m. Nov. 5

Ryan Pelton: Elvis Tribute, noon, lunch, 1 p.m. show; 8 p.m. Nov. 6. 1 p.m. Show Sold Out

Sha Na Na, 8 p.m. Nov. 12

Eddie Money, John Waite, 8 p.m. Nov. 19

The Sammy Kaye Orchestra, 1 p.m. Dec. 8, 9: Christmas Show

Johnny Winter, Clarence Spady, Mike Zito, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 11

STATE THEATRE CENTER FOR THE ARTS  
453 Northampton St., Easton. 1-800-999-78283

The Moody Blues, 8 p.m. July 15

THE FUNHOUSE  
5 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem

Dear Anna, 10 p.m. July 8

Family Junction, 10 p.m. July 10

RS Showcase Night, 10 p.m. July 11

Muffle Shoals Revival, 10 p.m. July 15

Big Cat, Magic, 10 p.m. July 16

Butter Jive, 10 p.m. July 17

VARGTIMMEN KING KOFFEE  
506 Chestnut St., Emmaus. 610-965-3257

Open Mic Nights, 7 p.m. Wednesdays

WILDFLOWER CAFE  
316 S. New St., Bethlehem. 610-758-8303

Open Mic Nights, 8 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays

The Subtle Experience, 8 p.m. Wednesdays: Latin Jazz

Peter Fritz, 8 p.m. Thursdays: Open Jazz Nights

Polly Cotton, The Blends, 9 p.m. July 9

Great White Caps, Sparta Philharmonic, New Madrid Faults, 9 p.m. July 10

Picture Plane, Mouth's Cover, 9 p.m. July 16

Sonny Shine and the Underwater Sound, Pleasant Covers, 8 p.m. July 17

DANCE

FEARLESS FIRE COMPANY  
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### BORDERS BOOKSELLERS

1937 Whitehall Mall, Whitehall  
Eileen Clymer Schwab, 7 p.m. July 15: "Promise Bridge" reading, book signing  
Andrea Grannum-

Mosley, 2 p.m. July 17: "Flying through Brooklyn" discussion, book signing

GODFREY DANIELS  
7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. 610-867-2390

Story Circle, 7:30 p.m. July 14

LOWER MACUNGIE LIBRARY  
3450 Brookside Road, Lower Macungie Town-

ship. 610-966-6864

Eric Wight, 6:30 p.m. July 12: "Rain Gutter Regatta" author visit

## Literary Scene

3301 Bath Pike, Bethlehem. 610-691-8730  
Lepocho Book Discus-

### MORAVIAN BOOK SHOP

428 Main St., Bethlehem. 610-866-5481  
Ken Raniere, Karen Samuels, 1-3 p.m. July 17: "South Bethlehem" book signing  
PANERA BAKERY-BREAD  
3301 Bath Pike, Bethlehem. 610-691-8730  
Lepocho Book Discus-

sion Group, 6 p.m. July 7:

"Hoodwinked: An Economic Hit Man Reveals Why the World Financial Market Imploded - And What We Need to Do to Remake Them" by John Perkins

WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY  
3700 Mechanicsville Road, Whitehall. 610-432-

4339

Larry Scurman, 6 p.m. July 13: Magical Storyteller

Submission deadline for *Literary Scene* is noon Monday, 10 days prior to the Wednesday-Thursdays Focus section publication date. Email: [Alexandra.Racines@at.litscene@gmail.com](mailto:Alexandra.Racines@at.litscene@gmail.com)



# The dangers of over-mulching Post-Polio Syndrome theories

Mulching trees and shrubs is a recommended cultural maintenance method with many benefits, yet it can literally kill plants if mulch is applied improperly.

A mountain of mulch, piled high against a tree trunk, does not kill a tree immediately. It results in a slow death.

Over-mulching is a waste of mulch (and money). It is a leading cause of death of azalea, rhododendron, dogwood, mountain laurel, hollies, cherry trees, ash, birch, linden, spruce and many other landscape plants.

How does over-mulching kill trees and shrubs? The most common causes are: oxygen starvation.

Suffocation of tree roots is the most common cause of tree and shrub death from over-mulching.

Repeated applications can contribute to water-logged soil-root zone by slowing soil water loss via evaporation.

Symptoms may take several years to appear, depending on the plant and the soil type. Symptoms include off-color, yellowing foliage (chlorosis), abnormally small leaves, poor tip growth, and dieback of older branches.

Unfortunately, by the time the symptoms are noticed, it is generally



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too late to correct the problem. At this point, the plant is usually in a state of irreversible decline, and will most likely die.

Inner bark death of aboveground root flares: Inner bark (phloem) death comes from piles of mulch placed directly against the stems/trunks of trees and shrubs.

The root flare stem and trunk tissue is different from root tissue. It cannot survive a continually moist environment, and must be able to breathe through lenticels.

Mulch depth should not exceed three inches. However, on poorly drained soils, mulch depths should not exceed two inches, especially for shallow rooted plants. Wet soils may not need mulch. Coarser textured mulches can be placed a bit deeper due to better oxygen diffusion into the soil.

Finer textured mulch, such as double shredded mulch, may need only a one- or two-inch layer.

If a problem exists, a light raking of existing mulch may be all that is needed to break through

the crusted or compacted layers that can repel water.

Pull mulch back from plant stems and trunks. A rule of thumb is three to five inches away from young plants and 8 to 12 inches away from mature tree trunks.

Visually look for the presence of a root flare; if not visible at least some may be partially buried and must be exposed. Remove all soil or mulch up to the junction of the roots and trunk collar (taking care not to damage the tender bark) to expose the root collar.

Leave the resulting well open and exposed to air.

Research shows that plants rapidly improve in color and vigor within months of root collar excavations.

**For answers to your garden questions, call the Lehigh County Cooperative Extension Office, 610-391-9840, or Northampton County Cooperative Extension Office, 610-746-1970, and ask to speak with a Master Gardener. Volunteers staff phone lines several days a week, Monday - Friday.**

*Growing Green is contributed by Lehigh County Cooperative Extension Office Staff and Master Gardeners.*

**Q. A friend of mine had polio when he was a kid and now the disease seems to be coming back in his old age. Have you heard of this?**

The National Center for Health Statistics estimates that more than 440,000 polio survivors in the United States may be at risk for Post-Polio Syndrome (PPS), a condition that strikes polio survivors decades after they've recovered from an attack of the poliomyelitis virus. Various researchers estimate that PPS affects from 40 to 80 percent of polio survivors.

Common PPS symptoms include: muscle and joint weakness, fatigue, pain, muscle atrophy, difficulty breathing or swallowing, skeletal deformities, cold intolerance, and temporary interruptions of breathing while sleeping.

PPS usually progresses slowly. It is rarely life-threatening.

There is no known cause for PPS. Unlike polio, PPS is not contagious.

If a person suffered from a severe case of polio, it is likely that the PPS that strikes later will also be severe. Those who had minimal symptoms from the original illness usually will have only mild symptoms when

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they get PPS.

The risk of developing PPS is greater if you acquired polio as an adolescent or adult, rather than as a young child. Women get PPS more often than men.

There is no effective treatment for the syndrome itself.

Doctors recommend that polio survivors get the proper amount of sleep, maintain a well-balanced diet, avoid unhealthy habits such as smoking and overeating, and use judicious exercise, preferably under the supervision of an experienced professional.

Proper lifestyle changes, the use of assistive devices, and taking certain anti-inflammatory medications may help some of the symptoms of PPS.

Polio, also known as infantile paralysis, was lethal. It was once one of the most feared diseases in America.

Shortly after polio reached its peak in the early 1950s, the disease was eradicated by a vaccine developed by Dr. Jonas Salk.

Because PPS symptoms are similar to those

linked with other disorders, your doctor will attempt to exclude other possible causes, such as arthritis, fibromyalgia, chronic fatigue syndrome and scoliosis.

PPS has been mistaken for amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), Lou Gehrig's disease. Gehrig, who played baseball for the New York Yankees, died of the disease in 1941. ALS usually strikes between the ages of 40 and 70. In some countries, ALS is often called motor neuron disease.

To date, researchers are not certain what causes PPS, but they have theories.

One possibility is that the polio virus becomes active again after decades of lying dormant in the victim's cells.

Another possibility involves impaired production of hormones and neurotransmitters in brain.

The most promising theory is that nerve cells that survived polio assumed the added burden of the work of dead cells. These surviving cells became overworked and weakened. This phenomenon leads to new polio-like symptoms, according to the theory.

*Have a question? Email: fred@healthygeezer.com*

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Starlite Ballroom, 1221 S. Front St., Allentown. 610-390-7550

**Allentown Swing Dance Society**, lesson, 7 p.m.; open dancing 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays; John Lindo, 7 p.m. July 13: West Coast Swing

**USADance**, 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays: Open Dance Sessions; Sunday lessons 2 p.m.

**LEHIGH COUNTY SENIOR CENTER**

1633 Elm St., Allentown. 610-437-3700  
**Bill, Donna Arnold Dance**, 1 p.m. July 7  
**Gary Dee Dance**, 7:30 p.m. July 10  
**King Henry Dance**, 7:30 p.m. July 17

**LEHIGH UNIVERSITY**

Mountaintop Campus, Iacocca Institute, Mountain Drive, Bethlehem

**North American Irish Dance Federation**, 5 - 7 p.m. July 16; 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. July 17: North American Irish Dance Federation Nationals Championships

**UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH**

424 Center St., Bethlehem. 610-868-7432  
**Folk Dancing**, 6 p.m. July 11

**EVENTS**

**ALLENTOWN FAIRGROUNDS**

Agri-Plex, 302 N. 17th St., Allentown. 610-433-7541  
**Antique and Modern Arms Show**, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. July 10; 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. July 11  
**Great Eastern Book and Paper Show**, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. July 17; 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. July 18

**ALLENTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY**

1210 Hamilton St., Allentown  
**Independence Day Celebration**, 2:30, 6:30 p.m. July 14

**AMERICA ON WHEELS**

5 N. Front St., Allentown. 610-432-4200

**BETHEHEM PUBLIC LIBRARY**

11 W. Church St., Bethlehem. 610-867-3761  
**Family Fun Night**, 7 - 8 p.m. July 13

**CATASAUQUA PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Third and Bridge Streets, Catasauqua. 610-264-4151

**Catasauqua Garden Club**, July 7

**DOWNTOWN EASTON**

**Easton Heritage Day**, July 11

**EMMAUS PUBLIC LIBRARY**

11 E. Main St., Emmaus. 610-965-9284  
**Dan Rummer**, 7 p.m. July 12: Water Safety; Family Fun Night

**GARFIELD HOTEL**

1750 Main St., Northampton. 215-421-5644  
**Tori Thomas; Tim Harakal and Jules Gavin, The Feens, Groovitide, Sinners Saints, J. Rad Band, Sterling Witt**, 7 p.m. July 17: Lehigh Valley Music Awards

**HAWK MOUNTAIN**

1700 Hawk Mountain Road, Kempton. 610-756-6961  
**Denise Peters**, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. July 14: Children's Nature Hike. Reservations required

**LIBERTY BELL SHRINE**

622 Hamilton St., Allentown. 610-709-8727

**George Miller, Frank Whelan**, 7 p.m. July 8: "James Allen meets John Adams: A Historic Dialogue"  
**LOWER MACUNGIE LIBRARY**

3450 Brookside Road, Lower Macungie Township. 610-966-6684

**Julia Horn**, 6 p.m. July 7: Great River Cruises, Virtual River Cruise. Registration required

**MILFORD PARK**

Routes 29 and 100, Zionsville  
**Debi Irene Wahl**, 10:30 a.m. July 17: Milford Park Ladies Day

**NAZARETH BOROUGH PARK**

**Nazareth Day**, July 17  
**NAZARETH CENTER FOR THE ARTS**  
30 Belvidere St., Nazareth. 610-759-8590

**Block Party**, 6 - 11 p.m. July 16

**SOUTH MALL**

3300 Lehigh St., Allentown  
**Sports Card and Collectibles Show**, July 9 - 11

**WANAMAKER, KEMPTON AND SOUTHERN RAILROAD**  
100 Creek Road, Kempton. 610-756-6459  
**Train Rides**, 1, 2, 3, 4 p.m. Sundays

**WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
3700 Mechanicsville Road, Whitehall. 610-432-4339  
**Xbox 360 Guitar Hero Playoffs**, 6 p.m. July 9

**FESTIVALS**

**ALLENTOWN FAIR**

Fairgrounds Grandstand, Allentown Fairgrounds, 17th and Liberty Streets, Allentown. 610-433-7541  
**Rush**, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 31  
**Weezer, The Gaslight Anthem**, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 1  
**Keith Urban, Kris Allen**, 7 p.m. Sept. 3  
**Justin Bieber, Sean Kingston**, 7 p.m. Sept. 4. Sold Out  
**Jeff Dunham**, 8 p.m. Sept. 5  
**J&J Demolition Derby**, 5 p.m. Sept. 6  
Allentown Fairgrounds, 17th and Chew Streets, Allentown. 610-433-7541

**25th ANNUAL BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL**

Burnside Plantation, 1461 Schoenersville Road, Bethlehem

**Amy Forsyth, Tom Montgomery, John Samuels**, 11:30 a.m. July 17  
**Miss Maggie Sings**, 12:30 p.m. July 17  
**O'Grady Quinlan Academy of Irish Dance**, 1:30 p.m. July 17

**Phydeaux's Flying Flea Circus and Wahoo Strolling Show**, 1:30 p.m. July 17  
**Pie Eating Contest**, 2:15 p.m. July 17, 18  
**Valley Suzuki Strings**, 3 p.m. July 17

**David Fry**, 4 p.m. July 17  
**Roy Justice**, 5 p.m. July 17  
**Billy Bauer**, 6 p.m. July 17  
**Ray Owen**, 11:30 a.m. July 18

**Willow Park Ballet Theatre**, 12:30 p.m. July 18  
**Jay Smar**, 1:30 p.m. July 18

**Pennsylvania Youth Summer Theatre Review**, 3 p.m. July 18

**Ray Owen**, 4 p.m. July 18  
**The McManus Band**, 5 p.m. July 18  
**Dina Hall and the Backbeat**, 6 p.m. July 18

**HAWK MOUNTAIN**  
1700 Hawk Mountain Road, Kempton. 610-756-6961  
**Summerfest**, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. July 17

**KUTZTOWN FOLK FESTIVAL**

225 N. Oak Wood St., Kutztown  
**Sauerkraut Brass Band**, 10 a.m. July 7 - 11  
**Martin Family Band**, noon, 4 p.m. July 7 - 9, 11; 3 p.m. July 10

**Leroy Brown, Bill Meck**, 12:45 p.m. July 7 - 11  
**Blue Mountain Junction**, 1:30, 5 p.m. July 7 - 9, 11; 2, 5 p.m. July 10

**Old Time Country Auction**, 2:15 p.m. July 7 - 9, 11  
**Ed Goldberg, Odessa Klezmer Band**, 11 a.m., 3 p.m. July 9

**The Purcells**, 11 a.m., 3 p.m. July 7, 8  
**Quilt Auction**, noon July 10  
**Saucouny Grass**, 4 p.m. July 10  
**Seasons**, noon, 3 p.m. July 11

**MUSIKFEST**

Sands RiverPlace, Sand Island, Bethlehem  
**Counting Crows, Augustana**, 6 p.m. Aug. 6  
**Norah Jones**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 7. Opening act TBA  
**Martina McBride**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 8  
**Lynyrd Skynyrd**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 9  
**Heart**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 10  
**The Doobie Brothers**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 11  
**Styx, Blue Oyster Cult**, 7 p.m. Aug. 12  
**Adam Lambert, Orianthi**, Aug. 13  
**Selena Gomez & The Scene**, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 14.

Sold Out  
**Sublime with Rome, Dirty Heads, The Movement**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 15

Candlelight Concert Series, Moravian College, Foy Concert Hall, Priscilla Payne Hurd Campus, Main and Church streets, Bethlehem

**Jonathan Beedle, A.J. Swearingen: Simon and Garfunkel tribute**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 6  
**Joe Lovano, John Scofield Quartet**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 7

**Richie Havens**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 8  
**Cherish the Ladies**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 12  
**Dave Mason**, 6:30 p.m. Aug. 13. Sold Out  
**Suzy Bogguss**, 7 p.m. Aug. 14.

Performing Arts Series, Zoellner Arts Center, East Pack-er Avenue, Bethlehem  
**Dark Horse Orchestra**, 7 p.m. Aug. 9  
**The Avett Brothers**, 8:30 p.m. Aug. 11

**SPORTSFEST**

J. Birney Crum Stadium, 2072 W. Linden St., Allentown; Cedar Beach Park, 2600 Parkway Boulevard, Allentown; various other locations

**Sports Contests**, 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. July 15, 16; 9 a.m. - 10 p.m. July 17, 18

**Submission deadline for 8 Days A Week is noon Monday, 10 days prior to the Wednesday-Thursday Focus section publication date. Email: Alexandra Racines at: racines.eightdays@gmail.com**

**Summer Bridal Event**  
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8:40 a.m. Morning Prayer  
9 a.m. Holy Communion  
9 a.m. Church School  
28 Book of Common Prayer  
Rev. Joseph S. Falzone

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**NORTHAMPTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
3449 Cherryville Road  
Northampton • 610-262-5645  
[www.NAOG.ws](http://www.NAOG.ws)  
Daniel E. Lundmark, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship - 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible - 7:30 p.m.

## BAPTIST

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(American Baptist)  
4601 Tilghman Street  
Allentown • 610-395-5441  
Rev. Manfred vonHarten  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:50 a.m., Nursery  
Handicapped Accessible  
BYF \* Small Groups \* Bible Study  
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**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
111 Dewberry Ave., Bethlehem  
610-865-3171  
Uplifting Sunday Worship:  
8:30, 9:50, 11:10 a.m.  
6:30 p.m. The Thread—An alternative  
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Wed. Family Night & Prayer 7 p.m.  
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1806 N. 19th St., Allentown  
(South Whitehall Township)  
**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
Contemporary Worship 8 a.m.  
Traditional Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday School Classes 9:30 a.m.  
Study Groups 6 p.m.  
**WEEKDAY MINISTRIES**  
Awana Clubs & Prayer Groups  
Student & Singles Groups  
610-432-3414, [www.fbcataw.com](http://www.fbcataw.com)

**HERITAGE BAPTIST CHURCH OF SCHNECKSVILLE**  
3749 Route 309 North  
Orefield • 610-395-4970  
James E. Barr, Pastor  
Sunday Services: 9:30 a.m.,  
10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

**LEHIGH VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
& Emmaus Baptist Academy  
4702 Colebrook Ave.  
Emmaus  
610-965-4700  
Pastor Doug Hammett  
Sunday School, all ages, 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday - 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer/Mtg. - 7 p.m.

## BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

**BETHEL BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
418 Elm St., Emmaus  
610-965-2682  
**SENIOR PASTOR**  
Rev. David N. Schoen  
Josh Edwards, Youth Pastor  
Annette Kuhns, Christian Ed. Coordinator  
**DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES**  
Pastor David Schloemaker  
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
7 p.m. Evening Service  
(Nursery, all services)

## EPISCOPAL

**ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL**  
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Wed. 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
(Healing Service: first Wed.)

**ST. MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
150 Elm Street  
Emmaus 610-967-1450  
"Family School," Tuesdays, 7 p.m.  
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(Childcare provided)  
Sunday Worship at 9 a.m.  
[www.stmargaretsemmaus.org](http://www.stmargaretsemmaus.org)

**ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
3900 Mechanicsville Rd.  
Whitehall, 610-435-3901  
The Rev. Frank S. St. Amour  
Sunday Mass, 8 a.m.  
Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday Mass, 10:30 a.m.  
[www.ststephenepiscopal.org](http://www.ststephenepiscopal.org)

## EVANGELICAL CONGREGATIONAL

**HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
7974 Claussville Rd., Fogelsville  
610-285-6967  
Christian Ed., 9 a.m.  
Snack & Chat, 9:45 a.m.  
Worship, 10:15 a.m.  
Rev. Ken Kalisz

**HORIZON CHURCH**  
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(Meeting at Harry S Truman Elementary  
on Gaskill Avenue)  
Pastor Robert Daneker • 610-439-0418  
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10 a.m. Service begins  
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every morning

**ST. MATTHEW'S E.C. CHURCH**  
Corner of N. 5th St. & Ridge St.  
Emmaus • 610-965-5570  
Rev. Don H. Wert - Senior Pastor  
Rev. Nathan Kennedy - Asst. Pastor  
Traditional Worship, 8:45 a.m.  
Contemporary Worship, 11:15 a.m.  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Handicapped Accessible  
Kids Club - Wed. 6:30 p.m.

## FULL GOSPEL

**CALVARY TEMPLE**  
3436 Winchester Road,  
Allentown 610-398-3222  
Rev. Ray A. Ricketts, Sr. Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Children's Church, 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Service & Children & Youth, 7 p.m.  
Handicapped Accessible  
[ctoffice@ptd.net](mailto:ctoffice@ptd.net)  
[www.calvarytemple.org](http://www.calvarytemple.org)  
Visitors Welcome

## LUTHERAN

**CEDAR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
3419 Broadway, Cetronia  
610-395-6332  
Richard G. Gardner, Pastor  
9 a.m. Worship  
10:30 a.m. Sunday School  
(Communion - 1st and 3rd  
Sunday of each month)  
Handicapped Accessible

**CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
13th & Hamilton Streets  
Allentown, PA 18102  
Rev. William Maxon, ACSW, Ph.D.,  
Senior Pastor  
Sunday Schedule  
Worship at 8 & 11:00 a.m.  
Spiritual Growth Forum at 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Church School at 9:30 a.m.  
[www.christ-atown.org](http://www.christ-atown.org)  
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[concordia-macungie.com](http://concordia-macungie.com)

**FAITH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
3355 MacArthur Road  
Whitehall, Pa. 18052  
(610) 435-0451  
9 a.m. Worship  
The Rev. Michael J. Bodnyk  
e-mail prayer requests to  
[mbohn@aol.com](mailto:mbohn@aol.com)  
Handicapped Accessible  
Hearing Devices Available

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
28 W. Main St.  
Macungie • 610-966-3325  
Rev. Paul E. Bartlett, Pastor  
Informal Service, 5 p.m. (Saturday)  
Worship, 9 a.m.  
Handicapped Accessible  
Air Conditioned  
[www.gracemacungie.org](http://www.gracemacungie.org)

**HEIDELBERG LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Irvin & Church Roads  
Heidelberg Township  
Rev. David L. Hess  
610-767-9513  
Info and map on website:  
[www.heidelberg-lutheran.org](http://www.heidelberg-lutheran.org)  
8:30 a.m. Worship  
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., Catawauqua  
610-264-2641 - Rev. John Hart  
9 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship, Nursery  
(Communion 1st & 3rd Sun./month)

**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  
Rev. Donald W. Hayn  
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.,  
Allentown 610-395-5062  
[www.nativityallentown.org](http://www.nativityallentown.org)  
Pastor John P. Minnich, STM  
Assoc. Pastor Richard Stough, STM  
8 & 10 a.m. Worship  
Holy Communion, Saturday, 6 p.m.

**NEW LIFE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
6804 Weiss Road  
Rt. 309, New Tripoli  
Rev. Scott W. Lingenfelter  
Worship Service 8 & 10:15 a.m.  
Sunday School & Adult  
Bible Study, 9 a.m.  
Wed. 7 p.m. Worship  
610-298-2710  
[www.nrlc.com](http://www.nrlc.com)

**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.  
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**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  
Melanie E. Werley, Associate in Ministry  
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  
Rev. MaryAnn Hamm  
9:30 a.m. Worship  
Communion-1st & 3rd Sun. of month  
Sunday School will resume in the fall  
(Handicapped Accessible-Elevator)  
[www.stjohns-fogelsville.org](http://www.stjohns-fogelsville.org)

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
417 Howertown Road  
Catawauqua, PA 18032  
610-264-3221  
Rev. Gary L. Walbert  
8 a.m. Holy Communion  
9 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship  
Holy Communion, 1st & 3rd Sun./month

**SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
4331 Main St., Whitehall  
610-262-1600  
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

**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](http://www.ziegelschurch.org)  
Worship, 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Handicapped Accessible  
Pastor Herbert H. Michel

## MENNONITE

**WHITEHALL MENNONITE CHURCH**  
4138 Wilson Street  
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Call 610-289-2011 or  
[beitsimcha@gmail.com](mailto:beitsimcha@gmail.com)

## MORAVIAN

**EMMAUS MORAVIAN CHURCH**  
146 Main St., Emmaus, PA 18049  
610-965-6067  
9:30 a.m. Worship  
[www.emmausmoravian.org](http://www.emmausmoravian.org)  
Rev. Kevin J. Henning, Pastor

**JERUSALEM WESTERN SALISBURY CHURCH**  
3441 Devonshire Road  
Allentown, PA 18103  
610-797-4242 or 610-791-4979  
A Shared Ministry between the  
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
and the United Church of Christ  
Rev. Homer E. Royer Jr., Sr. Pastor  
9 a.m. Word Service  
Outdoors, weather permitting  
10 a.m. Join us for breakfast

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Teaching Verse by Verse thru the Bible  
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Sunday Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.

**JACOB'S CHURCH**  
Route 143, Jacksonville, 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

## 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 CHURCH U.C.C.**  
75 East Market Street  
Bethlehem, PA 18018 • 610-865-6565  
Rev. William J. Kuntze, Sr. Pastor  
Rev. Jeffrey V. Bauer, Assoc. Pastor  
email: [christ@christucc.org](mailto:christ@christucc.org)  
Services: 9 a.m. Contemporary  
10:05 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Traditional 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](http://christchurchatlowhill.com)

**CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD UCC**  
135 Quarry Rd., Alburts  
610-966-2991  
Rev. Scott M. Sanders  
9:30 a.m. Worship  
Mrs. Kay Mohr, Guest Preacher  
Featuring Women's Trio

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

**EGYPT COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
4123 S. Church Street  
Whitehall • 610-282-4961  
Pastor Larry E. Pickar, Sr.  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.  
Series: Plan to Win!  
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Adult/Children's Sunday Sch., 9 a.m.  
Visit Our Website: [www.EgyptUCC.org](http://www.EgyptUCC.org)

**GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
902 Lincoln Ave.  
Northampton, Pa. 18067  
610-262-7186 [graceucc@rcn.com](mailto: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 UCC**  
Irvin & Church Roads  
Heidelberg Township  
Pastor Karen Yonney  
610-767-4740  
Puppet Ministry  
10:15 a.m. Worship  
Handicapped Accessible  
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**JORDAN UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
1837 Church Road, Allentown  
(Corner of 309 & Walbert Ave.)  
610-395-2218  
Rev. Dr. David C. Smith, Pastor  
Sunday, 9:30 a.m. Worship  
[jordanucc.org](http://jordanucc.org)

**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  
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Summer Sunday School for Preschool  
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**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  
Wainutport (Cherryville)  
610-767-8751  
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 • 610-262-5991  
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  
Catawauqua, PA 18032  
610-264-4091  
Pastor Robert Lewis, Interim Pastor  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship  
8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
Handicapped Accessible  
Nursery Available

**SOLOMON'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
82 S. Church Street  
Macungie, PA 18062  
Office 610-966-3086  
Rev. Dr. Martha H. Boyer, Pastor  
9 a.m. Worship - Rev. Dr. Albert Teske,  
Supply Pastor

**TRINITY UCC**  
Third & Copley Sts.  
Copley, PA 610-262-8933  
Pastor Steve Hummel  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 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-  
Samuelson,  
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](http://www.ziegelschurch.org)  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Worship, 11:05 a.m.  
Handicapped Accessible  
Pastor Candi Cain-Borgman

**ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Springhouse Rd. & Walbert Ave.  
One Worship Service at 10 a.m.  
610-398-2577  
[www.asburyuv.org](http://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 Assst.,  
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.

**UNITY OF LEHIGH VALLEY**  
26 North 3rd Street  
Emmaus, PA 18049  
Rev. Joy Wyler, Spiritual Leader  
610-965-3036  
10 a.m. Sunday Service  
Ofc. Hrs. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Tues.-Fri.  
Bookstore Open Sunday Mornings  
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**CALVARY WESLEYAN CHURCH**  
1414 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Bethlehem • 610-866-1388  
[www.calvarywesleyanchurch.net](http://www.calvarywesleyanchurch.net)  
Blended Worship, 9 a.m. & 10:40 a.m.  
Sunday a.m. Children, Youth & Adult Classes  
Wednesday Fellowship Meals  
AWANA (Wednesday evenings)  
Autism Ministry  
Youth Ministry  
Iglesia De Restauración Jehova-Nisi  
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6735 Cetrionia Road  
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610-398-1711  
[www.trincallentown.org](http://www.trincallentown.org)  
Rev. Douglas Heckman, Sr. Pastor  
Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship (Blended), 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Family Night, 7 p.m.

## Picnic activities

Lisa Huber and her mother Carol Betz were in charge of the basket raffle at the June 26 picnic that benefited the Special Events Committee of Morgenland Union Church, Leather Corner Post, Orefield.



**PRESS PHOTOS BY DON WENNER**



Pastor Sally Zelker of Morgenland Union Church helps Jaime Pagan, Seth Vanderwiele, Duncan and Rohan Gerhart at the craft table during picnic activities for the youngsters.



How to Play SUDOKU

Each row must contain the numbers 1 to 9; each column must contain the numbers 1 to 9; and each set of 3 by 3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 to 9.

Answer to previous puzzle

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

Difficulty Level \*\*\*

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY SENIOR MENUS

For locations call 610-559-3245
Wednesday, July 7: Pork ribette, cabbage and bow ties, Waldorf salad, wheat bread with margarine, iced banana cake.
Thursday, July 8: Beef Wellington /gravy, mashed potatoes, California vegetable blend, wheat bread, margarine, apple cinnamon bread, pudding.
Friday, July 9: Apple juice, baked ziti, French cut green beans, tossed salad with Italian dressing, Italian bread, margarine, sugar cookie.

LEHIGH COUNTY SENIOR MENUS

For locations call 610-782-3254
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Thursday, July 8: Gingered pork loin, mashed potatoes, Capri blend, wheat bread, banana. BB: Meat loaf.
Friday, July 9: Baked macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad, wheat bread, baked apples.

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

2 9
3 7 5 6 8
6 9 5
4 3
7 4
5 6
7 2 8
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PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

INDEPENDENCE DAY PLAY

- ACROSS
1 Murals on plaster
8 Glucose-level regulator
15 Squirrel away
20 Tart, green juice drink

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
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92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100
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110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118
119 120 121
122 123 124

- 121 Banderas of "Spy Kids"
122 Abrades
123 Made aware
124 Brutal force
DOWN
1 With 114-Down, light fishing gear
2 Carnival site

See crossword answer on page B10

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VPTJ RDM EY KTWDHT NDOGDF BTQDG.

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- Apply in person  
45 Ashley Way Leesport, PA  
Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

- or Call  
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for an application.



**PUBLIC NOTICE  
CATASAUQUA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS - MEETING DATES  
JULY 2010 - JUNE 2011 SCHOOL YEAR**

In accordance with provisions of Act 175 of 1974, the school district must publish and advertise a schedule of Public School Board meetings for each fiscal school year. The adopted schedule as listed below is for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010 and ending June 30, 2011. Regular board meetings are generally scheduled for the second Monday of each month and will be held in the District Administration Office, 201 North 14th Street, Catasauqua, PA (exceptions are so noted) at 7:00 P.M. prevailing time. Board Workshop Meetings are generally scheduled for the Tuesday before the second Monday of each month at 7:00 P.M., and will be held in the District Administration Office, 201 North 14th Street, Catasauqua, PA (exceptions are so noted). The school district reserves the right to make changes in this schedule if circumstances require. The board may take action at a workshop meeting.

July	No Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	July 12, 2010
August	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	August 3, 2010 August 9, 2010
September	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	September 7, 2010 September 13, 2010
October	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	October 5, 2010 October 11, 2010
November	Board Workshop Meeting (Board Workshop Meeting to be held at Lehigh Career & Technical Institute, 4500 Education Park, Schnecksville, PA) Board Meeting	November 2, 2010 November 8, 2010
December	No Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	December 6, 2010
January	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	January 4, 2011 January 10, 2011
February	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	February 8, 2011 February 14, 2011
March	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	March 8, 2011 March 14, 2011
April	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	April 5, 2011 April 11, 2011
May	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	May 3, 2011 May 9, 2011
June	Board Workshop Meeting Board Meeting	June 7, 2011 June 15, 2011 (Wednesday)

By Order of the Board of Directors of the Catasauqua Area School District Superintendent

July 7

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
INVITATION TO BID**

The Coplay Borough Council, Lehigh County will receive sealed bids for Mechanical (HVAC) Construction, Plumbing Construction and Electrical Construction to upgrade the Mechanical Systems in the Coplay Fire Station, 149 Cherry Street. Bids shall be delivered or mailed to the Borough of Coplay Municipal Building, 98 South 4th Street, Coplay, PA 18037 until 3:00 P.M., prevailing time on Tuesday, August 3, 2010. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud during the Borough Council Workshop Meeting on Tuesday, August 3, 2010, 7:00 P.M. prevailing time. All bids shall be sealed, marked and addressed as follows:

**BOROUGH OF COPLAY  
ATTN: Sandra A. Gyecsek, Secretary  
PROPOSAL FOR MECHANICAL SYSTEM UPGRADES**

A Mandatory Pre-Bid conference, for ALL contracts, will be held on Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at 9:00 A.M. at the Coplay Fire Station, 149 Cherry Street, Coplay, PA 18037. ALL bidders must attend the scheduled Pre-Bid conference as a prerequisite to bidding.

Complete sets of Bid Documents may be obtained at the Coplay Municipal Building.

The bid for this project shall include all labor, tools, equipment, and materials necessary to perform the work specified. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, bank cashiers check or bid bond payable to the Borough of Coplay in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid as security that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and the performance thereby properly secured. The 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.

Minimum wage rates in accordance with the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act, as amended, shall be paid to all employees working on this project.

Sandra A. Gyecsek, Secretary  
Borough Secretary

June 30, July 7

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
ESTATE of HELEN  
A. BORTZ, 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:

- Delano E. Bortz, Co-Executor
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- c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
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- 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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- 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062
- July 7, 14, 21

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of South Whitehall Township will meet in the Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Avenue, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, on **Thursday, July 15, 2010, at 7:00 p.m.** for an agenda review, and at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conducting a public meeting and providing recommendations to the Board of Commissioners on the following:

- A. DORNEY SQUARE - 3120 HAMILTON BOULEVARD MAJOR SUBDIVISION #2010-104 REQUEST FOR PRELIMINARY/FINAL PLAN REVIEW**  
An application to further develop 1.66 acres affecting three lots located at 3120 and 3136 Hamilton Boulevard. The plan proposes the removal of the existing miniature golf course for the construction of a 8,640 square foot commercial building and a 7,820 square foot lower level parking lot. The subject property is zoned Highway Commercial.
  - B. ZATOR LAW OFFICES BUILDING EXPANSION MAJOR SUBDIVISION #2010-105 REQUEST FOR PRELIMINARY/FINAL PLAN REVIEW**  
An application to further develop the 1.42-acre property located at 4400 Walbert Avenue. The plan proposes the construction of a 3,910 square foot building addition, a pavilion, and parking lot expansion. The subject property is zoned Office Commercial.
  - C. An Ordinance Amending The Temporary Use Provisions Of The Zoning Ordinance; Providing For Administrative Approval By The Zoning Officer When Certain Preconditions Are Met**
  - D. An Ordinance To Amend Chapter 12 of the Codified Ordinances of South Whitehall Township Known as the Zoning Ordinance Pertaining to The Display Of Certain Off-Premises Temporary Signs At Township Parks, And Certain Other Recreation Areas, When The Proceeds From The Rental Of Such Advertising Space Directly And Exclusively Support Funding Of Youth Activities Recognized As Programs Of Nonprofit Organizations, Subject To Certain Limitations Set Forth Herein**
  - E. An Ordinance Amending The Zoning Ordinance Of South Whitehall Township; Further Providing For The Regulation Of Certain Types Of Signs And Billboards**
- All properties are located in South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building.  
Gerald J. Harbison, Assistant Director  
June 30, July 7

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ESTATE OF JULIA E. FRIESS a/k/a Julia Friess, Deceased, late of 833 Lawrence Drive, Emmaus, Lehigh County, PA.

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

Personal Representative of the Estate of Julia E. Friess a/k/a Julia Friess, Deceased: Thomas B. Friess c/o James A. Ritter, Esquire 111 E. Harrison St., Suite 2 Emmaus, PA 18049-2916

or to his Attorney: James A. Ritter, Esquire 111 E. Harrison St., Suite 2 Emmaus, PA 18049-2916

June 23, 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Upper Macungie Township Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 14, 2010, at 6:30 P.M., at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville (one mile west of Route 100), to hear the following appeal:

#71009 - The appeal of David E. Galomb (Galomb, Inc.), 523 N. 22nd, Allentown, PA; for special exception to change one nonconforming use (i.e. welding supply sales) to another (i.e. sales and assembly of injection molding equipment and new product development). The property is located at 7609 Kuhns Drive and is zoned R4.

Applicants must appear at the hearing. All interested parties may appear and be heard. Al Geosits, Zoning Officer June 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ZONING HEARING BOARD AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that the Borough of Emmaus Zoning Hearing Board will meet on Thursday, July 22, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in Borough Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA, to hear the following appeals:

APPEAL 10384-PATRICK SHUHLER 5114 MEADOW LN. MACUNGIE, PA 18062 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED BETWEEN 112 MAIN ST. AND 106 MAIN ST. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant has paved an approximate 12'x121' private alley along the east side of his property located at 112 Main St. Emmaus, PA 18049. Applicant is requesting an interpretation and/or a variance to Z.O. Sections 102.1, 102.3, and 603.5.A. Site is located in a B-L and B-C zoning district.

APPEAL 10386-JOAN CRANE 12 JENNIE ST. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant has paved an approximately 12'x53' private alley along the east side of her property located at 112 Main St. Rear Emmaus, PA 18049. Applicant is requesting an interpretation and/or variance to Z.O. Sections 102.1, 102.3 and 603.5.A. Site is located in a B-L and B-C zoning district.

APPEAL 10388-KEITH GEIST 49 S. THIRD ST. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant has constructed an accessory structure on the property located at 49 S. Third St., Emmaus, PA 18049. Applicant is requesting a .66' accessory structure setback variance to Z.O. Part 9, Note A. Site is located in a R-HO zoning district.

James L. Farnsworth-Zoning Officer July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct hearings on Wednesday July 28, 2010 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-2010-26: The appeal of the Darryl Shellhammer seeking relief to have a residential storage shed on their single family dwelling lot located at 2418 Lisa Lane. The appellant is seeking variances to Sections 12.28(c)(5) and 12.33(f)(3) as affected by this property being bounded on two parallel sides by public road frontage, which creates a situation whereby the shed is proposed to be placed closer to a public street than the house. The subject property is zoned "R-4", Medium Density Residential.

ZHB-2010-27: The appeal of the Chris Pfaeffli seeking relief to have a residential storage shed on their single family dwelling lot located at 2410 Lisa Lane. The appellant is seeking variances to Sections 12.28(c)(5) and 12.33(f)(3) as affected by this property being bounded on two parallel sides by public road frontage, which creates a situation whereby the shed is proposed to be placed closer to a public street than the house. The subject property is zoned "R-4", Medium Density Residential.

ZHB-2010-29: The appeal of Roderick Haney seeking relief to add a carport to the existing detached garage of the single family dwelling lot located at 2135 Walbert Avenue. The appellant is seeking variances to Sections 12.28(c)(8) and 12.33(f)(3) as affected by this property being bounded on two parallel sides by public road frontage, which creates a situation whereby the carport is being placed between the house and a public street. Additionally, as may be necessary, the appellant is seeking any applicable variances via Section 12.32(a)(5), as the existing garage is non-conforming in location. The subject property is zoned "NC", Neighborhood Commercial.

ZHB-2010-30: The appeal of the Diane Schlegel seeking relief to have a residential storage shed on the single family dwelling lot located at 1549 N. 19th Street. The appellant is seeking a variance to Section 12.28(c)(6) as affected by this property being bounded on two sides by public road frontage and the lot being only 40 feet in width. The subject property is zoned "R-5", Medium Density Residential.

ZHB-2010-31: The appeal of the PPL Electric Utilities seeking relief to have new parking lot lighting poles within 300 feet of a residential property that are taller than permitted, at the Lehigh Service Center located at 827 Hausman Road. The appellant is seeking a variance to Section 12.37(e)(1) as amended by Ordinance 758. The subject property is zoned "IC-1", Industrial-Commercial - I.

ZHB-2010-32: The appeal of the Michael Borrelli seeking relief to have a residential storage shed on the single family dwelling lot located at 2306 Helen Street. The appellant is seeking a variance to Section 12.28(c)(6) regarding the minimum front yard setback requirement. The subject property is zoned "R-5", Medium Density Residential.

ZHB-2010-33: The appeal of the John and Carol Murray seeking relief to have a residential storage shed on their single family dwelling lot located at 3731 Summit Court. The appellants are seeking variances to Sections 12.28(c)(4) and 12.33(f)(3) as affected by this property being bounded on two sides by public road frontage. The shed is proposed to be placed closer to a public street than the house. The subject property is zoned "R-3", Low Density Residential.

The above-referenced properties are located in South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, PA. Copies of any submitted plans, applications, and/or supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Building during normal business hours (it is recommended that appointments be made in advance). All appellants must attend. All interested parties are invited to attend and have the opportunity to be heard. Keith M. Zehner, Zoning Officer July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF MEETING CHANGE

The location of the July 12, 2010 Workshop meeting of the Lehigh County Authority Board of Directors has been moved to the Lehigh County Authority Wastewater Treatment Plant located at 7676 Industrial Boulevard, Allentown, PA 18106 at 12:00 p.m.

ASA M. HUGHES, Chair July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids will be received by the Whitehall-Coplay School District at the office of the Business Manager, 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, Pennsylvania 18052 until 9:00 A.M. on July 9, 2010, for Sidewalk Replacement - District Office.

The sealed bids will be opened and read publicly on July 9, 2010 at 9:00 A.M. in the Board Room of the Whitehall-Coplay School District Office, 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052.

The Whitehall-Coplay School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids or portions thereof, and to award the bid to the lowest possible bidder.

By Order of the Board Robert V. Strauss, Business Manager June 23, 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Weisenberg Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, July 14, 2010, starting at 7:30 P.M. in the Township Municipal Building at 2175 Seipstown Road, Fogelsville, PA. The Zoning Hearing Board will consider the following Appeal:

Case No. 2010-2, Appeal No. 277. A hearing in the Appeal of Regal Petcare, LLC with an address of 3345 Blacksmith Road, New Tripoli, PA 18066 owned by Thomas and Joseph Pasquale, owners of the property located at 2088 Pasco Drive, (2088 Pasco Court), Breinigsville, PA 18031, with a mailing address of 2067 Pasco Court, Breinigsville, PA 18031, seeking as outlined in the Application a Special Exception from Section 404 and a Variance for Signage (proposed six (6) signs) from Section 1218.02(f), which allows no more than two (2) signs per lot.

The parcel identified for the Owners as 2088 Pasco Court, (identified in the application as 2088 Pasco Drive) Breinigsville, PA 18031 identified as Pin #543660939327 1 (Deed Book Volume 1700, Page 1051). The Applicant seeks the following zoning approval via Special Exception from Section 404 and a Variance for Signage (proposed six (6) signs) from Section 1218.02(f), which allows no more than two signs per lot.

The above-referenced property is located in Weisenberg Township, Lehigh County, PA. Copies of the Appeal Application, plans and supporting documents filed with the Appeal Application, are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building during regular business hours. All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard.

NEIL D. ETTINGER, SOLICITOR WEISENBERG TOWNSHIP ZONING HEARING BOARD June 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 2010-06 at its public meeting held on July 1, 2010. Ordinance No. 2010-06 amends the Township Zoning Ordinance as follows: establishes four new zoning districts: Highway Industrial - Spring Creek (HI-SC), Commercial - Spring Creek (C-SC), Agricultural Protection Overlay (APO), and Urban Residential Overlay (UO); provides within these new zoning districts uses permitted by right, uses permitted by condition; uses permitted by special exception, and accessory uses; provides for regulations within these new zoning districts covering lot area, lot width, building coverage and height, minimum yard requirements, and off-street parking, along with other additional standards; amends the official Zoning Map, including the rezoning of lands to these new zoning districts and/or the Urban Residential District; adds a definition of a "fast food restaurant," amends the definition of "warehouse and whole trade" to become the new definition of "warehouse, wholesale, storage or distribution use;" revises requirements regarding signs; provides for conditions for warehouse, wholesale, storage or distribution use; amends the requirement that applicants provide security services to shopping centers; repeals requirements regarding traffic impact studies; repeals any conflicting ordinances, resolutions or parts thereof; provides for severability of parts of the ordinance deemed to be invalid; and provides for an effective date. Publication of this notice is intended to provide notification of the adoption of Ordinance No. 2010-06. Any person claiming a right to challenge the validity of Ordinance No. 2010-06 must bring legal action within 30 days of the publication of the second notice pursuant to Section 108 of the Municipalities Planning Code.

Copies of the full text of Ordinance No. 2010-06 are available to any interested party for inspection and/or copying at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania.

Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on July 27, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Campus, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428.

Appeal No. 10-014, of Lee A. Lichtenwalner and Deborah G. Lichtenwalner, 6750 Mountain Road, Macungie PA, 18062; property owner, Lee A. & Deborah G. Lichtenwalner, 6750 Mountain Road, Macungie PA 18062; property address: 6750 Mountain Road, Macungie PA 18062; Pin #5473538979458-1; zoned Rural Residential; requests a hearing pursuant to Lower Macungie Township Ordinance No. 1998.11, as amended, to determine a Variance of Section 503.1; to permit accessory dwelling unit, and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

Appeal No. 10-015, of Ken Dapper and Michele McGrath, 5485 Princeton Road, Macungie PA, 18062; property owner, Ken Dapper and Michele McGrath, 5485 Princeton Road, Macungie PA, 18031; property address: 5485 Princeton Road, Macungie PA, 18062; Pin #547487962968-1; zoned Suburban Residential requests a hearing pursuant to Lower Macungie Township Ordinance No. 1998.11, as amended, to determine a Variance of Section 1803.A.IV.4.02, Section 1803.A.VI.6.01 and Section 1803.A.V.5.08 to permit variance relief of flood hazard Areas (Overlay District), and any other relief as may be required from the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

The Zoning Hearing Board may not necessarily call these items in the order listed. All applicants must appear at the hearing.

All 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.

James F. Lancsek, Zoning Officer July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMITTEE MEETING

The Whitehall-Coplay School District hereby gives public notice of an Operations/Transportation Committee Meeting on July 12, 2010 at 5:45 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Administration Building, 2940 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA.

July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHN F. ZELLER, deceased, late of New Tripoli, 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: Virginia M. Quinn, Estate Representative, or to Jon A. Swartz, Esquire, Swartz & Associates, 1605 N. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Suite 514, Allentown, PA 18104-2351.

ESTATE OF JOHN F. ZELLER, Deceased c/o Jon A. Swartz, Esquire Swartz & Associates 1605 N. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Suite 514 Allentown, PA 18104-2351 June 30, July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the provisions of Act 295 of 1982 of intention to file in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, a certificate for the conduct of a business in Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of

Name: Construction Insights with its principal place of business at: 3674 John Street Emmaus, PA 18049 The name and address of all entities owning or interested in said business is: William J. Ginder, Jr. 3674 John Street Emmaus, PA 18049 The certificate was filed on the 21st day of June, 2010.

John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 2010-07 at its public meeting held on July 1, 2010. Ordinance No. 2010-07 amends the Township Subdivision and Land Use Ordinance as follows: establishes a new Article 7A which sets forth design standards for the Highway Industrial - Spring Creek (HI-SC), Commercial - Spring Creek (C-SC), Urban Residential Overlay (UO), and Agricultural Protection Overlay (APO) Zoning Districts; establishes requirements for a traffic impact study under certain circumstances; provides for the severability of parts of this ordinance deemed to be invalid; repeals conflicting ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof; and provides for an effective date. The adopted design standards contain requirements concerning layout of streets, lots, and driveways; requirements for sidewalks, curbs and bikeways; design standards for sanitary sewer systems, water supply systems, and stormwater management systems; requirements regarding underground utilities; requirements concerning the preservation of natural features; design standards for open space and recreation areas; and requirements regarding karst hazards. Publication of this notice is intended to provide notification of the adoption of Ordinance No. 2010-07. Any person claiming a right to challenge the validity of Ordinance No. 2010-07 must bring legal action within 30 days of the publication of the second notice pursuant to Section 108 of the Municipalities Planning Code.

Copies of the full text of Ordinance No. 2010-07 are available to any interested party for inspection and/or copying at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania.

Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL ZONING HEARING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

The regular monthly meeting of the Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board will be held at July 20, 2010 at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA to hear the following appeals:

DOCKET # 1657 A - Anis Atiyeh and Elias Atiyeh - 1113 Springhouse Road, Allentown, PA 18104. Location: 4105 S. Church Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 548948121374, the subject property is located in a C1-Neighborhood Commercial Zoning District. Remanded back to the Zoning Hearing Board to make findings of fact and conclusions of law on Appellants' request for relief based on its nonconformity and credibility of appellant and appellant's witness.

DOCKET # 1683 - Theresa Lauser - 2540 Old Post Road, Coplay, PA 18037. Location: 3665 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 548993615940, the subject property is located in an OS1-Open Space Residential/Agricultural Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a favorable interpretation to Sec. 27-104(A) that condominium units are separate zoning lots; a favorable interpretation to Sec. 27-104(A) that a parcel subject to the condominium form of ownership may have more than one principal use; a variance to Sec. 27-104(A) to permit more than one principal use per zoning lot; a variance to Sec. 27-104(B) to permit more than one principal building per zoning lot; a favorable interpretation to Sec. 27-104(B) that a parcel subject to the condominium form of ownership may have more than one principal building; a variance to Sec. 27-104 definition of condominium, to permit non-residential condominiums.

DOCKET # 1684 - Bethany Bible Fellowship Church - 3300 Seventh Street, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 3300 Seventh Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 549833893321 and 549838498627, the subject property is located in a C2-Regional/Community Commercial Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Sec. 27-80 E(2)(a) and Sec. 27-146 A(6) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding front yard setbacks and parking requirements for proposed addition to existing church.

DOCKET # 1685 - Nidal Yacoub and Wael Yacoub - 450 Pershing Boulevard, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 525 Fifth Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN640800609907, the subject property is located in a R5A-High Density Residential w/o Apts. Zoning District. Applicants are requesting a variance to Sec. 27-62 E, Sec. 27-76 E(2)(a, c & d) and Sec. 27-104 A of the Zoning Ordinance regarding use and setbacks to construct a medical building in accordance with previously approved zoning variance and land development.

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 June 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lower Macungie Township Environmental Advisory Council will not hold a meeting on July 12, 2010 as previously scheduled. Instead, their meeting will be held on July 7, 2010 at 7PM at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie. The public is invited to attend.

July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF RAYMOND A. RINGER, 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: Raymond C. Ringer, Executor c/o Adrian J. Wasko, Esquire 453 Linden Street Allentown, PA 18102 or to their Attorney: Adrian J. Wasko, Esquire 453 Linden Street Allentown, PA 18102 June 30, July 7, 14

July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization for a Domestic Limited Liability Company has been filed with the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, pursuant to the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Act of December 7, 1994 (P.L. 703, No. 106), by the following company:

MLCB GROUP, LLC The Certificate of Organization was filed on April 7, 2010. YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 July 7

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YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

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

Lillie M. Youse c/o John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 or to her attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 July 7, 14, 21

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ANNA LEONORA TYSON, deceased, late of South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Wendy Gail Hartigan c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Esquire Swartz & Associates 1605 N. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Suite 514 Allentown, PA 18104-2351

or her attorney: Richard W. Shaffer, Esquire Swartz & Associates 1605 N. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Suite 514 Allentown, PA 18104-2351 June 23, 30, July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

Catasauqua Area School District Board of School Directors meetings will be held as follows, to discuss any business that may be brought before the committees:

Buildings & Grounds - 5:30 P.M. - District Administration Office Board Room, 201 North 14th St., Catasauqua, PA No meeting in July August 3, 2010 September 7, 2010 October 5, 2010 November 2, 2010 No meeting in December January 4, 2011 February 8, 2011 March 8, 2011 April 5, 2011 May 3, 2011 June 7, 2011

The following committee meetings will be held in the District Administration Office Board Room, 201 North 14th St., Catasauqua, PA as listed:

Academics & Education Committee 4:00 P.M. Policy Committee 5:00 P.M. Athletic Council 6:00 P.M. Finance Committee 7:15 P.M.

No meeting in July August 5, 2010 September 2, 2010 October 7, 2010 November 4, 2010 No meeting in December January 6, 2011 February 3, 2011 March 3, 2011 April 7, 2011 May 5, 2011 June 2, 2011

By Order of the Board of Directors of the Catasauqua Area School District Superintendent July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

MEETING NOTICE

Macungie Borough Council will conduct a workshop on Monday, July 19, 2010, at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium of the Macungie Institute, 510 E. Main St. Macungie for the purpose of hearing a presentation from Urban Research and Development on the Downtown Master Plan.

Chris L. Boehm Borough Manager July 7

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ANNA E. HALULKO a/k/a Anna Halulko, late of Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: Susan M. Lance and Frank Sagl, Executors, c/o their attorney, FRANK M. SKRAPITS, ESQ., affiliated with Steckel and Stopp, 2152 Main Street, Northampton, PA 18067-1211. June 30, July 7, 14

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to state law, the following is a list of occupants from the AIRPORT ROAD SELF STORAGE INC., 7249 AIRPORT RD., BATH, PA 18014, who will have the contents of their respective spaces sold to satisfy the owner's lien. Space Number: 417 Thomas Ford Space Number: 759 James Tuth June 30, July 7

WHEREAS, Letters of Testamentary have been granted to Patricia A. Gould, Executrix, all persons being indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against said Estate are requested to make them known immediately to:

Richard J. Haber, Esq. Attorney for the Estate 150 W. Macada Road Bethlehem, PA 18017-2409 June 30, July 7, 14

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Patricia L. Ostrander 330 Power Mill Lane Apt. 7 Emmaus, PA 18049 or to: William P. Jacob 614 Canal St. Womelsdorf, PA 19567 July 7, 14, 21

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:

Joel J. Dirany a/k/a Joshua Joel Dirany, Administrator, c/o George Luskus, Esq., 745 Yorkway Pl., Jenkintown, PA 19046. Or to his Atty: George Luskus, P.C., 745 Yorkway Pl., Jenkintown, PA 19046. June 30, July 7, 14

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