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COVID-19

Mayor: 'Safety a top priority'

Bethlehem Mayor Bob Donchez has announced the Bethlehem Health Bureau and local technology startup UBMe have formed a partnership to streamline the **COVID-19** vaccination procedure for local

residents. "With the distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine, it is imperative now,

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more than ever, that safety is a top priority throughout the vaccination process, from start to finish,' Donchez said

With a COVID-19 vaccine ready for use all across the country, the most challenging aspect is the actual distribution process. The challenge lies with vaccinating a large number of people while keeping the same parameters in place to avoid the spread of COVID-19. After much consideration of how to safely and efficiently vaccinate as many people as possible, it was decided that UBMe and the Bethlehem Health Bureau was the ideal partnership.

UBMe's technology begins with online scheduling, and a downloadable smartphone application walks residents through their appointment and allows an immediate alert if any symptoms are felt before the user leaves. People must wait 15 minutes after receiving a vaccination before departing to ensure they don't feel symptoms.

"We are working to mitigate this pandemic as quickly as possible. By utilizing the UBMe technology to assist the Health Bureau in scheduling, distributing and monitoring vaccine recipients, we are efficiently and effectively vaccinating the priority See MAYOR on Page A2



PRESS PHOTO BY TAMI QUIGLEY

Jennie Gilrain, member of the Lehigh Valley Audubon Society (LVAS), points to the now separated chimney of the Masonic Temple, South Bethlehem, on a Jan. 11 visit to the site. The chimney is the urban roost of thousands of chimney swifts during their fall migration.

Answering the SOS

That's Save Our Swifts, Wyandotte St. migratory visitors

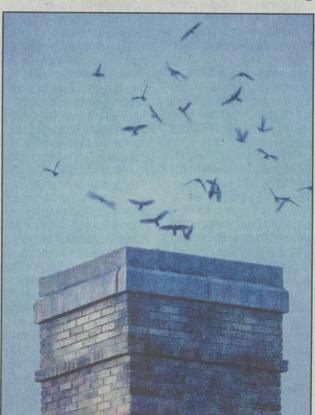
BY TAMI QUIGLEY Special to the Bethlehem Press

Good St. Nick isn't the only one to make good use of chimneys in The Christmas City, as the large chimney of the Masonic Temple houses thousands of chimney swifts each fall migration season.

With the Masonic Temple currently under demolition as part of a redevelopment project, the community is moving swiftly to save the birds, which are in sharp decline, by saving their urban habitat at 202 Wyandotte St. in

South Bethlehem. 'A group of citizens from all walks of life is joining forces" to save the birds, said Jennie Gilrain, member of the Lehigh Valley Audubon Society (LVAS).

Gilrain first spotted the small gray birds whirling through the air two years ago, and



PRESS PHOTO BY LARRY SNYDER

Chimney swifts in flight above the chimney of the Masonic Temple.

she and her husband. Mark McKenna, tracked them to the chimney of the Masonic Temple. the seat of their comings and goings. The Masonic Temple was built in 1925.

Developer and property owner John Noble is committed to saving the birds. Two options are under consideration: reinforce the existing 40-foot-high, 5-foot square chimney as a stand-alone structure; or build a duplicate replacement, freestanding structure on site. The goal is to have the work completed by spring

migration in April. Gilrain said Noble has agreed to save the chimney while demolishing the building around it to save the birds. On a recent visit to the demolition site, Gilrain saw the chimney still standing.

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PEOPLE SAY BY DANA GRUBB

Once again it's Girl Scout cookie time. Which are your

favorites?



"I haven't had them in a long time, but I seem to recall a peanut butter one covered with chocolate."

Yana Edelman-Barber Bethlehem



"The chocolate peanut butter patties. The thin mints are good too, but that's all I have to say about that." **Thomas Zellers**

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LVHN expands COVID-19 vaccine availablitiv

LVHN is administering the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines. While patients will not be able to choose which vaccine they will receive, both have been prov-

en safe and

effective.

Lehigh Valley Health Network (LVHN) is furthering its partnership with first responders by offering first responders the COVID-19 vaccine. LVHN follows the Pennsylvania Department of Health's phased approach to vaccination.

First Responders in Phase 1B as outlined by the Pennsylvania Department of Health:

- Law enforcement
- Fire/rescue personnel
- PA National Guard responders not included otherwise in Phase 1a
- Older Adult Protective Services, Adult Protective Services, Child Protective Services First responders can take these
- vaccine appointment. • Step 1: Sign up for MyLVHN -Those who are eligible to receive a vaccine based on the criteria above can schedule a COVID-19 vaccine. The first step is to create a MyLVHN account. Everyone

steps to schedule their COVID-19

with a MyLVHN account will automatically be preregistered for a vaccine. MyLVHN is a free, secure, easy-to-use patient portal that connects you with your personal health information. You do not need to be a current patient of LVHN, LVPG or Coordinated Health to open a MyLVHN account. Learn more at LVHN.org/

 Step 2: Identify as an essential worker – Once you've logged into MyLVHN, click on the menu button and select "COVID-19 Essential Worker Questionnaire." You'll be prompted to answer a few questions and click submit

when finished. • Step 3: Once you complete the form, you will be notified within TWO HOURS or less when you can schedule the date and location of your vaccination in MyLVHN.

Your appointment guarantees you will receive a vaccine. You

can choose to receive a vaccination at any of these locations: Lehigh Valley Hospital (LVH)-Cedar Crest, LVH-Muhlenberg, LVH-Hazleton, LVH-Schuylkill E. Norwe-

gian Street and LVH-Pocono. One also can schedule an appointment by calling 484-884-1767. COVID-19 vaccines are safe and

LVHN is administering the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines. While patients will not be able to choose which vaccine they will receive, both have been proven safe and effective. After providing two months of safety data from ongoing Phase 3 trials, Pfizer and Moderna were granted Emergency Use Authorization by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Data show that Pfizer's COVID-19 vaccine is 95 percent effective in preventing COVID-19, while

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Cold, flu or COVID-19 symptoms?

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LVHN.org/virtualcare



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Once again it's Girl Scout cookie time. Which are your favorites?



"Thin mints, of course!" Kim Rudolph Bethlehem



"The chocolate peanut butter patties." **Justin Christein** Allentown



"Thin mints or caramel delights." Jonathan Zsigovits **Emmaus**



"The peanut butter sandwiches." **Maximo Ortiz** Union Beach, N.J.

INAUGURATION DAY

Send us your photos

Supporters and protesters have been encouraged to stay home for President-elect Joe Biden's inauguration. How are you spending Inauguration Day? Send us your photos and caption information.

In the past, we published photos with captions of Donald Trump supporters and protesters.

You must include your name and contact information

for verification purposes. Photos must be high resolution jpeg images.

Send your images as email attachments and captions to gtaylor@tnonline.com.

We reserve the right to edit responses.

STATE POLICE

Troop M responds to snowstorm

Troopers from the Pennsylvania State Police Troop M, which includes Lehigh, Northampton and Bucks counties, investigated a total of 27 crashes and 154 disabled motorist incidents between 1 p.m. Dec. 16 and 9 a.m. Dec. 17.

Winter Storm Gail blanketed the region in snow Dec. 16 to Dec. 17, leaving 10 inches or more in many areas, as well as drifts of snow due to winds.

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As more people are expected to get vaccinated within the early months of 2021, there will be a greater need to ensure that safety protocols are being followed and executed. UBMe and the Bethlehem Health Bureau are continuing to ensure that the vaccination process is as safe and time-sensitive as possible, to

make the experience smooth and seamless for everyone involved.

UBMe is a start-up technology company based in Bethlehem. Operating in the hyperlocal business-to-consumer industry category, UBMe's proprietary mobile application helps businesses in dense market areas provide targeted and real-time interaction directly and immediately to local residents.

Contributed article

LVHN

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Plan for vaccinating the rest of the commu-

The LVHN plan

for administering COVID-19 vaccines is determined by the Pennsylvania Department of Health's phased approach to vaccination. To learn more about COVID-19 Vaccines, go to LVHN.org/Vaccines. Contributed article

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"The western wall has been ripped away and the steel beams have been cut close to the chimney's edge, she said. "Demolition has been slowed down significantly in order to preserve the chimney, which drives up the cost of equipment rental and

The demolition is now happening on the eastern side of the chimney, and as Noble said Jan. 9, "We are trying to have the chimney standing and the demo going past it this week. Barring bad weather, by Friday it will only have a little steel helping it stand."

According to Noble, the crew was working carefully by hand with chisels, hammers and jackhammers around the eastern edge of the chimney during the first full week of Janu-

"I think the level of care and skill that John and the demolition crew are employing to save the chimney is quite astounding," Gilrain said.

"In the end, if the existing chimney cannot be saved, John Noble has agreed to build a duplicate roosting tower on the property, 60 feet to the north of the original," Gilrain said.

The LVAS has swooped in to help, agreeing to raise money to help with the cost of saving the roost through the Save Our Swifts GoFundMe Charity https://charity. gofundme.com/o/en/ campaign/save-ourswifts. As of Jan. 18, \$6,055 of the \$50,000 goal had been raised by 86 people in 18 days.

According to LVAS President Peter Saenger, "This level of cooperation between developers and conservationists is extremely unusual and highly commendable.'

Gilrain calls it "Miracle on Wyandotte

Saenger is an endowed research ornithologist and collection manager in the bird museum within the Acopian Center for Ornithology of the Department of Biology at Muhlenberg College.

"The fundraising is going well considering the time of year - holidays - and what the world is experiencing at this time. To be at 10 percent of our goal in eight days is encouraging," Saenger said Jan. 9. "We need to reach a broader audience and get the point across just how important this project is to the overall health of our environment.

No funds will be dispersed to the devel-



Jennie Gilrain, center, is joined by developer and property owner John Noble and his wife, Lynn Noble, as they check out the progress made on the chimney. Gilrain said Noble has agreed to save the chimney while demolishing the building around it to save the birds.



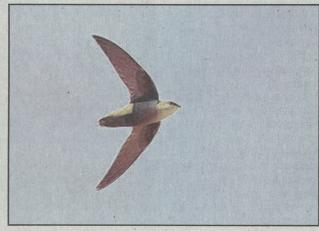
GARY ARMISTEAD PHOTO small gray bird that is at the heart of the fundraising campaign sponsored by LVAS.

oper until the completion of the project. Any funds procured beyond the actual cost of the chimney swift structure will be used to raise awareness, educate the community, document existing roots, advocate for the preservation of chimney habitats, and build new swift towers throughout the City of Bethlehem and the Lehigh Valley.

The charity webpage includes a "Save Our Swifts" promo video Aidan Gilrain-McKenna, who also composed the original music for the video that explains the project and includes comments from Gilrain,

Noble and Saenger. The page features photos by Gilrain's friend Larry Snyder and Scott Burnet, chairperson of the Habitat Committee of LVAS and chimney swift expert, who has built over 100 chimney swift towers in the Lehigh Valley and beyond. Mark McKenna took the cell phone videos of the swifts flying into the chimney.

"Mark helped me



PRESS PHOTO BY SCOTT BURNET

The chimney swift, the A chimney swift takes flight. "The chimney swift is not only a beautiful aerial acrobat, but a welcome insectivore, consuming twice its body weight in bugs each day," Jennie Gilrain says.



PRESS PHOTO BY SCOTT BURNET

created by Gilrain's son, A female chimney swift inside a nesting tower built by Scott Burnet, chairperson of the Habitat Committee of LVAS and chimney swift expert who has built over 100 chimney swift towers in the Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania and beyond.

> get the Save Our Swifts GoFundMe webpage up and running," Gilrain said. "The entire effort has been a labor of love for the whole team over the holidays.

The page also has two news videos from NBC10Philly and WFMZ 69 that feature interviews with the trio, and a link to Ed Gallagher's blog, "The Bethlehem Gadfly," https://thebe-

thlehemgadfly.com/category/swifts/ that has been keeping up with their progress. "I have to applaud Ed Gallagher, who has been posting regular entertaining updates on his blog,' Gilrain said.

The blog posted a record of the Jan. 5 Bethlehem City Council meeting at which Gil-

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LEHIGH COUNTY

VACCINE AVAILABLE: On Jan. 13, Lehigh County Executive Phil Armstrong joined County Commissioner Dan Hartzell and Cedarbrook Administrator and Director Jason Cumello in receiving the first dose of the COVID-19 Pfizer vaccine. The vaccine was administered at Cedarbrook Senior Care & Rehabilitation in Allentown on the first day of their vaccination clinics.

Cedarbrook resident Jean Larison also participated and received her first dose of the Pfizer vaccine, hoping to encourage fellow residents to do the same.

In partnership with Walgreens, Cedarbrook Senior Care & Rehabilitation in Allentown has begun its first round of clinics to administer the Pfizer vaccine. Vaccinations are scheduled to take place on a staggered schedule in order to ensure that residents and staff have the opportunity to get vaccinated. Clinics are scheduled to take place until the end of February.

The current dates for these clinics are as follows:

Clinic 2: Feb. 2, 4, 5

Clinic 3: Feb. 24, 25, 26

The video of the vaccination process can be found on the Lehigh County website. For more information please contact Public Information Officer Laura Grammes at 610-782-3002.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

COUNTY HOME: Residents and employees at Gracedale Nursing Home continue to receive distributions of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine. So far, 32.2 percent of staff and 57.3 percent of the residents have received the first dose of the vaccine

Additional vaccination distributions at Gracedale are scheduled through February.

As of Jan. 9, 2021, 246 personnel at Gracedale have received the first of two inoculations; 202 of those are county employees who are eligible for the \$750 incentive.

On Dec. 17, 2020, County Council approved Resolution 164-2020 authorizing a \$750 incentive for Gracedale employees who get the vaccine. The money comes from residual CARES Act funding to address infection control in nursing homes.

PENNSYLVANIA

WORK PLACE SAFETY: The Pennsylvania Department of Labor & Industry's (L&I) Bureau of Labor Law Compliance has released data related to COVID-19 enforcement actions for Jan. 4 to 8. The information is specific to COVID-19 mitigation efforts related to businesses that are not covered by other state agencies, boards or

To date, the Bureau of Labor Law Compliance has assigned 262 cases to its investigators. Between Jan. 4 and 8, the Department completed six investigations that were sent to the Department of Health (DOH).

L&I is assisting the DOH in investigating employee complaints that their employers are violating COVID safety orders issued by Governor Tom Wolf and Secretary of Health Dr. Rachel Levine. L&I serves as the point of receipt for workplace-related complaints and works with DOH to investigate the complaints and seek appro-

Pennsylvania workers can report workplace safety concerns through the form on DOH's website.

MEDIA VACCINATIONS: The Pennsylvania Department of Health (DOH) has announced that they have adopted the Center for Disease Control's (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations on the prioritization of vaccine distribution. "Media" is included in the list of "essential workers" that should receive a vaccine in Phase 1c. Newspaper production personnel would also arguably be included in Phase 1 b.

VACCINATION PARTNERSHIP: Secretary of Health Dr. Rachel Levine announced that the commonwealth has activated Phase B of the federal Pharmacy Partnership for Long-Term Care Program, to expand its mission to include personal care and assisted living facilities, among others, throughout Pennsylvania. The department also requested the federal government launch the Retail Pharmacy Partnership with two retail partners, TopCo Associates, LLC and Rite Aid, to expand access to vaccinate health care personnel, and eventually other phases of the state's vaccine plan. The Federal Pharmacy Partnership has two phases: Phase A for skilled nursing facilities and Phase B for other long-term care facilities."

PLCB ENFORCEMENT: Pennsylvania State Police Liquor Control Enforcement Officers visited 1,135 licensed liquor establishments from Jan. 11-14 to ensure businesses are abiding by COVID-19 mitigation requirements that include social distancing, masking and other health and safety requirements of the liquor code.

Liquor Control Enforcement Officers issued 17 notices of violation and 21 warnings for failing to follow COVID-19 requirements. Complaints regarding licensees not complying with COVID-19 mitigation mandates may be directed to the BLCE at 1-800-932-0602 or reported through the BLCE's online complaint form.

EDUCATION FUNDS: Governor Tom Wolf is dedicating \$2.2 billion in federal stimulus funds to K-12 school districts and charter schools affected by the COVID-19 pandemic to support food programs, technological improvements and other education services.

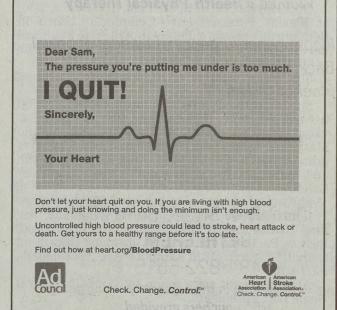
The federal relief is provided by the bipartisan Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act's Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER II) Fund passed by Congress in December.

To promote equity, efficiency, transparency and local flexibility, PDE will administer 100 percent of ESSER II funding through the Federal Title I, Part A formula, which considers the number of low-income students served by school districts and charter schools. Each entity will receive an amount proportional to federal Title I, Part A funds received in the 2020 fiscal year under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

PDE has urged school entities to continue to prioritize equity and consider how investments can accelerate opportunities for vulnerable students and families, including those living in deep poverty, students with disabilities, English learners, migrant students, students experiencing homelessness, and children in foster

School districts and charter schools may use ESSER funding for a wide range of activities, including food service; professional training; technology purchases; sanitization and cleaning supplies; summer and after-school programs; and mental health supports.

UNEMPLOYMENT TAX FORMS: Department of Labor & Industry (L&I) Acting Secretary Jennifer Berrier reminded individuals who claimed unemployment benefits during 2020 to watch their mailboxes and unemployment system notifications for the 1099 form that is required to file their 2020 taxes.



Lehigh Valley Hospital celebrates first baby of 2021



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO

Jan. 1, a baby boy named Maverick is born at Lehigh Valley Hospital -Cedar Crest to proud parents Valerie Kehl and Joshua Young, of Lenhartsville. Maverick weighed 7 pounds, 6.9 ounces and is 20 inches long.

State anti-virus actions ongoing

BY NATE JASTRZEMSKI njastrzemski@tnonline.com

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Despite attention being on national events recently, Governor Tom administration has released information on new and ongoing programs in the fight against the COVID-19 virus.

According to a December report on nursing home surveys, 624 investigations were made in affected by the COVID-19 400 facilities, 249 of which were COVID-specific.

"We continue to investigate all complaints for our nursing homes across the state, especially as these facilities may face further challenges by the COVID-19 of educating students at vaccine the week of pandemic," said Secrethis time while keeping Dec. 14 and Moderna

COVID-19 UPDATE

tary of Health Dr. Rachel school buildings safe

Wolf is also directing an additional \$2.2 billion in federal stimulus finds to supporting K-12 school food programs, technoimprovements and other education ser-

"All schools have been pandemic, and I commend school communities for rising to the challenge to combat the toll it has taken," said Wolf.
"This extra funding is

when students return to the classroom.'

The federal relief is provided by the bipartisan Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act's Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER II) Fund passed by Congress in December.

Additionally, they have released updated numbers on vaccine distribution. Pennsylvania hospitals began receivcritical to help schools ing shipments of the Pfizmeet the unique needs er-BioNTech COVID-19 of educating students at vaccine the week of

COVID-19 vaccine the week of Dec. 21.

Through Jan. 427,713 doses of the vaccine have been administered at hospitals and through the CVS as part of the Federal Pharmacy Partnership. Of these, 307,915 people received one dose and 59,899 people that have received two doses.

As of Monday, the state has 681,461 confirmed COVID-19 cases and 19,930 deaths. Lehigh County has 25,541 confirmed and 610 deaths; Northampton County has 20,716 confirmed and 511 deaths; the city of Bethlehem has 5,281 confirmed and 96 deaths.

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Continued from page A2 rain spoke.

"In light of the tremendous community effort to Save Our Swifts, I would like to make a formal request to you, the members of council, and to you, Mayor [Robert] Donchez," Gilrain said at the meeting.

"Just as many cities around the world and throughout the United States have named a particular bird species as their own, and just as so many years ago the State of Pennsylvania named the ruffed grouse the Bird of Pennsylvania, I propose we name the chimney swift the Bird of Bethlehem."

"The chimney swift is not only a beautiful aerial acrobat, but a welcome insectivore, consuming twice its body weight in bugs each day," Gilrain said.

A few days later,

Lynn Rothman of the City of Bethlehem **Environmental Action** Committee (EAC) told Gilrain the EAC will send a letter of support for the project and in support of the swift becoming the city bird. The EAC does not have the authority to actually designate city birds, but acts in an advisory capacity.

Gilrain is a fourthgrade teacher at Freemansburg Elementary School, and her friend Seth Moglen is a professor in the English Department at Lehigh University.

Gilrain noted Moglen, who lives in South Bethlehem, recently wrote to her, "I will mention to you that I was talking to an elderly former Bethlehem Steel worker in my neighborhood who asked me if I knew about the swifts and the effort to save their chimney. He told me

he'd been watching them at the Masonic Temple for 75 years, since he was a little

"Amazing," Gilrain said of the glimpse into the history of the swifts.

The LVAS sincerely appreciates donations to help them soar to the \$50,000 goal to save the chimney swifts, and the way the local community has stepped up so far, it seems people are eager to answer the SOS to "Save Our Swifts."

Saenger referred to information published by the North American Bird Conservation Initiative in July 2018 that lists many of the ways birds benefit the human race. These include the economic benefits of bird conservation – bird watching and birding related tourism generates billions in economic activity.

Birds reduce pests and provide critical services to agricul-

ture, timber and other industries. Worldwide, about 2,000 species of birds play some role in flower pollination. Fruit and seed eating birds disperse seeds of nearly 70,000 plant species from 240 plant families.

And vibrant bird habitat is linked to human health – birds control pests and reduce human diseases.

Saenger recommended other sources of information on the subject from Cornell University: the decline of chimney swifts under the conservation tab at https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Chimney_Swift/lifehistory; and the decline of all birds in North America https://news.cornell. edu/stories/2019/09/ nearly-30-birds-us-canada-have-vanished-1970#:~:text=If%20 you%20were%20 alive%20in,29%20 percent%20since%20 that % 20 year.



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Following the directives established by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to limit public gatherings, several of the following meetings / activities might be changed, canceled, streamed or online. Check websites and social media as available

Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 E. Church St. Visit www. bapl.org/events/categories/virtual-events/. Buildings are open. General information: visit www.bapl.org (main) or at www.facebook.com/paBAPL or www.bapl.org/ssmain.htm (south side).

National Museum of Industrial History is open as of January 8 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday through Sunday. For timed ticket purchases, information about mask requirements, social distancing protocols and more, visit www.nmih.org.

Digital and virtual events

Banana Factory online digital exhibitions and more: www. bananafactory.org.

Bethlehem Area Public Library: https://www.youtube.com/ channel/UCsuAN4Af6kv3jQl1us_WkWQ/featured for a variety of items. Bethlehem Area Public Library, 11 E. Church St. Visit www. bapl.org/events/categories/virtual-events/. Buildings are open. General information: visit www.bapl.org (main) or at www.facebook.com/paBAPL or www.bapl.org/ssmain.htm (south side). You Tube channel: visit www.youtube.com/channel/UCsuAN4Af6kv-3jQl1us_WkWQ/featured

Historic Bethlehem Museums and Sites digital programming: visit https://historicbethlehem.org or call 610-882-0450.

National Museum of Industrial History virtual museum. 602 E. Second St. Visit http://nmih.org/virtualmuseum; call 610-694-6644 for schedules.

Restaurant Week events

Hellertown-Lower Saucon 2021 Winter Restaurant Week ends Jan. 23. Visit www. lehighvalleychamber.org/hellertown-lowersauconwinterrw-477505.html.

SouthSide Bethlehem Arts District's 2021 Winter Restaurant Week ends Jan. 24. Visit www.southsideartsdistrict.com.

Sunday, January 24

Central Moravian Church's Travelers Together via Zoom, noon to 1:30 p.m. - "The Modern African American Experience in Bethlehem" with librarian Rayah Levy; panel discussion. Register by Jan. 22; call 610-866-5661 or visit https://docs.google.com/ forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSfpDOwWOwvtSno6-fYgBL3hjo-hAHqEMOJcjB-JDYGOoY4H3RA/viewform.

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MEETING BOARD

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The City of Bethlehem City Hall reopened to the public on January 5. It remains fully operational and employees are available to assist residents by calling 610-865-7000 or by visiting www. bethlehem-pa.gov. The public is encouraged to use the drop box outside the Church Street entrance to City Hall to make bill

Theis/Cornfeld Recycling Center will remain open unless otherwise advised. Critical situations, including in person services provided by the Health Bureau, will be by appointment only. The Bethlehem Service Center is fully operational; call 610-865-7000.

Wednesday, January 20

BASD Combined Committee (snow date), 6 p.m. Education Center, Edgeboro room.

Hellertown Borough Zoning Hearing Board 6:30 p.m., 685

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

Thursday, January 21

Northampton Co. Council Zoom, 6:30 p.m. Northampton Co. Courthouse, 669 Washington St., Easton. Live streamed: www. northamptoncounty.org/COUNCIL/Pages/CouncilMeetings.aspx

Monday, January 25 BASD Regular Board, 7 p.m. East Hills MS, 2005 Chester

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

Tuesday, January 26

Saucon Valley School Board, 7 p.m. Audion building, 2097

Polk Valley Road. Freemansburg Borough Council, 7 p.m. As needed.

Wednesday, January 27

Bethlehem Parking Authority, 4 p.m. 85 W. North St. Bethlehem Zoning Hearing Board, 6 p.m. Join meeting from computer, tablet or smartphone. Visit https://global.gotomeeting. com/join/344350997; or by phone at 1 -408-650-3123.





Dr. Joseph M. Skutches

resident teaching physician



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Dr. Joseph M. Skutches, 90, died Dec. 31, 2020, at St. Luke's Hospital,in Fountain Hill. He was a son of the late Joseph and Mary (Petrusky) Skutches. He was the husband of MaryAnn Skutches.

He was a 1948 graduate of Slatington High School.

He earned a Bachelor of science degree from Korean War. Muhlenberg College in 1953 and a doctor of medicine degree from Jefferson Medical College in 1957. He completed his internship and residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Misericordia Hospital, Philadelphia, in 1962.

He was, for two years, a captain in the United States Medical Corps at Fort Dix, New Jersey.

He established a private medical practice, Bethlehem Obstetrics, in 1964. He was a private attending and resident teaching physician at St. Luke's Hospital from 1964 until his retirement in 2015. He was assistant chief (1979-1983), chief (1984-1990) and program director of resident education (1984-1990) of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at St. Luke's. He was appointed an associate professor at the Temple University School of Medicine in

He was a former president of the Northampton and nephews. County Medical Society in 1975.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a sister, Joan Hefflefinger (Karl); two daughters, Catherine Campanaro and Meredith Skutches; four sons, Joseph (Joann), Gregory (Anne), Mike (Lynn) and

David (Crystal); and 10 grandchildren. Donations be made to the St. Luke's Hospital, Anderson Mother and Baby Unit: Grace Church Bethlehem Building Fund; or a charity of one's

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

Eleanor P. Miller

St. Ursula Catholic Church member

Eleanor P. Miller, 92, of Salisbury Township, died Jan. 7, 2021, in the care of Devon House. Born in Fountain Hill, she was a daughter of the late Anthony and Madeline (Kozeuer) Paulik. She was the wife of the late Ralph Miller for 48 years.

She was a Bethlehem Business School graduate. She worked in the purchasing department for Bethlehem Steel Corp. for many years before she

She was a member of the St. Ursula Catholic Church, Fountain Hill.

She was active in the Golden Hillers. She was a member of Beta Sigma Phi National Sorority.

She is survived by a daughter, Jane Holben and her husband Eric of Salisbury Township; and three grandchildren, Shaun, Collin and Erica Holben.

She was predeceased by two brothers, William and Edward Paulik.

Contributions may be made to St. Ursula Catholic Church, 1300 Broadway, Fountain Hill, PA

Arrangements were made by Cantelmi Long Fu-

Betty L. Person

worked for Orr's, Hess', Stahler's

Betty L. Person, 93, of Bethlehem, died Jan. 7, 2021, while in the care of Whitehall Manor. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of the late Edward and Ethel (Camp) Brown. She was the wife of the late John Person.

She was a Liberty HS graduate.

She worked for Hess's, Orr's and Stahler's Phar-

macy for most of her life.

She is survived by a son, John Person and Karen Meyers of Bethlehem; and a nephew, Joseph Maher of Bullhead City, Arizona.

She was predeceased by two siblings, David

Brown and Irene Maher.

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Shirley Mohring

worked for doctors Stein

Shirley "Mama" Mohring, 81, of Bethlehem, died Jan. 3, 2021, in her home. Born in Scranton, she was a daughter of the late Josephine (Chase) and Alexander J. Bellen. She was the wife of the late Daniel R. Mohring for 54 years.

She worked at DeSales University, the Alcohol and Drug Dependence Center in Bethlehem for 10 years; and before that she worked for Dr. Stanley Stein and Dr. Richard Stein, both in Bethlehem.

She is survived by two daughters, Joanne Seif and her husband Bruce, and Cheryl Jacobs and her husband Keith; two sisters, Sandra Peischl and Sharon Stauffer and her husband Michael; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by a sister, Joan Deasey. Contributions may be made to an animal rescue of one's choice.

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

Michael L. Kozo

U.S. Postal Service worker

Michael L. Kozo, 67, of Bethlehem, died Dec. 30, 2020, in his home. Born in Bethlehem, he was a son of Dorothy M. (Danner) Kozo and the late Joseph E. Kozo. He was the husband of Patricia (Hludzik) Kozo for 44 years.

HS, where he won a state championship for wres-

He worked for and retired from the U.S. Postal Service. After his retirement, he was a part-time usher for the IronPigs.

In addition to his wife and mother, he is survived by two sons, Christopher and Timothy Kozo; and a sister, Karen Sparks and her husband Ronald.

Contributions may be made to St. Luke's Hospice, 240 Union Station Plaza -first floor, Bethlehem, PA 18015; or to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tenn. 38105.

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Alejandrino Trujillo Sr.

owned Mi Terra Supermercado



Alejandrino Trujillo Sr., 89, of Bethlehem, died Jan. 6, 2021 in his home. Born in San Sebastian, Puerto Rico, he was a son of the late Antonio and Ignacia (Cardona) Trujillo. He was the husband of Carmen Luz Trujillo for 29 years and of the late Rosa M. Trujillo.

He was in the U.S. Army during the

He owned and operated Supermercado Mi Tierra (formerly Price-Rite Market) for 55 years until he retired.

He was a member of Holy Infancy Catholic Church, where he was a founder of the Cursillo de Cristianda and a leader of the Holy Name Society of Jesus. He was a founder the Puerto Rican Beneficial Society, Bethlehem; and the Spanish Council. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two

sons, Uriel and his wife Sarath; and Alejandrino Jr. and his fiancée Lilliana Soto, all of Bethlehem; two stepchildren, Jose Antonio Ortiz and his wife Jodi and Annette Petrillo; three siblings, Luis Trujillo, Ersito Trujillo and Jesus Trujillo; four grandchildren, Natasha Trujillo-Ruiz and her husband Maximino Jr., Marissa Ortiz, Sofia Trujillo and Eva Trujillo; a great-grandson, Maximino Ruiz; nieces; He was predeceased by two sons, Axel Trujillo

and Luis Trujillo; and seven siblings, Gerardo Trujillo, Clara Trujillo, Moises Trujillo, Leocadio Trujillo, Hermenehildo Trujillo, Gumercinda Trujillo and Herminia Trujillo.

Contributions may be made to Holy Infancy Catholic Church, 312 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem, PA

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Maryellen Golden Oroskey

Bethlehem Catholic HS graduate



Maryellen Golden Oroskey, 59, died after a long illness Jan. 2, 2021, at her home in Egypt. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of Edward and Mary (McCloskey) Golden. She was the wife of Joseph T. Oroskey for 33 years.

She was a 1979 graduate of Bethle-

hem Catholic HS.

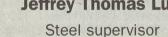
She was a teacher and activity aide for the Whitehall School District and, most recently, was an administrative assistant for the school nurse.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Joseph Edward and his wife Keri of Whitehall and Patrick Thomas and his wife Ashley of Schnecksville; two grandchildren, Nolan and Kinsley Jo; three brothers, Thomas Golden (Tara) of New Tripoli, John Golden of Royersford and Edward Golden of Philadelphia; two nieces, Teal Hensel (Devon) of Dillsburg and Tori Golden of Boca Raton, Fla.; and two nephews, Teagen Golden of New Triploli and Stephen Scholl of Bethlehem.

Contributions may be made to the family to start a scholarship fund for Nolan and Kinsley Jo. Mail to Connell Funeral Home Inc., 245 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, 18018.

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

Jeffrey Thomas Luzi





Jeffrey Thomas Luzi, 77, of Bethlehem, died Jan. 5, 2021. Born in Fountain Hill, he was a son of the late William and Jayne (Clause) Luzi. He was the husband of Mary Lou (Eisenhart) for 56 years.

He was a supervisor for Bethlehem Steel Corp. and Lehigh Heavy Forge for more than 50 years.

He was a member of the Bethlehem Steel Club. Bethlehem Golf League and the Bocce Club of Allentown. He coached baseball and basketball at the East Side Youth Center for many years.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mary Beth Flores of North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, and Mary Jane of Palmer Twp.; two grandchildren, Jordan Flores and his wife Jamie of Bethlehem and Jasen Flores of Palmerton; and three great-grandsons, Jad, Jiovanni and Jax.

He was predeceased by two brothers, Jayson and Gerold Luzi.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 38 Richards Ave., Norwalk, CT 06854; or to the National Kidney Foundation, 1500 Walnut St., Suite 301, Philadelphia, PA 19102.

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

Olga Hoysan

St. Josaph at Ukrainian Catholic Church member

Olga Hoysan, 88, of Bethlehem, died Jan. 1, 2021, at Phoebe Personal Care Community. Born in Bethlehem, she was a daughter of the late Vasil and Bertha (Lazorchak) Beleykanich. She was the wife of the late Russell Hoysan Sr.

She was a member of St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church.

She is survived by four children, Russell Jr. and He was a 1971 graduate of Bethlehem Catholic his wife Michele, Deborah and her husband Salvatore Nicrone, John and his wife Michelle and Maryanne Gross and her husband Billy-Joe; five grandchildren, Christopher, Amanda, Cody, Ryan and Jenna; and two great-grandchildren, Liam and

> She was predeceased by her brothers and sisters. Contributions may be made to Center for Animal Health and Welfare, 1165 Island Park Road, Easton, Pa. 18042; and/or to St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1826 Kenmore Ave., Bethlehem, Pa. 18018.

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League of Women Voters virtual workshop Jan. 30

In order to assist local candidates running for office, the League of Women Voters of Lehigh County is holding a virtual Running for Local Office Workshop from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Jan. 30. The event is prior to the deadline to circulate petitions, which is usually in mid-February.

The Zoom presentation features speakers and panelists. Registration is required. Visit www.lwvlehighcounty.org

Prendeville seeks second term

Mike Prendeville, the Hanover Township-Northampton County Board of Supervisors vice chairperson since 2018, announced that he will seek a second term.

"Since being elected in 2015, I have always brought an objective approach to the Board, putting the best interests of our residents first. I have fought to keep the high level of services and the great quality of life we enjoy in Hanover, while successfully working to oppose any tax increases. In addition, through prudent fiscal management we have kept Hanover debt free. This is a record few communities can equal," said Prendeville. If re-elected, he stated Prendeville that he will advocate for responsible devel-



opment that does not add more commercial trucks to Hanover's already clogged roads, provide strong support for the Colonial Regional Police's Commercial Truck Enforcement Unit and continue providing superior public safety to the residents and business

Born in Point Pleasant, New Jersey, he has a BA in business management, Washington College, an MBA in business management from DeSales University and a certification in National Incident Management System (FEMA-NIMS) - ICS-100, IS-700.

He was employed with Dun & Bradstreet Inc. for 27 years, and by UBM Global Trade for five years. He held leadership and operational roles responsible for multi-million dollar budgets and revenue growth initiatives.

In addition to preventing any tax increases and keeping Hanover debt free, Prendeville said he used his business experience to help township government do more with less. As a member of the Township Pension Review Board, he ensures that the municipal pension fund is fully funded. He supported infrastructure improvements projects and worked to expand the number of community

He and his wife Dawn, a registered nurse, have three children, Emily, Alexander and Michael.

Rybak runs for district judge

Attorney Anthony (Tony) Rybak has announced his candidacy for the office of Magisterial District Judge for District 03-2-10, serving much of South Bethlehem, Northampton County.

He began his local career in 2002 as a practicing attorney residing in South Bethlehem. He joined the staff of the Office of the Public Defender, Northampton County. He was a part time Assistant Public Defender while continuing his private practice. He then became a full time Assistant Public Defender and practiced criminal law exclusively. During his time as a public defender, he has represented in excess of 1,500 clients accused of crimes ranging from disorderly conduct to criminal homicide. He has appeared at countless preliminary hearings, arraignments, pre-trial conferences, bail modification and bench warrant hearings, PFA contempt hearings, involuntary commitment proceedings, guilty plea hearings, probation violation hearings, juvenile detention hearings, recovery court, mental health court and various miscellaneous court and motions court proceedings. He served as defense counsel in more than 10 jury trials. He is the lead attorney for the Public Defender's office in juvenile matters and has represented hundreds of children.

He has a 100-year history of family roots in South Bethlehem, where he has resided since February 2002. His father, the Hon. William C. Rybak (deceased), grew up in the former Northampton Heights area of South Bethlehem. Tony often accompanied his father to 'the office' on weekends, making the Southside his

He is a 1983 Liberty HS graduate. He attended both Northampton Community College and Penn State University. He earned a bachelor's degree from Central Washington University in 1995, where he majored in criminal justice. He earned a Juris Doctor Degree from Hamline University School of Law, Minnesota.

COLLEGE NOTES

Northampton Community College

Spring classes begin Jan. 25

Spring classes begin Jan. 25 at Northampton Community College, and there is still time to enroll. Visit NCC's enrollment centers at Bethlehem or Monroe campuses, or online, for Saturday registration events Jan. 23 from 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.

Whether you come to campus or join in virtually, you can talk to an advisor, get your questions about financial aid answered, and register for spring classes. In-person and virtual registration help is also available Mondays-Fridays. Get more information by visiting bit.ly/virtualSENC, calling 610-861-5300, or emailing adminfo@northampton.edu.

View online: http://northampton.meritpages.com/news/NCC-Offers-Spring-Registration-Events/18374

Dual enrollment offered

High school students can join an NCC virtual dual enrollment information session at the 10 a.m. or 5 p.m.; Northampton Community (NCC) Jan. 27, Feb. 1, 12 p.m. or 6 p.m.; Feb. 11, 10 a.m. or 4 p.m.

Students will discover why NCC's Dual Enrollment Program is a cost-effective way to jump start their college career and earn transferable credits toward a future degree.

The information sessions will cover everything students need to know about dual enrollment, like the benefits, costs, application process, how to register for classes and scholarship opportunities. If you are a current high school student taking college prep, honors/AP or career/technical course-

work, don't miss out on the chance to get all of your questions answered! To register for a free information session, get further requirements, and more information, visit info.northampton.edu/de-info-sessions.

NCC presents Jodie Lyn-Kee-Chow Feb. 2

Northampton Community College's Art Department and the Dunning Gallery will present Jamaican-American performance artist Jodie Lyn-Kee-Chow at 11 a.m. Feb. 2. She will share videos and discuss the history of her Junkanooakome project. There will be a walk-through of her studio residency in-progress works at the Triangle Workshop in Brooklyn, New York..

Register for the free, online event by visiting http://bit.ly/nccartdepart-

For information, visit http://northampton.meritpages.com/news/NCC-Presents-Performance-Artist-Jodie-Lyn-Kee-Chow/18342

RN/LPN reactivation/reviews return Jan. 25

NCC is offering an RN/LPN Reactivation/Review program designed to review basic nursing knowledge and incorporate information on more recent technological advancements. The classes will be from 6 to 10 p.m. on Mondays from Jan. 25 to May 3 at the Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Third St. There are fees.

To enroll or for answers to questions, visit the course catalog at www. northampton.edu/nursingce or call 610-332-6585.

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



PRESS PHOTO BY LAKISHA BONNELL

Members of the borough council are, from left to right: President Norman Blatt; solicitor Peter Lehr; Health and Sanitation Committee Chair Helen Hallerman; Fire Committee Chair Philip Trabel; Finance and Personnel Committees Chair Doug Trotter Jr.; Public Works Committee Chair Annmarie Jordan; and Zoning Board Chair Michael Spencer.

Mayor encourages virus vaccinations

BY LAKISHA BONNELL

Special to the Bethlehem Press

During a regular city council board meeting Jan. 4, Michael Spencer, chairperson for the Zoning Board, and borough council agreed to advertise for a new zoning board member. Any interested Fountain Hill resident are to send letters of interest and a resume to the Borough Manager at abranco@ fhboro.org or mail to the office 941 Long St. Fountain Hill, PA 18015.

Mayor Carolee Gifford expressed delight reporting on the holiday decorating contest for Fountain Hill residents last month.

"It was incredible," the mayor said. "I want to thank every single resident that put a wreath on the door, or a light in their window. It truly made a differ-

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two judges of the contest because it was not Fountain Hill. safe to have more. The mayor also encouraged issue from last month, ty," she encouraged.

St Luke's announced with all fire apparatus that the hospital has al- and equipment to re- debate between council ready vaccinated over main solely owned by member Helen Halle-9,000 people in the com- the borough.

munity.

munity policing efforts organization, Helping lack of funds and little

food for residents of

Fountain Hillers to con- an ordinance was apsider getting vaccinat- proved that continues Jason Quarry. helping your communicil and the fire department regarding employ-A representative from ment issues. It also dealt

In another follow-up Gifford also com- from last month, Bachmended the police de- ert commented that cil, the motion passed to partment for their com- there is no longer a grant available to purafter Bachert reported chase body cameras for meeting is scheduled for that there were three the borough. It was sugdifferent food drives in gested that the issue be December. The charity put aside for now due to

Public works committee chair Annamarie ence." The mayor and Hands, has been part- Jordan recommended the Police Chief Edward nering with the police council approval of two Bachert were the only department to provide candidates to be hired as laborers for the public works committee. Following up with an Jordan then turned the meeting over to Public Works Supervisor ed if the opportunity is to put distance between ry explained that the presented. "You will be the Fountain Hill councandidates were qualified and recommended hiring them so that his staff does not fall further behind. After a lively man, Health and Sanitation Committee Chair, and the rest of the counhire the candidates.

> The next council tonight at 7 p.m. at borough hall.

New St. garage project gets approval

THLEHEM HARB

Special to the Bethlehem Press

The Historical and Architectural Review Board awarded certificates of appropriateness for two of three projects at the virtual meeting held Jan. 6. With Chairman Fred Bonsall absent due to health issues and Vice Chair Philip Roeder retired, Beth Starbuck chaired the proceedings.

Joseph Phillips recused himself as historic officer for 408 N. New St. so he could represent the project. Jeff Long, who works for the Bethlehem Historic Conservation Commission as historic officer, filled in for this one agenda item.

Phillips was granted COA for the demolition of the circa 1970s one-story garage at the rear of the property. It is to be replaced by a two-story structure with a two-car garage on the first level and a relative care unit on the second floor. The new building is similar in style to a carriage house. Trim, doors and siding are to match the colors of the existing 1998 rear addition to the house. The deck that connects the addition to the garage will be shortened to allow more space for the new construction.





PRESS PHOTO BY ED COURRIER

Homeowners Dino and Nora Fantozzi scored permission to replace a picket fence on their property at 29 E. Church St. with a cedar board and lattice one.



Representing 408 N. New St., architect Joseph Phillips was awarded a COA to replace a onestory 1970s-era garage with a two-story one that includes a family care unit at the rear of the property.

Approval was granted with the stipulation that Phillips reduce the pitch of the roof to match that of the nouse, reconfigure the placement of some of the windows on the second floor and gable ends, and revise the garage doors to have vertical window panes instead of the proposed horizontal look. Recessed lights are not to exceed 3,000 kelvins.

The alterations are to be reviewed by Long. Starbuck and Marsha Fritz.

David and Wendy Thompson own the property.

Homeowners Dino Fantozzi and Nora scored permission to replace a picket fence on the western side of their property with a cedar board and lattice one at 29 E. Church St. The new six-foot fence matches an existing fence in both design and materials that is located on the eastern property line.

A short section of picket fence with a gate at the front of the property is to be removed and replaced with the cedar board and lattice fence, as well. This section will be moved away from the front and installed at the side of the house closer to the rear yard.

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Architect Shawn Ulery's roof replacement proposal for 525 N. New St. was tabled.



Elevation and materials sheet for proposed new construction at the rear of 408 N. New St.

HARB

Continued from page A5

The gates at the front and back are to be installed with standard black hardware.

The commissioners tabled a roof replacement application for 525 N. New St. Representing Verizon, architect Shawn Ulery proposed replacing the existing slate roof with GAF Slateline shingles. He

"We are incredibly

said there are areas of the roof that are in need of repair. He related his client balked at the cost of the needed repair. They had relied on one roofing contractor's opinion that it would be cheaper to replace the roof with new shingles that are compatible with historic guidelines.

Fritz mentioned that, while slate roofs should be inspected and maintained every few years, a slate roof would last

a variety of initiatives.'

ing the rocky year it has Readers, Crazy 8s Math, Corporate Responsibilibeen for all nonprofit in- the Full STEAM Ahead! ty for PPL. "We're fortu-

PPL \$50K PBS39 grant will benefit students

PBS39, a service of stitutions," Tim Fallon, early childhood educa- nate to be able to partici-Lehigh Valley Public Chief Executive Officer tion initiative and other pate in the Pennsylvania Media™, will make an of Lehigh Valley Public programs approved by Department of Commuimpact on hundreds of Media, said. "This grant the guidelines set forth nity and Economic Destudents again this year, will allow us to continue in Pennsylvania's Edu-velopment's Education with the help of a grant to educate the future of cation Improvement Tax Improvement Tax Credit

around 100 years. Starbuck told the applicant to contact another roofing company for a second opinion.

All voting on the three proposals was unanimous.

After the board addressed the COA proposals, Phillips opened the floor for the nomination of new officers for 2021. Starbuck and Fritz were unanimously elected chair and vice chair respectfully.

The Historical and Architectural Review Board regularly 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 from the board, applicants must wait for City Council to vote on it before proceeding.

outcomes

Contributed article

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.



At 5 years old, Ricky from PPL Electric Utili- our community through Credit (EITC) program. program, which gives Ricardo has been on "At PPL, we believe companies an opportu-The \$50,000 PPL grant that building a strong nity to support equitable the hunt for his furrever family since April 2019. This handsome man has limited vision and is looking for a family who will provide him with time and space to learn to trust people. Ricky would love to share his new home with other feline friends.



Momma is a 6-yearold cattle dog mix looking for a new family to love after being surrendered for adoption in January 2020. She would do best with older children and no cats. Momma can be slow to warm up, but once she does she is a total sweetheart!



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BASD wrestling to begin

BY PETER CAR pcar@thonline.com

Liberty and Freedom will be back on the wrestling mat this week as they open up their seasons on Wednesday night.

The Hurricanes will travel to Northampton and the Patriots will make a trek to Easton as they embark on an unusual winter season.

Liberty head coach Brandon Hall will just be happy to have his team back on the mat for a competitive match with all the COVID related setbacks teams have had to endure this season.

There is a genuine appreciation for the fact that we can workout together," said Hall. "The support for each other is tremendous. Our line up and this season in general isn't what anyone expected. The assistant coaches on our staff have done a them in this abbreviated time together. I'm very fortunate to have these men on the staff."

Freedom boss Dante Terenzio has seem great effort from his group in their time back in the room, but knows they'll get a tough test in their opener against an Easton squad that took some lumps in their 41-15 loss to Bethlehem Catholic over the weekend.

"What we saw from Easton is pretty much what we expected. Tough kids from top to bottom,' said Terenzio. wrestled Becahi much closer than the score indicates. We're looking forward to wrestling a state caliber team, but more importantly, we're excited to get back to a spots where maybe we competitive state of mind. It's been 10 months since said Becahi coach Jose rest of the season."

Northampton will also be ready to go. We see them the first for the K-Kids, so on Tuesday, and we'll rust will be a factor for put forth a better effort." many teams early this season.

limits since the 2020 post combined for the first hasn't been the case for all teams in the EPC. But the focus is not about where we are but where we are going. I anticipate we see a hard nosed, well coached Northampton team for sure. I expect our team to put it all out there for six minutes. We will move forward, be physical and compete with pcar@tnonline.com gratitude and confidence in ourselves."

same about his team's ty basketball program chances on Wednesday, and hopes he can kick knowing there will be off his inaugural camsome cobwebs that need paign with success amid to be shaken off.

"I think our experienced kids will be fine, their lumps," he said. team that went 20-6 and of the outcome, as long as ship. every kid gets after it and can take some positives include Antonio Montaway from the experience, then we'll be happy with the opportunity

schedule postponements, Nunez (5-10 Sr. G). as its match with Nazareth Wednesday has are Angel Holguín (6-5 been pushed back due to Fr. F); Nazjah Jones (6-3 COVID concerns.

Freedom is scheduled to key (6-6 Soph F). take on Nazareth Friday



PRESS PHOTO BY KATIE MCDONALD

great job helping prepare In a sign of the times, the Hawks and Rovers played in front of a mostly empty gym last week in Easton. The Rovers knocked off the Hawks.

Becahi girls fall on road at Easton

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

many shots weren't falling for Bethlehem Catholic's girls' basketball team as Easton was forcing turnovers in the Red Rovers' 35-30 victory over the Golden Hawks last Friday night at Easton

Area Middle School.
"Today was a tough shooting night for all of us. We'll look at the Liberty's bout with the adjustments and be from this.

any teams early this ason.

Easton's Sydney Reinert, Emily Violante, and Nequal Fersner season," said Hall. "That six points of the game,

opening night for the Easton's Sara Tamoun East Penn Conference's gave the lead back to the Northampton County Red Rovers until Wilson, Division since its winter who was the game's top sports contests were suspended until Jan. 15.

The Red Rovers created multiple turnovers in the second quarter and took a 16-13 lead into halftime.

ties. We got our nerves out of the way in the first could kick the ball out," the second half, and we said Becahi coach Jose did some good things," 12 points on that," Me-Medina said. "We'll look dina said. "It's a disap-

> Becahi's Stanton, Keyara Walters, and Kourtney Wilson combined for nine took a 22-19 lead.

A three pointer by day.

scorer with 17 points, hit a three-point shot at the buzzer to end the third quarter.

Two more threes by Tamoun and a bucket by Fersner broke a 30-30 tie, I thought we had and with 1:30 remaining, some good opportunithe Hawks were running out of time.

"We got hit on that half, we came back in back screen a lot today. better spot and we'll adjust."

The loss ended a 41game winning streak for Becahi, who will travel points early in the third to Nazareth on Thursquarter, and the Hawks day before hosting the Blue Eagles on Satur-

Through it all, Liberty girls are adjusting

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

In the ever-changing world in which student athletes have lived among COVID-19 for almost one year, Liberty's girls' basketball team continues to adjust well to the unpredictability of it all. "You wouldn't know

from them that they haven't been able to be in the gym and dealing with the challenges of this pandemic," said Liberty coach Andy Wescoe. "Our mood since we've been back has been tremendous."

The Hurricanes returned to the hardwood on Jan. 7 after a 10-month layoff, never to get any practice time before winter sports season suspensions hit them from all directions.

Our focus for the period where we didn't have access to our gym was our strength and conditioning program. We had great participation in the weight room, and any basketball the

did, from three-on-three tournaments, four-onfour leagues, any type of individual skill work they could find," Wescoe said. "But I won't try and fool you. It's been tough not being able to play together for really any period since last season."

The Lady Hurricanes will compete in their first game of the season on Jan. 21 after a little less than two weeks of practice.

"We'll need to be really good in transition and create for each other in the half court with ball movement and continuous activity," said Wescoe. "Our activity and having had the chance growth as a unit on the defensive end is paramount."

The Hurricanes are looking to improve on limiting turnovers as well as creating them.

Key returners for Liberty are Erin Eisenhart, Jess Farrell, and Layla

"[They] have the most See LHS on Page A8

Patriots to keep things pasic early

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Unlike other teams within and outside of we've had this feeling.
Let's hope it lasts for the rest of the season."

Medina. "That's the good thing about the rest of the season."

Medina. "That's the good thing about the schedule. We'll make the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a before multiple winter that the film and work on got to put our girls in a sports season suspensions were enforced, impacting the Patriots (and the Liberty Hurricanes) the most due to their inclusion in the Bethlehem Area School District.

Finally on Jan. 7, the Patriots, who already saw their season cut short in the middle of a state championship run last March, had their first day of practice for the 2020-2021 season.

"Excitement. Just pure excitement," said Freedom coach Dean Reiman, describing the mood two weeks ago.

But with that excitement came a reality

'Without having a fall or November/December time period to prepare, we won't be able to get very deep into our offenses and defenses, so

we will keep things very basic early on," Reiman said. "Keeping kids safe is obviously the priori-District 11, Freedom's ty, but trying to condigirls' basketball team tion with masks on is very challenging.'

Freedom guards Brenna Ortwein and Corrin Gill are the Patriots' captains this year. Kayla Jefferson, Jewel Levy, and Kailey Turpening are also among six seniors and four juniors returning.

"[Our strength] is always our ability to share the ball and be unselfish," Reiman said.

However, opportunities to showcase that ability could be limited.

"We are not allowed to have any games other than our 10 scheduled (Northampton) County games, which is really tough for our kids as they see all their friends from other schools getting an opportunity to play 15 to 20 games," said Reiman. "Very tough year for this 2021 class of seniors.'

Freedom's first game is scheduled for Jan. 21 at Easton.



Brenna Ortwein is back for the Pates this year.

'Canes enter new era with Nigel Long

BY PETER CAR

Nigel Long is entering his first season as Terenzio feels the head coach of the Liberthe coronavirus pandemic.

The Hurricanes reand I think our less ex- turn a healthy dose of perienced kids will take players from last year's "That's what wrestling reached the East Penn is all about. Regardless Conference champion-

Back for the 'Canes gomery (6-4 Sr. F); Rondell McNeil (6-1 Sr. G); Alijah Cannon (6-3 Sr. to develop our youthful G); Joseph Barnes (6-1 Jr. G); Josh Farrell (5-9 Becahi is enduring Jr. G) and Jovonnie

Newcomers this year Jr. F); Nate Rivera (5-10 The Hawks will get Soph. G); Nasir Rosa (5-9 back at it Friday when Jr. G); Derek Wescoe (6-0 "We are hoping to lean tice. We are excited to they travel to Liberty. Soph G) and Isaiah Hus-

'We are returning night, but that contest several players from a ic group that has done might be in jeopardy as very successful team a great job of bringing season on January 21



Rondell McNeil is among those back for the Hurricanes this year.

son. We have an athlet- season. last year," said Long. energy each day to prac- against Northampton.

on those veteran play- have an opportunity to ers throughout the sea- compete this upcoming

Liberty opens the

Medina enjoying her time at Villanova

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Chicago, Ill. is likely to hold a special place in Taliyah Medina's heart, having scored the first basket of her college hoops career there during Villanova's game at DePaul on Jan. 4.

And while Medina said the De-Paul game was her favorite so far, 'Nova's game against Rider on Nov. 25 was the first in which the former Bethlehem Catholic guard saw play-

ing time for the Wildcats.
"It was later in the fourth quarter when Coach Dillon called my number, and when she did, I was both happy and nervous," Medina said. "The pace of college basketball is very fast compared to high school, and I knew this, but I still didn't know exactly what to expect. But when I stepped onto the court, I knew I had to immediately let go of being nervous, and lock in, and get focused."

'We've had five away games so far. I love traveling to away games. For St. John's, Temple, and Seton Hall, we traveled on the academy bus, and for DePaul, we took a charter plane, and it was my first time ever in one. We stay in very nice hotels and eat the best food," said Medina. "I like away games because support you." I usually have a lot of time to myself to sit and mentally prepare for the game by listening to music and re-watching film on the team.'

Medina scored 11 points in the Seton Hall game on Jan. 6, and as a year, everyone is learning new Wildcat freshman, Medin has been learning how to adapt, learn quick-

portant, especially for a student ath- understand." lete who has to manage practices,



lifts, classes, treatment before and after practices, and homework," she

There were many times through-Villanova's record is 8-2 as of out the semester that I found myself stressed. But I was always able to call my parents and ask my teammates for help. Being away from home took a lot of getting used to, but knowing my parents were only a phone call away made me feel a lot better. Being on a team has many benefits as well because there are so many people around you to help and

Villanova's women's basketball season is scheduled to run through Feb. 27 when the Wildcats will host

"With a new coaching staff this plays. It's important that we all have the sets memorized so that ly, and manage her time on top of a we're all able to play and be on the continuing pandemic. ntinuing pandemic. same page," Medina said. "It's al-"The transition from high school ways challenging, but through an to college is hard. The amount of app, we're able to view all of our work increases, along with the sets, and the coaches are always amount of responsibilities and deavailable to go over anything or talk mand. Time management is so im- us through something if we don't



Elizabeth Flynn will head to Lafayette to continue her volleyball career.

Flynn to Lafayette

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Versatility was a major key in Liberty senior Elizabeth Flynn's recruitment process to continue her academic and athletic career, and the Hurricane outside hitter signed a National Letter of Intent on Nov. 11 to play volleyball at Lafayette College.

'In high school and club, I played front row and back row, so I was able to get recruited as a defensive specialist," Flynn said. "I've always played all-around."

At this season's end, Flynn was named an East Penn Conference First Team All-Star, a District XI First Team will be building one of schools."

man year, not super were super welcoming aggressively, and in my right off the bat, they ed to pick it up to email coaches and send videos to get on their recruit- academic reputation." ment lists," she said.
"I was looking at a lot schools and schools English or math. mostly close by for my comfort level.

All-Star, and was named the top Patriot League to the 2020 All-State Volleyball Team. teams in the next few years," she said. "The "I started the recruit- coaches (Ryan Adams ment process my fresh- and Colton Reinholtz) sophomore year, I start- were open with what I needed to know, and [Lafayette] has a high

Undecided on an academic major, Flynn is of other Patriot League currently considering

"It's a big relief to be done with the recruit-Flynn attended a few ment process," said volleyball matches at La-Flynn. "To not know fayette, pre-COVID-19, where you're going or if and liked what she saw. you're going there, I was "I could just tell the afraid it could all be for girls get along really nothing, and now I get well and this program to play for one of my top

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experience, and we'll need great leadership from them all year,"

Wescoe said. "Leader- for its season opener. ship, team chemistry, "At this point excellent, and right now, I'm pleased.

Liberty will host Northampton on Jan. 21

"At this point we and attitude have been don't have any nonleague games on the schedule, but that could change," Wescoe said.

Shire commits to Kings

BY KATIE MCDONALD kmcdonald@tnonline.com

Liberty senior Carly Shire delivered a belated Christmas gift to King's College volleyball coach Bernie Kachinko on Dec. 28 in the form of a verbal commitment to continue her athletic and academic career as a Monarch.

"He said it was an awesome Christmas gift and then had a couple girls reach out to me on behalf of the education majors," said Shire, who plans to study secondary education.

As Shire explained her recruitment process, the senior setter described it as not the norm, especially because Shire had already made the decision not to play collegiate volley-

the Coast Guard Academy, but I was debating the military route and decided it was not something I wanted to do."

Kutztown, Millersville, 23. Moravian and Bloomsing her priority.

reached out to Shire's me into some games,"

COLLEGE

Carly Shire verbally committed to Kings.

club team, East Coast she said. Power, in search of setters for the 2021 season.

this year, and I might want to coach someday," Shire said.

Shire also considered to Wilkes-Barre on Dec.

burg with academics be- and all it had to offer. I spoke to the coach for an While Shire was hour. He told me right mulling over her fu- away I would have a rosture, Coach Kachinko ter spot and wants to get

Former teammates who contin-"We had a couple ued their athletic caphone calls before me reers in college assured visiting King's, and then Shire that she would be "I was planning on I realized playing volable to balance academgoing to Penn State," she leyball in college would ics and volleyball, somesaid. "I thought about be something to do, and thing that she knew she our season was cut short would need to consider.

"I know it's not going to be impossible, but it will be challenging, and Shire then took a trip I think I will be fine," said Shire. "I'm so excited. Playing in high "I loved the campus school, I loved it. I love it so much I'm always begging my younger sister to play with me outside. All the pieces fell into place, and I'm really glad they did."

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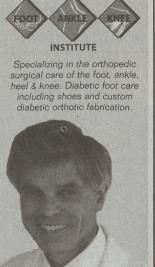
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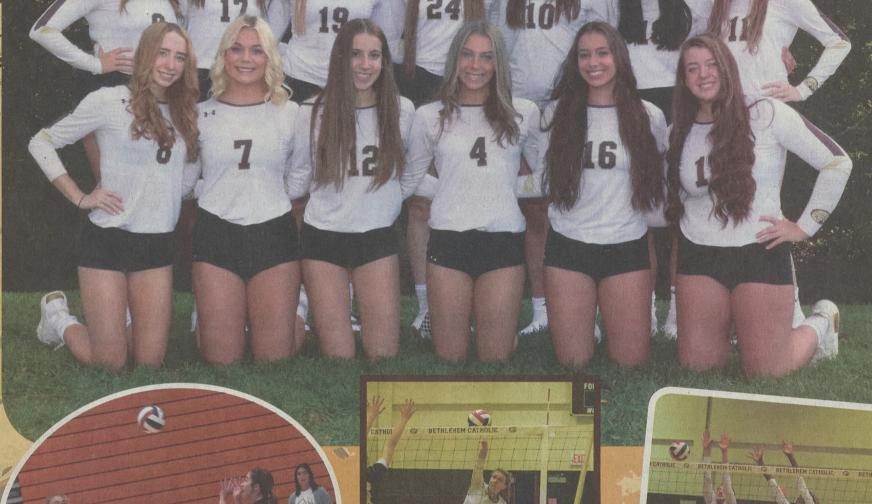
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Liberty HS

Grade: 12 Family members: Mom (Gretchen), Dad (Alex), sister (Olivia)

Favorite subject: Math, because there are specific answers that are objective

Activities: I play football and run track.
Next steps: I will attend

Next steps: I will attend and play football at Penn State University.

Career goals: I will hopefully have a chance to play in the NFL, but other than that I plan on going into the business field. Heroes: My dad is my hero

because he always finds a solution to problems and knows how to uplift others.

Hobbies: I enjoy skiing and playing golf.

Current job(s): None
Volunteer/Community work:
I work at church Bible camps in
the summer.

Likes: I like kicking footballs.
Dislikes: I don't like study-

Greatest accomplishment



Sahaydak

(so far): My greatest accomplishment so far is being ranked as the #1 kicking recruit in the country.

Advice for peers: Have fun with what you're doing; there's no point in playing a sport or doing an activity that makes you miserable.

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

Campos

PRESS PHOTOS BY DANA GRUBB

Michel Lloyd and Sandra Butler model how mats can be easily carried, and Karen Schoch shows how a pattern design can be crotcheted into the two and one-half by six-foot mats.



Mary Mann crotchets another mat using the plarn (plastic + yarn) produced by other volunteers.



Karen Favinger demonstrates how the plann is formed using single use plastic bags.

LV ACADEMY NOTES

By Alex Campos

New year, same stuff

Goodbye and good riddance 2020. HELLO 2021! We are halfway through the school year and things are quickly coming to an end. 2020 came and went, but sadly COVID is still here. This is causing a disturbance in the planning of events at LVA.

LVA has many clubs, but due to the pandemic, many of the

clubs were not able to host events this year. One of the only clubs that is still running in LVA is the Student Council. Right now the members of the Student Council are trying to plan events that can be performed safely within the school, but due to this pandemic there is no saying what can happen.

LVA is said to resume in-person learning starting Jan. 25 in the form of hybrid. Honestly, I am glad to be going back, I can't even begin to tell you how hard it is to learn IB math online.

to learn IB math online.

Many students are happy to be going back. Many are excited to see some friends while others just find it impossible to learn at home. I, for one, find myself checking my phone every two minutes, followed by watching one or two videos on YouTube, then playing some Among Us to pass the time. Hey, online learning gets tiring

Senior year is taking a huge toll on us seniors, from having all these assignments to do, to not having any fun upcoming events. Here is what a student has to say about their senior year.

"Senior year? This is not senior year, if it is then I don't want it. Senior year is supposed to be fun and memorable, and here we are stuck at home. I lost so many of my friends, like now there are only four people I talk to, and you are one of them.

"My senior year was literally taken away from me. Like I understand that the class of 2020 missed graduation and prom, but the class of 2021 has it much worse. At least the class of 2020 had the first three quarters of their senior year. At least they had homecoming; at least they enjoyed pep rallies. At least they got to party and have fun with their friends. What did we have? Nothing.

"We can't even go out with our friends. We will be lucky to even have prom and graduation. We have it way worse, and it feels like people don't see that. I honestly want this year to be over, I am ready for college."

Sadly, we seniors are going through so much and nothing is going to change. Corona is not going to just disappear overnight. If you know or see a senior in high school, please congratulate them and tell them not to give up, because they are most likely going through a lot.

Class of 2021, we are strong, and we will be able to get through this, and get through much worse. Remember to stay safe out there. Wear a mask and wash your hands.

SCHOOL NEWS

St. Anne information sessions set

St. Anne School, Bethlehem will hold virtual information sessions and tours at 6:30 p.m. on Jan. 25 for grades one through three; Jan. 28 for grades four through five; Febr. 3 for pre-school and kindergarden; and Feb. 10 for grades six through eight. The events will include faculty members, admissions staff, grade classroom, general school and enrollment information for the 2021-22 school year.

Limited in-person school tours, by appointment only, will be scheduled for Jan. 31. This date is also the start of the St. Anne Catholic Schools Week national celebration.

Registration is required. Email ebrida@stannebethlehem.org or call 610-868-4182.

To get your news item in SCHOOL NOTES, send the information to George Taylor at gtaylor@tnonline.com or mail the information to SCHOOL NOTES, Bethlehem Press, 1633 N. 26th St., Allentown, PA 18104.

DEAN'S LISTS

Bob Jones University

Megan Trauch, a sophomore communication disorders major from Bethlehem, was named to the Bob Jones University fall 2020 dean's list. She was recognized for earning a 3.00-3.74 grade point average during the semester.

Bucknell University

Six Bethlehem area residents have been named to the Bucknell University dean's list for outstanding academic achievement during the fall semester of the 2020-21 academic year. The students, who earned a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a scale of 4.0, are Cole Gilotti, Robbie James, Madeleine Atwood, Ryan Bailis, Adam Boyer and Drew Thomas.

Clarion University of Pennsylvania

Four Bethlehem area residents earned at least a 3.5 GPA and were named to the Clarion University of Pennsylvania dean's list for the fall 2020 semester. The students are Morgan Bokan, Colleen Healey, Natalie Lacoe and Nathan Petke.

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Ground mats from plastic, yarn Helping homeless weather winter

BY DANA GRUBB
Special to the Bethlehem Press

A10 THE PRESS

Since last July, a team of volunteers from three area churches --Light of Christ Lutheran Church, St. Peter's Lutheran Church and St. John's Windish Lutheran Church -- have been hard at work turning single-use plastic bags into multi-use mats for the homeless. The bags are turned into plarn (plastic + yarn) and crot-cheted into 30-inch by 72-inch mats one-half inch thick and serve as a barrier against the cold and damp of the ground.

As of the end of December, 28 of the mats have been made and blessed by Pastor Gerry Kulp at Light of Christ Church. Each mat can be rolled up and comes with a carrying strap and two tie straps. Volunteer Michel Lloyd says they've been made elsewhere and distributed to the homeless. Lloyd explains that the God's Work, Our Hands committee involved with the initiative will be visiting homeless encampments and contacting area shelters to get the mats in the hands of those who need them

Mary Mann says it takes 500 to 700 bags to make a mat. The plarn is made and rolled much like a ball of yarn, with eight to 10 balls of plarn needed for each mat. She says "a multitude of people have been bringing bags and making the plarn." During COVID, they've worked individually at their homes or in small groups.

Mann says that their goal is to make 50 of the mats and it takes roughly a week to crotchet each one. "We've had a wonderful time together," she adds.

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Finished mats sit in front of the Light of Christ Lutheran Church Altar, where they were blessed by Pastor Gerry Kulp.



It takes eight to 10 balls of plann to crotchet one mat.



Karen Schoch demonstrates how a mat is rolled up, tied with two straps, and can be transported using a carrying strap.



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DeSales University

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Several area residents were named to DeSales University's Fall 2020 dean's list:. Students from the Bethlehem area are Katelyn Fryzol, Cailee Murphy, Kelly Predmore, Bridget Broskey, Catherine Miller, Taylor Rezac, Cole Bower, Francis Altmire, Magdalene Larrabee, Nicole Somers, Maryann Wickemeyer, Shea Elliott, Erin Jackson, Kayla Kearns, Andrew Wieder, Morgan Dillman, Maria Germanetti, Evan Ritter, Jared Franges, Abigail Kuhne, Kassandra Nunes, Hasanna Birdsong, Carmen Azar, Kelse Weston, Nathaniel Estock, Amelia Grube, Theresa Stawicki, Christie Ring, Daniel Deluca, Lorenzo Alderiso, David Ring, Jamie Dickey, Cheyenne Johnson and Bradley McAllister; and from Freemansburg: Anna Dlabik. To qualify for the honor, a student must have a minimum 3.50 GPA on no fewer than 12 credit hours.

Misericordia University

Five local residents were included on Misericordia University's fall 2020 semester dean's list with a 3.55 grade point average or higher. They are, from Bethlehem; Rachel Bartholomew, Patrick Mattes, Haley McMenimen and Quintessa Zamolyi; and from Hellertown: Shannon Williams.

Muhlenberg College

Muhlenberg College student-athlete Caleya Tereska, of Bethlehem, was named to the Centennial Conference Academic Honor Roll for the fall 2020 season. To be included, a student-athlete must be a sophomore or higher in class standing and carry at least a 3.40 cumulative grade-point average.

Several Bethlehem area residents who are in the Muhlenberg College and Muhlenberg College School of Continuing Studies were named to the dean's list for the fall 2020 semester. The students, who had a term GPA of 3.50 or higher to be included, are Katherine Conlon, Luz Cruz, Jessica Deemer, Kensy Dubon, Kassamali Gangji, Mark Horvath, Jacob Lader, Emily LaRiviere, Heather Lindaman, Gabrielle McCabe, Jaleal McGill, Nancy Ruiz, Rachelle St. Pierre, Nicholas Stannard, Chen Sun, Riley Sweitzer, Caleb Tereska, Isabella Trauge, Vanesa Valencia and Morgana Wallace, all of the Bethlehem area; and Abanoub Marzouk of Freemansburg.

Ohio Weslyan

Chase Reinert, of Bethlehem, has been named to the 2020 fall semester dean's list at Ohio Wesleyan University. To be included, a student that has earned a grade point average of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale in all applicable classes.

Slippery Rock University

Morgan Edwards, from Bethlehem, has been named to the Slippery Rock University dean's list for the fall 2020 semester. To be included, one must be an undergraduate student who earned an adjusted semester grade-point average of 3.5 or higher, based on a schedule of at least 12 newly attempted and earned credits.

Lebanon Valley College

Several local residents attending Lebenon Valley College have been named to the 2020 fall semester dean's list. Dean's list students must maintain a GPA of at least 3.4 out of 4.0. The following students are all from Bethlehem: Lauren Bunke, a graduate of Bethlehem Catholic HS, is pursuing a bachelor of science in

Jennifer Lopez of Bethlehem, a graduate of Bethlehem Catholic HS, is pursuing a bachelor of science and bachelor of arts in communication sciences and disorders and Spanish.

Justin Benton of Bethlehem, a graduate of Freedom HS, is pursuing a bachelor of science in exercise science.

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PRESS PHOTO BY CHRIS HARING

The Saucon Valley School Board holds its first meeting of the new year.

Supt. praises district's COVID efforts

BY CHRIS HARING

Special to the Bethlehem Press

The first 2021 Saucon Valley school board meeting, held virtually Jan. 12, mostly centered around the approval of an elevated number of personnel appointments, resignations and sabbaticals, including temporary paid leaves of absence for 13 teachers and staff members under the Family First Coronavirus Response Act retroactive to December.

The FFCRA, initially passed at the beginning of the pandemic in March, extended paid leave to employees who either tested positive for, or were exposed to, COVID-19 - whether at work or elsewhere. It also covered folks who have a child under their care whose usual school or daycare provider's operations were affected due

SAUCON VALLEY to the ongoing pandemic. into some classrooms,

rise in COVID-19 cases ulty, he said. "I continue and deaths (with all-time to hear from friends in highs in both recently re- other states how chilcorded here in Pennsyl- dren are not in school. vania as well as nation- We're being encouraged Dr. Craig Butler praised Pennsylvania the district's handling of ment of Education, by the challenges present- superintendents in the ed by the pandemic in area to keep our students his weekly report. The attending in person for district has continued those families who wish to operate a full-time, educational in-person model, with only a few temporary interruptions more (information) that's during the fall semester, while many other local districts have chosen to out of the state, there's remain either fully virtu- more of a call for in-peral or in a 'hybrid' setting.

halls today and peeking for those students who

The act expired at the end it reminded me... how of 2020 and is no longer in thankful I am" for the diligent work and dedi-Despite the continued cation from staff and fac-Superintendent by state leaders, by the Depart-

continued, Butler "The more that I hear, the presented to district leaders both in this state and son learning and the defi-"Walking through the cits of remote learning

to have that.'

are forced into the situation have been noted.'

Coincidentally, an email sent to district parents the following day, Butler announced that due to seven confirmed COVID-19 cases at the high school since the Jan. 4 return from Winter Break, students would be transitioned to remote learning through the Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday.

A return to in-person classes was tentatively scheduled for yesterday (Jan. 19) and in the meantime, a "deep-cleaning and disinfecting of the entire high school" would be performed, he said. He also noted that although two positive cases each were also reported in both the elementary and middle schools, classes were to continue under the current format.

Celebrating the Great People of The Lehigh Valley



George Wacker, of Bethlehem, is a partner, with his wife, Crystal,

of the small marketing agency, Lehigh Valley with Love. He says his limited liability corporation is not only his business, but also a description of his relationship with the place he has chosen to live, work and play. All he does as owner of the small boutique marketing agency, Wacker said, is based on his role as a cheerleader for the Lehigh Valley.

Learn more about George Wacker in the Community Partner feature in next week's paper.

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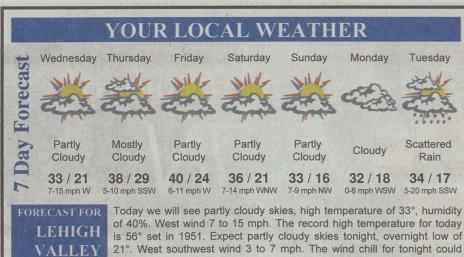
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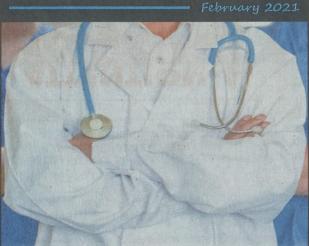
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U.S. NAVY PHOTO BY MASS COMMUNICATION SPECIALIST 2ND CLASS SEAN RINNER Steelworker 2nd Class Metro Sayre, from Bethlehem, assigned to Construction Dive Detachment Bravo (CDD/B), communicates with the underwater dive team and collects data during pier surveys in Gaeta, Italy, Dec. 17, 2020. CDD/B is a detachment of Underwater Construction Team (UCT) 1, from Virginia Beach, Va. The detachment is inspecting and surveying the area to assess the status and operational readiness of the Gaeta port. UCT 1 is a subordinate command of the Navy Expeditionary Combat Force, executing construction and engineering projects under Navy Expeditionary Combat Force Europe and Africa/Task Force 68.

COLONIAL

Officer exam

deadline Feb. 1

The Colonial Regional Police Department is now accepting applications for police officer candidates testing.

The minimum eligibility requirements to be tested are to be 21 years old by test date; and be a high school graduate or have a GED certificate; be a U.S. citizen and have a valid

U.S. driver's license. applications, For contact the Colonial Regional Police Department, 248 Brodhead Road, Suite 1, Bethlehem, Pa 18017; or call

610-861-4820; or visit at nies. www.colonialregionalpd.org. applications must be received no later than formation. 4 p.m. on Feb. 1, 2021. A \$50 administrative

Applicants who are

to be determined.

BRIEFLY

Tree pickups end Jan. 22

Republic Services will be providing curbside Christmas tree pickup Jan. 11-22. Christmas trees will be picked up on the same day as your normal curbside recycling. Please note: Trees should be free of all decorations, tinsel, lights and tree stands. Trees in plastic bags WILL NOT be picked up.

BEEKEEPERS

Virtual class

begins Feb. 3

The Lehigh Valley Beekeepers are offering the 10th annual comprehensive "Introduction to Beekeeping" course virtually via Zoom this year.

Classes will be held eight consecutive Wednesdays, 7-8:30 p.m. Feb. 3 to March 24, culminating in a trip to the club's apiary in late March to experience working with live colo-

The course fee in-Completed cludes emailed course materials and login in-

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Jaime Youngkin of Bethlehem, a graduate of Nazareth Area HS, is pursuing a bachelor of science in early childhood education and special

The University of Scranton

Several local residents attending the University of Scranton have been named to the 2020 fall semester dean's list. A student must have a grade point average of 3.5 or better with a minimum number of credit hours during the semester to make the dean's list. The following students are all from Bethlehem:

Jacob H. Rachwal, a sophomore biology major in the university's College of Arts and Sciences.

Nathan J. Tauber, a sophomore English major in the university's College of Arts and Sciences.

Lamese E. Elias, a senior neuroscience major in the university's College of Arts and Sciences. Dylan D. LeVan, a senior biology major in the

university's College of Arts and Sciences. Rachel A. Smith, a senior biology major in the university's College of Arts and Sciences.

Treasa Burke, a freshman nursing major in the university's Panuska College of Professional

Kaitlyn E. Berback, a sophomore occupational therapy major in the university's Panuska College of Professional Studies.

Dianna K. Depalma, a sophomore nursing major in the university's Panuska College of Professional Studies

Madison D. Langkame, a sophomore kinesiology major in the university's Panuska College of Professional Studies.

Bethany L. Hnatow, a freshman marketing major in the university's Kania School of Management.

Keenaan N. Elias, a sophomore business analytics major in the university's Kania School of Management.

Jarod M. Herman, a senior marketing major in the university's Kania School of Management.

Michael A. Karoly, a senior accounting major in the university's Kania School of Management. Matthew I. Morrow, a senior business administration major in the university's Kania School of

Management. Submit DEAN'S LIST items to gtaylor@tnonline.com.

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WEST END THEATRE DISTRICT NEW DEGINNINGS



PRESS PHOTO BY ED COURRIER

Owner Dominic Germano at the front entrance to the FairGrounds Hotel, 17th and Liberty streets,

FairGrounds Hotel carries on with take-out, inside dining

BY ED COURRIER Special to The Press

After surviving several harrowing Commonwealth mandated coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic shutdowns that wreaked havoc on restaurants, the Fair-Grounds Hotel, 17th and Liberty streets, Allentown, has reopened its indoor dining rooms.

Second-generation owner Dominic Germano was elated when he received the news that as of Jan. 4, Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Wolf relaxed rules for indoor din- a fine dining establish- itude for loyal clientele and ing. Restaurants may now ment. Germano credits his community support that District: New Begincent to 50 percent capacity.

At the FairGrounds Hotel, patrons may savor such dishes as the popular New England-style lobster roll while enjoying the Victorian atmosphere within the and restrictions caused a 70 able through the U.S. Small walls of the landmark brick building.

Built in 1904, the Fair- who owns the family busi- tance, I wouldn't be here Grounds Hotel, 448 N. 17th nesses. He had to lay off today," he says. St., Allentown, had provid- most of the FairGrounds ed rooms for travelers, as Hotel employees. well as food and alcohol in

"Bier Garten" complex previously-unused second-in 1980 from the Lehigh floor patio. Agricultural Society. The er became the MainGate Nightclub.

The family extensively renovated the FairGrounds Hotel, transforming it into operate to between 25 permother's skills as an interihas contributed to the seanings is a continuing or designer for successfully creating the restaurant's Victorian ambiance.

Skip Germano died in

percent decrease in sales, Business Administration. says Dominic Germano,

"The first thing we had its restaurant and bar.

Germano's father, Michael "Skip" Germano,
leased the recent hateland leased the vacant hotel and making alterations to a

"We also had to branch open-air Bier Garten lat- out into delivery," he says. Carry-out business was expanded with "take-out specials," helping to keep the 610-433-7630 restaurant going.

Germano expresses grat- Nightclubfood house's survival

Qualifying for the first round of the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) helped as well, says Germa-The pandemic shutdown no. The loans were avail-"If it wasn't for that assis-

Germano is encouraged that healthcare workers across the street at Lehigh Valley Hospital - 17th Street have begun receiving their first doses of the coronavirus vaccine.

"I adapt the most I can and will hopefully survive the pandemic," he says.

Information: www. fairgroundshotel.com;

Next Week: MainGate

West End Theatre series about how some of the restaurants, businesses and theaters in Allentown's West End Theatre District are coping with the coronavirus (COVID-19) pan-

Laughing all the way through COVID lockdown

BY DAVE HOWELL Special to The Press

It's the story of a man trying to escape prison, with photos, videos and diary en-

In this case, it is the prison where we all have been confined, and there is hope, if not yet a happy ending.

It is "COVID-19 House Arrest" by Richard Plinke.

"The book picked up on its own volition," Plinke says in a phone interview.

It grew out of his social media posts. "At first, I wrote about how much everybody was eating. I would have crazy pictures for each post."

Plinke, who is a business consultant, calls the tone of his work "smart-ass stuff, conservative by nature, not ideological. Most of it is humor-based.'

Plinke, who lives with his wife Terry, Ad Director for Lehigh Valley Press, in Upper Macungie Township, says he has social media followers from all over the United States. "People from all sections of the country have said it has helped them get through this," he says.

He urges people to be cautious. "I believe you should wear a mask. Wearing a mask is a simple thing to do. You should try to social distance as much as you can and you should always wash your

The book begins with "Day 15 of Captivity." Plinke dates it from the time in See PLINKE on Page B2



Pines ready with new murder-mystery



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO BY PINES DINNER THEATRE

From left: Syd Stauffer (Mabel Johnson), Zach Petrovich (Lucky Lindy), "Lucky Lindy's No So Lucky Landing," The Pines Dinner Theatre, Allentown.

With (COVID-19) coronavirus pandemic restrictions easing in Commonwealth, restaurants have been allowed to resume indoor dining with capacity restrictions.

Theatre is ready with a scheduled to take a trip new interactive comedy-murder mystery.

"Lucky Lindy's Not So Lucky Landing" is on stage weekends through May 9 in the dinner theater, 448 N. 17th St. (17th and Liberty streets), Al-

Dinner and a show are at 7 p.m. Fridays; 4 and 7 p.m. Surdays, and 7 p.m. on select Sundays.

In "Lucky Lindy's Not So Lucky Landing," world-famous aviator Lucky Lindy, played



By Kathy Lauer-Williams

The Pines Dinner by Zach Petrovich, is to Merriwether's Explorers Society.

Located on a secluded tropical island, the society is based at an outpost that is a place for adventurers from all over the globe.

Audience members will meet Jon Pierre Fritzhoff (Kristofer Wills) and Henrietta von Viernerlichten (Jennifer Wills), longtime celebrity fixtures at Merri-

wether's. Also on hand is a not-so-talented wannabe movie actress Lina Lamore (Leslie Rodig).

Mabel Johnson (Syd Stauffer) is there to greet the adventuring guests right at the dock and take care of their ev-

ery need. Lindy may not be the pilot he's cracked up to be as a series of unfortunate events befall him

during his visit. Join the wacky inhabitants of Merriwether's Outpost and help to solve a murder in this immersive comedy where anything can

happen. "Lucky Lindy's Not So Lucky Landing" is written and directed by Pines Dinner Theatre Artistic Director Oliver See PINES on Page B2



'Wonder Woman' to the IMAX

1984" takes place, as the title proclaims, in 1984.

It's a wonder why the DC Comics superhero finds herself in the year

Perhaps the film-makers are giving a nod to pell, reprising her role George Orwell's "1984," the 1949 novel credited 2017) competing in an with portraying a future that some social scientists say has become a reality in some er Amazons overseen by nations. "1984" has provided terminology that nie Nielsen). Antiope has entered the lexicon: Thought Police, Big Brother, and the Cult of Personality.

dubbed, is about a pow-er-hungry CEO and TV personality, Maxwell "Max Lord" Lorenzano (Pedro Pascal), whose business is going bankrupt. He gains superpowers from a Dreamstone, an ancient quartz crystal that he steals from the office of The Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D.C., ar-Barbara chaeologist Ann Minerva (Kristen Wiig).

Diana Prince-Wonder Woman (Gal Gadot), reteaming with her old flame, Steve Trevor (Chris Pine), uncovers Max Lord's plan. It's up to them to prevent him from seizing power over

The movie opens with a prologue depicting the young Diana (Lilly As-

AT THE By Paul Willistein



from "Wonder Woman," athletic competition on the mythical island of Themyscira against old-Queen Hippolyta (Con-(Robin Wright) disqualifies Diana because she took a shortcut after falling off her horse.

"Wonder Woman The scene, which 1984," or "WW84" as it's plays out like TV's "American Gladiators" (1989-1996) and other reality TV show contests of strength, sets in moabout the importance of telling the truth.

"WW84" is a sequel to "Wonder Woman" (2017) and the ninth installment in the cinematic DC Extended Universe. Gadot is back as is Patty Jenkins (director, "Monster," 2003), directing from a screenplay she cowrote with Geoff Johns (screenplay, "Aqua-(screenplay, man," 2018; TV's "The Flash," 2014-2020) and Dave Callaham (screenplay, "Zombieland: Double Tap," 2019; "The Expendables," 2010), based characters created by William Moulton Mar-

screenplay has a very convoluted through-line, with little in the way of the snappy dialogue that we've come to expect in superhero films, not enough quiet moments and dialogue between Gadot and Pine to create an emotional resonance of the characters with the movie-goer, and so-so action sequences that are often blurry.

The cinematography appears to be an intentional throwback to 1980s and even 1970s visuals in art design, pacing and substance (or lack thereof). The attire, furnishings, architecture and vehicles create an authenticity.

'WW84" recalls the tion the movie's theme sensibility of the movies, "Superman" (1978) and its 1980 and 1983 sequels, and "Batman" (1989). There's also a campy sensibility akin to the "Batman" TV series (1966 - 1968). One half expects the screen to explode with "Bang," "Zoom," "Kapow" and "Holy Cow" catchphras-

There is a scene with cows in "WW84," but that's a horse of a different color. The screenplay seems to throw in everything but the kitchen sink. In one de-



CONTRIBUTED PHOTO COURTESY WARNER BROS.

Chris Pine (Steve Trevor), Gal Gadot (Wonder Woman), "Wonder Woman 1984."

way too seriously. Who His face is undeniably enough to propel a mov- hero physicality. ie plot.

then "Wonder Woman

not, then not. an flying through the air musical, "Cats" (2019). on the tether of her gold-Magic Lasso.

"WW84" takes itself Steve Trevor to Gadot. "WW84"? Not so much.

doesn't want to save the handsome. His body is ment of "Wonder Womworld? That alone is not buff and up to the super- an," with Gal Gadot

If you're a fan of DC be channeling a young as director, has been an-Comics, Wonder Wom- Donald Trump and Mar- nounced. I look forward an, and especially, Gal lon Brando as the arch to it. Gadot and Chris Pine, villain. It works.

"Wonder Woman en Lasso of Truth, aka 1984" is a movie that agic Lasso. doesn't live up to ex-Chris Pine ("Star pectations. The original on a story by Johns and Jenkins and DC Comics bris-strewn field, there Trek," 2016, 2013, 2009; "Wonder Woman" mov-Jenkins and DC Comics may even be one of "Into The Woods," 2014) ie, as well as the TV seis an excellent foil as ries, was so much fun.

A third movie installreprising her role and Pedro Pascal seems to Patty Jenkins returning

"Wonder Woman Kristen Wiig is a hoot 1984": MPAA rated 1984" is worth seeing. If as Barbara Ann Miner- PG-13 (Parents Strongly va. She's not as effective, Cautioned Some materi-Gal Gadot ("Wonder and it's the fault of the al may be inappropriate Woman," 2017; "Fast costume and makeup for children under 13. and Furious," 2015, 2013, department and special Parents are urged to be 2011, 2009) is a compeleffects crew, when she cautious. Some materiling screen presence. transforms into Chee- al may be inappropriate Her face has a forthright tah, which looks more for pre-teenagers.) for charm. Her body is won- like an outcast from the sequences of action and derfully-suited (pun in- cast of the movie ver- violence; Run Time: 2 tended) to Wonder Wom- sion of the Broadway hrs., 31 mins.; Genre: Adventure, Action, Fantasy, Distributed by Warner Bros.

Readers Credit Anonymous: Stay to the "Wonder Woman 1984" end credits for a

See **REVIEW** on Page B3

PUNKE

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March when Pennsylvania Governor Tom Wolf extended his shutdown order to the entire state.

The book ends with Plinke getting a haircut after restrictions were

The subjects Plinke writes about in 81 days of captivity range from everyday life changes in shopping and ordering food to satires of pandemic press confer-COVID statistics.

The book includes



Richard Plinke

ences and questioning of lockdown-related activities.

It maintains a humormany photos of Plinke ous, satirical tone. It has ic. in costumes and doing some harsh criticism,

and Plinke names many of his pet peeves.

There are also many quotes from popular music and films, with an index for those you might not recognize.

reaucrats are skewered than the disease. in the book, with Governor Wolf coming under fire most often. Plinke says this is because "Number one, he is a target. Number two, I had fun doing it."

Plinke takes issue with the way the lockout and public information about the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandem- ness from 2011 to 2018.

was a huge mistake," he his own companies. says. "It put a lot of peo-Politicians and bu- age. The cure is worse

> "Some of the decisions were made politically as much as medically. There was no rhyme or reason. Often, the state did not release lot of mistrust.

down has been carried to Lehigh Valley readers about his years in sales. for the column he wrote There might be a Focus editor, put for Lehigh Valley Busi-sequel to "COVID-19 listein@tnonline.com"

He has been a sales-

"Closing businesses man for 35 years with originally supposed to

His three previous way too much burden on our economy. There will be a lot of residual dam
way too much burden on "Dancing in the Cave of about it again."

To p
be a lot of residual dam
Jaws of the Dragon," and a signed of "More Droppings from the Dragon."

Plinke says encoun- munications, tering sales resistance is "facing the dragon."

His business consulting company is called "How to Sell the Plague." information. It created a He expects to release a book with that title Plinke may be known this year. It's a memoir

House Arrest."

"The lockdown was

be for two weeks. I can't believe it is still going ple out of work. It was books were about sales, on. I might start writing

purchase a signed copy of "COVID-19 House Arrest" (Bright Com-2020; \$19.95; 186 pp): www. howtoselltheplague.

"Literary Scene" is a column about authors, books and publishing. To request coverage, email: Paul Willistein, Focus editor, pwil-

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Blatt, with original music by Blatt and orchestrations by Stacy Bech-

served seat for the show. beef tenderloin, fettuc-Food is available for cine Alfredo and butterpurchase a la carte.

The menu includes kin ravioli.

tel. This show is rated chicken Caprese, honey Dijon pork, striped pan-Tickets include a regasius, shrimp skewers, nut squash and pump-

> www. Tickets: pinesdinnertheatre. that com: 610-433-2333

NCC Theatre spring season: After a successful virtual season in fall 2020, the Northampton Community College Theatre Department is embarking on a spring season that includes two plays and a musical.

Mutimer, NCC Theatre sual image." Department head, calls format.'

Knowing of course, March 4-8 situations as change, we may have to make adjustments," he

"Citizen: An Ameriact, can Lyric," written by prec Claudia Rankine and adapted for the stage by Stephen Sachs, is Feb. 11, 12 and 13.

searing, poetic riff on April 15-18.

To ensure everyone's race in America, fusing Philip Sidney safety, the college is con- prose, poetry, movetinuing with what Bill ment, music and the vi-follows the escapades of

Clair Freeman di-"live theater in a virtual rects Edward Albee's dom from extinction, 'At Home at the Zoo,'

> bee delves deeper into own hearts. his first play, "The Zoo Story," by adding a first act, "Homelife," which precedes Peter's fateful by Lucille Kincaid and meeting with Jerry on choreography by Tina a park bench in Central

Park. The 2018 Broadway "Curtain Rises" is a musical "Head over column about the the-Mutimer, who di-musical "Head over rects, calls the play "a Heels: The Musical" is

The jukebox musical features the songs of The Go-Gos in James Magruder's adaption of The Countess of Pembroke's Arcadia, the 16th-centu-

The hilarious plot a royal family on a journey to save their kingonly to discover the key to their realm's survival In the 2004 play, Al- lies within each of their

The musical will be directed by Mutimer, with musical direction Williams.

Tickets: ncctix.org ater, stage shows, the actors in them and the directors and artists who make them happen. To request coverage, email: Paul Willistein, Focus editor, pwillistein@tnonline.com









High school musicals again doubtful; WFMZ plans Freddy Awards TV show

pwillistein@tnonline.com

The State Theatre Center for the Arts, Easton, has announced that 2021 will be another "different kind of year" for the annual Freddy Awards, which recognizes and rewards outstanding achievement in local high school musical theater.

"The restrictions of the pandemic will prevent our evaluative process once again, so it will be another creative year,' said Shelley Brown, Executive Producer of the awards program and President and CEO of the State Theatre, in a Jan. 12 press release.

The announcement is also on the State Theatre website: https://freddy-

will still produce a television special that will celebrate the high school students' work, but we will be unable to evaluate another broadcast in most 2020 high school mu- ing the talents of the that owned the State The- freddys-shop

"Thanks to our partnership with WFMZ, we will still produce a television special that will celebrate the high school students' work, but we will be unable to evaluate any high school shows in our traditional fashion."

Shelley Brown

Executive Producer of the awards program and President and CEO of the State Theatre

any high school shows in which we can celebrate

Brown said.

Lehigh Valley region
high schools are still deciding what, if any, productions can be presented ant to us that our college given social-distancing scholarship opportuniand other coronavirus ties continue. Our pro-(COVID) pandemic regram is a top priority to strictions, according to the theater, but we need strictions, according to the press release.

"Thanks to our partnership with WFMZ, we will still result of the evaluators and students is another factor in our decision."

all of this is the fact that coronavirus (COVID-19)

our traditional fashion," the kids. We will work together to make this as special as we can," said

"And it is very importpress release. to adapt this year's chang-"The safety of our evaling landscape," Brown

A 2020 Freddy Awards televised and online event 'The bright spot in was produced despite the

The "Freddy Awards:

A Television Special Celebrating the High School Musical Class of 2020" premiered May 21, 2020, on 69-WFMZ, long-time partner with the State Theatre for the telecast.

A set of DVDs of the TV show, which pays tribute to high school seniors and others involved in 2020 musical productions, has been available for purchase.

With COVID-19-mandated shutdowns, most of the region's 2020 school musicals never made it to opening night.

form their shows this bers from the awards protancing in place it has been a challenge even

exceptional accomplishments in the production and performance "Only six of our 29 Class of 2020 with a retro- atre from 1936 until his schools were able to per- spective of opening num- death in 1957.

To recognize and reward

The State Theatre Center for the Arts

in 2003. to envision a television show at all," said Brown in an April 22, 2020, press release.

The Fleddy Awards are benefit the Fleddy Awards program which toric venue's "Fred the presents scholarships and awards to area sturlease.

Legend has it, that of J. dense to the presents and local schools. The telecast combined "Fred" Osterstock, who WFMZ is committed to pandemic curtain call for new material highlight- managed the company

Proceeds from the sale year, and with self-dis- grams since its inception of the DVD set purchased 2003. through the State The-The Freddy Awards atre benefit the Freddy

> Information: shopstatetheatre.org/

LCCC given \$1 million for tech scholarships

Clifford F. Miller, one of the first professors 1968 to teach mechanical retiring in 1958 as a sewas just a small college the first instructors in colleges. He valued that hired to teach at Lehigh technology at LCCC and nior designer. He taught housed in the Lehigh the Valley to introduce students in his classes College (LCCC), has do- He was named professor nated a gift of nearly \$1 emeritus in 1999. Miller School from 1958 to 1968, million to the college to died in April 2020 at the before joining the faculty at LCCC. for students studying

Services Center. A ded- War II.

Community retired on May 31, 1987.

In recognition of this contribution, the Student Services Center on missing Polytechnical pus will be renamed the Army veteran, having Clifford Miller Student served during World

mechanical drafting at William Allen High

from the University of Pennsylvania in 1963 and a masters of educathe Schnecksville cam- Institute. He was an tion from Temple Uni-

Miller was hired in Works, Reading, before Department when LCCC

Miller, a native of Miller received a "He was such an inno- "Mr. Miller was im- Part-time and full-Reading, graduated from bachelor's in education vator and had a tremen- mensely dedicated to time students will be

"He also was one of especially community University.

"Mr. Miller was imdous passion for teach- LCCC students and the eligible for the scholaring students. His love community, even after for cars was evident in his retirement," said his design classes as his LCCC President Dr. Ann versity in 1966. former students said D. Bieber. "This gift is "Cliff Miller was one he always could turn a an example of his com-

County courthouse," CAD into the classroom, were likely to remain losaid James DePietro, as he partnered in a pilot cally for work and were LCCC professor who re- program with the school a positive impact on the placed Miller after he of engineering at Lehigh economic development of our region.'

ship, with preference to students studying in technology fields.

Information: Silvia Vargas, executive direcof the first faculty to de- classroom discussion to mitment to them. He tor, LCCC Foundation, ication and naming ceremony is to held in 2021. for Textile Machine to start the Technology way.

In the total for the first its first included to the benefits small on a dovargas @ of higher education and lccc.edu. of higher education and lccc.edu.

Continued from page B2 scene with Lynda Carter, who played Wonder Woman on the TV show (1975-1979), as Asteria. WW84" was filmed in Warner Bros. Studios, London, and Duxford, England; the District of Columbia; Northern Virginia; Tenerife, Fuerteventura, the Canary Islands, and Almería, Andalusia, Play," starring Allen-Spain.

At The Movies: The Dec. 12 restrictions by Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Wolf that closed movie theaters, among other Jan. venues, were lifted Jan. 4 and I, along with Michael "Movie Maven" Gontkosky, were among undisclosed the first in the Lehigh of movie screens; \$32.6 Valley to see the theat- million, three weeks. rical release of "Wonder The rest of the Top 10 Woman 1984" (which stayed in place, with opened theatrically the exception of "Come elsewhere Dec. 25) at Play," which moved up AMC Center Valley 16, one place, and "Alien," The Promenade Shops which moved down one at Saucon Valley, Upplace.
per Saucon Township.
The film was seen in the Age," \$1.8 million, 1,818 IMAX format.

Jan. 15-17: "The Marksman" opened at No. 1 lion, 1,986 screens; \$7 with \$3.2 million, on million, three weeks. 1,975 screens, ending the 4. three-week No. 1 reign of er," "Wonder Woman 1984," which dropped one place to No. 2, with \$2.6 million, 2,201 screens, \$35.8

million, four weeks.
3. "The Croods: A
New Age" dropped one place, \$2 million, 1,855 screens; \$39.2 million, eight weeks. 4. "News Of The World" dropped one place, \$1 million, 1,953 four weeks. 5. "Mon-ster Hunter" dropped place, \$920,000, 1,694 screens; \$9 million, five weeks. 6. "Fatale" dropped one place, \$530,000, 1,175 screens; \$4.7 million, five weeks. \$135.000, two weeks, 2020 "Promising Young re-release. Woman" dropped one

four weeks. 8. "The Emperor's New Groove,' opening, 2021 re-re-lease. 9. "The War With Grandpa," starring Al-lentown's Oakes Feg-the Action, Adventure, ley, dropped one place, \$155,563, 422 screens; \$19.2 million, 15 weeks. 10. "Pinocchio" dropped three places, \$140,975, 660 screens; \$1.3 million, town's Winslow Fegley, dropped two places, \$103,000; 159 screens; \$9.8 million, 12 weeks.

Movie Box Office, 8-10: "Wonder Woman 1984" continued at No. 1 for three weeks, with \$3 million, on an number

screens; \$36.8 million, Movie Box Office, seven weeks. 3. "News n. 15-17: "The Marks- Of The World," \$1.2 mil-"Monster Hunt-\$1.1 million, 1,765 screens; \$7.8 million, four weeks. 5. "Fatale," \$656,606, 1,222 screens; \$3.9 million, four weeks. "Promising Young Woman," \$566,285, 1,448 screens; \$2.7 million, three weeks. 7. "Pinocchio," \$220,968, screens; \$1.1 million, three weeks. 8. "The War With Grandpa," starring Allentown's Oakes screens; \$8.5 million, Fegley, \$154,789, 385 screens; \$19 million, 14 weeks. 9. "Come Play," starring starring Allentown's Winslow Fegley, \$95,430; 151 screens; \$9.6 million, 11 weeks. 10. "Alien,"

Movie box office in-

\$60,000, 456 screens;

place, \$430,000, 1,333 formation is from Box screens; \$3.3 million, Office Mojo.

Unreel, Jan. 22:

"No Man's Land," \$169,000, 744 screens, PG-13: Conor Allyn di-Thriller. A man accidentally kills a Mexican immigrant along the Texas-Mexico border.

"Our Friend," R: Gabriela Cowperthwaite directs Dakota Johnson, Casey Affleck, Jason Segel and Cherry Jones in the Drama. A best friend

moves in with a family.

"Breaking Fast," No MPAA rating: Mike Mosallam directs Haaz Sleiman, Michael Cassidy and Veronica Cartwright in the Comedy, Drama. A practicing Muslim in West Hollywood breaks his fast during Ramadan.

Unreel, Jan. 15: "The Marksman," PG-13: Robert Lorenz directs Katheryn Winnick, Liam Neeson, Teresa Ruiz and Juan Pablo Raba in the Action Thriller. An Arizona rancher defends a Mexican boy fleeing drug cartel assassins.

"Don't Tell a Soul," R: Alex McAulay directs Fionn Whitehead, Jack Dylan Grazer, Mena Suvari, and Rainn Wilson in the Drama, Thriller. Two teenage brothers steal money to help their sick mother. They encounter a security guard trapped at the bottom of a well.

"Some Kind of Heaven," No MPAA rating. Lance Oppenheim directs the Documentary that profiles four residents of The Villages, Lake, Sumter and Marion counties, in Central Florida, a 32-square-mile 55-plus retirement community.

Movie release dates are from Internet Movie Database.





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Be considerate in thank-you note response

Dear Jacquelyn, Last month, I sent my nephew a birthday gift. He hasn't said, "Thank you." I checked the tracking and the gift definitely was delivered. tion the time it took to I was really hoping buy a gift. he would call to say, "Thank you," or even conclusions, send a send a thankyou note. I'm not have innocently forgotsure if I should ask ten to acknowledge rehim or just let it go. What should you do when your gift isn't

recipient? Dear Reader,

disappointing someone doesn't express gratitude and appreciation. After all, you took time out of your day to think about them, not to men-

acknowledge by the



Before you jump to consider that your nephew may ceiving your gift, or may be incorrectly thinking that he has already ac-

knowledged it. There is a polite way to approach this. First, give your nephew the benefit of the doubt. There could be a number of reasons why you didn't get that thankyou. He could be busy

and it's simply an over-

Give him a call, text or email -- whichever way you normally connect. I would simply ask, "I don't trust the mail. Did you ever get the gift I sent you?" Asking this simple question will hopefully prompt your nephew to remember to thank you for the gift.

Keep in mind as soon as you send a gift, that Have a question? gift is given and out of Email: jacquelyn@ptd. your hands. You can certainly opt to say nothing.

In this case, the kindness you extended will be a silent, unspoken gesture. The oversight of failing to acknowledge the gift falls solely on your nephew. No matter how you approach this awkward situation, remember that you did a nice thing by taking

the time to purchase and send him a birthday gift. Most importantly, a gift is something free-

In a perfectly-polite world, everyone who receives a gift from someone would acknowledge receiving the gift and issue a proper thank-you.

Respectfully Yours, Jacquelyn

net. Jacquelyn Youst is owner of the Pennsylvania Academy of Protocol, specializing in etiquette training. She is on the board of directors of the National Civility Foundation.

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Determining what we will be

A chatty little boy who lives near me says he wants to be a race car driver when he grows up.

"Or, maybe an air-plane pilot or the guy that drives the firetruck. I want to go fast," he says.

His mother laughs and says if you ask him again next time he'll have a different answer.

His 10-year-old sister, on the other hand, never changes her answer. She wants to be a teacher like her favorite teacher.

I think it's remarkable grade school kids have any answer other than "I don't know."

When I was a kid no one ever asked me what I wanted to be when I grew up. My only thoughts about the future didn't extend beyond playing hide and seek that night.

Maybe that's why I was taken by surprise in fifth grade when Miss Boden, our formidable English teacher, asked each student to stand up and say what they wanted to be when they grew up. I said the first thing

that came to my mind. I said I wanted to be a tap

dancer.

That answer didn't sit well with Miss Boden. She said I had to stay after school until I gave her a more serious answer.

The only other student who had to stay after school because he gave "an unsuitable answer" was Earl Boyer. He said he wanted to be an undertaker. She thought he was being a smart aleck.

Pressed to give Miss Boden a better answer, I said I wanted to be a girl reporter like Lois Lane. Earl wouldn't change his mind. He kept saying he wanted to be an under-

taker. While Miss Boden thought our answers weren't suitable, the funny thing is that when we grew up and started our careers, Earl was hired to work for our local funeral home and eventually went to school and became a licensed funeral

director. I couldn't be Lois Lane but I came close. At 16, I was first hired to write a newspaper column for our local daily newspaper. After graduation I became the first female in our county to be hired as a newspaper reporter.

Looking at today's newsrooms where half or more of the reporters are women, it's hard to believe there was a time when women were only hired as so-called "society reporters," writing about weddings and social happenings. There are few limits on women today.

On occasion Earl and I would laugh about our fifth-grade memory of not having suitable career goals.

We both knew we were really lucky to be able to work at something we loved doing.

By the way, there was one other time when Miss Boden made me stay after school after I turned in my writing essay. She told me I had to sit there until I admitted my mother wrote it. She said no kid could write like that.

By Pattie Mihalik

To prove I was lying, she made me write another essay as she watched.

While that was a little upsetting, Miss Boden was the first person to say I had writing talent. After graduation I sent her flowers to thank her for her encouragement.

Some of us fall into jobs without giving it much thought, happy to have a paycheck. While forward-looking some students give serious thought to planning their career path, the big question each one must first answer is: What kind of work do I want to do. Most kids today think beyond paychecks. They say they want to work at something they enjoy.

It's a lot of pressure for a high school student to decide what that might

When my two daughters were in high school making career decisions, they were fortunate to have their skills and passion align at an early age.

Maria decided she wanted to be a writer because she said it was something that came easily to her. She didn't like newspaper writing, knowing that magazine writing would better suit

Andrea's piece of extraordinary luck was spending her 16th birthday at a Pennsylvania Photographers meeting with her parents. When Pulitzer Prize winning photographer Tom Kelly learned she wanted to be a photojournalist he offered her an internship with him. By the time she graduated from high school she had internships at several papers and knew she was picking the right field for her.

Sometimes it's luck that leads someone to the right career choice.

One thing is certain: It's a constantly changing job landscape.

A decade ago few knew two lucrative careers could be that of a blogger or what we call an influ-

When I first heard that term I thought, what the heck is an influencer and how can you get paid for

Social media influencers develop your brand and influence their followers to like what you offer. They can get paid quite well for it.

If anyone had told Miss Boden they wanted to become an influencer or a blogger she probably would have kept them after school forever.

Although I'm well into retirement, I still think about what I want to become, because hopefully, we never stop evolving.

In the long run, what kind of career you pick isn't as important as what kind of person you are. And that keeps changing over time, hopefully for the better.

Contact Pattie Mihalik at newsgirl@comcast.net.

Parents must make girl, 15, do homework

Q. I have a 15-yearold who refuses to THE do homework. She does well in school, but the homework is what brings her grades down. I can't take her computer away since she is doing classes online. I put a limit on her Wi-Fi use, but she seems to have a way to get around it. Unfortunately, I am out of town a lot because of my job. I just can't find a way to encourage her to do her homework.

"Students this age grossly underestimate the importance of their sophomore year," panelist Chad Stefanyak said. acknowledging

'Students think they can wait until their junior and senior years she would like to do to worry about grades. But what they don't understand is that college application forms go out in December of their senior year, so that year isn't part of the applica-

should make it clear the child does not see that she is already half- now: "Explain to her way there in applying that sometime in the fufor college," panelist De- ture she may want to apnise Continenza said.

"They need to empha- someone else competing

FAMILY PROJECT By Carole Gorney



size that doing homework isn't negotiable, and they need to help their daughter see the importance of short-term goals," Continenza

In urging the parents to have a conversation with their daughter, Panelist Mike Daniels said, "It is important to recognize that the girl is doing well, but the maintaining control is homework is affecting her grades.

'Mom can begin by her daughter's abilities, and then asking her what with her future," said Daniels, adding, "Mom is not going to be able to just snap her fingers and change the 15-year-old's view of grades."

Stefanyak said the tion," said Stefanyak. parents need to add val-"The girl's parents ue to the homework that parents need to add valply for a job, and there is

"The parents also need to establish structure for the girl now," panelist Wanda Mercado-Arrovo recommend-

"That means specifying the same time and place for the girl to do her homework every day. She also needs to be supervised, and have regular breaks to improve concentration," said Mercado-Arroyo.

Panelist Erin Stal-sitz acknowledged that difficult when the mother is not at home, suggesting that she call the girl every night to determine what progress is being made on the homework.

"The conversation has to be about more than grades," said Daniels. "Zoom calls should be about 'How are you?' and 'I miss you."

This week's panel: Pam Wallace, procoordinator, Project Child, a program of Valley Youth House: Denise Continenza, extension educator; Chad Ste-

for the same job. Ask fanyak, school counher, 'How well will your selor; Wanda Mergrades and resume comcado-Arroyo, former teacher and school administrator, Mike Daniels, LCSW, Psychotherapist, and Erin Stalsitz, Lehigh Children & Youth.

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Hernia surgery, men's brains, hip resurfacing

Q. I understand that getting a hernia fixed today is a lot HEALTHY easier than it used to be. Is that true?

You get a hernia when a section of an internal organ bulges through weak abdominal muscle tissue. The protruding organ is usually the intestines. About 80 percent of hernias are located in the groin. The overwhelming majority of groin-hernia victims are men.

million About Americans develop hernias annually, but only 700,000 get them fixed surgically. The common nating facts: theory for this phenomenon among doctors is that most people fear hernia surgery is not the men have about 2 billion ordeal it once was with a large incision and long recovery.

Patients hernia surgery are in an out of the hospital the a San Francisco neuro- tasks, same day. The surgery takes about one hour. Most patients resume asserts that the differ- navigating (Is that why their normal lives with- ence between male and they don't ask for direcin a few days after the female brains explains tions?). Women tend to

By Fred Cicetti



The operation can be done with a small incision or by minimally invasive laparoscopic surgery that employs a slender, tubular, optical instrument with a surgical tool.

Q. Do men have zendine. different brains than women?

* Dr. Gabrielle M. de Courten-Myers, a University of Cincinnati scihaving an operation. But entist, has determined more brain cells than women but the extra pleasure from it. cells don't make them

requiring smarter than women. psychiatrist and author motor of "The Female Brain,"

discuss their feelings, while men love to dwell

'Women have an eight-lane superhighway for processing emoa small country road," Brizendine said.

for processing thoughts about sex, where women have the airfield nearby that lands small and private planes," said Bri-

study suggests that ment. Here are some fasci- when males watch a mild electric shock given to a cheater, they don't feel his pain. Instead they enjoy it. Women's brains empathize with the cheater's surgery, the ball is repain and they get no

Men tend to perform better than wom-* Louann Brizendine, en at certain spatial target-directed skills, mathematical reasoning, and

why women like to excel at word tests, identifying matching items and precision manual tasks.

medical condition.

Men and women with equal IQs achieve the same scores with diftion, while men have ferent areas of the brain, Richard J. Haier, PhD. reported in "NeuroIm-'Men, however, have age." He also found that O'Hare Airport as a hub women have more white matter and fewer gray matter areas related to IQ than men do.

Q. What is hip resurfacing? It is a surgical alter-

A brain-scanning native to hip replace-The hip is a ball-and-

socket joint. The ball is at the top of the femur (thigh bone), and the socket is in the pelvis. In hip replacement

placed with a metal or ceramic substitute. The socket is fitted with a metal cup to hold the new ball.

ence in hip resurfacing is that the surgeon doesn't remove the femural ball. Instead, the damaged ball is reshaped, and then a metal cap is anchored over it.

A crucial issue in nerable to fractures. joint replacement is hip is good for about 20 geezer.com. years, and it is difficult "How To Be A Healthy to remove and replace Geezer," 218-page comone that's shot. Hip repilation of columns: surfacing, unlike hip healthygeezer.com replacement, preserves enough bone to permit a served © 2021 Fred total replacement if it is Cicetti

necessary later. Surgeons estimate Inc., and affiliates (Lethat 10 to 15 percent of

The primary differ- people with bad hips can high Valley Press) do consider hip resurfacing instead of replacement.

Resurfacing is not recommended for patients with osteoporosis, a disease that makes bones porous and vul-

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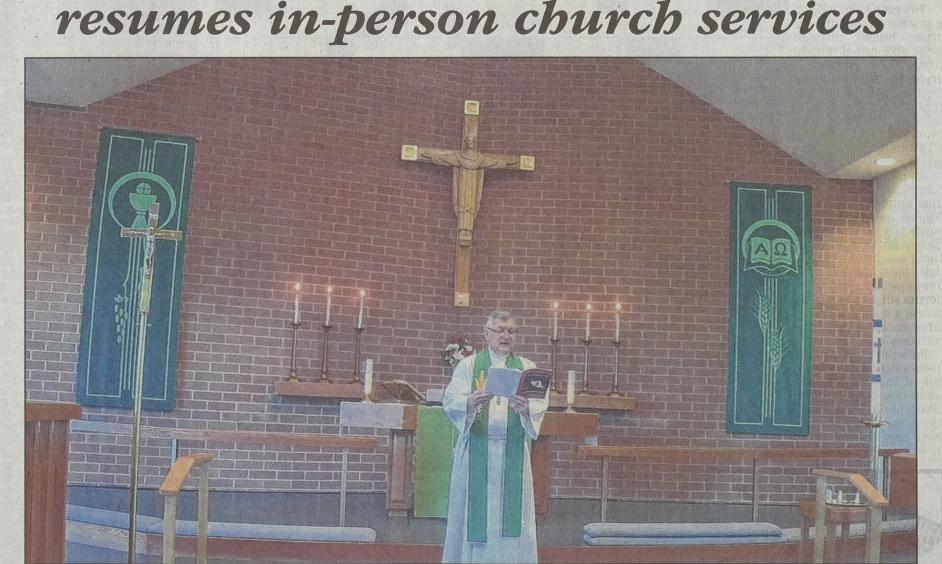
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Today's Cryptoquip Clue: P equals Y

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHN M. KOSTICK, deceased, late of South Whitehall Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to: John E. Kostick,

Administrator Vicki L. Kostick. Administrator c/o Wiener and Wiener, LLP 512 Hamilton Street, Suite 400 Allentown, PA 18101 OR to their attorney Wiener and Wiener LLP 512 Hamilton Street, Suite 400 Allentown, PA 18101

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PREMIER Crossword

PROGRAM FINALES ACROSS

- 1 Sci-fi zapper 10 "Flashdance" star Jennifer
- 15 1,152, to Caesar 20 Stateside
- 21 U-shaped bend
- in a river 22 Protest shout
- 23 Gave spirit to
- 24 Chicago airport
- 25 See 42-Across 26 Bad grade
- 27 Causes wonder in
- 28 Subcompact car of the 1980s 30 Naughty kid
- 31 Saroyan's
- 'My Name Is -"
- 32 Mex. miss 33 Abate
- 34 HarperCollins or
- Simon & Schuster 40 — Antonio
- 41 Suffix with Brooklyn
- 42 With 25-Across, Czech tennis great
- 43 Crude dude 44 Gallery stuff
- 46 Film director
- Preminger
- 47 Holiday song 49 Optimistic attitude
- 55 Give and take
- 57 False appearances
- 58 Flaky dessert59 Restricted entry
- 62 USMC rank
- 63 Frat dude 66 Soon-to-be adolescents
- 67 Inquire into 69 One of 100 in D.C.
- 70 Monk's title 71 Stuff applied to the wall
- of a room 76 School org.
- 77 Certain Ukrainian 78 Fine riverbed sand
- 79 Athlete's advantage
- 84 1836 Texas siege site
- 87 Abbr. on a phone dial 88 Sgt., e.g.
- 89 Must-have 91 In a bit, to bards
- 92 "- a snap!"
- 93 Took a chair
- 95 Features of many limos 100 Sue Grafton's "- for
- Noose"
- 101 Movie-rating org. 103 Defendant's opponent
- 104 Part of LAPD
- 105 "Necktie," "bathrobe" or "jumpsuit"
- 108 College bigwig
- 110 Furry foot
- 113 Taken together
- 114 Great values
- 115 Subsequent stage

- 26 42 69 117
- 117 Coup —
- 118 Omit, as a syllable
- 120 Blissful spots
- **DOWN**
- 1 Told a fib
- 2 Hathaway of "Ocean's 8"
- 5 Make over
- 6 Bar with beermaking
- 7 Berlin article
- 8 Masters
- Ticked off
- 10 "Awright!"
- 11 Dig out from the ground
- 15 Suburb of D.C. in Virginia
- 17 Judge of the O.J. Simpson
- 18 Owing
- 19 "Don't worry, things are going to work out"

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By Frank A. Longo



- 119 Balsam or turpentine
- 121 Doles (out) 122 Maker of the eight programs that are the theme of this

- 3 Store lure
- Bygone U.K. record label

- facilities

- 12 Impose on (outlaw)
- 13 Some nobles 14 Affirms solemnly
- 16 Wheat (cereal)
 - trial

- 28 60-min. periods
- 31 Lung cell
- 35 Egg cells
- 37 Style of jazz
- 39 Great reviews
- 46 Bullring cheer
- 50 Old railroad watchdog agcy.
- 52 Age-verifying cards
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- 62 Co. big shot
- Gold-winning figure skater Brian
- 64 Hotfoot it 65 Slugger Mel

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- 29 "Give whirl"
 30 "You're preaching to
- the choir'
- 34 Pen maker
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- 48 Library penalty
- Bo (exercise system)
- 56 Eye squintingly
- 61 Gene stuff
- 67 Burned a bit 68 Sentimental pop songs

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- 72 Ida. neighbor
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- 75 Comedian Gilda 76 "Ask Me Another" airer
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- sea trout
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PUBLIC NOTICE MUNICIPAL ADVERTISEMENT **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Purchaser: Borough of North Catasauqua 1066 Fourth Street North Catasaugua, PA 18032 Attn: Tasha Jandrisovits, Borough Secretary

The Borough of North Catasauqua hereby invites interested bidders to submit sealed bids for the Borough's use of equipment and operations for the year 2021. The borough seeks rates for the following:

Tri - Axle Dump Truck D4 - Bulldozer or Equivalent Backhoe Rubber Tire Loader Tractor Trailer - Rate to haul oversized equipment Excavator - Large and Small

North Catasauqua Borough is requesting hourly rates for equipment and hourly rates for laborers to run the equipment.

Bids will be accepted until 4:00 pm on Friday, January 29, 2021, by the Borough Secretary at the Office of the Borough of North Catasauqua, located at 1066 Fourth Street, North Catasauqua, Pennsylvania, 18032. Said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on Monday, February 1, 2021 at a meeting of the North Catasauqua Borough Council at 7:00 pm. Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids will remain valid for a period of forty-five (45) days from opening. If no bid is awarded in that time, a new bid invitation will issue.

There are no restrictions on the submission, change, or withdrawal of bids, except that bids may not be withdrawn after the date and time of opening. Tasha Jandrisovits, Borough Secretary

Jan. 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE
ZONING HEARING BOARD AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that the Borough of Emmaus Zoning Hearing Board will meet on Thursday, January 28, 2021 AT 6:00 P.M. via Zoom to hear the following appeals

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83130501270?pwd=bVEyVks5TWFYY1psOHp RUnpNTVh1dz09

Meeting ID: 831 3050 1270 Passcode: 943924

APPEAL 10577- H2L HOLDINGS LLC 3401 NORTHLAND AVE. EAST-ON, PA 18045 FOR 100 KEYSTONE AVE. EMMAUS, PA 18049. Applicant is proposing to lease 6,535 sq. ft. area of their building for a proposed wellness and fitness use. Applicant is requesting a Special Exception Use to Z.O. Section 806.7.B. to change a non-conforming use to another type of non-conforming use. Site is located in a R-HO zoning district. Applicant is also requesting the following interpretations and variances: 1) That Benchmark Fitness & Empower Nutritional & Fitness are Personal Service uses. 2) A 2,535 SF variance to Z.O. attachment #1 for Personal Services. 3) An interpretation that the 4,000 SF requirement does not apply to the proposed use. Site is located in a R-HO Zoning District.

James L Farnsworth- Zoning Officer

Jan. 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE Meeting Notice

The Heidelberg Township Board of Supervisors announces the following 2021 meetings to be held in the Municipal Building, 6272 Route 309, New Tripoli, PA 18066:

Supervisors meetings, 7:30pm - 1/21, 2/18, 3/18, 4/15, 5/20, 6/17, 7/15, 8/19, 9/16, 10/21 11/18, 12/16.

Supervisor budget/special meetings, at 6:30pm - 9/16, 10/21, 11/18.

Planning Commission meetings as required, 7:30pm - 1/25, 2/22, 3/29, 4/26, 5/24, 6/28, 7/26, 8/30, 9/27, 10/25, 11/29, 12/27

Zoning Hearing Board meetings as required, 7:00pm -1/18, 2/15, 3/15,

4/19, 5/17, 6/21, 7/19, 8/16, 9/20, 10/18, 11/15, 12/20

EAC meetings, 7:30pm - 2/9, 3/9, 4/13, 5/11, 6/8, 7/13, 8/10, 9/14, 10/12,

Jan. 20

Janice M. Meyers, Township Administrator

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, January 28, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. in the Salisbury Township Municipal Building located at 2900 South Pike Avenue, Allentown, PA, the Salisbury Township Board of Commissioners will act on the following:

AN ORDINANCE OF SALISBURY TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA, VACATING A PORTION OF EISENHOWER AVENUE EXTENDING BETWEEN A DEAD END AND WEBSTER AVENUE

A copy of the full text of the ordinance may be examined at the Salis bury Township Municipal Building, 2900 South Pike Avenue, Allentown, PA during normal business hours from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday

Cathy Bonaskiewich, Township Manager/Secretary

Jan. 20

PUBLIC NOTICE Whitehall-Coplay School District **Public Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Whitehall-Coplay School District (the "District") shall convene Committee Jan. 20, 27 Meetings beginning at 4:00 p.m. on January 25, 2021. The Finance/ Personnel Committee will meet at 4:00 p.m., and the Education/Student Activities Committee and Operations/ Transportation Committee will follow consecutively. Public participation at this meeting shall be limited to remote connection using a virtual meeting platform to allow for connection by any member of the public and provide a mechanism for participants to indicate that they would like to speak and offer comments during the public comment portion of each meeting. Directions for connection to and participation in these public meetings will be published on the District's publicly accessible website. Individuals who need accommodations to address dis abilities need to contact Michael Malay at, Boardsecretary@whitehall coplay.org; at least 48 hours in advance of the scheduled meeting. This notice is posted pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Sunshine Act, 65 Pa.C.S. § 701, et seq. Jan. 20

> **PUBLIC NOTICE** NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of North Whitehall Township will be held virtually online via ZOOM/Livestream on Wednesday, February 3, 2021 at 7:30pm for the purpose of hearing the following Ap-

Appeal No. 200019, Amy Dreisbach, 2884 Rockdale Road, Slatington, PA 18080 is hereby requesting a zoning variance to Ordinance 2011-11 Article XII Section 1202.1 Percentage of Slope, Distance, Horizontal and Vertical Requirements to accept a newly constructed driveway that has sections above the maximum 12% slope.

The property in question is located at 2884 Rockdale Road, Slatington, PA 18080, and is situated in the (CR) Conservation Residential Zoning District. Tax ID# 5560 8728 8049.

Appeal No. 210001, Stephen T. Meli, 5216 Wagon Wheel Drive, Schnecksville, PA 18078 is hereby requesting a Special Exception to operate a gun repair business as a home occupation in the residence. Section 111.E.4. Special Exception.

a. The Board shall hear and decide requests for all special exceptions filed with the Board in writing by any landowner (or any tenant with the permission of such landowner), as provided in this Ordinance and in accordance with such standards and criteria contained in this Ordinance and the procedures in Section 119.

b. Conditions. In granting a special exception, the Zoning Hearing Board may attach such reasonable conditions and safeguards, in addition to those expressed in the Ordinance, as it may deem necessary to implement the purposes and intent of this Ordinance. Section 403.D.9 Home Occupation, General

Evaluate and approve the standards set forth in the Ordinance for a Home Occupation.

The property in question is located at 5216 Wagon Wheel Drive, Schnecksville, PA 18078, and is situated in the Agricultural Residential (AR) Zoning District. Tax ID# 5560 6133 6741.

PLEASE NOTE: for security purposes you must first register for this meeting at the following link:

https://tinyurl.com/ZHB-02-03-21 After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. You are encouraged to register well in advance of the meeting to ensure a smooth meeting.

In an effort to provide ample time for public comment the agenda and background information is being posted on the Township's website on Wednesday, January 20, 2021

If you would like to provide comment you have two options:

1. Review the agenda and background information and email the Township

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Zoning Officer at jmouer@northwhitehall.org no later than 3pm on February 1, 2021. Any comments received by email will be read to the Board at

the meeting.
2.Register for the meeting online via the web link provided above. If you wish to call in you must still register.

ALL APPLICANTS MUST PARTICIPATE IN THIS HEARING

All persons interested or those desiring to protest may register and will be heard. Copies of the submitted plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building during normal business hours.

PUBLIC NOTICE REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Catasauqua Area School District will receive sealed bids for the Field House Renova-tion in the form of MULTI-prime lump sum contract(s). Bids shall be submitted in PDF format to bids@dhuy.com no later than prevailing time on Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. at which time bids will be publicly opened and read. The public Bid opening will be conducted via teleconference using GoTo Meeting. The following information may be used to view/access the Bid Opening: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/131520157, United States: +1 (872) 240-3212, Access Code: 131-520-157.

MANDATORY pre-bid conference will be conducted on Thursday, February 4, 2021 at 1:00 PM at the Catasaugua Area School District Administration Office, 201 North 14th Street, Catasauqua, PA 18032. Representatives of the Project Engineer (D'Huy Engineering, Inc.) will provide project details at this meeting. Nonattendees will not be permitted to bid.

Electronic Contract Documents: In order to Bid the Project, prospective bidders must obtain Bid/Contract Documents in electronic format (PDF) via e-mailed link upon request to D'Huy Engineering, Inc., 1 East Broad Street, Suite 310, Bethlehem, PA 18018, 610-865-3000, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00). Checks shall be made payable to "D'Huy Engineering, Inc." Documents will be sent electronically after receipt of payment. Bidders must supply the following information with their request for documents: which contract(s) you are bidding, company name, contact person, complete address, phone and fax numbers, and email address. Documents will be available on January 25, 2021.

Robert Spengler, Superintendent Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

> **PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE**

The Southwest Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee comprised of Borough of Emmaus, Borough of Alburtis, Lower Milford Township, Borough of Macungie, Upper Milford Township and Lower Macungie Township respectively, will meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 in Council Chambers at Emmaus Borough Hall, 28 S. Fourth St., Emmaus, PA 18049. During the pandemic meetings may be held via Zoom Online Meetings, please see Borough of Emmaus website for meeting link. Sane M. Pepe, Borough Manager

> **PUBLIC NOTICE** LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT BOROUGH OF EMMAUS AMBULANCE BILLING SERVICES **Notice to Bidders**

The Borough of Emmaus, Lehigh County, PA will receive sealed proposals from qualified companies interested in performing EMS Medical Billing and Collections Services. Sealed, written proposals shall be received at Emmaus Borough Hall, 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049. Proposals are due no later than 12:00 PM on Friday, February 19, 2021

Borough Council shall interview selected qualified firms. Borough Council shall consider award of the winning proposal at their regular meeting to convene in Council Chambers at 7:00 PM, Monday, March 1, 2021.

Proposals shall be submitted via written communication on the forms provided by the Borough, to 28 S. 4th Street, Emmaus, PA 18049. Alternate forms of submission are included in the RFP. Submissions shall be sealed and labeled "Ambulance Billing RFP". Bid and proposal specifications can be obtained for a non-refundable fee of \$25.00 at the office of the Borough Manager at 28 S. Fourth Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or can be obtained electronically by emailing spepe@borough.emmaus.pa.us.

Bids shall remain firm for a period of sixty (60) days.

The Borough of Emmaus will hold a mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting via Zoom on February 10, 2021 at 1:00 PM. Meeting instructions are included in the RFP specifications.

Borough Council hereby reserves the right, which is understood by and agreed to by all bidders, to refuse or reject any and all bids submitted; to waive any informalities, irregularity, or defect in the bids or the bidding process; and, to award the bid in a manner which Council, at their sole discretion, feels is in the best interest of the Borough of Emmaus

No bidder or proposer shall withdraw a bid that has been submitted for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of the bid opening.

Borough of Emmaus Shane M. Pepe, Borough Manager

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE

MEETING RESCHEDULED The North Whitehall Township's Farmland Preservation and Open Space Board meeting has been rescheduled for Thursday, February 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM.

> Brenda Norder, Secretary North Whitehall Township

Jan. 20

PUBLIC NOTICE NORTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Hearing Board of North Whitehall Township will be held virtually online via ZOOM/Livestream on Wednesday, January 27, 2021 at 7:30pm for the purpose of hearing the following Ap-

Appeal No. 200016, Travis Hall 4121 Penn Street Coplay, PA 18037 is hereby requesting a zoning variance to Section 403.15.b.1, 2, "Accessory Structure or Use" to maintain a third accessory structure (70 square foot shed) on the parcel and to obtain a variance for the total square feet of the accessory structures greater than a total of 1,000 square feet for all of the accessory structures

The property in question is located at 4121 Penn Street Coplay, PA 18037, and is situated in the (VC) Village Center Zoning District. Tax ID# 5479 Appeal No. 200017, Bryce Wagner 5018 Farm View Drive Schnecksville,

PA 18078 is herby requesting a zoning variance Section 307.B.f.1 "Minimum accessory setbacks" to construct an accessory structure/detached garage 4 feet into the required 15 - foot side yard setback.
Section 403.15.b.1, 2, "Accessory Structure or Use" requesting a zoning

variance to allow 1,192 total square feet of the accessory structures which is greater than a total of 1,000 square feet for all of the accessory structures on the parcel.

The property in question is located at 5018 Farm View Drive Schnecksville, PA 18078 and is situated in a (AR) Agricultural Residential Zoning District. Tax ID# 5570 0122 8181.

Appeal No. 200018, Kornfeind Realty 2228 Old Post Road Coplay, PA 18037 is hereby requesting the following interpretations of the zoning ordinance: Section 801.B "More than one principal use on property", Section 402.69.b "Apartment Density", Section 402.69.f "Maximum stories allowed for apartments in a Commercial district". Also, a Special Exception is requested for Section 801.B "More than one principal use" if the interpretations are unfavorable.

The property in question is located at 2228 Old Post Road Coplay, PA 18037 and is situated in a (C) Commercial Zoning District. Tax ID# 5479 **PLEASE NOTE, for security purposes you must first register for this

meeting at the following link: https://tinyurl.com/ZHB-01-27-21

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. You are encouraged to register well in advance of the meeting to ensure a smooth meeting. In an effort to provide ample time for public comment the agenda and

background information is being posted on the Township's website on Wednesday January 13, 2021. If you would like to provide comment you have two options: 1. Review the agenda and background information and email the Township Zoning Officer at jmouer@northwhitehall.org no later than 3pm on January

19, 2021. Any comments received by email will be read to the Commission at the meeting. 2. Register for the meeting online via the web link provided above. If you wish to call in you must still register

ALL APPLICANTS MUST PATICIPATE IN THIS HEARING All persons interested or those desiring to protest may register and will be

heard. Copies of the submitted plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building during normal business hours.

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Notice is hereby given that on January 4, 2021, Certificate of Organization was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for BnD, LLC, in accordance with the provisions of the Limited Liability Act of 1994.

James L. Broughal, Esquire BROUGHAL & DEVITO, L.L.P. 38 West Market Street Bethlehem, PA 18018

Jan. 20

PUBLIC NOTICE INCORPORATION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Articles of Incorporation were filed with and approved by the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the 9th day of December, 2020, for the purpose of creating a business corporation which has been incorporated under the provisions of the Business Corporation Law of 1988. The name of the corporation is **A5 Transport Inc.**

PUBLIC NOTICE BIDS WANTED

Sealed electronic bids will be received by the Lehigh County Schools Joint Purchasing Board, until 2:00 p.m., February 19, 2021, for the follow-

Science Supplies

All bids will be exclusively received and processed through the Eschoolmall easyBid application process at www.eSchoolmall.com; the failure to follow this process (no paper submissions will be considered) will disqualify the bid submis-Bid instructions and specifications can be obtained from Andrew Barnett at 610-769-4111, ext. 1682 or barnetta@cliu.org Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on February 19, 2021 Patricia T. Bader, LCSJPB Board Chairperson Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ... NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization was filed on December 10, 2020 with the PA Department of State for JAVES Holding Company in accordance with the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law, Act of December 7, 1994. Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire 352 Fifth Street, Suite A, Whitehall, PA 18052 (610) 437-9867

> **PUBLIC NOTICE** NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization was filed on December 10, 2020 with the PA Department of State for BM Holding Company in accordance with the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law, Act of December 7, 1994.

Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire 352 Fifth Street, Suite A, Whitehall, PA 18052 (610) 437-9867

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization was filed on December 11, 2020 with the PA Department of State for County Rental Service, LLC in accordance with the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law, Act of December 7, 1994.

Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire 352 Fifth Street, Suite A, Whitehall, PA 18052 (610) 437-9867

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization was filed on December 11, 2020 with the PA Department of State for County Investments, LLC in accordance with the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Law, Act of December 7, 1994. Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire 352 Fifth Street, Suite A, Whitehall, PA 18052

> **PUBLIC NOTICE** NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

(610) 437-9867

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Certificate of Organization was filed on December 16, 2020 with the PA Department of State for City Rental of the Limited Liability Company Law, Act of December 7, 1994. Ronald E. Corkery, Esquire

352 Fifth Street, Suite A, Whitehall, PA 18052 (610) 437-9867

Mechanics Plus Towing and Transport, Inc 4701 Colebrook Ave, Emmaus PA 18049 610-967-3035 Car Ready for Auction - Sealed Bid Auction 9:00 am to 10:00am - January 20, 2021

PUBLIC NOTICE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Macungie Borough Authority, Replacement of Water Service Connections in South Church Street Invitation to Bid. The Macungie Borough Authority is currently accepting bids via the PennBid Program (www.PennBid.net) until 1:00 P.M. prevailing time on Friday, February 5, 2021 for the Replacement of Water Service Connections in South Church Street. Bids will be referred to the Macungie Borough Authority for consideration and award at their meeting on Thursday, February 11, 2021. All Bidding Documents, including Bidding Instructions and Specifications, as prepared by Barry Isett and Associates, will be available online at PennBid.com at no cost on Wednesday, January 20, 2021. There will be a pre-bid meeting at the Macungie Institute, 510 East Main Street, Macungie, PA 18062 at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, January 26, 2021.

> **PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in the **Estate** of **JEAN E. CREVELING** of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, the Register of Wills has granted Letters Testamentary, 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:

James P. Creveling 6232 Riverview Rd. Slatington, PA 18080

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

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ESTATE NOTICE
Estate of Jane E. Graves, Deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to the un-dersigned, 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:

Martin Lang, Executor Estate of Jane E. Graves c/o Andrew V. Schantz, Esquire Davison & McCarthy, P.C. Two City Center 645 Hamilton Street, Suite 510 Allentown, PA 18101 or to his attorneys at the above address.

Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3 **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Lower Macungie Township will receive sealed bids electronically via the PennBid Program for the 2021 Sanitary Sewer Lateral Cleanout Project which includes installation of 51 new cleanouts on existing sanitary sewer laterals until 10:00 AM (prevailing time) on February 9, 2021. Bids results will be made available on PennBid after bid opening. Copies of the Specifications/ Bid Forms are available at no cost on PennBid (https://pennbid.procureware.com). Each bid must be accompanied by bid security made payable to Lower Macungie Township in an amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid price and in the form of a certified or bank check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety and meeting the requirements stated in the bid documents. Per-formance bonds will be required from the successful bidder in the full amount of the annual contract price as stated in the bid documents. 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 informality in, and/or to reject, any or all bids. Bruce Beitel, Township Manager

PUBLIC NOTICE Telecommunications Facility Valore, LLC proposes to construct a new 105' monopole at 851 2nd Street, Whitehall, PA 18052, 40-38-8.4N, 75-28-5.4W, FCC ASR file: A1182956. Interested persons may review the application by going to www.fcc.gov/asr/ applications and entering the FCC ASR file# listed above. In accordance with the FCC's rule 47 CFR § 14.4(c), Valore, LLC here-by solicits public comment concerning its proposed site and any impacts it may have upon environment. Requests for Further Environmental Review should be submitted online. Instructions can be found at www.fcc.gov/asr /environmentalrequest. Paper copies may be sent FCC Requests for Environmental view, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. Requests should also be sent to: Valore, LLC, ATTEN-TION: Valore, LLC-FCC Regulatory, 7 Gilbert Stuart Way, Mariton, NJ 08053. In order for your comments to receive full and timely consideration, they should be received at addresses above within 30 days of the date of this notice and reference FCC ASR file# A1182956.

Jan. 20

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the **Board of Commissioners** of South
Whitehall Township will meet on **Wednesday February 3, 2021** at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of conducting a public hearing for the review and possible adoption of the following. The meeting will be held electronically via GoToMeeting. To access the meeting though your computer, tablet or smartphone, go to:https://www.gotomeet.me/swt_cd/swtpublicmeeting . You can also dial in using your phone. United States: +1 (646) 749-3122, Access Code: 746-000-069. You may provide comments in advance of the meeting by sending an email to info@southwhitehall.com by 3:00 p.m. on February 3, 2021. For further details, please see the website at www.southwhitehall.com.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE BY AMEND-ING APPENDIX A "ZONING DISTRICT MAP WITH INNOVATION OVERLAY DISTRICTS" TO REZONE APPROXIMATELY 3.889 ACRES LOCATED IN SOUTH WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP, GENERALLY BOUND-ED BY HILLVIEW ROAD ON THE EAST, INTERSTATE 78 TO THE NORTH, AND THE LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP BOUNDARY TO THE WEST AND SOUTH, AND BEING PART OF A LARGER APPROXI-MATELY 14.895-ACRE TRACT OTHERWISE SITUATE IN LOWER MACUNGIE TOWNSHIP, FROM R-3 LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL

DISTRICT; AND, PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, RETENTION OF RIGHTS TO ENFORCE CLAUSE, A REPEALER CLAUSE, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE. Copies of plans, applications and supporting documents are available for public inspection by request to the Township. A copy of the draft Ordi-

ZONING DISTRICT TO R-5 MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL ZONING

nance is available at www.southwhitehall.com. Joseph A. Zator II, Esquire

Township Solicitor

Jan. 20, 27

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UTILITY BILLING

CLERK: Upper Macungie Township is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Utility Billing Clerk in the Finance Department. This position will provide various clerical and finance duties by assisting with the maintenance of customer accounts, prepare and process invoices, work as a cashier collecting payments, prepare submit grants provide customer service support on a daily phones. greeting guests, answer inquiries, and provide back up for Receptionist, Clerks, and Finance

Must have excellent customer service, organizational, problem solving, and computer skills (Word, OneNote, Excel, etc.) with a minimum two (2) years' clerical experience; general knowledge or previous experience with municipal government preferred. The successful candidate must submit to a background check and pre--employment screening

Department Positions.

This position is full-time. Salary range: \$15.00-\$16.39. Pay will commensu rate with education. skills, and relevant ex-Interested perience candidates should send a cover letter, resume, and references Upper Macungie Township, ATTN: Greta Slifer, Human Resour-Mgr., 8330 Road, Breinigsville, PA 18031 or email

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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 for the purpose of creating a Limited Liability Company pursuant to the provisions of the Limited Liability Company Act of 1994, as amended.

The name of the Limited Liability Company is:
CHUCKWALKS, LLC

Kenneth R. Bachman, Esq. 1063 Mosser Road, T-204 Breinigsville, PA 18031

PUBLIC NOTICE

Estate of Joyce B. Reese, Deceased. Late of Whitehall Twp., Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Thomas R. Reese, Executor, 1922 Alberta Dr., Whitehall, PA 18052. Or to his Atty.: William R. Blumer, Leisawitz Heller Abramowitch Phillips, P.C., 2755 Century Blvd., Wyomissing, PA 19610. Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOITCE
Estate of Robert S. Lynn, Deceased. Late of Upper Saucon Twp., Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary on the above Estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to Mary Ellen Walker, Executrix, 130 Kutz Rd., Fleetwood, PA 19522. Or to her Atty.: William R. Blumer, Leisawitz Heller Abramowitch Phillips, P.C., 2755 Century Blvd., Wyomissing, PA 19610. Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE • Estate of Maida B. Clever a/k/a Maida S. Clever, Deceased. Late of Lower Macungie Twp., Lehigh County, PA. D.O.D. 5/23/20. 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 Lawrence Clever, Executor, 524 Crescent Ave., Lansdale, PA 19446. Or to his Atty.: E. Nego Pile, Pile Law Firm, 1777 Sentry Pkwy, West, Suite 404, Veva 14, Blue Bell, PA 19422. Jan. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE POSCH, HELEN R., DECEASED late of 1316 E. Highland Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania

Letters of Testamentary having been granted to GARY J. POSCH. All those indebted to the Estate are requested to make payment and those making claim are requested to do the same to GARY J. POSCH, Executor, c/o JACOB T. THIELEN, ESQ., Miller & Thielen, P.C., 101 S. Richmond St., Fleetwood, Pennsylvania 19522. Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE TRUST NOTICE
JOSEPH A. POSCH AND HELEN R. POSCH JOINT REVOCABLE AGREEMENT OF TRUST

Late of 1316 E. Highland Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania 18109. Gary J. Posch, Trustee, hereby notifies all persons who have claims against Helen R. Posch, Deceased, and/or Joseph A. Posch and Helen R. Posch Joint Revocable Agreement of Trust, dated September 19, 2002, to present the same and all persons indebted to said parties are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to:

Gary J. Posch, Trustee c/o Jacob T. Thielen, P.C. 101 S. Richmond St., Suite B Fleetwood, PA 19522 Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE
Estate of John J. Krutsick, late of Lower

Mount Bethel,, County of Northampton, Commonwealth of 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 ments without delay to **John Vincent Krutsick**, **Executor**, c/o 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404 Bethlehem, PA 18017; or Timothy J. Duckworth, Esquire, Mosebach, Funt, Dayton & Duckworth, P.C., 2045 Westgate Drive, Suite 404, Bethlehem, PA 18017. Jan. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF NONPROFIT CORPORATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Artic Incorporation were filed on December 28, 2020. with the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, pursuant to the provisions of the Nonprofit Corporation Law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Act of December 21, 1988, P.L. 1444 No. 177, as amended, by the following nonprofit

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Estate of Joseph Blaukovitch, Jr., late of Allentown, Lehigh County, PA. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to Joan Oplinger who requests all having claims against the Estate make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent make payment without delay to: Joan Oplinger, 1008 N. Poplar St., Whitehall, PA 18052. Jan. 13, 20, 27

> **PUBLIC NOTICE** NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

To satisfy the owner's storage lien, PS Orange Co. Inc. will sell at public lien sale on January 2021, the personal property in the belowlisted occupants' leased spaces, which may include but are not limited to: household and personal items, office and other equipment. The public sale of these items will begin at 10:00 AM and continue until all units are sold. PUBLIC STORAGE # 24516, 2977 MacArthur

Road, Whitehall, PA 18052, (484) 408-6691 Time: 10:00 AM

B0008 - Johnson, Deshawn; B0009 - Korli, Lusu; E0309 - Guerrier, Kisha; E0402 - Dorney, Amber; E0410 - Yellets, Linda; E0416 - Giannetti, Frank; F0512 - Rada, Derek; F0520 - Kinard, Jalen; F0533 - Santmyer, Jessica; F0600 - Hurdle, Nakeea; F0609 - Miller, Glenn; F0615 - Miranda,

Ezabella; G0710 - Mungin, Joseph; G0753 -Medina, Lorraine; G0829 - Barr, Teri Public sale terms, rules, and regulations will be made available prior to the sale. All sales are subject to cancellation. We reserve the right to refuse any bid. Payment must be in cash or credit card-no checks. Buyers must secure the units with their own personal locks. To claim taxexempt status, original RESALE certificates for each space purchased is required. By PS Orangeco, Inc., 701 Western Avenue, Glendale,

CA 91201. (818) 244-8080.

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Eva DeLaurentis, deceased, late of Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration D.B.N.C.T.A. have been granted to Michael A. Santanasto, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent make payment without delay to: Santanasto Law, 210 E. Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018.

> PUBLIC NOTICE **ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Gary J. Ford, deceased, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Testamentary have been granted to **Timothy S. Fenley**, who requests that all persons having claims or demands against the Estate make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent make payment without delay to: Santanasto Law, 210 E. Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018. Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE Estate of Anna Kuchirka, Deceased, of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania.

Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to – Executrix:

Karen Semonis 1002 Eagle Drive Emmaus, PA 18049 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of CLARENCE H. BOEHM,

deceased, late of Bethlehem, Lehigh County, PA. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons have ing 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:

Lorraine D. Gallagher

c/o Steckel and Stopp LLC Executrix or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp LLC, By: Charles W. Stopp, Esquire, at 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080

> PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of TIMOTHY P. DUGAN,

ased, late of Bethlehem, 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:

Mary H. Dugan c/o Steckel and Stopp LLC
Executrix or to their Attorney, Steckel and Stopp LLC, By: Charles A. Waters, Esquire, at 125 S Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080.

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of JANET M. SNYDER,

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

Tina K. Snyder, Administrator C.T.A c/o CHARLES A. WATERS ESQ. Steckel and Stopp LLC

125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210, Slatington, PA 18080. Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3 PUBLIC NOTICE

ESTATE of WILLARD W. KRESSLEY, deceased, late of Orefield, 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:

Barbara L. Kressley c/o Charles W. Stopp, Esquire STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210 Slatington, PA 18080

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of DOROTHY J. URBAN, 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:

THOMAS A. TOTH, EXECUTOR c/o KEITH W. STROHL, ESQ. STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210 Slatington, PA 18080

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE of RALPH J. SNYDER, deceased, late of Lowhill Township, Lehigh County, PA. Letters 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 pay-

ments without delay to: Tina K. Snyder, Administrator C.T.A. c/o Charles A. Waters, Esquire STECKEL AND STOPP, LLC 125 S. Walnut Street, Suite 210 Slatington, PA 18080

Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE of JANICE B. SCHAEFFER, deceased, late of Lower Macungie Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payments without delay to: Stacey S. Seipel, Executrix

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

Emmaus, PA 18049 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE of MARTIN J. GORR, deceased, late of Lower Macungie Township, Lehigh Coun-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:

Martin John Gorr, Jr., Executor a/k/a Martin J. Gorr, Jr. c/o John O. Stover, Esquire 537 Chestnut Street Emmaus, PA 18049 Or to his attorney: John O. Stover, Jr., Esquire Law Offices of John O. Stover, Jr. 537 Chestnut Street

Emmaus, PA 18049

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

ESTATE OF OSCAR E. BECK, 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: ALAN CHRIS BECK**

c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Esquire 7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051 Jan. 6, 13, 20

> **PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF BRADLEY ELLIOTT, Decedent, late of Allentown, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration 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: Co[Administrators:

Gilbert L. & Patricia S. Elliott c/o Jon A. Swartz, Esquire 7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051

> **PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE**

ESTATE OF BRENDA J. ISAMOYER, Decedent, late of Weisenberg Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration 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:

Administrator: Charles J. Isamoyer c/o Richard W. Shaffer, Jr., Esquire 7736 Main Street, Fogelsville, PA 18051 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Roberta Wotring, late of Orefield, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Deirdre May Muthard, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to David M. Roth, Esquire c/o, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Jan. 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Mary Yoder, late of Salisbury Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to Joanella Yoder Mitch, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to David M. Roth, Esquire c/o, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Jan, 13, 20, 27

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Alan D. Quinn, 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 Michele A. Korutz, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 111 East Harrison Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or her Attorney, Robert B. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law 111 East Harrison Street, Emmaus, PA Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE **ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Lelia S. Ellenberger, deceased, late of 800 Hausman Road, South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make payments without delay to Daniel G. Ellenberger, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or his attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102. Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Harold F. Thomas, deceased, late of 1925 Turner Street, City 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 Patti L. Shelly, c/o The Roth Law Firm, 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA 18102, or her attorney, Larry R. Roth, Esquire, The Roth Law 123 North Fifth Street, Allentown, PA Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

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 **ESTATE OF: PATRICIA O. SAMPSON**

Lower Macungie EXECUTOR: George P. Sampson, III c/o 1620 Pond Road, Ste. 200

or EDWARD H. BUTZ, ESQ. 1620 POND ROAD, SUITE 200 ALLENTOWN, PA 18104 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING NOTICE

The Northampton County Housing Authority Board of Directors will hold its January, 2021 board meeting on Monday, January 25, 2021 at 4:15 pm virtually due to COVID-19 restrictions. Please follow these instructions if you would like

to join this meeting.
Use the link below to attend, or, call the telephone numbers listed to attend by phone. Linda Hyman is inviting you to a scheduled

OfficeSuite meeting.
Topic: NCHA Virtual Board Meeting
Time: Monday, Jan 25, 2021 04:15 PM Eastern
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questions at: (610) 965-4514 ext. 212. Christina M. Feiertag, Executive Director

PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of ELSIE E. BECK a/k/a ELSIE ELIZ-ABETH BECK late of the Township of Whitehall, County of Lehigh and Commonwealth of Penn-

sylvania, 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: CHRISTOPHER K. BECK and **KEVIN M. BECK** Co-Executors c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE

GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426

Jan. 6, 13, 20 PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTATE of ALEXANDER J. GLASS, JR., A/K/A ALEX J. GLASS, JR., late of the City of

Township of Lehigh, 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:

CHERYL W. TUBIO Executrix c/o GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE

GAIL WEINER SHEARER, ESQUIRE 70 E. Broad Street PO Box 1426 Bethlehem, PA 18016-1426 Jan. 6, 13, 20

> **PUBLIC NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of RENEA A. STAHLEY, deceased, late of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamenary have been granted to the under signed, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make pay-

ments without delay to

Bryan N. Stahley, Executor
c/o YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to his Attorney YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq.

Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE

119 E. Main Street

Macungie, PA 18062

late of Emmaus, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamenary have been granted to the under signed, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make pay-

ments without delay to
Cindy A. Saul, Executrix c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062
Or to her Attorney YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062

ESTATE NOTICE Estate of NESTA HARRIS BRISTER, a/k/a NESTA H. BRISTER, deceased, late Coopersburg, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, Letters Testamenary have been granted to the un-der signed, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the Decedent to make pay-

ments without delay to
Carl M. Detwiler, Jr., Co-Executor
Alan K. Kappauf, Co-Executor c/o YOUNG & YOUNG Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq. 119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062 Or to their Attorney YOUNG & YOUNG
Rebecca M. Young, Esq. Lia K. Snyder, Esq.

119 E. Main Street Macungie, PA 18062

Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3

PUBLIC NOTICE: Estate of Paul Leonard Heckman, 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: Susan Ann Kanarek, Executor

c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or to her attorney: Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq. 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 Jan. 6, 13, 20

PUBLIC NOTICE: Estate of William A. Schmeltzle a/k/a William Schmeltzle, deceased, late of Macungie, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the Estate of the Decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the

Decedent to make payments without delay to: Sharon Fritch, Executor c/o Emily A. Zettlemoyer 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049 or to her attorney: Emily A. Zettlemoyer, Esq. 53 North Third Street, Emmaus, PA 18049