

## The Grand Finale: Haines Music Closes Its Doors By Kay Poeth



ABOVE: Haines Music closed its doors on Saturday, February 2, 2013 after serving local music aficionados since 1965. LEFT: Owner Nevin Garrett bids farewell to business he has

owned and loved for 27 years. On Saturday, February 2, 2013 Haines Music in Hummels Wharf ended a legacy that has endured nearly 50 years. Haines Music has provided service to music accessories, and instrument relocal service.

well-known and respected in the area. Local musician Bob Gift recalled, "I was a regular customer at Haines Music Store when it was on Market Street in Sunbury. I was playing in a band, "THE VIBRATIONS" in 1965 and we bought most of our supplies from Ward Haines.I purchased my first really good guitar am-plifier from Ward in 1966. It was a Fender Super Reverb amp. It had four 10 inch

The Haines Music legacy was passed



vears before he retired. He was like a father to me and I was like a son to him," said Nevin Garrett.

Nevin Garrett earned a degree in nications.

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music and instruments to be accessible to everyone. I could always depend upon Ward and Eleanor to get me whatever music or supplies I needed. After Ward passed, Nevin carried on in the same light as Ward and Eleanor. I appreciated the fact that Nevin kept the name of the store and also had Ward and Eleanor's picture hanging on the wall. Haines Mu-sic Store closing is the end of an era. Haines Music touched the lives of many in the surrounding communities and brought music into the lives of many. It will be an adjustment to not be able to go

into Haines Music anymore." Linda Kniss of Port Trevorton reminisced as well, "When I was a senior in high school, the drum major hit the slide of my trombone and bent it beyond repair. Mr. Ward Haines let my parents pay monthly installments on a new tromto look up as they reached up and took

Music Centers has announced the acauisition of Haines Music.Family owned and operated for over 75 years, Robert M. Sides has grown into a Music Trades Magazine Top 100 Music Store Chain and a National Association of Music Merchants ranked Tip 100 Music Store. Sides provides sales, rentals and repairs to choral, orchestral and band programs in over 300 schools in Pennsylvania and New York. They will incorporate the Haines business into their headquarters in Williamsport

However, the store in Hummels Wharf will close. Patrons will have to travel to one of the other Robert M. Sides locations in Williamsport, State College, Wilkes-Barre, or Horseheads (NY). Sides has six repair technicians on staff and 40 employees at its Williamsport store located at 201 Mulberry Street. Customers can also rent instruments online by visiting the website at www.rmsides.com.

Rob Ensinger, a member of the Haines team as a School Service Representa-tive since 1987, will join the Robert M. Sides team and continue to provide service to his customers.

Peter Sides stated, "We take very seriously the responsibility of maintaining and building upon the solid reputation with customers and educators built by

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### Club 39

Club 39 meets every Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. in the Government Building at 347 Chestnut St., in Mifflinburg. February 14: Breakfast Turnpike Restaurant 8:30 a.m. February 20: Program Fireman Todd Steese. February 27: Birthdays-Fun and Games. February 28: Dinner at OIP (Original Pizza), in Mifflinburg at 2 p.m.

### Dance

The Countryside Contra Dancers welcome everyone to the Contra Dance on February 9, from 7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. at the Donald Heiter Community Center, at 100N 5th Street, in Lewisburg. Calling this month is Dave Colestock with live music by Contra Rebels. All dances are taught/called, with the basic figures taught from 7:30 p.m. - 8 p.m. For more information call Betsy or Jeff at 524-2104 or visit http://www.lewisburgcontra.com.

### Ladies Dinner

Ladies, you are invited to attend Tuesday After '5's "It's Party Time," dinner on Tuesday, February 12. A delicious lasagna dinner will be served at the Country Cupboard restaurant in Lewisburg at 6:30 p.m. We will feature "Tastefully Simple" by Jeannie Bontomasse of Lewisburg, and be musically entertained by Mike Sweigard of West Milton. Then we will sit back and relax as speaker, Cindy McKee of Warren, PA, an experienced bargain hunter tells about her priceless find. The dinner ends by 8 p.m. The price of the evening is all inclusive. To make your reservation or for more information, contact Tracey at 742-8995 or Betty at Blyler@dejazzd.com.

### Grocery Shoot

The Buffalo Valley Sportsmen's Club, at 950 Sportsmen's Club Road, in Mifflinburg, is hosting a grocery shoot on February 9, beginning at 6 p.m. This is for compound and traditional shooters and there will be a category just for kids. Soup and Scripture Series

36th Annual Soup and Scripture Series for 2013 has a Theme from I Corinthians 13 and will begin on February 13, at 7 p.m. The Lewisburg Council of Churches and the Lewisburg Ministeriam again are sponsoring the annual Soup and Scripture Series for 2013. It will be held each Wednesdays at the Christ Lutheran Church and is scheduled from noon until 1 p.m. beginning on Wednesday February 13. February 13: Topic will be from I Corinthians 13:1-2 and the speaker will be Reverend William Henderson, Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church. Lunch servers will be St. Johns United Church of Christ. February 20: Topic will be from I Corinthians 13;3 and the speaker will be Reverend Tim Hogan Beaver Memorial Methodist Church. Lunch servers will be Beaver Memorial Church. February 27: Topic will be from I Corinthians 13: 4-6 and the speaker will be Reverend Judi Dunkelberger, St. Paul's Methodist Church. Lunch servers will be First Presbyterian Church. March 6: Topic will be from Corinthians 13:7 and the speaker will be Reverend James King, First Presby terian Church. Lunch Servers will be Faith Lutheran Church and First Baptists Church. March 13: Topic will be from I Corinthians 13: 8-12 and the speaker will be Reverend Peter Harer, St Andrew's Episcopal Church. Lunch servers will be Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church. March 20: Topic will be from: I Corinthians 13: 13 and the speaker will be Reverend Mackenzie Scott, First Baptist Church. Lunch servers will be Sacred Heart Church.

### Lenten Services

Lenten Services will be held at the Emmanuel UCC Church, on Market and Vine Streets, in New Berlin, on Wednesdays starting Ash Wednesday, February 13 and continuing through March 20. Everyone is welcome.

### Valentine Spaghetti Supper

A Valentine Spaghetti Supper with Round Dancing will be held on February 15, starting at 4 p.m. in the Lewisburg Senior Center, at 116 North Second Street, in Lewisburg. For reservations call Nancy at 523-6510 Mon. - Thurs. from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

### Bingo

The Millmont West Union Lions Club will have a Longaberger Basket Bingo on Monday, February 18, at the Carriage Corner Restaurant, at 257 East Chestnut Street, in Mifflinburg. The doors open at 5:30 p.m. with the game beginning at 6:30 p.m. Additional information is available by calling 966-0096 or 966-3940. The proceeds benefit various area eyesight and community projects.

### Blood Drive

The Red Cross will hold a Blood Drive on Monday, February 18, from 1 p.m. - 6 p.m. at the Mifflinburg Assembly of God, at 1001 Market Street, in Mifflinburg. To scheduled an appointment go to www.redcrossblood.org. Walk-ins welcome.

### Shrove Tuesday Supper

Please join us at the following Shrove Tuesday Supper at Christ's United Lutheran Church, also known as the "Four Bells Church." It will be held on February 12, from 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at the church's fellowship hall. This supper kicks off our Lenten season. All are welcome. Christ's United is located four miles west of Mifflinburg on Route 45. Worship services during Lent start at 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School. For more information on this and other events, call us at (570) 922-1860, email us at culc@dejazzd.com or visit our website at www.4bellschurch.com

### Meeting

Purple loosestrife -pretty but does it belong on my property? Is that a weed or a plant in my garden? What should I plant or not plant on my stream bank to control erosion. Can I plant my English ivy outside? On Thursday February 21, you can ask these questions and others as MaryAnn Haladay-Bierly, Environmental Education Specialist at R.B. Winter State Park, provides information about invasive plants. The meeting is at 7 p.m. at the Penns Creek Adult Resource Center, Penns Creek. Call Diane at 966-1783, for information. YMCA Events

MY-Y Night (Mifflinburg Youth-YMCA Night): First through fifth grade students are invited to join the Union County Branch YMCA for an evening of fun activities. MY-Y Night will be held on Saturday, February 16, from 6-8 p.m. at Christ's United Lutheran (Four Bells) Church, west of Mifflinburg. For more information or to pre-register for this event, please contact Angela Haines at 966-4434 or

ahaines@gsvymca.org. Best Friend Pajama Parties: The Union County Branch YMCA is hosting Best Friend Pajama Parties for girls (ages 6 and up) and their dolls. Join us on Saturday, February 23, from 1-3 p.m., at the First Lutheran Church, Mifflinburg or Saturday, March 2, 12:30-2:30 p.m. at the Donald Heiter Community Center, in Lewisburg. Preregistration and prepayment is required, please contact Angela Haines at 966-4434 or ahaines@gsvymca.org. YMCA membership is not required. Builder's Club: Calling all kids (ages 6 and up) who love building with blocks (Legos/Mega Blocks). The Union County Branch YMCA is hosting Builder's Clubs on Saturday, March 2, from 3-5 p.m. at the Donald Heiter Community Center, in Lewisburg or Saturday, March 23, 1-3 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church, in Mifflinburg. Please contact Angela Haines at 966-4434 or ahaines@ gsvymca.org to preregister and prepay for the event. Kids Art Classes: Art classes are offered for grades K-8 through the Union County Branch YMCA. Classes are taught by a certified art teacher with over 15 years of experience. Focused on Drawing classes for students in Fourth through Eighth grade are offered on Wednesdays, 4-5 p.m. Kids Drawing and Painting Classes for Kindergarten through Second grade students is held on Wednesdays, 5:15-6:15 p.m. The Third through Fifth grade Kids Drawing and Painting Class meets on Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m. All classes are held at the First Lutheran Church, Mifflinburg. Monthly sessions are offered at a fee. Please contact the YMCA Arts Center at 286-0818 to register for the next session. Martial Arts Kung Fu Classes: The Union County Branch YMCA hosts monthly sessions of Kung Fu classes at the Sterling Mills Building, on North Fifth Street in Mifflinburg. Classes are held on Tuesdays, 4-5 p.m. and are taught by Grand Master Larry Fletcher who has over 30 years of experience. Beginner and advanced level students (ages 6-12) are welcome. For more information or to register for this event, please contact Angela Haines, Union County Branch Program Coordinator at 966-4434 or ahaines@gsvymca.org. Healthways SilverSneakers® Classes: Get Fit, Have Fun, Make Friends! SilverSneakers fitness classes are offered through the Union County Branch YMCA. Come join in the fun on Mondays and Wednesdays 11-11:45 a.m. at the Donald Heiter Community Center, at 5th St., in Lewisburg. Classes are held at the First Lutheran Church, Market St. Mifflinburg on Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00-11:45 a.m. Find out if your health plan covers this program by contacting Angela Haines, Union County Branch Program Coordinator at 966-4434 or ahaines@gsvymca.org.

Police

### STATE POLICE, MILTON

Criminal Mischief Between 6:30 p.m. February 1 - 9:30 a.m. February 2, on Creek Road, in Hartley Township. Unknown actor(s) either set a pile of bailing twine on fire our poured an unknown substance on it then threw it into a horse barn belonging to Tammy Lynn Stann, 40, of Millmont. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 524-2662.

Crash 8:35 p.m. on SR 15, a quarter mile south of I-80, in White Deer Township. A 2012 Kia Sadona driven by Kelly J. Chapel, 33, of Watsontown, was traveling north on SR 15 in the right travel lane. Chapel struck a bear that traveled onto the roadway from the east shoulder, directly into the path of her vehicle. Chapel struck the bear with the right front bumper and the right front fender of her vehicle causing disabling damage to her vehicle. Chapel was not injured. The vehicle was towed from the scene by Taylor's Garage. The PA Game Commission responded to the scene and loaded and transported the bear from the scene

Crash 3:35 p.m. February 1, on Baker Hollow Road, 230 feet south of Snake Hill Road, in Buffalo Township. A 1997 Geo Metro driven by Cody A. Aumiller, 19, of Mifflinburg, was traveling north in the northbound lane of Baker Hollow Road. Aumiller became distracted and crossed into the southbound lane. The front left bumper of his vehicle struck the driver side door of a 1999 Jeep Grand Cherokee driven by Tresha L. Brobst, 46, of Mifflinburg. Aumiller's vehicle continued in a northerly direction where it came to rest in the northbound lane due to damage to the front axel. Brobst's vehicle came to a controlled stop facing south on the west side of the roadway. No injuries were reported. Aumiler was cited for a traffic violation.

Bad Checks January 30, at Allenwood Rental and Supply, in Gregg Township. on October 11, 11, a check for the amount of \$628.05 was returned to Allenwood Rental and Supply for insufficient funds. After attempting to contact the known actor several times by phone and by mail, the actor failed to make necessary correction to the payment. The actor will be charged with bad checks, a misdemeanor of the second degree, due to the value of the check.

Hit and Run 3;20 p.m. January 31, on New Columbia Road at its intersection with SR 15 South, in White Deer Township. A 2002 Ford Focus driven by Mary A. Ranck, 58, of Watsontown, was traveling west on New Columbia Road. A tractor trailer allegedly pulled out from a stop sign and Ranck struck the driver side of the trailer and then struck a guard rail. The investigation continues. Ranck sustained a minor injury. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact police at 524-2662.

Crash 8:20 a.m. January 31, on Creek Road, just west of SR 235 in Hartley Township. A 2010 Ford Focus driven by Judith A. Blair, 73, of Millmont, was traveling east on Creek Road after a tree had fallen across the roadway. Blair's vehicle struck the tree and then traveled off the south side of the roadway, coming to rest down a slight embankment. The vehicle was towed from the scene. Blair sustained moderate injuries and was transported to Evangelical Community Hospital for treatment

Found Property Approximately 5:45 p.m. January 31, at Sovereign Bank, on SR 15 at Loan Road, in Kelly Township. A set of keys was found in the overnight deposit box at the Sovereign Bank. To identify the keys, please contact police at 524-2662.

Crash 5:13 p.m. January 30, on Old Turnpike Road, at the driveway of 7468 Old Turnpike Road, in Buffalo Township. A 2000 Mercury Mystique driven by Chasity D. Webel, 24, of Mifflinburg, was traveling west on SR 45. Webel had a seizure and lost control of the vehicle. As the vehicle began traveling off the roadway towards a utility pole, a front seat passenger attempted to take control of the steering wheel. She was able to control the vehicle somewhat, avoiding a head on collision with the utility pole, causing it to spin counterclockwise as it slid off the roadway. The passenger side rear quarter panel of the vehicle struck a utility pole and the passenger side front corner struck a mailbox post. Minor injuries were reported. The driver of the vehicle is being cited for driving with a suspended license.

Criminal Mischief Between 10 p.m. January 30 - 4 a.m. January 31, in Buffalo Township. An unknown actor caused damage to the rear sliding window on the vehicle of Clinton Leroy Snyder, 25, of New Columbia.

Crash 5:45 p.m. January 31, on SR 44, 148 feet east of Second Street in Gregg Township. A 2003 Chevrolet Tahoe driven by Carol M. Grasty, 61, of Montgomery, was traveling east on SR 44 when for an unknown reason, the vehicle traveled onto an embankment on the right side of the highway. Upon traveling along the embankment, the vehicle overturned and came to final rest on its roof, blocking both lanes of travel. Grasty sustained moderate injuries and was transported to Geisinger Medical Center for treatment. She was cited for a traffic violation.

Retail Theft At approximately 3 p.m. January 31, at Wal-Mart, at 120 AJK Blvd., in Kelly Township. Theodore Robert Laverty, 22 of Millerstown and Christina May Nipple, 28, of Liverpool, were caught by Asset Protection on surveillance stealing two headlights valued at \$52.75 from Wal-Mart. Charges were filed at District Court 17-3-01.

Crash 6:03 p.m. February 3, at 1158 New Columbia Road, in White Deer Township, A 1994 Doge Caravan driven by Lerov A. Culver, 47. of New Columbia, was traveling west on New Columbia Road. Culver was traveling too fast for the snow covered roadway and traveled off the roadway. The passenger side front corner of the vehicle struck the driver side rear corner of a 2009 Dodge Avenger, which was legally parked off the roadway facing west. The impact caused the parked vehicle to travel northwest down an embankment. Culver's vehicle traveled ahead and spun 90 degrees counterclockwise and its rear end struck a wooden fence. No injuries were reported. Culver was cited for a traffic violation.

## Obituaries

### Duriel J. Holdren, infant, McEwensville

McEWENSVILLE — Duriel J. Holdren, newborn son of Mi chael J. and Ashley L. (Engle) Holdren of Susquehanna Trail was born sleeping Tuesday, Jan 29, 2013, at the Geisinger Medical Center, Danville.

Surviving in addition to his parents are two brothers, Evan and Griffin Holdren; maternal grandparents, Louis Engle, of New Columbia, Debra and Wayne Brouse, of Selinsgrove; paternal grandparents, Sarah Smith, of Jersey Shore, and Mike and Kim Holdren, of Liberty; paternal great-grandmother, Connie Holdren, of Muncy.

Duriel was predeceased by great-grandparents, Joe Holdren and Paul and Arlene Engle.

In keeping with the families wishes there will be no visitation or service.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brooks Funeral Home. 207 Broadway Street, Turbotville, PA 17772.

### Florence M. White, 82, Lewisburg

LEWISBURG — Florence M. White, 82, of 62 North Bull Run Crossing, passed away Friday afternoon, Feb. 1, 2013, at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, February 7, at the John H. Shaw III Funeral Home, Market and Eighth streets, Lewisburg, with Pastor Titus Hostetler officiating. Burial was in Orchard Hills Cemetery, Shamokin Dam.

Sandy A. Winegardner, 68, Mifflinburg MIFFLINBURG — Sandra A. "Sandy" Winegardner, 68, of 802 Borough Line Road, entered into rest at 5:34 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013, at the Sun Home Hospice Care Center, Sunbury.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, February 5, at the Dominick T. Adamo Funeral Home, 247 Chestnut Street, Mifflinburg, with the Rev. John D. Yost, officiating. Burial was in the Hartleton Cemetery.

### Dora M. Moll, 96, Mifflinburg

MIFFLINBURG — Dora Mabel Moll, 96, of 165 Valentine Lane, entered into rest at 2:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 21, 2013, at Rolling Hills Manor, Millmont, where she was a resident since October.

A memorial service to celebrate Dora's life will be announced at a later date.

Harold S. Troup, 88, Mifflinburg MIFFLINBURG — Harold S. Troup, 88, of 299 Raven Lane entered into rest at 2:55 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013, at Kramm Healthcare and Rehabilitation, Milton.

Funeral services will be private and conducted at the convenience of the family.

### Milena Gobins, 93, Winfield

WINFIELD - Milena Gobins, 93, of Winfield, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 3, 2013, at Nottingham Village, Northumberland.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, February 9. at the United Lutheran Church, 167 Seven Points Road, Sunbury, with a visitation from 10 to 11 a.m. prior to the service

### Virginia R. Zaid, 95, Lewisburg

LEWISBURG - Virginia Rose Zaid, 95, of Lewisburg, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 3, 2013.

A Memorial service was conducted at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 6, at the John H. Shaw III Funeral Home, Market and Eighth streets, Lewisburg.

### Terry Lee Vonada, 62, Mifflinburg

MIFFLINBURG — Terry Lee Vonada, 62, of 101 Meadow Lane since 1974, went to be with his Lord and Savior at 8:46 p.m. Monday, Feb. 4, 2013, at Evangelical Community Hospital. Lewisburg.

Family and friends are welcome from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Saturday, February 9, at Hillside Bible Church, 1650 Centennial Road Mifflinburg, where the funeral will be conducted at 11 with the Rev. Samuel Knisely and the Rev. Kevin Rathmell officiating. Burial will be in Hillside Church Cemetery.

Middleburg Livestock Auction

The following items were sold on Tuesday, February 5, 2013

Timothy: \$170 to \$275 per ton; Grass: \$85 to \$245 per ton; Alfalfa: \$130 to \$280 per ton; Mixed: \$65 to \$265 per ton; Mixed: \$32 per bale; Straw: \$90 to \$185 per ton; Ear Corn: \$135 to \$190 per ton; Shelled Corn: \$7.60 per bushel: Oats: \$4 to \$5.10 per bushel: Firewood: \$40 to \$95 per load; Calf: \$5 to \$170 per hundred; Fats: \$71 to \$131.50 per hundred; Cow: \$10 to \$83.50 per hundred; Bull: \$71 to \$103 per hundred; Feeder: \$30 to \$133 per hundred; Hogs: \$45 to \$85 per hundred; Pigs: \$10 to \$42 per head; Sows: \$25 to \$57 per hundred; Boars: \$15 to \$57 per hundred; Sheep: \$60 to \$67 per hundred; Goat: \$55 to \$205 per head; Lamb: \$130 to \$167 per hundred; Caull Pig: \$20 to \$42 per head.

### Audubon Program

Seven Mountains Audubon, the area's local Audubon chapter, monthly free programs have started. On Wednesday, February 20, at 7:30 p.m., Lauri Shaffer and Bonnie Ingram will be presenting a program on "Birding the Hot Spots of Costa Rica". This program explores the incredible biodiversity of a country the size of West Virginia containing 9% of the birds in the world, 12 life zones, and strangely beautiful flora and fauna. All are welcome at the Kelly Township Supervisors Building, at 551 Zeigler Rd., in Lewisburg.

### Cash Bingo

Cash Bingo is being held on February 23, at the Hartley Twp. Rec/Youth Center. Doors open at 5:45 p.m. Food is available. Proceeds support the local township community. The Rec Center is across from the Little League Ballfield on Ballpark Rd. Call 922-1578 for info. Come & enjoy a fun night!

### Manure Management Plan Writing Workshop

The Union County Conservation District will be hosting a Manure Management Plan Writing Workshop on Monday, February 25, from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. in the Union County Government Center, at 155 North 15th Street, in Lewisburg. The event will be free of cost and pre-registration is requested. Due to funding criteria, this workshop is for Union County residents only. Please call the Union County Conservation District office at 570-524-3860 by February 22, for information and/or to register for the event.

### NOTE TO READERS

To place events in the calendar please send them at least three weeks before the event so that we can get it in at least twice before the event. The deadline for events is MONDAY BY 12 NOON! The calendar goes by space available. Send, Fax or Email us your event. Address: P.O. Box 356, Middleburg, PA 17842. Fax: 837-0776. Email: scuc@ptd.net Thank you!!

False Alarms/Disorderly Conduct 11:09 a.m. February 2, at Penske Truck Leasing, at 2727 Old Route 15, in White Deer Township. Police responded to a sixth false alarm since November 9, 2012. Penske was cited for a summary offense.

Graduates

Pennsylvania State University Jeri A. Anderson, of Lewisburg, University Park, B S, Psychology Joseph B. Picarelli, of Lewisburg, University Park, B S, Electrical Engineerina

Kasey R. Rishel, of Lewisburg, University Park, B S, Agricultural Science Benjamin R. Rood, of Mifflinburg, University Park, B S, Kinesiology Hannah E. Shabanowitz, of Lewisburg, University Park, B S, Animal Sciences

### **Bucknell University**

Rachael M. Edelman, Lewisburg, daughter of Samuel Edelman of Shreveport, LA and Concetta Edelman of Gretna, LA, and a 2009 graduate of Isidore Newman School, graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Arts in Education and Psychology.

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Kristen Rave, Lewisburg, graduated with a Master of Science in Education.

### Shippensburg University

Eric J. Hofmann, of Millmont, **Bachelor of Science** 



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## Courts

### Deeds:

Daniel A. Lancaster to Daniel A. Lancaster & Dorinda K. Hammer & Daniel A. Lancaster Jr. property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of \$1.00.

Fredrick L. Schwartz & Susan J. Telmanik Schwartz to Jonathan B. Moyers & Shannon G. Moyers property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$35,000.00.

Richard A. Duncan & Peggy E. Duncan to Peggy R. Duncan property in Hartley Township for the sum of \$1.00.

Constance L. Crook Trust to Constance C. Stumpff property in New Berlin for the sum of \$1.00.

Ronald J. Peters & Shirley W. Peters Trust to Karen P. Connolly property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of 1.00.

Shirley W. Peters & Ronald J. Peters to Karen P. Connolly property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$1.00.

Jason E. Murry to Michael J. Maneval & Kelli M. Maneval property in Mifflinburg for the sum of \$107,900.00.

Neil F. Schnure & Carol M. Schnure to Kevin L. Hommel Jr. & Alyse R. Hommel property in Hartley Township for the sum of \$1.00

Christian Brubacker & Wilma Brubacker to Merle S. Hoover & Melissa L. Hoover property in Buffalo Township for the sum of \$50,925.00.

Melvin L. Rossman to Melvin L. Rossman & Karen L. Fultz property in Hartley Township for the sum of \$50,700.00.

Betsy Richner & Harold Frederick Koons Jr. to Betsy Richner property in Union Township for the sum of \$1.00.

James D. Edwards to Albert Glover Jr. & Carol L. Ferguson property in Union Township for the sum of \$195,000.00. David S. Hassenplug & Vickie L. Hassenplug to 535 Inc 2

properties in Kelly Township for the sum of \$177,500.00 & \$300,000.00.

Mark J. Mossel & Diann R. Mossel to Robert D. Heuer & Emily J. Short property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$189.000.00.

Kristen W. Eberhardt & Kristen E. Walter & Kenneth Walter to Adam Klose & Erin Oberlin property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of \$155,000.00.

Earle R. Kline Trust to Ruthann Kyttle & Marietta Wilt Trust property in New Berlin for the sum of \$1.00

Larry L. Shipton & Charles A. & Mary Ellen Shipton & Judith Ann Weidner & John C. Shipton to Ronald E. Schreffler Jr. & Kandy J. Schreffler property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$35,000.00.

Richard D. Kiper & Barbara J. Kipper to Kirsten E. Walter property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$160,000.00.

### Divorce Decrees:

Gregory B. Harrison, Lewisburg from Paula C. Harrison, Lewisburg

### Marriage Licenses:

James Anthony Gieg, Brooklyn, NY to Angennette Verrell, Lewisburg

### DISTRICT JUDGE JEFFREY L. MENSCH, MIFFLIN- Dear Readers, BURG

Charged Gary F. Neidig, Sr., 57, of Lynn Street, in Mifflinburg, with making terroristic threats and harassment on January 30. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for February 12, at 10:30 a.m. Charged Cole Anthony Keister, 20, of Penn Street, in Nor-

thumberland, with two counts of statutory sexual assault on January 31. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for February 19, at 2:30 p.m. Charged Lawerence J. Quinn, 74, of Trutt Road, in Winfield,

with making terroristic threats and two counts of harassment on January 29. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for February 26, at 2 p.m.

Charged Ilya Mikhailo Mironenko, 28, of Chestnut Street, in Mifflinburg, with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance on January 29. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for February 26, at 2:30 p.m.

### DISTRICT JUDGE LEO ARMBRUSTER, LEWISBURG

Charged Benjamin Patrick Anspach, 24, of Locust Street, in Milton, with burglary: overnight accommodations with no person present, criminal trespass, theft by unlawful taking, and receiving stolen property on January 9.

Charged Alexander Jacob Nace, 27, of East Haas Manor Road, in Sunbury, with kidnapping, burglary, terroristic threats, stalking, simple assault and harassment on February 2.

Charged Glenn Crist Yoder, 61, of Shelly Circle, in Lewisburg, with resisting arrest or other law enforcement and disorderly conduct on January 29.

Charged Stephen Anthony Childress, 24, of Market Street, in Lewisburg, with two counts of simple assault and two counts of

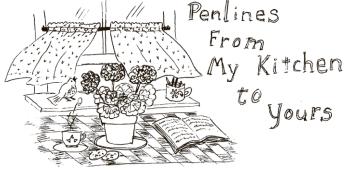
PA Lottery Results

Quinto (Evening): 2 6 3 3 6 Treasure Hunt: 01 10 15 26 29 CASH 5: 14 21 22 37 42 Mega Millions: 01 30 32 40 41 MB: 17

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Daily Number (Mid-day): 470 Daily Number (Evening): 638 Big4 (Mid-day): 1 4 8 3



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Quinto Double Draw (Mid-day): 8

Quinto (Evening): 3 9 6 8 2 Treasure Hunt: 07 12 14 18 22

Mega Millions: 02 05 10 26 44

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## <u>January 17, 2013</u>

Susan Horning (4 month old) daughter of Elton & Deloris of Middleburg, came home from the hospital. She is recovering from RSV

### January 18, 2013

Timothy Hoover (6) son of Warren & Louise of Millmont, came home from the hospital.

### <u>January 27, 2013</u>

We had a farewell singing here in our shop for Christ & Wilma Brubacker family. They will be moving to KY on January 30th. It was a beautiful day. A vanload came from Snyder County. 52 buggies were here plus few vehicles. Thank you all for coming. We enjoyed it very much, even though it was muddy! <u>January 30, 2013</u>

David Zimmerman (27) of Mifflinburg, had kidney stone surgery. He is a wheelchair patient. The owner of "Country Garden Farm Supply.'

Nora Martin of Mifflinburg was scheduled to have her leg amputated after having leg ulcers and lots of pain for years. He appointment has been postponed until February 13th.

Moving day for Chris Brubacker. We helped family and neighbors, pack and load a 53 ft. semi and a cattle trailer for the animals. I was packing in the basement. Isaac (4) was whining because there were no toys in the sandbox when had gone out to play. Then Chris came in for a tool, as he bent down to look under the bottom shelf, Isaac started chuckling and said, "Oh Chris! I just have to laugh. What is underneath there?" And Chris replied, "Yes, everything is kinda funny around here!" They left at 6:30 p.m. traveling with both truck drivers.

- Lucy Hoover

February 8, 2013, Union County Times -3



Well, after hearing from a reader (a friend from grade school and high school days!) I did some checking and found they have horehound candy at the Cracker Barrel that's close to us. I'll pick some up when I go by there in a few days. It appears that the up-to-date spelling is horehound, not hoarhound, so I'll use that spelling! More later!

### More remedies:

"Salve: Peach Leaves Catnip Leaves Mixed with lard. "Corn Salve: 1 teaspoon of tar, one of brown sugar and 1 of saltpeter. "Camphor Salve for all Sores: 1 cup mutton suet, melted and strained 1 block camphor 1 block bees-wax 1 ounce olive oil 1 teaspoon lard 1 piece rosin, size of walnut Cook until blended. "White Liniment: Scrape 2 ounces of camphor <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> pint of turpentine Mix these two well. Beat two eggs well and add to the other two ingredients. Put into a quart bottle, add vinegar almost to the top. Shake well and apply on a bald head for headache. This has been used and had fine results! **"Cream Liniment:** 

Use a pint bottle, put in <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> pint turpentine, 2 eggs and let stand 24 hours.

Shake occasionally, then fill up with strong vinegar.'

Are you enjoying these "remedies"?? Do you still use any of them today? Similar ones? Were they used when you were younger? Do send me more that you know...

Did folks have tar on hand at home in years past? In what form was the camphor, that you could scrape it? I've heard of 'camphorated oil"... was it in a funny song we used to sing? But I have NO idea where it comes from or what it was used for!! And was the 'rosin' a sap sort of thing, from a tree?

I'm still wondering about Job's tears and comfrey? What can you tell me?

Sometimes these instructions (and spellings) aren't written in the way I might say it, but I do like to show how the old notes were stated... interesting! Jean Markley Keiser, 1133 Carolina Ave., West Chester, PA 19380 bjkeiser@cheerful.com





endangering the welfare of children on January 7.

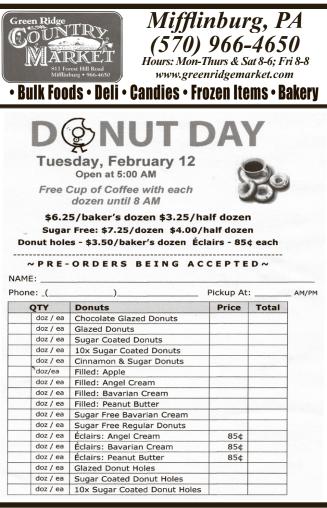
Charged Travis Lee Steppe, 28, of Northway Road Ext., in Williamsport, with issuing bad checks on January 31. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for February 21, at 11:30 a.m.

Charged Bryan Joseph Boudreau, 25, of Vairo Blvd., in State College, with driving under the influence of alcohol with general impairment, driving under the influence of alcohol with a high blood alcohol level of 0.188 percent, driving on roadways laned for traffic, driving vehicle at safe speed, and careless driving on January 30. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for March 7, at 8:45 a.m.

# Chubb's Auction Prices

The following items were sold on Thursday, January 31, 2013

Alfalfa: \$195 per ton; Grass Hay: \$97.50 to \$155 per ton; Timothy Hay: \$175 per ton; Alfalfa Balage: \$50 per round bale; Wheat Straw: \$175 per ton; Rye Straw: \$150 to \$155 per ton; Ear Corn: \$155 per ton; Firewood: \$40 go \$75 per pickup load.



# Sport's Scores

### **HIGH SCHOOL** WRESTLING

Lewisburg 45, Line Mountain 28 Hughesville 40, Lewisburg 30 Lewisburg 54, Southern Columbia 22 **BOYS BASKETBALL** Shikellamy 48, Selinsgrove 47 Milton 53, Mifflinburg 41 (OT) Lewisburg 60, Mifflinburg 38 Lewisburg 53, Mount Carmel 42 Halifax 49, Midd-West 45 Jersev Shore 58. Selinsarove 50 Danville 72, Mifflinburg 33 Lewisburg 58, Central Columbia 28 Milton 67, Midd-West 25 Lewisburg 70, Milton 49 Selinsgrove 54, Southern Columbia 53

Mount Carmel 50. Mifflinburg 40 **GIRLS BASKETBALL** Midd-West 60, Bucktail 44 Selinsgrove 44, Shikellamy 34 Montoursville 45, Lewisburg 23 Mifflinburg 44, Midd-West 35 Milton 51, Mifflinburg 41 Selinsgrove 44, Greenwood 24 Danville 60, Selinsgrove 39 Shikellamy 62, Mifflinburg 49 Lewisburg 51, Hughesville 35 Shamokin 36, Midd-West 35 **BOYS BOWLING** Shikellamy 3, Midd-West 1 Selinsgrove 3, Mifflinburg 1

GIRLS BOWLING Midd-West 3, Shikellamy 1 Selinsgrove 4, Mifflinburg 0

COLLEGE MEN'S BASKETBALL Susquehanna 60, Goucher 46



Scores	Fri. 8-6; Sat. 8-4 AND THE   Phone - 966-0611 Ken Rishel, Owner LEWISBURG MARKET   Image: State
Bucknell 69, Navy 54 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL Susquehanna 55, Goucher, 49 American 66, Bucknell 58 Scranton 82, Susquehanna 54	<b>EVERYDAY LOW PRICES!!</b> 85% Lean Ground Beef \$3.69 lb. Center Cut Pork Chops \$3.59 lb. Lebanon Bologna \$5.69 lb.
Navy 61, Bucknell <sup>'</sup> 40 <u>WRESTLING</u> Bucknell 21, George Mason 12	Your Meat Specialists! Over 80 Years Combined Experience as Meat Cutters.



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For Sale: Edenpure gen 4 heater, like new, \$370. Call (570) 837-3513.

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For Sale: Round Kerosene Heater (10 wide) X (22 high), good amount of kerosene, ready for use, \$75. Call (570) 743-1108.

For Sale: Brand new solid pine twin over full bunk bed, medium honey color, 823/4 in long, 68 in high, and 581/2 in wide, \$485; brand new solid pine twin over twin bunk bed, medium honey color, 80 in long, 68 high, 421/4 in wide, \$359. Call (570) 490-4283.

For Sale: wooden school desk; metal school desk; Dual brand stereo; Sony speakers; 15 gal. fish tank w/TSHO light, filter and other accessories; American Eagle Jeans Size 31x30; Blue American green strupes twin sheets; brown sheets twin XL; blue sheets twin XL; Playstation w/2 games (sports games). Call (570) 541-6996.

For Sale: three (3) new windows w/grids, doublehung, rough opening 38x65, thermopane, low-E \$75 each; 3' bifold door, mirror \$40; antique oak claw foot farm table/four chairs \$350; 48" Fleetwing sled \$25; PA House oak corner cupboard, h-81" d-20" w-38" \$425; metal snow/scoop shovels \$4-16; antique oak dresser, refinished \$160; kerosene heater, 18,000 btu \$45; Skil 3" Belt Sand-

For Rent: 3 bed apt in Penns Creek, electric heat, \$475.00 a month with security deposit. No Pets. Call (570) 765-0375.

### Yard/Garage Sale

Christ's United Lutheran Church (4-Bells Church) will be holding its annual yard sale on February 23, 2013, from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Proceeds benefit youth ministries at the church and in the community. We will be accepting any items for the yard sale! While you are still doing some "after holiday cleaning," please consider donating items for the yard sale! During the sale, we will also be offering hot dogs, chips, drinks, and baked goods. For more information, please contact Wendy Doebler at (570) 966-5923. Christ's United Lutheran Church is located four miles west of Mifflinburg along PA Route 45.

Garage Sale: February 9, from 8-12, at 37 Woodlynn Drive, Selinsgrove.



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## Leonard Wood, Nascar Pioneer

By Gerald Hodges/the Racing Reporter

The 2013 NASCAR Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony will be held Fri., Feb. 8, in Charlotte, NC.

Buck Baker, Cotton Owens, Herb Thomas, Rusty Wallace and Leonard Wood are the five inductees

Leonard Wood joins his older brother Glen Wood, the fabled Wood Brothers No. 21 racing team's original driver and owner.

'He's the most dedicated, talented all-around mechanic NASCAR has ever seen," said Wood's nephew, Len, co-owner of the current Wood Brothers team. "He fit the term 'chief mechanic.' He could do anything with the car."

In 990 races as a crew chief for the No. 21 Ford and Mercury cars, he won 96 times. His cars also won 117 poles. After Glen stepped out of the cockpit, Leonard worked with some of the sport's greatest drivers including David Pearson, Cale Yarborough, A.J. Foyt, Dan Gurney and Parnelli Jones.

In a recent interview, Dale Jarrett, former Wood Brothers driver and current ESPN analyst, called Wood, "One of the smartest people to come through this sport, especially early on. They had so many ideas from the pit crew to other things that people don't even know about, under the hood so to speak, that Leonard Wood was kind of in charge of making it happen."

He sat by as his father, Walter, tore down the engine from the team's first race car. Later, when the time had come to freshen it, Leonard - then in high school – volunteered for the task, which was done to perfection.

"It kind of blows your mind that somebody that young could do that," said Glen Wood, noting that in the early days the chief mechanic was exactly that - a jack of all trades from fabricator to shock and spring specialist to engine builder. "He just learned by himself and he did it really well - anything he did. I could always depend on him. If the car wasn't working right, I'd go off somewhere and sit while he worked on it. When I came back, it would be in winning shape."

Pit stops weren't a big part of NASCAR's early years when many races were held on half-mile dirt tracks at distances of 200 and 250 laps. But the advent of longer races on superspeedways – Darlington Raceway followed by Daytona, Charlotte and Atlanta – significantly broadened the sport's boundaries. With multiple stops necessary to add fuel, change tires and make adjustments, the Woods quickly recognized that less time spent on pit road meant fewer rivals to pass on the race track.

The model Leonard Wood established was copied by all other teams. In the early years, floor jacks weighing 70 to 80 pounds were used to lift the race cars. They also required a strong man to pump the handle - up to 10 pumps for tire clearance. Wood took apart the jack, inserted larger pistons and - presto - his driver could get the car off the asphalt by pumping two or three times.

He ported and polished the mechanisms in the team's air guns, allowing lug nuts to be removed and replaced more quickly. Finally, Wood modified the inside of the team's dump cans so that gasoline flowed faster.

Hired by the Ford Motor Co. to pit Jim Clark's Lotus at the Indianapolis 500, the Woods stunned the racing world as Clark spent 41.9 seconds on pit road en route to Victory Lane - thanks to "tweaking" of the gravity-fed refueling rig.

"We turned that thing on and it put in 58 gallons in 15 seconds," said Wood. It just sucked the fuel out of there. We knew we were going to be under 20 seconds on the pit stops.

We got the most publicity in the least amount of time we ever got in our lives," he added. "We hit a home run for sure."

Len Wood continues to marvel at his uncle's fabrication skills. The team is completing a replica of the Ford Galaxie in which Tiny Lund won the 1963 Daytona 500. The car will be on display at the NASCAR Hall of Fame during NASCAR Acceleration Weekend, along with a 1/8-scale, gasoline-powered car fashioned from scraps of aluminum and the soles of shoes that Wood built decades ago. He tethered it to a pole, a kind of forerunner to today's radio controlled cars.

'His fabrication skills: it's all in his head: no blueprints." said the younger Wood, recalling that they were going to use aluminum pieces to fasten the windshield to the Galaxie. "Leonard said, 'No, I think we used steel back then. I'll make steel ones.

"If you can describe it, he can fix it or make it."

The NASCAR HOF Induction Ceremony will be broadcast live on Friday, Oct. 8 at 7:30 p.m. ET on SPEED.

EDWARDS AND FENNIG MUST PICK UP THE PACE

Carl Edwards needs to find some answers that will allow him to pick up the pace next season. In hopes of turning the No. 99 team around, veteran Jimmy Fennig has been assigned the task.

Although Edwards doesn't wish to dwell on last season, he acknowledges that his team didn't evolve as quickly as the Nos. 16 and 17 of teammates Greg Biffle and Matt Kenseth. In a world where simulation plays an important element in setting up the cars for the racetrack, his teammates seem to acclimate quicker to the necessary adjustments throughout the weekend which made the cars faster. Edwards knows he must get up to speed again.

For now, he's adopted a back-to-basics approach.

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'We have to qualify well," he said. "We have to have cars that race fast. We have to have a fast pit crew. Jimmy and I have to work to-

gether. All of the basic things, we have to do right. If you look at the way that Matt (Kenseth) ran with Jimmy last year, it was head and shoulders better than we ran than I ran – in that 99.

Edwards said his new crew chief has surprised him. Despite the veteran's quiet demeanor – which Edwards acknowledges he might



have mistaken for "not being engaged," the driver firmly believes that Fennig's rooted deeply in what's going on in the garage.

"To me, from the outside, it appears to me that Jimmy has a very good perspective," Edwards continued. "We're going to work hard we're going to do a good job and we're going to reap the benefits. That's not something that he yells at people about – at least he hasn't yelled at me about anything. It's just expected. That's the feeling I get from him. That he holds everybody at a high standard. And that's good. When we're at the racetrack, so far in the little time we spent there, it's not a joke. It's not a social event. We're there to do a job.

"The more I get to know him the more excited I am because I see how good he is with the people and how engaged he is with the cars. "I feel comfortable that he can help the 99 team find that winning

groove again? Racing Trivia Question: Who will be Brad Keselowski's teammate

this year in the Cup series at Penske Racing?

Last Week's Question: Kevin Harvick said next year will be his last season at Richard Childress Racing. Who will he be with in 2014? Answer. Harvick will switch to Stewart-Haas Racing. You may contact the Racing Reporter at hodges@race500.com.

## Ease the Physical and Emotional Side Effects of Cancer

A cancer diagnosis is life-changing, but the side effects do not have to be.

Women currently in cancer treatment or who have completed treatment in the last six months are invited to a free "Look Good Feel Better" workshop on Wednesday, Feb. 20, from 5-7 p.m., at the Columbia County Cancer Center, Bloomsburg.

In a group setting, women will find support from one another while trained cosmetologists teach them how to understand and care for the skin, nail and hair changes that may occur during treatment. Each woman will receive a free kit complete with brand-name beauty products, and will be able to experiment with wigs, scarves and other head coverings. Pre-registration is required. Please call 1-800-227-2345 to register.

Women in need of a free, brand-new wig or head covering from the American Cancer Society should also call 1-800-227-2345.

"Look Good Feel Better" (LGFB) is a national public service program created from the concept that if someone with cancer can be helped to look good, her improved self-esteem will help her to approach the disease and treatment with greater confidence. LGFB offers suggestions and advice on dealing with the appearance-related side effects of treatment through its Web sites, brochures and group programs offered nationwide. LGFB is a free, nonmedical, product-neutral program offered as a collaborative effort of the American Cancer Society, the Professional Beauty Association National Cosmetology Association, and Personal Care Products Council Foundation, a charitable organization supported by the cosmetic industry. For information about "look good feel better", visit www.lookgoodfeelbetter.org or call 1-800-227-2345.

**GIGANTIC GROCERY AUCTION** RICHARD WILL BE HERE Friday, February 15, 2013 • 5:30 p.m. FREMONT SOCIAL HALL Míll Race Road, MT. PLEASANT MILLS, PA A 26' Refrigerated truck is packed with frozen & canned foods, dry goods, a variety of meats, cereal, candy, soda, etc. Too Many Items to List. BRING YOUR COOLERS AND CONTAINERS. Restaurant - Rest Rooms - Seating Terms: Cash or Good PA Check Auctioneers:Dawn E. Miller AU-001695-L Phone (570) 765-0107

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Library News

The Union County Library System—The Public Library for Union

County, Lewisburg; Herr Memorial Library, Mifflinburg; and West End

Library, Laurelton-is hosting the following events in February. All pro-

grams are free and open to the public unless otherwise noted. For additional information, visit the UCLS website at www.unioncountyli-

Special Stitches Knitting Group - Tuesdays, 11 a.m. The Special

Baby Discover (birth to 18 months) - Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.

Discover programs offer a fun learning environment that both parents

and children appreciate featuring stories read aloud, songs, crafts and

Toddler Discover (18 months to 3 years) - Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.

Discover programs offer a fun learning environment that both parents

and children appreciate featuring stories read aloud, songs, crafts and

10:10 a.m. Discover programs offer a fun learning environment that

both parents and children appreciate featuring stories read aloud

songs, crafts and more. Registration is required by calling 570-966

Cross-Stitch Class - Thursdays, 10 a.m. Kathleen Flynn Irion will

lead this informative class for cross-stitchers of all skill levels. Cost is

Computer classes are also available by appointment with Sarah Bial-

Discover - Tuesdays - 10:30 a.m. Children from birth to age five

along with a parent or caregiver, are invited to this early literacy pro-

gram which focuses on letters, numbers, sounds, colors, shapes, and

a.m. Enjoy a 'lovely' movie while creating a special Valentine's lunch

with your friends. Registration is required to ensure enough materials

The Sable Arm - Monday, February 11 – 6:30 p.m. A program in

celebration of Black History month about the United States Colored

Troops during the Civil War presented by Linda Estuppian Snook, of La

Needlework & Friendship - Friday, February 15 - 1 p.m. Bring

your knitting, crocheting, quilting, and even scrapbooking projects to

the library for an afternoon of fun and friendship. The group will also

Living History @ the West End Library - Thursday, February 21

6:30 p.m. Heather Hibbs, Civil War Era re-enactor and presenter, will

discuss cooking, baking and canning during the 1800s as part of the

Living History @ the West End Library series. Learn how the "lady of

the house" prepared and preserved foods to keep her family well fed.

It's Popcorn and a Movie Night - Monday, February 25 – 6 p.m.

DS Game Night - Thursday, February 28 - 6:30 p.m. Bring your

Registration is required to attend programs unless otherwise noted.

Adult Book Group - Thursday, February 21 - 6 p.m. The library's

adult book group will be discussing and watching the film adaptation of

Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy by John Le Carre. Book group meetings are

Oil Painting with Marti \* - Saturday, February 23 - 10 a.m. to 4

p.m. Learn the art of oil painting with instructor Marti Lee-Bogart, certi-

fied instructor of Bob Ross's "Joy of Painting" and Dorothy Dent paint-

ing. Cost is \$50 and must be paid when registering. All supplies and

materials will be provided and each participant will complete a finished

Master Gardener: Soils and Mineral Supplements \* - Tuesday

February 26 - 6:30 p.m. Jack Koslowski, a Master Gardener with the

Penn State Extension will present, Soils and Mineral Supplements:

Knitting Group - Mondays - 10:30 a.m. to Noon Adults and older

teens interested in knitting are invited to bring their needles, yarn, and

projects and join the knitting group! All skill levels are welcome.

piece to take home. Class size is limited to 8 (ages 13 and older).

To register call 570-523-1172 or visit the library at 255 Reitz Blvd., Lew-

DS game system to 'pictochat' and game with your friends and we'll

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Please register to attend by calling 570-922-4773.

The Public Library for Union County – Lewisburg

Children's Sweetheart Theatre - Saturday, February 9 - 11:30

las, AmeriCorps volunteer. For more information call 570-966-0831.

Preschool Discover (3 to 5 years) - Wednesdays/Thursdays

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Mikhail Y. Babakov, New Columbia, Associate of Applied Science, Surgical Technology Deann C. Barrett, Lewisburg, Bach-

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Ashlee E. Frontz, Allenwood, Bachelor of Science, Pre-Physician Assistant

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Ing Technology Anna M. Manciet, Lewisburg, Bachelor of Science, Web Design and Multimedia

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Ventilation & Air Conditioning Tech nology

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ics Technology Sarah J. Welteroth, Lewisburg, Bachelor of Science, Building Sci-ence and Sustainable Design: Building Construction Technology Concentration

Benjamin C. Wetzel, Winfield, Bachelor of Science, Building Science and Sustainable Design

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Katelyn A. Young, Lewisburg, daughter of David and Paula Young of Lewisburg, and a 2012 graduate of Lewisburg Ărea H S, Lewisburg.

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## Union County Bicentennial Photo of Week



Dr. Amos Persing, who practiced medicine from 1892 until he died in 1938, stands ready for house calls by his Allenwood home and office on Bridge Street in 1904. He often made house calls throughout the White Deer Valley. (Photo courtesy of Amos and John Persing and Union County Historical Society).

Union County's Bicentennial planners might as well be in the infantry as they have adopted a "leave no one behind" mentality about Union County's 2013 celebration. Yes, from the safety of your own living room armchair you will be able to view an unrolling of the Union County Bicentennial as the Bicentennial Committee will be sharing one historic photo per week in local newspapers.

These photos will showcase some of the county's history from the past 200 years. Viewers will be taken on a pictorial journey to times, places, events, and lifestyles that shaped Union County and the Buffalo Valley, its people, communities and the region. Union County Planner Shawn McLaughlin added, "As you view these photographs over the course of this Bicentennial year your mind will be able to wander back to what it must have been like to live, work or celebrate during these different eras of county history. Yes, and all from the privacy and comfort of your cozy armchair with no need to tour, attend a lecture, walk a trail or participate in a reenactment (exciting Bicentennial offerings now numbering over sixty in 2013)."

The photos are from the four Arcadia Publishing Images of America collection that are in various stages of public release in time for Union County's Bicentennial celebration. The books are the special Bicentennial project of the Union County Historical Society and to date three volumes have been released and are currently on sale in many locations throughout Union County: Union County River Towns by Jeannette Lasansky; Lewisburg by Marion Lois Huffines and Richard A. Sauers; and Mifflinburg and the West End by Marion Lois Huffines. The fourth and final edition New Berlin and the Buffalo Valley by Jeannette Lasansky will be released in late July 2013.

So, stay tuned in to the Union County Bicentennial with no need to lift a finger to enjoy one of the most exhaustive Bicentennial celebrations ever offered. In 2013, it is all coming your way weekly in your favorite newspaper edition. Get even more adventuresome and grab your laptop as well and learn all there is to know about the Union County Bicentennial activities at UnionCounty200.com.

Union County's Bicentennial Committee extends a heartfelt thank you to all of the region's newspapers making this special weekly feature available this year!

## "Snowfest" And Silent Auction At R. B. Winter State Park

Ready for a winter adventure? Then get out of the house and into the great outdoors during our 17th annual Snowfest at R. B. Winter State Park on Sunday, February 10, 2013. This event will begin at noon and run until 4:00 pm. Demonstrations, crafts, games, and basic instruction in various outdoor recreational activities are planned for children and adults. Planned Activities and Events include:

• Cross Country Skiing (Brad Bubb Rentals)

- •Ice Skating
- Snow shoeing
- •Ice Fishing
- •Historic Art of Ice Harvesting
- •3.5 Mile Race (Mid Penn Trail Blazers)
- •Snowmobile Safety (Sugar Valley Snow Riders)
- •Winter Mountain Biking (Campus Cycle)
- •Bearly Born a look at black bear natural history

### **Bucknell University**

Andrew J. Baish, Lewisburg, son of James and Susan Baish of Lewisburg, and a 2011 graduate of Lewisburg Area H S, Lewisburg.

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ter of Mark and Francoise Bettner of Lewisburg, and a 2009 graduate of Lewisburg Area H S, Lewisburg. Alexandra D. Bird, Lewisburg, daughter of John and Svetlana Bird of Lewisburg, and a 2009 graduate of Lewisburg Area H S, Lewisburg. Gemma E. Dugan, Lewisburg. Brittany A. Emigh, Lewisburg, daughter of Brett and Christy Emigh of Lewisburg and a graduate of Lewe

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flinburg Kala Renee Nelson, of Mifflinburg Eric John Hofmann, of Millmont David S. Jones, of New Berlin Central Susquehanna LPN Career Center

Honors Darcie Kleckner, Lewisburg Lisa Mather, Lewisburg

•Broomball

- •Ice Carving Demonstrations (Victoria House)
- Winter Search and Rescue Using Dogs (STRIKE)
- Silent Auction
- •Kids Crafts and Story Hour
- Winter Birds and Bird feeding
- Food Concession
- •Fly tying (Trout Unlimited)
- Displays by Local Environmental Organizations
- Smokey bear will be visiting too!

A finalized schedule of activities will be available at the Halfway Run Environmental Learning Center on the day of the event. Several activities are snow or ice dependent and may be cancelled or changed if conditions are unsafe are not favorable to the event.

Without the support of volunteers, local organizations and businesses, "Snowfest" and the "Silent Auction" would not be possible

Snowmobile trail-head parking will be closed Sunday February 10 to accommodate Snowfest visitors, please accept our apologies for this inconvenience.

Access for People with Disabilities

If you need an accommodation to participate in park activities due to a disability, please contact R. B. Winter State Park at 570-966-1455 Monday to Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Information on the park can be found at the DCNR web page at www.dcnr.state.pa.us. Updated versions of available programming can be obtained by visiting this website and going to "FIND A PARK" and then "calendar".

R. B. Winter State Park is located along PA Rt. 192 - 18 miles west of Lewisburg, 25 miles east of Centre Hall. The Halfway Run Environmental Learning Center can be reached by traveling to the park's west entrance. Proceed on to Sand Mountain Road to the back parking area. Turn right into the parking area. The Halfway Run Environmental Learning Center is located near the lower left corner of the lot.



Saturday, February 16, 2013 Serving at 4:30 PM At the New Berlin Fire Co. Social Hall

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Mah Jongg - Tuesdays - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. A group for teens and adults, familiar with the American version of this ancient Chinese tile game, to meet and play.

Chess, Tuesdays - 7 p.m. Jessica Gallegos, chess player and instructor, leads this group for all ages and skill levels. Bring your own chess set or board and enjoy an evening of fun!

Children's Programs

Toddler Discover \* - Tuesdays - 9:30 a.m. An early literacy program featuring stories read aloud, interactive games, sing-a-longs and American Sign Language. This program is for children ages 1-2, along with a parent or caregiver.

Preschool Discover \* - Tuesdays/Wednesdays - 10 a.m. Stories, interactive games, sing-a-longs and crafts are included in this early literacy program for children ages 3-5, and a parent or caregiver, which focuses on letter and number recognition, as well as color and shape identification.

Book to Movie Program \* - Thursday, February 14 - 6:30 p.m. Children in third through sixth grade will enjoy the story of a kid who just can't stay out of trouble. When his dad threatens to send him to military school if he doesn't stay out of trouble, this youngster soon finds new ways to land himself in the doghouse. Children are not required to read the book to attend, although it is encouraged.

Daddy Story Time - Saturday, February 16 - 10 a.m. Children of all ages and the special men in their lives are invited to attend this special story time featuring stories, activities and crafts.

Evening Story Time - Thursday, February 21 - 6:30 p.m. It's a great time of year to curl up with a good story! Join us for our evening story time for children of all ages -- and their parents or caregivers -featuring stories, flannel board activities and crafts.

Video Game Night \* - Monday, February 25 - 5:30 p.m. Kids, teens and families are invited to join us for an evening of video-gaming fun featuring dancing, racing and more! Light refreshments will be provided

Let's Explore History \* - Thursday, February 28 - 6:30 p.m. Abraham Lincoln, the 16th President of the United States, is the focus of this month's program for children in first through fifth grade. Registration is required to ensure enough materials are available.

If you have any questions, please call me at 570-523-1172.

## Would You Drive a Mile to Save a Life?

Wondering how you are going to get to the treatment you need should not be a worry for those with cancer.

Through the American Cancer Society's "Road to Recovery" program, local cancer patients can receive free rides to and from their treatments and related medical appointments.

This free program is available because of dedicated volunteers. The American Cancer Society is currently looking for volunteer drivers to assist with the program.

The Society is looking for volunteers with a little bit of time to give from all over the region. All volunteers must have a current, valid driver's license, proof of automobile insurance, a good driving record, and must attend a training.

There will be a training for all interested drivers on Thursday Feb. 21, 2013, at 10 a.m., at the Society's Selinsgrove office. If you are interested in learning more or registering for the training, please call Dawn Spuesens at 570-884-1027.

If you or someone you know is in need of "Road to Recovery" services, please call 1-800-227-2345.

## PUBLIC AUCTION Saturday, February 16, 2013 9:00 A.M.

Location at Village Merchants Building in Richfield on Rt. 35 turn off Rt. 35 at Juniata Valley Bank on opposite side of bank.

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# What Are The Commissioners Doing For You??

### January 8, 2013

A special meeting of the Union County Board of Commissioners was held on Tuesday, January 8, 2013. ACTION MINUTES

### A. MINUTES

Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to approve the minutes of December 31, 2012. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

### **B. GENERAL DISCUSSION**

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve payables for week of January 2, 2013 in an amount of \$233,319.13.. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to reappoint Larry Shipton to the Union County Housing Authority Board of Directors for a five year term, January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2017. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve reappointment of Larry Seibert as second representative to SEDA-Council of Governments Board of Directors for 2013 in the Township category. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to reappoint Diane Meixell to the Union County Redevelopment Authority Board of Directors for a five year term, January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2017. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to approve Resolution Number 1 for 2013 appointing a Voting Member (Shawn McLaughlin) to the SEDA-COG Rural Planning Organization (RPO) for a four year term, January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2016. Shawn McLaughlin is your current voting member and has served in this capacity.. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve Resolution Number 2 for 2013 establishing tax collector commissions. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to adjourn to a Salary Board Meeting. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

The regularly scheduled meeting reconvened.

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers to adjourn to an Election Board Meeting. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

The regularly scheduled meeting reconvened.

Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers to adjourn to an Executive Session for a real estate litigation matter. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

The regularly scheduled meeting reconvened.

Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Union County Commissioners Diana L. Robinson Chief Clerk

## 3 Vans On The Road 2 More On The Way For Usta Commute

The Union / Snyder Transportation Alliance (USTA) is pleased to announce the new Vanpool Service is on the road with three (3) vans and (2) two more are on the way. The Vanpool Service began in May 2012 as an addition to the paratransit services currently offered by USTA. The Vanpool Service was funded as a pilot project with the Pennsylvania Department of Trans-

portation to purchase two 10-12 passenger vans, each at a cost of \$31,600. The two vanpools established routes to State College along the Route 45 corridor and to Harrisburg along the Route 11/15 corridor. In December a third van was added and now travels the Route 11/15 corridor to Harrisburg. Because of overwhelming support, two more vans are scheduled to arrive by mid-March Dairy News By: Dawn Franck uary is upon us. With winter more Add the rema

than half way over but the coldest part firmly rooted this year over Central Pennsylvania, the spring thaw is something everyone is looking forward to. Hopefully everyone has been following through with their New Year's Resolutions. With the Pennsylvania Farm Show behind us, I have to give my sister Shawna a shout out for raising the Reserve Champion Middle Weight Crossbred Market Hog at the show. Although she didn't take overall Reserve, she did a phenomenal job with her project and I am so proud of her. Also, my "sister" dairy princess Michala Kuhlman from Rome, PA was awarded her Keystone Degree and the Pennsylvania FFA Star Farmer at our winter convention. There is only 1 star farmer a year per state so my heart filled with pride for her as well. Afterwards I found out her mother Connie had also been a Star Farmer in Vermont. I wonder what the probability of that happening is?

This winter hasn't been as kind as last year was and with all the snow days we've had, I'm afraid we might be making days up during our summer vacation. The days off have been fun though and my brother, sister and I have enjoyed spending that time together. During one of those days off, when it was just too miserable to be outside enjoying the hill in front of our house on the sled, I was watching television when a commercial about milk came on with the beautiful Salma Hayek. It made me think...Why do I drink three or more servings of milk a day? Was it because of the marketing with celebrities or happy cows from California? No, even though the cow commercials are pretty funny. Was it because of my dairy farming heritage? Well, I must admit, that has something to do with it but it wasn't the reason. About that time, Mom got up and went to the kitchen. With that familiar sound of the refrigerator door gently shutting and my mom sitting back down in her chair with a glass of milk, it dawned on me. SHE is the reason I drink milk and eat dairy products. My whole life, all 17 years of it, my mother has been my role model and taught me what I need to know. From washing my hair to teaching me responsibility and getting homework done on time to making healthy choices, Mom has shown me the way.

Studies show that children will follow their parents lead. And with the decline in children drinking milk and getting the calcium they need to grow and stay strong, it's important for parents to be good role models. Some parents are concerned that giving their children flavored milk such as chocolate milk isn't good for them and is high is sugar and calories. Chocolate milk or any flavored milk has the same 9 essential nutrients as white milk. And chocolate milk has half the sugar that soda or fruit juices have. Comparing soda and juices to milk may also have your family reaching for milk more often. An 8 oz. serving of fat free milk fortified with vitamin D is 80 calories and provides us with the nine essential nutrients our bodies need to grow. The same 8 oz. of soda is 100 calories and will only give us 3% of the phosphorus we need compared to 20% with milk. Fruit juices have about 120 calories and about 2% of the potassium we need where milk gives us 11%.

So in the end I find myself asking, "Am I turning into my mother?" I can only hope so!

During the month of January, we celebrate my mother, Grandmother, Uncle John, Aunt Billie Jean and Cousin Megan's birthdays (all from the 23rd to the 26th). One of our favorite cakes is Chocolate Cake with Peanut Butter frosting. While you can make whatever chocolate cake you want, this is the Peanut Butter frosting you've been waiting your entire life to try. And my great grandmother had the recipe all this time!

### Peanut Butter Icing

1 Cup MILK 2 TBSP. Corn Starch

<sup>2</sup> Cup BUTTER, softened

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Cup Crisco

1 tsp. Vanilla

pinch of salt

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Cup granulated sugar

<sup>4</sup> Cup and 2 TBSP. Smooth Peanut Butter

In a saucepan over medium low heat, heat milk and corn starch until it bubbles and becomes thick. Stir constantly with a whip. Let cool (you can put it in the refrigerator to help cool it quicker.)

January has passed and February is upon us. With winter more Add the remaining ingredients and mix until completely blended. han half way over but the coldest part firmly rooted this year Spread over a 9x13 cake or 2-9 inch round cakes.

During the winter, when days are short and time seems to pass by too quickly, my mother makes a lot of casseroles. This is one of our favorites. It works great as a meal but can also be a side dish at a potluck dinner.

Scalloped Potato and Ham Casserole

4 Cups thinly sliced Potatoes

Paprika

- 3 Cups flour
- 1 stick BUTTER
- Salt and Pepper to taste 1 jar Hot Mustard
- 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Cups MILK
- 1 lb. Ham

Arrange potatoes on the bottom of a casserole. Put onions on top. Sprinkle with flour, salt, pepper and paprika. Dot with 2 table-spoons of butter. Add ham and 1 teaspoon of hot mustard. Continue to add layers as above. Scald 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  cups of milk and pour over the layers. Top with more ham and sprinkle with paprika. Bake at 350° F for 2 hours.

## Library hosting Baked Potato Fundraiser

The Herr Memorial Library is hosting a baked potato fundraiser from 6 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, March 2 at the Mifflinburg Fire Station—325 Chestnut Street, Mifflinburg.

Enjoy a baked potato bar with the works—from the standard potato toppers to some that are slightly unconventional—a salad, drink and dessert. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$6 for children ages 4-10, and children 3 and under are free.

Tickets can be purchased at the library located at 500 Market Street, Mifflinburg. For more information call 570-966-0831 or visit the website at www.herrlibrary.org.

## Farm Bureau Commiserates Food Check-Out Week

The Union county Farm Bureau will be celebrating Food Check-Out Week from February 17-23, 2013, as a means of recognizing that growing and raising wholesome food is a farmer's top goal, and that Americans enjoy a food supply that is among the safest, most abundant and most affordable in the world. Our farmers provide the highest quality, healthiest food possible. Pennsylvania farmers are committed to producing safe, abundant and healthy food and the Farm Bureau is helping consumers find solutions to eating healthy on a stretched budget. Food check-Out Week will be observed through a charitable donation of food and money and other needed items for Pennsylvania's six Ronald McDonald Houses in Pennsylvania. Here in Union and surrounding counties, Farm Bureau is proposing donations to the Ronald McDonald House in Danville.

"The Ronald McDonald House is a wonderful program that provides needed resources and services to members of our community" said Union County Farm Bureau President Lavere Hook". It takes a lot of support from various groups to provide this charitable service for our area. It"s a perfect way for us to recognize the bounty of our farmers in the valley".

A contribution of food or funds to the event can be made by contacting Susan Hauck at 966-3760. The donated items will be presented to the Ronald McDonald House in Danville during the Food Check-Out Week program on February 19th. Or you can personally drop off items at the Ronald McDonald House at 100 North Academy Avenue in Danville the morning of February 19th.

The Union county Farm Bureau is a farm and rural organization that advances agriculture and provides cost-saving services to its members in the county and the state.



USTA's vanpool service is one of only five currently operating in the Commonwealth.

According to PaCommutes, a PennDot sponsored website, fuel costs driving 20 days per month, 120 miles per day, are \$384. In addition to fuel savings, commuters save "wear and tear" on their vehicles. Commuters especially appreciate relaxing, napping or reading as well as not driving their personal vehicles to work.

Vanpool participants, including the driver, are responsible for deciding who will drive and where they are picked up and dropped off. Drivers assume additional responsibilities for collecting the fares, keeping a travel log, ensuring the vehicle is maintained, and filing reports. The fare paid by the participants covers fuel, insurance, and operation costs. The program also guarantees a ride home in case of an emergency while a commuter is at work.

As one commuter summarized, "not having the stress of a long, lonely daily commute has been a life changer. My eleven year old car can stay on the road until my retirement in a few years."

USTA currently has openings on two vans, one to State College and one to Harrisburg. The monthly fare is \$160 to State College and \$170 to Harrisburg. With two new vans arriving in mid March, new vanpools are now forming. Commuters to Williamsport are looking for riders. To form a new vanpool, several commuters should be headed to a similar destination at similar times. Often folks who work together explore a new vanpool. If you are interested in joining an existing vanpool, or if you are interested in forming a new one, please contact USTA Commute at 1-877-877-9021

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Engagement



### Johnson-Martin

Alanson and Bonnie Johnson, of Lewisburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Crissa Johnson, also of Lewisburg, to Josh Martin, of Middleburg, PA. The bride-to-be is a 2008 graduate of Mifflinburg Area High School. Her fiancé is the son of Brainard (Red) and Brenda Kreider, of Middleburg, PA. He is a 2006 graduate of Midd-West High School. A October 2013 wedding is being planned.

## Middleburg Reliance Hose Company and Evangelical Celebrate One Year of Collaborating Services

Middleburg Reliance Hose Company recently celebrated a year of sharing Paramedic and EMT services with Evangelical Community Hospital.

The combined services came when the two partners realized there was an opportunity to improve access to services for community members, lower charges provided to patients needing Pre-Hospital services, offset staffing challenges for the local fire company, and make better use of resources for both the fire company and the Hospital.

Starting in November 2011, Evangelical began placing a paid paramedic and EMT on initial 911 calls. The decision provided consistent staffing on rotation to the ambulance and allowed the elimination of the costs associated with a second response vehicle. Under the new structure, the EMT and Paramedic serve on location at the fire company; when an emergency call comes in they respond through the coordination of services under one roof.

The transition has been smooth and positive with a huge impact in efficient service and lower cost for patients. The occasional confusion of seeing personnel with Evangelical apparel or name tags is easily explained with patients knowing they are receiving the quality emergency care they expect when the ambulance arrives on scene.

Jared Mizer, Ambulance Captain of Reliance Hose Company, said, "Reliance Hose Company has always made serving the community its top priority. The partnership with Evangelical has proven to be a perfect fit for that mission, with our com-munity members having available to them rapid-response Advanced Life Support coverage 24 hours a day, 7 days a week."

The year of partnership has included a total of 1,045 ambu-lance calls comprised of 737 medical calls, 268 trauma calls, and 40 stand-by situations such as a fire or accident where there is a chance for ambulance need.

Nicholas Klose, Director of Pre-Hospital Services for Evangelical, said, "We constantly look for the most efficient ways to get patients the emergency care they need while keeping in mind cost and resources involved. This partnership with Middleburg is similar to one we've had with Mifflinburg, Milton and Watsontown. In total, Evangelical has 88 employees in Pre-Hospital services serving our communities.'

Klose continued, "Reliance Hose Company has a long history of providing excellent emergency services to Middleburg service area and now through this partnership they support rural areas like Richfield, Beaver Springs, Troxelville, and Kreamer. By building on that experience and working together we are assuring accessible ambulance services continue for a long-time to come.'

## Penn View Christian Academy **Student Achievements**

Eight high school students from Penn View Christian Academy recently traveled to Harrisburg where the students participated in an All-State Choir seminar and concert. The Choir, sponsored by the Keystone Christian Education Association, was held on November 15-17.

The students from Penn View Christian Academy who participated include Monique Freer of Middleburg, Breanna McCarty of Richfield, Kaitlin Rine of Penns Creek, Kirsten Gingerich of Mifflinburg, Casey Forney of Lykens, Dustin Durkee of Gratz, Darren Durkee of Gratz, and Caleb Black of Penns Creek. Students in grades 9-12 had to be screened and nominated by

the local school administration and music faculty. Subsequently each nominated student auditioned for the Keystone organization. Approximately 140 students participated from schools across Pennsylvania and represented Christian schools from every geographic region of the state.

This year's guest conductor was a Choir director veteran from 1999 and 2002, Mr. Richard Shelburne, Minister of Music at First Baptist Church of Land O' Lakes (FL) since 1999. With over thirty years of experience in leading music at the church, school, and college levels, Shelburne received a B.M. in Voice and French from The University of Tampa, an M.A. in Music from Florida State University, and an M.A. in French Education from the University of Alabama.

During his voice education, he studied under Dr. Gail Gingery, Dr. David Clark Isele, and Mr. Larry Gerber. Shelburne's extensive background in foreign languages and his international travel and singing experiences were unique assets brought to this year's Choir. He annually plans and leads school groups on international study tours, continuing to maintain his international exposure to music and culture. Of this year's event, Shelburne said, "Students ARE my blessing. Craig and I are truly humbled and excited at what the Lord did and is continuing to do. The comments from the students, parents, pastors, and music directors have been overwhelming, to say the least. 'To God be the glory, great things HE hath done.

This year's guest accompanist, Dr. Craig Ralston has been a long-time friend with Shelburne since they met at Bob Jones University. Ralston led the Choir in 2009 and is our first Con-ductor-turned-Accompanist. Having been blessed with conducting, vocal, and keyboard skills, his academic credentials include a B.S. in Music Education and an M.M. in Piano Performance from Bob Jones University, and earning a D.M.A. in Theory/Composition from the University of Alabama. He is the chair of the Music Department at Clearwater Christian College and has taught there since 1997. "This years' choir was out-standing. I felt that the quality of the voices was superior to [the Choir of] three years ago. The students displayed wonderful attitudes throughout the long hours of rehearsing and were friendly and encouraging to us as directors. These are the sort of young people that bring hope to this country and are a credit to our Lord!"

The young people joined voices in singing eleven religious, classical, and Christmas works. Their final concerts were performed in the capitol rotunda at Harrisburg on Saturday, November 17, at 11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. The Executive Director of KCEA, Dr. Ted Clater, views the

annual event as

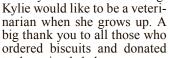
one of the key components of KCEA's program. The Association offers various activities to help students prepare themselves for the future. It encourages students to develop Christian character and to achieve academically. Athletic competitions in volleyball, soccer, and basketball, as well as Bible Quizzing and Festivals in Bible, academics, and fine arts, are a major part of the activities provided students in KCEA schools.

## During Holiday Break Local Girl Makes Donation to Shelter

Kylie Struble (7) of Mifflinburg was very busy over her holiday break from school. She made over 75 dozen dog biscuits and took donations for the biscuits that she made and donated the proceeds to Turkey Run Rescue in the Mifflinburg area. Kylie loves animals and is involved with her



local Girl Scout troop. Kylie is the daughter of Clint and Tonya Struble of Mifflinburg, and the granddaughter of Gary and Gail Struble of Weikert and Roger and Nancy Walter of Mifflinburg.



## **U16** Champions



The Fusion once again went undefeated and won the Champi onship in soccer for the U16 Girls Bracket at SportsZone. Pictured are (1 to r): Mackezie Jones, Perie Howard, Sarah Marks Justine Facer, Mallory Jones, Alicia Torruella, and Elke Velz. Missing from the picture are Head Coach Dave Velz and Coach Andy Jones.

## 134th Cadet Class Members Join Troop F

On December 21, 2012, Governor Tom Corbett congratulated the 98 men and women joining the ranks of the Pennsylvania State Police during their graduation ceremony.

"Through the years, the men and women of Pennsylvania State Police have run toward danger to ease the pain of the suffering, to rescue the needy and to restore order among our people, Corbett said. "A week ago in Connecticut we witnessed the pain some people are willing to inflict upon others. Six years ago, the force you are now joining was called to such a tragedy at a small Amish schoolhouse in Lancaster."

"Yours is the 134th cadet class and I am pleased to say that in February, we will convene another class, Corbett Said, with the addition of 90 new cadets. "You are a part of a continuing effort."

"The Pennsylvania State Police is the oldest state force in the nation. It draws from the ranks of everyday citizens, holding fast to the understanding that a free people can only be free where the law is applied equally.

Major John W. Laufer III, Director of the State Police Bureau of Training and Education, supervised the training of the class, which was the 134th class to graduate from the State Police Academy in Hershey since it opened in 1960. Also speaking at the ceremony which was held at Central Dauphin High School, was State Police Commissioner Col. Frank Noonan.

The graduates, who have completed 25 weeks of intensive physical and classroom training, have been assigned to stations within nine troop areas across the state.

Those assigned to Troop F which includes Cameron, Clinton, Lycoming, Northumberland, Potter, Snyder, Tioga and Unior Counties are: Kyle M. Bulter, Ryan W. Golla, Troy D. Hansen Jamesan S. Keeler, Brian J. Ladick, Scott A. Maskowski, John D Medrano, Matthew R. Montag, Tyler R. Morse, Steven D. Moyemont, David A. Myers, Jared T. Reichenbach, Justin M. Ros-boschil, Kyle C. Schaad, Daniel R. Switzer, Kyle M. Whitford, Jonathan D. Wooster, and James A. Yankovich, Jr.

## Pennsylvania Land Choices Workshop Offered At Library

Environmental Education and Stewardship Staff from R.B. Winter State Park are offering P.L.A.C.E., an interactive course about land use and developing communities from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, March 9 at The Public Library for Union County

This program is designed for teachers in grades 6-12, and is based on the Pennsylvania Land Choices curriculum. While exploring social studies, science, engineering, civics and environmental studies, the curriculum encourages students to become involved in their community and to conserve its natural and historic resources. ACT 48 credits are available for participants.

Registration is required by March 1 by calling the R.B. Winter State Park office at 570-966-1455. Coffee and tea will be

available; however, partici-pants must supply their own lunches.

This program is one of the ways in which The Public Library for Union County supports the PA Forward Initiative by providing Civic and Social Literacy opportunities



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