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CITY

New website brings promise

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Are you curious about how much the city spent on maintaining the streets last year? How about for the last four years?

How about pension or snow removal expenses for the last three years?

If you want to know exactly where your tax dollars are being spent, you will be able to find and analyze all things financial when the new city website is rolled out.

According to City of Bethlehem Business Manager Eric Evans, that's when phase one of the new program, OpenGov.com, will be available to the general public via a link on the new website.

Evans said that a planned phase two of the project will be devoted to city codes, permits, and real estate, among other areas. Phase three of the open government project will address public safety issues, crime reports and other possible topics.

Lehigh County Executive Armstrong Phillips attended the Feb. 19 city council meeting as part of his plan to visit every municipal government in Lehigh County each year.

"We are a partner with Bethlehem," said Phillips.

In regular business, the council voted final approval of the sale of the 911 assets to Northampton County as part of an intergovernmental cooperation agreement. Also approved were leasing agreements so the coun-

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PRESS PHOTO BY LISA PRICE

Sunday hunting could soon become a reality in Pennsylvania.

Sunday hunting progresses in Pa.

BY LISA PRICE
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Sunday hunting in Pennsylvania took a step forward after the Pennsylvania Senate's Game & Fisheries Committee Feb. 19 approved Senate Bill 147, which seeks to allow hunting on Sundays in the state.

The bill will go to the full Senate for consideration. Sen. Dan Laughlin of Millcreek, R-49th District, is chairman of the committee and a prime sponsor of the bill.

Legislation sponsored by Laughlin is a change which would allow the state's game commission to decide which game could be hunted on Sundays and which Sundays would be open for hunting.

Senate Bill 147 also addresses the offense of trespass while hunting, making the violation a primary offense and increasing penalties.

"This is a historic vote, as it takes a major step toward increasing recreational opportunities for the thousands of Pennsylvania sportsmen and women who enjoy hunting," Laughlin said.

"This will remove one of only two 'blue laws' remaining in the state of Pennsylvania. You can't

hunt and you can't buy a car on Sunday in Pennsylvania."

What's next? Senate Bill 147 will head to the Senate Appropriations Committee, and from there, to a Senate vote. If it is approved there, it would move to the House. If approved there, Senate Bill 147 would go before Governor Tom Wolf, to sign it into law or veto it.

In addition to giving authority over Sunday hunting to the game commission, the bill also amends the Pennsylvania Game Code to address trespassing while hunting, making the violation a primary offense and increasing penalties. Trespass violations could also be enforced by the state's game wardens.

What you need to know

There are a couple of important things to know about Sunday hunting in Pennsylvania. The first is that it's not correct to say there's a ban on Sunday hunting; Sunday hunting is already permitted in the state, although on a limited basis — hunters can pursue coyotes, crows and fox. The season on coyotes is year-round; crow and fox seasons have defined start and end dates.

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Pennsylvania hunting history

1683: Hunting permitted in William Penn's Charter

1869: A deer season was set, from Sept. 1-Dec. 31

1873: Sunday hunting was made illegal.

1895: The Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners was created.

1897: The running of deer with hounds was outlawed.

1907: Antlerless deer were given complete protection.

1913: The first Pennsylvania hunting license was created. The price was \$1.

1919: The Pennsylvania Board of Game Commissioners was authorized to buy lands to create public hunting grounds, now known as state game lands.

1928: The first "statewide" antlerless deer season was held. It included 51 of the state's 67 counties.

1929: Archery equipment was authorized as legal hunting gear.

1938: Antlered, or buck season, was closed.

1942: Hunters were encouraged to donate their deer skins for the war effort.

1951: A county license quota system was used for the first archery deer season and the first antlerless deer season.

1952: County treasurers were designated by legislation as the issuing agents for antlerless deer licenses.

1956: Legislation earmarked \$1 from the sale of each doe license for

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PEOPLE SAY

BY DANA GRUBB

Pennsylvania's governor and lieutenant governor want to know how residents feel about legalizing marijuana for recreational use. How do you feel about it?



"I know it has its purposes, but it would have to be regulated."
Donna Harlacher
Bethlehem



"I think it should be."
Jade Lyman
Hanover Township

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Isis Irizarry goes to Mexico

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

"I'm my mother's daughter," said new lawyer Isis [pronounced Ee-sis in Spanish] Irizarry when explaining why a local woman now working in Connecticut would go to the West Coast, and then to Tijuana, Mexico, to help asylum seekers.

Irizarry is the daughter of Olga Negrón, a Bethlehem city councilwoman and high-profile spokesperson for the Latino community in the Lehigh Valley.

"She's not one to sit idle while there is an injustice," Irizarry said of her mother in a recent interview.

Irizarry, a 2006 graduate of Bethlehem Catholic HS, decided to take direct action. She flew to the border at Tijuana,



PHOTOS CONTRIBUTED BY ISIS IRIZARRY

The Otay Mesa Port of Entry. The reddish cement is on the U. S. side of the border. This is the area we were corralled into, where we waited overnight.

Mexico, to help at-risk immigrant asylum seekers when the opportunity arose late last year. She appealed to friends via social media for help and raised most of her expense money for the trip.

She found the organization, Al Otra Lado (translated to English as On The Other Side), which put her to work as a volunteer.

Isis Irizarry tells her story: "It was an honor to be with these beautiful people. I love Maria Meza is family more than I expected could happen in a matter of days. [Maria was the woman whose photograph of her and her children running from tear gas made international headlines.] I helped get them medical

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Pennsylvania's governor and lieutenant governor want to know how residents feel about legalizing marijuana for recreational use. How do you feel about it?



"I don't think there is enough understanding of its long term use, so more needs to be understood about the long term effect."

Craig Wallace
Nazareth



"I equate it with booze. As long as they identify the pitfalls and do warnings, I'd be okay with it. Also, make the legal age 21."

Steve Van Name
Forks Township



"I'm not sold on it."

Kara Van Name
Forks Township



"I'm a child of the 1970s and I'm not positive about the effect of marijuana."

Tom Wallace
Bethlehem Township

POLICE

COMPILED BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI

False imprisonment case

BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI
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It was decided Feb. 21 the case of a Jan. 23 incident in which John Vanhorn of Albrightsville allegedly chained his wife inside their vehicle and left her in a parking area on Jennings Street in Bethlehem, will go to trial.

Witnesses, including a man who works at the Jennings Street location and the first responding police officer, testified at a preliminary hearing at the Stefko Boulevard office of Judge Nicholas Englesson.

Dent Robert Follweiler said he was working at Jesse James & Co. around 8:30 a.m. when he was told a woman was locked in a car outside asking for help. He said he approached an SUV and discovered the victim within, asking for help and expressly stating her husband had handcuffed her to the car, and asked Follweiler to call 911.

Follweiler did so, and responding Officer Robert Constable arrived. In his own testimony, much of which corroborated that of Follweiler's, Constable said the victim explicitly told him her husband chained her in the car because he did not want her to leave. While they spoke they observed Vanhorn driving away from the scene in another vehicle, belonging to a co-worker, which he was known to use occasionally.

Constable asked another nearby officer to pull the vehicle over, after which a key was found and brought to the scene so the victim could be released. He said she refused medical attention or to provide a written statement, though she did answer questions at the Bethlehem Police Department, and audio and video recordings of the initial contact and interview have been preserved as evidence.

Vanhorn also declined to provide a written statement.

However, in the statement given hours later at the department, the victim said she is the victim of a violent crime and her attacker has been following her from Mount Pocono. In her fear, she said, she locks herself up in the car, that Vanhorn is not responsible, and she was upset with police for arresting him.

She also offered a malleable description of the existence, number and whereabouts of keys to open the SUV and the shackles. She insisted she only wanted to contact police for help getting to Vanhorn, whom she said was working inside a woodworking shop and could easily see her.

The defense argued that because the victim at no point said she had been kept "against her will" that she wasn't, and that her earliest statement should be considered hearsay.

Englesson said testimony made it clear the victim's cry for help was "an excited utterance," which does not count as hearsay, and so is admissible. Between her first and second statements, Englesson said, "She had the opportunity to think about what she said and changed her story."

"She lied before coming to court because she [previously] gave police two statements."

Citing his experience with domestic abuse cases and the frequency with which aggrieved parties changed their initial testimony, Englesson ultimately decided the original charge of unlawful confinement was still applicable.

SUNDAY

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goal is to expand Sunday hunting opportunities to include small game such as rabbits, pheasants and squirrels. Although the PGC board of commissioners recently gave preliminary approval to opening the state's firearm season on deer on the Saturday after Thanksgiving, it's unlikely that hunters will be able to hunt whitetails on Sundays.

One step at a time, says Harold Daub, who heads Hunters United for Sunday Hunting. Daub, of Tower City, has said that Sunday hunting is needed so people have more time to pursue the hobby. He described HUSH as a "team" that's working to have the prohibitive language removed from the Title 34 Game Law and have the PGC regulate wildlife management.

"With every state that borders PA now doing wildlife management seven days a week, we are hearing from more and more Pennsylvania hunters, and property owners/buyers that are gladly paying more money for out-of-state licenses, and higher taxes to have property in

neighboring states, just to be able to get more time to hunt," Daub said.

"In PA we are sitting as an island right now ... every state that touches PA offers Sundays in some way for game animals like deer and turkeys and small game.

"So our avid, hardcore hunters can choose to hunt in a neighboring state to take advantage of time, and some won't even buy a PA license," he added. "On Sundays ... while every other recreational activity is provided the liberty of being permitted all seven days ... hunters are shut out."

Pennsylvania is one of only three states (Maine, Massachusetts and Delaware) that have a near-total restriction on hunting on Sunday. Most of Pennsylvania's neighboring states allow Sunday hunting (Maryland, New York, Ohio and West Virginia). Virginia repealed its Sunday hunting ban in 2014.

Expanding Sunday hunting in Pennsylvania has been on the radar for many years and has come up against opposition each time, including the present proposal. Other outdoor recreational groups, such as hikers, bikers and horseback riders, say they need one

day a week to recreate as they choose without encountering hunters. Currently, hikers, bikers and horseback riders can use on State Game Lands, State Forests and State Parks 365 days per year.

Those in favor of expanding Sunday hunting opportunities point out that hunting license sales fund state lands and wildlife.

"Pennsylvania is home to 480 species of wildlife," Daub said. "Through license sales to hunters, who pursue only 62 of those species, - the funding is provided to conserve all 480 species of State Game Land wildlife habitat."

In addition to the opportunity for sportsmen, an economic analysis commissioned by National Shooting Sports Foundation revealed that opening Sundays would create an impact of nearly \$1 billion per year to Pennsylvania. Another national group, The Sportsman's Alliance, has also been advocating for the change.

"The committee's overwhelming passage of Senate Bill 147 is a clear signal that support for Sunday hunting is popular with Pennsylvanians from every corner

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deer habitat improvement.

1957: Archers were permitted to take either antlered or antlerless deer without possessing a doe license.

1959: The white-tailed deer was designated as Pennsylvania's state animal.

1971: Pennsylvania Game Commission meetings were opened to the public.

1973: Compound bows were made legal for hunting.

1974: The first muzzle-loader deer season was held for three days in the winter on 37 state game lands.

1980: Fluorescent orange was required of deer, bear and groundhog hunters.

1990: Deer Damage Program was launched to help farmers experiencing crop damage.

1993: All hunters, except flintlock, were required to have doe licenses to harvest antlerless deer.

of the commonwealth," said Bruce Tague, Sportsmen's Alliance vice president of government affairs. "But there are still powerful organizations who oppose scientific wildlife management policies used in nearly every other state nationwide, and sportsmen need to make sure that their voices continue to be heard and not drowned out by the tiny but powerful opposition."

CITY

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ty can use city towers to install the needed 911 equipment.

Council also approved the appointments of Beth Starbuck and Genevieve Marcon to the Board of Historical and Architectural Review; Valerie McLendon to the Bethlehem Housing Authority; Alexander O. Ward to the Fine Arts Commission; Jason R. Henninger to the Redevelopment Authority and Nancy Topping to the Sister City Commission.

Council also gave preliminary approval for a land swap with Little Town LLC. The swaps are for parcels which are less than an acre each; together they will create a road easement to a 13.65-acre site of a planned 178,579 square-foot manufacturing plant near Easton and Mockingbird Hill roads.

Also getting preliminary approval was a proposal to transfer a liquor license to the owners of a grocery store operating as Bethlehem Meat & Produce Corp., located at 226 E. Third St. According to a letter by law firm Norris McLaughlin Attorneys at Law, the owner "does not intend to materially alter [his] business and is simply adding the ... convenience of beer and, potentially, wine [sales]."

The popular Music in the Park Series got tentative council approval for the Lehigh Valley Musicians Association Local 45 to continue the program.

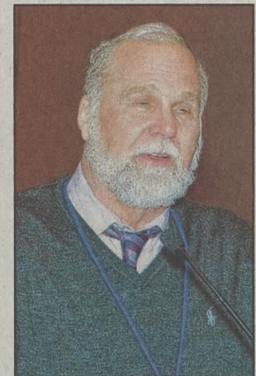


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Assistant Scoutmaster Sam Phillips of Boy Scout Troop 302 brought his scouts to City Hall as part of earning their Citizenship Merit Badge; the troop is sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church.



Boy Scout Elijah Sivick was invited by City Council President Adam Waldron to sit in Councilman Bryan Callahan's seat, since Callahan was not at the meeting



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attention, put calamine lotion on their chicken pox-covered bodies. I held them in my arms as they slept. I sang them lullabies that my parents sang to me when I was small. I talked about their futures with them. I kept them hidden from those who sought to harm them. I shared sweaters and cookies and laughter with them.

"I looked out at the ocean with them, smiles and eyes wide (all of us) as we watched a surfer do terrifying things in waves bigger than I had seen in my life. I talked nonsense with them as we walked towards the port of entry, making firm eye contact so we would not conspicuously stare at the federal police officers around us. I smiled and my eyes watered once I saw they were all sitting on U.S. soil. I sat on the cold pavement with them, late into the night, as we waited for them to be called. I wept openly when the moment came, shouted goodbye across the bars that separated us as they walked away, calling goodbye to me. What fortune blessed me, that these babies, this family, learned my name and cared to use it in this the most beautiful of moments.

"I am beyond happy that everyone in Monday's group is in the US. And thrilled that the two families have been released from detention (also known as jail), and that the father of the luckiest family wasn't separated from his wife and children."

What happened to the others Irizarry met on her mission? She continues her story: "But the rest of the group? We don't know where they are. Meaning, they're likely in detention. And nobody knows how long they'll be there (wherever that is).

"And the amount of work it took to even find the two families? Unreasonable and unnecessary.

"And those who traveled with them to Mexico? They're still in Tijuana (or their home countries, for some exodus members gave up and returned). They'll have to wait for their numbers to be called.

"That's right, there's still a waiting list to apply for asylum. Many continue to face harm while they wait. Several will die. Some already have, bless them."

What have these asylum-seekers experienced? Let Irizarry describe it.

"Nobody deserves this. I can only imagine what they've lived. Imagine it with me, if you will.

"Imagine a living hell. Whatever that is



A group of asylum-seeking unaccompanied minors who presented at the Otay Mesa port of entry on Dec. 17, 2018, with a group of attorneys, volunteers, Congresswoman Nanette Barragan and Congressman Jimmy Gomez.

for you. Picture living that every day, or seeing your children or parents live that every day.

"The police won't help you - either they're causing the hell, or they're allied with (or bought by) the ones who are causing it, or you'll end up dead if you talk to them. Or they can't help you: they're under threat as well, or they're too far away, or you have no proof, or it's only been threats by masked strangers so there's not enough to even investigate.

"You can't go anywhere else in your own country: they would follow you and find you; maybe they already did.

"You reach a breaking point and decide to do something absolutely crazy: leave. Leave your home, leave your country, leave everything you have, everything you've ever known.

"You've heard you can apply for asylum in the U.S., and set your eyes on that. Even though you know part of the problems you face are a result of U.S. foreign policy. Even though you know there's a crazy president there who hates immigrants. But there's no other choice: to move to the neighboring countries would be the same, perhaps worse. So, it's settled: The United States.

"But you have no money for a flight, and no way of getting permission to board in the first place. So, you do the unthinkable: you walk. You walk for days and days. They turn into weeks and weeks. They turn into months. You're hungry, exhausted, and have long given up on the memories of a bed, a shower, a toilet, a warm meal, your morning coffee. You keep

walking. "When you're finally a 30-minute walk from the U.S., you're told you have to add your name to a list.

"Why? you ask. "In order to apply for asylum," you're told.

"This doesn't make sense. Why is there a list?"

"Why do you have to wait to tell an officer your story? You're not just afraid to return next week or next month - you're afraid today. What about the ones who created your living hell, what if they find you?"

"Shouldn't you just be able to turn yourself in?"

"Yes, you should be able to. The law says you have that right."

So, why is it so hard? Why is it such a problem for the United States to comply with its own law?

Again, Isis Irizarry, the newly graduated immigration lawyer explains the problem:

"But the ones who are tasked with enforcing and upholding the law are doing neither.

"They decide only to allow 30 people per day to present for asylum. On a good day, the number is as high as 80. Good days are incredibly rare.

"Thirty people?," you think. "But there are thousands here!"

"You're given a number. 1755. Today, they took number 1336.

"You do the math: about 419 to go, at a rate of 30 per day, means you'll be called in about 13 days. You panic at the thought of living in a tent on the street for nearly two weeks. But you've waited this long; you can wait another two weeks, you decide.

"Then someone gives you the bad news. Each

number represents about 10 people.

"You feel your legs tremble beneath you. You sit on the cold curb beside the EZ-up tent where you were just given a number - what you thought would be the key to freedom now feels more like a jail sentence with no set release date.

"You look around at the thinning crowd. Some went back to the camp. Some, the lucky ones, walk toward the van that will take them to freedom.

"(In reality, it will take them to the 'hieleras' - the detention center, kept so cold they're dubbed 'ice boxes' - where they will stay for 2-6 days, sometimes more. The lights stay on 24/7. Often, a TV will replay the same movie for days on end. They're allowed to shower every other day, at 2 a.m.

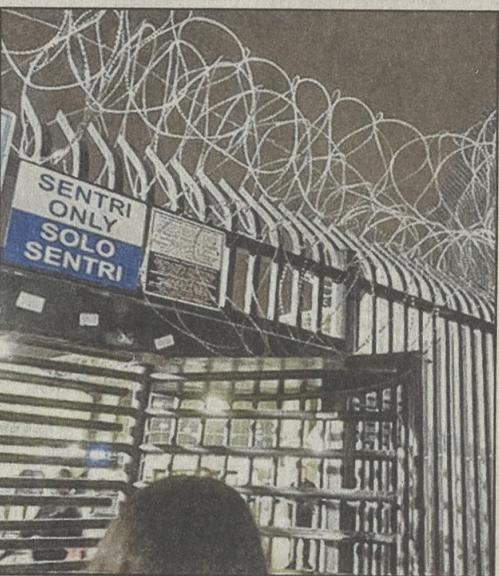
"If the children aren't quiet, they and their parents are scolded. If they're lucky, after the 2-6 days, or more, they'll be released with a GPS tracker that will stay on their ankle for months. If they're not lucky (if they're traveling alone, don't have someone with lawful status to receive them, or have entered before), they'll be transferred to another detention center. Some are facilities that used to be jails. Some simultaneously operate as such.

"As you sit, you continue looking around the crowd. You think you see a familiar face. The face of the person you fled. It strikes fear into your heart and your head begins to pound. They didn't notice you, so you slip away before they get the chance.

"You return to your camp. You enter your tent, still wet from the recent downpour, muddy from all the times you've lain [in the] open on grass and dirt. You try to get comfortable, despite the fact that you're basically laying on cement. You're thirsty, and look at the nearly-empty bucket you lugged across the length of the abandoned concert grounds. The trip to the List has made you too tired to go for more water. You had to leave before the breakfast delivery came, and your stomach rumbles. You hope someone brings dinner tonight. You hope you're safe here. You hope the wait won't be long. For food, for the List, for your turn to ride that van, for whatever challenges will follow. And in the midst of these hopeful thoughts, you drift into sleep."



Congresswoman Barragan describe the plaque that marked the border line.



The gate at Otay Mesa in front of which the volunteers waited.



Volunteers who accompanied the asylum-seekers to Otay Mesa. Third from the left is Isis Irizarry. In the background is Ava Benach, who represents one of the families. All sport smiles because the complicated plan to get the asylum-seekers into U.S. soil had worked. Little did the volunteers know they still had over 17 hours of waiting ahead of them before the mission would be fully accomplished.

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Wednesday, February 27

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Salvation Army, Bible study, all ages, 11 a.m. to noon; program: World Day of Prayer: Slovenia, 1 p.m. 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681 for senior activities and schedules. Also on March 6.

Thursday, February 28

Salvation Army, fellowship for seniors 50 and up; Tai Chi, 9:45 a.m.; program: Inge Matte: “Difficult People”, 10:45 a.m., followed by lunch (donation). 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681.

Black History Show. Non-ticketed event, donations are welcome. 7 to 9 p.m. Charter Arts Theatre. 321 E. Third St. Visit www.CharterArts.org.

The Water We Share: Protecting Water Quality in the Lehigh Valley, 6 to 8 p.m. Room 605, Fowler Family Southside Center, Northampton Community College, 511 E. Third St. Free but must register by visiting <https://act.sierraclub.org/events/details?formcampaignid=7010Z000001qoVvKQAI>.

Friday, March 1

Dewi Sant/St. David's Day (patron saint of Wales), Celtic Cultural Alliance. Free public talk: the impact of the Welsh immigrants in Lehigh Valley development with Martha Capwell Fox, author, historian, and D&L historian and archives coordinator. 7 to 9 p.m. Life in Christ Church, 51 E. Hillmond St. Visit www.celticfest.org or call 610-868-9599.

Politics First Friday, LEPOCO Peace Center, 313 W. Fourth St. Bring a drink/snack to share. 610-691-8730 / www.lepoco.org.

First Friday, South Bethlehem, 6 to 10 p.m. between Third, Fourth and South New streets. Call 610-841-5831.

Visual Art exhibit, faculty, alumni, current students. 6 to 8 p.m. 321 E. Third St. www.CharterArts.org.

Music faculty recital, 6 to 8 p.m. 321 E. Third St. Visit www.CharterArts.org.

Saturday, March 2

National Education Association - Read Across America, nationwide reading celebration that takes place annually March 2, Dr. Seuss's birthday. For information, visit www.seussville.com/Educators/educatorReadAcrossAmerica.php.

RAA Story Time and Activities, 1 to 3 p.m. Moravian Book Shop, 428 Main St. Call 610-866-5481, Visit www.moravian.edu.

Cash Bingo Night, Specials, door prizes, raffles. Youth fundraiser. 7 p.m. Players must be 18 years or older. Christ Lutheran Church, 69 Main St., Hellertown. Call 610-838-0400 for tickets or additional information.

Sunday, March 3

Chamber music in the Old Chapel, Two Part Invention (Nora Suggs, flute and John Arnold, guitar), suggested donation. 2 p.m. Moravian complex, east side of Heckewelder Place. Visit <http://moravianmusic.org/news-and-events/calendar-of-events/>.

Family Storytelling Series: Judy England-McCarthy - Winter Wonderland, stories of snow, ice, sleigh rides. Cost (children under five-free). Beverages for sale. 2 to 3 p.m. Godfrey Daniels, 7 E. Fourth St. Cops'n'Kids book handout. <https://lvstorytelling.org/event/family-storytelling-series-judy-england-mccarthy-winter-wonderland/>.

Monday, March 4

BAPL main library, new opening hours: now open at 9 a.m. Monday through Friday.

After School Book Bingo, 4 to 4:45 p.m. Win free books and candy. All ages. No registration required. South Side branch, 400 Webster St. Visit www.bapl.org/ssmain.htm.

Tuesday, March 5

Salvation Army bridge players program, seniors 50 and up, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. 521 Pembroke Road. Call 610-867-4681 for information and other senior activities.

Teen Advisory Board, 4 - 5:15 p.m. Help to plan and prepare for upcoming events. Open to those in grades six to 12. Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org.

PBS Kids: Scratch Jr., free workshop series for kids five to eight and their families with dinner, must register: email mel.pbs39@gmail.com; call 610 984-8120; or visit education.wlv.org. Attend all four workshops, receive a Visa gift card; other chances to win each night. 5:30 to 7 p.m. Bethlehem Area Public Library, 400 Webster St. Information: visit www.bapl.org/events/family-fun-nights-pbs-kids-scratch-jr-3/ or call 610-867-7852.

Celebrate Dr. Seuss Family Fun Night, 6:30 p.m. Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 W. Church St. Visit www.bapl.org.

Civil War Round Table, Eastern Pennsylvania, Lehigh Brigade: Sutler's Call 6 p.m., dinner (cost, reservations required by the previous Wednesday), 6:30 p.m., followed by program: “Letters to Homefront Magazine: A Love Story Between a Community and Its World War

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PRESS PHOTOS BY CAROLE GORNEY

Vicky Picard and Heather Nieves-Ramos were cheerleaders together with Erica Curtis at Liberty HS. They were on hand for the dedication of “Erica's Art Carts.” Picard lives in Bethlehem, and is sports coordination for Service Access & Management (SAM). Nieves-Ramos, from Philadelphia, is Erica's best friend.

ST. LUKE'S HEALTH NETWORK
Art as healing art

BY CAROLE GORNEY
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The healing properties of art, whether from making or participating in it, or from just observing and enjoying it, are well documented. The list of benefits ranges from alleviating depression to reducing stress, lowering blood pressure and actually alleviating symptoms. With that in mind, the St. Luke's University Health Network officially established a Healing Arts Program last fall for cancer patients at its Bethlehem, Allentown and Anderson campuses. That was only the beginning, though.

In addition to the cancer centers, the program is being expanded to the St. Luke's Baby and Me Support Center, where new mothers have worked on art projects. Soon it will also be available to the inpatient pediatric department at the Bethlehem campus.

This February, the program to “tap into the power of art to comfort and heal” was formally dedicated in a ceremony at the Anderson Campus, along with three of “Erica's Art Carts.” The carts, which are stuffed with art supplies, are named in memory of Erica Curtis, who died in 2018 at age 40 after a two-year battle with cancer. Kristen Ward, coordinator of the Healing Arts Program, said Erica found comfort during her cancer treatment by creating jewelry from materials in the art carts.

Ward, who has been an art teacher for 36 years and artist-in-resi-



Debbie Schreffler from Bethlehem describes herself as caregiver and chemo buddy for her sister, Sandy Feauve. Both sisters have participated in the jewelry making project at the St. Luke's Cancer Center, and proudly wear their glass pendants, which have become unifying mementos and valued keepsakes for many patients.



This glass pendant was designed by a cancer patient as part of St. Luke's integrated approach to cancer care, treating the whole person, mind, body and soul. Patients select colors and designs for their pendants from pieces of dichroic glass that are then heated in a kiln. Dichroic glass displays two different colors by undergoing a color change in certain lighting conditions.

dence at St. Luke's since September, said the benefit for patients goes far beyond the actual making of the art. Referring to cancer patients at the infusion centers where they get chemotherapy treatment, she explained, “I think what the patients get overall is a wonderful distraction. You have patients sitting there hooked up to medication and they expect to be miserable all day.”

Noting that art therapy isn't just for cancer patients, Ward said the creative process, whether sketching a simple drawing or looking at art or talking about it, can help transport patients outside of themselves and lower stress and anxiety.

During the dedication ceremony, Dr. Lee Riley, oncologist and “father of St. Luke's Cancer Center,” talked about the glass pendant project that he developed from his passion for glass sculpting and jewelry making. Patients are able to select the iridescent colors and create the designs they want for their pendant out of scraps of dichroic glass donated by Dr. Riley, who then fires them in his basement kiln. Calling it a cottage industry, Riley said more than 300 pendants have been made so far.

“People say, ‘I can't draw’ or ‘I can't paint,’ but they can pick out colors of glass they like and put them together in an abstract way,” Riley said. “I think there's a basic human need to express oneself,

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St. Luke's Cancer Center formally dedicated its Healing Arts Program at a ceremony at the Anderson Campus in February. During the ceremony, one of three “Erica's Art Carts,” named in honor of Erica Curtis, was unveiled by Erica's parents, Neil and Lyn Curtis, and by artist-in-residence Kristen Ward and Dr. Lee Riley.



Healing Arts Program Coordinator Kristen Ward has been with St. Luke's since last fall. Her program is part of an integrated approach to cancer care that treats the whole person – mind, body and soul.

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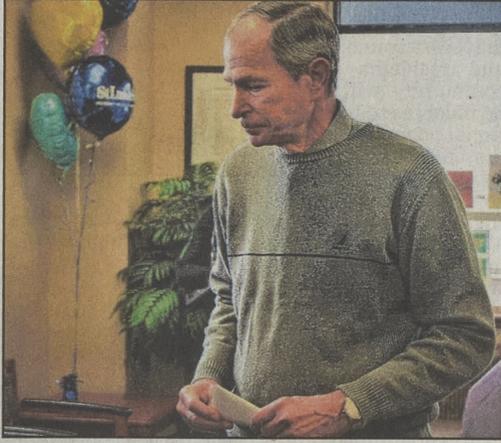
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"Erica's Art Carts" have their namesake's photo on the sides, as an inspiration to others who are facing challenging times.



The three art carts are filled with art supplies for drawing, painting, making jewelry or just reading about the beauty of art. There is a cart at each of St. Luke's chemotherapy infusion centers, in Bethlehem, Allentown and the Anderson Campus.



Neil Curtis speaks at the Healing Arts ceremony about his daughter Erica, who died last year at age 40 after a two-year battle with cancer. The art carts are named in her honor. Curtis said his daughter stood for helping her fellow man. "She had a certain ability to know the right thing to do."

ART

Continued from page A4 to tell one's story. The program helps patients express themselves in a visual way."

An unintended result is that for some patients, the pendants have become keepsakes and mementos of their fight against cancer.

Neal A. Lamana



city policeman



Neal A. Lamana, 84, of Bethlehem, died at home Feb. 9, 2019. Born in Hazleton, he was a son of the late Gennaro and Mary (Gorga) Lamana. He was the husband of Elaine (Geldon) Lamana for 57 years.

He was a 1952 graduate of Liberty HS.

He was a proud veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He was a city of Bethlehem police officer for 32 years and was a juvenile officer and investigator with the Charlie Team. He worked with his son until his retirement; they were one of the few father-son teams to work together in police department history. He was earlier in life a woodworker and carpenter for Bethlehem Woodcraft.

He was a member of the FOP Star Lodge #20. He was a photographer and a collector of Bethlehem photographs and memorabilia.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, John and his wife June and their daughter Taylor; a daughter, Lisa and her husband Jim Lauer; a brother and sister-in-law, Jack and Jean Sobota; godchildren; nephews; nieces; and lifelong friends.

Contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 1817 First St., Bethlehem, PA 18020, and/or Gary Sinise Foundation, P.O. Box 368, Woodland Hills, Calif. 91365.

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Elizabeth "Betty" May Girou

Hellertown



Elizabeth "Betty" May Girou, 93, of Hellertown, died Feb. 10, 2019. Born in Philadelphia; she was a daughter of the late Archibald and Helen (Trampé) Holmes. She was the wife of the late Harry D. Girou for 73 years.

She sewed Army and Navy uniforms during World War II. She also sewed professional baseballs, after which she worked as a seamstress in the Lehigh Valley for many years before retiring to care for her family.

She was a member of East Hills Moravian Church, Bethlehem.

She is survived by her children, Robert David and his wife Rita, and Bill Giroux, all of Florida; Donna Kromer and Walter Sickels of Hellertown and Dottie and her husband Dave Fornaro of Bethlehem; 11 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Dorothy Weider; and a brother, John Holmes.

She was predeceased by two sisters, Margaret Moyer and Helen Harr; and three brothers, Charles, Edward and Thomas Holmes.

Contributions may be made to St. Luke's Hospice House, c/o Development, 240 Union Station Plaza, Bethlehem, PA 18015.

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Elections commission looks to 2020

BY BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

Northampton County's Elections Commission met Feb. 14 to discuss, among other things, the new voting systems the state wants in place before the presidential election. These must contain a paper

trail. Governor Tom Wolf has directed all 67 counties to purchase new voting machines, but the state has only provided \$14.1 million statewide to make purchases projected to cost \$147 million. Northamp-

ton County's share is just \$342,000.

On Jan. 10, about 30 county elections judges visited Lehigh County for a demonstration of several voting systems. According to Deputy Voting Registrar Amy

Hess, a survey of these judges reveals they like the ExpressVote XL as well as Clear Ballot. The ExpressVote XL system is favored by county Administrator Charles

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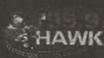
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ll Soldiers" presented by Mark Blau (cost, no reservations required), 7:30 p.m. The Center at Holiday Inn Lehigh Valley, 7736 Adrienne Drive, Breinigsville, 18031. Call 610-253-4549, email Duffysocwk@aol.com or visit www.cwrteasternpa.org.

Ham Radio simultaneous classes, Lehigh Amateur Radio Club free entry level license prep classes or general amateur radio license, nine Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m., open to the public, Northampton County Gracedale complex, Nazareth. Visit www.dlarc.org or www.arrl.org or email KE3AW@ARRL.NET or call 610-432-8286.

Wednesday, March 6

Great Decisions Foreign Policy Lecture: "Decoding U.S. - China Trade" by James West, Ph.D., Moravian College, cost, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Kirkland Village Auditorium, 1 Kirkland Circle, use Health Center entrance and parking. Call 610-867-4669, ext. 101. Will be rescheduled if Bethlehem Schools close for snow.

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MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, February 27

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

Bethlehem Parking Authority, 4 p.m. 85 W. North St.

BASD regular board meeting (snow date), 7 p.m. East Hills auditorium, 2005 Chester Road

Bethlehem Township Zoning Hearing Board, 6:30 p.m. Municipal building, 4225 Easton Ave.

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

Thursday, February 28

Bethlehem Zoning Hearing Board, 6 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.

Monday, March 4

Fine Arts Commission, 5:15 p.m. Laros Room, Bethlehem Area Public Library, 10 W. Church St.

Bethlehem Twp. Commissioners, 7 p.m. Municipal building, 4225 Easton Ave.

Fountain Hill Council, 7 p.m. 941 Long St.

Hanover Twp. (NorCo) Planning Commission, 7 p.m. 3630 Jacksonville Road.

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

Tuesday, March 5

Bethlehem City Council, 7 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.

Freemansburg Council, 7 p.m. 600 Monroe St., Freemansburg.

Northampton Co. General Purpose Authority, 8:15 a.m. 669 Washington St., Easton.

Wednesday, March 6

CANCELED Historical Architectural Review Board, 4 p.m. 10 E. Church St.

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Rep. Jeanne McNeill, D-133rd

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Longtime works director retires

BY MARK KIRLIN
Special to the Bethlehem press

After 33 years of service to the Borough of Hellertown, longtime Public Works Director Tom Henshaw has decided to retire. Henshaw joined Hellertown's Public Works department in 1986, and was appointed director in 1997. At the most recent council meeting, Mayor David Heitzelman proclaimed Feb. 19 Tom Henshaw Day in the borough.

Heitzelman read aloud the proclamation, which in part said, "The mayors, council, staff and residents of this community will always be indebted to his exceptional commitment to his community." Heitzelman made some personal comments praising Henshaw's role in a sometimes thankless job and saying he has trained his employees well and gained their respect.

Council President Tom Rieger said, "You have served this borough faithfully through rain, snow, floods, hurricanes, blizzards and really strange events."

Henshaw, upon being asked for comments said, "Too much and not enough to say. I've enjoyed most of my time here, the disasters were tough, but we got through it...my crew, I can't say enough, they're probably the best bunch of guys. They've taken on every task that's given to us." Earlier in the day, a party open to the public was held in Henshaw's honor at the Grist Mill Tavern Room. Hellertown has appointed Barry Yonney interim director effective March 1.

In other news, Borough Manager Cathy Hartranft provided a yearly report for 2018. Some of the highlights include: the assessed

HELLERTOWN



PRESS PHOTO BY MARK KIRLIN
Hellertown Public Works Director Tom Henshaw receives a standing ovation. Henshaw is retiring after 33 years with the borough.

value of properties in the borough increased by \$588,000, the general fund income was 7 percent more than projected and expenses were 1 percent more than projected. The borough paid \$398,000 for the Water Street Streetscape Project and has already been reimbursed in 2019, unpaid or delinquent real estate taxes and fire taxes amounted to \$55,000, which is a low number for the borough; \$77,327 was spent on security upgrades, storage racks, a 2018 GMC Sierra, salt build and upgrades,

sidewalk and tree improvements.

Also allotted was \$1.4 million in grants for various improvements projects with public works, parks and recreation, and sanitation. Hartranft also noted the success of Hellertown events such as Community Day, Light-Up Night and Music in the Park, and the public pool's attendance of 22,000 people despite a rainy season, the Saucon Valley Compost center visited by 17,900 people and seven new businesses opening. Hellertown Police

Chief Robert Shupp provided his own 2018 report.

A summary includes the following: 4,288 calls received, which was approximately 12 calls a day; a slight increase in theft/robbery calls, however 88 percent of them have been closed out by arrest; 10 percent increase in traffic collision calls; 13 percent increase in traffic citations, which can be attributed to increased traffic in the borough; a total of 416 charges filed - a 20 percent increase from 2017 - 62 DUI charges, 170 narcotics charges, nine possession with intent to deliver, 14 assaults, 39 thefts, 11 fraud/forgeries, 11 sexual assaults, one burglary, 10 robbery or attempted robberies, two cruelty to animals and one child pornography charge.

DUIs increased 32 percent and narcotics arrests increased 15 percent from 2017. According to the Shupp, the DUIs were directly attributed to individuals who are under the influence of narcotics. He also noted multiple tours were conducted of the police department for organizations such as the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts. The department installed many car seats and participated in Catholic Schools Week at St. Theresa School, Community Day, Halloween parade and trick-or-treat.

In addition, the department teamed up with 7-11 for Operation Chill, in which officers handed out free Slurpy coupons to kids observed doing something good. New events consisted of the Ice Cream Bike Run and Mayor for The Day. Numerous officers were involved in increased training for various activities as well.

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Dertinger.

Elections Commissioner Deb Hunter would like to invite some experts from Lehigh University, along with elections judges, to discuss these systems at a meeting March 6. "Personally, I think it's a waste of time," said Chairman George Treisner. But he was outvoted by the other commissioners.

Hunter expressed

frustration at receiving the agenda on the day of the meeting, although it was pretty much identical to an informational meeting in December. She also complained about the meeting being set by the administration. "These are our meetings," she complained, asserting the commission's independence.

Bushkill Township resident Crystal Mula spoke about moving elections from the Butz ES to a nearby fire hall. "The voters of this township are telling you they want [the polling place] changed," she argued.

Commission mem-

Administrator commented on an elderly voter who was struck and killed by a driver in the Forks Township Community Center parking lot during last November's election. "The Forks incident bothers me," she said. "I think it's horrible that someone went out to vote and lost their life." She noted that the parking lot there is always congested, and suggested that Forks officials be requested to cancel other events on election day. "I'm not telling them what to do," she stressed, but said that would make things safer.

Administrator

he would discuss the matter with the community center.

Complaints about the Upper Nazareth municipal building as a polling place are being reviewed, advised Solicitor Richard Santee. He said he had received a letter from Upper Nazareth Solicitor Gary As-teak.

Finally, commissioners approved a referendum question in Lower Nazareth Township asking the voters if they would support an additional earned income tax of 0.25 percent for the acquisition of open space.

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McClure questioned about Gracedale

BY BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

In January, the state Department of Health released its annual inspection of Gracedale, Northampton County's nursing home. It cites 11 deficiencies directly related to resident care. Medicare now lists the home as a two-star, or below average, nursing facility.

This is in stark contrast to the five stars (much above average) assigned to Lehigh

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

County's Cedarbrook. Executive Lamont McClure has pointed his finger at Premiere, the private nursing home manager hired under the Stoffa administration. He terminated the county's \$500,000 a year contract late last year, and is using an in-house administrator. This decision, along with current conditions at the home, were considered by Northampton County

Council's Human Services Committee Feb. 21. Interim Administrator Jennifer D. Stewart-King reported on conditions in December, when there were about 665 residents. Over \$200,000 was paid to outside agencies for nursing care. The number of beds was a net of 53. (They do not count residents who have them when they arrive).

McClure may have listened to some employees, but he also fired the Director of Nursing. She was a county resident who was Director of Nursing at the more highly rated Cedarbrook. In a letter she sent to County Council last year, she explained what happened to her. "Gracedale has been neglected for years. Not just the last four years but for many decades. The outdated and appalling status of the living conditions for the residents of Gracedale actually brought me to tears the first time I saw the cinder block walls and furniture obviously from decades ago. The resident mattresses had not been replaced for years (actually no one could tell me when), leading to resident skin pressure injury. An assessment revealed these mattresses were no longer offering any pressure reduction. The mechanical lifts recently assessed found 22 lifts were in poor condition. The most vulnerable of our population have been ignored and the taxpayers should be appalled as I was. However, my goal was to work to improve the condition. See **NORCO** on Page A8

- There were 119 reportable infections.
- There were 332 incident reports.
- There were 172 falls.
She advocated for electronic health records, noting they are in use at Cedarbrook. She acknowledged a need to institute pain and wound committees as well, saying employees were ignored when they asked for these things in the past. "[County Executive] McClure was the only one who heard us," she said.

MUNICIPAL PRIMARY PROCLAMATION NOTICE - 2019

Notice is hereby given to the electorate of Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, that a Municipal Primary will be held in said County on Tuesday, May 21, 2019, between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M., prevailing time, at which time registered and enrolled electors of the DEMOCRATIC & REPUBLICAN parties will assemble and vote, according to law, for the nomination of candidates for the following public offices:

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One (1) Judge of the Court of Common Pleas 10 Year Term

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Four (4) County Commissioners - At Large 4 Year Term
One (1) County Controller 4 Year Term
One (1) District Attorney 4 Year Term
One (1) Sheriff 4 Year Term
One (1) Clerk of Judicial Records 4 Year Term
One (1) Coroner 4 Year Term

MAGISTERIAL OFFICES

One (1) Magisterial District Judge 31-1-02 6 Year Term
One (1) Magisterial District Judge 31-1-07 6 Year Term
One (1) Magisterial District Judge 31-2-02 6 Year Term
One (1) Magisterial District Judge 31-2-03 6 Year Term

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Three (3) Township Commissioners 4 Year Term

WHITEHALL
One (1) Mayor 4 Year Term
Four (4) Township Commissioners 4 Year Term

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HANOVER
Two (2) Council 4 Year Term
One (1) Council 2 Year Term

HEIDELBERG
One (1) Supervisor 6 Year Term
One (1) Auditor 6 Year Term

LOWER MILFORD
One (1) Supervisor 6 Year Term
One (1) Auditor 6 Year Term

LOWHILL

One (1) Supervisor 6 Year Term
One (1) Auditor 6 Year Term

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One (1) Auditor 6 Year Term
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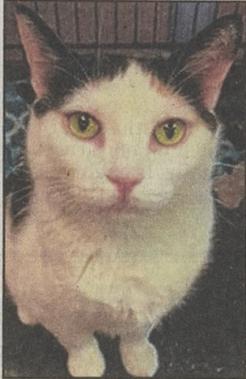
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Do you favor the imposition of a tax on one tenth (.1) of one mill on real estate by North Whitehall Township to be used for open space and farmland preservation?

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Jax is a 3-year-old male English bulldog/terrier mix. He is sweet and playful, loves other dogs, but not cats. He is good on leash.



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VOLUNTEERS

CANCER SUPPORT COMMUNITY GREATER LEHIGH VALLEY will be hosting a Volunteer Kick-off from 7-8 p.m. Feb. 26 to jumpstart 2019. Contact Nancy Petiet, 610-861-7555, ext. 39, npetiet@cancersupportglv.org

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Stacie Reidenbaugh, president and CEO of 10,000 Friends of PA; Jeff Parks, founder of ArtsQuest; Mike Perrucci, owner of Peron Development; John Callahan, former mayor of Bethlehem; Chris Terlizzi, former treasurer and board member of 10,000 Friends; and Bert Cosaboon, board vice chair, 10,000 Friends of PA at the 10,000 Friends' Commonwealth Awards.

Locals honored by 10,000 Friends

The commonwealth's leading voice for smart growth, 10,000 Friends of Pennsylvania, has honored Bethlehem innovators and projects in the statewide nonprofit's annual awards program. A mayor, social entrepreneur, planner and developer were recognized for their individual and collaborative efforts of alternative economic development strategies that helped revitalize the deindustrialized city. Also recognized were projects spearheaded by Lehigh University, Moravian College, Bethlehem DOT and others.

"This city has more than its share of visionaries," said Stacie Reidenbaugh, president and CEO of 10,000 Friends. "On our 20th anniversary, it was 10,000 Friends' great pleasure to celebrate the extraordinary individuals and development projects that are making Bethlehem

a walkable, sustainable, equitable and healthy community."

The 2018 Commonwealth Awards program, held Dec. 6 at the ArtsQuest Center in Bethlehem, honored these individuals:

- John Callahan, former Mayor of Bethlehem, received the Mark Schneider Friend of Pennsylvania Award.
- Tony Hanna, executive director of the City of Bethlehem Redevelopment Authority, received the Public Sector Excellence Award.
- Michael Perrucci, owner of Peron Development and counsel at Florio Perrucci Steinhart & Cappelli, received the Louis J. Appell, Jr. Leadership Award.
- Jeffrey Parks, founder of ArtsQuest, received the Joanne Denworth Founders Award.
- Christopher Terlizzi, former treasurer and board member of

10,000 Friends, received the Board of Directors Award.

"Creating great places to live and work is the mission of 10,000 Friends," said Reidenbaugh. "Beginning with SteelStacks 10 years ago, these projects and others have breathed new life into Bethlehem."

The winning projects include:

- New Nitschmann MS (Bethlehem Area School District)
- Follett Family Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Northampton Community College)
- Bethlehem Commerce Center (Lehigh Valley Industrial Park, Majestic Realty, Liberty Property Trust)
- Lehigh Valley Charter HS for the Arts
- Southside Commons (Lehigh University)
- Five10Flats (Peron Development)
- Gateway at Green-

way Park (Ion Development Group)

- Commerce Center Boulevard (Northampton County)
 - Sally Breidegam Miksiewicz Center for Health Sciences / Moravian Book Shop (Moravian College)
 - South Bethlehem Greenway / Bethlehem Skateplaza
 - Route 412 Rehabilitation (PennDOT)
 - Sands Bethlehem
- "Smart growth is more than just smart," said Reidenbaugh. "It is our only means of guaranteeing that our urban, suburban and rural communities remain livable, prosperous and healthy. Along with affordable housing, public transit, stormwater management – these form the foundation of our Healthy Communities Initiative, and are essential elements of 2018's winning projects."

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tions and the mattresses have been replaced, some furniture has begun to be purchased and the next step was to begin mechanical lift replacement. The ultimate goal being to develop a purchasing replacement plan yearly to assure that this would never happen again.

"I knew the position would be a challenge, and I happen to love a challenge that works to improve the lives of residents in long term care. So imagine my response in early December when I received a letter from the new county executive-elect that stated, "this past November our voters spoke loudly

for change." It went on to say "I write at this time to inform you that you will not be re-appointed to your position in the new administration" and "your last day of employment with the County of Northampton will be January 1, 2018."

McClure hired a new director of nursing, but she suddenly changed her mind. As a result, Gracedale had no director of nursing until July. The person who was hired had no experience at a nursing home. She told council she would transform Gracedale into a five-star facility. It remains a two-star home with a negative health inspection.

McClure's decision to remove Premier as an outside manager was

members John Cusick and Bob Werner.

Cusick noted that when Premier took over, the county was paying \$6 million to fund the home. Premier turned a \$6 million deficit into a \$3.3 million operating surplus.

"I think that is a big plus," observed Cusick. McClure responded that Premier prioritized cost over care and ruined morale. "They were tasked to run the home so there would be no county contribution," he asserted.

Werner asked whether the county had ever looked at the operational assessment done by Premier. Human Services Director Sue Wandolowski acknowledged she was unaware of it.

Clure whether he performed an operational assessment before terminating Premier. McClure said he performed no operational assessment.

"How did you determine you were going to do a better job without a plan?" asked Werner.

McClure said his decision was based on interviews with county employees, as well as the \$500,000 Premier charged every year.

Though he didn't mention it, McClure has been concerned that Premier's record at other public nursing homes has been the subject of negative surveys and complaints.

Council President Ron Heckman concluded Gracedale needs more attention. He noted that in the past, there were bi-weekly meetings to provide oversight.

"We as a group have to think about the largest department in our county with the largest number of residents and the most employees," he said.

And then they adjourned.

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It's Not "Fair"

You hear the phrase, "It's not 'fair'" when someone believes that he or she is being treated unfairly. But Jesus Christ's dying on the cross is something that, from the popular human perspective of "fairness," truly isn't "fair." It's not "fair" that God gave His Son, His Son gave His life, and sinners get to go free.

Romans 5:8 says, "But God commended His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." As humans we have lied, stolen, cheated, and blasphemed the worthy name of God, without a care. We are guilty of breaking God's perfect Law. God has made clear that those who break His perfect Law are sentenced to death because of their sin. Romans 6:23 states, "For the wages of sin is death." That death is separation from God forever.

Yet the Cross shows God's perfect character. Justice was served, and mercy was granted in perfect balance at the Cross. God gave His Son, and Jesus laid down His life to pay the punishment for our sins. He was innocent, and yet He died for everyone because we are all guilty of sin as Romans 3:23 declares, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God."

What is required of us? To repent (turn away) from sin and believe in Jesus as the payment for our sin. We need to put Jesus on the throne of our lives instead of ourselves. One song says it this way: "Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all."

So, is it "fair"? NO, not according to man's concept of "fairness," but thank God for His perfect plan of justice and mercy. Without His plan and provision for our salvation, we would have no hope of ever being right with a perfect, holy God.

--Submitted by Melody Lundmark

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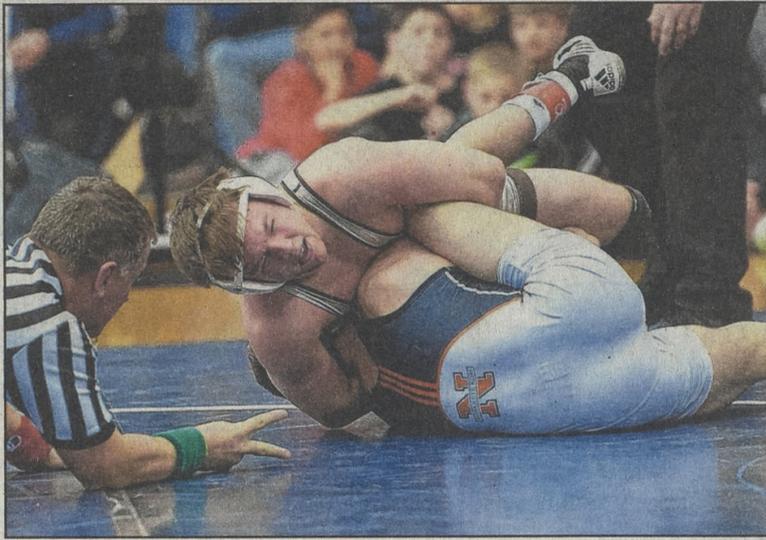
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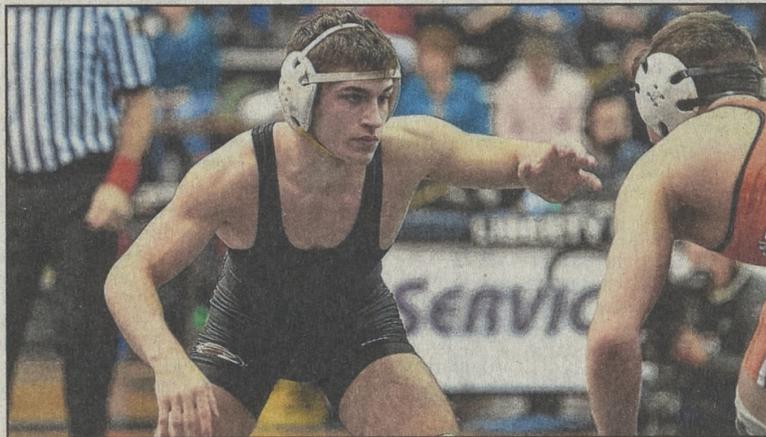
DISTRICT 11 WRESTLING

Anderson gets his redemption



PRESS PHOTO BY DON HERB

Ryan Anderson got a bit of revenge with his gold medal victory over Northampton's Jagger Condomitti.



PRESS PHOTO BY DON HERB

Cole Handlovic also won a gold medal at districts this past weekend.

Hawks advance nine to wrestling regionals

BY PETER CAR
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It was probably not a coincidence that Ryan Anderson and Jagger Condomitti were slated as the final matchup of last Saturday's District 11 3A wrestling finals.

The 145-pound showdown set up a rematch of Condomitti's upset victory at the PIAA team championship and Anderson knew this would be an opportunity at redemption and he took care of business.

Anderson scored a four-point in the second period with a takedown and two back points to control with a 4-1 lead and held on for a 5-3 decision to give Bethlehem Catholic their second gold medalist on the night, as Cole Handlovic (152) started the finals with a 16-7 major decision over Northampton's Michael Kistler for his first district title.

Still, with all eyes set on Anderson and Condomitti, the Becahi senior knew what was at stake.

"I was hoping that we could have wrestled earlier," said Anderson. "Going last added a little more pressure, but I per-

sonally did not think I was going to lose to him again."

With the Iowa State recruit's only defeat coming at the PIAA championships to Condomitti two weeks ago, Anderson was looking forward to the chance to wrestle him again.

"Two weeks ago, that was a tough loss," he said. "I was not thinking straight at all. I had a couple distractions. I got the job done today, but I want to see him again [at regionals]. He's a really tough opponent and he makes me better, which is good for the sport."

Becahi advanced nine wrestlers in total to regionals and finished fourth in the team standings with 206.5 points behind team champ Northampton (256.5), Nazareth (232.5) and Liberty (214.5). With five finalists in total, the Hawks saw Dante Frinzi (106), Kenny Herrmann (132) and Luca Frinzi (160) fall in the championship round.

Despite going 2-for-5 in the finals, Handlovic got BC on the board first with his win over Kistler, scoring seven takedowns in the victory.

Last weekend's performance is hopefully the beginning of a memorable postseason run.

"It felt good to get my first district title," he said. "It's an awesome feeling but at the end of the day my ultimate goal is to have that state gold on me."

Luca Frinzi had trouble taming Nazareth's Connor Hecceg in his finals bout, falling by a 10-5 margin, as Hecceg hit a late five-point move in the third period to carry toward gold. Dante Frinzi lost a 5-4 nail-biter to Easton's Braxton Appello.

Appello scored all five of his points on a reversal and near fall points in the first period and then hung on in the third period after getting called for two stall points.

Herrmann ran into the buzz saw of Northampton's Julian Chlebove during a 5-1 loss to the K-Kid senior.

Other Hawks to place at districts included Dillon Murphy (126, fourth), Jase Crouse (HWT, fourth), Matt Lackman (138, fourth) and Matt Mayer (113, third).

Liberty's Freeman grabs district gold

Patriots advance 3 to regionals

BY PETER CAR
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Jaden Freeman has battled injuries over the past two years to prevent him from participating in the District 11 postseason. Last weekend in his home gymnasium, Freeman finally took advantage of his chance to compete and came away with a gold medal.

Freeman was one of four Liberty finalists, but the only one to come away with a district title, as he topped Northampton's Hunter Werkheiser by a 5-3 decision in Saturday's championship finals.

The Hurricanes had an impressive weekend, finishing third in the team standings with 214.5 points, nudging rival Bethlehem Catholic (206.5) into fourth place, while advancing 10 wrestlers to this weekend's Northeast Regional 3A tournament back at Memorial Gymnasium.

For Freeman, Saturday night was a shot at redemption, while taking on a very familiar foe.

"I couldn't wrestle my 10th grade year because I injured my foot," Free-

man said after outlasting Werkheiser. "Junior year I broke my hand. I came back this year to get what I wanted. This was one of my goals to take off my bucket list, but my ultimate goal is to get to states and win it and if not, place."

Freeman was able to push the pace of the match by scoring the only two takedowns over six minutes, registering the match's opening takedown in the first period and then closing the third period out with the final one.

With both heavyweights primed to see each other again at regionals, Freeman doesn't mind mixing it up with Werkheiser another time.

"I've wrestled Werkheiser like 89 times," Freeman said. "We have a really good rivalry going. It goes back and forth and I came through when it counted and I would love to see him again next in the finals too."

The other three Liberty finalists included Tal-Reese Flemming (113), Matt Maloney (120) and Damen Moyer (195). Flemming lost to

Nazareth's Andrew Smith by a 5-1 decision, while Maloney fell to Stroudsburg's Cameron Enriquez 8-3. Moyer dropped a 3-2 decision to Northampton's Jayden Bortz, as Bortz used a late escape in the third period to squeak out the win.

The other Hurricanes to medal were: Connor Werner (106, third), Kevin Hennessy (182, third), Mike Torres (126, third), Jason Rezac (145, fourth), Josh Talijan (170, fourth) and Travis Brown (132, fourth).

Freedom moved three wrestlers onto regionals, as Max Marrero (195) brought home the highest finish with a third place medal following a 9-3 decision over Pottsville's Timothy Nevadomsky.

Luis Vargas (113) and Connor Huber (120) each finished in fifth place.

Wrestling begins at 4:30 pm on Friday with quarterfinals slated for 6:30 p.m.

Saturday's schedule sees the semifinals getting under way at 11 a.m. and finals set to take off at 5 p.m.



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Jaden Freeman won gold at districts this past weekend.



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Freedom's Max Marrero will advance to regionals.



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Gill 7th at diving

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Freedom sophomore Sarah Gill placed seventh out of 17 female competitors at the District XI Diving Championships on Feb. 23 at Emmaus High School.

"She did great," said Freedom diving coach Lisa Young. "She didn't have a bad dive the whole day."

Gill was in or around fifth place for most of the day.

"She was very consistent. Every dive was just great," Young said.

Gill scored a 384.65, one point away from sixth place and four points away from fifth place.

"That's how close it was," said Young.

Parkland's Lexi Lehman won the meet with a total score of 479.75. Parkland's Alexa Brinker was second with a score of 453.15. Parkland's Kate Gottwald placed third with a score of 439.50, and Easton's Olivia Jacobsen was fourth with 431.85



PRESS PHOTO BY NANCY SCHOLZ

Sarah Gill took seventh for Freedom at the district diving meet.

low, who placed ninth with a score of 335.90 and Cailin Connelly, who placed 15th with a score of 259.35. Liberty's Cara Kuykens placed 14th with a score of 274.30. Other divers for Freedom were Fallon Tat-



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Kailey Turpening and the Freedom girls, shown here against Allen, came from behind to beat Nazareth.

Patriot girls rally to defeat Blue Eagles

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Freedom's girls' basketball team got off to a very slow start but turned the tables on Nazareth awfully fast in the Patriots' 48-32 District XI Class 6A girls' basketball semifinal victory on Monday at Catasauqua High School.

"We knew we came out flat, and we knew we needed to want it more than they did," said Freedom guard Brenna Ortwein. "It was as simple as getting our shooters hot, and having Jen [Kokolus] make shots in the post. When Jen's on, and Kailey's [Turpening] shooting hot, it's kind of hard to stop."

Nazareth took control

on back-to-back threes by freshman Kelly Leszcynski, and Kokolus scored first for Freedom but not until five minutes into the game.

After trailing by seven points at the end of the first quarter, the Patriots went on a 13-0 run on a combination of Turpening, Ortwein, and Corrin Gill in the second quarter when the Blue Eagles scored just one point with 3:12 remaining in the half. Eight of the Patriots' points were made by Turpening.

"We talked about not worrying about losing our lead but working on making it bigger," Ortwein said.

Kokolus picked up steam in the second

half, scoring from underneath on a quick, no-look pass by Turpening and was fouled on the play putting the Pates well on their way to extending their lead.

Freedom is the defending district champion and will take on Northampton in the district final this Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at Easton Area Middle School.

The Patriots lost to the Konkrete Kids by one point in a regular season game.

"We definitely think we have a chance of beating them, and it should be a good game, playing a team we want revenge against," Ortwein said.



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Swimming

Winners of the Ted Martz Award, given each year to the outstanding boy and girl swimmer of the Liberty-Freedom meet, are Al Bell, pictured with Freedom coach Melissa Baer, and Greta Stuckey, pictured with Liberty coach Reik Faust.



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Indoor Track

Liberty junior Christian Tackett medaled with a fourth place finish in the 60 meter hurdles with a time of 8.25 at the Pennsylvania Track and Field Coaches Association Indoor State Championships this past weekend at Penn State University. At the same meet, Liberty senior Daeshawn Teague placed 11th in the long jump with a distance of 21-07.25.

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Freedom's girls' basketball team came up with a 54-35 victory over William Allen in its first game of District XI Class 6A playoffs last Thursday at Catasauqua High School.

"Tonight we knew we had to step it up, obviously," said Patriot forward Jennifer Kokolus. "I'm so happy. We came out aggressive, we threw the first punch, and we never looked back."

Even though Freedom defeated Allen recently, it was a different game from when the Pates hosted the Canaries a couple of weeks ago.

"We played zone this time. Last time, I think we played man, so we really packed it in the middle since they are taller than us, and I think we really played really good help defense," Kokolus said.

It was the third quarter when Freedom scored nine straight points, seven from Kokolus and two from Brenna Ortwein, after an early three pointer by Kailey Turpening.

"They had a lot of rebounds, which I think we should have controlled a little better, but we fought through it,"



PRESS PHOTO BY LINDA ROTHROCK

Jennifer Kokolus and the Pates knocked off Allen to advance in districts.

said Kokolus. "They're bigger than us, but we just played aggressive together."

By the fourth quarter, it appeared the Canaries were frustrated and out of gas, scoreless until

there was only 1:09 remaining in the game.

"I think we fed off that, and our energy got better," Kokolus said. "This game gives us a lot of confidence moving forward."

LLL TRYOUTS

Lehigh Little League Baseball and softball tryouts for spring 2019 will take place Saturday, March 2, at the Breidegam Fieldhouse at Moravian College (indoors), for all players registered for the spring season.

Following tryouts, we

will make team assignments for the season and practices will get under way around mid-March (at the discretion of the team manager).

If you have not yet registered, there's still time to get your player in. It will be difficult to do so after tryouts and

teams are set so don't delay.

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SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Are we any smarter now than we were before Daytona Speedweeks?

GODSPEAK: Ask me on March 18 after they get done with the Wild West Tour — Las Vegas, Phoenix and California.
KEN'S CALL: I'm not. Hopefully after this week we'll have a better feel for things.

Kyle Busch is now at 195 combined wins. When does he reach 201?

GODSPEAK: I'm going to put my chip on before the Cup Series returns to Daytona in July. Spin the wheel.

KEN'S CALL: Something tells me Memorial Day Weekend at Charlotte, probably in the 600.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

MARTIN TRUOX JR. VS. RICKY STENHOUSE JR.:

Stenhouse was a lap down in the closing laps and blocked Truex, who was racing for the win against Brad Keselowski. Truex finished a close second.
GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE: I feel the Truex pain here. Lapped cars should be more respectful. "It completely killed us for 25, 30 laps to the point my front tires were gone once I finally got by him," Truex said.

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR LAS VEGAS

WINNER: Joey Logano
REST OF TOP 5: Kyle Busch, Chase Elliott, Kevin Harvick, Clint Bowyer
FIRST ONE OUT: Ty Dillon
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DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Logano wins in some sort of bizarre, late-race scenario.

MOTOR MOUTHS PODCAST

Two races down, 34 to go. The Pod is just getting warmed up.

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2019 CUP SERIES SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

Feb. 10: Clash at Daytona (Jimmie Johnson)
Feb. 17: Daytona 500 (Denny Hamlin)
Feb. 24: Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta (Brad Keselowski)
March 3: Pennzoil 400 at Las Vegas
March 10: TicketGuardian 500 at Phoenix
March 17: Auto Club 400 at Fontana
March 24: STP 500 at Martinsville

March 31: O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas
April 7: Food City 500 at Bristol
April 13: Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond
April 28: Geico 500 at Talladega
May 5: Dover 400
May 11: Kansas 400
May 18: All Star Race at Charlotte
May 26: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte
June 2: Pocono 400
June 9: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan
June 23: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma
June 30: Overton's 400 at Chicagoland

July 6: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona
July 13: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky
July 21: Foxwoods 301 at New Hampshire
July 28: Gander Outdoors 400 at Pocono
Aug. 4: Go Bowling at Watkins Glen
Aug. 11: Consumers Energy 400 at Michigan
Aug. 17: Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race at Bristol
Sept. 1: Southern 500 at Darlington
Sept. 8: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis
Sept. 15: South Point 400 at Las Vegas

QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

Is Kez truly the new king of Penske Mountain?

Statistically speaking, you have to give it to him. His 60th win for Team Penske came at Atlanta. He's up to 27 Cup wins and 33 Xfinity wins in Roger Penske's equipment. That puts him one ahead of Mark Donohue, who first teamed with Penske in the 1960s and won races across a very broad spectrum of the sport, including late-'60s domination of Trans Am in their acid-dipped Camaro. That's right, acid-dipped

Why acid-dipped?

Penske and Donohue were a lethal combination when it came to setting up a race car. As a topper, Donohue was a fabulous all-around racer. When they learned they could soak the pieces of their Camaro in acid and make unnecessary ounces of weight disappear all over, they had the fastest car on the circuit. It was dubbed "The Unfair Advantage," which turned out to be the title of Donohue's 1974 autobiography. It's a great read for gear-heads of all ages.

— Ken Willis, ken.willis@news-jrnl.com

LAS VEGAS

THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. JJ's Funky Town

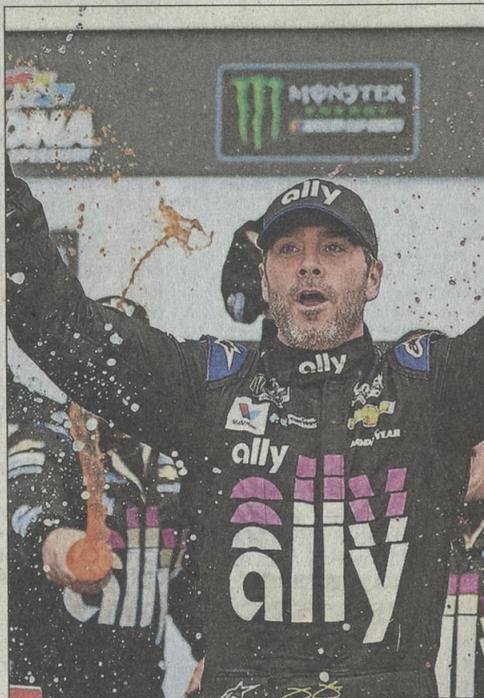
Jimmie Johnson is in a funk. Yes, the 43-year-old driver did win the Daytona Clash, but he hasn't won a points race since 2017. He was 24th at Atlanta. The good news for Johnson is that the Cup Series is going to one of his favorite tracks, Las Vegas, where he stands as the all-time winner with four career triumphs. Nevada's "Sin City" may hold the cure for what ails the seven-time NASCAR champ.

2. Real test

Before Cup Series drivers ever set foot in Atlanta for Sunday's race, they said the 1.54-mile course would not be a good indicator of the new aero/body package. Most said Las Vegas, which has a much smoother surface, would provide a true tell. "There is no track that we go to anymore that is as slick as this and as hard on tires," Clint Bowyer said of Atlanta. "It will be interesting to see what Las Vegas brings."

3. Pit-road madness

Two races and two weird pit-road incidents, which



Jimmie Johnson hopes to find Victory Lane soon and put the brakes on his losing streak. [AP/JOHN RAOUX]

begs the question: Is this a trend? At Atlanta, BJ McLeod seemed to get lost on pit road. His No. 52 Chevy came to a virtual dead stop four pit boxes from where he was supposed to get service. He got hammered by Ryan Preece

in the No. 47 Chevy. "I looked up, he was coming in the pits," Preece said. "So, it's a mistake. What are you going to do? It's just unfortunate."

— Godwin Kelly, godwin.kelly@news-jrnl.com

ATLANTA

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED

1. Sick win

Brad Keselowski had the stomach flu so bad, he needed two bags of IV fluids for relief. Despite being under the weather, "Kez" won at Atlanta while symbolically fading in the closing laps. He is now car owner Roger Penske's all-time win leader with 60, surpassing Mark Donohue.



Brad Keselowski drives into Victory Lane after winning at Atlanta. [AP/JOHN AMIS]

2. New package

There was no revolt by NASCAR drivers over the new aero/body package that debuted at Atlanta. "I don't think there was any more passing, I don't think there was any less passing," driver Erik Jones said. "I think it was kind of the same. It's just

different."

3. Trucking

Kyle Busch pushed his way to the top of the NASCAR Truck Series all-time win list. He now has 52 career wins after his triumph at

Atlanta. "It means a lot," Busch said. "It's a big deal for me and a big deal for this team." He holds the same title in NASCAR Xfinity.

— Godwin Kelly, godwin.kelly@news-jrnl.com

NASCAR CUP STANDINGS

1. Denny Hamlin	87
2. Kevin Harvick	79
3. Kyle Busch	78
4. Kyle Larson	77
5. Joey Logano	75
6. Brad Keselowski	72
7. Erik Jones	68
8. Kurt Busch	63
9. Clint Bowyer	60
9. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	60
11. Aric Almirola	58
12. Martin Truex Jr.	57
12. Alex Bowman	57
14. Ryan Blaney	54
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16. Jimmie Johnson	46
17. Chase Elliott	45
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19. Ty Dillon	44
20. Daniel Suarez	41

WHAT'S ON TAP

CUP SERIES: Pennzoil 400
SITE: Las Vegas Motor Speedway (1.5-mile quad-oval)
SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (Fox Sports 1, 3 p.m.), qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 7:30 p.m.). Saturday, practice (Fox Sports 1, 11:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.), Sunday, race (Fox, coverage begins at 3 p.m., racing at 3:30 p.m.)

XFINITY: Boyd Gaming 300
SITE: Las Vegas Motor Speedway
SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (Fox Sports 1, 4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.), Saturday, qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 12:30 p.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 4 p.m.)

GANDER OUTDOORS TRUCKS: Strat 200
SITE: Las Vegas Motor Speedway
TV SCHEDULE: Friday, qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 5 p.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 9 p.m.)

Sept. 21: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond
Sept. 29: Bank of America 500k at Charlotte
Oct. 6: Delaware 400 at Dover
Oct. 13: 1000Bulbs.com 500 Talladega
Oct. 20: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas
Oct. 27: First Data 500 at Martinsville
Nov. 3: AAA Texas 500
Nov. 10: Can-Am 500k at Phoenix
Nov. 17: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami

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DARTS

Suburban Dart League Standings

St. Paul's	40	20	.667
Star of Beth	40	23	.635
Bath Luth	38	25	.603
Dryland	35	28	.556
Emmanuel	32	31	.508
Christ UCC	30	33	.476
Ebenezer	29	34	.460
Light of Christ	28	35	.444
Farmersville	24	36	.400
St. Stephen's	24	39	.381
Salem UCC	22	38	.367

Star of Beth (6-4) at Christ UCC (5-3, 8-4)

C - Garry Hunsicker 9-13, Keith Laudenslager 7-14, George Gasper 6-12.

SB - Scott Hoffer 7-13, Kyle Taylor 5-10, Jason Biggs 5-13.

St. Stephen's (3-0) at Ebenezer (7-6, 9-1)

Eb - Carol Voortman 5-12 HR, Paul Yoder 5-12, Frank Trovato 4-12, Carl Fraley HR.

SS - Allan Antry 5-14 HR, Allan Behm 4-11 HR, Jim Blaukovich HR.

St. Paul's (5-2, 7-2) at Farmersville (2-0)

SP - Rich Kern 8-14, Brian Gross 5-14, Tom Unger 3-10.

F - Wade Chilmonik 4-11, Gene Grim 4-12, Ben Kerbaugh 4-12 HR.

Dryland (16-10, 2-1) at Emmanuel (2-1)

D - Butch Sillies 8-14 2HR, Larry Golick 6-15, Rich Dern 5-11.

Em - Chuck Achenzie 6-13 5 RBI game 1.

Bath Luth (6-3, 5-1, 4-3) at Light of Christ

BL - Butch Kemp 5-12, Jordan Meixsell 5-13, Wendy Yacone 4-12, Kyle Reece 4-12 HR, Dan Stillwell 4-13.

LC - Andy Mickelson 6-13, Terry Knauss 5-12, Dan Halteman 5-13, Todd Jones 4-12.

Bye - Salem UCC

Bethlehem Inter-Church Dart Baseball League Standings Week 2-7

Bethany UCC	15	3	.833
Holy Cross	11	7	.611
College Hill	10	8	.556
First UCC	10	8	.556
St. Peters	10	8	.556
Fritz Wesleyan	11	10	.524
WS Edgeboro	11	10	.524
Christ Lutheran	7	8	.467
East Hills	8	10	.444
*Star (HT)	9	12	.429
Christ UCC	6	12	.333
Schoenersville	6	12	.333
Trinity UCC	3	9	.250

*First half champ

RESULTS 02/18

Trinity UCC at First UCC 1-2, 1-5, 4-3

Bob Mease 4-11 for Trinity UCC; Warren Kurz 4-8 for First UCC.

Christ UCC at Schoenersville 2-3, 3-2, 3-5

Craig Ellis, Sr. 6-14 and Rich Lambert hit for the cycle for Christ UCC; Ray Walker 7-11 and Chris Walker 4-10 for Schoenersville.

College Hill @ Star (HT) 10-4, 5-14, 2-10

Bill Austin 7-12, Tom Hartzell and Mike DiMenichi each 7-14, Andrew

Hock 6-14, and Will Harstine 6 RBI for College Hill, who totaled 42 hits; Dave Repnyek 8-14, Dale Mack 7-11, Barry Coles 7-15, and Charlie Blatnik 6-11 for Star (HT), who totaled 45 hits.

WS Edgeboro @ Bethany UCC 3-4, 0-5, 6-7 (10)

Nelson Hoff hit for the cycle for WS Edgeboro who had 3HR as a team; Marlin Bozes 6-12, Todd Bozes 5-9, and Jeff Walczur 5-12 for Bethany UCC.

St. Peters @ Fritz Wesleyan 4-8, 2-4, 7-1

Tony DeAngelis, Jr. 7-9 w/cycle for St. Peters; Bryan Weller 8-12 and Blair Weller 5-12 for Fritz Wesleyan.

East Hills @ Holy Cross 6-5, 2-3, 4-1

Byron Bachman 6-13, Steve Kuhns 5-12, and Phil Hegedus 5-10 for East Hills.

St. Peters @ East Hills (from 2/11/19) 7-4, 5-2, 3-1

Kyle Hinchman 5-11 and Ron Frankentfield 6-12 for St. Peters, who led off 4 of 9 innings in game 1 with HRs; Tom Walz 8-11 for East Hills.

2018-2019 All-Star Match: The City/Suburban All-Star Match will take place on Monday, March 4, 2019 at Trinity Lutheran Church (Hecktown), 323 Nazareth Pike, Bethlehem, PA 18020. Practice will take place at 6:30 p.m. with the Best-of-5 match beginning at 7 p.m. Please contact Todd Bozes with any all-star players who are unable to participate as soon as possible so we know who to expect that night.

Hawks on quest for district three-peat

Patriots, 'Canes out of tourney

BY PETER CAR
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The quest for their third-straight District 11 4A title continues this week for Bethlehem Catholic, as the Golden Hawks hope to lock themselves into Friday's potential championship matchup with Central Catholic.

The 4A semifinals took place on Tuesday night, past Press deadlines, but it was a safe bet that both Becahi and ACCHS, the number one and two seeds respectively, would find their way toward another meeting this season.

But first thing was first for the Hawks with Tuesday's showdown against Wilson, a team the Hawks haven't seen this year, much like their first round opponent Pine Grove last week, where the Hawks easily handled the eighth-seeded Cardinals 70-48.

Wilson, who hasn't played an EPC team this season, figures to be a heavy underdog, but head coach Scott McClary hopes his team can stay focused and take care of business in the semifinal round and not look past Wilson's pedigree.

"It is both fun and challenging to play teams at this time of year that you have not seen during the regular season," said McClary. "Wilson is a very good team and has finished the year playing well."

The Warriors knocked off Northern Lehigh 66-52 in the quarters behind Robby Swiatek's 23 points. McClary knows he'll be the focus of Becahi's defensive game plan for Tuesday's affair.

"They have a great player in Swaitek, who scores the ball at a high level," McClary said. "They also have a host of athletes that are able to play an aggressive style of basketball. Their offense is constantly attacking you, even if they are patient with their shot selection. Sam Brown is excellent in attack mode for them. They have the ability to play multiple defenses in attempt to get you on your heels. They are well coached for sure."

Becahi will look to take advantage of Kyle Young's size in the middle, which will open up the floor for the rest of the team.

"Our key will be to take advantage of Kyle as much as possible," said McClary. "He is a player they do not have an answer for individually. We need to run our offense through him. If



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT
Freedom seniors Jack Gawlik (left) and Cameron Biery go up for a rebound during this past weekend's game at Allen.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT
William Slippe and the Hurricanes lost in the opening round of games last week.

Wilson dedicates multiple players to Young, we need to make them pay with easier looks on the perimeter. We need to control the glass and we need to stop their transition game while doing a tremendous job on Swaitek individually."

Central Catholic takes on Northwestern in the other semifinal. Should both schools win on Tuesday, Friday's meeting would mark their first encounter of the season.

In 6A, Freedom saw its season end in cruel fashion Saturday afternoon, as Christian Sapp nailed a three-point miracle at the buzzer to end the Pates season in a 46-43 loss.

Freedom finished the season at 16-8, but return a major portion of their roster next year, which is something head coach Joe Stellato can take as a positive heading into the offseason.

"That was a difficult game to accept," said Stellato, "but I am proud of the players for battling the way they did. Reuben Soto, one of our

top players, went down in the first two minutes of the game, and we shot 33-percent from the foul line. So, I was glad that we still had a chance to win the game. We hit some big shots and played great defense, but we just couldn't finish out the game.

"What had a great season. We had some really big wins and played great defense. When you have players like we did, who bought into the system we installed and had unselfish seniors that, in some cases, were willing to take a back seat to some very athletic juniors, it makes it for a fun year with very little drama. I am very proud of the team and can't wait to get started for next year."

Liberty lost in the first round of the tournament to Pocono Mountain West by a 62-58 score last week. The Panthers outscored the Hurricanes 39-24 in the second half to ultimately end their season. The Hurricanes ended the season 12-11 overall.

TROUT UNLIMITED

The Hokendauqua Chapter of Trout Unlimited will host the program "The Life Cycle of Mayflies."

The event takes place Wednesday, March 20, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at the Northampton Middle School, Rm. 205, located

at 1617 Laubach Ave., Northampton, PA 18067. The public is invited to attend. Questions call 610-262-7598.

VIA BRIEFS

A Via Basketball Clinic for athletes with special needs will take place March 17 from 2:30-3:30 p.m. at Freedom High School.

Basketball Hall of Fame combine clinic will take place Sunday, March 17 at 11 a.m. at Freedom.

ics, Banquet and Lehigh Valley Basketball Hall of Fame are available online at www.ViaNet.org or by calling at 484-821-0024.

Register by March 10.

Tickets, sponsor information and event details for the Via All-Star Basketball Classic, Clin-

VIA EVENTS

The Via all-star banquet will take place Wednesday, March 27 at 6:30 p.m. at the Sands Bethlehem Event Center. Alana Nichols is the keynote speaker.

Central Catholic; Danny Hinds, player Central Catholic.

Tickets, sponsor information and event details for the Via All-Star Basketball Classic, Clinics, Banquet and Lehigh Valley Basketball Hall of Fame are available online at www.ViaNet.org or by calling at 484-821-0024.

Hall of fame inductees are: Diane Decker, coach Notre Dame and Freedom high schools; Becky Guman, player

Via Super Saturday will take place Saturday, March 30, at 10:30 a.m. at the Northampton Community College. Tickets are \$5 at the door, \$3 for students and senior citizens!

Look for rosters and team in another edition.

HANOVER TWP. PROGRAMS

Hanover Township Northampton County is offering spring and summer programs starting Feb. 25 and running through Aug. 18 for kids as young as 3 and as old

as 14. Sports include volleyball, tennis, basketball, dance, soccer, T-ball, lacrosse as well as swimming lessons beginning the week of June 17.

For more information, call the Hanover Township Community Center at 610-317-8701 or visit www.hanovercommunitycenter.com.

LV-POCONO HOF

The Lehigh Valley-Pocono Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame Board has installed new officers for 2019.

Joe Mayer was elected Chairman; Mark Brown was elected Vice Chairman; Ron Spinner was re-elected Treasurer and Jeffrey R. Zettle-moyer was re-elected Secretary.

Current Board members are Edward John White, Deborah White,

Reik Faust, Pete Heard, Page Woodbury and Joshua Daly as Solicitor.

The annual induction and banquet will be held on May 11, 2019, from 5:30-9:30 p.m. at the Northampton Community Center on Laubach Avenue in Northampton. Lehigh Valley Sports Hall of Fame will induct eight new members into its Hall of Fame. The members of the class of 2019

for induction include Lynn Breedy, Mark Bonshak, Dave Crowell, Denny Douds, Jack Fenstermacher, Richard "Dick" Hammer Larry Rapp and Fred Ross.

Banquet ticket information is available from Jeffrey R. Zettle-moyer, 610-585-1111, Email address is zettldr@gmail.com.

All seating will be reserved prior to the event.

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BRIEFLY

VALLEY

Water forum set for Feb. 28

The Water We Share: Protecting Water Quality in the Lehigh Valley forum will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Feb. 28 in Room 605 in the Fowler Family Southside Center, Northampton Community College, 511 E. Third St.

The panel of regional and local stakeholders in state government, non-profits, and area businesses will highlight broad water quality issues affecting the Delaware River Watershed and the Lehigh Valley impacts.

The regional community event is hosted by the Conservation Voters of Pennsylvania, Sierra Club Pennsylvania Chapter, PennFuture and the Lehigh Valley Sustainability Network. For information, or to register, visit <https://paignid=7010Z000001qoVvKQAI>

CAHW

Animal shelter events end March 9

The Center for Animal Health & Welfare is holding a Pins for Pets fundraising until the end of the month. All donations sent in by Feb. 28 will be doubled on air during the morning with Bobby Gunther Walsh of Newsradio WAEB 790 through March 7.

There will be an individual/team bowling benefit from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. March 9 at Jordan Lanes, 731 Jordan Parkway, Whitehall. There will be raffles and a bake sale.

To register and for more information, call 610-252-7722, ext. 6; or visit <https://mailchi.mp/rcn.com/pins-for-pets?e=3192bcc96e>.

LEHIGH CO.

Unsung Heroes deadline March 8

The Lehigh County Office of Aging and Adult Services is now accepting nominations for its 2019 Unsung Heroes Program. The awards are given to Lehigh County residents age 60 and over who volunteered outstanding contributions or services that promoted, enhanced and enriched the quality of life for others.

The winners must be available to attend the local Unsung Hero celebration May 15. Nomination forms are available by visiting www.lehighcounty.org/Departments/Human-Services/Aging-and-Adult-Services.

Nominations must be postmarked by March 8.

PENN STATE/LV

Student artwork now featured

The Community Gallery at Penn State Lehigh Valley presents the exhibit, "Beyond Batiks," featuring works by William Allen Arts Academy students til March 23.

The exhibit is free and open to the public.

The Community Gallery at Penn State Lehigh Valley highlights artists in the region specifically as an outreach effort to artist groups and students.

The gallery is adjacent to the Ronald K. De Long Gallery on the Penn State Lehigh Valley campus, 2809 Saucon Valley Road, Center Valley.

Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. The gallery is closed Sundays and campus holidays.

For more information, contact Ann Lalik at ann.lalik@psu.edu or 610-285-5261.



"Nice princesses" Anna, Elsa and their fans model good behavior for the audience.

PRESS PHOTO BY DENNIS GLEW

'Frozen' comes alive

BY DOROTHY GLEW
Special to the Bethlehem press

Inspired by "The Snow Queen," a fairy tale by Hans Christian Andersen, and produced by Walt Disney Animation Studios, Frozen is ranked the highest-grossing animated film of all time.

The movie is about Anna, a fearless princess who goes off on a journey to find her estranged sister, Elsa, whose powers have unwittingly trapped their kingdom in winter permanently.

Frozen's popularity was evident on Friday, Feb. 16, when young fans of the film were invited to the Bethlehem Township Community Center for a program on the movie. At 9:30 in the morning 30 young children arrived, accompanied by 40 parents, as well as some younger siblings.



The grand entrance of Anna and Elsa definitely catches the audience's attention.

Most of the kids were dressed in costumes inspired by the film. The program began with light refreshments. Then the guests of honor, portraying Elsa and Anna,

arrived in costume. The children watched intently, sometimes singing along, while Elsa and Anna serenaded them with songs from the film. The two then led all

the attendees in the singing of "When You Wish Upon a Star." Finally, excited young participants came forward to be photographed with their heroines.



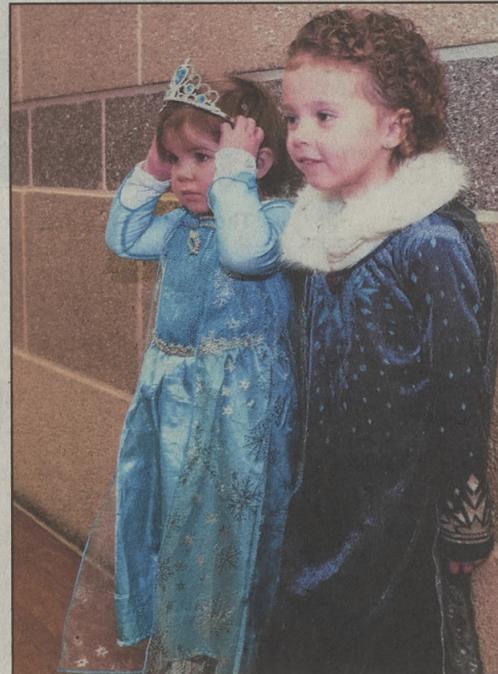
While Anna and Elsa sing, they are accompanied by a young audience member whose mother later commented that her daughter knows every song in the movie.



Every child has her picture taken with the guests of honor.



From silver slippers to a beautiful pink gown and matching nail polish, Emily Jacob, age 3, of Bethlehem is ready for the party.



Early arrivals for the party, cousins Chloe (left) and Annabella, wait for the arrival of Elsa and Anna.

BRIEFLY

BAPL/MAIN

New hours start March 4

Starting March 4, the Bethlehem Area Public Library's Main Library, 11 W. Church St., will have new hours.

Opening hours will be at 9 a.m. instead of 10 a.m. Mondays through Fridays. Saturday hours will remain the same, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m..

For information, visit www.bapl.org

DLARC

Ham radio classes start March 5

Ham Radio simultaneous classes, Lehigh Amateur Radio Club free entry level license prep classes or general amateur radio license, nine Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m., open to the public, Northampton County Gracedale complex, Nazareth. Visit www.dlarc.org or www.arrl.org or email KE3AW@ARRL.NET or call 610-432-8286.

DLARC / Delaware-Lehigh Amateur Radio Club will offer a series of nine free Tuesday evening classes from 7 to 9 p.m. beginning March 5 at the Northampton County Gracedale Complex, Nazareth.

The course is open to anyone interested in earning their entry-level FCC amateur radio license. A separate series of classes to upgrade to the General Amateur Radio License will be held simultaneously.

Visit www.dlarc.org or www.arrl.org or email KE3AW@ARRL.NET or call 610-432-8286.

MUSIC CLUB

Pianist scholarship tryouts March 23

Applications for the Allentown Music Club's 2019 Dr. Albert Hofmann Scholarship for Young Pianists are now available. Serious current students of piano, who attend a school in Lehigh or Northampton County and are enrolled in grades nine through 12, are eligible for the \$1,000 prize.

Auditions will be held in 15 minute increments from 5 to 7 p.m. March 23 at Asbury Methodist Church, 1533 Springhouse Road, Allentown.

The winner is required to perform his/her selections at the April 6 meeting of the club in the Zentz Community Building at Fellowship Manor, 3010 Fellowship Drive, Whitehall.

For more information and an application, call Dan Rambo at 610-442-1565 or email sdrsong@verizon.net.

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March 14 through 17

Saucon Valley H.S.: "Curtains," 7 p.m. March 14, 15, 16; 2 p.m. March 17; 2097 Polk Valley Road, Hellertown. Tickets: visit www.svdtheatre.com.

April 3 through 7

Charter Arts: "Sweeney Todd," 7 p.m. April 3, 4, 5, 6, 2 p.m. April 7. Black Box Theatre, 321 E. Third St. Tickets: <https://tickets.vendini.com/>. Call 610-868-2971, ext. 3185, or visit www.CharterArts.org.

April 4 to 7

Freedom HS: "Anything Goes," 7 p.m. April 4, 5, 6, 7; and 2 p.m. April 7. 3149 Chester Ave. Tickets: visit www.showtix4u.com/events/14581 or visit fstheatrecompany.com. For assistance, special needs seating, and box office hours, call 610-867-6630.

April 5 through 13

Bethlehem Catholic HS: "Meet Me in St. Louis," 7 p.m. April 5, 6, 12, 13; 2 p.m. April 7; Bethlehem Catholic HS auditorium, 2133 Madison Ave. Tickets: visit <http://bit.ly/becatheater> (seat reservation) or call 610-866-0791; pickup at door one hour prior to showtime if available.

April 11 through 13

Liberty HS: Disney's "Beauty and the Beast," 7 p.m. April 11, 12, 13; 2 p.m. April 13. Liberty HS auditorium, 1115 Linden St. Tickets (after March 2), visit: www.showtix4u.com/events/15435 or call 888-967-8167.

April 12 through 14

Notre Dame H.S.: "Thoroughly Modern Millie," 7 p.m. April 12, 13; 2 p.m. April 14. 3417 Church Road, Easton. Tickets: visit www.showtix4u.com/events/116073; or visit www.ncrusers.org.

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COLLEGE NOTES**Northampton Community College****'No Small Matter' film Feb. 27**

Northampton Community College will screen 'No Small Matter', a feature-length documentary film, at 9 p.m. in Room 220, College Center, Bethlehem Campus, 3835 Green Pond Road.

The film is about the human capacity for early intellectual development, the potential for high-quality early childhood care and education and how these services benefit our society and economy. A panel discussion will follow.

Admission is free and open to the public and NCC administrators, students and staff. For more information, visit www.northampton.edu or call 610-861-5300.

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Lead abatement program Feb. 28

The Bethlehem, Easton, and Northampton County Lead Coalition's free lead abatement training to contractors and associated individuals information session will be held 5:30 to 7 p.m. (snow date: March 7), in room 114, Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Third St.

All participants successfully completing the program will be eligible to attend additional safety training at no cost to obtain their 10-hour OSHA Construction Outreach Training Card. Programs meet the requirements of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Dept. of Labor and Industry's Lead Based Paint Occupation Accreditation and Certification Regulations, as well as the EPA's requirements in 40 CFR.

For information and enrollment, visit northampton.edu/LeadPaint. For questions, call 610-332-6596 or e-mail safety@northampton.edu.

Dental information sessions March 5

Northampton Community College will hold a free information session on the dental assisting program from 6 - 8:30 at the Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Third St.

The program, which can be completed in 10 weeks, prepares graduates to assist a dentist with diagnostic, preventive and other treatment of patients. It emphasizes hands-on instruction, clinical observation and an externship arranged by the college.

For more information, or to enroll, visit www.northampton.edu/HealthcareCourses. For questions, call 610-332-6585.

Kitchen Design class March 7, 14

NCC is offering a 'Design Your New Kitchen' class from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the Fab Lab, Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Fourth St.

Participants will learn how to use Google SketchUp software to create their dream kitchen. There is a cost. For questions, call 610-332-8665. To register, visit www.northampton.edu/fablab.

CACLV Small Business Finance begins April 4

The Finance module looks at a personal financial situation and how effective financial management translates to business success. Learn how to identify startup costs, develop financial statements and apply for financing. A hands-on workshop will allow students to put their new skills into practice under the guidance of a business planning professional. There is a cost. To register, email cacdb-syb@caclv.org with SYB - Finance (Spring 2019) in the subject line and your name and phone number in the body of the email.

Marketing begins March 7

Marketing modules introduces existing and prospective business owners to the process of developing a

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'Because the boys watching today will be the men of tomorrow'

BY DEBBIE GALBRAITH
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Have you seen the new Gillette commercial geared toward men that addresses bullying, toxic masculinity, sexual harassment and the #MeToo movement?

The commercial, which debuted Jan. 14 on social media, shows boys fighting while adults look on, saying "boys will be boys," instances of bullying, clips of sexual harassment and more, while the narrator asks, "Is this the best a man can get?"

The narrator continues by saying, "Something has changed and there is no going back," while showing news clips of current events of sexual harassment and more.

"Men need to hold other men accountable," Terry Crews, actor, activist and former NFL player, says as a clip is shown of Crews speaking about the Sexual Assault Survivors Rights Act.

"We believe in the best in men," the narrator says. "To say the right thing, to act the right way. Some already are - in ways big and small. But some is not enough."

"Because the boys watching today will be the men of tomorrow."

Featured in this commercial is Atlantic City resident Ibn Ali Miller breaking up a fight in 2017 and asking the boys to shake hands.

Critics say the commercial talks down to men and is insulting. Some say Gillette should stick to razors and shaving cream and stay out of politics. Some say they will now boycott Gillette and its parent company, Proctor &

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Gamble.

According to a Popbuzz Network Internet poll, the commercial has received 283,000 dislikes and 50,000 likes.

Of the likes, comments on social media thanked Gillette for the message, including, "Be a good human is getting ever-more commercially viable. I'm down with a future where it's cool to be protective and proactive at making the world better."

Responding to the nasty comments, one male said, "If there was ever any question as to how necessary the overall message is, read these comments and look at all the guilt. ... Well done. With any luck, the sons of these insecure commentators will see this Gillette ad and finally receive the positive messaging their fathers are likely neglecting to deliver. A shaving cream and razor manufacturer is doing your parenting for you."

Pankaj Bhalla, North America brand director for Gillette, told The New York Times in a Jan. 15 article, the controversy was not the intended goal of the ad, which is part of a larger campaign that takes a look at redefining Gillette's longtime tag line, "The Best a Man Can Get," in different ways.

While he doesn't want to lose sales or create a boycott over the ad, "We would not discourage conversation or discussion because of that," he said.

"Our ultimate aim is to groom the next generation of men, and if any of this helps even in a little way, we'll consider that a suc-

cess," Bhalla said.

Many years ago, kids were being bullied in a ball pit at a local kids' attraction in Allentown. I saw the behavior and looked around for someone from the staff to intervene and get the bully out of the ball pit. No one was around. I didn't want to leave the area because my kid was in the ball pit. After some time, I finally intervened and told the bully to get out of the pit. I suppose he thought I was someone of authority because he got out. Where were his parents? And why, while many other parents, male and female were watching, was I the only one who said something?

Viewers will take whatever message they want from this commercial and twist it to fit their politics and philosophies.

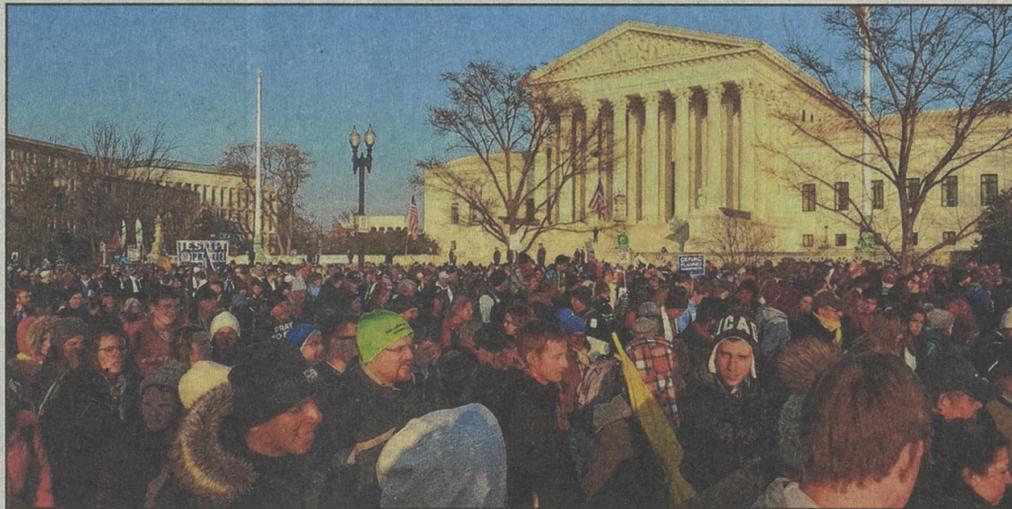
I will choose to take the message that it is time to step up and protect our children, teach them how to be kind and respectful and explain how words and actions can affect those around them.

I want my sons to be the men who step up, say the right thing and act the right way. And I am sure parents want their daughters to be with these kinds of men.

At the end of the ad, the narrator says, "It's only by challenging ourselves to do more that we can get closer to our best. We are taking action at thebestmenclub.org."

Is there anything wrong with challenging ourselves, male or female, to be the best we can be?

Debbie Galbraith edits the East Penn Press and the Salisbury Press for the LV Press organization.

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PRESS PHOTO BY CINDY O'BRIEN

Thousands of people from all over the country participate in this year's 46th annual March for Life in Washington, D.C., Jan. 18. The March for Life was the inspiration for approximately 90 other pro-life events across the country.

What did I learn from the March for Life?

BY MARY FRANCES SCHEIDEL
Special to the Bethlehem Press

"Who loves babies?" "We love babies!" This was one of the many chants I heard one month ago when in Washington, D.C., for the March for Life. Along with about 20 of my fellow students from Bethlehem Catholic, I had gotten on a bus the morning of Jan. 18 prepared to walk, to pray, and to have (hopefully) a good time.

We got to D.C. after the March had begun, racing to take a photo with Notre Dame and Central Catholic students before finding

a spot to blend into the stream of protesters. To someone who had never attended a march before, it seemed like the whole nation had turned out to lobby for the unborn's right to life. This obviously wasn't the case, but a thousands-strong crowd impressed me in a way I doubt anything has.

We walked. We shouted. We debated whether there were more or less people than 2018. We got signs ("I am a Member of the Pro-Life Generation") from passing Knights of Columbus and prayed the Rosary

with nearby marchers. Despite warnings about counter-protests or conflict, BeCa's afternoon was nearly seamless. A few friends and I joked with a teacher who wouldn't carry a sign; we talked with high schoolers from across the country; I was scolded by a security guard for stepping into the Supreme Court garden...

It was seemingly a day of solidarity and faith, an introduction to protests and greater ideals. I realized how many people support the right to life, and how varied they are. I felt the aura

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MATHCOUNTS - even on weekends

BY DOUGLAS GRAVES
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Math was cool – at least for a few hours during the MATHCOUNTS Lehigh Valley Regional Competition held at Lower Macungie MS Feb. 9.

The Saturday event had a bunch of smart kids out of bed and away from their TVs and social media while being excited about math.

“According to Kevin Campbell of Lehigh Valley Chapter Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers – the sponsor of the event, “Math is the foundation to being a good engineer –” therefore, he continued, “since engineers make all the good things that make life easier, “all engineers go to heaven.”

By extension, students should study their math if they want to go to heaven.

Springhouse MS math kids took top honors for their team. Springhouse’s 8th grader Brandon Cai, took top individual honors. Apparently, math smarts run in Cai’s family. According to Francee Fuller with Lehigh Valley Chapter Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers, “His brother Victor won the event last year.”

She said Springhouse MS also took top overall honors last year. Teacher Kevin Hallman coached the team.

Orefield MS math students took a special prize as being the most improved from last year. Teacher Craig Waters was their coach.

Campbell, the competition coordinator, welcomed the participants on behalf of the Lehigh Valley Chapter Pennsylvania Society of Professional Engineers. Saturday’s event was the 35th annual competition.

“MATHCOUNTS is a national math coaching and competition program for 6th, 7th, and 8th grade student that promotes interest and ability in math by making math excellence as challenging, exciting and prestigious as achievement in sports. MATHCOUNTS has reached more than 4 million students in its thirty-year history. It works because it is a partnership of the education, business and technological communities.”

The winning team will advance to the state-level competition in Harrisburg March 15-16. The four highest ranking individuals from the Count Down round and the two highest-ranking individuals who were not on the winning team will also compete in Harrisburg.

The top students from Pennsylvania will compete for national honors May 11-14 in Orlando.

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PRESS PHOTO BY ELISABETH LEE

The senior swimmers on the Liberty swimming team: (top row) Dylan Zukawski, Jake Evert, Sam Capwell, Jon Drago and Ryan Wycherley; (bottom row) Molly Gray, Jackie Baker, Emma Reilly, Natalie Richardson, Greta Stuckey and Kay Wetmore.

LIBERTY HS NOTES

By Elisabeth Lee

Swim, diving teams are record-breakers

While Liberty HS athletes participate in almost every sport, the school is known, most notably, for its astounding swimming and diving team. This season, both the girls and boys swimming teams ended with a record of 10 wins and two losses, proving their distinction within the Lehigh Valley. In addition to their incredible records, a girls relay and individual swimmers broke records as well.



Lee

For many years, the Liberty’s swimming and diving team (LSD) has sent numerous students to districts and states. This year, over 30 team members geared up to compete in the diving districts at Emmaus HS Feb. 23 and the swimming districts March 1 and 2 at Parkland HS.

Cara Kuykens, a senior diver, qualified and participated in the diving districts this past weekend. A diver since her sophomore year, Kuykens shares her favorite memories this past season.

“This year we got a new [diving] coach, and she has really helped the team have a positive outlook about diving. Since the team is so small, we became close with each other fast, and we always look forward to any time we spend together.”

The team is fairly new to diving so its goals for this season were to learn and execute more dives and perfect the ones they can already do, according to Kuykens.

With diving districts complete, the team is looking forward to the swimming districts this upcoming weekend. Around 30 swimmers are getting ready to compete against their biggest rivals: Parkland, Emmaus and Nazareth. One of the qualifiers for districts, Ryan Wycherley, says that this season has been a lot of fun and the team has made many improvements in its technique, training and stamina. LSD began practices before Thanksgiving. Swimmers come to practice before school, on days off, after school, and over the weekends. On top of their busy practice schedule, they compete in meets 1-2 days a week. Being a swimmer is definitely a huge commitment, but it properly represents the team’s strong willpower and determination.

Even when the team isn’t preparing for meets, swimmers and divers still like to get together to have pasta parties and sleepovers. They’ve grown as a family and share a lot of cherishable memories.

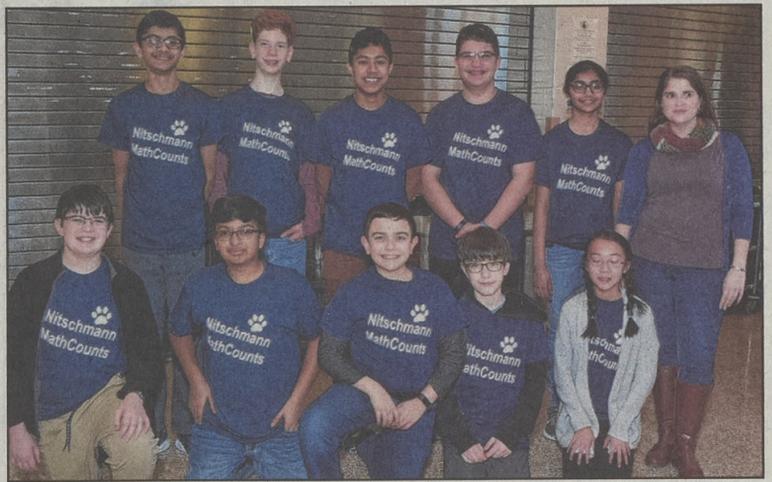
“I’ve been on this swim team since my freshman year, so this has been a really good season, but bitter-sweet at the same time,” says Kay Wetmore, a senior swimmer. According to Wetmore, they maintain the tradition of passing down team awards from the seniors to the underclassmen.

“Prior to districts, some people on the team have the tradition of bleaching their hair, and then on the day of districts we shave our heads,” Wycherley says. Both of these traditions have been a token to their dedication and enthusiasm for the team and the sport.

For the team, swimming and diving have become more than just sports, but also a place where they get to cherish the time with their teammates and support each other in their achievements. Naturally, they’ve created a family and sense of community; an attribute Liberty is so proud to represent. Although it’s been an intense season for the Liberty swimming and diving team, everyone’s determination has produced a season with sensational records, new achievements and personal feats. The end of this season only prefaces LSD’s success at districts and states.



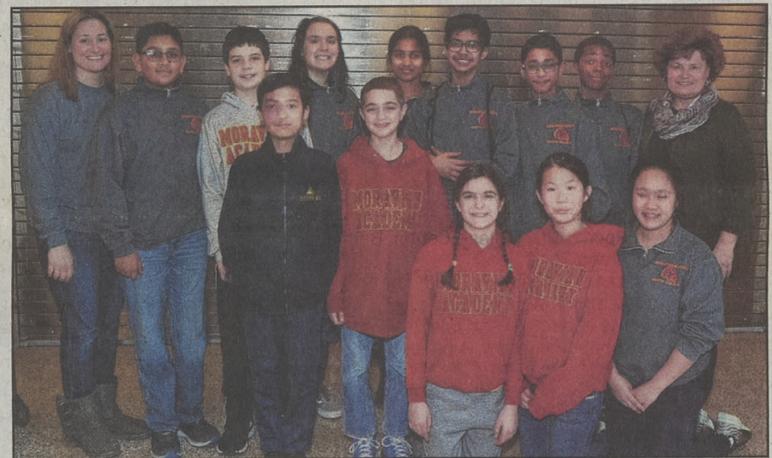
Liberty swimmers Sammy Taylor, Greta Stuckey, Kay Wetmore and Abby Mack after winning the meet against Freedom HS.



Nitschmann MS: Standing - Siddhardh Tekumalla, Owen Lansing, Ritvik Singh, Chris Giannaras, Sruti Tekumalla and Coach Nadine Novatnek. Kneeling - Joshua Freedman, Neil Rana, Pantelis Georgalas, Ethan Caine and Stephanie Zheng.



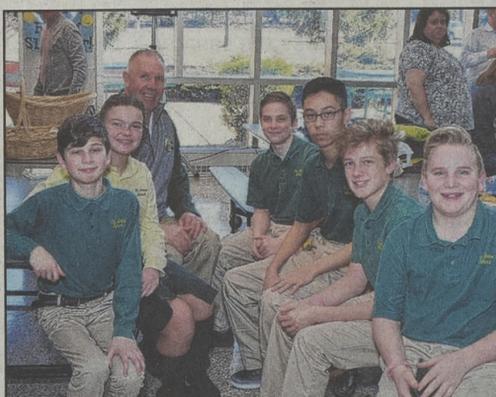
East Hills MS: Back row - Luis Vazquez, Kyle Kullman, Aaron Steinmetz, Alex Reeder, Maggie Marshaleck, John Coulter, Tyler Malitzki and Coach Jolanda Veseli. Front row - Genesie Rivera, Carrson Chambers, Daniela Guzzo and Prajeet Santra.



Moravian Academy: Back row - Coach Andriana Turcotte, Aman Desar, Hunter Zickerman, Chessie Bartolacci, Pranavi Marella, Rohan Mehta, Krish Gupta, Okezu Bell and Coach Alison Overdorf. Middle row - Ryan Cheng, George Botros. Kneeling - Valia Tsurukis, Hanning Yan and Yan Yu.



Saucun Valley MS: Back row - Julia Youngkins, Victoria Youngkins, Claire Phillips, Amanda Dettmar, Kimmy Moser, Zac Rex, Jeffery Holzbaour, Cole Hubert. Kneeling - Lincoln Alicea, Will Maynard, Benny Broadhead, Daniel Lanning, Lois Flowers and Rudra Thakkar.



St. Anne’s Bethlehem: Braden Antonis, Lacey Yount, Vic Hudak (coach), Nick Fegely, John Pham, Jeremy Fyrer and Luke Zeitner.



Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Tenley Irr, Emma Zambo, Carly Campbell, Connor Olivieri and Katy Stawicki.

YOUR LOCAL WEATHER

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	34 / 27	38 / 29	39 / 32	44 / 37	40 / 33	35 / 28	32 / 25
	2-2 mph SE	1-7 mph WSW	3-7 mph ESE	3-8 mph SSE	9-16 mph W	11-17 mph WNW	5-12 mph NW

FORECAST FOR LEHIGH VALLEY PENNSYLVANIA

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a slight chance of isolated snow, high temperature of 34°, humidity of 42%. Light winds. The record high temperature for today is 72° set in 1997. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 30% chance of isolated snow, overnight low of 27°. Light winds. The record low for tonight is -2° set in 1963. Thursday, skies will be mostly cloudy with a high temperature of 38°, humidity of 52%. West southwest wind 1 to 7 mph. Thursday night, skies will be mostly cloudy with a slight chance of isolated snow, overnight low of 29°. North northeast wind 1 to 5 mph. Friday, skies will be mostly cloudy with a 30% chance of rain and snow, high temperature of 39°, humidity of 67%. East southeast wind 3 to 7 mph.

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of hope all marchers must have felt – that the world would change, that we were gathered to send a message that would finally come through. Of course it didn't last.

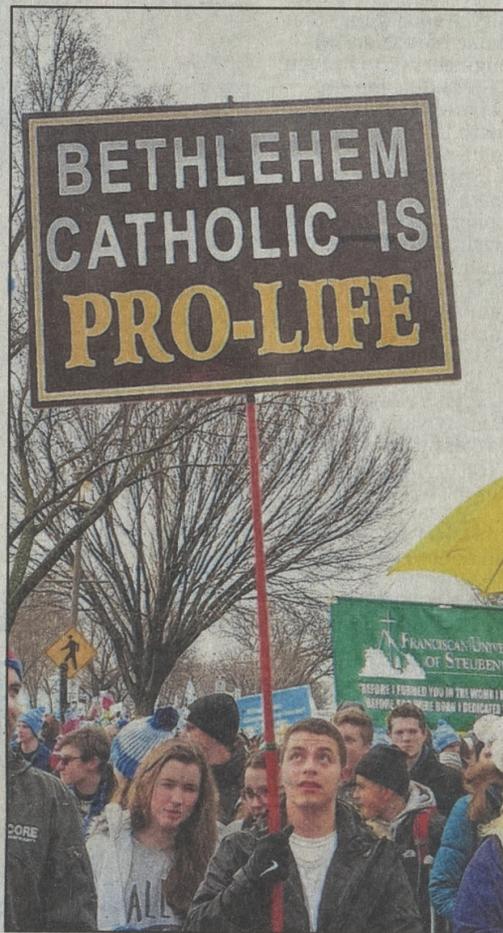
By the next day, my image of a unified protest had dissolved. "Covington Catholic" and a "Native American Elder" overtook the national stage. What had happened to the March I attended? Why was the experience now marred with controversy and animosity? For about a week, I wondered whether my idea of the March was worth holding onto. I watched as a boy my age and an Omaha elder faced off on YouTube, over and over again. Another article. Another video.

I heard that many of the headlines had been exaggerated, but the confrontation was still a major news point. My AP Government class didn't wrap up the discussion for days. I decided to forget about

the incident, until I realized that I couldn't. So instead I thought about it. I read news articles and watched the videos as closely as I could. I took out the signs I'd gathered. And I remembered how it felt to be part of a group that had a common goal. How it felt to be united.

I learned a lot from the March this year. Not only did I gain experience in a form of protest, but I uncovered an aspect of pro-life that went beyond weekly meetings and Bible quotes. I discovered the bitter side to a good trip. I learned that we can't assume one part of a crowd is the same as another. That if we're quick to make assumptions, everybody suffers. And if anyone ever tries to tell me that all pro-life supporters are the same, or that the 2019 March was spoiled by politics, I'll be the living proof that neither opinion is true.

Mary Frances Scheidel is the Bethlehem Press student reporter at Bethlehem Catholic HS.



Senior Issaiah Lopez was one of 20 Bethlehem Catholic HS students making the trip to Washington, D.C., for the March for Life.

MATHCOUNTS RESULTS

Top Six Teams

1. Springhouse MS, coached by Kevin Hallman
2. Southern Lehigh MS, coached by Ronnette Mays
3. Easton MS, coached by Eric and Alex Adams
4. Moravian Academy, coached by Alison Overdorf and Andriana Turcotte
5. Eyer MS, coached by Julie Hummell
6. Orefield MS, coached by Craig Waters

Top 10 Mathletes

1. Brandon Cai, 6th grade, Springhouse MS – also top 6th grader
2. Eric Zhang, 8th grade, Springhouse MS
3. Adam Plotka, 8th grade, Eyer MS
4. Taha Mirrani, 8th grade, Orefield MS
5. Dan Martinez, 8th grade, Pocono Mountain MS
6. Aditya Singhvi, 8th grade, Orefield MS
7. Sophie Wen, 8th grade, Southern Lehigh MS-also top female Mathlete
8. Armaan Makwana, 8th grade, Easton MS
9. Alaina Patel, 8th grade, Southern Lehigh MS-also second highest scoring female
10. Eric Welp, 8th grade, Eyer MS

Other Awards

- Emma Li, 8th grade, third highest scoring female-8th grade, Easton Area MS
- Jeffrey Holzbaur-highest scoring 7th grade, Saucon Valley MS
- Orefield Middle School – most improved team-coached by Craig Waters
- St Jane Frances de Chantel School (Easton)- best new team-coached by Margie DiLollo
- Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Bethlehem) – Honorable Mention-coached by Pat Sabino
- Swiftwater Intermediate School—Special Award (nine female competitors; 1 male)- coached by Joy Carsia and Jeff Sottolano
- Award presenter, on behalf of the LV PA Society of Professional Engineers, was Al Dezubay, Vice-President.

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Boot camp start-up ends March 28

On Jan. 28, Northampton Community College began an eight-week startup boot camp program at the Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Fowler Family Southside Center. Out of all of the students who submitted an application describing their business idea, seventeen were chosen to participate.

The final pitch will take place March 26 at the center.

The winning idea will represent NCC at the Lehigh Valley Collegiate Business Pitch Competition in April of 2019 at the Ben Franklin Institute.

Northampton Community College's main campus is located at 3835 Green Pond Road. The Fowler Family Southside Center is located at 511 E. Third St. For information, call 610-861-5000 or visit www.northampton.edu.

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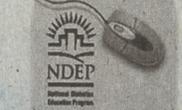
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Shakespeare meets the classics in Allentown Symphony concerts

CLASSICAL VIEWS

By Diane Wittry



William Shakespeare is often considered the most influential writer in the English language.

We studied Shakespeare in school and some of us can even recite famous quotes from his plays: "To be or not to be: that is the question" from "Hamlet"; or "O Romeo, Romeo, wherefore art thou Romeo?" from "Romeo and Juliet," or "If music be the food of love, play on." from "Twelfth Night."

Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" was one of the plays I remember reading in high school, but I still have to say that my favorite Shakespeare play is "Ro-

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Violinist Timothy Choo. 2018 winner of the Allentown Symphony's National Schadt String Competition.

8 DAYS A WEEK Your look ahead at Valley Arts



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State of "Illusionists": On the heels of a highly-successful multi-city tour and run on Broadway, "The Illusionists: Live From Broadway" plays the State Theatre Center for the Arts, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 28 and March 1 as part of its North American tour in 2019. Full of hilarious magic tricks, death-defying stunts and acts of breathtaking wonder, "The Illusionists" has thrilled audiences of all ages with a mind-blowing spectacular, showcasing the jaw-dropping talents of six incredible illusionists. Says the show's Creative Producer Simon Painter, "We can't wait to bring this electrifying show to Easton for a truly entertaining experience for the whole family. 'The Illusionists' is the most non-stop and powerful mix of outrageous and astonishing acts ever to be seen on the live stage." The cast includes An Ha Lim, first place winner at Korea's Busan International Magic Competition and several other magicians' contests; Jonathan Goodwin, an accomplished knife-thrower, archer and escape artist; Colin Cloud, said to be one of the greatest thought-readers; Paul Debak, a magician, comedian and actor; Raymond Crowe, a magician, comedian, mime and ventriloquist, and Sabine, winner of the Silver Clown at the Circus Festival in Monte Carlo. Tickets: State Theatre Center for the Arts box office, 453 Northampton St., Easton; statetheatre.org; 1-800-999-7828; 610-252-3132

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICALS

STORY AND PHOTO BY ED COURRIER

With the spotlight on Lehigh Valley high school musicals on the road to the 2019 Freddy Awards at the State Theatre Center for the Arts, Easton, the Lehigh Valley Press Focus section continues its annual preview series.

The 17th annual Freddy Awards recognize accomplishments in musical theater in high schools in Lehigh and Northampton counties, and Warren County, N.J.

The list of the 30 schools participating in the 2019 Freddy Awards, along with productions, performance dates and ticket information, is at: freddyawards.org

The 2019 Freddy Awards ceremony will be broadcast at 7 p.m. May 23 from the State Theatre on WFMZ-TV and wfmz.com.

Lincoln Leadership 'A Little Princess'

Lincoln Leadership Academy presents a Victorian era tale of stark class differences with "A Little Princess," 7:30 p.m. March 8, 9, and 2 p.m. March 9 and 10, Samuels Theatre, Tompkins College Center, Cedar Crest College, 100 College Drive, Allentown.

Based on the 1905 children's novel, "A Little Princess" by Frances Hodgson Burnett, the musical follows the trials of a young wealthy British girl in a London boarding school. She is separated from her father, an adventurer on a trek to Timbuktu.

"The musical is not often performed and packs a

punch. The students at Lincoln Leadership hope to continue to build on the success of the theater program and what it means in their personal lives, to their school, and to the community," says Director Tasia Gilbert, who with her family founded the theater and choral group, Sing for America.

Assisting Gilbert are choreographer Taryn Gilbert, music director Vanessa Jacobs, and sound designer Andy Tu.

The show has music by Andrew Lipka, and book and lyrics by Brian Crawbuck.

The musical premiered in 2004 in Palo Alto, Calif.,



Lincoln Leadership "A Little Princess" leads include, from left, Emmanuel Cruz (Captain Crewe), Mahwish Ahmed (Sara Crewe), Zoe Jackson (Becky) and Jamari Wilson (Queen Victoria).

and later played off-Broadway. Songs include "Good Luck, Bonne Chance," "Timbuktu," "Let Your Heart Be

Your Compass," "Soldier On" and "Soon."

Tickets: llacslv.org; 610-417-2189

Student Poetry Project now accepting entries

Submissions are now being accepted for the 14th annual award-winning Lehigh Valley Press Student Poetry Project.

In celebration of National Poetry Month in April, poems will be selected in each of the Elementary School, Middle School and High School categories and published in the April 17 and April 18 Focus section in the eight Lehigh Valley Press newspapers and web sites.

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

Three writers of the first-place poems will be invited to

14TH ANNUAL Student Poetry Project

read their poems and be interviewed on "Lehigh Valley Arts Salon," 6:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. April 15, WDIY, Lehigh Valley Community Radio, 88.1 FM, wdiy.org.

The entry guidelines:
1 The Student Poetry Project is open to Lehigh Valley elementary school, middle school and high school public, parochial, private, charter, cyber and home-school students in the circulation areas of the Lehigh Valley Press newspapers:

Salisbury Press, East Penn Press, Parkland Press, Northwestern Press, Whitehall-Coplay Press, Catasauqua Press, Northampton Press and Bethlehem Press.

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

3 On the same page as the poem, include student name, age, grade, school, district, tele-

phone number and email of parent or guardian for contact information only. The phone number and email will not be published or shared.

4 Each student may submit up to three poems, which must be his or her original composition. Each poem should be a separate entry. Individual poems should be at least 10 lines in length. However, students may submit up to three shorter poems on a single theme with a title, on a single page. Single poems shorter than 10 lines will not be accepted.

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

6 Hand-written or printed versions of poems may be

mailed to or dropped off to: Student Poetry Project, care of Lehigh Valley Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, Pa. 18104.

Teachers may submit multiple class poems in a single envelope as long as they are on separate pages and contain the required student information.

7 Entries must be received (by U.S. Mail or email) by 5 p.m. March 15.

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

9 Copies of poems will not be returned.

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



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The art of incarceration at Banana Factory show

BY ED COURRIER
Special to The Press

In partnership with Art For Justice, The Moravian Church Eastern District, and Moravian Seminary, ArtsQuest presents "Hope in Hard Times: Prisoners' Art for Social Justice," March 1 - April 7, Banko Gallery, Banana Factory Arts Center, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem.

"As a community-based arts center, one of our primary focuses is to showcase artists and exhibitions that prompt people to stop and think about issues that are impacting our society," says ArtsQuest Sr. Director of Visual Arts Stacie Brennan.

"Art can tell stories about the human experience through the lens of an individual deep within the criminal justice system, or prison," says Ann Marie Kirk, co-founder of Art For



Justice, a Montgomery County nonprofit whose goal is to bring awareness about the criminal justice system through the art of prisoners.

"Viewing the art can open conversations about collective justice and individual worth in our times," says Kirk.

"I understand that fairness for all people is made possible, or not possible, through the criminal justice system and other structures and institutions of society," Kirk says.

"The criminal justice system, as acknowledged by many in our country, is broken. My hope is that those who

behold this exhibit will be enriched personally by the experience and will also look for ways to engage constructively in their communities and the issues of our times," says Kirk.

The artwork includes self-portraits by Charles Lawson, who co-founded Art For Justice, and is in prison serving a life sentence without parole. Another artist represented in the exhibit is Daniel Gwynn.

"Art for Justice seemed to be the perfect partner and a way to share the gift of art of the incarcerated with not only just the 14 Moravian churches in the Lehigh Valley, but the entire community," says Calvary Moravian Church Pastor Janel Rice.

"We hope that this exhibit will begin or continue a conversation between our faith and

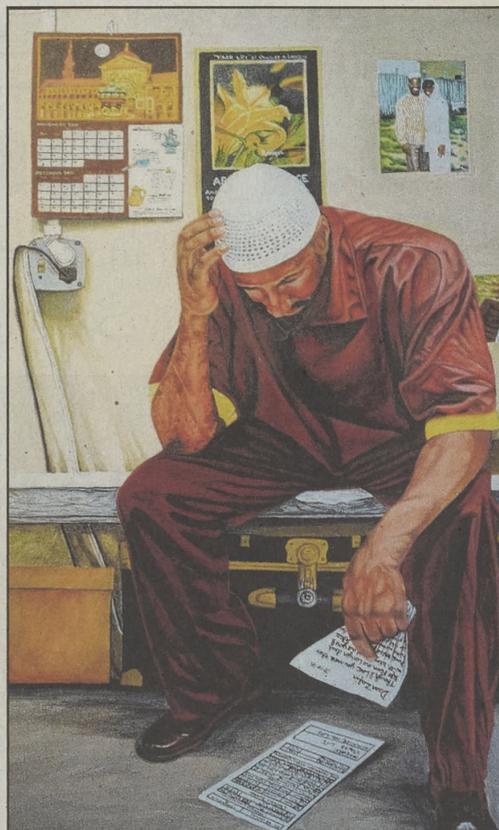
our practices of love and justice in the lives of the incarcerated and in the movements for criminal justice reform," Rice says.

Events schedule
1:45 p.m. March 1, talk, Ann Marie Kirk, First Friday, Banana Factory

7 p.m. March 19, Lecture, Tyrone Werts, Soros Fellow, Prosser Auditorium, Moravian College. Free. Register: moravianseminary.edu/academics/continuing-education

2 - 4 p.m. March 24, "Vigil for Hope in the Criminal Justice System," talk, Chester Holman, Jr., Banana Factory

Gallery hours: 8 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. banana-factory.org; artfor-justice.org; 610-332-1300.



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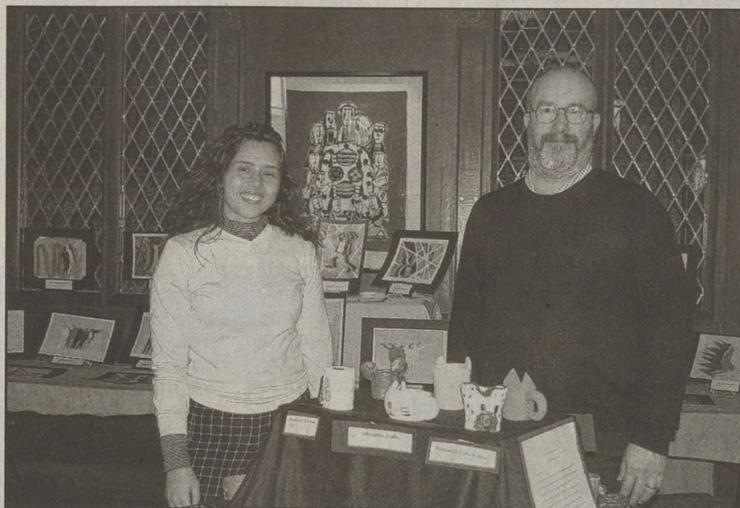
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Student artwork at St. John's ELC



Artwork by 60 seventh grade and eighth grade Roberto Clemente Charter School students is displayed in The Gathering Place, St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 37 S. Fifth St., Allentown, for the Feb. 21 "Destination Arts: Third Thursday" in Center City Allentown. Cheyenne Gaillard, left, Teacher, Introduction To Humanities, Roberto Clemente School, and Eric Gombert, right, Artistic Director, Arts At St. John's, greet visitors. Student art themes included "On-point perspective," "Clay cups," "Gesture collage" and "Stained glass with tissue paper."

The Rev. Bradley Carroll, left, Pastor, St. John's Lutheran Evangelical Church, and Ann Dreyman, right, volunteer, Arts At St. John's, attend the Roberto Clemente Charter School student art exhibit at the church. It was the second art exhibit by Roberto Clemente students held at the church. The church is participating in "Third Thursday" events for March, April and May. "Holy Week" art is the theme for the April 18 "Third Thursday" at the church.

PRESS PHOTOS BY PAUL WILLISTEIN

Ladies who lunch don't need friend's flu

Dear Jacquelyn,
I have a weekly ladies' luncheon. My friend called to say she has had the flu all week and will attend just to get out of the house. How do I tell her she shouldn't come?

RESPECTFULLY YOURS
By Jacquelyn Youst



Dear Reader,
Showing up at the luncheon when you are days into a case of the flu is completely inexcusable. The sniffles are one thing, but the flu is dangerous and your friend needs to stay home. To be properly sick and then go to a small place for a luncheon is wrong. The last thing anybody at the ladies' luncheon signed up for is to exchange socializing for the flu. There's no reason her social calendar should trump

she needs to be patient and pace herself carefully.

Include in your conversation that you're concerned and want to see her recover without complications. Pass along to her that you and the other females look forward to catching up the following week.

Share with her some ideas and activities that will help with the boredom and cabin fever. If she is well enough, suggest she try to go for a slow walk around the block. The change in scenery without coming in close contact with people might give her the boost she needs. She is apparently craving some social interaction.

If she has access to a computer, suggest she give social media a try, including video phone

chats. That would allow her to see people without infecting them in the process.

When you have a cold or the flu, you need to do whatever it takes to prevent spreading your sickness to others.

It's polite to encourage your friend to take better care of herself and look out for others while ill.

Respectfully Yours,
Jacquelyn

Have a question? Email: jacquelyn@ptd.net. Jacquelyn Youst is owner of the Pennsylvania Academy of Protocol, specializing in etiquette training. She is on the board of directors of the National Civility Foundation.

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Keeping up with technology

WARMEST REGARDS
By Pattie Mihalik
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When I was buying a new car three years ago, the salesman tried to talk me into a higher-priced model.

"The SUV you are thinking of buying doesn't have an electronic lift to raise and lower your door," he said.

I told him if I couldn't manage to open and close the back without assistance I was probably too feeble to drive.

It just seemed like one more way to get us to spend more money.

Three years later, I find there are times when I would have liked that hands-free door. But not enough times to warrant the expenditure of money.

My main concern back then was the same it is now: safety features. Anything that keeps me safer on the road is desirable.

I opted for the built-in navigation system because I've got a rotten sense of direction. If I'm at a place where I can turn right or left, there is a 100 percent chance of probability I will make the wrong choice.

With today's busy roads and drivers with cellphones or other distractions, I can't afford to take my eyes off the road for two seconds.

Unfortunately, when I bought my car, a lot of what is now standard issue on new cars was only available with the top models.

My friend, Jeanne, bought a car with all the safety bells and whistles.

If she doesn't brake in time to avoid hitting the car in front of her, her car will do it for her.

If she gets too close to a car in the next lane, her car will beep and let her know.

I'm amazed at all the technical advances we have that we didn't dream of 10 years ago.

First there was Siri to tell us information, then along came Alexa.

My husband was given Alexa for Christmas. After he figured out how to work it, we've been having fun testing Alexa to see how much she knows.

I no longer have to turn on my computer to learn the week's expected weather. Alexa is good with specifics, giving us the weather in every location we query.

We're amazed at how fast Alexa can spit out obscure information. Who knows where computers and artificial intelligence will take us next.

I have a friend who says she's "so over Alexa." She had it for a while but quickly tired of it, she said, and gave it to her grandson.

She does have another gadget I wish I had. If she forgets where she parked her car she doesn't have to roam a big parking lot trying to find it.

With her cellphone she can zoom in on the location of her car.

I just read online that I should be able to do the same thing without buying another gadget.

I read where my iP-

hone should be able to find my car, just by tapping into the Apple Map. When I disconnect from Bluetooth, Map will mark the spot where I parked.

The internet article made it sound easy. For me, nothing about using new technology is easy.

It took me two months to figure out why I couldn't get Amazon Prime movies on my TV. After a lot of trial and error I was jubilant when I could finally do it. Yet it's something a 10-year-old could do in minutes.

I am tempted to hire a kid to help me do all the technological things I am struggling to learn.

It pays to be aware of what we can do with a little bit of technology. I have a friend who was worried about his wife driving around their island at night, so he put a tracker on the car that immediately tells him where it is.

The tracking device wasn't a secret. He told his wife about it, saying it would be an added measure of safety for her.

She must have forgotten because one night she told her husband she was going to choir practice at her church. Every Wednesday she went to "choir practice" until her husband happened to notice her car was parked each week at a remote motel, not at the church.

The end of the story is spelled d-i-v-o-r-c-e.

Some of our friends said they would never want a tracker on their car. I would.

I had an incident a few years ago when I was lost in a remote area that was nothing but construction sites. The GPS on my cellphone wasn't in service.

When I noticed car lights behind me turning every time I did, even when I went around in circles, I figured I was in trouble.

I found myself thinking no one would even find my body because no one knew where I was going.

Luck was with me when I finally came to a home with lights on. I went up to the door and pretended I lived there until the car drove away.

I'm told that most new cars today can be tracked using a Smartphone with location settings turned on. Google Maps can also track your location, I'm told. Again, I need a 10-year-old to explain it to me.

I think I'd better put an ad in the paper to hire a kid. Oh, that's right. Kids don't read newspapers.

They're too busy playing with all the new technology.

Contact Pattie Mihalik at newsgirl@comcast.net.

Pre-teen's backpack symbols questioned

Q. I just discovered strange symbols on my 12-year-old's backpack. Recently, his attitude at home has changed. He is refusing to do chores and is hanging out with a new group of friends. I am worried that he may be hanging out with a gang. He won't talk to me about it, other than to say that his new friends are "dope." What can I do?

THE FAMILY PROJECT
By Carole Gorney



simple as logos from video games. "At the same time, we have had kids in middle school connected to gangs who are used to deliver drugs. It is wise for her to be aware, but I'd be slow to jump to that conclusion."

Stefanyak also noted that a lot of young people think of their group of friends as a gang. "The word can sometimes have a different meaning for kids," he said.

Contacting the guidance counselor at the son's school was suggested by panelist Erin Stalsitz. "The school might have knowledge about the symbols, and about the company the boy is keeping."

Law enforcement is also very much in tune with graffiti and symbols, and could provide information on any gang activity, Stefanak added.

Panelist Pam Wallace said she would want to

know what other behavior changes the mother has noticed in her son. "Not wanting to do chores is normal. If he is skipping school, I'd be concerned. A huge dip in grades, concern. If he suddenly has money and a lot of stuff, be concerned."

Daniels suggested having a non-combative conversation with the son about the mother's concerns and her need to keep him safe in this world. He said she could begin by saying, "You are entering into a new phase in your life and I just want you to be aware of some things. There are going to be a lot of people and a lot of temptations that are going to challenge the values we are talking about. That's part of being a teenager. I just want you to know you can always come to us."

This week's team of parenting experts are: Pam Wallace, Program Coordinator, Project Child, a program of Valley Youth House; Mike Daniels, LCSW, Psychotherapist, CTS; Chad Stefanyak,

school counselor; Denise Continenza, extension educator, and Erin Stalsitz, Lehigh County Children and Youth Case-work Supervisor.

Have a question? Email: projectchild@projectchildlv.org

The Family Project is a collaboration of the Lehigh Valley Press Focus section and Valley Youth House's Project Child.

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Fibromyalgia difficult to diagnose, treat

Q. My sister went through a nightmare of doctor visits before she finally found out she has fibromyalgia. Why did it take so long for a correct diagnosis?

HEALTHY GEEZER
By Fred Cicetti
fred@healthygeezers.com



What your sister endured is common. It's not easy to diagnose fibromyalgia with a laboratory test. Healthcare practitioners have to rely on symptoms to make a diagnosis.

Fibromyalgia symptoms vary. To complicate the diagnosis, fibromyal-

gia imitates rheumatoid arthritis, multiple sclerosis, lupus and other conditions.

Fibromyalgia is from the Latin term for fibrous tissue (fibro) and the Greek terms for muscle (myo) and pain (algia). Fibromyalgia is not a disease. It's a syndrome, which is a group of symptoms without a single cause. It is characterized by widespread pain, tenderness and fatigue.

Other symptoms of fibromyalgia may include: cognitive difficulties ("fibro fog"); sleep disturbances, morning stiffness, headaches, irritable bowel syndrome, painful menstrual periods, numbness or tingling of the extremities, restless legs syndrome, and sensitivity to heat, cold, noises and lights.

About five million in the United States have fibromyalgia. More than 80 percent of those diagnosed with fibromyalgia are women. Most are diagnosed during middle age.

While fibromyalgia is a chronic condition, it is not progressive. It is never fatal, and it will not cause damage to joints, muscles, or internal organs. In many, the condition improves.

The causes of fibromyalgia haven't been found. There is speculation that the syndrome may be caused by trauma or repetitive injuries.

According to one theory, those with fibromyalgia may have genes

that cause them to react strongly to stimuli that most would not perceive as painful.

The American College of Rheumatology has established criteria for diagnosing fibromyalgia. The patient must have diffuse tenderness and a history of widespread pain lasting more than three months. Pain is considered to be widespread when it affects all four quadrants of the body.

Fibromyalgia can be difficult to treat. Treatment often requires a doctor, physical therapist and other healthcare professionals. There are clinics that specialize in fibromyalgia treatment.

Fibromyalgia can be treated with antidepressants, because antidepressants elevate the levels of chemicals in the brain that are associated not only with depression, but also with pain and fatigue. Increasing the levels of these chemicals can reduce pain in those who have fibromyalgia.

Those with fibromyalgia may benefit from a combination of physical and occupational therapy, from learning pain management and coping techniques, and from properly balancing rest and activity.

Some with fibromyalgia also report success with massage, movement therapies, chiropractic treatments and acupuncture.

There are steps you can take to minimize the ef-

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★

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Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once.

Answer to previous puzzle

6	7	4	2	1	5	9	3	8
8	1	9	3	7	4	6	5	2
2	5	3	9	6	8	1	7	4
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9	2	5	6	3	1	8	4	7
7	3	1	8	4	9	5	2	6
1	4	7	5	9	6	2	8	3
5	9	8	4	2	3	7	6	1
3	6	2	1	8	7	4	9	5

Difficulty Level ★★★

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fects of fibromyalgia.

Getting enough sleep, exercising and making changes at work can all help.

For example, some cut down the number of hours they work, switch to a less demanding job, or adapt a job. You can also change your work environment. An occupational therapist can help you design a more comfortable workstation.

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Pa. Sinfonia to present annual all-Mozart concert



Fiona Gillespie

Pennsylvania Sinfonia Orchestra, conducted by Music Director Allan Birney, presents "An Afternoon with Mozart," 4 p.m. March 3, Christ Lutheran Church, Allentown.

An all-Mozart concert on a March afternoon has become an anticipated part of the Sinfonia's season schedule.

The program includes "Symphony No. 17 in G," K. 129; "Exultate, Jubilate," K. 165, and the "Violin Concerto No. 4 in D," K. 218, in which violinist Rebecca Brown is soloist.

"Exultate, Jubilate" is a three-movement motet for voice and orchestra. In modern practice, the solo part is generally sung by a female soprano. Joining the Sinfonia for the performance is soprano Fiona Gillespie, a Lecturer in Music at Muhlenberg College.

She received an M.M. in Voice with a concentration in Early Music from the University of North Texas. A native of Bethlehem, she attended the Lehigh Valley Charter High School for the Arts.

Brown, principal second violin of the Sinfonia for 30 years, is a frequent soloist during "Valley Vivaldi" and performs with the Bach Festival Orchestra, Satori chamber ensemble and Allentown Symphony Orchestra.

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart composed Violin Concerto in D, along with those in G and A major, in Salzburg in 1775, when he was 19. The works were intended for a concert tour.

According to Brown, when composer Franz Joseph Haydn, then in his 40s and at the peak of his career, heard the concertos, he wrote to Leopold Mozart, Wolfgang's father: "Your son could be the king of the violin if he so chose."

"But that wasn't the life young Mozart wanted," says Brown. Instead, he became a composer and pianist. His compositions for violin were not as extensive. "So we are lucky to have these gems," Brown says.

Mozart composed Symphony No. 17 when he was 16. This would be a tender age for most composers, but

his work shows great signs of accomplishment and maturity. He wrote his first symphony at age eight.

The Pennsylvania Sinfonia Orchestra is a professional orchestra based in Allentown that has presented a year-round schedule of concerts for the Lehigh Valley public for more than 35 years.

The group emphasizes its role as a chamber orchestra, which is smaller than a symphony orchestra, to play pieces from the classical repertoire written for smaller instrumental forces, producing an intimate sound with agility and clarity.

Tickets, at the door, Christ Lutheran Church, 1245 W. Hamilton St., Allentown; PASinfonia.org; 610 434-7811. Tickets for those 62 and older are available. Students are fee. A limited number of economy tickets for any age is available for seating in rear rows and must be ordered by phone by the Friday before the concert.

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Women in politics author's topic

Angela P. Dodson will speak about and sign copies of her book, "Remember the Ladies: Celebrating Those Who Fought for Freedom at the Ballot Box," 1 p.m. March 2, Lehigh County Historical Society's Lehigh Valley Heritage Museum, 432 W. Walnut St., Allentown.

"We are pleased to host Angela Dodson during our celebration of Women's History Month," said Joseph Garrera, Executive Director of the Museum.

"When I embarked on the project to write this book, I was inspired by the upcoming centennial anniversary of the Nineteenth Amendment, known as the Susan B. Anthony Amendment, which gave all women the right to vote in 1920," Dodson said.

Her book places the history of the struggle for women's voting rights in the context of other social and political movements and events. The book tells the wider story of women's contributions to American politics from the founding of the United States.

The title, "Remember the Ladies," is from a letter penned by Abigail Adams in 1776 to her husband, Revolutionary leader and later U.S. President John Adams.

Dodson is a contributing editor for "Diverse: Issues in Higher Education." She has been a senior editor for The New York Times and executive editor of Black Issues Book Review.

Dodson's book will be available for purchase, and the author will sign copies.

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meo and Juliet."

Shakespeare lived from 1564-1616, so it is amazing to me how much influence he has had on music, arts and culture long after his time.

So many composers were inspired by the words of Shakespeare and they composed pieces of music that carried the titles of Shakespeare's plays, or told the same stories in music.

Two of my favorite examples of this are Tchaikovsky's "Fantasy Overture to Romeo and Juliet," and Mendelssohn's incidental music written for sections of the play, "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

Both of these pieces will be performed by the Allentown Symphony Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. March 16 and 3 p.m. March 17, Miller Symphony Hall, Allentown.

The "Romeo and Juliet Fantasy Overture" was written by Tchaikovsky in 1869 when he was 29-years-old and still developing his musical style. The slow opening section, in chorale style, depicts Friar Lawrence. He then writes a vigorous theme depicting the conflict between the Montagues and the Capulets.

My favorite part, however, is the sword fight section where the cymbal crashes and the bold chords in the orchestra, imitate the striking of the swords and the two families fighting.

Another famous section is the love music, which reminds me of the classic movie scene where two lovers run



Erin Partin



William Connell

towards each other on a beach with a beautiful sunrise in the background.

Of course, the piece has a tragic ending, just like Shakespeare's play, and we hear the death strokes of the timpani against the somber chords of the winds as Romeo takes his life and then Juliet does the same.

In striking contrast to the tragedy of "Romeo and Juliet," we have the fun and humor of Shakespeare's play, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," set to music so beautifully by Felix Mendelssohn.

Mendelssohn wrote the "Overture for A Midsummer Night's Dream" in 1826 when he was 17-years-old. It is amazing how he captures the sprightliness of the fairies and the braying of the donkey. The music is happy and uplifting and fits so nicely with the text.

Mendelssohn wrote the rest of the incidental music for the play in 1842 for a production at the Royal Theatre of Berlin. The Allentown Symphony will perform the piece featuring two actors associated with the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival. The actors will read

excerpts of Shakespeare's play in between the pieces of music that Mendelssohn wrote.

Joining the Allentown Symphony for the performances will be actors Erin Partin and William Connell.

Partin has performed with the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival, as well as the Shakespeare Theater of New Jersey, the Idaho Shakespeare Festival, the Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival, the Shakespeare Theatre Company, and the Milwaukee Repertory Theatre.

Connell's acting credits include appearances at the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival, as well as Lincoln Center, New York City, the Repertory Theatre of St. Louis, the San Francisco Playhouse, the Gulfshore Playhouse, and the Two River Theatre, among others. He has also appeared on television and film in "Madam Secretary," "Law and Order," and "Manhattan Love Story."

Mendelssohn wrote a part in his "Midsummer Night's Dream" music for women's chorus, so joining us for the March 16

and 17 performances will also be the Parkland High School Women's Chorus with their director Frank Anonia.

Perhaps the most famous and recognizable music from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" is the "Wedding Music." Yes, that piece of music that most people have played at their weddings was written by Mendelssohn for the wedding scene in "A Midsummer Night's Dream." I love to hear the rustle of recognition go through the audience when we begin that portion.

Sandwiched between our two famous Shakespeare-inspired orchestral works, we will feature the 2018 winner of the Allentown Symphony's National Schadt String Competition, Canadian violinist Timothy Chooi.

Chooi, 24, is pursuing a master's degree at the Juilliard School of Music in New York City.

After winning the Schadt competition in Allentown last spring, Chooi went on last fall to win first place in the Joseph Joachim International Violin Competition in Europe, and was awarded a prize of 50,000 euros (\$56,727).

He will perform the Bruch Violin Concerto, No.1, written in 1866 and dedicated to the famous violinist of that era, Joseph Joachim, namesake of the violin competition.

Chooi performs on a 1717 Windsor-Weinstein Stradivarius, which is on a three-year loan from the Canada Council for the Arts. He is a rising star and a person that you

definitely want to come and hear play in person.

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Diane Wittry is Music Director and Conductor of the Allentown Symphony Orchestra, Music Director and Conductor of The Garden State Philharmonic, New Jersey, and author of "Beyond the Baton" and "Baton Basics." She teaches conducting workshops throughout the United States and Europe.

Tickets: Miller Symphony Hall Box Office, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown; allentown-symphony.org; 610-432-6715. Free student tickets, for those up to age 21, underwritten by a grant from the Century Fund, are available for Allentown Symphony Orchestra concerts.

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All roles are open, including Narrator (female, 20s-40s); Joseph (tenor, 18-20s); Potiphar (baritone, 40s-60); Jacob (baritone, 40-plus); Mrs. Potiphar (female, spoken, 20s-30s); Butler (tenor, 20s-40s); Baker (tenor, 20s-40s); Pharaoh (baritone, 30s-40s); Reuben (baritone, 30s); Brothers (Benjamin, Simeon, Levi, Naphtali, Isaacar, Asher, Dan, Zebulun, Gad, Judah; late teens-30s), and Ensemble (wives, slaves, Ishmaelites, small solo lines including Girl, Camel, Sphinx and Lively Lad (13-plus)).

Roles descriptions: paplayhouse.org/auditions

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For the avid gardener, there are always things to keep you busy. Even during the coldest part of winter, there are still things that can be done to keep your gardening habit going.

Here are some activities to keep you occupied as we anticipate the arrival of Daylight Saving Time, March 10, and vernal equinox and the first day of spring, March 20:

Start slow-growing flowers, such as garden verberna and ageratum.

Rinse houseplants under your shower or place in a tub and use a sprinkling can.

Bring geraniums out of storage, cut them back by half, water well, and set them at a bright, cool window.

Force branches of flowering shrubs near months' end. Take cuttings of forsythia, spirea, pussy willow and Japanese quince.

Take cuttings of houseplants for summer containers. Consider ferns, begonias, philodendron, spider plant, or Sansevieria (snake plant), which can be incorporated into a shade container.

Sharpen pruning shears.

Prune fruit trees, brambles, grape vines, and late summer-blooming shrubs.

Prune broken tree and shrub branches so they don't rip off in windy conditions.



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Ornamental grasses can become very unsightly. They can be cut back at any time.

Destroy spotted lanternfly egg masses. If you see egg masses, scrape them off, double bag them and throw them away. You can also place the eggs in alcohol or hand-sanitizer to kill them. In order to kill the eggs, it is critical that you "pop" the eggs if you are not double-bagging them or putting them in alcohol or hand-sanitizer.

In mild weather, press back into place plants that heaved out with the frost.

Cover exposed crowns and roots of irises, peonies, pansies, and perennials with a non-packing type mulch material. Reapply mulches that have blown away in winter winds.

Continue to pull winter weeds.

Stay off frozen or muddy turf. Foot traffic can

injure grass and damage soil structure.

When shoveling snow, pile it on perennial beds as long as it wasn't salted. It will help protect your plants.

Purchase a soil test kit and take a sample as soon as the ground is not frozen.

Check summer bulbs in storage regularly for rot or decay; discard those affected.

When snows are heavy, knock off accumulated snow from evergreens and other woody plants. Brush upward to reduce damage. Prop up ice-covered branches until they thaw. Allow the ice on branches to melt on its own.

Arborvitae and other columnar evergreens can be protected from splitting in heavy snows by wrapping the plant with

rope to pull branches together.

Build new compost bins or repair old ones. Turn and consolidate compost piles to prepare for the new season.

Place bird feeders no more than 20 feet away from cover, such as trees, shrubs or brush so birds will feel protected. Provide a water source, such as a heated waterer, fountain or birdbath, if there is no natural water source nearby.

In late February or early March, if soil conditions allow, take a chance sowing peas, spinach and radish. If the weather obliges, you'll be rewarded with extra early harvests.

Finally, dream of warm temperatures, blue skies and your gardens in full bloom.

"Growing Green" is contributed by Lehigh County Extension Office Staff and Master Gardeners. Information: Lehigh County Extension Office, 610-391-9840; Northampton County Extension Office, 610-813-6613.

Chapter and 'Verse'

MOVIE REVIEW

By Paul Willistein
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"Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" takes a new approach to the comic-book superhero feature movie genre.

It's more like an old-school approach.

"Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" is the first animation feature film in the Marvel Cinematic Universe (MCU).

Even though it's CGI (Computer Generated Imagery), "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" eschews the slick style that dominates superhero movies in favor of the clunkier 2D-style animation of yesteryear.

"Spider-Verse" is a wordplay on "Universe," as in Marvel Cinematic Universe. The movie takes place in a "multiverse," dubbed the "Spider-Verse," which has alternate universes.

A particle accelerator provides access to parallel universes where alternate versions of characters exist. A USB drive also figures in the plot.

The character Miles Morales (voiced by Shameik Moore), the Brooklyn teen who imagines himself to be Spider-Man, is the heart of "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse."

Directors Bob Persichetti (feature animated film co-directorial debut; head of story, "The Little Prince," 2015; "Puss In Boots," 2011), Peter Ramsey (director, "Rise Of The Guardians," 2012) and Rodney Rothman (feature film co-directorial debut; screenplay, "22 Jump Street," 2014) work from a screenplay by Phil Lord (director, "The Lego Movie," 2014; director, "Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs," 2009) and Rothman with the story by Lord.

The dialogue is conversational, heart-felt and fun.

The voices, in addition to Moore, include Jake Johnson, Hailee Steinfeld, Mahershala Ali, Brian Tyree Henry, Lily Tomlin, Luna Lauren Velez, John Mulaney, Kimiko Glenn, Nicolas Cage and Liev Schreiber.

"Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" is a comic-book brought to life on the big screen that should even please non-comic-book fans.

"Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse," MPAA Rated PG (Parental Guidance Suggested Some material may not be suitable for children. Parents urged to give "parental guidance." May contain some material parents might not like for their young children.) for frenetic sequences of animated action violence, thematic elements, and mild language; Genre: Animation, Action, Adventure; Run-time: 1 hr., 57 mins; Distributed by Columbia Pictures Corp.

Credit Readers Anonymous: The "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" closing credits include Spider-Man 2009, who time-travels to the "Spider-Man" 1967 show. The film is dedicated to "Spider-Man" creators Stan Lee and Steve Ditko, who died in 2018.

Oscar winners: The 2019 Oscar recipients, of those in Lehigh Valley Press Focus section "Readers Pick The Oscar Contest" are: Leading Actor, Rami Malek, "Bohemian Rhapsody"; Leading Actress, Olivia Colman, "The Favourite"; Supporting Actor, Mahershala Ali, "Green Book"; Supporting Actress, Regina King, "If Beale Street Could Talk"; Directing, Alfonso Cuarón, "Roma"; Best Picture, "Green Book," and Animated Feature, "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse."

None of the dozens of entrants correctly picked all seven recipients in the "Readers Pick The Oscar Contest." Three entrants correctly picked six of the seven winners: Donna Wagner of Catasauqua; Sandra Lambert of Bethlehem, and Noreen Kromer of New Tripoli, whose entrant was received the earliest, so the contest winner is: Noreen Kromer.

Many entrants correctly chose five of the seven contest categories and more correctly chose four of the seven categories. I correctly chose four of the seven categories.

Unreel, March 1: "A Madea Family Funeral," PG-13: Tyler Perry directs himself (as Madea) and Cassi Davis, Patrice Lovely and Mike Tyson in the Comedy. Madea and the family travel to backwoods Georgia and attend a funeral.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners will consider for possible adoption an ordinance, of which this Notice is a summary, that proposes and is entitled "AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER MACUNGIE, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA; PROVIDING FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP; PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS; ESTABLISHING CERTAIN GENERAL AND SPECIFIC STANDARDS RELATING TO THE LOCATION, PLACEMENT, CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS AND WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS ANTENNAS; PROVIDING FURTHER FOR THE REGULATION OF SUCH FACILITIES WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND OUTSIDE THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY; PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF SAID REGULATIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

The Board of Commissioners will consider the foregoing Ordinance at a public meeting on March 7, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA. Copies of the full text of this Ordinance is available to any interested party for inspection and/or copying at the Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA, or for inspection during normal business hours at the offices of this newspaper, East Penn Press, 1633 N. 26th Street, Allentown, PA 18104 and the Lehigh County Department of Law, Room 440, 17 S. 7th Street, Allentown, PA 18101. All interested parties are invited to attend this public meeting.

Feb. 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE BIDS WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received until 8:30 AM, March 21, 2019 at North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levans Road, Coplay, PA, then publicly opened and read at approximately 8:45 AM the same day, for the following items:

MATERIALS: PAVING MATERIALS (various kinds, specifications in bid packet) COARSE AGGREGATES (various kinds, specifications in bid packet)

The materials specified herein shall meet PA DOT specifications. Bid proposals and complete specifications may be obtained at the Township Office between the hours of 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM Monday through Friday.

The successful bidder shall be required to supply a Performance Bond as required by law, where specified.

The North Whitehall Township Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any, all or a portion of any bids, due to budgetary reasons and to accept any bid which, in its judgment, is in the best interest of the Township.

Brenda Norder, Secretary NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of South Whitehall Township will meet in the auditorium of the Springhouse Middle School located at 1200 Springhouse Road, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, on Monday March 18, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. for an agenda review, and at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conducting a public meeting to discuss the following:

RIDGE FARM CONDITIONAL USE REVIEW #2017-601 REQUEST FOR CONDITIONAL USE REVIEW

An application to develop the properties located at Huckleberry Road PIN 548746422139 (111.18 acres), Huckleberry Road PIN 548767544734 (4.72 acres), 2523 Huckleberry Road PIN 548767273685 (1.51 acres), 2582 Huckleberry Road PIN 548757625489 (12.10 acres), and 1802 North Cedar Crest Boulevard (approximately 9.34 acres of the 30.182-acre parcel at the northwest corner of the Cedar Crest Boulevard/Walbert Avenue intersection) under the TND-Residential Cluster Overlay District. The plan proposes a TND Residential Cluster development on approximately 138.34 acres consisting of: 67 single dwelling units, 82 age-restricted single dwelling units, 76 two-unit dwelling units, 88 age-restricted two-unit dwelling units, and a clubhouse; 264 apartment units in eleven 24-unit apartment buildings, four five-story mixed-use buildings containing 37,499 square feet of commercial space on the first floor and 86 apartments above, four one-story 5,000 square-foot commercial buildings, two community clubhouses, dog park and a village plaza; stormwater management facilities and approximately 46.39 acres of common open space, of which at least 18.96 acres is useable open space. The TND Residential Cluster is proposed to be served by public water and sewer. Ridge Farm Partnership and Jeras Corporation are the owners. Kay Builders is the applicant.

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.

Gregg Adams Planner, Community Development Department

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL ZONING HEARING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

The regular monthly meeting of the Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board will be held on March 19, 2019, at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, at 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, to hear the following appeals:

DOCKET # 1928 - Quarry Street Whitehall Development, LP - 1177 Sixth Street, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 212 Quarry Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 6408124317161, the subject property is located in a R5A High Density Residential w/o Apartments Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a special exception to Sec. 27-60 (D) (6), an interpretation to utilize existing non conforming parking lot, or alternatively a dimensional variance to Sec. 27-145 design off-street parking of the Zoning Ordinance regarding change of a non conforming multi-story warehouse and light industrial manufacturing/retail use to a 4 unit apartment building. Continued to this meeting at the request of the Applicant.

DOCKET # 1930 - New Cingular Wireless PCS dba AT&T Mobility - c/o PO Box 1265, Exton, PA 19341. Location: 1289 Washington Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, Orchard Hills Apartments, PIN 640805504816, the subject property is located in a R5A High Density Residential w/o Apartments Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Sec. 27-85 C (5) (b), (d) (4), (f) (2), (5) and (7) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding a new small cell telecommunications facility to be established adjoining the parking areas of an apartment building complex, to be concealed as a functional street light.

DOCKET # 1931 - Terence A. Silfies - PO Box 323, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 503 Spruce Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 6407097892321, the subject property is located in a R5A High Density Residential w/o Apts. Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Sec. 27-76 (A) and Sec. 27-93 of the Zoning Ordinance regarding use and density requirements to convert warehouse into an additional apartment.

DOCKET # 1932 - Kathleen Hercik - 115 Orchard Drive, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 115 Orchard Drive, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 640815067950, the subject property is located in a R5A High Density Residential w/o Apts. Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a variance to Sec. 27-76 E (2) (A) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding enclosing existing front porch and extending porch roofing east and west in a manner no more encroaching on setbacks than currently constructed.

DOCKET # 1933 - Andrew and Jamie Kulhamer - 123 American Street, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 123 American Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 640814353304, the subject property is located in a R5A High Density Residential w/o Apts. Zoning District. Applicants are requesting a variance to Sec. 27-76 E (2) (A) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding front yard setbacks to construct a 14' x 20' enclosed patio over an existing concrete pad of the same size.

DOCKET # 1934 - Carolina Lozada - 4414 Phillip Street, Whitehall, PA 18052. Location: 4414 Phillip Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, PIN 558040047436, the subject property is located in a R4 Medium Density Residential Zoning District. Applicant is requesting a special exception to Sec. 27-43 C (3) of the Zoning Ordinance regarding expanding family daycare into a group day care from six children to twelve children at a time.

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

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

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

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

The Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board has an obligation to affirmatively further fair housing and to review all land use and zoning applications in accordance with federal civil rights statutes. This includes taking meaningful actions that overcome patterns of segregation and foster inclusive communities free from barriers that restrict access to opportunity based on protected characteristics.

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

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the 2019 Polymer Modified Crack Seal project for approximately 4000 gallons. Sealed bids will be received until 9:00 AM (prevailing time) on Tuesday, March 19, 2019. Bid results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening.

Copies of the Specifications/Bid Forms are available at no cost on PennBid (www.ebid exchange.com/pennbid).

Each bid must be accompanied by Bid Security made payable to Upper Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of PennDOT Pub. 408. The successful Bidder must furnish Performance and Payment Bonds each in an amount equal to the Contract Price and meeting PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 103.04 requirements. Bidders must be PennDOT Prequalified per PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 102. Upper Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informality and to reject, any or all Bids.

Kalman Sostarec, Township Secretary Upper Macungie Township

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the 2019 Double Bituminous Seal Coat and Slurry Seal project for approximately 54,500 SY of double bituminous seal coat and approximately 50,500 SY of Type 1 Slurry Seal. Sealed bids will be received until 9:00 AM (prevailing time) on Tuesday, March 19, 2019. Bid results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Upper Macungie Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031, on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 10:15 AM.

Copies of the Specifications/Bid Forms are available at no cost on PennBid (www.ebid exchange.com/pennbid).

Each bid must be accompanied by Bid Security made payable to Upper Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of PennDOT Pub. 408. The successful Bidder must furnish Performance and Payment Bonds each in an amount equal to the Contract Price and meeting PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 103.04 requirements. Bidders must be PennDOT Prequalified per PennDOT Pub. 408 Section 102. Upper Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informality and to reject, any or all Bids.

Kalman Sostarec, Township Secretary Upper Macungie Township

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the Breinigsville Park West Pathways and Schaefer Run Crossing Project which involves the installation of a prefabricated 70' pedestrian bridge and associated precast footers and foundations. Also included is the installation of a stone and paved pathway. This project is being funded as part of the DCNR Community Conservation Partnerships Program Grant. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held on March 13, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Upper Macungie Township building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031. Bids will be received until 9:00 AM (prevailing time) on March 25, 2019. Bid results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening.

Copies of the Specifications/Bid Forms are available at no cost on PennBid (www.ebid exchange.com/pennbid).

Each bid must be accompanied by bid security made payable to Upper Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety meeting the requirements of Paragraph 5.1 of the General Conditions. This project is subject to minimum wage rates in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act and the Public Works Employee Verification Act. Upper Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informality in, and/or to reject, any or all bids.

Upper Macungie Township Robert Ibach, Jr. - Township Manager

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upper Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the 2019 Double Micro Surfacing project for approximately 13,700 SY. Sealed bids will be received until 9:00 AM (prevailing time) on Tuesday, March 19, 2019. Bid results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Upper Macungie Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031 on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 10:00 AM.

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Upper Macungie Township Kalman Sostarec, Township Secretary

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

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

ESTATE OF RUSSELL FREY, Late of Plainfield Township, Northampton Co., PA.

JERRY L. HEITZMAN, Co-Executor c/o 1620 Pond Road, Ste. 200 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 PAUL W. FREY, Co-Executor c/o 1620 Pond Road, Ste. 200 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 or EDWARD H. BUTZ, ESQ. 1620 POND ROAD, SUITE 200 ALLENTOWN, PA 18104-2255

Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Building Code Board of Appeals of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on March 4, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062, to hear the following appeal:

Appeal BCBA 19-01 - Beit Simcha, 3131 Chew Street, Allentown, PA 18104, for the Beit Simcha land development project located at 1111 Grange Road, Allentown, PA, 18106. Applicants are requesting Variance relief from the 2015 International Mechanical Code, IMC Sections 506, 507 and 507.2 regarding the Type 1 grease hood requirements and any other relief that may be required by Lower Macungie Township.

Any interested persons are invited to appear before the Board. The Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Any person who 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.

Upper Macungie Township Robert Ibach, Jr. - Township Manager

Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Township of Whitehall is soliciting sealed bids for:

Contract No. 19-12 "FIRE EQUIPMENT" until Wednesday, March 27, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. Bids will be opened Thursday, March 28, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.

Contract Documents can be obtained at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, on our website at: www.whitehalltownship.org or fax your request to 610-437-6963.

MARY ANN MILLER, CPPO Purchasing Agent

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

North Whitehall Township NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING MEETING

Public Notice by the North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board is hereby given for a Zoning Hearing to be held March 14, 2019 at 7:30 pm in the North Whitehall Township Building, 3256 Levans Rd. Coplay PA 18037

Zoning Appeal 2019-02 Michael Bezick, 5175 Route 309 Schnecksville, PA 18078 is requesting a Variance of Section 307 B. setbacks for an accessory structure in an AR Zoning District. The applicant is seeking to construct an accessory structure that encroaches on the front yard setback. Tax parcels # 5459 8656 8648

Zoning Appeal Lehigh County Common Pleas Court Case # 2018-C-0259 decision remanding Zoning Appeal 2014 -03 Special Exception Request to operate a Heliport, back to North Whitehall Township Zoning Hearing Board. NWT Zoning Decision of 2014-03 denying a heliport operation has been overturned by the Lehigh County Common Pleas Court. The Court has remanded the case back to the NWT Zoning Hearing Board to document the specific requirements to operate a heliport as cited in the NWT Zoning Ordinance. The applicant is Dr. Michael Selig, 5471 Route 309 Schnecksville, PA 18078.

Jeff Bartlett, NWT Zoning Officer

Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners will consider for possible adoption an ordinance (of which this notice is a summary) amending Ordinance No. 2016-09, which incorporated 206.92 acres into the existing Agricultural Security Area in the Township, by removing the express exception and reservation to the Township of the 500 year floodplain and the Sauerkraut Lane road right-of-way. The Board of Commissioners will consider the foregoing ordinance at a public meeting on March 7, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pa. Copies of the full text of this ordinance are available to any interested party for inspection and/or copying at the Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pa, or for inspection during normal business hours at the offices of this newspaper, East Penn Press, 1633 N. 26th Street, Allentown, PA 18104 and the Lehigh County Department of Law, Room 440, 17 S. 7th Street, Allentown, Pa 18101. All interested parties are invited to attend this meeting. 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 meeting because of visual, hearing, or other impairment is requested to contact the Township Secretary at least five days prior to the scheduled meeting to arrange for the necessary assistance.

Renea Flexer, Asst. Township Manager/Secretary

Feb. 27

CRYPTOGRAM

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See solution on page B11 Today's Cryptquip Clue: T equals Y

PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

BACKUP FUNCTION ACROSS

- 1 "When — your age ..."
5 Having two systems
12 One of the "Little Women"
16 Angry crowd
19 "99 Red Balloons" band
20 Really foolish
21 First digits dialed, often
23 * President of Nicaragua
25 Added yeast to, as bread
26 San —, Buenos Aires
27 Oklahoma tribe
28 * Rock yielding element #28
29 Riddle-me —
30 1/36 yard
33 Jai —
35 Head, to Fifi
36 * Historical French area
40 Way of being torn, thrilled or loved
44 Put aside for future use
45 Handed out
47 Prefix with soul
48 With 18-Down, 1859 George Eliot novel
51 Cal. neighbor
52 * Crank-turned instrument
55 Prioritizes, as patients
58 Hosp. area
60 TV antennas
61 Bond film actress d' Abo
62 Place for a welcome mat
66 CPR giver
67 Mil. officer
68 * An off-Broadway theater is named for her
71 Linden of TV
74 Ice-T's music
76 Plane fliers
77 Viewpoint
79 Apple tablet download
82 A fifth of fifty
83 Nuclear reactor part
84 * Popular citrus fruit
88 "I solved it!"
90 Nile vipers
91 China's Lao —
92 Fully enjoy
93 1966-2013 bookstore chain
96 Funny feline photo meme
99 * Musical group playing industrial drums
104 Egg cell
106 Genesis twin
107 Diana of "Dance Hall"
108 Ball or bass ender
109 * Mafia boss
113 Newsman Koppel

15x15 crossword grid with numbers 1-126 indicating starting points for clues.

- 115 2017 biopic about an Olympic figure skater
117 Per-night cost to stay at a 105-Down
118 "Mr. Mom" plot premise (and what the answers to the starred clues have)
121 Like not-yet-sampled food
122 Two-function
123 Fodder tower
124 Day, in Spain
125 Squirmy fish
126 Lee who advised Reagan and Bush
127 Couturier Cassini
15 Can't say no
16 Part of MSG
17 Polish river
18 See 48-Across
22 Big name
24 "Fanny" author Jong
28 San Fran NFLer
31 Tribal groups
32 Gordie of hockey
34 Verdi's title slave
37 Makeup brand
38 Pasta dish
39 Head of corn
41 Collects, as a harvest
42 River duck
43 Many heirs
46 Sprang
48 24-hr. "bankers"
49 Tow-hr.
50 Business of Delta
52 Chemistry lab tube
53 Ominous last words
54 Cup edge
56 Female bud
57 Rhea's kin
59 Fizzy drink
62 Fraction: Abbr.
63 — gin fizz
64 Vicious vortex
65 Lifesaving locs.
69 "Lady for a Day" director
70 It flows in la Seine
72 Rent — (security guard)
73 Classic Ford models
75 Ending for lime
78 Blueprints
79 Part of IHOP: Abbr.
80 Part of UTEP
81 Claim the truth of
83 Actress Edie
85 Colorado NHLers, to fans
86 Eminent
87 Coll. seniors' tests
89 Challenging
93 "Never on Sunday" rule
94 Person who is prospering
95 Opposite of east, in Madrid
97 Key next to a period
98 Disinclined
100 Dine away from home
101 Throat part
102 "Casino —" (Bond film)
103 Not digital
105 Roadside lodging
109 "Darn it!"
110 Rice-A —
111 Greek vowel
112 Crimson and cherry
114 Boxer Oscar — Hoya
116 Roughly
118 Std. for a nutritionist
119 Deep groove
120 Suffix with Siam

See solution on page B11

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PUBLIC NOTICE
 Emmaus Borough Council will be voting on the following Ordinance at its March 18, 2019 Council Meeting:
ORDINANCE NO. 1186
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15 §404.1 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES, ESTABLISHING PARKING RESTRICTIONS ADJACENT TO TRIANGLE PARK AND SOUTH 4TH STREET DURING THE EMMAUS FARMERS' MARKET
 The Meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall, Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA. The proposed Ordinance is available for inspection at Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
MEETING NOTICE
 The Emmaus Borough Council's Budget and Finance Committee will conduct its remaining 2019 Meetings at 11:00 a.m. on March 14, April 11, May 9, June 6, July 18, August 1, September 12, October 10, November 7 and December 5 as well as preceding all Council Meetings beginning at 6:45 p.m. at Town Hall, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA. The public is invited to attend.
 Shane M. Pepe, Emmaus Borough Manager
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
FICTITIOUS NAME NOTICE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 295 of 1982, as amended, of intention to file, or the filing of, in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, a certificate for the conduct of a business in Pennsylvania, under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of
Lehigh Valley VegStock
 with its principal place of business at:
 336 Bushkill Street
 Tatamy, PA 18085
 The name and address of the entity owning or interested in said business is:
 Kellyn Foundation
 336 Bushkill Street
 Tatamy, PA 18085
 The registration was filed n the 5th day of February, 2019.
 Attorney's name: Timothy J. Duckworth, Esq.
 Firm Name: Mosebach, Funt, Dayton & Duckworth, P.C.
 Address: 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404 Bethlehem, PA 18017
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ORDINANCE NO. 1187
AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF EMMAUS, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 15 §602.2.A OF THE EMMAUS BOROUGH CODE, ADDING A RESIDENTIAL HANDICAPPED PARKING SIGN ON THE PUBLIC STREET LOCATED IN FRONT OF 572 JUBILEE STREET WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF EMMAUS.
 The Meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall, Council Chambers, 28 South Fourth St., Emmaus, PA. The proposed Ordinance is available for inspection at Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
Borough Solicitor
 The Borough of Emmaus, Lehigh County, invites interested licensed law firms and individuals with municipal law practice experience to submit written proposals for Borough Solicitor services to the Borough of Emmaus. The Borough Solicitor shall serve as a contractor for the Borough of Emmaus, providing general and specialized legal services to the Borough. Municipal law experience is a must. Interested parties shall obtain an RFP package from Emmaus Borough Hall, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 M - F between 8 am - 3 pm. Responses are due at the address above no later than 12:00 pm on March 27, 2019.
 Feb. 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE
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Proposed Ordinance
AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, REVISING ORDINANCE 2018- 4 ENACTING ADDITIONAL TAX CREDITS FOR VOLUNTEER MEMBERS OF VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES AND ENACTING TAX CREDITS FOR VOLUNTEER MEMBERS OF THE AMBULANCE SERVICE AND ESTABLISHING ADDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES
 Inspection and copies of the complete proposed ordinances are available for review by the public at the Township Municipal Building, by contacting Brenda Norder, Township Secretary, and will also be on file at this newspaper. Any individual who requires special assistance in order to attend the hearing should contact the Township Secretary at least one week prior to the hearing. The Township Municipal Building is handicapped accessible.
 Lisa A. Young, Esquire
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 Feb. 27, Mar. 6

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PUBLIC NOTICE
 The March 2019 meeting of the Lower Macungie Township Planning and Zoning Committee will be held on March 13, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA, instead of the previously scheduled meeting of March 6, 2019. The public is invited to attend.
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
OF LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CIVIL DIVISION
J.A. PERELLI, MANAGER OF FIFTH: : **NO. 2018-C-1363**
TRUST POOLED ASSETS, TRUSTEE FOR :
FIFTH TRUST, GARY CHAPMAN TRUST :
OFFICER OF POOLED ASSETS, :
 Plaintiff : **CIVIL ACTION**
 v. :
GORDON BROTHER CAPITAL LLC, ET. AL., :
 Defendants : **ASSIGNED TO:**
 : **Honorable J. Brian Johnson**
ORDER
AND NOW, this 1st day of February, 2019, upon consideration of the Motion For Appropriate Relief Under Pa.R.C.P. No. 1066(a) and 1066(b) filed by Plaintiff on December 7, 2018 and Defendants' lack of response thereto:
IT IS ORDERED that:
 1. Said motion is GRANTED;
 2. Any claims of Defendants Gordon Brothers Capital LLC, believed successor in interest to Padua Federal Credit Union, as well as any and all unknown successors and assigns of Padua Federal Credit Union, and any and all persons, firms, entities, or associations, claiming any right, title, or interest from, by, under or through Padua Federal Credit Union relating to the real property known as 656 Fifth Street, Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania (collectively "Defendants"), in or to real estate located at 656 Fifth Street, Whitehall, Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Parcel ID 640800584646 1 (the "Property"), are divested, discharged and extinguished, and that the Defendants and any person or persons claiming by, through, from or under the Defendants are forever barred from asserting any right, title, lien or interest in or to the Property adverse to Plaintiff's title and claims to valid and indefeasible fee simple title thereto, including but not limited to the validity of any Mortgage on the Property as recorded in the Lehigh County Recorder of Deeds Office at Document ID Number 5687290, unless Defendants commence an action within thirty (30) days after the entry of this Order. If such action is not taken within the thirty-day period, the Prothonotary on praecipe for the Plaintiff shall enter a final judgment, at which point the Lehigh County Recorder of Deeds shall mark Padua Federal Credit Union's Mortgage on the Property, as recorded in the Lehigh County Recorder of Deeds Office at Document ID Number 5687290, void and satisfied of record; and
 3. Plaintiff shall serve this Order upon Defendants in accordance with this Court's July 19, 2018 Order.
 BY THE COURT:
 J. Brian Johnson, J.
 Feb. 27

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PUBLIC NOTICE
BOROUGH OF MACUNGIE
 Macungie Borough Council is accepting Letters of Interest from Borough residents interested in serving on Borough Council to fill a vacant position, term expiring December 31, 2019. Deadline for submission is Wednesday, March 13, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. Interested residents must have lived in the Borough of Macungie for at least one year prior to this appointment. Council will be interviewing candidates and making the appointment at their March 18, 2019 Council meeting.
 Chris L Boehm, Borough Manager
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
BOROUGH OF MACUNGIE
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION
 Macungie Borough Council is accepting sealed bids for Curbside Leaf Collection, as described in the Bidding Documents, until 1:00 p.m. Friday, March 22, 2019, at Macungie Borough Hall, 21 Locust Street, Macungie, PA at which time the bids will be opened and read aloud.
 Bid packets may be obtained at Macungie Borough Hall, 21 Locust Street, Macungie, PA, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 Submitted bids shall be clearly marked "Curbside Leaf Collection" and include the bidder's name. All Bids must be submitted using the Bid Proposal Form included in the Bidding Documents and shall be accompanied by a properly executed Non-Collusion Affidavit, the requisite bonds and all other required documents specified in the Bidding Documents. Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond, Certified Check, or Money Order in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid submitted for consideration. Bids will not be accepted after the 11:00 a.m. deadline set forth above. All Bids must be valid and remain subject to acceptance for a period of not less than sixty (60) days from the opening of the Bids. The successful bidder shall, within 20 days after notification of award, enter into a written contract with the Borough, and deliver the requisite bonds guaranteeing performance of the contract in the amount of 100% of the total contract price as set forth in the Bidding Documents.
 The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond in the amount of 100% of the bid. The successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.
 The Borough expressly reserves the right to reject or accept any or all bids and may re-advertise if the best interests of the Borough are to be hereby promoted. The Borough may waive technical defects if, in its judgment, the best interests of the Borough shall so require. No bid may be considered from any person, firm or corporation who has defaulted in the performance of any contract or agreement previously made with the Borough or conclusively shown to have failed to perform satisfactorily such contract or agreement with the Borough.
 Chris L. Boehm, Borough Manager
 Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE
WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 Sealed bids marked "2019 CONCRETE CURB AND SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS" - CONTRACT NO. 19-03R will be received by the Township of Whitehall, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, until 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, March 13, 2019. Bids will be publicly opened and read at 3:00 P.M. on Thursday, March 14, 2019. Late bids will not be accepted.
 The project involves the 2019 construction of approximately 600 Linear Feet of concrete curbs, 4,000 Square Feet of concrete sidewalks along seven (7) street projects in Whitehall Township. The estimated "curb" quantities are 75% of the measured total, assuming 25% is performed by private contractors chosen by the property owners. The estimated "sidewalk" quantities are 50% of the measured total, assuming 50% is performed by private contractors chosen by the property owner.
 The Contractor's work will involve the construction of concrete curbs and/or sidewalks for approximately 10-15 Township HC Ramps and private property owners, which the Township will administer, supervise, and coordinate on the owner's behalf.
 Prevailing Wage Rates are required. The Contractor is required to pay PA Prevailing Wage Rates with this contract work.
 All Bidders shall have at least five (5) years past experience in concrete work of a character and quantity similar to that included within the Contract Specifications.
 The successful bidder shall follow our proposed construction schedule and shall complete each street project by the time periods listed for each, starting on May 28, 2019 for the first Street Project with the last Street Project's completion deadline by August 30, 2019. Liquidated damages of \$50 per calendar day will be assessed to the Contractor for each street project that is not completed by its scheduled completion date until its satisfactory completion.
 Bid documents can be obtained at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building or call (610) 437-5524. They are also available online at: www.whitehalltownship.org, under Administration then the Purchasing tab.
 MARY ANN MILLER, CPPO
 Purchasing Agent
 Feb. 20, 27

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 Feb. 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF SPECIAL WORKSHOP MEETING
OF ALLEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
 Notice is hereby given that the Allen Township Board of Supervisors will conduct a special workshop meeting on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 at 7:00 PM, at the Allen Township Municipal Building, 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, PA. The purpose of this special meeting will be to discuss and consider matters concerning the current Allen Township Volunteer Fire Company facilities with members of the Fire Company Governing Body as well as the Township Municipal facilities. The meeting will be held at the Allen Township Municipal Building, located at 4714 Indian Trail Road, Northampton, PA.
 Ilene Marie Eckhart, Manager
 Allen Township
 Feb. 28

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that Bethlehem Township Self Storage located at 2736 Santee Rd., Bethlehem, PA 18020 will sell by Public Auction on Saturday - March 16, 2019 at 11:00 AM - to satisfy the landlord's lien, the contents of the following units:

Unit #	Name
14	Maria Budrow
17	Nicole Smith
52	Genesis Sabastro
53	Maria Budrow
75	Anelica Smith
83	Ryan Stranzl
145	Jose Rodriguez
202	Regina Fuchs
206	Ana Ramirez
227	Kelsey Gower
231	Robert Taylor
233	Robert Taylor
243	Johnathon Swindell
261	Jacqueline Daughtry
263	Brent Tarantino
267	Nairobe Fischer
308	Marilyn Gimigliano
314	Susan Palmer
320	Takia Jefferies
334	Maria Bastia
335	Michele Edwards
344	Louise Sarajian
352	Michelle Thom
398	Sabrina Harris

 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
 The Bethlehem Area School District intends to file a petition with the PA Dept. of Education (PDE) for back-end referendum exceptions in accordance with the provisions of Act 1 of 2006. If granted, a referendum exception will allow the District to increase taxes above the Index. PDE will determine whether or not the District's petition will be accepted. The revenue generated by the allowed increases in taxes may be used to balance the District's Final 2019-20 Budget for the purpose of continuing to offer a quality education program to students.
 Stacy M. Gober, Board Secretary
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
 The Whitehall Township Board of Commissioners will hold a regular Public Meeting on Monday, March 4, 2019 at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA, to discuss and take action on the following legislation:
1. BILL NO. 6-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SALARY OF THE TOWNSHIP MAYOR FOR THE YEARS, 2020, 2021, 2022, AND 2023. (ADMIN) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
2. BILL NO. 7-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSALS FOR PROVIDING JANITORIAL SERVICES FOR SPECIFIC MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS FOR WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, RFP NO. 18-22, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (PUBLIC WORKS/ADMINISTRATION) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
3. BILL NO. 8-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL FOR CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION SERVICES PER REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL 18-01 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (ADMIN) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
4. BILL NO. 9-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CIVIL SERVICE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL, COUNTY OF LEHIGH, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, SETTING FORTH STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, PURSUANT TO THE FIRST CLASS TOWNSHIP CODE, DEFINING TERMS, ESTABLISHING THE DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE COMMISSION GOVERNING APPLICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT AND PROMOTION WITHIN THE BUREAU OF POLICE, DETERMINING EXAMINATION PROTOCOLS AND CREATION OF ELIGIBILITY LISTS, SETTING FORTH STANDARDS FOR PHYSICAL, PSYCHOLOGICAL AND VOICE STRESS ANALYZER EXAMINATIONS, AND ESTABLISHING RULES GOVERNING SUSPENSIONS, REMOVALS, REDUCTIONS IN RANK, HEARINGS AND RECORD MAINTENANCE. (CSC/ADMIN) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
5. BILL NO. 10-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL FOR PURCHASE OF TWO (2) 2019 DODGE CHARGER VEHICLES FOR THE POLICE PATROL DIVISION; IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (POLICE) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
6. BILL NO. 11-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER A29, FEES, SECTIONS M10 (FIRE OR EMERGENCY ALARMS) AND M17 (POLICE); CHAPTER 15, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, ARTICLE IV, GENERAL PARKING REGULATIONS, SECTION 15-46 (ILLEGAL PARKING PENALTIES); AND CHAPTER 15, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, ARTICLE VI, SNOW AND ICE EMERGENCY, SECTION 15-63 (VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES), TO REMOVE OBSOLETE FEES AND PROVIDE FOR NEW AND/OR INCREASED FEES AND/OR PENALTIES. (POLICE) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
7. BILL NO. 12-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE I, FIREWORKS, BY ELIMINATING SECTIONS 6-1 (DISCHARGE OF ROCKETS AND FIREWORKS, OTHER CONDUCT), 6-2 (SALE, USE, ETC.), 6-3 (RESERVED), AND 6-4 (VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES), AND REPLACING THEM WITH SECTIONS 6-1 (DISCHARGE OF ROCKETS; OTHER CONDUCT), 6-2 (SALE, USE, ETC.), 6-3 (USE AND SALE OF FIREWORKS, LIMITATIONS) AND 6-4 (VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES). (FIRE) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
8. BILL NO. 13-2019
 TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6 TO CREATE A NEW ARTICLE (ARTICLE IX) TO ADDRESS UNNECESSARY NOISE AS A NUISANCE AND TO PROHIBIT UNNECESSARY NOISE AFTER CERTAIN HOURS. (POLICE) Sarah M. Murray, Solicitor
 Copies of the full text of the proposed legislative items may be examined by any citizen in the Administration Office of the Township of Whitehall, PA, on any business day between 8:00 am and 4:00 p.m. The Whitehall Township Municipal Building is accessible to the physically handicapped. Assistance for the visually and/or hearing impaired is available upon request at least five (5) working days prior to this meeting.
 s/Thomas Slonaker
 FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
 TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL
 Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION FOR BIDS
 The LEHIGH COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY will receive sealed bids for the WINDOW REPLACEMENT AT CLARENCE AUNGST TOWERS, 1101 Seneca Street, Fountain Hill Borough, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.
 Bids will be received in the offices of Portner & Hetke Architects, 160 Main Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 on or before 11:00 AM Wednesday March 6th, 2019, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.
 Bid documents can be viewed at the offices of Portner and Hetke Architects, 160 Main Street, Emmaus, PA 18049. Documents can be obtained from Portner and Hetke between the hours of 8:30 and 5:00 weekdays for a non-refundable fee of \$100.00 per document set.
 The project will consist of work to be performed under a single contract for general construction. It is a requirement of the Housing Authority that the general contractor be a firm that has been engaged in the general construction and window replacement trades for not less than the most recent ten (10) years. It is also a requirement of the Housing Authority that all sub-contractors have a minimum of ten (10) years experience in the trade for which they would be engaged. A statement of the bidder's qualifications evidencing successful completion of window replacement projects of similar size and scope is required with the bid submission. A short description of the bidders intended installation process and project schedule is also required with the submission.
 A certified check or bank draft, payable to the Lehigh County Housing Authority, or a satisfactory bid bond, executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent of the amount of the bid shall be submitted with each bid.
 The successful bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory performance and payment bonds, or cash security equal to one hundred percent of the amount of the bid. All bonds must be obtained from surety companies which are listed in the U. S. Department of Treasury, Circular No. 570.
 Bidders are advised of the provisions for Equal Employment Opportunity. The owner encourages participation by Women and Minority Business Enterprises.
 Bidders are encouraged to participate in the hiring of Section 3 eligible persons.
 Bidders are advised that payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications must be paid on this project.
 A PREBID CONFERENCE will be held at 2:00 PM February 28th, 2019 at the work site Clarence Aungst Towers, 1101 Seneca Street, Fountain Hill, PA THE MEETING IS NOT MANDATORY.
 The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding process. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 60 days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Owner.
 LEHIGH COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY, Emmaus, Pennsylvania.
 Contact Person
 Jennifer Hasill Daniel C. Beers, Executive Director
 (610) 767-0363 (office)
 Feb., 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that the Weisenberg Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, March 13, 2019, 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. 2019-2, Appeal No. 301. A hearing in the Appeal of Applicants Shawn and Elizabeth Furman, owners of the property located at 2296 Packhouse Road, Fogelsville, PA 18051 with a mailing address of the same seeking as outlined in the Application the following: (1) a variance pursuant to Section 906 minimum yard requirements for all permitted uses: a 50' front yard, 25' side yard, 40' side yard abutting a street and 50' rear yard (Specifically 50' from edge of Right-of-Way); (2) a variance from Section 1210.05 for a variance for all roads classified as local roads, requiring a setback shall be 75' from the centerline of the existing or proposed road; (3) the aforementioned variances are requested for Applicants' construction of an overhang (roof) above porch, per Section 906 and Section 1210.05.
 The parcel identified for the Owners, Shawn W. and Elizabeth Furman, the property is located at 2296 Packhouse Road, Weisenberg Township, Lehigh County, Fogelsville, PA 18051-2011 identified as Old Parcel Id 24 H05NE3 002 003 (Parcel Id #544655647243 1). The Applicants seek the above-referenced zoning approval via variances (2).
 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
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 ZONING HEARING BOARD
 Feb. 27, Mar. 6

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 The parcel identified for the Owners, Adam R. and Elizabeth A. Kreisher, as 3638 Blacksmith Road, Weisenberg Township, Lehigh County, New Tripoli, PA 18066 identified as Old Parcel Id 24 G04 023 001 319 (Parcel Id #543701159810 1). The Applicants seek the following zoning approval via special exception (specifically, Section 1004.01) for a Commercial Stable and/or Riding Academy and accompanying provisions for special exception in the Weisenberg Township Zoning Ordinance for the establishment of a Commercial Stable and/or Riding Academy requires compliance with the other special exception provisions located at Section 1310 et seq.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of MARY HELEN ASHCRAFT a/k/a MARY ASHCRAFT a/k/a MARY H. ASHCRAFT, Deceased, late of the Township of South Whitthall, 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:

Helen J. Fenstermaker

c/o her attorney: JOHN M. ASHCRAFT, III, ESQUIRE Address: 20 North 5th Street, Suite #1 Emmaus, PA 18049-2406 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF BRENDA J. BLOSE, deceased, late of the Township of Washington, Slatington, County of Lehigh and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

Lisa A. Kern or Rhonda L. Frantz, 7237 Woodyknoll Drive 3557 E. Grant Street Slatington, PA 18080 Slatington, PA 18080 or to her Attorney:

Neil D. Ettinger, Esquire Ettinger & Associates, LLC Peachtree Office Plaza 1815 Schadt Avenue Whitehall, PA 18052

Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

The First Regional Compost Authority, is currently considering purchasing a Peterson T60 Trommel, Case 321F, 5 yard High Tip bucket with JRB quick connect and 2, 20 yard roll off containers. The equipment will be used for compost production and transportation. The First Regional Compost Authority is applying for a DEP Act 101, section 902 recycling grant to fund the equipment.

Interested parties on the purchase of said equipment may submit comments to the municipality within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Please submit all comments in writing to First Regional Compost Authority, Attention William Bedics, 6701 Weaversville Road, Northampton, PA 18067.

William J. Bedics, CRP Director of Operations First Regional Compost Authority Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the Heidelberg Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a Public Hearing at the Heidelberg Township Municipal Building, 6272 Route 309, New Tripoli, on March 18, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. to hear the following appeal(s):

APPEAL #260, CASE #19-2

The appeal of Mark Weider, of the Heidelberg Township Zoning Ordinance to allow a variance under Section 27-505 of the minimum yard requirement of a 30 foot side yard for an attached garage and any other relief deemed necessary. The applicant is proposing an addition to the existing attached garage that will be 6 feet from the right side property line. The property location is 1786 Church Road, Germansville, PA 18053, and it is in the Agricultural Preservation District. Dawn Didra, CZO - Zoning Officer Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF KATHERINE LIZAK, deceased, of the Township of Allen, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Steven Albert Stangl, 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 Steven Albert Stangl, Executor, c/o Lori Gardiner Kreglow, Esquire, 18 East Market Street, P.O. Box 1961, Bethlehem, PA 18016-1961. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF WAYNE E. EIKE, deceased, of Williams Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Barbara Ann Smith, 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 Barbara Ann Smith, Executor, c/o Lori Gardiner Kreglow, Esquire, 18 East Market Street, P.O. Box 1961, Bethlehem, PA 18016-1961. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

TRUST NOTICE

The Revocable Living Trust of Stephen A. Lizak and Katherine Lizak dated November 6, 2001, Late of Allen Township, Northampton County. Notice is hereby given that the settlor of the revocable trust set forth below has died. All persons having claims or demands against said decedent or the trust is requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said decedent or trust are requested to make payment without delay to the trustee or the trustee's attorney as named below: Trustee, Steven Albert Stangl, c/o Lori Gardiner Kreglow, Esquire, 18 East Market Street, P.O. Box 1961, Bethlehem, PA 18016-1961. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF STEPHEN J. SANDOR, late of the City of Bethlehem, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary on the above-named estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to: Alissa Jung Day, aka Alissa J. Sandor, Executor c/o WILLIAM P. LEESON, ESQUIRE 70 East Broad Street, P.O. Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

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

ESTATE OF ANIBAL RODRIGUES-MARTINEZ Also known as ANIBAL RODRIGUEZ, Late of Bushkill Township, Northampton Co., PA. DONNA M. RODRIGUEZ, Executrix c/o 1620 Pond Road, Ste. 200 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 or EDWARD H. BUTZ, ESQ. 1620 POND ROAD, SUITE 200 ALLENTOWN, PA 18104-2255 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

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MILKOWICH, MARY ANN C., also known as MARY ANN MILKOWICH, late of East Allen Township. EXECUTORS: KATHRYN M. ROOSA JAMES P. MILKOWICH c/o 1620 Pond Road, Ste. 200 Allentown, PA 18104-2255 or EDWARD H. BUTZ, ESQ. 1620 POND ROAD, SUITE 200 ALLENTOWN, PA 18104-2255 Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of Guy Barry Christman, Deceased, late of Bethlehem Township, County of Northampton, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Scott Allen Feist, Executor, c/o 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404, Bethlehem, PA 18017; or Timothy J. Duckworth, Esquire, Mosebach, Funt, Dayton & Duckworth, P.C., 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404, Bethlehem, PA 18017. Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF Betty L. Stump, deceased, late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Kevin Roger Stump, Executor c/o Michael Ira Stump, Esquire 207 E. Main Street, Suite 100 Macungie, PA 18062 or to his Attorney: Michael Ira Stump, Esq. 207 E. Main Street, Ste.100 Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF RICHARD W. SHAFFER, Decedent, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent make known the same, and all persons indebted to said Decedent are requested to make payment in full, without delay, to: Executrix: Sally O. Shaffer c/o Swartz & Associates 7736 Main St., Fogelsville, PA 18051 Attorney: Richard W. Shafer, Jr. Esquire 7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051 Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE REGISTRATION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in the Estate of the Decedent set forth below, the Register of Wills has granted Letters Testamentary to the person named. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are requested to make known the same, make payment without delay, to the executors or to their attorneys named below: Decedent: TRUMAN ROBERT RICHARD Date of Death: December 15, 2018 Late of: Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Executor: George Joseph Kondash c/o William W. Matz, Jr., Esquire 211 W. Broad Street Bethlehem, PA 18018-5517 Attorney: William W. Matz, Jr., Esquire 211 W. Broad Street Bethlehem, PA 18018-5517 Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE REGISTRATION NOTICE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF ARLENE R. SCOTT, deceased, late of Coopersburg, 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 payment without delay to: DAVID D. SCOTT, Executor, 3881 Mar Street, Coopersburg, PA 18036 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

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PUBLIC NOTICE SEALED BID PUBLIC SALE NISSAN 1N4AL3AP2DN449980 FORD 3FA8POHR1DR375044 HONDA 2HGES1654H531019 AUDI WAULT64B82N042664 A.B.E. AUTO SALVAGE, INC. 4418 Easton Ave., Bethlehem, PA 18020 610-807-9700 PA SALVOR #M-1272 Thurs., Feb. 28, 2019 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

PUBLIC NOTICE

BOROUGH OF NORTH CATAUAQUA CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, the North Catauaqua Borough Civil Service Commission will hold a Meeting on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 7:00 PM. The purpose of this meeting will be to reorganize and begin the process of establishing a list of candidates for the Police Department of North Catauaqua Borough. Nancy K. Knecht, Borough Secretary Feb. 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE of Leo Schwindenhammer, a/k/a Leo G Schwindenhammer, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Lisa A. Bartera, Esquire, Santanasto Law, 210 E. Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018. Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of MIRIAM A. AZAR deceased, late of Coplay, 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 the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Executrix: Constance Rivers c/o Joshua D. Shulman, Esquire SHULMAN LAW OFFICE PC 1925 Center Street Northampton, PA 18067 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JAMES L. KNAPPENBERGER, deceased, late of Washington 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: Executrix: Rebecca A. Orth f/k/a Rebecca Knappenberger c/o Joshua D. Shulman, Esquire SHULMAN LAW OFFICE PC 1925 Center Street Northampton, PA 18067 Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHANNA T. LEGATH, deceased, late of Northampton, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: ROBERT N. LEGATH C/O STECKEL AND STOPP LLC Executor, or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp, By: Stephen A. Strack, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF FRANK S. KOVACS, deceased, late of Northampton, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: MICHELE C. WOLGAMUTH C/O STEPHEN A. STRACK STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210 SLATINGTON, PA 18080 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Lillian L. Schnyder, 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 Harry G. H. Stettler, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or his Attorney, Robert Van Horn, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of John J. Capuano, late of Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Gayle M. Holben, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or his attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 20, 27 & Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Leona A. Cramsey, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Daniel Moffitt, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or his Attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Theresa Ann Hartner, a/k/a Theresa A. Hartner, a/k/a Theresa Hartner, deceased, late of 3842 Friedens Road, Washington Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Joseph M. Hartner or Sharon L. Caton, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or their attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Erica Snyder, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to David M. Roth, Esquire, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to David M. Roth, Esquire c/o, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Bruce Cranstroun, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Celic Petrin, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to David M. Roth, Esquire c/o, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Upper Macungie Township Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on March 13, 2019 at 6:30 P.M., at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, Breinigsville (one mile west of Route 100), to hear the following appeal:

#03 19 005 The Special Exception Application of Joseph Peters Trust UW dtd August 22, 2015 FBO Joseph Peters Jr, c/o Stifel Trust Company, N.A., Trustee, 501 N. Broadway, St. Louis, MO 63102; for a Special Exception for a Home Occupation as required by § 27-306. 2 "Table of Permitted Uses by District" at 9928 Weiss Road. The property is located near the intersection of Weiss Road and Windswept Road and is situated in the RU1.5 Zoning District. Applicants must appear at the hearing. All interested parties may appear and be heard. Kyle Kuester, Zoning Officer Feb. 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF MARIE E. NEWHARD, late of the Township of Forks, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary on the above named estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to: PATRICK J. NEWHARD, Executor c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE or to: GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of KATHLEEN OSHEA DUNCAN, late of the Borough of Hellertown, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters of Administration on the above named estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to: PEIGI ANNE SCHMOYER, Administratrix c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE or to: GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 Feb. 27, Mar. 6 & 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF HOWARD F. BAILER, a/k/a HOWARD F. BAILER, JR., late of South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the persons named below, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Executor: Joanne M. Bailer c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Avenue, Ste. 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 or to her Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD 2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103 Allentown, PA 18104-1360 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF ELAINE E. TORRES, deceased, late of Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Christopher R. Torres, Administrator c/o Wiener and Wiener LLP 512 W. Hamilton Street, Suite 400 OR to his attorney: Wiener and Wiener LLP 512 W. Hamilton Street, Suite 400 Allentown, PA 18101 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of ROBERT A. REMALY a/k/a ROBERT ARTHUR REMALY, deceased, late of South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the individual named below, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Nancy L. Michener, Executrix c/o Eric R. Strauss, Esquire WORTH, MAGEE & FISHER, P.C. 2610 Walbert Avenue Allentown, PA 18104 Feb. 20, 27, Mar. 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF THERESA M. KISSEL, a/k/a THERESA MARIE KISSEL, a/k/a THERESA K. McDermott, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Rebecca A. Spradlin, Executrix c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to her Attorney YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of Stephanie Hutzayluk, deceased, late of Lower Milford Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: David Hutzayluk and Metro Hutzayluk, Co-Administrators c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or to David Hutzayluk's attorney: Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq. 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of DAVID M. KUNCIO, deceased, late of Upper Milford Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: Erraina Kuncio-Bohn and Michael Kuncio, Co-Administrators c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or to their attorney: Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq. 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 Feb. 13, 20, 27

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Public Works Employee The Borough of Emmaus is currently accepting applications for full-time Public Works employees. Over the next 10 months, we anticipate openings for 5 full-time positions and are establishing a hiring list to fill those positions. We are currently seeking laborers that can perform physically demanding work for a municipality in areas such as construction, carpentry, equipment operations, excavating, highway work, parks, water operations, and sewer operations. Public Works employees are required to have a variety of different skills from a variety of different backgrounds. Municipal public works experience is a plus. Applicants must possess a valid PA driver's license and must obtain a CDL license within the first 90 days of employment. Applications and more information can be obtained at Emmaus Town Hall, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA or www.borough.emmaus.pa.us. Deadline for submission of applications with work experience and history is Thursday, March 14, 2019 at 2:00 PM. Shane M. Pepe Emmaus Borough Manager

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