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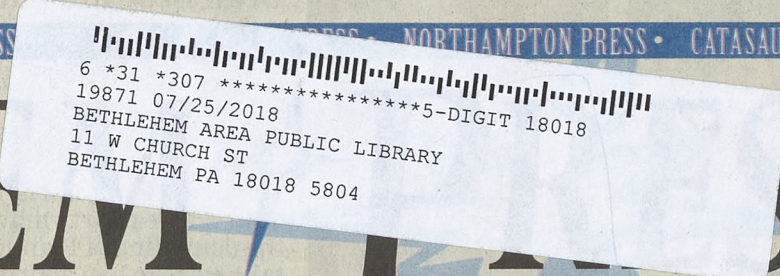
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NORCO Some retirees' checks increase

BY BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Northampton County's Retirement Board, which manages the pensions of roughly 2,000 county retirees, has voted to end a practice that was chipping away at pension checks. To be specific, the board has directed the county to stop deducting medical contributions from retiree benefits after determining that the practice is illegal. The board made this decision May 3.

The practice of deducting medical contributions from pensions started under former Executive Bill Brackbill in the early 90s. Every executive since that time has increased this deduction. At the current time, about \$400,000 is deducted from the pensions of retirees every year.

Executive Lamont McClure informed council about the Retirement Board's action when Council met later that day.

Gerald E. "Jerry" Seyfried, the retiree's representative on the board and himself a former executive, complained that some retiree pension checks were being reduced by as much as \$300 a month.

The practice was determined to be a violation of the nonimpairment clause of the Home Rule Charter and Pennsylvania State Constitution, the latter of which provides that "[n]o ex post facto law, nor any law impairing the obligation of contracts, or making irrevocable any grant of special privileges or immunities, shall be passed."

Most retirees will still contribute to their medical coverage, but whatever they were paying as an employee will be locked in at retirement.

McClure also updated council on the following matters:

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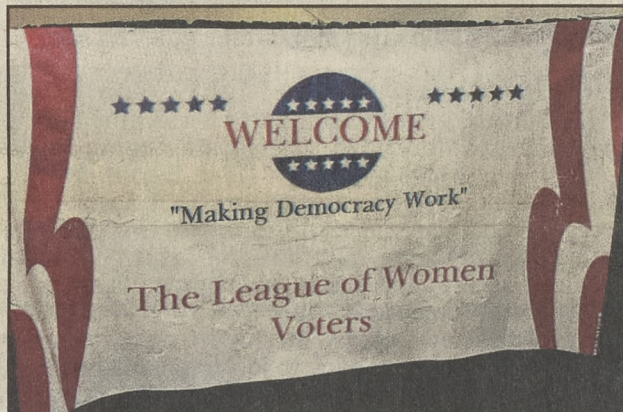
Standing room only at the Congressional candidates forum at Northampton Community College.

District 7 debate Congressional candidates clarify their positions

BY CAROLE GORNEY
Special to the Bethlehem Press

All but one of the eight candidates vying for the new 7th Congressional district seat appeared together before a standing room-only audience to answer questions at a recent forum sponsored jointly by the League of Women Voters of Lehigh and Northampton counties. Those at the forum were Democrats David Clark, Rick Daugherty, Greg Edwards, John Morganelli, Roger Ruggles and Susan Wild. Republican Dean Browning also participated.

Republican Marty Nothstein of Lehigh County declined the invitation, charging in a news release that "the League of Women Voters has become a partisan, liberal organization allied with the interests of the Democratic Party." The League



Beverly Hernandez, vice president Northampton County League of Women Voters, with Republican candidate Dean Browning.

of Women Voters filed the court petition that resulted in the state Supreme Court's congressional redistricting in February.

The new 7th Congressional district combines Lehigh and Northampton counties and incorporates large parts of Republican Congressman Charlie Dent's old 15th district. Dent has announced that he plans to resign his seat sometime in May.

After brief opening statements, the candidates were asked a series of questions on topics ranging from the recent tax law to Social Security, their positions on the NRA and abortion, fracking, prison reform and the costs of higher education. Each candidate was given 60 seconds to comment on each of the subjects, and the order of answering was rotated each time.

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Democratic Congressional candidates Roger Ruggles, John Morganelli, Susan Wild and David Clark.

PEOPLE SAY

BY DANA GRUBB

From the Liberty HS Class of 1948 reunion, seventy years after your own graduation, what is the best piece of advice you'd give to this year's graduating seniors?



"Live every minute of your life. I wish I would have squeezed even more out of my own."
Olga Frimenko
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"Keep busy."
Dolores Dominguez
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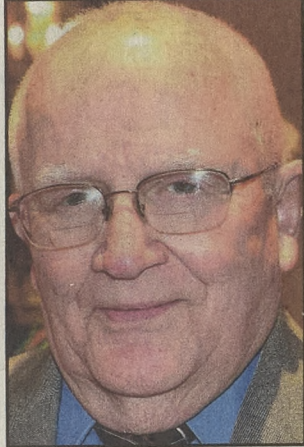
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COLLEGE NOTES

Cedar Crest College

Summer session begins May 14

The spring semester is wrapping up, but Cedar Crest College will offer a full slate of classes for students who want to continue their education over the summer. The first session of classes will begin May 14.

Students can choose from dozens of classes in a number of fields, including business, art, chemistry and nursing. The classes will be taught by experienced faculty members and small class sizes will allow for a more individualized experience. The final session of summer classes will end on Aug. 13.

Cedar Crest College's main campus is located at 100 College Drive, Allentown, 18104. For information, call 800-360-1222 or visit www.cedarcrc.edu.

PEOPLE

Nichols elected Episcopal bishop

The Rev. Canon Kevin Nichols, 56, was elected bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Bethlehem at a meeting in the Cathedral Church of the Nativity. He was chosen by the clergy of the diocese and elected lay representatives on the first ballot to lead the 58 parishes.

The former Roman Catholic priest earned a master of divinity degree from St. Mary's Seminary and University in Baltimore. Received into the Episcopal priesthood in 1999, he was rector of St. Stephen's in Pittsfield and St. Andrew's in Hopkinton, both in New Hampshire.

He is currently the chief operating officer and canon for mission resources in the Diocese of New Hampshire. He was formerly president of the Diocese of New Hampshire's Standing Committee and a member of the church wide task force to re-imagine the Episcopal Church.

He will be ordained as the bishop on Sept. 15 at First Presbyterian Church, 3231 W. Tighman St., Allentown.

Glennan honored at Alvernia

Kelsey Glennan, of Bethlehem, earned the Outstanding Behavioral Health Academic Award during the Alvernia College 2018 Honors Convocation ceremony recently. She is studying Behavioral Health at the college.

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The following is a summary of each candidate's responses:

Dean Browning (R) (Lehigh)

In his opening statement, Browning said, "Without vision the people perish. The people in Washington only want to get elected. I have a different vision — the election of Donald Trump. I plan to work in Washington to make that happen."

A former Lehigh County Commissioner, he considers himself a Christian conservative aligned with the Tea Party movement. He said he supports the defunding of Planned Parenthood, and would take steps to ban abortions, mentioning in particular Down Syndrome fetuses.

On the issue of gun control and the National Rifle Association, Browning said no other organization is more dedicated to gun safety than the NRA. He said he would be honored if it supported his campaign.

Browning said he is a supporter of the new tax plan that lowers corporate taxes so "our companies can be more competitive." As for higher education student debt, he said guaranteed student loans have only encouraged universities to raise tuition. "We need to remove student loan guarantees and let the marketplace work."

To address prison overcrowding, Browning said he supported decriminalizing possession of small amounts of some drugs. As for the Dreamers, he said he supported legal status, but not a path to citizenship. He also favors building the border wall.

On the issue of fracking, he said it is a key component. "Our strength is energy — petrol and natural gas."

David Clark (D) (Lehigh)

Clark, who ran for Congress in 1992, said in his opening statement that what separates him from the other candidates is that he wants to remove Donald Trump from presidential decisions.

Fiscally, Clark favors a graduated income tax, and Social Security payments based on wealth. "The more wealth, the longer the wait to receive Social Security." He called the new tax law the biggest giveaway to the rich and said the trickle-down effect doesn't work. With a graduated income tax, he said there would be enough money for higher education, but he added that he favors higher SAT scores for loan recipients.

He said he supports a path to citizenship for Dreamers, universal health care and prison reform, noting that felons have all their possessions taken from them so when they are released that forces them to come back into the system. He opposes mandatory sentences, saying judges are appointed because of their judgment."

Clark accused the Koch brothers and Citizens United of owning the [U.S.] Senate, House of Representatives and now the Supreme Court. "They are spending \$600 million in attack ads," he said.

Rick Daugherty (D) (Lehigh)

Social worker Rick Daugherty is running for the House seat for the third time, after being defeated twice before by Charlie Dent. He observed that the cost of living adjustments (COLA) for Social Security are based on an urban worker and not a retired person, and that seniors have been cheated. He supports a new COLA formula specifically for senior citizens.

As for the new tax law, he said we have not seen funds being funneled back to job creation. "We'll see what happens and cut out the stuff that's not helping us."

On another issue, he said he recognized that Roe v. Wade is the law of the land, but he does not support federal funding for abortions. Concerning health care, Daugherty said preventative care needs to be a top priority, noting high costs of insurance result because persons don't get health care early enough. He said more health services should be provided for people rather than imprisonment.

Daugherty said hydraulic fracturing (fracking) damages the environment and "we're all being asked to clean it up. It's got to stop." He supports fining the companies for damages caused by fracking.

He said he backs full citizenship for Dreamers, commenting, "Let's get it done." He also called



Democrat Greg Edwards



Democrat Rick Daugherty

Citizens United "a threat to national security," and accused Congress of not doing what it should to prevent foreign involvement in the U.S. election process. He approves of background checks for gun purchases, and said he wants to expand waiting periods.

Greg Edwards (D) (Lehigh)

Pastor Greg Edwards, who is endorsed by Sen. Bernie Sanders, told the forum audience that the country needs campaign reform to put the people before money.

He criticized Congress for refusing to take action on raising the minimum wage to \$15 an hour, which he said would create a robust economy. He said that everyone who qualifies and wants to go to college should be able to graduate without being shackled with debt, and he said he favors universal health care.

On prison reform, Edwards opposes privatization of prisons and supports efforts to help prisoners re-enter society. He called the 800,000 Dreamers "Our children," and said they should be American citizens.

John Morganelli (D) (Northampton)

Northampton County District Attorney Morganelli bragged that he got an "F" from the NRA because of his stance on gun control. He is supported by CeaseFirePA, a statewide organization working on reforms and legislation to prevent gun violence.

Speaking on the recent tax reform bill, he said it is not a permanent tax cut for average taxpayers, and at the least he would work to make it permanent. As for the high rates of interest on student loans, he explained that "Congress sets the interest rates." He said students should be allowed to refinance their loans.

On fracking, he said he supports Pa. Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) oversight, vigorous prosecution of violations, and some financial benefit to the state.

He called Medicaid essential to helping the poor, and he would work to fully fund it. He said he supports Planned Parenthood, pointing out that the organization provides health care services to women beyond abortions.

An advocate for federal criminal justice reform, he said what he would like to see is a "retraction on federal crimes," and decriminalization of marijuana. He said he would work for a constitutional amendment to eliminate Citizens United.

Roger Ruggles (D) (Northampton)

A long-time member of Easton City Council, Ruggles is a member of the faculty in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering at Lafayette College.

He promised to be fiscally prudent and protect Social Security. He called health care a right for everyone, and said costs need to be controlled. He added later that he fully supports Planned Parenthood and the services it provides for the community.

Commenting on higher education, Ruggles agreed that student loan interest rates are too high. He also encouraged universities to make it easier for students to graduate in four years.

Regulating fracking should be left to the states, Ruggles said, adding that there should be a fund that frackers contribute to in order to cover any environmental costs that might occur.

Susan Wild (D) (Lehigh)

Former Allentown Solicitor Susan Wild said See **DISTRICT** on Page A3

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Two young men were graduating from a leading university. In the locker room the one said to the other, "Jim, do you realize that we have been together in school ever since first grade? I've been wanting to ask you a question for years. You are always the top of every class—team captain—tops in grades. Where do you get that dedication year in and year out?" Jim answered, "I've never told this to anyone but when I was six my Dad sat me down and told me this story:

He said, "Son, your Mother and I were married 15 years and could not have children—the doctor said it was impossible. We began to pray in family devotions, 'God if you give us just one boy, we will never ask for another.' We prayed that way for three months every night. One day we discovered you were coming. For nine months we planned for your birth. When the time came, after several hours at the hospital, the doctors called me aside and told me he could only save one life or the other—mother or baby. He told me to talk to your mother and give him the decision. When I walked into her room she told me not to argue saying, 'I've decided to give my life for this child.' I cried and asked, 'How can you make that decision—I'll put you first before anything.' But she said, 'Haven't we been praying for months for just one boy—we didn't know it would take my life for that one! The last thing she told me was, 'I want you to tell him for me that I want him to stand as the greatest boy in all the world! I want people to be able to say, 'There goes the boy for whom his mother gave her life!'"

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Penn State Lehigh Valley: Visit <http://lehighvalley.psu.edu/gallery> or call 610-285-5261.

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Hanover Days Community Carnival. Clowns, rides, live music, food, petting zoo, balloon animals and more. Hanover Township Community Center, Northampton County, 3660 Jacksonville Road. Call 610-317-8701 or visit <http://hanovercommunitycenter.com/> for daily schedules and information.

Thursday, May 10

Marvine ES community festival: games, food, music, raffles. 4:30 to 7 p.m. 1425 Livingston St. Rain date: May 17.

The Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group, open to the public, 7 p.m. Palmer branch, Easton Area Public Library, 1 Weller Place, Palmer Township. Visit <https://greaterlehighvalleywritersgroup.wildapricot.org/>.

A Festive Evensong on Ascension Day, 7 pm. Cathedral Choir, area guest choirs: music of Stanford, Vaughan Williams, Finzi, Messiaen, others. Cathedral Church of the Nativity, 321 Wyandotte St. Call 610-865-0727 or visit www.nativitycathedral.org/worship/music/.

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she "genuinely worried about the futures of our children and grandchildren." She emphasized the importance of health care for seniors, saying Social Security should be protected. Criticizing the new tax bill as only benefiting billionaires and large corporations, she said it has created a tax-break gap in the country. "Now they are going after Social Security," Wild criticized school loan interest rates, saying they are higher than mortgage and

auto rates.

She opposes privatization of prisons and spoke against incarcerating people for minor infractions. She also noted that opiate problems are less in states with legalized marijuana.

Campaign funding reform is among her top five priorities, Wild said, because the current system is corrupting government and keeping qualified people from running for office.

Wild objected to the phrasing of the question, "Do you support abortion?" She replied, "I support the right to choose."

Summary

In response to questions, the candidates expressed support for a bill now in Congress called the "End Pensions in Congress Act," or EPIC Act, which would end congressional pensions.

All Democrats pledged not to accept NRA campaign funding, and Edwards added a position not to accept PAC money, as well.

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Bach at 4: Chorale #106, Parish Church of Our Lord's Incarnation, 617 Pierce St.
Chamber Music in the Saal, 4 p.m. Goldberg Variations with Charlotte Mattax Moersch, harpsichord. Moravian Museum, 66 W. Church St.
Dinner discussion, 5:45 p.m. Zoellner Arts Center, 420 E. Packer Ave.
Bach at 8: 8 p.m. Packer Memorial Church, 18 University Drive. For information and tickets, visit <http://bach.org> or call 610-866-4382.

Saturday, May 12

Bach Festival events: For information and tickets, visit <http://bach.org> or call 610-866-4382.

Ifor Jones Chamber Music Concert, 10:30 a.m. and the Festival Luncheon, 12:30 p.m. Zoellner Arts Center, 420 E. Packer Ave. Mass in B Minor, 2:30 p.m. Packer Memorial Church, 18 University Drive. For information or tickets, visit <http://bach.org/bach-festival/> or call 610-866-4302.

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Dave DiGiacinto golf tournament, benefits Boys and Girls Club of Bethlehem. Call 610-739-1510.

Holy Ghost Church garage sale, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Rain date: May 19. Refreshments. 417 Carlton Ave.

Cross Point yard sale, 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. 1414 Pennsylvania Ave. Call 610-866-1388.

Valley Contra Dance, Janine Smith calling to Brooklyn Swing Ensemble: Gemini Celebration / dances Double Dance 4 p.m.; potluck dinner, 6 p.m.; evening dance, 7:30 p.m. Donations accepted; to be shared by Valley Contra Dance and the church. Unitarian Universalist Church, 428 Center St. Call 610-868-7432 or visit www.valleycontradance.org.

Sunday, May 13

Bethlehem Fine Art and Craft Show, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Downtown Historic Bethlehem. Visit <http://bfac-lv.org>.

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MEETING BOARD

Wednesday, May 9

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

Thursday, May 10

Bethlehem Authority, 3:30 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.

Monday, May 14

Mayor's Open Door City Special Activity, special event Q&A to answer questions or address any issues about upcoming special events for the public, 9 to 11 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St. RSVP to 610-865-7079. First come, first served.

Bethlehem Planning Commission, 4 p.m. city hall, 10 E. Church St.

Bethlehem Housing Authority, 4:30 p.m. Monocacy Towers, 645 Main St.

BASD Finances & Human Resources committees, 6 p.m. Edgeboro Room, Education Center, 1516 Sycamore St.

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

Wednesday, May 16

Bethlehem Municipal Authority, 6:30 p.m. 3535 Orth St.
Freemansburg Council, 7 p.m. 600 Monroe St.

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GRADUATIONS

East Stroudsburg Univeristy

The following Bethlehem area students will receive degrees from East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania at separate commencement exercises for undergraduate and graduate students on May 4 and May 5: Ryan Blowers, Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies; Alexis Brenner, Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science; Lisa Davis, Bachelor of Arts in Communication; Meredith Dull, Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Chris Ebersole, Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education (PreK-4); Khayla Estime, Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Blanka Feher, Bachelor of Science in Psychology; Kaitlyn Fehne, Bachelor of Science in Nursing;

Jessica Fenon, Bachelor of Science in Business Management; Ralph Guerrero, Bachelor of Science in Recreation Services Management; Chris Haddad, Bachelor of Fine Arts in Integrated Art and Design; Mason Henning, Bachelor of Arts in History; Carissa Iacona, Bachelor of Science in Business Management; Layla Irby, Bachelor of Science in Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management; Michele Kanard, Bachelor of Science in Nursing;

Daniel Keyser, Bachelor of Arts in History; Chad Kleppinger, Bachelor of Science in Sport Management; Kayla Krotzer, Bachelor of Science in Social Work; Jillian Krupa, Bachelor of Science in Communication Sciences & Disorders; Dalton Laut, Bachelor of Science in Biology; Kelly Lydon, Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science; Kaitlyn Mack, Bachelor of Science in Special Education (Pre K-8) and Early Childhood Education (Pre K-4); Katelyn Martini, Bachelor of Science in Business Management; Amber Miller, Bachelor of Science in Business Management; Jazmin Nelson-Malone, Bachelor of Science in Biology; Hector Pagan, Bachelor of Science in Business Management; Kirsten Priestas, Bachelor of Science in Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management;

Irina Rabinovich, Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Brielle Reier, Bachelor of Arts in History; Victoria Salvadge, Bachelor of Fine Arts in Integrated Art and Design; Dakota Sarbaugh, Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education (PreK-4); Matthew Simko, Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science; Derek Skinner, Bachelor of Science in Sport Management; Caitlin Wallbillich, Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Tyler Zuk, Bachelor of Science in English; Joselyn Correa-Melendez, Master of Public Health in Public Health; Kaitlyn Glenn, Master of Science in Communication Sciences & Disorders; Ashley McCauley, Master of Science in Clinical Exercise Physiology; Jennifer Medina, Master of Public Health in Public Health; Mary Musselman, Master of Education in Professional and Secondary Education; Alyssa Saggio, Master of Science in Clinical Exercise Physiology; and Adam Nystrom, Master of Arts in Professional and Digital Media Writing.

Submit graduation items to gtaylor@tnonline.com, fax 610-740-0947 or mail it to College graduates, c/o Bethlehem Press, 1633 N. 26 St., Allentown, PA 18104.

PRIMARY ELECTION - MAY 15

LT. GOVENOR



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Democrat John Fetterman, Allegheny County
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Democrat Lisa Boscola
Northampton County
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Democrat Mark Pinsley
South Whitehall Township
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Republican Pat Browne
Allentown
www.patbrowne.com



Democrat Jeanne McNeill
Whitehall Township
Unopposed

PA SENATE
16TH DIST.

PA HOUSE
133 DIST.

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* Sheriff's appointment - McClure is advertising the position. McClure denied that the acting sheriff will automatically become the sheriff unless he acts soon.

* Chrin TIF - In October 2011, Charles Chrin sought a special tax break called a TIF from Northampton County for a 689-acre business park he was proposing at the northern end of Palmer Township. A TIF is a special arrangement which allows a developer to use real estate taxes to fund more infrastructure improvements. It requires the approval of the municipality, school board and county. The TIF had already been approved by Palmer Township and



PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE

Meadows Bridge, first built in 1858, was used by Lower Saucon Township farmers transporting grain to a nearby mill

the Easton School District. But the county had to sign off as well.

Former council member Ron Angle negotiated a commitment from Chrin to set aside 1.5 per cent of the net sales price of each lot as sold for farmland preserva-

tion, capped at \$2 million. According to then Executive Stoffa, this money would be used to get matching grants from the state, and thus enable the county to preserve 650 acres of farmland.

What Chrin is doing

is conveying parcels to a straw party for nothing, and then have the straw party sell it off for consideration. Since there is no profit in the original sale, he could argue he owes nothing. But he would offer the county a sum, and former Executive John Brown would accept it.

Chrin was Brown's largest campaign donor.

That was then. Lamont McClure is now executive, and he just rejected an offer of \$25,000 from the sale of three parcels to a straw party because it perverts the arrangement between the county and Chrin.

* Meadows Bridge needs to be replaced. - Meadows Bridge, located in Lower Saucon Township, is a magnificent stone arch bridge that was built in 1858 so

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101 years old



Ruth Frederick (Hartman) Willistein, 101, died May 1, 2018, in Phoebe Home, Allentown. Born in Allentown, she was a daughter of the late Harvey Phaon Hartman and Minnie Frederick Hartman, of Fullerton, Whitehall Township.

She was the wife of the late Paul August Willistein Sr. for 48 years.

She was a 1934 graduate of Whitehall HS.

She was the owner-operator of Wayside Flower Shop, Bethlehem; managed Bookman's Book Store, Allentown, and was a governess in Philadelphia and in Ocean City, N.J.

She was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Allentown, and, previously, of St. Paul's "Blue" Church, Coopersburg, and St. John's Lutheran Church, Fullerton, where she was in charge of the infant department.

She volunteered at Lehigh County Historical Society.

She is survived by a son, Paul of Allentown, with whom she resided for 13 years; a daughter, Alice Uhl of Fountain Hill; three nieces, Christine Lewis of Thomasville, Ga.; Karen Martin of Columbus, Ohio; and Donna Hartman-Bauer of Akron, Ohio; three grandchildren, Brenda Eichelberg of Bristol, Wisc., Brian Uhl of Allentown and Elias Hasenecz of Iowa City, Iowa; and six great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by a sister, Louise Hartman Nielsen; and two brothers, Harvey and Earl Hartman.

Contributions may be made in her name to the charity of one's choice.

Arrangements were made by J. S. Burkholder Funeral Home Inc., Allentown.

Ruth Addie Kunsman

pediatric nurse



Ruth Addie Kunsman, 86, of Bethlehem Township, died in her home on April 6, 2018. Born in Phillipsburg, N.J., she was a daughter of the late Semple and Evelyn (Messinger) Rush. She was the wife of George M. Kunsman for 66 years.

She was a 1952 graduate of Easton Hospital School of Nursing.

She was a registered nurse and was a pediatric nurse at Easton Hospital for several years, and later at Warren Hospital, New Jersey.

She was a former member of Greenwich Presbyterian Church, Stewartsville, N.J.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Ruthe M. and her husband David Gobbi of Harrisburg, N.C. and Diane L. and her husband Larry Matthews of Palmer Township; a son, George M. Jr. and his companion Gayle of Easton; a sister, Bette Wood of Standardville, Va.; six grandchildren, Neil and his wife Lovella Gobbi, Michelle Gobbi, Andrea and her husband Jason Young, Brian and his wife Kristin Ketchledge, Jaymee-Leigh and her husband Michael Lister and Jordyn Kunsman; eight great-grandchildren, Micaela Stryker, Brielle Rosado, Tyler Young, Megan Young, Sierra Dittmer, Kassy Nesfeder, Colton Nesfeder and Cheytan Gobbi; and a former daughter-in-law, Judy Kunsman.

Contributions may be made to a charity of one's choice.

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

Mary James Wagner

former Globe-Times reporter

Mary James Wagner, 86, of Lower Milford Township, died April 13, 2018, at St. Luke's Hospital, Quakertown. She was the wife of the late Robert E. Wagner.

She was for many years a Bethlehem police reporter for the former Bethlehem Globe-Times newspapers. She was the winner of many excellence in journalism awards from The Pennsylvania Newspaper Association. A student mentor, she was instrumental in the launch of and was an editor for The Valley Voice newspaper, Saucon Valley.

She and several friends started the Lower Milford Township library. She volunteered and was a steward for the Lower Milford Township Volunteer Fire Company.

She is survived by a son, Richard.

Contributions may be made to the Lehigh County Humane Society, 640 Dixon St., Allentown, 18103.

Arrangements were made by the Bachman, Kulik & Reinsmith Funeral Home Inc., Emmaus.

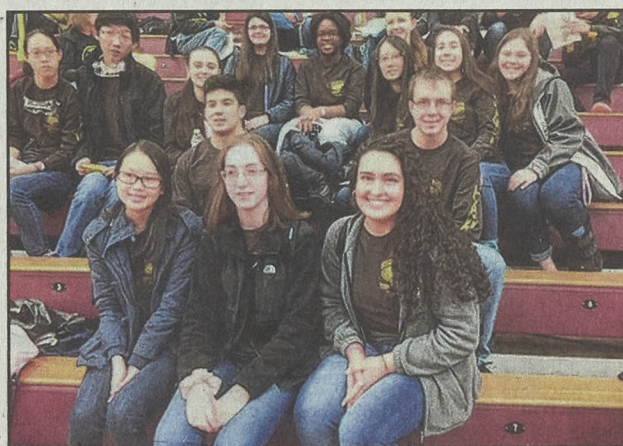
Students shine at Science Olympiad

BY HEATHER NIGRONE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Every year since 1985, high school students from around the country gather to compete in a challenge based science competition, Science Olympiad. The nationwide program has multiple levels, and the State of Pennsylvania has a large state competition every year. The 2018 competition was held at Kutztown University on March 15.

The day long competition put 28 schools from eastern Pennsylvania in a grueling contest covering 23 science related topics. Students from Liberty, Freedom, and Bethlehem Catholic spent weeks preparing for a chance to win. The core focus of the Olympiad is STEM - science, technology, engineering and math.

The team from Liberty contained 13 students: Vivek Adury, Nicole Alhov, Everst Byrne, Alan Guo, Grace Haas, Raj Kundu, Lucy Kitch-Peck, Elizabeth Lee, Liam Murray, Mike Nah, Man Nguyen, Stephen Trempel and Julia



PRESS PHOTO BY HEATHER NIGRONE
Bethlehem Catholic team members Vivi Hoang, Zoe Zhang Marc Cai and Antonio Diaz.



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Zheng.

The team excelled in Disease Detectives (microbiology) and material sciences, taking second and fourth respectively. Julia, Grace, Lucy and Vivek all placed in their events, and the entire team celebrated a successful event with doughnuts when they returned to school. Tara Richards, science department chair at Liberty said after the event, "I am very proud of the team. These students are SO involved at LHS and they worked hard at a variety of science areas of study and represented our school well."

Bethlehem Catholic also had students in attendance at the event. Students Antonio Diaz and Vivi Hoang placed third for the trial event of "What's Your Number" and Marc Cai and Zoe Zhang placed fourth in "Mission Possible." The team also scored six additional top 10 finishes. Biology instructor Carole Reightler, who helped prepare the students, and also supervised at the event,

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that local farmers could transport their grain to the Levi S. Moyer grist mill. As the land around it was developed and construction trucks crossed, the bridge began showing signs of wear. A recent PennDOT inspection resulted in a decision to close the bridge.

This is one of 33 bridges that had been slated for repairs as part of a special P3 project, under which these bridges were conveyed to the General Purpose Authority. Kriger Construction is doing the repair work. It now needs to be replaced. McClure told council that Kriger Construction, the company working on the bridges, will have to be informed.

* McClure asks for council review of the P3 project. - One of the unfortunate side effects of this P3 project initiated is friction between Executive Lamont McClure and what he has called a "rogue" General Purpose Authority. They canceled a meeting scheduled this past week. Executive Lamont

McClure repeated his request that council begin its own review. "We're going to get this done," he said of the project, but he is unhappy at what he has discovered.

In addition to an \$810,000 bill for two years of legal work and an unprecedented bill from the authority chair, McClure has learned that only eight of the 33 bridges slated for repairs are rated as structurally deficient. One of the bridges slated for replacement is rated at 96 percent.

* Procurement Code Overhaul - Technically, it's Article XIII of the Administrative Code. It has led to more acrimony between the executive and council than any other issue over the years. It has also led to several lawsuits. When John Brown was executive, money was set aside for a "study," but it was still unspent.

Steve Barron, who was controller under Brown, asked McClure to let him re-write it.

"First, I have to get elected," answered McClure. He was, and he

let Barron loose. Barron worked on revisions with Procurement Manager Kathryn Anderson, Deputy Manager Terry Beidelman and Anthony Sabino, the lead auditor in the controller's office. After several months, it was presented to council's Finance Committee, where it underwent lengthy discussion. The revisions were adopted unanimously, with minor amendments, after a public hearing.

McClure complimented the authors of these changes.

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COLLEGE NOTES

**Lehigh Carbon Community College
Mindfulness Course begins Aug. 29**

Lehigh Carbon Community College is offering a one-credit class entitled Mindfulness for Academic Success (IDS 297H) to new or current LCCC students. The class will meet once a week, from 2:20 to 3:41 p.m., on Wednesdays beginning Aug. 29 for 10 weeks. The instructor is Wendy Barron, professor of media communications and certified mindfulness instructor.

The course is designed to address the specific stress that college students feel and will help them gain the tools to monitor their reactions to stressful situations; reduce worry about school, work and family; focus more effectively when taking a test; and learn to live in the present.

Registration is ongoing and payment is due at the time of registration. For more information, email WBarron@LCCC.edu.

Lehigh Carbon Community College is located at 4525 Education Park Drive, Schnectksville, 18078. For information, call 610-799-1105 or visit www.LCCC.edu.

HEALTH NEWS

**St. Luke's University Health Network
Senior Emergency program launched**

St. Luke's University Hospital, Bethlehem, now has a senior emergency room program to meet the special needs of emergency department patients who are 75 years of age and older.

Treatment is provided by doctors, nurses and other experts trained in geriatrics and similar specialties, such as case management.

The emergency department area has been designed and outfitted to meet the needs of older adults. Special features include environmentally friendly, subdued lighting; walls and anti-slip flooring with colors and patterns to enhance depth perception; handrails to assist with balance and lower beds; and carts stocked with comfort items for seniors.

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commented, "We continue to develop STEM curriculum at Becahi and it pays off when we go to events like Science Olympiad."

Freedom had eight students attend the event, led by president senior Ryan Brown. The students competed in 10 events, and placed in the top 10 in four. Senior Matthew Sabatino and junior Quentin Jimenez

placed third in Fermi Question, in which students provide answers to a series of science related questions that seek fast, rough estimates of a quantity which is either difficult or impossible to measure directly. Senior Matthew We also placed a respectable ninth in Towers and 10th in Disease Detectives. All of the students did a fantastic job of representing Bethlehem and their schools.

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

Lehigh County Commissioners had some political moments April 25 as agenda items were floated, then after sharp questioning by fellow commissioners, sank beneath increasingly turbulent political waters.

A tax rebate proposed by Commission President Marty Nothstein never made it to a vote because it wasn't seconded in the Finance Committee, where it came under bipartisan criticism. The tax rebate resolution was still on the agenda for the regular meeting of the full board of commissioners later in the evening, but was not addressed because it was not approved by the Finance Committee.

The resolution, as drafted, had the board "urging" the Lehigh County executive to submit the 2019 Lehigh County budget with a real estate rebate of \$2.5 million.

A clause in the proposal sought to put some teeth into the request: "If the County Executive opts to submit the 2019 Lehigh County Budget without a tax rebate of at least \$2.5 million, the Board of Commissioners will support the necessary amendments to implement a tax rebate."

The assumed two and one half million dollar surplus was "accomplished by a lot of hard work by our county employees and administration and all involved in

county government," said Nothstein as he introduced the resolution to the Finance Committee.

"We're not in the business of holding money we don't presently need and does not belong to us," explained Nothstein. He said that the average taxpayer would see a refund of \$16.25. "This is money they paid in," said Nothstein. "It's their money; we should give it back to them."

Nothstein's tax rebate idea came under immediate criticism from fel-

low commissioners on the Finance Committee.

Commissioner Percy Dougherty, the senior Republican on the board, immediately suggested that if there is a \$2.5 million surplus in the 2019 budget, it should be used to buy down the cost of future bond issues expected to be needed for the rehabilitation for the Cedarbrook Nursing home. "I will not be able to support this," Dougherty said.

Commissioner Geoff Brace (Democrat) said the board should acknowledge that the 2019

Partisanship foils meeting agenda

LEHIGH COUNTY



PRESS PHOTO BY DOUGLAS GRAVES

Lehigh Commissioner President Marty Nothstein failed to get a tax rebate plan on the agenda then failed to get a candidate appointed to the Velodrome fund. Nothstein is currently the Executive Director of the Valley Preferred Cycling Center headquartered in Breinigsville. Valley Preferred Cycling Center leases the velodrome from Lehigh County.

budget may come in with a deficit – not a surplus.

Commissioner Amy Holt (Democrat) also suggested that reinvesting any surplus into capital improvements would save taxpayers money in the long run.

Commissioner Nathan Brown also pushed back against Nothstein's tax rebate idea. He referred to an unfunded mandate that the county must buy \$3.1 million worth of new voting machines.

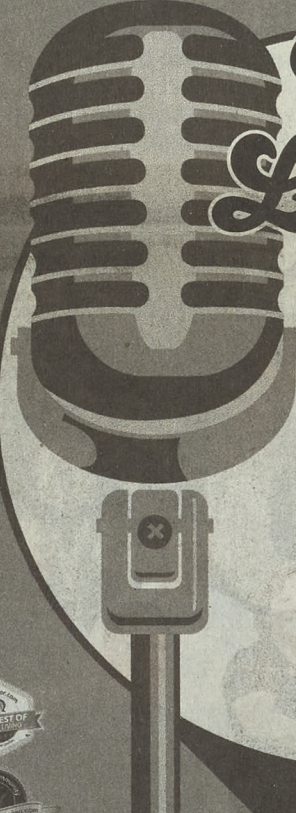
Commissioner Amy Zanelli weighed in with the opinion that it is a bad idea to give back money when Lehigh County is faced with an appeal that it is "almost guaranteed to lose." She was referring to the commissioners' decision to appeal the lost legal challenge of the Christian cross which appears in the county's seal.

Democrat Zanelli also saw political motivations behind Republican Nothstein's proposed resolution. "The timing of this I can't ignore," said Zanelli. She said the proposal had a lot less to do with giving back to the taxpayers than with politics.

Nothstein is currently campaigning for election in the upcoming May 15 primary as a Republican candidate to replace U.S. House of Representative Charlie Dent, who is retiring from Congress.

In another Nothstein-connected issue, the commissioners deferred a vote on a \$627,000 computer contract with Allentown-based Computer Aid, Inc. because Commissioner Brad Osborne, also a Repub-

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BRIEFLY VALLEY

Writers Group meets May 10

The Greater Lehigh Valley Writers Group will hold its Writers Café Craft Discussion with Read & Critique from 7 to 9 p.m., Thursday, May 10 at the Palmer Branch of the Easton Area Public Library, 1 Weller Place, Palmer Township.

The meeting is free and open to persons 18 years of age or older.

Participants are invited to bring about 500 words to read to the group. Any genre, fiction or nonfiction, poetry, screenplays or memoirs, are welcome.

CARS

Series continues on May 20

The free monthly Cars & Coffee Lehigh Valley series, presented by Chevrolet 21, featuring up to 500 different vehicles of all makes and models, continues at 9 a.m. May 20.

The featured automobile will be a custom-built Tucker 48, created by Rob Ida of Ida Automotive in New Jersey, along with Tucker family member Sean Tucker. One of the original 51 Tuckers is currently on display at the Smithsonian National Museum of American History, Washington, D.C.

There will be a screening of the 1988 Francis Ford Coppola film "Tucker: The Man and His Dream," followed by a talk, at 11 a.m., in the Frank Banko Alehouse Cinemas. For information and tickets, visit www.steelstacks.org/carsandcoffee.

Gracedale revives tuition assistance

BY BERNIE O'HARE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Back in the late 80s, Gracedale Nursing Home offered a tuition assistance program for county employees interested in nursing. The program was a success; nevertheless, the county discontinued it. Human Services Director Susan Wandalowski would like to restore this program, especially since there are 23 open LPN and 33 open RN positions. Northampton County Council gave its blessing at its April 19 meeting.

This program will be offered in conjunction with Northampton Community College. The program will be available to Gracedale employees in good standing who have been employed at the nursing home for at least a year. The county will pay the tuition and buy the books needed, but the student must maintain a B average. The employee must also agree to remain with the County for two years after getting his or her degree.

The county will get

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PRESS PHOTO BY BERNIE O'HARE
Sue Wandalowski and Mary Lou Kaboly discuss tuition assistance. Kaboly is deputy director of Human Resources.

a break on the tuition. The LPN course will cost \$6,000, while the RN program is \$12,000. The County expects to pay \$60,000 for five RN and 10 LPN slots. That is only slightly more than one average RN salary of \$55,448.

The program is only

available to Gracedale employees, but Human Resources Director Elizabeth Kelly said after the meeting that tuition reimbursement programs are available to other county employees.

In addition to this tuition assistance program, Human Resources

Director Kelly discussed a Memorandum of Understanding between AFSCME and the County concerning a \$0.15 increase in shift differential for nurse's aides and LPNs at Gracedale. This means that nursing staff working the middle and graveyard shifts will see an extra dollar per hour.

John Cusick was critical of the increase, but only because the contract with AFSCME is ending Dec. 31. He suggested that the increase could have been part of the new contract. But Kelly countered, "The problem is acute now." She said that the second shift (3-11 p.m.) is the worst.

In addition to the tuition assistance and differential increase, council also agreed with DA John Morganelli's request to reclassify three clerical positions to pay about \$4,000 more for all three combined. "[T]here is difficulty filling and retaining these positions," Morganelli said.

BRIEFLY TOH

Pops singer concert on May 22

Traditions of Hanover will host a free public concert by singer Eric Kearns from 2 to 3 p.m. May 22 at Traditions of Hanover, 5300 Northgate Drive.

His program will feature classic hits from popular artists throughout the decades, such as Louis Armstrong, Frank Sinatra, Ray Charles and more. Appetizers and beverages will be available.

Register to attend by May 15. For information or to RSVP, call 610-882-0400.

BFA

Arts show opens April 22-May 31

Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission is hold in-g"Putting It Together," a curated invitational mixed media exhibition, through May 31. The exhibit explores how artists begin with a single idea and follows that concept to fruition. Each small piece adds up to a final work of art.

There will be approximately 40 works by James A. DePietro, mixed media paintings; Will Hübscher, monotypes and assemblages; Douglas Ihlenfeld, metal sculptures; Julie Miller, photographic collages; Cathy Christy O'Connor, mosaics; Judith Shevell, quilts; and Nancy E. Steffy, ceramic sculptures.

Display hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday in the rotunda, city hall complex, 10 E. Church St. The show is sponsored by the Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission. Visit <http://bfac-lv.org/> for information.

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lican, said he wanted to discuss another Computer Aid, Inc. contract and its connection to the county's management software.

Computer Aid, Inc. had made a \$2,700 contribution to Nothstein's campaign. The contribution was later returned by Nothstein because it was noted by the Lehigh County law department as a possible violation of Lehigh County's anti pay-to-play law enacted

after former Allentown Mayor Ed Pawlowski was indicted for accepting bribes from vendors seeking government contracts.

A move by Nothstein to put former Lehigh Commissioner Lisa Schiller on the Velodrome Fund sputtered when Nothstein recused himself from nominating Schiller to the fund, but then couldn't get any other member of the Board of Commissioners to nominate her.

Nothstein is currently the Executive

Director of the Valley Preferred Cycling Center headquartered in Breinigsville. Valley Preferred Cycling Center leases the Velodrome from Lehigh County.

In other business, the commissioners appointed Catherine P. Caracio to the Children's Youth Services Advisory Board. "I know her personally and she's a fighter," attested Commissioner Amanda Holt.

Commissioners approved a contract with Fedetz & Martin Associates, PC to provide

architectural and engineering consulting services to convert a section of the Lehigh County Courthouse basement into a juvenile holding area.

The commissioners also proclaimed May 6-12 as National Drinking Water Week. Lehigh County "joins with the Lehigh County Conservation District and Lehigh County Authority in urging all resident to celebrate the gift of water and protect this natural resource for generations to come."

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Construction, parking woes continue

BY TRACY RICE

Special to the Bethlehem Press

April was a busy month for Fountain Hill Borough Council. At the April 3 meeting, council received an update on the MS4 project from Jason Smith, of Hanover Engineering. Hanover had submitted the suggested proposal to the DEP and received the comments back. There were approximately five comments to address from the DEP.

Some issues to address are portions of the borough that were not previously covered by the storm water drain-off, the border along South Bethlehem and land use data (Park Land) that was changed from residential to park. "St. Luke's Hospital has been very helpful and gave us the plans for the land and has offered parking lots to add more storm water drainage," said Smith. The MS4 project is not an easy project, but it is something that must be done, and unfortunately will cost the borough a lot of funds that were unplanned.

Executive Administrator Anthony Branco has been working diligently to apply for whatever grant money is out there to help offset the cost of the project. Council is currently working on implementing a fee schedule for every property owner, but nothing has been finalized yet. Branco was approved by council to apply for the 2018 Community Development Block Grant for Lehigh County for funding for the reconstruction of curbs and gutters on Broadway within the low/moderate income areas of Broadway.

Ordinance 840 is

FOUNTAIN HILL



PRESS PHOTO BY TRACY RICE

The newly renovated Fountain Hill Public Works building, located on North Clewell Street.



Lehigh County Executive Phil Armstrong introduces himself to Fountain Hill Council.

amending the Code of Ordinances for the enforcement of "Quality of Life" violations. The Borough Code official now has authority to issue a violation ticket for infractions within this code, including providing for collection of unpaid fines and costs, including the lien of properties. All codes and ordinances are available to view at the borough office.

The public works



Jason Smith, of Hanover Engineering, giving Fountain Hill Council an update on the MS4 project.

building is nearly complete. All that remains is to pave and finish the outbuilding. This was a longtime project that will finally give the Public Works Department an updated and safe working environment.

During the April 18 meeting, Lehigh County Executive Phil Armstrong made an appearance. He is traveling to all the local council meet-

ings to see what goes on. He is well aware of the roadway situation in Fountain Hill. He has a different perspective on the long term problem with Broadway and other roads. He said, "We should be managing roadways instead of always fixing them."

Road construction is an ongoing issue in the Lehigh Valley and is not going away anytime soon. Concerned Fountain Hill resident Patrick Figueroa said, "There is a major parking issue in Fountain Hill. I have had over \$4,000 worth of damage done to my car in the two years since moving back here." Part of the problem is that people are trying to utilize every possible inch of parking and they are parking too close at the end of a street where it meets the alley.

Police Chief Ed Bachert said, "The yellow paint needs to be redone on the curbs and we will continue to ticket cars parked illegally." He has an idea to help alleviate the influx of cars on the streets. He took an informal neighborhood poll and suggested charging for a parking permit for residences. There are a lot of details that would need to be worked out, therefore, Council President Larry Rapp is sending the issue to the House and Ordinance Committee to discuss.

Stay tuned for more information regarding Fountain Hill Community Day, which will take place June 9 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Borough Park. Check for updates on the Fountain Hill Community Day Facebook page, as well as the Fountain Hill Borough Facebook page and website: fountainhill.org.

CENTER FOR ANIMAL HEALTH & WELFARE

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



Priscilla is a 4-year-old Terrier mix who loves people but prefers to be the only dog in the house. Priscilla is playful and loves to go for walks.



Winsom, a 6-year-old cat who has called the shelter home since being brought in as a stray in December, is slow to trust but can be very sweet.

VOLUNTEERS

THE CENTER FOR ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE, Easton, is seeking volunteers to walk dogs, assist with a.m. cleanings, attend off site events to promote the shelter, cat and dog enrichment and general shelter help. If interested in helping, please contact Walt Hoffman at 610-252-7722, ext. 4 or email cahwvolunteercoordinator@rcn.com.

AMERICA ON WHEELS MUSEUM, Allentown, is seeking friendly, dedicated volunteers (age 16+) for its 2018 season. Contact Linda Merkel, 610-432-4200, director@americaonwheels.org.

EASTERN PA DOWN SYNDROME CENTER, Trexlertown, needs volunteers to assist during EPDSC Golf Tournament June 1 at Allentown Municipal Golf Course. Contact Melissa Baker, 610-402-0188, epdscvents@gmail.com.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY - RESTORE, Whitehall, seeks volunteers for ReStore Crew. Help needed Tuesday-Saturday; flexible hours; some training provided. Contact Camille Urbano, 610-776-7737, ext. 318, Camille@habitatlv.org.

INDEPENDENT SENIOR TRANSPORTATION NETWORK LV, Bethlehem, has a rewarding volunteer opportunity as a driver. Contact Lois Favier, 610-419-1645, lois.favier@tnlehighvalley.org.

ST. LUKE'S UNIVERSITY HEALTH NETWORK, Bethlehem, Quakertown, and Warren campuses are in need of volunteer escorts, patient advocates, and hospice volunteers. Contact Amanda Wefing, 484-526-4600, volunteers@sluhn.org.

TABOR MENTORING PROGRAM, Bethlehem, invites volunteers to become mentors and change lives. Tabor's Mentoring Program matches individuals with children and youth who could benefit from getting a different perspective on life. Contact Nykea Alvarez Macey, 610-551-5583, Nykea.Alvarez-Macey@tabor.org.

THE CHILDREN'S HOME OF EASTON needs volunteers to help with a golf tournament May 14 at Northampton Country Club. Contact Jill Kerbaugh, 610-258-2831, jillk@thechildrenshome.org.

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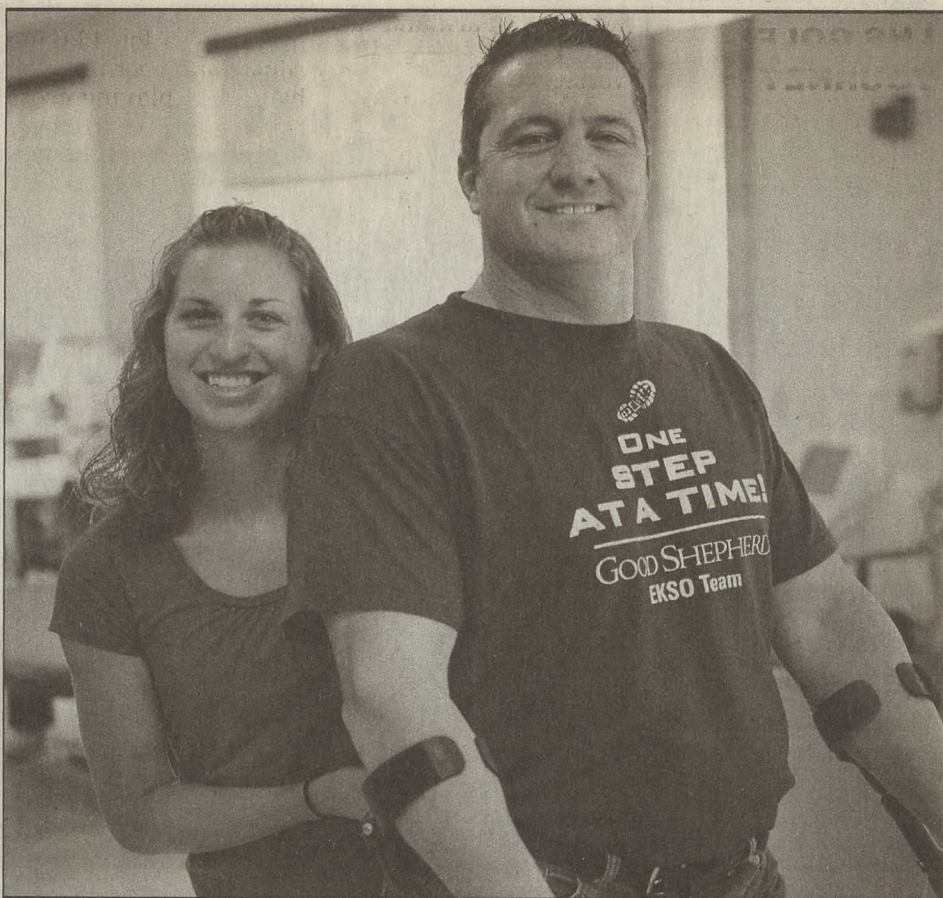
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LACROSSE

The Freedom girls are getting ready for the EPC play-offs.

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BASEBALL

Liberty and Freedom are battling for playoff seeds.

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▼ **THEY SAID IT**

"I actually didn't think we were going to win, but once everyone started crowding around me, I knew. It was tougher this year than last year, but it's more rewarding."

Gavin Snyder

LHS tennis player

▼ **BRIEFLY**

LHS GOLF TOURNNEY

The Liberty High School Golf Tourney will take place May 20 with a 1 p.m. tee time at Southmoore Golf Course. It's the 8th Annual event.

Cost is \$100 per golfer. Registration is 11:30-12:35.

This year's proceeds will go toward new chairs for Memorial Gym. Volunteers and sponsorships are needed. Make checks payable to Liberty Athletic Club.

HURRICANE HOOP CAMP

The 2018 Hurricane Basketball Camp runs from June 13-15.

The camp is for kids in grades 2-9 (2018-19) and for girls in grades 2-6. Supervision is from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For more info contact clandis@basd-schools.org or call 267-374-2609.

ELITE WRESTLING

Elite Wrestling Camp will take place at Liberty High School from June 25-29 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost is \$125 and it's for kids ages 5-18.

The event features a top coaching staff.

For more information visit www.elite-wrestlingcamp.com.

FHS moves on from Hall in wrestling

BY PETER CAR
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Brandon Hall's tenure as head coach of Freedom's wrestling program came to an end recently.

After eight-years of leading the Pates, Hall won't be back next season.

"It's frustrating," Hall said. "I can't see myself coaching anywhere else because this is where I

wanted to be, but they didn't want to bring me back next year."

Freedom principal Michael LaPorta offered his appreciation for Hall's services, as the school looks for a new head coach.

"We are very thankful for the eight years that Brandon has dedicated to our school and wrestling program," LaPorta said. "At this time,

we have decided to take our wrestling program in another direction."

Hall spent eight years as an assistant coach at Freedom before moving onto an assistant role at Bethlehem Catholic for two years before finally coming back to Patriot land to take over the head coaching duties.

He coached five district champions, four state medalists and two

regional champions during his time.

In 2015, the program enjoyed a banner campaign with a 24-0 regular season and finishing the year 25-2.

Hall leaves Freedom with 112 career wins and plenty of memories despite not being asked to come back.

"When you got kids that never wrestled before like John Callahan

and Tommy Bonilla and go out and win district titles, those are things I'm proud of," said Hall. "I really do enjoy the coaching piece and it's really gratifying to see kids have success. I'm sure I will be somewhere. I don't know if that's next year or the year after. Hopefully, there's some programs out there that want me around."



PRESS PHOTO BY KATIE MCDONALD

The Liberty tennis team knocked off Nazareth for the District 11 team title.

LHS wins boys D-11 title

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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The Liberty Hurricanes were crowned District XI Class 3A team tennis champions for the second year in a row after scoring a 3-2 victory over Parkland last Thursday at Lehigh University.

Liberty's players, most of whom returned from last season but in a new lineup, also avenged an earlier-season, 1-6, loss to Parkland, which made the victory all the more sweet.

"We certainly wanted a lot of revenge," said Jacob Wong, who won at number one doubles with Anthony Ronca, 6-1, 6-4. "Anthony's serve was on. The second set was whoever could maintain their composure the longest. [Parkland] hit a good serve, Anthony returned it, he hit it back,

I hit a put away ball [to end the match]."

Wong and Ronca prepared for the match strategically to beat Jonah Grob and Ankit Lenka.

"We knew how they play. So Jonah has a huge serve but he double faults a lot. Playing consistent, getting the ball back, playing cross court, and extremely aggressive up at the net, put the ball away so they can't even touch it. We executed that perfectly today," said Ronca.

Liberty's number two singles player David Lynn was the first to finish his match, defeating Ryan Guzman, 6-0, 6-3.

"The heat was definitely a challenge. The heat takes it out of you, and it's harder to keep your concentration," Lynn said. "I think maybe I let up a little bit too much [in the second set]."

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PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Jacob Wong, left and Anthony Ronca talk strategy during their win over Nazareth.

Hawks top LHS

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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When Liberty scored four runs in its first inning against Bethlehem Catholic last Wednesday, the Hawks doubled it in the bottom of the first and took an 8-4 lead, which included a Julia Sledz home run, before winning, 9-7, at Becahi.

"I only hit one over in my life before. I was looking for the exact pitch I got, so when I first hit it, I had to turn and ask my coach if I hit it over because I didn't think I did," Sledz said. "I know we're having a good hitting year and so are they, and we respect that they can hit the ball, and it was a very high

scoring game but we can also hit, and that's what we did today."

Mikayla Ruppert hit a double for the Hurricanes in the second inning and scored on Alexa Burger's base hit.

The Hawks added another run in the third when Tatum Kresley had a base hit and scored on Sledz's double.

"She's very tall, so I was aiming for over the shortstop's head," said Kresley. "You have to look around and find what part of the field you want to hit it."

In the fourth inning, Ruppert had a ground-rule double, Burger singled, and Paige Zigmund

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PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Julia Sledz had a home run during this game against Liberty, which the Hawks won 9-7.

Hawks Young first team all-state

BY PETER CAR
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Bethlehem Catholic's dynamic duo of center Ryan Young and guard Justin Paz were honored for their stellar seasons last week when both were named as All-State selections.

Young, who is headed to Northwestern, was named to the 4A first-team after averaging 16 points and 12 rebounds per game. Young was also voted as the East Penn Conference MVP this season, helping the Hawks to a 28-4 season.

Becahi won the East Penn Conference and District 11 4A titles before falling to eventual state champion Imhotep in the PIAA semifinals.

His backcourt mate, junior Justin Paz, earned 4A second-team honors.

Paz averaged 16.5 points and 3.1 assists per game.

Moravian Academy's Jordan Holmqvist was a first-team 2A selection. The junior averaged 19.7 points and has amassed 1,252 points throughout his career.

Catasauqua senior Isaiah Graves was a second-team selection in 3A after averaging 26.1 points a game to lead all scorers in District 11.

Graves leaves Caty with a career total of 1,580 points, leaving him second on the school's all-time scoring list behind Larry Miller.

The full list of all-state selections are below.

**CLASS 6A
FIRST TEAM**

Eric Dixon, Abington, 6-7 jr, 24.0 ppg
Drew Friberg, State College, 6-7 sr, 20.0 ppg
Lynn Greer III, Roman Catholic, 6-3 so, 15.3 ppg
Seth Lundy, Roman Catholic, 6-6 jr, 16.6 ppg
Naheem McLeod, Plymouth-Whitemarsh, 7-2 jr, 19.5 ppg
Ethan Morton, Butler, 6-6 so, 24.6 ppg

SECOND TEAM

Chris Arcidiacono, Neshaminy, 6-3 sr, 26.4 ppg

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Pate girls prepping for league playoffs

BY PETER CAR
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Freedom's girl lacrosse is making their first trip to the EPC playoffs when the tournament starts today. They'll be squaring off against a common foe that has got the best of them of late.

Third-seeded Freedom will take on second-seeded Easton at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday night at Northampton in the opening round of the tournament.

Top-seeded Parkland will battle fourth-seeded Emmaus in the nightcap.

The Pates (12-5) have lost both games to the Rovers this season by 17-9 and 16-12 accounts. Easton also knocked Freedom out of the District 11 postseason last year as well.

Topping the Rovers (13-2), who have only lost to Parkland and Boyertown, will be difficult but the Pates hope that they've been able to close the gap with one of the EPC's top programs, as they've never beaten the Rover girls.

"This is a special and a close team," said head coach Charis Innarella. "They always have each other's backs and they always remain very humble. They want to improve and they are willing to give the effort it takes to get better."

Sophomore Katie Flynn has led the team with



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Emma Telatovich and the Patriots are getting ready for the EPC playoffs.

69 goals and 17 assists this season, while junior Emma Telatovich has tallied 43 goals and 27 assists. Flynn leads the EPC with 87 total points.

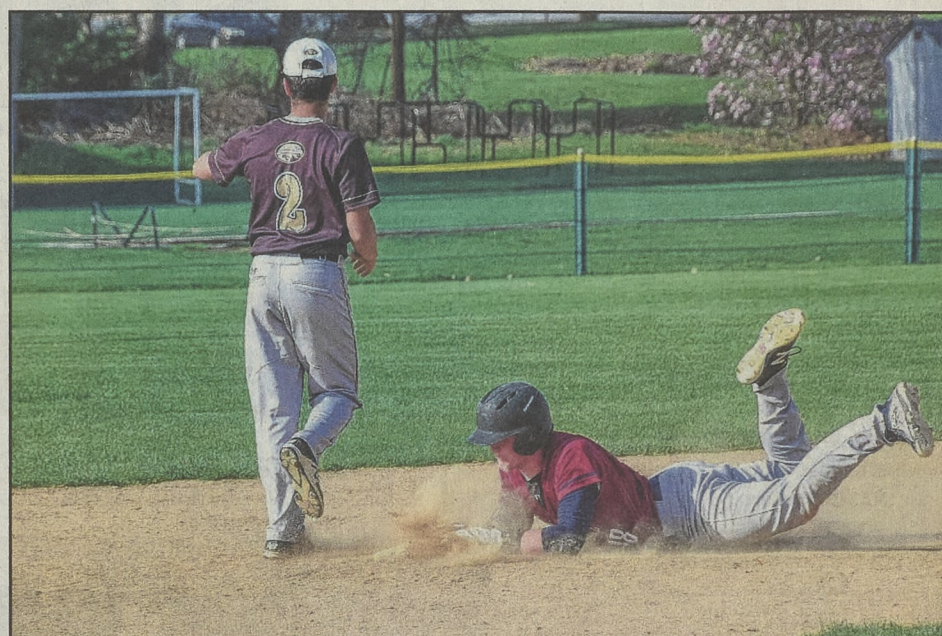
Innarella knows she'll need a top effort from the team in order to knock off the Rovers.

"We are looking forward to the post season," she said. "I know our kids will come out fighting and give everything they have to give."

I like our chances this week and I believe we can persevere."

The Freedom (9-8) boys knocked off Liberty 16-6 on Monday night and will now wait for the District 11 tournament to see where they'll be seeded.

The Pates will most likely see an opening match against Delaware Valley for the right to take on top-seeded Parkland in the postseason.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

Liberty's Jack Borneman slides safely into second base during Liberty's recent victory over Bethlehem Catholic.

LHS, FHS battle for EPC playoff seeds

BY PETER CAR
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The East Penn Conference baseball tournament gets underway this weekend and Liberty and Freedom are both vying for playoff berths as we hit the final week of the regular season.

The Hurricanes (13-4, 9-4) and Patriots (12-7, 10-5) both come into the week in position to finish as one of the top eight seeds.

Where they will land will ultimately be decided by this week's slate of contests, as Liberty had to get through four league games, while Freedom only has two games on the docket.

"We play Dieruff, Stroudsburg, Freedom, and Allen in four straight games this

week," said Liberty head coach Andy Pitsilos. "We needed to win at least two, preferably three or four, of the games to be seeded well and have a home playoff game for the EPC playoffs on Saturday."

Easton (16-1, 14-1) has already clinched the Steel Division title and is on pace to be the top seed of the EPC bracket.

The Rovers dispatched Freedom 3-1 on Monday, while Liberty topped Dieruff 13-1.

Both Liberty and Freedom appear to have locked down EPC berths, but Wednesday's contest between both schools will certainly have an impact on the tournament seeding.

Pitsilos just wants to see his team close out the week in strong fashion, as they've won eight of their last nine games.

"I want to see intensity and hustle this last week and get momentum going into the playoffs," he said.

Bethlehem Catholic (7-10, 5-10) fell off the rails last week, dropping all four contests to dampen their postseason spirits.

The Hawks lost a pair of one-run games to Central Catholic and Pocono Mountain East and then lost an 18-8 contest to Liberty, doubled up by a 5-1 defeat to Freedom.

Becahi topped Allen 6-1 on Monday but has games against Saucon Valley and Easton this week before a closing out the regular season against Pottsville next week.



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Electric Blue Day

The Liberty Hurricanes varsity and junior varsity softball teams raised over \$1,000 for Owen Howkins, a boy from England who has Schwartz-Jampel Syndrome, last Friday during Play Electric Blue Day when Liberty defeated Allen, 16-0. Liberty coach Sam Carrodo and the Hurricanes befriended Howkins last year through Facebook and Skype. This year's softball teams from the East Penn Conference wore electric blue during one of their games last week to raise awareness of Schwartz-Jampel Syndrome.

GIRLS

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hit a ground-rule double to make the score 9-6.

The Hurricanes made a final attempt in the seventh inning when Kira

Kuhns's double scored Zigmund but were held to only one more run.

"When my team came back, that really changed up the game for me," said Kresley, the winning pitcher. "Yes, yes, more calm, my team

was more calm on defense and hitting-wise, even though it kind of slowed down in the middle of the game. You just push through it, especially with one out and people on first and second."

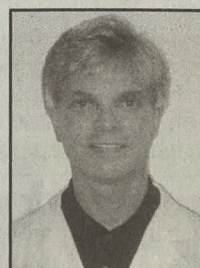
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NASCAR THIS WEEK

SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Where does Matt Kenseth finish at Kansas in his NASCAR return?

GODSPEAK: I think Matt storms in like a hurricane and nabs a top-five finish. OK, maybe more like a Kansas duster and a top-10 result.

KEN'S CALL: Some might be looking for theatrics, but remember, this is Mild Matt. Let's say 16th, which isn't bad for the No. 6 team.

Daniel Suarez on a mini-roll. Is a win coming?

GODSPEAK: Daniel will be one of three first-time winners in 2018. Go ahead and chalk it up.

KEN'S CALL: Not sure if we'll see three first-time winners in 2018, but I think he'll break through this year.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

CLINT BOWYER VS. KEVIN HARVICK

The drivers are teammates at Stewart-Haas Racing, but Harvick teased Bowyer all weekend to get into his mind, knowing their Fords were almost equal.

GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE:

Harvick admitted the jabbing might bite him on race day. "I've talked so much trash to him all weekend and ... he told me that the karma train is going to run me over," Harvick said.

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR KANSAS

WINNER: Martin Truex Jr.
REST OF TOP 5: Kyle Busch, Kevin Harvick, Jimmie Johnson, Joey Logano
FIRST ONE OUT: Erik Jones
DARK HORSE: Chase Elliott
DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Truex shines now that the Cup Series is back to the 1.5-mile tracks.

MOTOR MOUTHS PODCAST

Let's dissect Jimmie Johnson's amazing career. Oh, wait, it's not over.

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2018 SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

Feb. 11: Clash at Daytona (Brad Keselowski)
Feb. 15: Can-Am Duel at Daytona (Ryan Blaney and Chase Elliott)
Feb. 18: Daytona 500 (Austin Dillon)
Feb. 25: Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta (Kevin Harvick)
March 4: Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas (Kevin Harvick)
March 11: Camping World 500(k) at Phoenix (Kevin Harvick)
March 18: Auto Club 400 at Fontana (Martin Truex)
March 26: STP 500 at Martinsville (Clint Bowyer)
April 8: O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas (Kyle Busch)
April 15: Food City 500 at Bristol (Kyle Busch)
April 21: Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond (Kyle Busch)

April 29: Geico 500 at Talladega (Joey Logano)
May 6: AAA 400 at Dover (Kevin Harvick)
May 12: Go Bowling 400 at Kansas
May 19: All-Star Race at Charlotte
May 27: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte
June 3: Pocono 400
June 10: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan
June 24: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma
July 1: Chicago 400 at Chicagoland
July 7: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona
July 14: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky
July 22: New Hampshire 301
July 29: Pennsylvania 400 at Pocono
Aug. 5: 355 at the Glen, at Watkins Glen

Aug. 12: Pure Michigan 400
Aug. 18: Night Race at Bristol
Sept. 2: Southern 500 at Darlington
Sept. 9: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis
Sept. 16: Las Vegas 400
Sept. 22: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond
Sept. 30: Bank of America 500(k) at Charlotte road course
Oct. 7: Delaware 400 at Dover
Oct. 14: Alabama 500 at Talladega
Oct. 21: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas
Oct. 28: First Data 500 at Martinsville
Nov. 4: Texas 500
Nov. 11: Can-Am 500(k) at Phoenix
Nov. 18: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead

DOVER

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED



Kevin Harvick led the Stewart-Haas Racing stampede at Dover. He won the race as SHR took three of the top five places. (AP/NICK WASS)

1. SHR's super showing

Stewart-Haas Racing is flexing its mechanical muscles. Not only did SHR Fords claim the Dover win (Harvick) and second place (Bowyer), but Kurt Busch was fifth — the first time in the team's history that has happened. "It's another milestone for us," Tony Stewart said.

2. No laps led

Dover was a bad scene for Team Toyota. Its top driver, Cup Series points leader Kyle Busch, fell out with drivetrain issues on Lap 272. When the checkered flag fell, no Toyota had led a lap,

which has not happened since the 2016 season. "We'll go on to next week," Busch said.

3. Daniel's delight

One good sign for Toyota at Dover: Daniel Suarez equaled his career-best finish (third) at Dover driving the No. 19 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota. "We had a little rough start in the first few weeks — month, month and a half — and now definitely we are moving in the right direction," Suarez said.

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

THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. All eyes on Matt

After being dismissed by Joe Gibbs Racing after the 2017 season, some thought we would never see Matt Kenseth in a stock car again. That changes this week as Kenseth takes the wheel of the No. 6 Roush Fenway Racing Ford. "I think it's a good challenge for me that I'm looking forward to, and not just the driving part but a lot of the rest of it, too; get in there, get my hands dirty," Kenseth said.

2. Kansas showdown

It still doesn't mean much at this point of the season, but the top three favorites to win the Cup Series championship this season have won the past four races at the 1.5-mile Kansas Speedway. Defending champion Martin Truex Jr. is riding a two-race winning streak at Kansas. Kyle Busch and Kevin Harvick each won one Kansas race in 2016. Kansas (Race 12) will mark the end of the first third of the Cup schedule.

3. Fading fast?

Jimmie Johnson has turned 3,322 laps this



Matt Kenseth begins his new adventure this weekend at Kansas. (AP/CHUCK BURTON)

season in the No. 48 Chevrolet and has not led one lap. Not only that, but Johnson is riding a 34-race losing streak that stretches back to this time last season. With a ninth-place finish at Dover, he was best in class for Chevy. Johnson said he needs better qualifying efforts. "If we can get our Fridays sorted out and start closer to the front, we'll have much better finishes," he said.

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

QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

So long, Jimmie?

While no one should've expected Jimmie Johnson to maintain his amazing career pace deep into his 40s, this ongoing slowdown is starting to look like a possible shutdown. It happens to all of them eventually. Jimmie hasn't led a lap all season. Not one. This didn't just happen. In the last 19 races of 2017, he led in just two of them, so it's twice in his past 30 starts. That sounds like more than a mere "slump."

How'd Hershel do?

The good news: 90-year-old Hershel McGriff finished 18th in a 100-lap K&N West race last weekend in Tucson, Ariz. Yes, there were only 18 entries, but let's overlook that. He finished 94 of the 100 laps. Best of all, after all these years, we learned that Hershel is adept at the slide trombone. If you haven't seen video of him playing the pre-race national anthem, go find it. Truly amazing.

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Phantoms, Checkers series getting rough

BY CHUCK HIXSON
Special to the Press

Generally, you think of rivalries as being between teams in close proximity to each other.

Sometimes though, rivalries can develop because of circumstances, including a big playoff series. Such is the case for the budding rivalry between the Phantoms and Charlotte Checkers. The two teams played each other very evenly during the regular season and are matched up in the Atlantic Division finals on their quest for an AHL Calder Cup trophy.

The Phantoms came into the series with home ice advantage, but lost that when the Checkers, who were playing their best hockey of the season heading down the stretch, split the two games at the PPL Center. Saturday night's game could wind up

being a big turning point in the series, although both games delivered a message from the boys in Charlotte.

The Checkers came in as the more physical team and showed that in the opener which came down to a late power play goal from Greg Carey to deliver a 2-1 win. The game included a big hit on Flyers top prospect Travis Sanheim from forward Valentin Zykov. Sanheim had to be helped from the ice by teammates and the team announced after game two that he's lost for at least the rest of the series.

That hit, which the AHL office deemed legal, carried tensions over to Saturday's game which saw Nic Aube-Kubel deliver a blow to the head of Josiah Didier that caused Didier to crumble to the ice and be helped off the ice by teammates. Didier appeared pretty

much out on his feet and his status for the rest of the series is unknown.

On Monday, the league issued a three-game suspension to Aube-Kubel for the hit.

Game two, won by Charlotte 6-0, saw 11 roughing penalties, three misconduct penalties and two unsportsmanlike conduct penalties. In all there were 76 minutes of penalties handed out to the two teams. Throughout the night, Checkers players delivered hard shots that frustrated the Phantoms and forced bad penalties that led to Lehigh Valley eating up 46 of the penalty minutes.

That played right into Charlotte's hands as they used their speed to pick up four goals on power play opportunities.

"There's more substance to what we did five-on-five tonight. It's not like you say

we have a major flaw in our game. It wasn't the five-on-five play," remarked Phantoms coach Scott Gordon.

If that frustration carries over for Lehigh Valley, the three games in Charlotte could be difficult ones for the Phantoms who need at least one win on the road to bring the series back to Lehigh Valley.

ONE MAN OUT, ONE MAN IN ... The injury to Sanheim definitely hurts the Phantoms, but the good news is that they got defenseman Sam Morin back from an injury. Morin hadn't played since January 20. Overall, Morin played just 15 games with the Phantoms because of injuries and a short stint with the Flyers.

WHO GOES WHERE? ... The league announced their realignment for the 2018-2019 season on Monday. The league

will add the Colorado Eagles to the mix, giving them 31 teams. The Eagles will be an affiliate of the Colorado Avalanche and will play in the Pacific Division. San Antonio and Texas move to the Central Division and Cleveland moves from the Central to the North Division. Even with all of the shuffling, the Atlantic Division, home to the Phantoms, will be unchanged.

A LONG JOURNEY ... Most AHL series have the first two games in one city, the next two in the other city and then they rotate the venue for the final three games (if necessary) of the series. The Phantoms and Checkers played two in Lehigh Valley and will play the next three in Charlotte because of the travel distance. If needed, games six and seven would be back at the PPL Center.

Patriots aiming for EPC bid

BY PETER CAR
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Qualifying for the East Penn Conference volleyball tournament would be icing on the cake for the Pates season, but it might be too early to know if John Yanek and his crew will be getting an invite.

As the Pates swept Pocono Mountain East on Monday, they still weren't sure if they would grab the fourth and final spot for next week's tourney.

With Emmaus (15-0), Whitehall (14-2) and Parkland (11-4) seemingly as locks for the tourney, that leaves the final spot up for grabs between the Pates (13-5), Nazareth (12-5) Northampton (10-6) and

Liberty (9-7).

Nazareth may have been in the drivers seat coming into the week since they own a tiebreaker over the Pates in a head-to-head scenario, but a loss to Northampton tonight, coupled with a Freedom win over Liberty, should be enough to push the Pates into their first conference tournament since 2009.

That would be an ecstatic achievement for Yanek and the program.

"Considering I didn't really think the EPC playoffs would be realistic for us coming into the season," Yanek said. "It would be a great accomplishment for these guys, even though they really have their eyes

set on making waves at districts."

A berth in next week's EPC format would nearly guarantee the Pates or whoever, the fourth-seed, granting them an opening round date with top-seeded Emmaus.

Still, the ability to play in a playoff setting before districts would come with open arms.

"I think it really starts with being able to beat Liberty in our season finale [tonight]," said Yanek. "That's always a tough match and will almost be like a playoff game. These are the type of matches we want to be in heading down the stretch."

Liberty has clinched a district berth as they close out the week with

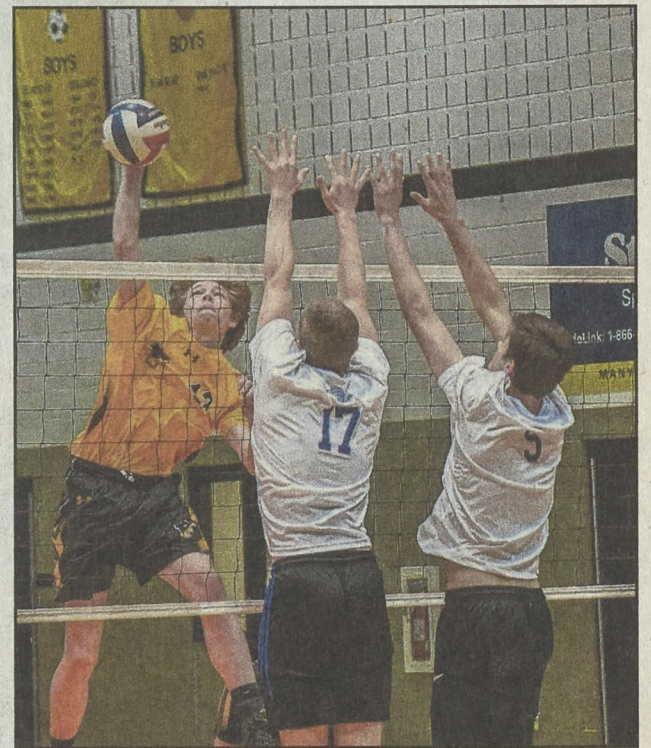
Northampton and Freedom with an outside chance at jumping over everyone and grabbing the EPC's fourth spot.

Regardless, wins will help their District 11 3A power rating and most teams want to avoid a path with Emmaus until the very end.

Bethlehem Catholic (6-8) have qualified for the District 11 2A tournament, but have struggled as of late.

The Hawks have lost six of their last eight, including two straight to Parkland and Allen.

With matchups with Dieruff and Easton this week, Becahi hopes to get back on track before getting into playoff action.



PRESS PHOTO BY ROB MERCHANT

David Barnes and the Pates are looking for a berth in the upcoming EPC playoffs.

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Allen Betrand, Roman Catholic, 6-3 sr, 14.2 ppg
Amante Britt, Woodland Hills, 5-10 sr, 20.2 ppg
William Jeffress, McDowell, 6-6 fr, 21.2 ppg
Phil Jurkovec, Pine-Richland, 6-5 sr, 16.1 ppg
Khalif Meares, Abraham Lincoln, 6-3 sr, 14.0 ppg
Josh Samec, Hazleton, 6-8 sr, 15.2 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Jhamir Brickus, Coatesville, 5-11 so, 19.2 ppg
Wesley Butler, Reading, 6-1, jr, 16.7 ppg
Ed Croswell, Saint Joseph's Prep, 6-7 sr, 13.5 ppg
Hakim Hart, Roman Catholic, 6-5 jr, 15.1 ppg
Robbie Heath, Abington, 6-2 sr, 18.8 ppg
Darius Kinell, Saint Joseph's Prep, 6-0 sr, 16.2 ppg
Jeff Planutis, Hazleton, 6-5 sr, 15.7 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Eric Dixon, Abington
COACH OF THE YEAR: Matt Griffin, Roman Catholic

CLASS 5A FIRST TEAM
Don'ya Baylor-Carroll, Milton Hershey, 5-9 sr, 23.5 ppg
Robby Carmody, Mars, 6-4 sr, 31.3 ppg

Jackson Danzig, Abington Heights, 6-6 sr, 17.3 ppg
Antonio Rizzuto, Northeastern, 6-3 sr, 23.4 ppg
George Tinsley, Abington Heights, 6-5 jr, 18.2 ppg
Isaiah Wong, Bonner-Prendergast, 6-3 jr, 22.2 ppg

SECOND TEAM
Andrew Funk, Archbishop Wood, 6-5 sr, 18.5 ppg
A.J. Hoggard, Archbishop Carroll, 6-3 so, 15.7 ppg
Ajiri Johnson, Bonner-Prendergast, 6-8 sr, 11.1 ppg
Bryce Laskey, Laurel Highlands, 6-4 sr, 33.3 ppg
Tyler Norwood, Penncrest, 5-11 sr, 21.6 ppg
Christian Ray, Haverford School, 6-6 jr, 18.9 ppg
Ryan Smith, Lampeter-Strasburg, 6-10 sr, 20.8 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Antwuan Butler, Cardinal O'Hara, 6-1 sr, 18.5 ppg
Kyree Generett, York, 6-1 sr, 21.0 ppg
Tariq Ingraham, Bonner-Prendergast, 6-9 jr, 12.6 ppg
Lashon Lindsey, Meadville, 6-7 jr, 23.1 ppg
Fred Mulbah, Northeastern, 5-9 sr, 14.3 ppg
Tyree Pickron, Archbishop Wood, 6-3 sr, 15.9 ppg
Deuce Turner, Malvern Prep, 6-1 so, 20.5 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Robby Carmody, Mars
COACH OF THE YEAR: Ken Bianchi, Abington Heights

CLASS 4A FIRST TEAM

Dahmir Bishop, Imhotep Charter, 6-3 jr, N/A
Marcus Hooker, New Castle, 5-11 sr, 16.1 ppg
Patrick Robinson, Conwell-Egan, 6-2 sr, 24.3 ppg
Donta Scott, Imhotep Charter, 6-7 jr, 11.5 ppg
Coletrane Washington, Quaker Valley, 6-5 sr, 21.5 ppg
Ryan Young, Bethlehem Catholic, 6-10 sr, 16.0 ppg

SECOND TEAM
Carlos Carter, Indiana, 6-4 sr, 23.3 ppg
Ryan Hughes, Middletown, 6-4 sr, 21.6 ppg
Casey Jack, Berks Catholic, 6-2 jr, 11.3 ppg
Leo O'Boyle, Scranton Prep, 6-8 jr, 20.3 ppg
Justin Paz, Bethlehem Catholic, 5-10 jr, 16.5 ppg
Ethan Porterfield, Sharon, 6-8 jr, 17.4 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Imil Britt, Johnstown, 5-7 sr, 19.8 ppg
Eric Esposito, Conwell-Egan, 6-6 sr, 16.1 ppg
Adam Freese, Kennard-Dale, 6-5 sr, 18.5 ppg
Chereef Knox, Imhotep Charter, 6-6 jr, N/A
Nate Kreitzer, Nanticoke, 5-9 jr, 19.4 ppg
Nathan Schneider, Saint Marys, 6-1 sr, 25.7 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Donta Scott, Imhotep Charter
COACH OF THE YEAR: Zach Sarver, Sharon

CLASS 3A FIRST TEAM
Joe Batt, Greenville, 6-2 sr, 20.5 ppg
James Ellis, Westinghouse, 6-11 sr, 21.1 ppg
Sean Good, Trinity, 6-11 sr, 13.6 ppg

Dymir Montague, Neumann-Goretti, 6-3 sr, 14.8 ppg
Cameron Reddish, Westtown, 6-7 sr, 26.6 ppg
Sam Sessoms, Shipley School, 5-9 sr, 28.6 ppg

SECOND TEAM
Jalen Gaffney, Westtown, 6-3 jr, 16.5 ppg
Isaiah Graves, Catasauqua, 6-1 sr, 26.1 ppg
Keeno Holmes, Lincoln Park, 6-2 jr, 23.0 ppg
Matt Holsinger, Central Cambria, 6-6 sr, 21.8 ppg
Christian Ings, Neumann-Goretti, 5-10 jr, 11.2 ppg
Marrek Paola, Ligonier Valley, 6-6 jr, 24.3 ppg
Tyler Zimmerman, Richland, 6-2 sr, 14.3 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Noah Dillow, Chestnut Ridge, 6-2 sr, 25.3 ppg
Dimitri Gnall, Wyoming Seminary, 6-3 jr, 17.1 ppg
Nick Guadarrama, Perkiomen School, 6-6 sr, 16.9 ppg
Collin Instone, Richland, 6-3 jr, 14.2 ppg
Arion Lewis, Valley Forge Military Academy, 6-2 sr, 21.8 ppg
Sam Parini, Fairview, 6-10 sr, 15.6 ppg
Gerald Ross, Loyalsock, 6-2 jr, 18.1 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Cameron Reddish, Westtown
COACH OF THE YEAR: Greg Burke, Richland

CLASS 2A FIRST TEAM
John Bol Ajak, Church Farm, 6-10 jr, N/A
Owen Chambers, Coudersport, 6-2 jr, 24.9 ppg
Jordan Holmqvist, Moravian Academy, 6-0 jr, 19.8 ppg
Luke Ruggery, Bishop Guilfoyle, 5-10 jr, 21.1 ppg
Damon Wall, Constitution, 6-0 sr, 17.4 ppg
Isiah Warfield, Sewickley Academy, 6-4 so, 16.0 ppg

SECOND TEAM
Tyler Fritz, Marian Catholic, 6-1 so, 22.3 ppg
Patrick Galvin, Holy Cross, 5-10 sr, 13.7 ppg
Keshawn Hammonds, Constitution, 6-1 so, 14.1 ppg
Donovan Johnson, Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, 6-6 so, 19.0 ppg
Nate Ridgeway, Sewickley Academy, 6-6 jr, 13.0 ppg
Austin Wigley, Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, 6-2 jr, 14.7 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Tre Cunningham, Jeannette, 6-4 sr, 19.5 ppg
Rene Figueroa, Panther Valley, 5-7 jr, 18.6 ppg
Turner Kurt, Cambridge Springs, 6-7 sr, 18.7 ppg
Jahmir Marable-Williams, Constitution, 6-0 sr, 13.9 ppg
Isaiah Smith, Sewickley Academy, 6-2 so, 16.0 ppg
Dante Spadafora, Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, 5-11 fr, 15.0 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Damon Wall, Constitution
COACH OF THE YEAR: Al Callejas, Holy Cross

CLASS 1A FIRST TEAM
Maceo Austin, Kennedy Catholic, 6-5 jr, 18.2 ppg
Jalen Gorham, York Country Day, 6-7 jr, 20.0 ppg
Thomas Jones, Girard College, 6-8 so, 21.5 ppg
Thomas Schultz, Lourdes Regional, 6-5 jr, 20.4 ppg
Oscar Tshiebwe, Kennedy Catholic, 6-10 jr, 21.2 ppg

SECOND TEAM
Cameron Collins, Juniata Valley, 5-8 jr, 25.5 ppg
Brady Fyfe, Shade, 6-3 jr, 18.5 ppg
Tristan McDannell, Bishop Carroll, 5-9 so, 15.7 ppg
Zach McDonough, Vincentian, 6-2 sr, 24.1 ppg
Dawson Snyder, Shanksville-Stony Creek, 6-2 jr, 23.3 ppg

THIRD TEAM
Tre Charles, Union Area, 5-10 sr, 23.0 ppg
Carson Curry, Plumstead Christian, 6-0 jr, 19.9 ppg
Lyndon Henderson, Monessen, 6-2 jr, 22.0 ppg
John Saxe, Sullivan County, 6-1 sr, 16.0 ppg
Khalil Turner, Sankofa Freedom, 6-6 jr, 9.4 ppg

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Maceo Austin, Kennedy Catholic
COACH OF THE YEAR: James Sandri, Lourdes Regional

LHS boys track ends up 11-0

BY KATIE MCDONALD
Special to the Press

Liberty's boys track and field team completed an undefeated season after defeating Freedom 104-46 last week at Liberty.

Taking first place in individual events were Freedom's Kyree Marshburn in the 100 in 11.3 and the 400 in 52.1, and Liberty's Devon West in the 200 in 22.5 and Darlyn Fermin in the 800 in 2:03.00.

Cole Frank won the 1600 in 4:49.10 for the Hurricanes, and Kevin Pollock won the 3200 in 10:59.00 for the Patriots.

"Around the mile marker [I got ahead], and then we kind of went back and forth until the last lap," said Pollock, regarding second place finisher Casey Frank from Liberty. "I basi-

cally kicked for the last 300 meters. I was testing him to see if he would come back or if he would concede, but he fought back. I know I have a good kick, so I knew going into the last lap, if I was within 10 meters or so of him, I'd be able to outkick him."

Liberty's Christian Tackett won the 110 hurdles in 15.5 and the 300 hurdles in 42.2.

The Hurricanes also won the 4x1 relay (names unavailable) in 44.3 and the 4x8 relay (names unavailable) in 8:56.0.

In the 4x4 relay, Freedom's Marshburn, Gabe Caton, Evan Stark, and Xavier Smith took first place in 3:32.70.

"We were trying to get a PR for our 4x4 team. Our first leg got out, our second leg, they

caught up to us, third leg we pushed ahead, and fourth leg we sealed it up," said Caton.

In jumping events, Alex Reji won the high jump for the Patriots with a height of 5-09.00, and for the Hurricanes, Alex Roan won the pole vault with a height of 11-03.00, Javonte Haines came in first in the long jump with a distance of 21-02.00, and Daeshawn Teague placed first in the triple jump with a distance of 41-00.00.

The Hurricanes were first in all throwing events with Jaden Freeman winning the shot put with a distance of 44-04.00, Trevor Harris winning the discus with a distance of 119-03.00, and Nolan Beagall winning the javelin with a distance of 137-01.00.

Liberty girls track finishes 9-2

BY KATIE MCDONALD
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Liberty's girls track and field team finished the season with a record of 9-2 after defeating Freedom 102-48 last week at Liberty.

Winners in individual events were Payton Shaffer in the 100 in 12.4 and in the 200 in 25.8, Olivia Sahaydak in the 400 in 1:01.1, Greta Stuckey in the 800 in 2:18.0, and Belle Weikert in the 1600 in 5:30.0, all from LHS.

"Today I Pred. That was my goal for today," said Stuckey. "I knew I had to go out faster today because I usually come back pretty strong, but I have trouble getting out fast. I figured I should try it at a meet before leagues or districts."

Lauren Charboneau won the 3200 in 12:09.0 for Freedom.

Hazel Deschamps took first place in the 100 hurdles in 17.7 and the 300 hurdles in 49.5 for Liberty.

The Hurricane

girls won the 4x1 relay (names unavailable) in 50.5 and the 4x4 relay (names unavailable) in 4:22.0.

Charboneau, Elizabeth Fihlman, Shannon Connelly, and Mary Sweeney combined to win the 4x8 relay in 11:07.7 for the Patriots.

Also for the Patriots, Sarah Gill took first place in the high jump with a height of 4-07.00, and Elena Spengler was first in the pole vault with a height of 9-00.00.

Grace Mittl won the long jump with a distance of 17-09.00 and the triple jump with a distance of 35-00.00.

"I jumped 17-11 a couple days ago, and that was my first jump that I really felt confident, so I'm just building off that, and I'm really excited for leagues and districts. It's really coming along," Mittl said.

The Hurricane senior injured her back during Liberty's first indoor meet and took the winter off.

"The beginning of the season was a little rough for me. I hurt my back pretty bad, so I was doing a lot of physical therapy. I was a little nervous about reinjuring myself ... I wanted to finish my senior season really strong," she said.

"[Coach Andy Mesa] has been a really big help with my mentality, especially coming off that injury. If it wasn't for him, if it was any other coach, I don't think I would have been able to come back from it. It's a big help when he videos me, so I can see what I'm doing wrong, and I think I've progressed mechanically through the videos, but just having more confidence, it was big just getting my confidence back from the winter."

In throwing, Liberty's Jaida Davis won the shot with a 33-03, Freedom's Katie McNulty won the discus with a 93-04, and Liberty's Eleni Prodes won the javelin with a 103.

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Spring, or summer, finally springs for farmers markets

While the abrupt weather changes have caught many of us (occasionally uncomfortable) off-guard, those waiting patiently to participate in the area's numerous weekly farmers markets are ready and eager to begin. The weekly market at Farrington

Square, at the Center Street entrance to Lehigh University's main campus, was ablaze with energy and heat on opening day May 3. The summertime market is even every Thursday from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

The Egyptian-style lunch truck The Taza Truck is one of several traveling eateries and stands to offer up tasty alternatives during the sweltering afternoon.



At the Bechdolt Orchards stand, Alexa Villafana buys a handful of shallot-like spring onions. She was there with friends during a lunchtime walk from nearby Lehigh Valley Charter HS for the Arts.



Bobby Siegfried sits in the middle of Farrington Square, providing some light tunes for the afternoon visitors. Siegfried performs here every year and says, "This market is awesome. It's one of my favorite places to play in the valley."



Michael Corrigan hustles from a lengthy line to his artisanal sandwiches and grill to keep up with the lunch rush at The Flour Shop.



Courtney Newcomer pours a new selection, apple tumeric, for free tastings at Kombucha, which sells probiotic beverages of ancient design. This is Kombucha's second year appearing at the farmers market each Thursday.

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Budget process well under way

BY HEATHER NIGRONE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The 2017-18 school year isn't over yet, but the Bethlehem Area School Board is already starting the long process on creating a budget for next school year. The first step in the process was a budget workshop on back in late March. At this presentation, the district administrators announced their top three priorities for the 2018-19 school year: literacy, technology and student services/support. The goal for next year is to focus on the Reading by Grade 3 initiative at the elementary level and continuing the personalized education, college preparation and career readiness of secondary students.

These goals include recent changes and additions such as Project Lead the Way and HS Computer Science, as well as the new Elementary Related Arts programming, and major core curriculum revisions.

The budget includes nearly \$4 million devoted to the Reading by Grade 3 program, a figure that the district believes is worth every penny it invests. Other large expenses include nearly \$2 million in new computers in the high school business labs and for teachers. As of January 2018 when the budget was initially proposed, the deficit faced by the district has dropped from \$10.7 million to \$5.3 million.

These reductions have come at the expense of replacing band uniforms for some of the schools, elementary teacher laptops, and other small district wide changes. Unfortunately, there are certain expenses that the district does not have the power to reduce or mitigate. This includes \$34 million in Pennsylvania Public School Employees' retirement (PSERS) costs, and just over twenty-nine million in charter school tuition expenses.

District Superintendent Dr. Joseph Roy said, "If charter schools didn't exist, the district would have an excess. Or if they were financed more appropriately by the state, we would be in much better shape."

The board will now be tasked with trying to close the large gap between the budget and the deficit. Options will include further cuts to educational programming, increasing property taxes to the maximum allowable capacity allowed under state law, and considering borrowing more money from the district general fund. For members of the public interested in learning more, or would like to question or comment on the proposal, the next budget workshop was held April 30 followed by a special board meeting May 14 to propose adoption, and a final adoption of the budget at the June 18 special board meeting.

Tax talks continue

BY HEATHER NIGRONE
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The relationship between homeowners and local school districts is subject to many variables. The better the schools, the more desirable real estate can become. The wealthier the neighborhoods, the more revenue the district can receive. But the gray area in between, where most middle class homeowners live, is a constant balance of the financial stability of both parties.

For homeowners living in BASD territory, there are numerous important decisions being made recently by the school board of directors. On April 30, the board discussed the possibility of a small increase in property taxes, figured as a potential increase of 2.495 percent. This would be roughly \$87 for residents in Northampton County, and \$47 for those in Lehigh County.

At the May 7 curriculum committee meeting, the board reviewed a memo confirming their policy on disputing property tax assessments. Deemed a "fair policy" by board President Michael Faccinotto, the BASD only initiates disputes where the potential reassessment value could earn the district an increase in revenue of \$10,000 or greater. The district views \$10,000 as the threshold value that makes the legal battle worth the potential gain.

This means that the district can and may decide to increase property taxes on every resident, and also target specific properties that may not be paying their fair share of the tax burden. But homeowners should become aware of what they can do within their power. The public can have an opportunity to speak at the next budget meeting on May 14. The meeting will be held at the BASD Education Center on Sycamore Street at 6 p.m. and will afford the community a chance to speak and have input on budget concerns, including tax increases. If the district does decide to continue with the increase, it will occur at this meeting.

After this meeting, there is a full BASD school board meeting May 21 at East Hills MS, which will afford the community another opportunity to speak. However, the board will not likely be discussing the budget at this meeting. The final budget will be passed at the June 18 special board meeting at the Education Center, which will be the final opportunity for public comment on the topic.

While the proposed tax increases are small, the opportunity to become informed and to speak is available for those who are interested. There is a chance that the increase may be reduced or removed at either meeting, but once it is decided it will be locked in district wide.

Homeowners can also review the tax assessments of their properties at the Lehigh and Northampton county tax assessment websites or by calling or visiting their local assessment office. Procedures are available to dispute property tax assessments where practical, and the offices can assist in assuring that residents are receiving a discount on their property taxes through the Homestead Exemption Act.



Skyline West, LLC., owner of this circa 1905 residence located between two bridges at 143 W. Broad St. sought HARB approval to tear it down to make room for an entrance drive and plaza for a proposed new five-story apartment building with a parking deck. They were advised to reconsider that part of their plan.

No COAs issued at April hearing

BY ED COURRIER
Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Historical and Architectural Review Board issued no certificates of appropriateness for two proposed projects at their April 4 meeting in the city hall Rotunda.

The board took no action on Jeffrey Parks' two-part application to demolish a brick house and free standing garage at 143 W. Broad St. to prepare the property for new construction. Parks, accompanied by architect Antonio Fiol-Silva, said the demolition work is necessary to make way for the entrance drive and plaza for a new five-story apartment building with a parking deck located partially underneath. The new high-rise would overlook Route 378 on one side of the hill and Monocacy Creek on the other.

Historic Officer George Donovan said, "The house was built in 1905 and was part of the western expansion of the city. The house was once the first house when entering west Bethlehem. The westerly neighbors were removed in the 1970s when Route 378 was constructed, thus isolating this property

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The board also discouraged demolishing the brick garage located behind the house at 143 W. Broad St.

from the former neighborhood at the time of the survey. The house was considered 'contributing.'"

Parks and Fiol-Silva argued that the existing building is not unique to the Historic District and new housing is needed to support nearby downtown businesses. They also mentioned that moving the house to a vacant site on Second Avenue was not an option, as it would harm too many mature trees along the route.

Of the opinion the existing house could be restored and, despite its isolation, fits into the

neighborhood, Connie Glagola suggested making it a part of the project design. Diana Hodgson asked the applicants if they had considered demolition costs versus rehab costs.

When Chairman Fred Bonsall asked for public comment on the proposal, Martin Romeril questioned if there had been any archeological surveys conducted in or planned for the area to determine if there were any Revolutionary War era soldier grave sites located there.

The applicants were encouraged to reconsider

tearing down the buildings and adapt them to new uses before returning to the board. The property is owned by Skyline West, LLC.

A proposal by Seth Cornish, representing Christmas City Spirits, for outdoor lighting adjacent to the Sun Inn at 564 Main St., was turned down by HARB as incomplete. Although Cornish brought a lantern fixture and cable light samples proposed for installation over paved areas of the North Green to the hearing, board members said they had unanswered questions regarding height and number of lights, as well as how they would be supported. The historic stone building is owned by the Sun Inn Preservation Association.

The Historical and Architectural Review Board meets the first Wednesday of every month to review all exterior changes proposed to buildings in the Bethlehem Historic District north of the Lehigh River. When a proposed project receives a certificate of appropriateness (COA) from the board, applicants must wait for City Council to vote on it before proceeding.

City marks Arbor Day

Nitschmann MS students joined local green enthusiasts and others at the Rose Garden April 27 to celebrate Arbor Day. Bethlehem was named Tree City USA for the 25th year, a distinction with criteria such as having a dedicated group of tree planners and specific citywide monetary allotment for nature care and growth.

Roxanne Henry, in yellow, tells the audience and Nitschmann MS classmates that when she moved here from New Jersey, she was amazed by all the beautiful trees in Bethlehem. Rain forced the affair indoors at the Rose Garden log cabin.



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Though a dreary day, trees throughout the park were labeled with basic information for educating the public, and three new trees were planted around the Rose Garden.



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The real food challenge

Expanding locally sourced food in campus dining halls

BY VICTORIA LOMBARDI
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Converting to a wholesome, locally sourced diet is something many fantasize about, but don't necessarily act on. Laura Marsiglio, data and metrics reporting assistant for the Office of Sustainability, '21, is not one of those people. After reading Michael Pollan's "In Defense of Food" and recognizing the harmful impacts of intensive agriculture, she altered her diet to reduce her carbon footprint, benefitting the environment and her health.

Lehigh University is making these types of farm-sourced, nutritious foods available for all its students. Dining halls have entirely cage-free eggs, and items like bread, tofu, cheese, vegetables, fruits and turkey are all local.

It's part of the Real Food Challenge, aimed at transitioning to 20 percent "real food" in dining halls by 2020, which President John Simon committed to in November 2017, along with just two Pennsylvania colleges – and 83 others nationally.

"As an institution you can... start a ripple and then it's going to expand, and hopefully more people start eating locally, making changes in their diet, and then society will be more sustainable in the future," Marsiglio, a member of the student-led Challenge team, said.

According to the Challenge's website, this movement is much needed as environmental negligence and business consolidation take over standard food systems.

Lehigh's Office of Sustainability, Dining Services, and the Budget Office are the main departments working on this initiative. Head chefs construct the menu and select vendors, Marsiglio said. Their focus is now on finding better quality meat, since it's one of the more expensive budget items.

The university's commitment to nutritional sources, however, isn't new.

"We have nutritional food and we've had it here for a while," said Carrie Gerencher, registered dietician at Lehigh. "A lot of our food is homemade, and it gets made as whole food... this shift is nothing new, it's just ordering from local purveyors."

In the Challenge process, members take inventory in October, a higher traffic month, and February, a lower traffic month, to represent annual trends in food purchasing, Marsiglio said.

The movement toward higher quality food coincides with the increasing popularity of organic foods.

According to a Pew Research Center study, "retail sales of organic foods more than doubled from 1994 to 2014, with a steady uptick of about 10 percent annual growth in retail sales over the past several years."

Marsiglio is one of many young adults consuming more organic produce on a sustainable diet.

"My grocery store carries a lot of organic and fair trade, really good brands... it just came down to making a choice and buying the organic option if it was a couple cents more as opposed to the highly processed version," she said.

The Challenge also comes at a time when 61 percent of adults under 30 say organic food is better for your health, as opposed to only 45 percent of senior citizens, according to the poll.

This is one of several reasons why the university has gotten involved.

"We have to follow the trends because you're our captive audience," Gerencher said, referring to students. Young people want to know more about where their food comes from, she added, and feel it's healthier when sourced closer to the university.

"It's a perception thing," Gerencher said.

Victoria Lombardi is a student Journalism major at Lehigh University and a news reporter for The Brown and White.

University students participate at Red Bull Launch Institute

BY KATYA HRICHAK
Special to the Bethlehem Press

Three Lehigh University students were selected to participate in the Red Bull Launch Institute at the South by Southwest Interactive Festival in Austin, Texas in early March. The Institute, according to Red Bull's website, "gives wings to collegiate entrepreneurs and their ideas" by providing access to mentors and fellow entrepreneurs.

Lehigh senior Kira Gobes attended the event with a focus on her device, Loop. She describes Loop as a smart bracelet designed to teach middle-school-aged girls programming by connecting the bracelet to a phone app. Through the app, users can program their bracelets to perform different actions, such as light up when meeting a friend, vibrate to signal the start of class or light up different colors to correspond with social media likes.

For Gobes, the project is personal. Her research showed that middle school is typically the age when girls lose interest in STEM careers and, as a female in the industry herself, she wanted to find a solution.

"The whole social focus behind this is that I'm very interested in getting more girls interested in engineering to help fill the gender gap in technology and STEM fields," she said. "I'm a female engineer and I've experienced the gender gap myself. It's so important to talk to middle schoolers and show them from a young age that engineering doesn't have to be male-oriented or intimidating."

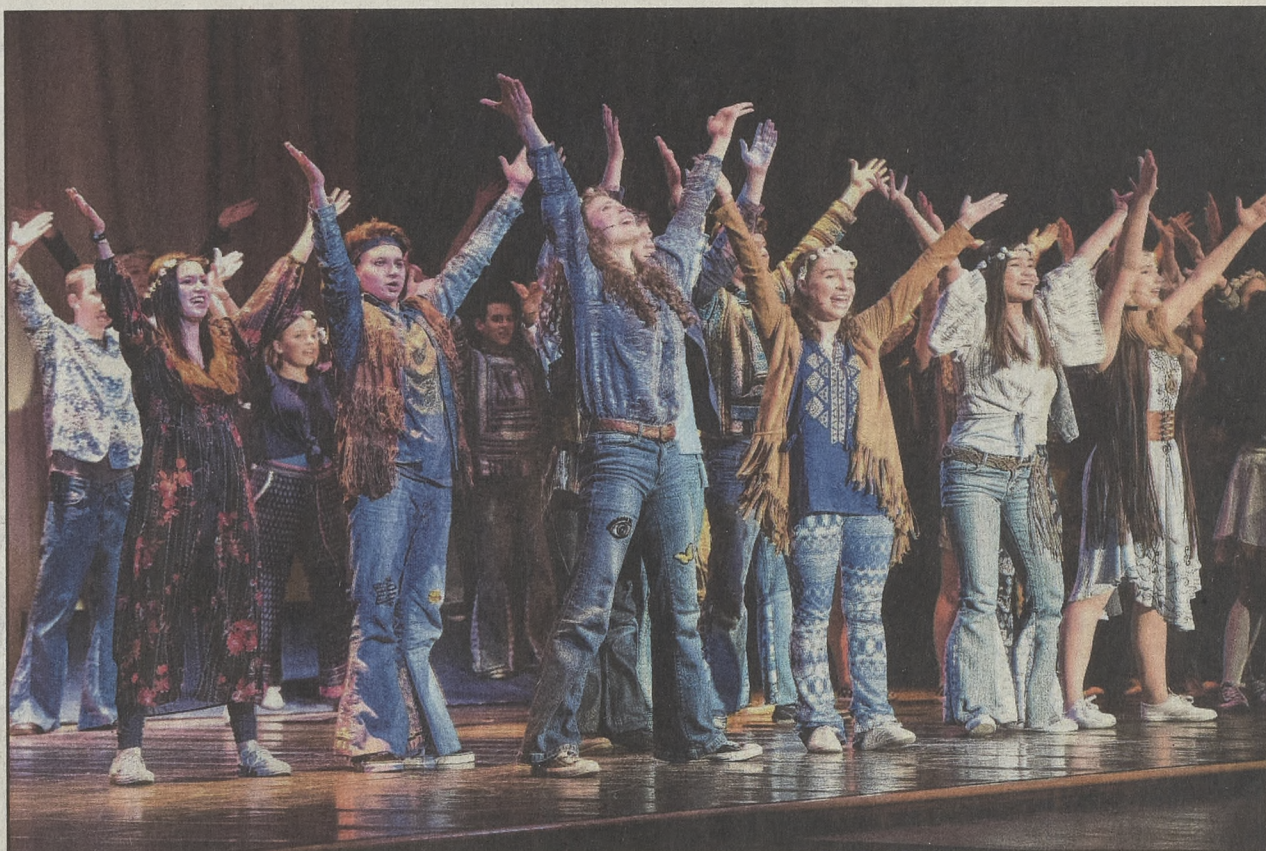
Prior to the Launch Institute, Gobes spent time speaking with her target market and receiving feedback, but looked forward to hearing professional advice during her participation in the event to learn how to take her product further. Through both the Launch Institute and Lehigh, Gobes found the support she needed to continue working on her device.

"The resources at Lehigh University, in particular the Baker Institute, have been so instrumental in building up both my confidence and my resources and my network, I absolutely could not have done any of this without some of the faculty there, they're just really incredible and really invaluable resources," Gobes said.

Senior Lena McDonnell and sophomore Michael Wu comprised the other team chosen to participate with their device, Soterra. Started as a project for another competition, Soterra is a device intended to help women at risk of gender violence and assault stay connected in times of need without needing access to a cell phone or the internet.

Wu said, "We researched and found that one in three women are sexually assaulted at some point in their lifetime and so that gives itself a market, and then on top of that, 80 to 95 percent of those women know their attacker, so a lot of deterrents wouldn't work, such as pepper spray or your phone, because the first thing

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PRESS PHOTOS BY LORI PATRICK

Cast members dance to "We Beseech Thee" in Bethlehem Catholic's production of GODSPELL.

Bethlehem Catholic presents 'Godspell'

Bethlehem Catholic HS's Theatre Department spring musical, "Godspell" by Stephen Schwartz and directed by Debbie Acampora, opened April 13 and continues April 20 and 21. The 70s inspired 'hippie' costumes and the

basic stage constructed of boxes that the actors stand or sit on throughout the play all made sense as you watches the musical, which has several stage-wide dance numbers and gatherings. The staging is a spectacle with movement, at

times both on the floor and in the aisles. There are over 50 in the Becahi cast. "Godspell" opened off Broadway on May 17, 1971. Musical numbers include "We Beseech Thee," "Day By Day" and "Learn Your Lessons Well."



Jesus (Myles Blair) sings "All for the Best" to the cast of Bethlehem Catholic's "Godspell."



Cast members dance in Bethlehem Catholic's performance of Godspell.



Judas (Brycen Jasionowski) takes his turn in "All for the Best" with his team of tap dancers.



Rachael Mège (center) is tormented in a parable during Bethlehem Catholic's performance of "Godspell."

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Continued from page A15 that they're going to take away from you is going to be your phone," he said. "If we made a device that's small, inconspicuous and doesn't require connectivity, this would help people who need it the most."

Although McDonnell and Wu have recognized the impact their product could have on various markets, their initial target market included women in developing countries and is expanding to potentially include college and university campuses as well.

Both McDonnell and Wu expressed their gratitude toward Red Bull and the event, stating that the Launch Institute helped not only get their product name out there, but gave them beneficial feedback and industry contacts as well.

"I think the biggest thing that I hope to get across is just how grateful we are to Red Bull for this whole event," McDonnell said. "It was a really fantastic experience, it was really nice to be taken seriously and celebrated for what we're doing [and] it was really wonderful to be with these other students who are doing really impressive things."

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BAPL book sale opens May 16



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Allentown resident Stephen Zatko peruses classical music offerings at the Bethlehem Area Public Library's March sale. Zatko said he comes to the sale all the time.

The Bethlehem Area Public Library's next book sale is scheduled on Wednesday, May 16 from noon until 8 p.m. and Saturday, May 19 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Dubbed "Think Spring," this sale will feature a large selection of gardening books. In addition, a substantial donation of rock music CDs and records means that over 20,000 books, record albums, CDs and DVDs will be available for book sale patrons to purchase. Cash is accepted, as well as most major credit cards.

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'Putting It Together' at Town Hall Rotunda: Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission mixes it up

BY ED COURRIER
Special to The Press

The Bethlehem Fine Arts Commission contacted seven area artists to participate in "Putting It Together," an invitational show through May 31, Rotunda Gallery, Bethlehem Town Hall, 10 E. Church St., Bethlehem.

"Every year we do a curated show with a theme," says James A. DePietro, a member of the fine arts commission. "Putting It Together" has a mixed media theme involving "artists working with multiple imagery," he explains.

"Heaven and Earth," a mixed media painting "put together" by DePietro is a realistic painting of a wheelbarrow in a landscape garden rendered in acrylic on two wood panels, framed by a trowel and pair of work gloves made from clay. This work, like others in the exhibition by DePietro, seamlessly incorporates the two-dimensional with the three-dimensional.

Created from found objects, the shadow-box-like "All the Pretty," an assemblage, is one of Will Hübscher's pieces in the exhibit. A print of a young Japanese woman looks out from a box

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festooned with jewelry and decorative woodwork into a similar box it's attached to. Hübscher said he finds pieces for his assemblages while walking his dog or going to flea markets.

Judith Shevell's "Ginkgo Biloba" is one of five art quilts she has in the exhibit. At center is a ginkgo sprout with roots appliquéd atop the cell structure of the plant that had been taken from a photomicrograph, manipulated in Photoshop, then printed on cotton sateen fabric. Shevell says she began with plant anatomy as the subject for her quilts, then transitioned to narrative quilts. Shevell has since returned to creating a series of plant anatomy pieces that tie in with "What got me started as an artist, my love of botany," she says.

Cathy Christy O'Connor's "The Dream," a mosaic, features a sleeping woman's face with one eye open to her dark

dream of a black bird spreading its wings. The raised edges of an old table top frames the piece.

O'Connor employs found objects in the more whimsical 3-D piece, "London Aquarium," also a mosaic. Porcelain figurines of an upper-class, 18th-century man and woman are facing away from the tank where a mosaic sea creature checks them out with its giant eyeball. "I love found objects. I'm getting more into that," O'Connor says.

Julie Miller seeks found vintage images, then combines them with photographs she has taken herself. Miller assembles the visual parts in Photoshop to create eclectic works like "She Lives Inside Stories Older Than Birds," a photographic collage.

"The title refers to the timelessness of storytelling," says the artist, who literally dreamed up the title. "I often dream in phrases," Miller explains. The digital piece features a young woman sporting a halo composed of flora, fauna and machinery. These include mushrooms, leaves, ravens, tentacles, feathers, zebra, and a steam punk train-



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From left, artists Will Hübscher, Judith Shevell, James A. DePietro, Julie Miller, Cathy Christy O'Connor, Douglas Ihlenfeld, standing next to his "Progression" sculpture, and Nancy E. Steffy during the April 22 opening reception for "Putting It Together" exhibition, Town Hall Rotunda.

like contraption with gears for wheels curving around the edge of it.

Wire basket-like and rising up from the floor, Douglas Ihlenfeld's "Progression," a metal sculpture, is his tallest abstract piece in the exhibit. Ihlenfeld favors welding non-ferrous metals like copper, bronze, and brass. The son of East German sculptor Klaus Bielefeld, who emigrated to the United States in the late 1950s, says he found inspiration in his father's

work as well as that of his dad's employer, artist Harry Bertoia.

"The Ancient Ones Who Came Before No. 3," unglazed stoneware, by Nancy E. Steffy is a piece that resembles delicate fossil-like bones. The artwork is in five separate pieces that appear to have been bleached white by the sun. They are assembled together, one atop the other, to form a hanging sculpture.

Steffy, who had been a potter for many years,

says, "I got tired of that and branched out to try to do one-of-a-kind things. So, I started to do wall sculpture." Inspired by skeletal remains of animals she had seen while hiking in the woods, "This is my interpretation of something that might have lived awhile ago, but is no longer," she says.

Gallery hours: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, Closed weekends. Information: bfac-lv.org

Get your Bach on at 111th Bethlehem Bach Festival

BY KATHY LAUER-WILLIAMS
Special to The Press

There is Bach for every taste, as well as some exciting new concerts, at the 111th Bach Festival, May 11-12, 18-19, at various sites in Bethlehem.

The Festival features performances by the Bethlehem Bach Choir and Bach Festival Orchestra, along with guest vocalists and musicians, conducted by Bach Choir artistic director Greg Funfgeld.

Festival soloists are Cassandra Lemoine and Rosa Lamoreaux, sopranos; Daniel Taylor, countertenor; Benjamin Butterfield, tenor; William Sharp, baritone, and David Newman, bass.

The choir, celebrating its 120th anniversary, is the oldest Bach choir organization in the United States.

The Festival kicks

off both weekends, noon May 11 and 18, with "Bach Outdoors!," Payrow Plaza, Church and New streets, Bethlehem. The free outdoor concert features performances of the music of Bach on cello, marimba and electric violin. Guest performers are Dale Henderson, creator of "Bach in the Subways"; Bach Festival artist-in-residence She-e Wu, and Bach Festival Orchestra principal violist Paul Miller.

Robin A. Leaver presents "120 Years of Bach in Bethlehem," the Distinguished Scholar Lecture, 2 p.m. May 11, 18, Zoellner Arts Center, Room 145. Leaver is Bach Choir concert program annotator and a visiting professor, Yale University, and Queen's University Belfast, Northern Ireland, and professor emeritus, Westminster Choir College of Rider University.



Cassandra Lemoine



Benjamin Butterfield



Rosa Lamoreaux



Daniel Taylor



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"Bach at 4" is at 4 p.m. May 11, 18, Incarnation of Our Lord Church, Thomas and Buchanan streets, Bethlehem. The program includes Bach

Cantata 156, "Ich steh mit einen Fuss im Grabe," and two Bach arias sung by Lamoreaux and Taylor; Sonata in D Major, BWV 1028, with

Mollie Glazer, viola da gamba, and Funfgeld, harpsichord, and Cantata 106, "Gottes Zeit ist die allerbeste Zeit."

Also at 4 p.m. May 11,

18, Saal, Moravian Museum, Church Street, Bethlehem, Charlotte Mattax Moersch performs Bach's "Goldberg Variations," one of the most ambitious works ever written for harpsichord. The Saal is on the second floor and is not handicapped-accessible.

At 5:45 p.m. May 11, 18, Larry Lipkis, professor of music and composer-in-residence at Moravian College, gives an informal talk during a buffet dinner, Butz Lobby, Zoellner Arts Center.

"Bach at 8" May 11, 18, featuring a performance by She-e Wu, is at 8 p.m. in Packer Memorial Church, Lehigh University. The Bach Choir and Orchestra perform Bach's Cantata 21, "Ich hatte viel Bekümmernis"; Wu plays Bach's Third Cello Suite, BWV 1009 in C Major, transcribed for

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Dahlias make a spectacular summer bulb display in your home garden.

First flowers' light-bulb moments

When you hear the word "bulb," what is the first flower you think of: tulip, daffodil, crocus, snowdrop or other fall-planted bulb?

Can you name your favorite summer bulb? These include begonia, caladium, canna, dahlias, gladioli, lilies of many varieties, oxalis, and many more.

Bulbs is a term used loosely to include corms, tubers, tuberous roots, rhizomes, and true bulbs. Bulbs are grouped broad-

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ly into spring-flowering (January through May) and summer-flowering (June through September) plants.

Bulbs can be planted in the fall or late spring. Those planted in the fall are generally hardy bulbs, while those planted in the spring are typ-

ically tender bulbs, such as dahlias and tuberous begonias.

Growing conditions for summer bulbs are different from spring bulbs in that a summer bulb needs full sunshine, with some exceptions, decent soil, and excellent drainage. If the soil is clay and drainage is poor, the bulbs will rot. If the three conditions are met, it will most certainly give your summer bulbs a good growing habitat.

To get off to a good

start, the bulbs need consistently warm soil. The planting date should always be after the last frost and the temperature preferably between 50 and 60 degrees.

Bulbs should be planted two-and-a-half to three times deeper than their height. Always consult planting recommendations supplied with the bulbs by the grower.

The key to maintaining perennial bulbs, whether

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marimba, and the choir and orchestra perform Handel's "Ode for Saint Cecilia's Day."

Wu plays Eric Ewazen's "Concerto for Marimba and Strings," Ifor Jones Chamber Music Concert, 10:30 a.m. May 12, 19, Zoellner Arts Center. Also performing are Funfgeld, harpsichord, accompanied by Elizabeth Field, violin, and Robin Kani, flute, in Bach's Fifth Brandenburg Concerto BWV 1050. The final piece is Bach's Third Suite in D major, BWV 1068.

A Festival wwlunch is at 12:30 p.m. May 12, 19, Butz Lobby, Zoellner Arts Center.

The Bach Chorale Sing is at 2 p.m. May 12, 19, Packer Memorial Church, accompanied by The Festival Brass Choir.

The Bach Choir and Bach Festival Orchestra present Bach's Mass in B Minor, Part 1, at 2:30 p.m., and Part 2, at 4:30 p.m. May 12, 19, Packer Memorial Church, Lehigh University.

Pre-concert performances are presented by the Festival Brass Choir and youth ensembles, including the Lehigh

Valley Suzuki violin program.

Young artists, chosen by audition, perform Baroque music in the cafe-style Zimmermann's Coffee House, 7 p.m. May 12, 19, Peter Hall, Moravian College.

Rounding out the Bach Festival is the Biennial Young American Singer Competition Finals, 1 p.m. May 20, Peter Hall, Moravian College. The event, sponsored by the American Bach Society and The Bach Choir of Bethlehem, is free and open to the public.

Tickets: bach.org; 610-866-4382

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they bloom in the spring or mid-summer, is to allow their foliage to ripen. Avoid any temptation to cut back foliage until it becomes limp and yellow.

The ripening bulb foliage provides food and nutrients to the bulb in advance of the next growing season. Cutting the foliage too early deprives the bulb of these nutrients and weakens it. Cut away and compost the foliage

after it has yellowed.

Many summer bulbs require winter storage in a cool, dry place after being dug up for the winter. Most of the tender bulbs require 40- to 50-degree temperatures in dry vermiculite or peat moss. Some grown in containers can be moved indoors and left in the pots to overwinter.

A too-warm storage climate dries them out, rendering them not viable the next season. Be sure that air circulates around

stored bulbs.

Here are a few tips: Summer bulbs require a great deal of water immediately after planting. The soil in your garden should be continually moist, not wet.

Sprouting is healthy. Plants are anxious to get into the ground again. If the plant has multiple buds, they can be divided at this time with a bud or two for each division.

Maintain a pH level of 6 to 7 to bring out the true color of flower bulbs.

Additional fertilizer is not necessary for summer flowering bulbs and tubers.

"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.

'Young Playwrights' return

BY KATHY LAUER-WILLIAMS

Special to The Press

Take a peek into the imagination of children at Touchstone Theatre's "Young Playwrights' Festival" playing one night only at Zoellner Arts Center in Bethlehem.

The festival, unlike any other theater program in the Lehigh Valley, presents one-act plays written by students from fourth grade through high school on May 12 for the festival's 13th year.

The stories that are brought to life on stage are created by students during an eight-week literacy program, and range from the whimsical to surprisingly serious. They include a lonely mermaid and a boy in a robot jungle, as well as a visit to a way station in the afterlife and a look at the effects of post-traumatic stress disorder on a veteran.

The festival is the outgrowth and culmination of the Young Playwrights' Lab, the program developed by Touchstone and the Bethlehem Area School District to use theater to improve student's writing and creative self-expression.

"This is a great opportunity for them to express what they are thinking about," says Mary Wright, a Touchstone ensemble member and education director of Touchstone Theatre. "It's fascinating to find what they come up with."

More than 100 scripts from eight schools were submitted for the festival

and five were chosen for full production and directed by Touchstone ensemble members. Another three runners-up were picked to have a scene performed by Touchstone members.

Wright is one of the directors and is helming "Damaged," a play about a returning veteran with PTSD written by Justin Brooks-Miller of Allentown, a ninth grader at Lincoln Leadership Academy.

"I think it's really powerful that a ninth-grade boy is concerned about what war does to people," Wright says. "I tried to honor what he's trying to say with my direction."

The Playwrights Lab takes Touchstone into the schools to work with students on theater improvisation, "heater games" that lead to writing prompts, writing exercises and collaborative critique.

"We teach them the Touchstone approach," says Wright. "We work with a wide range of kids and it seems to work for everybody. We take them from where they are and help them move forward."

Wright says the directors receive the scripts and then must create a fully-realized world from the student's vision.

"What we at Touchstone find delightful about the scripts is they leave room for us to show our artistic vision as well," she says. "We get to join in their imagination. Everybody wins."

The directors also are set and costume designer. Actors in the cast are auditioned from schools and the community.

Wright says the winning plays include "ABH-DR" by Liberty student Payton Shaffer of Bethlehem, who wrote about a way-station to the afterlife.

"It's really interesting," Wright says. "The way station is sort of like the DMV where you have to take a ticket and wait your turn to tell your life to the

agent."

She says the youngest playwright represented in the festival is Nate Bowers, a fourth grader at Farmersville Elementary School in Bethlehem.

She says his play "John and the Lion Man," about a boy who finds himself in an underground laboratory that ends up being a robotic jungle, shows a "wonderful imagination."

The five plays are "Damaged," "ABH-DR," "John and the Lion Man" and "The Chicago Deal" by David Rosado of Casa Guadalupe Center, Allentown and "Cinderella" by Carol-Lynn Charlemagne, Harrison-Morton Middle School, Allentown.

Runners-up are "The Queen and the Unicorn" by Angelique Jorge, Lincoln Elementary; "Mermaid Wants a New Family" by Daron Roberson, Freemansburg Elementary; and "Blob and Rob: The Lost Backpack" by Cristian Mendez, Donegan Elementary, all of Bethlehem.

Following the performance is a ticketed gala reception and auction that will benefit Touchstone and its arts-in-education programs. Gala attendees can mingle with the Touchstone ensemble and enjoy dessert, an open bar, and live music. A live and silent auction includes a private dinner for six at Jenny's Kuali; Lehigh Valley Phantoms box seats, Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival tickets, Historic Bethlehem river tours and more.

Louis Cinquino, Festival Committee Chair, says funds raised by the gala in previous years have allowed the program to expand in Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, and other school districts.

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Peripheral arterial disease risk

Q. My toe nails and leg hair don't seem to be growing as fast as they used to. Is this age-related or is it something else?

It could be caused by something harmless, but it is possible that it is a little-known symptom of peripheral arterial disease (PAD). If I were you, I'd go to a doctor for a check-up.

PAD usually affects legs, but also can affect blood vessels to your head, arms, kidneys, and stomach. Your chances of getting PAD increase with age. About one in five over 65 has PAD.

You get PAD when plaque accumulates in your arteries. Plaque is made of fat, cholesterol and other substances in the blood. When plaque builds up on the walls of the arteries, the condition is called atherosclerosis or hardening of the arteries. Atherosclerosis impedes the flow of blood.

If blood flow to your legs is blocked, you can suffer from pain and numbness. It also can increase the risk of infection. If the flow of blood is too low, tissue in the affected area can die. In

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severe cases, a leg might have to be amputated. If you are diagnosed with PAD, you face a high risk of having a heart attack or stroke.

Because the disease reduces blood flow, there is a risk of blood clots. To help prevent clots, your doctor may prescribe a medication such as clopidogrel (Plavix).

The disease may start with damage of the inner layers of the arteries from smoking, elevated levels of fats and cholesterol, high blood pressure and diabetes. The healing from the damage may cause plaque build-up.

The chances of getting PAD are four times greater for smokers than non-smokers. Quitting smoking slows the progress of PAD. Smokers and people who have diabetes are at the highest risk for PAD.

About half with PAD have no symptoms. Others have several symptoms such as pain, numbness or cramping

in the leg and buttocks muscles when walking or climbing stairs. These symptoms may subside if you rest and reduce the need for blood flow.

Other PAD symptoms in the legs, feet and toes include: weak pulse, sores that don't heal well, a pale or bluish color to the skin, lower temperature in one leg compared to the other leg, poor toenail growth and decreased hair growth on the legs, and erectile dysfunction.

The following are tests used to diagnose PAD:

An ankle-brachial index (ABI) compares blood pressure in your ankle and arm to analyze blood flow.

A Doppler ultrasound is a test that uses sound waves to show whether a blood vessel is blocked.

A treadmill test can show the level of exercise necessary to develop symptoms.

A magnetic resonance angiogram (MRA) takes pictures of blood vessels inside your body. An MRA can describe blockages. An MRA is a type of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI).

An arteriogram is used to locate a blocked artery. During an arteriogram, dye is injected

into an artery and an x-ray is taken. A newer method of arteriogram uses ultrasound cameras to take pictures inside blood vessels.

Blood tests are used to check for diabetes and cholesterol levels.

Lifestyle changes are recommended to help mitigate PAD include quitting smoking, exercising, and lowering blood pressure, cholesterol and blood sugar.

Serious blockages may require surgery.

Bypass surgery uses a blood vessel from another part of your body to bypass the blockage. Angioplasty uses a catheter with a balloon that is inflated to widen arteries.

A stent may be placed in the artery during angioplasty to keep the vessel open. During an endarterectomy, a surgeon makes an incision in your leg and removes the plaque from the blocked artery.

Have a question? Email: fred@healthygeezers.com. Order "How To Be A Healthy Geezer," 218-page compilation of columns: healthygeezers.com

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'You gotta put yourself out there'

After I wrote a column about the new era of relationships, I got an email from a reader saying I left out one important thing in my column.

"You talk about seniors who found new partners late in life but you never said where they went to meet those partners," she wrote.

Thinking about the women I wrote about in that column, I realized they met their new love interest in a variety of places.

One met at a grief counseling group. One met by going to a community band concert. And two others met because of the Internet.

One used a dating site and the other one went to a meetup group after seeing it promoted on a local social media site.

In my subsequent emails back and forth with the woman who responded to my relationship column, she said she doesn't use her computer for much besides email. That was after I told her to search the Internet for meetup opportunities in her area. If she doesn't use the Internet to find more social opportunities or more local groups she might want to join, she's limited.

I think that's called if you don't get up to bat, you'll never get a hit.

Then a close friend of mine who hasn't recovered from the loss of her husband three years said she was "dying of loneliness." She too wants to meet new friends or even a special interest guy.

Because she lives in Florida for some of the time, I could direct her to Internet sites that list all the social opportunities in our area. What I can't do is give her the courage to show up at one of them. But I'm working on it.

She's coming here next week and I'm hoping to introduce her to the ladies who run some of the best social opportunities in our area. We'll see how that goes.

The area in which I live abounds in social opportunities. That's because we have a well-oiled machine we call our community Facebook site. It lists everything going on in the community — all the clubs, special groups, hobby opportunities and meetup opportunities.

Last year Rotonda got a new meeting center that offers ongoing classes and activities five days a week. That also helps people find new friends.

All that didn't exist when I moved here. I had to do it the old-fashioned way — through trial and error.

What I did is use our local newspaper to find clubs and activities I might like. I figured I would also meet new friends that way.

Some of those activities were duds. I didn't like the activity and no one stayed around before or after class to talk.

But joining two kayak clubs worked for me. I certainly met like-minded people and enjoyed all the kayaking I got to do. Truth be told, the president of one of the

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clubs and I had a special interest in each other. We married two years after we met.

I now find there are so many social opportunities in my Rotonda development that I can't do half of them.

I like the monthly ladies breakfast because it's a smaller crowd and it's easier to get to know the women there.

Ironically, that group only came about because of one woman who said she was "too intimidated" to join in the big gatherings. In fact, she and her husband came to one of the potluck dinners but didn't stay.

"There were too many people," she said, "and everyone seemed to know each other." They left without talking to anyone except Diane, one of the women on the committee.

Diane took to heart what she said about the big crowd being too intimidating for some newcomers.

That's why Diane started the monthly ladies breakfasts, keeping the event much smaller.

Diane is an extraordinarily social being and is super helpful to boot.

When the woman told Diane she wouldn't have enough nerve to walk into the breakfast alone, Diane personally drove her then introduced her to some of the women.

I think what happened next goes under the "you can lead a horse to water" category but you can't make it drink.

The woman sat there not making an effort to talk to anyone. When someone asked her where she was from, she didn't respond by asking the same of them.

She told Diane she was "moving back home" because no one was friendly here.

With all this as I background, I spent the last ladies breakfast asking women how they made friends after they moved here.

They all said they joined the social groups and went to some of the activities they found on the internet. In no time at all, they each found a social circle that interested them.

While it's easy to make friends here, you still have to make the effort.

"You gotta put yourself out there and reach out to others," stressed one woman. Another woman who claims to be shy added: "And sometimes you have to push your comfort level a bit."

All agreed the way not to find new friends is to sit at home. No one will break down your door offering friendships.

Diane summed it up perfectly in this way: "You have to realize you are responsible for your own happiness."

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Support five-year-old's choices

Q. My daughter is five and our son, three. She has never been interested in playing with dolls or "girly" things, but rather prefers the games and toys we purchase for her brother. We have even agreed to her request for a really short, boy-style haircut. She is well adjusted, bright and articulate, but we are concerned about her lack of interest in anything feminine. Should we do more to encourage her to become more "girly," and inhibit her tomboy side?

The panelists were unanimous in saying that the parents should neither encourage nor discourage any of her interests as long as they are safe. Let her explore and learn, they urged.

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By Carole Gorney



Panelist Mike Daniels said that five-year-olds are five-year-olds, and it really doesn't matter at that age. "Her job in life developmentally is to learn, to explore, to find things out. To explore might involve finding non-traditional ways of doing things."

Daniels continued, "What stands out for me is the 'boy-style haircut' comment. Did the daughter ask for a boy-style haircut or for a short haircut? This could just be the parents' perception of what is 'girly' and 'boyish.'"

"Offer the girl opportunities to explore different types of toys," panelist Erin Stalsitz said, explaining that

many toys today are generic, that is, non-gender specific. "There is a whole line of Legos for girls." She added that one should avoid being too rigid in a definition of what is "feminine."

"What the parents should be recognizing and celebrating is their daughter's individuality and exploration of her world, which right now is neither male nor female," Daniels said. "It is about what is fun and interesting."

"Uniqueness is something to celebrate," panelist Denise Continenza added.

From what the parents say about their daughter, panelist Pam Wallace said it is pretty clear that she is doing well in her stage of life: "She's doing her job of exploring and learning, uninhibited by social constraints, whether she's aware of them or not."

The panelists ended their discussion by praising the parents for reaching out and asking for help when they weren't sure of something.

This week's team of parenting experts are: Pam Wallace, Program Coordinator, Project Child, a program of Valley Youth House; Denise Continenza, Extension Educator, Food, Families and Health, Penn State Extension; Mike Daniels, LCSW, Psychotherapist, CTS, and Erin Stalsitz, casework supervisor, Lehigh County Children and Youth.

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

Sending graduation announcements

Dear Jacquelyn,
Our son is graduating from high school in May. Between the announcements, ceremony, and party, I am overwhelmed. When do you send graduation announcements and when should party invitations be sent?

Dear Reader,
High school graduation is an important milestone in a teenager's life. Here are some tips to help you navigate high school graduation etiquette.

The graduation invitation is a request to attend the graduation ceremony. The graduation invitation includes details on the card: verification that the recipient is invited to attend, such as "Please join us," the address and time, as well as an RSVP. Invitations to the graduation

RESPECTFULLY YOURS
By Jacquelyn Youst



ceremony can be sent up to four weeks in advance.

Many high schools have begun to limit the number of attendees at graduation ceremonies because of space limitations. You can simply explain, "We'd love to have you, but we're limited by the number of tickets." Most people will understand if there is limited seating.

Graduation announcements give word that your child is receiving his or her high school diploma. Your friends and family get to share in your family's exciting news. Send graduation announcements to anyone your family would

send a holiday card to. These do not include details about the ceremony or reception because it's not an invitation to attend. Graduation announcements are mailed two weeks following the graduation.

If the graduation announcement doubles as an invitation to the graduation ceremony, it should be sent at least three weeks before the graduation ceremony.

Graduation party invitations should be sent to friends and family three to four weeks before the date. Invitations for out-of-town relatives and friends should be sent out at least five weeks in advance. Send invitations for the graduation party in the mail as opposed to electronically.

If your new graduate receives gifts, be sure to keep track of the gifts received and send handwritten thank-you notes within two weeks.

The most important etiquette of all for graduates and their families: Enjoy this milestone and celebrate. Cheers to the graduate!

Respectfully Yours, Jacquelyn

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10:30 a.m. Worship
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St. John's Lutheran Church hold special ceremony at the Emmaus Remembrance Garden



Members of the congregation of St. John's Lutheran Church, Emmaus, gathered May 6 for a brick ceremony at the Emmaus Remembrance Garden at Knauss Homestead. The congregation installed five bricks to honor the church. ABOVE: Among those attending the ceremony are, front from left, Rev. Fred S. Foerster, pastor emeritus and his wife Mary "Mimi" Foerster, Nancy Reimert, wife of Minister Emeritus Franklin W. Reimert; Sylvia Havlish, PNM, grief minister emeritus, Audra Berner, congregation member and Mike Waddell, executive director of the Emmaus Commemorative Gardens Foundation.



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St. John's Lutheran Church is recognized with five bricks on the church path at the Emmaus Remembrance Garden. The path recognizes churches in the borough and the inaugural bricks were placed in October 2017 honoring Bethel Bible Fellowship Church, Emmaus Moravian Church and St. Matthew's E.C. Church.

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Friday, May 11: Baked meatloaf w/gravy, oven browned potatoes, grilled fresh vegetables, wheat bred w/ margarine, fresh fruit cup.

Monday, May 14: Ham croquette w/ cream sauce, parslid potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat bread with margarine, fresh blueberry fluff.

Tuesday, May 15: Apple juice, veal parmigiana over spaghetti, broccoli florets, Italian bread with margarine, chilled pears.

Wednesday, May 16: Orange juice, fried chicken breast on bun w/ lettuce-tomato and mayo, pasta salad, fresh seedless grapes.

Thursday, May 17: Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, baby greens with ranch dressing, wheat bread with margarine, dark red sweet cherries.

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Thursday, May 10: Marinated chicken over bed of Romaine lettuce, tomatoes, cucumbers, fresh fruit.

Friday, May 11: Chopped steak w/onion gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, banana.

Monday, May 14: Pennsylvania "Dutch" turkey barbecue in white sauce, German potato salad, green beans, cookie.

Tuesday, May 15: Breaded veal patty w/ brown gravy, wheat pasta, butternut squash, applesauce.

Wednesday, May 16: Baked low salt ham, yams, asparagus, angel food cake.

Thursday, May 17: Chicken breast with creamy pesto sauce, roasted potatoes, carrots, pineapple tidbits.

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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	3							8
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Answer to previous puzzle

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

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Today's Cryptoquip Clue: U equals Y

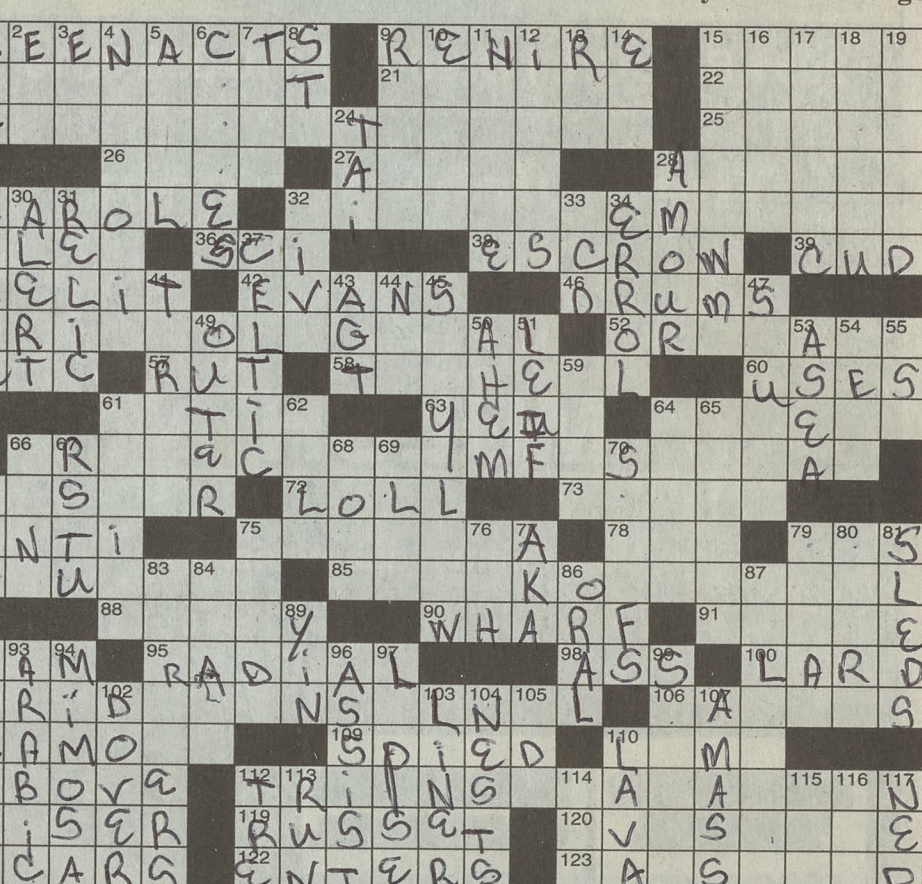
PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

DIVIDING EXPERIMENT

ACROSS

- 1 Simulates, as an event
- 9 Employ anew
- 15 Barely visible
- 20 Dirigible pilot
- 21 Cuts into
- 22 The "O" of TV's OWN
- 23 Changing from one form of matter to another
- 25 Unrestrained
- 26 Hollywood's Harper
- 27 2006 Supreme Court appointee
- 28 Ballerina Alicia King
- 29 "Tapestry" singer
- 32 Eons ago
- 35 Son on "Family Ties"
- 36 — fi movie
- 38 Fund held in trust
- 39 Cow's mouthful
- 40 Kindled anew
- 42 Linda of "Dynasty"
- 46 Bongos, e.g.
- 48 Of the study of the hair and scalp
- 52 Mine transports
- 56 Abbr. at the end of a list
- 57 Road groove
- 58 North Carolinian, informally
- 60 Puts to work
- 61 "Reward" for awful service
- 63 French for "eye"
- 64 Road
- 66 Annual movie event in Lower Manhattan
- 71 U.S. pres. George (#41 as opposed to #43)
- 72 Lounge lazily
- 73 Agatha Christie's "There Is —"
- 74 Voting no
- 75 Loss of recollections
- 78 Home for mil. planes
- 79 Machines next to mice
- 82 Actress Sarah of "American Crime Story"
- 85 Starter or finish judge at a meet, e.g.
- 88 "Woo-hoo!"
- 90 Docking site
- 91 Spanish wavy mark
- 92 27-Across' first name, for short
- 95 Kind of tire
- 98 Pack animal
- 100 Cooking fat
- 101 Having depth as well as length and width
- 106 Is abrasive
- 108 Kiddie-lit "pest"
- 109 Observed secretly
- 110 Minnesota's state bird
- 111 On top of



DOWN

- 1 Traitor
- 2 Suffix with cannon
- 3 Piece of the past
- 4 Not poisonous
- 5 Actor Elgort
- 6 Produces
- 7 Bath locales
- 8 Holy figures: Abbr.
- 9 Sphere
- 10 Bud of Bert
- 11 Real good-looker
- 12 Turns of phrase
- 13 "Stuck" actor Stephen
- 14 Class for U.S. aliens
- 15 "Go where I go"
- 16 "What — excuse for ..."
- 17 Paradoxical
- 18 Capital of the Bahamas
- 19 It's rung out on New Year's Eve
- 24 Mai —

- 28 Love, in Nice
- 29 — blanche
- 30 Advisory
- 31 Piece of the past
- 32 DVR brand
- 33 Livy's 1,400
- 34 Flynn of old movies
- 37 Welsh, e.g.
- 41 Is pounding
- 43 Actor's rep.
- 44 Hollywood's Vardalos
- 45 Tool for cutting decorative spiral lines
- 47 Snaky shape
- 49 Not inner
- 50 "Excuse me"
- 51 Ericson of exploration
- 53 On a cruise
- 54 Line winder
- 55 Old JFK jet
- 59 Zeno of — (philosopher)
- 61 Ex — (from nothing)
- 62 Date tree
- 64 Inflexible
- 65 Morsel
- 66 Fish that's a sushi staple
- 67 Q-V link
- 68 It might have serifs
- 69 Robert of
- 70 Groups of employees
- 71 Protestant denom.

- 75 Battery end
- 76 I, in German
- 77 Alias lead-in
- 79 Rice-and-broth dish
- 80 Training unit
- 81 Luges, e.g.
- 83 Group associated with red fezzes
- 84 McCain's 2008 rival
- 86 Spoken
- 87 Salsa herb
- 89 — and yang
- 92 Drink inserts
- 93 Language of the Koran
- 94 Brunch drink
- 96 Help
- 97 Fat-breakdown enzyme
- 99 Goal getter
- 102 Delaware's capital
- 103 Ship of the Middle East
- 104 Jays' homes
- 105 Suffix with cannon
- 107 Stockpile
- 110 Liquid rock
- 112 Two plus one, in Turin
- 113 Trot quickly
- 114 Mom's mate
- 115 Ca++ or Cl-
- 116 Lyrical verse
- 117 Beatty of "Network"

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Distance can make it challenging to spend time together for major holidays and other special occasions - like Mother's Day. But Mother's Day can still be special even if Mom lives hundreds or thousands of miles away.

EMBRACE TECHNOLOGY

Technology helps break down some of the barriers created by distance. While phone calls were once the way to keep in touch, many people now utilize various forms of digital communication. Someone who lives across different time zones can talk through texting or the various social media avenues available on computers, phones and tablets. Video apps like Skype and FaceTime enable you to video chat with others in real time. Come Mother's Day, connect with mom via such apps so you can watch her open up her gifts.

RECONNECT WITH HOME

If Mom is the one who ventured from home, help her to reconnect with her hometown or another place she feels attached to. Ship her some favorite regional foods that can only be bought in town. Make a photo or video montage of places of interest in town. These little touches of home can mean the world to her.

CREATE A SPECIAL DAY

Even if you do not live near your mother, you can still plan a fun day for her in her town. Make reservations for a spa, hair salon or other sources of pampering and surprise her with all the details.

TREAT HER TO THE ULTIMATE SURPRISE

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PUBLIC NOTICE
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Bid Forms and electronic copy of Bid Security for the Monocacy Drive Storm Sewer Project will be received online via the PennBid Program until 10:00 a.m. prevailing time on Friday, June 1, 2018, at 12:00 noon, the bid tabulations from the PennBid website will be publicly read aloud at the East Allen Township Office, 5344 Nor-Bath Boulevard, Northampton, PA 18067.

Final questions are due no later than 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 30, 2018.

The project consists of the installation of a storm sewer system to be connected to the existing storm system on Allegheny Lane and extended along Monocacy Drive. Work includes installation of 890 LF of HP/HDPE pipe, storm structures, and pavement base drain, 3,070 sy of street reconstruction or full depth reclamation, installation of erosion and sediment control facilities, and miscellaneous restoration.

All Bid Documents and details are available at no cost online at www.PennBid.net.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond in the required form, certified check, bank cashier's check, or other security acceptable, to the Owner in the amount of 10% of the total Base Bid. Bids will be effective for 60 calendar days from the Bid opening date except as permitted by law, and may not be withdrawn during this period.

This Project is subject to the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act. This Project is subject to the Federal Occupational Safety & Health Act of 1970 (OSHA) conditions.

This Project is subject to Pennsylvania Act 287 of 1974, as amended by Act 172 of 1986, as amended by Act 38 of 1991, as amended by Act 187 of 1996.

This Project is subject to the Public Works Employment Verification Act. This Contract is subject to Pennsylvania Human Relations Act 222 conditions.

This Contract is subject to the Non-discrimination in Employment/ Contract Compliance Regulations Conditions.

East Allen Township reserves the right at its option to waive any informalities, irregularities, defects, errors or omissions in any or all of Bids and to accept or reject any or all parts of the Bids which in its judgment is in the best interest of East Allen Township.

Brent Green, Township Manager

May 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
BIDS WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received until 8:45 AM, May 29, 2018 at North Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3256 Levans Road, Coplay, PA, then publicly opened and read at approximately 9:00 AM the same day, for the following items:

ASPHALT JOINT & CRACK SEAL in place
MICROSURFACING in place
BITUMINOUS SEAL COAT in place
ULTRA THIN BONDED WEARING COURSE in place

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.

In Place bidders are required to provide, as bid guarantee, a certified check or bid bond, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total proposal, made payable to North Whitehall Township. In Place bidders must submit a PA DOT pre-qualification statement. The successful bidder shall be required to supply Performance and Payment Bonds as required by law.

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

Brenda Nordor, Secretary
NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP

May 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

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

The storage spaces in lien belonging to the below-identified tenants contain the following:

Appliances/Boxes/Bags/Bedding/Clothing/Books/Electronics/Furniture/Tools/Toys.

• **PUBLIC STORAGE 2977 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052 on May 23, 2017 11AM**

Lisa Herod, Ryan Ransel, Lydia Schultz, Luxi Gong, Charlie Rosario, Nicholas Gulich, Kayla Patterson, Miguel Falcon, Kashawn Minus, Wayne Langsdorf, Ashley Rivera, Julia Boyer, Dwight Johnson Jr, Donna Contreas, Rosa Torres, Kristina Rivera, Amber Webb, Fred Mcrae, Teresa Washington

PURCHASES MUST BE MADE IN CASH AND CREDIT CARD ONLY AND PAID FOR AT THE TIME OF SALE. ALL GOODS ARE SOLD AS IS AND MUST BE REMOVED AT THE TIME OF SALE. SALE IS SUBJECT TO ADJOURNMENT PS ORANGE CO. INC.

May 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
MAY 2018 PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

The Upper Macungie Township Planning Commission will hold a public meeting on **Wednesday, May 16, 2018, at 7:00 P.M.** at the Township Building, 8330 Schantz Road, one mile west of Route 100, Breinigsville, PA., to review and make recommendations on the following:

#2250 Iron Run Beverage, Building Expansion, Land Development Plan, Preliminary/Final Plan, the project proposes a 5,000-square foot expansion of the existing commercial facility. The site is located 7525 W. Tilghman Street and is situated within the NC - Neighborhood Commercial Zoning District;

Proposed Subdivision and Land Development Review:
Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance (SALDO) Revisions; including updates to various sections for clarifications and to remove inconsistencies, corrections to grammatical errors, adjustments to sections with frequently used waivers, and updates to the Township Infrastructure Construction Standards.

Planning Commission Workshop May 14, 2018 at 7:00 PM

And any and all matters that may come before the Commission.

Makala Ashmar, Secretary

May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
BOROUGH OF MACUNGIE
BID NOTICE

The Borough of Macungie will be accepting electronic bids on www.municipalbid.com for the sale of the following vehicles and equipment:

1994 Chevy 2500 Pick-Up Truck

Bidding opens: Saturday, May 19, 2018, at 12:00 PM, Eastern Time
Bidding closes: Wednesday, May 30, 2018, at 12:00 PM, Eastern Time

2008 Backhoe

Bidding opens: Saturday, May 19, 2018, at 12:00 PM, Eastern Time
Bidding closes: Wednesday, May 30, 2018, at 12:15 PM, Eastern Time

1990 Leaf Machine

Bidding opens: Saturday, May 19, 2018, at 12:00 PM, Eastern Time
Bidding closes: Wednesday, May 30, 2018, at 12:30 PM, Eastern Time

Detailed specifications of vehicles and minimum bid requirements can be viewed at www.municipalbid.com. All bids must be submitted in accordance with the rules set forth by Municipibid and the Borough of Macungie. Winning bid pending approval by Macungie Borough Council at their June 4, 2018 Council meeting. The successful bidder will be responsible for all costs associated with vehicle removal, title transfer and registration. Payment must be made in person in full at time of pickup, which shall be no later than ten (10) working days from the time and date of the Notice of Award. The Borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any minor informalities.

May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID
LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PA

Lower Macungie Township, Lehigh County, will receive sealed bids for the bridge superstructure replacement for a single-span bridge on Millrace Road. Work includes replacement and modification of steel and concrete portions of this bridge. Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM (prevailing time) on May 22, 2018 at the Township Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062, after which time they will be opened and read aloud publicly. All bids should be sealed, marked and addressed as follows: **LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA 18062. PROPOSAL FOR 2018 Millrace Road Bridge Superstructure Replacement Project**

Copies of the Specifications/Bid Forms may be examined and obtained at the office of Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc., 6235 Hamilton Boulevard, Wescosville, PA 18106, upon request and non-refundable deposit of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) per set. Each bid must be accompanied by bid security made payable to Lower 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 Paragraph 5.1 of the General Conditions. The successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds each in the amount equal to the contract price and meeting the requirements of Paragraph 5.1 of the General Conditions. Bids will only be accepted by bonafide bidders as outlined in the specifications. 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. Lower Macungie Township reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject, any or all Bids. No bid will be accepted if obtained from sources other than the issuing office noted above.

Lower Macungie Township
Renea Flexer, Assistant Township Manager/Secretary

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to state law, the following is a list of occupants from the **AIRPORT ROAD SELF STORAGE INC., 7249 Airport Road, Bath, PA 18014**, who will have the contents of their respective space sold to satisfy the owner's lien.

Richard Jefferson - Space 425
Allison Steigerwalt - Space 434
Tom Fong - Spaces 1281, 1283

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Kevin F. Beltzner a/k/a Kevin Beltzner, late of North Whitehall Twp., Lehigh County, PA. 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 payment without delay to: **Jeffrey Beltzner**, Administrator, 1515 Sage St., Allentown, PA 18103
May 9, 16, 23

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF DONALD L. BERGSTRESSER, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County Pennsylvania. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to Jennifer K. Bergstresser, Executrix at 36 S. 11th Street, Allentown, PA 18102.
April 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE OF DONALD L. BERGSTRESSER, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County Pennsylvania. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to Jennifer K. Bergstresser, Executrix at 36 S. 11th Street, Allentown, PA 18102.
April 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Effective July 1, 2018 the Colonial Regional Police Department will terminate police services to the Borough of Bath. Pursuant to an Amended Articles of Agreement Lower Nazareth Township and Hanover Township will remain members of the Colonial Regional Police Commission. Following is a schedule of the Public meetings of the reorganized Colonial Regional Police Commission for the remainder of 2018. All meetings are held on Monday evenings at 7:00 pm at the Colonial Regional Police Department Headquarters located at 248 Brodhead Rd. Bethlehem, Pa, unless otherwise announced. May 21, June 25, July 23, August 27, September 24, October 22, November 19, December 17.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
MEETING NOTICE

The Civil Service Commission of the Borough of Emmaus will meet on Thursday, May 31, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Room at Emmaus Borough Hall, 28 S. Fourth St., Emmaus, PA for the purpose of conducting regular business related to the Commission.

Darryl Wentz, Chairman
Civil Service Commission

May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of Marilyn Kachelries, Deceased. Late of Emmaus Borough, Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 10/14/17. Letters Testamentary on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to **Karen K. Popovich, Executrix**, 24 Mackenzie Ln., Coto De Caza, CA 92679. Or to her Atty.: Colin J. Devlin, Fendrick & Morgan LLC, 1307 White Horse Rd., B200, Voorhees, NJ 08043.
May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of ROBERT A. BUCHHAUPT, 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: **CAROLYN STUTZ, Executrix** c/o WILLIAM P. LEESON, ESQUIRE 70 East Broad Street, P.O. Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426
May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
MEETING NOTICE

The Regular Board Meeting of the Lehigh County Housing Authority will be held on Wednesday, May 16, 2018 at 12:00 pm at East Penn II, 643 Broad Street, Emmaus, PA 18049.

Please contact Ms. Feiertag if there are any questions at: (610) 965-4514 Ext. 212.
Christina Feiertag, Deputy Executive Director
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Public Hearings will be held by the Lower Macungie Township Board of Commissioners on May 21, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. and May 30, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the Lower Macungie Township Municipal Building, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA, to hear the Conditional Use Application of Vertek Construction Management, LLC, 7171 Airport Road Suite 200, Bath, PA, who is seeking approval of a Conditional Use for the Schoenck Road Lot 1 project, pursuant to Section 27-1203.N of the Codified Ordinances in effect at the time of application on September 19, 2016, to permit a warehouse at the property located at 3262 Schoenck Road, Macungie, PA 18062; PIN 546397842621-1. Said property is located in the I-Industrial District. All interested parties are invited to attend this hearing. A public hearing is required pursuant to Section §27-2403 of the Codified Ordinances.

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

Lower Macungie Township
Board of Commissioners

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Hearing Board of Lower Macungie Township will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Municipal Campus, 3400 Brookside Road, Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062-1428.

Appeal No. 10-2018 of Juan and Melanie Martinez dba Don Juan Mexican Grill and JM Cristo, LLC. 179 Shiloh Ct. Whitehall, PA. 18052. Property located at 1905 Brookside Rd. in an S-Suburban Residential Zoning Districts. Tax Parcel No. 547590304141001. Applicants are requesting Zoning relief to Ordinance 1998-11, Chapter 27, Part 25, Section 27-2503 2. A. and a Variance to Section 27-2503 B. (3) (a) regarding the expansion of a non-conforming use for the existing restaurant for the proposed outdoor patio area and any other relief that may be required by the Lower Macungie Township Zoning Ordinance.

All applicants must appear at the hearing. Any interested persons are invited to appear before the Board at 7:00 p.m.

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

Carl L. Best, Zoning Officer

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of Ruby R. Conrad aka Ruby Conrad, deceased, late of Alburtis, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: **Thomas L. Mohr aka Thomas Lee Mohr, 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

May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of THOMAS HADESTY a/k/a THOMAS H. HADESTY, Deceased, late of 5020 Scheidys Road, Schnecksyville, 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: Patricia Hadeisty** Address: 5020 Scheidys Road Schnecksyville, PA 18078
or to his Attorney: **Joshua D. Shulman, Esquire** SHULMAN & SHABBIK 1935 Center Street Northampton, PA 18067

May 9, 16, 23

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.

LIEBERMAN, MARY E., Late of the Township of Lehigh, Lehigh County, PA.
GARY V. LIEBERMAN, 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
May 2, 9, 16

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 May 16 2018 at 7:30 pm in the North Whitehall Township Building, 3256 Levans Rd. Coplay PA 18037

Zoning Appeal 2018-01. Megan & Mark Saraceno, 4507 Scheidys Road, Coplay, PA 18037 are requesting a variance of The NWT Zoning Ordinance section 306 B, Approved uses in a residential district. The applicant is requesting to utilize a detached garage storage area as a second residence on the property. The property is located at 4500 Scheidys Road, Coplay PA 18037 and is Zoned Agricultural Residential Tax parcel # 5580 0000 4318
Jeff Bartlett, NWT Zoning Officer

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of ROBERT C. LOWMAN, JR., Deceased, late of the Borough of Emmaus, 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: **CHRISTINE A. RAU, Administrator** c/o her attorney: **JOHN M. ASHCRAFT, II, ESQUIRE** Address: 20 North 5th Street, Suite #1 Emmaus, PA 18049-2406
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Hearing/Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Lynn Township Zoning Hearing Board will conduct a public hearing/meeting at the Lynn Township Municipal Building, 7911 Kings Highway, Lynnport, PA 18066 on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. to hear the following appeal(s):

Appeal #518, Case #18-02

Jeffrey Ranz, et al (applicant & owner) are applying for an interpretation of Lynn Township Zoning Ordinance §27-605.2 regarding non-conforming structures, or in the alternative a variance of the Lynn Township Zoning Ordinance §27-309.4, regarding front yard setback, and any other applicable zoning relief, to allow conversion of the existing accessory structure (barn), to a single family use. The parcel number(s) is 540971549499; property location is 8260 Allemaengel Road, New Tripoli, PA 18066 and is in the AP-Agricultural Preservation Zoning District.

Christopher Noll, Zoning Officer

May 2, 9

ESTATE NOTICE
Estate of Jonathan L. Hanchick, dec'd. late of the Township of Bethlehem, County of Northampton, Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that 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 **Michael J. Hanchick and Brianna J. Braig**, c/o Erv D. McLain, Esquire, 559 Main Street, Suite 214, Bethlehem, PA 18018.
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of STEPHEN M. MACIOLEK, II, late of the Township of Upper Macungie, County of Lehigh and State of Pennsylvania, deceased. WHEREAS, Letters of Administration in the above-named estate have been granted to **Kristine Maciolek Small, Administratrix** of the Estate of Stephen M. Maciolek, II. 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: **Kristine Maciolek Small** c/o Scott R. Steirer, Esquire 124 Belvidere Street Nazareth, Pennsylvania 18064
Scott R. Steirer, Esquire
Pierce & Steirer, LLC
124 Belvidere Street
Nazareth, Pennsylvania 18064
Attorneys for the Estate
I.D. No. 306977
May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF INTENT TO REMEDIATE AND REPORT SUBMITTAL

Notice is hereby given that Ranson Fuel (Ranson) has submitted a Notice of Intent to Remediate and Final Report to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, Northeast Regional Office, to demonstrate attainment of the Residential Statewide Health Standards for a site located at 1084 Hillview Drive, Lower Macungie Township, Lehigh County, PA. Ranson has indicated that the remediation measures taken will attain compliance with the Residential Statewide Health Standards for soil established under the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act.

This notice is made under the provision of the Land Recycling and Environmental Remediation Standards Act, the Act of May 19, 1995, P.L. #4, No. 2.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Township of Whitehall is soliciting Sealed Proposals for:
RFP No. 18-16 "Equipment for 2018 Police Vehicles"

Sealed Proposals will be accepted on or before, Wednesday, May 16, 2018, 3:00 p.m. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud, Thursday, May 17, 2018, 3:30 p.m. at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building.

Contract Documents can be obtained at the Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, fax request to (610) 437-6963 or via our website at: www.whitehalltownship.org

MARY ANN MILLER, CPPO
Purchasing Agent

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Township of Whitehall is soliciting Sealed Proposals for:
RFP No. 18-13 "Installation of Tahoe Light and Audio Package on a 2018 - Chevrolet Tahoe 4WD Commercial CK15706"

Sealed Proposals will be accepted on or before, Wednesday, May 23, 2018, 3:00 p.m. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud, Thursday, May 24, 2018, 3:00 p.m. at the Whitehall Township Municipal Building.

Contract Documents can be obtained at the Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, fax request to (610) 437-6963 or via our website at: www.whitehalltownship.org

MARY ANN MILLER, CPPO
Purchasing Agent

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF MEETING

The Whitehall Township Planning Commission has scheduled their meeting for May 16, 2018 at 7:30 PM in the Public Meeting Room of the **Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA** to discuss the following:

A) SUBMISSION REVIEW
1. INDEX #1913-18 - 1942 SCHATZ AVE
1942 Schadt Ave
Minor Subdivision2. INDEX #1914-18 - ATANOS MANAGEMENT LLC
2138 S. Lehigh Ave.
Minor Subdivision - Denial3. INDEX #1915-18 - ARLINGTON CEMETERY
3101 MacArthur Road
Minor Subdivision - Sketch Plan

B) DISCUSSION ITEMS

C) OTHER: Approval of 4/18/18 Meeting Minutes

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

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

Applicants and all interested parties MUST appear at this meeting to be considered.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Whitehall Township Board of Commissioners will hold a regular Public Meeting on Monday, May 14th, 2018 at 7:00 p.m., in the Public Meeting Room of the Whitehall Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA, to discuss and take action on the following legislation:

BILL NO. 13-2018

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING RIGHT AND AUTHORITY FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL AND THE WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP BUREAU OF FIRE TO SEEK REIMBURSEMENT FOR ACTUAL AND REASONABLE RESPONSE COSTS RELATED TO EMERGENCY SERVICES PROVIDED AND EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT UTILIZED IN AN EMERGENCY; PROVIDING FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL AND THE WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP BUREAU OF FIRE TO UTILIZE THIRD PARTY BILLING SERVICES IN SEEKING REIMBURSEMENT FOR SAID COSTS; PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF PARTS OF THIS ORDINANCE DEEMED TO BE INVALID; REPEALING ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. - J. Jackson Eaton, Solicitor

BILL NO. 14-2018

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PRO-FOR PERFORMANCE OF MICROSURFACING TYPE A SINGLE APPLICATION FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS BUREAU OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL, BID 2018-14 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 OF THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE (PUBLIC WORKS) - J. Jackson Eaton, Solicitor

RESOLUTION NO. 3012

TITLE: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF SPECIFIC TOWNSHIP RECORDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP'S RECORD RETENTION AND DISPOSAL SCHEDULE (POLICE)

RESOLUTION NO. 3013

TITLE: A RESOLUTION ALLOWING FOR PRICE ADJUSTMENT OF BITUMINOUS MATERIALS FOR SMALL QUANTITIES. (PUBLIC WORKS)

RESOLUTION NO. 3014

TITLE: A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GREENWAYS TRAILS AND RECREATION PROGRAM TO ENHANCE THE NEW SECTION OF THE JORDAN CREEK GREENWAY AND TRAIL.

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

May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of South Whitehall Township will conduct a public hearing on **WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 2018 at 7:30 p.m.**, in the South Whitehall Township Municipal Building located at 4444 Walbert Ave, Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, for the following zoning appeals:

ZHB-2018-02: The appeal of **Richard M. Wisser and Linda A. Wisser, Co-Trustees of Wisser Family Trust and David A. Wisser**, located on the West Side of Pope Road, to address a Code Enforcement notice of truck-trailer parking. The Appellant is seeking to establish a Lawful Pre-Existing Use of "Outdoor Storage" for trailers to be parked on site as permitted by lawful nonconformity in accordance with Section 350-47 and 350-48(o)(8), or by Section 350-23, Special Exception. The parcel is zoned Industrial-Commercial, Special Height Limitation (IC-1) and Outdoor Storage is a permitted use. Tax I.D. Parcel No. 547734622617.

ZHB-2018-03: The appeal of **Steven Camp of Allentown (Walbert Ave) DG, LLC**, located at approximately 2040 Walbert Avenue, to construct a Dollar General Store. The Appellant is seeking dimensional variances from the following sections: 350-24(c)(9) - Reduced front building setbacks from 35 feet to 0 feet from the existing Ultimate Right of Way Line; 350-42(i)(3)(A) - Reduce Township Ultimate Right of Way from 50 feet from centerline to 25 feet; 350-42(b)(1) - Reduce buffer strip width from 15 feet to a minimum of 12 feet along rear property line; 350-48(o)(2) - Reduce front, rear, and side parking setbacks from 50 feet, 50 feet, and 50 feet, to 5 feet, 12 feet, and 15 feet. The parcel is zoned Neighborhood Commercial (NC) and retail stores under 10,000 gross square feet are a permitted use. Tax I.D. Parcel No. 549705045134 and No. 549705249213.

ZHB-2018-04: The appeal of **Trans Edge Truck Centers/Dwyer Holdings Inc.** located at 1407 Bulldog Drive, wishing to add additional signage to an existing free standing sign. The Appellant is seeking a Variance from Section 350-48(s)(10)(x)(a) for "Additional On-Premise Signs for Establishments Separated by Setbacks" to add to an existing sign exceeding one hundred square feet. The parcel is zoned Highway Commercial (HC) and signs are a permitted use. Tax I.D. Parcel No. 547751655884.

ZHB-2018-05: The appeal of **Dorney Park, LLC/Millennium Operations, LLC 1/a and d/b/a Dorney Park & Wildwater Kingdom** located at 3830 Dorney Park Road, is proposing to erect Accessory Dwelling Units for Employees (Dormitory) located within the park. The Appellant is seeking a Special Exception from Section 350-41(d), and a Special Exception from Section 350-48 (a)(3)(C) for "Accessory Dwelling Unit, Employee." The parcel is zoned Commercial Recreation (CR) and Accessory Dwelling Units are a Special Exception Use. Tax I.D. Parcel No. 548621956832.

The above-referenced property is located in South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, PA. Copies of any plans, applications, and/or supporting documents that were submitted can be available for public inspection at the Township Building during normal business hours where they may be examined without charge, or obtained for a charge not greater than the cost thereof (it is recommended that appointments be made in advance). All appellants, or their representative with legal standing, must attend. All objectors and interested parties are invited to attend and will have the opportunity to be heard.

Laura M. Harrier, Zoning Officer

May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Allison Dorney, Deceased, Late of Fountain Hill, County of Lehigh. 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 payment without delay to: **Ryan Dorney, Administrator**, 623 Diehl Ave Fountain Hill, PA 18015.
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Name Registration

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania February 01, 2018 for **MARIO'S CONSTRUCTION** at 260 S. Levan St., Apt. C, Allentown, PA 18102. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Mario Elizalde at 260 S. Levan St., Apt. C, Allentown, PA 18102. This was filed in accordance with 54 Pa.C.S. 311.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Name Registration

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania February 14, 2018 for **TRINKLE'S LANDSCAPING** at 6215 Hoffman Ln., Coopersburg, PA 18036. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Christopher Trinkle at 6215 Hoffman Ln., Coopersburg, PA 18036. This was filed in accordance with 54 Pa.C.S. 311.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Name Registration

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania March 22, 2018 for **CS Film Productions** at 4485 Canterbury Drive, Emmaus, PA 18049. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Timothy Richard Croy at 4485 Canterbury Drive, Emmaus, PA 18049. This was filed in accordance with 54 Pa.C.S. 311.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of Nicholas Natysyn, 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:
Beverly Evans, a/k/a Beverly Natysyn Evans
c/o John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire
537 Chestnut Street
Emmaus, PA 18049
Or to her attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire
537 Chestnut Street
Emmaus, PA 18049

May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of DONALD JAFFE, Deceased, late of 962 Donald Drive, Emmaus, Lehigh County, PA 18049.

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

Personal Representative of the Estate of Donald Jaffe, Deceased:
Rodger S. Jaffe
c/o James A Ritter, Esquire
Gross McGinley, LLP
111 E. Harrison St., Suite 2
Emmaus, PA 18049-2916
or to his Attorney: James A. Ritter, Esquire
Gross McGinley, LLP
111 E. Harrison St., Ste. 2
Emmaus, PA 18049-2916

May 9, 16, 23

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Pauline Janny, late of Allentown, 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 **Alfonz J. Szoldatits, Jr.**, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or his Attorney, David M. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102.
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of Kay B. Baillet, 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 **Jennifer L. Bechtel**, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or her Attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102.
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Charlain A. Bartholomew, late of Allentown, 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 **Jennifer L. Bechtel**, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102 or her Attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102.
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

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PUBLIC NOTICE
SALISBURY TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MAY 24, 2018
7:00 pm
CONDITIONAL USE HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Conditional Use Hearing will be held by the Salisbury Township Board of Commissioners on Thursday, May 24, 2018 starting at 7:30 PM in the Municipal Building, 2900 South Pike Avenue to review Appeal No. CU-18-11097. Mr. Rick Seery of Keystone Novelties Distributors, LLC d/b/a Keystone Novelties Distributors, LLC requests permission for temporary Fireworks Sales at the South Mall which requires Conditional Use Review pursuant to Section 807.3 of the Zoning Ordinance. The lot is located at 3300 Lehigh Street in a C-3 General Commercial Zone.
May 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF CATASAUQUA ZONING HEARING #4-18 MAY 22, 2017
The Catasauqua Zoning Hearing Board will hear the following appeal on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 at 7:30 PM in the Municipal Complex, 90 Bridge Street Catasauqua, PA 18032.

Approval of the minutes of the March 20, 2018 meeting.
APPEAL #2-18: The Appeal of Brian Kroope, 623 Howertown Road, Catasauqua, PA 18032. Mr. Kroope is appealing from a Zoning Enforcement Notice issued by the Zoning Officer, contending that the property does not constitute a "junk yard". In the alternative the Appellant claims the use is a reasonable expansion of the authorized non-conforming use of the property. The property is located in an R-2 Medium Density Residential Zoning District.

This Hearing is rescheduled from April 17, 2018.
Any other business that comes before the Board.
Applicants must be present for their hearing. Parties interested in a scheduled hearing may review the application and supporting documents at the municipal building during regular business hours.
May 2, 9

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 to the person named. All persons having claims or demands against the Estate are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Estate are requested to make payment, without delay, to the Executor, or her attorney named below.

Marlene J. Hohe, Deceased
Late of Emmaus

Executor: Robin R. Hohe c/o
Norman E. Blatt, Jr., Esq.
1218 Delaware Avenue
Bethlehem, PA 18015.

Attorney: Norman E. Blatt, Jr., Esq.
1218 Delaware Avenue
Bethlehem, PA 18015
May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

In re: **ESTATE OF ROSE B. PARRY**, late of Pen Argyl, Pennsylvania, 03/15/2018. Letters in the above Estate having been granted, all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent shall make them known and present them, and all persons indebted to the said Decedent shall make payment thereof, without delay, to **Ricky E. Behler**, Personal Representative, or Joseph S. Toczydlowski, Jr., Esquire of the Toczydlowski Law Office; 392 Main Street, Archbald, PA 18403.

Joseph S. Toczydlowski, Jr.
Attorney for the Estate
Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of DOMENIC N. SALVADGE, late of Allentown, 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: LOUISE A. RHEINER
c/o James R. Wishchuk, JD
2310 Walbert Avenue, Suite 103
Allentown, PA 18104-1360
or to her Attorney: James R. Wishchuk, JD
2310 Walbert Ave., Suite 103
Allentown, PA 18104-1360

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of CHARLES A. HETTINGER, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, PA, Letters of Administration C.T.A. 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:

ISAIAH HETTINGER, ADMINISTRATOR
C/O CHARLES W. STOPP, ESQUIRE
STECKEL AND STOPP
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON, PA 18080

May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of ROSE H. WILLIAMS, deceased, late of Whitehall, Lehigh County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

LISA M. MADERIC, EXECUTRIX
c/o STEPHEN A. STRACK, ESQUIRE
STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON, PA 18080

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of CHARLES R. SHAFER, 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:

MELISSA JO SHAFER
C/O CHARLES A. WATERS, ESQUIRE
STECKEL AND STOPP
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON, PA 18080

May 2, 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of WILLARD J. BEERS, deceased, late of Walnutport, Northampton County, PA, Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to:

ANNETTE M. STETTLER
ROBYN L. BEERS
CHRISTINE L. PLAXA
c/o CHARLES W. STOPP, ESQUIRE
STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC
125 S. WALNUT STREET, SUITE 210
SLATINGTON, PA 18080

May 9, 16, 23

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of BARBARA A. FRANCLIK, 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:

Executor: COLLEEN C. FRANCLIK
c/o Jon A. Swartz, Esquire
7736 Main St., Fogelsville, PA 18051
Attorney: Jon A. Swartz, Esquire
7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051

May 2, 9, 16

60 SPECIAL
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PUBLIC NOTICE
ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
SALISBURY TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY, PA

The Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council will be meeting on Wednesday, May 16, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. in the Municipal Bldg., 2900 South Pike Ave., Allentown, PA 18103.

May 9

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YOU SOMEWHERE, I'D SAY YOU'VE
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Estate of **MARGARET A. KALNAS**, deceased, of the Township of Whitehall, County of Lehigh, PA. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the above Estate were granted to **JULIE KALNAS, Executrix**, on April 6, 2018. All persons indebted to the Estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claim or demand are to present the same without delay to **JULIE KALNAS**, in care of GREGORY R. REED, Attorney-at-Law, 141 South Broad Street, P.O.Box 299, Nazareth, PA 18064-0299.
May 9, 16, 23

PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF KAREN F. JOHNSON, deceased, late of Lowhill Township, 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:

Eric Johnson, Executor
Address: c/o Bruce W. Weida, Esq.
245 Main Street
Emmaus, PA 18049

or to his Attorney: Bruce W. Weida, Esq.
245 Main Street
Emmaus, PA 18049

Apr. 25, May 2, 9

PUBLIC NOTICE
BIDS WANTED

UPPER MILFORD TOWNSHIP
Notice to Bidders: Sealed proposals will be received by the Township of Upper Milford, Lehigh County, PA, at 5671 Chestnut St., PO Box 210, Old Zionsville, PA 18068, until 1:00 P.M. and opened at 1:00 P.M. on May 28th, 2018.
General Description: Approximately 72,000 sq. yd. of Single Application Bituminous Sealcoat in place; approximately 15,500 sq. yd. Second Application of Sealcoat in place. Approximately 14,000 sq. yd. Ultra-Thin Bonded Wearing Course road surfacing w/joint notches/crack seal (bidders may bid one or all).

Bidders must be PennDOT pre-qualified as Prime Contractor. Work to be done as directed by Upper Milford Township.

Bid Submission: Proposals must be upon forms furnished by the municipality including a non-collusion affidavit.

Bonding: The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the bid, made payable to the municipality. Bidders must clearly mark and identify bidding documents.

Rejection of Bids: The municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposal forms and specifications may be obtained at the Township Building during normal business hours Monday - Friday, 8 am until 4 pm.

Upper Milford Township
Edward Carter, Assistant Manager
5671 Chestnut St., PO Box 210
Old Zionsville, PA 18068
Phone: (610) 966-3223

May 9, 16

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP BUILDING
CODE BOARD OF APPEALS

A Public Meeting of the Whitehall Township Building Code Board of Appeals will be held on **Wednesday, May 16, 2018, at 9:00 a.m.**, in the Caucus Room of the Municipal Building, at 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, regarding the appeal of Donald B. Steffy, Nuss Enterprises, Inc. for the vacant lot, 4601 Quarry Street, PIN 548917042351, located on the west side of Quarry Street, Whitehall, PA 18052.

Any persons interested in this matter are encouraged to attend.

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 Lee Rackus prior to the scheduled meeting to arrange for the necessary assistance.
May 9

PUBLIC NOTICE

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization for a Domestic Limited Liability Company has been filed with the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, pursuant to the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Act of December 7, 1994 (P.L. 703, No. 106), by the following company

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STAIRMASTER Exercise Equip. \$250; Stationary Bike \$20; New King Size Bed \$750; Kubota Farm Tractor w/blade, backhoe & sprayer \$4000; Shop Smith Marks 5 \$750; Based unfinished pine cabinets \$120; 2 ft. x 8 ft. heavy work tables \$40. Upright working freezer \$50. 610-966-2582

110 COMING EVENTS

EMMAUS Servant/Goods Auction Fundraiser. May 19, 2018, 1-3pm. Doors open at 12noon. St. Matthew's EC Church, 5th & Ridge Sts. Fellowship Hall.

130 ARTS, CRAFTS & GIFTS

Crafters Needed for Wheels of Faith Craft Fair & Car Show Aug. 18th. Faith Lutheran Church, Whitehall 484-863-4994

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220 ARTICLES WANTED

OLD BOOKS, OLD TOYS, FURNITURE, GLASSWARE, etc Call Linda 610-837-0960

310 PETS & PET SUPPLIES

LOW COST Vaccination Clinic for Dogs & Cats. Sat. May 12, 11-2 at Phillips Pet Supply Outlet, Rt. 512 in Bath. Rabies & distemper. Bordetella vaccination. Nail trims. Dogs must have leashes & cats in carrier. Cash or check only. 610-398-7111 or 610-837-6061

345 YARD SALES

ROLLING MEADOWS Neighborhood Garage & Yard Sales. Fri. May 18 & Sat. May 19, 8-2 Childrens toys & clothing, baby items, collectibles, HH items. Too many items to list! Directions: W. on Hamilton Blvd. Left on Crocks Rd. Left on Lower Macungie Rd. Right on Bogie, right on Creekwood.

SCHNECKSVILLE, 3039 Bellview Rd. Sat. May 13, 8-3.

390 HELP WANTED

Brewery Production FT & PT positions in Fogelsville, 2nd & 3rd shifts. \$12/hr. No exp. necessary! Contact HTSS: 610-432-4161 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com.

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390 HELP WANTED

Forklift Operator: FT positions in Fogelsville. 7pm to 7am. Pay starts at \$18.00/hr. Cand. Must have min. of 2 yrs. sit down FL exp. Contact Arlyce at HTSS: 610-432-4161 ext. 33 to schedule an apt.

GOLF BAG ROOM, Seasonal Part-time. Lehigh Country Club. Call Terry Benner 610-433-4793

HOUSECLEANING Service in need of reliable person for PT, Daytime, flex. hrs. M-F. Serious inquiries only. 484-951-5269

Income-Expense Coordinator -Part time position, 6-8 hrs /wk, accounting /bookkeeping exp, exp using accounting software /PowerChurch a plus, excellent communication skills, able to maintain confidentiality, willing to complete background check. Send resume to Jordan Lutheran Church, 5103 Snowdrift Rd, Orefield 18069 or jordanlutheran@ptd.net

Machine Operator FT positions avail. 1pm-9:30pm. Mon.-Fri. Pay based on exp. Must have good work history. Call Arlyce at HTSS 610-432-4161 ext. 33 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

Packers FT pos. in Easton. No exp. req. \$10/hr. 1st shift. ASAP start. Contact HTSS: 610-432-4161 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

Part-Time Community Center Attendant

This position is for 10-20 hours per week. 2 evenings per week 2:45pm-9:00pm or 2:45pm-11:00pm, alternate Saturdays and/or Sundays 4 to 8 hours between the hours of 7:45am-11:15pm (two individuals will be splitting the weekend hours). Position will be to monitor gym & room rentals & assist with room set up for rentals. No experience necessary; should have good communications skills & be well groomed to work in the public eye. Position pays \$10.00 per hour. Please apply at Lower Macungie Community Center, 3450 Brookside Road, Macungie, PA. Monday - Friday between 8am-4:30pm.

Part-Time Forklift: Saturday's only. 2nd & 3rd shifts avail. \$14/hr Exp. req. Breinigsville. at HTSS at 610-432-4161 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com.

PT Communications Specialist position available immediately. Candidate must be proficient in use of a variety of software packages related to publishing. Responsibilities include creating the church's communications (written and electronic). Associate's degree in a related field or equivalent experience is preferred. Submit letter of interest, resume, and completed application (available at www.hopecherryville.org) to Hope Lutheran Church, 4131 Lehigh Drive, Cherryville, PA 18035. Deadline for applications is May 14, 2018.

PT Sexton position available at Hope Lutheran Church, Cherryville, PA. Duties include: cleaning and minor maintenance of church facilities. Approx. 25 hr./wk. Candidates must be self-motivated with effective communication skills and ability to work independently. Background clearances required for employment. Application available at www.hopecherryville.org or at the church office, 4131 Lehigh Dr., Cherryville. Submit application and letter of interest by 5/14/2018.

Sit-Down Forklift National Brewery is hiring FT sit-down FL Operators. All shifts! \$14/hr. Temp to hire. Call Chelsea at HTSS: 610-432-4161 ext. 24 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

Summer Jobs Available: FT and PT available on all shifts in Breinigsville. General production/warehouse work. \$12/hr. Great for college students! Contact HTSS: 610-432-4161 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

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Weekend Brewery Production 1st, 2nd & 3rd shifts available. Breinigsville area. \$12/hr. Start immediately! Contact Kristy at HTSS 610-432-4161 or apply online at www.htss-inc.com

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