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Bicentennial Sales



ets by Scott Baylor patterned on a piece by Hartleton tin-smith Samuel Bingman; hand thrown and marked pottery pitchers, mugs, spoon holders, colanders, and crocks by Bill Lynch of Penns Creek Pottery; special soap by Jessica Grill of Pompeii Street Soap Co.; candles in holiday colors by Patty Hess of Colonial Candecrafters; and marked wooden rolling pins and potato mashers by Pete Wertman of the Buffalo Valley Antique Equipment Association.



The Union County Bicentennial Committee will be hosting a table with its Craftsmen's Series and Bicentennial memorabilia during the Christkindl Market, December 13-15, in the restored Elias Church near the Mifflinburg Cemetery at the corner of South 4th Street and Quarry Road in Mifflinburg.

New to the Union County Bicentennial line will be white coffee mugs with the 1813-2013 logo, Bicentennial house banners/flags, an 1855 Union County Courthouse "Hometown Collectable," and traditional commemorative wooden nickels. These new items are in addition to the UCBC Craftmen's Series items: especially woven queen-size and crib-size coverlets by Red Lion Weavers; hand forged and "marked" wrought iron utensils by Bill Clemens of New Columbia; a limited edition of reproduction tin berry buck-

The display and sales area at the Elias Church will be open for visitors Thursday, December 13, at 4:30-9 p.m., Friday and Saturday, December 14 and 15, from 10 a.m.-9 p.m.

For more information on Union County's Bicentennial, please visit the web site at www.unioncounty200.com.

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Mitten Tree



Erik Schinnerer (age 3) and Alexa Spigelmyer (age 4) placed mittens on the Union County Chapter's Mitten Tree at the Public Library for Union County.

The Union County Chapter of PASR (Pennsylvania Association of School Retirees) is sponsoring the Annual MITTEN TREE at the Public Library for Union County. Items received through the Mitten Tree Project will be sorted and distributed to needy children through the Eastern and Western Union County Food Banks.

Mittens, scarves, hats, or gently used or new books or small toys may be left at any of the Public Library for Union County buildings or at any of the schools in the Mifflinburg or Lewisburg Area School Districts until December 11, 2012.

Last year, the generous residents of Union County contributed enough to serve all of the needy children in the county whose parents participate in the food bank programs. We hope we can do as well this year.

Running of the Elves 5k and Reindeer Fun Run

Registration is still open for the first Running of the Elves 5k planned for Saturday, December 8, 2012 beginning at the Lewisburg High School at 10:30am. More than 150 have registered with the number expected to increase by race day. The event is chip timed and awards will be given to the top three in each age category. The event is open to participants of all ages. Walkers are welcome. A Reindeer Fun Run for children will be organized

by Bucknell students and will start at 11:30am. Pre-registration is encouraged for both events on www.fitforfunds.com/elves5k. Race day registration will be offered and will begin at 9am in the High School cafeteria. Minors must be accompanied by an adult. For more information contact Tara Michaels at tara@fitforfunds.com or 570-939-0712. The Band of Brothers Relay for Life Team will be working the event.

Farmland Protection Signup

Applications for the 2013 Union County Ag-Land Preservation Program are being accepted until January 31, 2013. The Ag-Land Preservation Program is a State and County-run program that purchases development rights from landowners in order to protect farmland for future food production and open space preservation. This method of preserving farmland allows landowners to receive compensation for keeping their land in farming. The price paid for these rights is based on the difference between the whole farm-development market value and the farmland market value. For the year 2012 purchase period, easement purchases in Union County ranged from \$1300 to \$1500 per acre. Base prices

are determined by a certified appraisal. A locally appointed board of directors guides the program, and establishes the methodology of prioritizing farms and the purchase price of development rights. In order to qualify, farms must be in a duly recorded Ag. Security Area, have at least 50 acres (unless contiguous to other approved preserved land), and meet soil quality parameters as required by state regulations. A farm must have a current erosion and sedimentation or conservation plan, and a manure management or nutrient management plan to apply.

Contact Cindy Kahley, Union County Conservation District, at 155 North 15th St., Lewisburg, Pa., or call 524-3860 for more information or to pick up an application.

Volunteers Needed

Lewisburg area residents and university students, who are in the Lewisburg Area over the holiday season, are asked to consider volunteering two hours of their time to serve the needy in our community by carrying bags of food at the Eastern Union County Supplemental Food Program. The Food Bank, located in the basement of the First Baptist Church at the corner of South Third Street and St. Louis Street, usually has a group of volunteer students from Bucknell University to assist with this activity. However, those students will have returned to their homes over the term break. Consequently, there will be a critical shortage of much needed help for the distributions on December 21st, and January 4th from 1:15 to

3:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed for each of those dates.

This would be a good opportunity for students, who are home from their respective colleges and universities and residents, to meet one another as they serve others. Residents are asked to join with these students in participating in this activity. More information regarding this volunteer activity may be received by calling Dick Ellis at 524-4740 or via e-mail at: rellis@bucknell.edu.

Check Out The Family Dollar Insert in this Week's Paper! (Some areas only)

Mifflinburg Cole's Hardware Celebrates Its New Location



From left to right: Charlie Ross, President/CEO Greater Susquehanna Valley Chamber of Commerce, Bill Cole, Larry Mitchell, President Mifflinburg Heritage & Revitalization Association Board of Directors, David Cooney, Mayor of Mifflinburg, Greg Cole, Bo Cole, Kelly Heimbach, store manager, Larry Shipton and Cherie Ross, Mifflinburg Main Street Manager

The Mifflinburg store is one of 11 Cole's Hardware stores in the region with the first store opening in Danville in 1883. Regional stores range from Berwick in the East, Milton in the north, Middleburg in the south and the western most store in Mifflinburg.

The Cole's Hardware store in Mifflinburg, celebrating ten years of serving the community, has moved to a new location enabling the store to better serve its Mifflinburg customers.

On Thursday, November 29, Greg Cole, owner, addressed the crowd at the ribbon cutting for the new store. "Many people have worked long and hard to make this new store a reality," stated Cole. He proceeded to thank all who had participated in the long process including Larry Shipton, local government and the many contractors involved who did the construction, drywall, plumbing, electrical, painting, and architectural design and layout.

The new store affords more space and the addition of ample parking for customers and for loading and off loading of merchandise. Cole's carries about 20,000 different products in their locations. The previous location was about 10,000 square feet in total with the new location being 17,200 square feet of which approximately 12,000 square feet is retail space. "This new store is much more open, light and easier for both the customers and the staff to shop and work", stated Cole. The Mifflinburg store is managed by Kelly Heimbach and has 15 employees. It is open 7 days a week and even offers complimentary coffee to early morning customers. "Customer service is a hallmark of our stores", said Greg Cole, "and we will be able to do an ever better job of it here in our new location."

Check Presented to Agency on Aging



Mifflinburg Bank & Trust employee Jennifer Bingaman recently presented a check to Holly Kyle, Executive Director, Union-Snyder Agency on Aging, Inc. The check represents Casual Friday funds collected during September by bank employees and matched by Mifflinburg Bank & Trust. The donation will be used to aide local seniors. To learn more about this non-profit organization, visit www.usaaal7.org.

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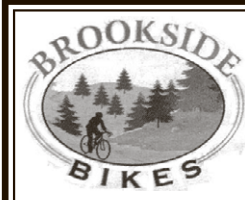
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___	BLUEBERRY CRUMB	___	PEACH
___	BLUEBERRY CUSTARD	___	PEANUT BUTTER PIE
___	CHERRY	___	PECAN
___	CHERRY CRUMB	___	PUMPKIN
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___	COCONUT CREAM	___	RAISIN
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Community Calendar

Club 39
 Club 39 meets every Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. in the Government Building, at 347 Chestnut St., in Mifflinburg. Dec. 12: Bingo from 2-4 p.m. Dec. 13: Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. at the Old Turnpike Restaurant, in Mifflinburg. Dec. 14: Christmas Party at 5 p.m. at Carriage Corner, in Mifflinburg. Call 966-2745 to make reservations by Dec. 7. Dec. 19: Program Harry Apfelbaum from 2-4 p.m. Dec. 26: No Meeting.

Hand Crafted Items Sale
 The Susquehanna Valley Spinners & Weavers Guild will not hold a regular meeting this month. They will be selling their one of a kind beautiful hand crafted items during the Christkindel Market on Dec. 13, 14 & 15, at the Historic Gutelius House.

Dance
 The Countryside Contra Dancers welcome everyone to celebrate the season with us at the Contra dance on December 8, at the Donald Heiter Community Center, at 100 N 5th Street, in Lewisburg. The dance begins at 7:30 p.m. with a review for newcomers, and continues until 10:30 p.m. Calling this month is Terry Bachmann, and providing lively music is Total Hip Replacement. For more information call Betsy or Jeff at 524-2104 or http://www.lewisburgcontra.com.

Christmas Bazaar
 A Christmas Bazaar will be held at the Emmanuel United Church of Christ, on Market and Vine Streets, in New Berlin, on Saturday, December 8, at 8 a.m.

Concert
 The Skyline Boys, a Southern Gospel Group from Manassas, VA, will be in concert on Sunday, December 9, at 6 p.m. at the Mifflinburg Alliance Church. The concert is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be taken. The church is located 1.2 miles north of Route 45, off of Forest Hill Road, near Mifflinburg. For more information, call the church office at 570-966-4899.

Concert
 Buffalo Valley Singers and the Buffalo Valley Brass will perform a Christmas concert entitled "Love Came Down" on Saturday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, December 16, at 3 p.m. at St. John's United Church of Christ, at 1050 Buffalo Rd., in Lewisburg. Admission is charged at the door.

Women's Club Dinner
 Tuesday After Five Christian Women's Club invites all women to join us at our "Deck the Halls" dinner party at the Country Cupboard Restaurant on Tuesday, December 11, at 6:30 p.m. We will feature Jewelry by Crafter/Designer, Darlene Holtzapple of Lewisburg. We will enjoy a musical package by the wonderful Paulhamus Father and sons quartet called "A-chording to Dad." Our speaker, Sandy Herry of Honeoye, NY will share her version of "The Ultimate Gift." A delicious dinner will be enjoyed by all. The dinner cost is all inclusive. To make your dinner reservations, contact Tracey at 742-8995 or Betty at Blyler@dejazzd.com.

Concert
 The Buffalo Valley brass will be in concert on Saturday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, December 16, at 3 p.m. at St. John's UCC, at 1050 Buffalo Road, in Lewisburg.

Door and House Decorating Contest
 The Activities Committee, in New Berlin, will hold a door and house decorating contest with prizes awarded on December 16.

Breakfast with Santa
 Breakfast with Santa serving a Free Pancake breakfast from 8 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. on December 15, at the West End Fire Company Social Hall, on Route 235, in Glen Iron. Santa arrives by fire truck at 9 a.m. No reservations required!

My Best Friend Party
 The Union County Branch of the Greater Susquehanna Valley YMCA is hosting a "My Best Friend Party" on Saturday, December 8, 2012, 1:00-3:00pm, at the First Lutheran Church, at 404 Market Street, Mifflinburg. Young Girls and their doll friends are invited to join us for a special event to celebrate their close friendships. Girls may dress like their dolls and enjoy an afternoon of crafts, games, snacks and special memories. Pre-registration is required by contacting Angela Haines, Union County Branch YMCA Program Coordinator, at 966-4434 or ahaines@gsvymca.org. There is a charge.

Advent Fun Day
 Camp Mount Luther is holding an Advent Fun Day on Saturday, December 15, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in their Evergreen Center. Activities at the event include craft making for all ages, cookie baking, singing, and more. Make reservations by calling the camp office at (570) 922-1587 or e-mailing cml@campmountluther.org.

Blood Drive
 The Red Cross will host a Blood Drive on Tuesday, December 18, from 1 p.m. - 6 p.m. at the Mifflinburg Assembly of God, at 1001 Market Street, in Mifflinburg. Call 1800-RED-CROSS to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins welcome.

Christmas Dinner
 Mifflinburg United Methodist Church, on the corner of Third and Market Streets, in Mifflinburg, will once again be hosting a free Christmas dinner served promptly at noon on Christmas day. There are no take-outs. Deliveries are available for those in Mifflinburg who are unable to get to the church. Just call the church office prior to December 21. Donations are accepted.

Christmas Eve
 Come and celebrate the birth of Jesus at the West End Bible Fellowship on Christmas Eve, starting at 6:30 p.m. The New Life Gospel Band will be leading the celebration with their musical gifts and their will be a special candle lighting part of the service. The church is located on Rt. 45, just west of where Route 45 meets Route 235. Any questions, call Pastor Dick at 922-4257.

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 three weeks 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!!

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Police

STATE POLICE, MILTON
DUI 2:22 a.m. December 2, on SR 45, in West Buffalo Township. A known female, 58, of New Berlin, operated a 2010 Toyota Camary while under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance. Charges are pending results of the blood chemical test.

DUI 2:30 p.m. December 1, along Rusty Run Lane, in Buffalo Township. A known male, 46, was stopped by the PA Game Commission for a suspected game violation. The suspect showed signs of intoxication and PSP were notified. The suspect was transported for chemical testing. Charges are pending the results of the test.

Burglary Between 11:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. November 29, on Furnace Road, in Buffalo Township. Unknown actor(s) entered the residence of David Clark Henry, 66, of Lewisburg, by force. Once inside the residence, the actor(s) removed a wooden commemorative box. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 524-2662 and reference incident number F06-1161894.

Theft by Deception November 25, at Walmart, on AJK Blvd., in Kelly Township. A known suspect entered Walmart, selected a few items from the store and then went to the returns section and returned the items as if she had purchased them, deceiving Walmart out of \$118.22. The investigation continues.

DUI 4:05 p.m. December 3, at the Lewisburg Eye Center, in Kelly Township. A male, 43, of Milton, was found to have been operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. The actor was arrested and taken for a blood test. Charges are pending the results of the blood test.

Criminal Mischief 6:20 p.m. December 3, in the Walmart parking lot, at 120 AJK Blvd., in Kelly Township. Rey Delgado-Rios, 22, of Milton, went to the parking lot, using a hammer, he struck the victim's windshield and front driver side window of a 1998 Ford Windstar belonging to Miguel Paga, 66, of Sunbury, causing approximately \$400 damage. Delgado-Rios was charged with a non-traffic citation for criminal mischief at District Court 17-3-01.

Theft November 15, at 1295 Millers Bottom Road, in Lewisburg. An unknown actor(s) removed a cell phone from the residence of David Hames. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 524-2662.

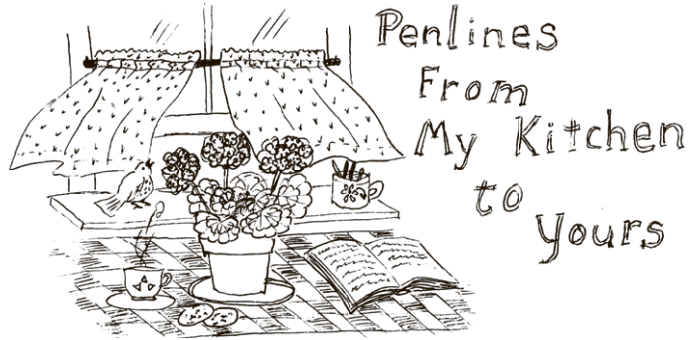
Crash 11:40 a.m. December 4, on Old Turnpike Road at its intersection with Young Road, in Buffalo Township. A 2003 Ford F350 driven by Jacob H. Bennett, 23, of Madrio, NY and a 2002 Chevrolet Express 2500 driven by Robert B. Crumlich, 68, of Harrisburg, were traveling east on SR 45. At the intersection of SR 45 and Young Road, Crumlich slowed to a stop to turn left onto Young Road. Bennett approached Crumlich's vehicle and failed to stop prior to crashing into the back end of his vehicle. Bennett was not injured and Crumlich sustained a minor injury. Assisting on the scene were the Mifflinburg EMS and Fire Department. Bennett was cited for a traffic violation.

Burglary Between December 2-3, at the Purple Cow, on SR 45, in Buffalo Township. An unknown actor(s) forcibly entered the establishment while it was closed for the season. Nothing was stolen. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 524-2662.

Theft Between November 21-27, at Hollenbach Automotives, in West Buffalo Township. An unknown actor(s) removed two tires from the vehicle of Ricky Walter, of Mifflinburg, that had been sitting in the parking lot for approximately a month, awaiting payment after repair work had been done. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 524-2662.

Found Property 8:30 p.m. December 2, on Grand Valley Road, in West Buffalo Township. A men's full-sized mountain bike was found along Grand Valley Road in West Buffalo Township. Anyone who may be missing a full-sized bicycle is asked to contact police at 524-2662 to claim it. The bicycle will be released with proof of ownership or by giving a detailed description of the bicycle.

MIFFLINBURG POLICE
Reminder to Residents Due to the recent thefts from unlocked vehicles, the Mifflinburg Police Department would like to remind all residents to keep their vehicle doors locked, with no valuables left inside and all outside valuables in garages and on porches to be kept secured.



Dear Readers,
November 9, 2012
 Abram & Emma Zimmerman's children from MO & WI were in this area for the weekend to celebrate their parents 50th Anniversary.
 Sam & Loretta Hoover's baby, Michelle, came home from Hershey.
November 11, 2012
 Baby Michelle is back in the hospital. The skin ruptured where her shunt was put in and she had an abscess on her chin.
November 18, 2012
 Preacher Edwin Leinbach and a vanload of others from Lancaster Co., were at Vicksburg Church.
 Melvin & Lucille Zimmerman of Mifflinburg, have a daughter named Luanna Ruth. She has 1 sister. Grandparents are Aaron & Susie Zimmerman and Isaac & Ruth Reiff.
November 22, 2012
 Thanksgiving Day!
 What if we woke up this morning,
 With only the things we thanked the Lord for yesterday?
 Nephew Melvin & Mary Hoover of Ky are in our area and came to our house for supper, along with more of the Hoover family.

- Lucy Hoover

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Results for 11/20/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 8 8 3
 Daily Number (Evening): 7 5 0
 Big4 (Mid-day): 7 9 8 8
 Big4 (Evening): 6 4 0 3
 Quinto (Mid-day): 2 2 9 3 3
 Quinto (Evening): 9 9 4 3 2
 Treasure Hunt: 02 05 16 21 30
 CASH 5: 05 07 09 20 35
 Mega Millions: 09 13 22 38 52
 MB: 44
 MP: 04

Results for 11/21/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 6 9 2
 Daily Number (Evening): 6 7 8
 Big4 (Mid-day): 3 0 0 7
 Big4 (Evening): 3 2 2 3
 Big 4 Double Draw (Evening): 6 1 3 8
 Quinto (Mid-day): 5 5 8 9 6
 Quinto (Evening): 3 6 0 2 8
 Treasure Hunt: 04 11 16 19 30
 CASH 5: 08 09 11 26 42
 Powerball: 08 18 24 30 39
 PB: 26

Results for 11/22/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 9 9 1
 Daily Number (Evening): 4 7 3
 Big4 (Mid-day): 5 8 0 4
 Big4 (Evening): 1 0 9 8
 Quinto (Mid-day): 1 4 8 8 9
 Quinto (Evening): 7 2 7 5 5
 Treasure Hunt: 04 14 15 22 26
 CASH 5: 09 18 34 36 39
 Match 6: 06 13 19 28 36 42

Results for 11/23/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 8 8 3
 Daily Number (Evening): 4 9 7
 Big4 (Mid-day): 4 7 0 7
 Big4 (Evening): 1 1 1 1
 Quinto (Mid-day): 7 9 8 2 7
 Quinto (Evening): 4 5 4 7 8
 Treasure Hunt: 08 12 16 17 20
 CASH 5: 19 28 30 35 38
 Mega Millions: 08 37 44 47 48
 MB: 27

MP: 04
Results for 11/24/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 3 2 1
 Daily Number (Evening): 8 6 9
 Big4 (Mid-day): 0 2 1 2
 Big4 (Evening): 3 4 8 7
 Quinto (Mid-day): 9 1 9 1 6
 Quinto (Evening): 4 4 3 0 0
 Treasure Hunt: 07 10 12 15 17
 CASH 5: 07 26 29 31 35
 Powerball: 22 32 37 44 50
 PB: 34

Results for 11/25/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 8 8 5
 Daily Number (Evening): 5 0 2
 Big4 (Mid-day): 6 6 7 4
 Big4 (Evening): 0 1 1 7
 Quinto (Mid-day): 7 6 2 4 7
 Quinto (Evening): 9 4 1 0 7
 Treasure Hunt: 08 17 18 21 27
 CASH 5: 11 13 22 35 39

Results for 11/26/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 0 4 4
 Daily Number (Evening): 4 9 8
 Big4 (Mid-day): 7 0 6 5
 Big4 (Evening): 8 2 6 9
 Quinto (Mid-day): 9 2 5 5 0
 Quinto (Evening): 8 3 2 5 8
 Treasure Hunt: 06 21 22 23 29
 CASH 5: 05 12 22 23 24
 Match 6: 01 05 13 31 33 49

Results for 11/27/12
 Daily Number (Mid-day): 9 8 2
 Daily Number (Evening): 1 2 3
 Big4 (Mid-day): 2 5 6 5
 Big4 (Evening): 9 6 9 6
 Quinto (Mid-day): 9 0 9 3 8
 Quinto Double Draw (Mid-day): 8 8 6 9 5
 Quinto (Evening): 8 1 8 7 0
 Treasure Hunt: 05 06 14 26 28
 CASH 5: 01 19 28 31 40
 Mega Millions: 05 12 26 42 49
 MB: 24
 MP: 04

Middleburg Livestock Auction

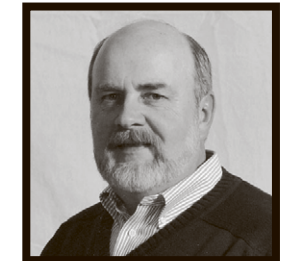
The following items were sold on **Tuesday, December 4, 2012**
 Timothy: \$120 to \$240 per ton; Grass: \$60 to \$250 per ton; Alfalfa: \$210 to \$265 per ton; Mixed: \$90 to \$265 per ton; Straw: \$25 to \$195 per ton; Ear Corn: \$160 to \$205 per ton; Oats: \$4.75 per bushel; Firewood: \$35 to \$210 per load; Calf: \$5 to \$180 per hundred; Fats: \$60 to \$129.50 per hundred; Cow: \$5 to \$82 per hundred; Bull: \$74.50 to \$94 per hundred; Feeder: \$35 to \$137 per hundred; Hogs: \$41 to \$67 per hundred; Pigs: \$12 to \$35 per head; Sows: \$40 to \$59.50 per hundred; Boars: \$16 to \$55 per hundred; Sheep: \$50 to \$115 per hundred; Goat: \$20 to \$170 per head; Lamb: \$147 to \$175 per hundred.

Chubb's Auction Prices

The following items were sold on **Thursday, November 29, 2012**
 Third Cut Alfalfa Grass: \$277.50 per ton; Timothy Hay: \$175 per ton; Mixed Hay: \$140 to \$160 per ton; Grass Hay: \$135 per ton.

Packwood House Museum To Hold Christmas Tag Sale

As part of Lewisburg's Christmas festivities on Saturday, December 8, the day of the Victorian Christmas Parade, Packwood House Museum will feature a tag sale of Christmas merchandise from 10am to 4pm in the museum's Tour Center at 15 North Water Street. Included is a wide array of seasonal decorations, tree ornaments, dishware, fabrics, knick-knacks, lights, wreaths, and almost anything you need to decorate your home for the holidays. The museum is also having a used book sale and a bake sale that includes a smorgasbord of scrumptious goodies such as brownies, cookies, and more. The museum shop will have seasonal items available as well, including a large selection of hats from Woolrich, special hand-tatted ornaments, jewelry, and quilt-themed tree ornaments available only at the museum. Gift memberships are also available for purchase. This is a great way to stock up on seasonal merchandise and support the museum at the same time. For more information, contact the museum at 570-524-0323, or visit www.packwoodhousemuseum.com.



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Obituaries

Charles W. "Mackie" McFarland, 75, Mifflinburg
 MIFFLINBURG — Charles William "Mackie" McFarland, 75, of 1825 Wabash Road for more than 50 years, entered into rest at 7:10 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 27, 2012, at Manor Care, Sunbury.
 Funeral services will be conducted privately at the convenience of the family.

Marion R. Gillespie, 82, Lewisburg
 LEWISBURG — Marion R. Gillespie, 82, of Lewisburg, passed away peacefully at her son's home in Selinsgrove on Thursday, Nov. 29, 2012.
 There will be no viewing, and all services will be private.

Shirley A. Murray, 61, Mifflinburg
 MIFFLINBURG — Shirley Anita Murray, 61, of 621 Chestnut St. for the past 15 years, formerly of Asheville, N.C., entered into rest Thursday afternoon, Nov. 29, 2012, at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville.
 Funeral services were conducted at 7 p.m. Monday, December 3, at the Rouppe Funeral Home, Inc., 8594 Old Turnpike Road., Mifflinburg, with Pastor Ryan Knauss, officiating.

Emily M. Diggan, 90, Lewisburg
 LEWISBURG — Emily M. "Bid" Diggan, 90, formerly of Schoolhouse Lane, Turbotville, passed away Friday, Nov. 30, 2012, at Buffalo Valley Lutheran Village, Lewisburg.
 Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, December 6, at Brooks Funeral Home, 207 Broadway Street, Turbotville, with the Rev. Erwin C. Roux, officiating.
 Burial was in Presbyterian Cemetery, McEwensville.

Scott E. Erb, 50, Mifflinburg
 MIFFLINBURG — Scott Eugene Erb, 50, of 426 Chestnut St., passed away unexpectedly on Friday afternoon, Nov. 30, 2012, at Evangelical Community Hospital, Lewisburg.
 Family and friends are invited to the visitation from 3 to 4 p.m. Saturday, December 8, at the St. John's Union Church of Dry Valley, followed by a memorial service to celebrate Scott's life at 4, with the Rev. Ricky Phillips, officiating.
 Burial will be in Mazeppa Cemetery.

John F. Bickert Jr., 61, Mifflinburg
 MIFFLINBURG — John Franklin Bickert Jr., 61, of 300 N. Fourth St., passed away at 12:12 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 2, 2012, at Evangelical Community Hospital, Lewisburg. He was a resident of Mifflinburg for the past 36 years.
 A graveside service were conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, December 6, in Northumberland Memorial Park, Stonington with the Rev. Dr. Robert Peiffer officiating.

What Are Your Commissioners Doing For You?

October 16, 2012
 A regularly scheduled meeting of the Union County Board of Commissioners was held on Tuesday, October 16, 2012.
BOARD MEMBERS: Commissioner Preston Boop, Chairman, Commissioner John Showers, Vice-Chairman, and Commissioner John Mathias, Secretary.
GUESTS: Eva Marie Socha, Daily Item
STAFF: Tom Clark, Solicitor, Diana L. Robinson, Chief Clerk, Cynthia Sheesley, Executive Administrative Assistant.
ACTION MINUTES
A. MINUTES
 Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve the minutes of October 2, 2012. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
B. GENERAL DISCUSSION
 Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to approve payables for week of October 12, 2012 in an amount of \$318,534.78. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
 Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve applications for deceased service person's grave for George Chesley Lenfest, Jr. and application for burial expenses of deceased service man's widow Michelina Gingesleskie. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
 Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to approve Final Land Development Plan Improvements Guaranty Agreement for Leroy and Mary Ann Horning for 112.90 acres located in Mifflinburg, Pa. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
 Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to approve Child Accounting and Profile System (CAPS) Application Service Provider Agreement for Union County Children and Youth, July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013, at a cost of \$21,064. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
 Motion by Commissioner Showers, second by Commissioner Mathias, to approve Avanco Business Agreement for Consulting and Ad Hoc IT Services and Support for Union County Children and Youth, July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013, at a cost NTE \$10,000. Motion carried and all members voted yes.
 Motion by Commissioner Mathias, second by Commissioner Showers, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried and all members voted yes.

Union County Commissioners
 Diana L. Robinson, Chief Clerk
 Cynthia R. Sheesley, Executive Administrative Assistant

PA Dutch Life & Culture

And this week I'll finish the poem:
THANKSGIVING
 We're thankful also for the brown old earth. The good old earth that supports us;
 The sun with its heat and light; the moon with its sad face;
 The stars that twinkle in the night and go slowly without sound
 Their rounds like clock hands, make their way so quietly and say nothing of their goal.
 And yet they announce much of the boundless might of God.

To you, our Father God, who has helped us so far
 And carries in His all-powerful hands the fate of every land,
 You, we thank to the highest degree! Oh, lead us in Your own path
 And make us steadfast in time and blessed in eternity!
 Beautiful, don't you think? Well, I hope you dear people had a good Thanksgiving and didn't eat too much! Take care, The Old Professor

And in Dutch:
 Mer danke aa brau alt Aerd, die guy alt Aerd ass uns earnasrt;
 Der Sunn mit ihre Hitz un Licht; em Munn mit seim bedriebede Gsicht.
 De Schtanne ass funkle in der Nacht un langsam ghene unne Saund
 Wie Uhrezeche ihre Raund; sie ghene ihre Gang so sacht
 Un doch verkindiche gaar viel vunder unbeschrenkde God-desmacht.

Dir, unserVadder Gott, der uns bis hierher ghofe hot
 Un draagt in Sienre allmachts Hand es Schicksaal vumme yede Land,
 Der danke mer im hechder Graad! O fiehr uns in Deim eegne Paad
 Un mach uns schtandhaft in der Z eit un seelich in der Ewichkeit!
 Schee, denkt ihr net? Well, ich hoff ihr lewe Leit hen all en guder Dankdaag, Danksaagungsdag, Dankfescht. Esst net zu viel. Macht's gut, Der Alt Professor
 (Used with permission from A PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH YEAR by Earl C. Haag)

And I too, trust you had a wonderful Thanksgiving, as we did! And as we enter the Christmas season, do remember the REAL reason for this season! Jean Markley Keiser, 1133 Carolina Ave., West Chester, PA 19380 bjkeiser@verizon.net

Since it's getting close to Christmas, I'd like to share one of our family traditions. My mother in law's parents came from Belgium. His grandfather was a Belgian glassblower, as were many who had come from the old country to southwestern PA in the early 1900's. When we were first married, I can remember seeing the talented glassblowers still at work in Barry's hometown of Point Marion, PA. It was a bustling business, as many were employed and beautiful products were produced at this factory for many years. All of his family and many relatives were employed there, in the office, as artists and in the outlet store. Unfortunately though, as the market dwindled, everything gradually closed and now the buildings have either been torn down or have fallen into disrepair.

But today I'll share one of the recipes that was and still is popular in that area. (They were served at a church reunion when we were there last June!) And they're something that we always make and enjoy at this time of year. Our daughter who lives in Japan makes them for her family, but our daughters in Oregon and in PA expect me to make extra for them!

So along with some notes, here's the recipe for GALETTES (or Belgian Cookie Cakes):
 (I use the large mixer bowl...and use the beaters until the dough is too stiff...then continue by hand.)
 1½ pounds of butter and margarine, softened to room temperature (I use all butter or half of each... Be sure to use regular margarine, not light.)
 Add 1½ pounds of light brown sugar (3 ½ cups)
 Cream together until smooth.
 Add 6 eggs and 1 Tbsp. vanilla and beat until smooth.
 Gradually mix in 2 pounds flour (8 cups).
 Cover and chill in the refrigerator overnight.

To bake:
 Heat your waffle iron. Roll the dough into balls making whatever size you want (I make some smaller and some larger.) Put into the waffle iron (I have one with four sections) and bake a short time, until golden brown. (Or you can just use two spoons and add the dough to the iron that way.)
 You'll have to return the dough to the refrigerator, as it softens, to chill it again, as you continue to bake the cookies.
 Cool and store in a tight container.

Actually my mother-in-law's recipe had no vanilla, but I prefer to use it... not necessary tho. She would tell me that I couldn't make them unless I had a Belgian Galette Iron, but I've used the waffle iron for about 50 years now and they taste exactly the same! (And look almost the same.)

Gallettes are a traditional Belgian Christmas cookie, but are also served at many other special occasions. There are lots of recipes on line, but this one is authentic! Do try making them...if you have questions, let me know and also let me know how they turn out... And if you come to West Chester, we'll have one with a glass of milk or a cup of coffee! Jean Markley Keiser, 1133 Carolina Ave., West Chester, PA 19380 bjkeiser@verizon.net.

Courts

Deeds:
 William T. Goddard & Sue A. Firmstone & Sue A. Goddard to Adam Michael Felmeijer & Wanda Lynn Felmeijer property in Limestone Township for the sum of \$260,000.00.
 Donald J. Forbes & Ginny L. Forbes to Timothy D. Eger & Megan E. Eger property in White Deer Township for the sum of \$157,500.00.
 Charles P. Hagenbaugh & Rebecca H. Hagenbaugh to Hagenbaugh Living Trust property in Mifflinburg for the sum of \$1.00.
 Shirley J. Chappell & Rodger W. Chappell to Aaron M. Sensenig property in Buffalo Township for the sum of \$140,000.00.
 Union Co. Sheriff Ernest R. Ritter III & Lee R. Rice to Deanna M. Bendele & Federal National MTG property in Buffalo Township for the sum of \$2,653.78
 Arlene F. Belford Trust & Catherine B. Gustafson Trust & Susan R. Donahoe Trust to Donald R. Wright & Aletha M. Wright property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$249,900.00.
 Scott L. Edwards & Judith M. Edwards to Nisarath Premjai & Adrian A. Pinter property in Lewisburg for the sum of \$1.00.
 Jean E. Bryson & Jean E. Heintzelman to Jean E. Bryson & Don L. Bryson property in Kelly Township for the sum of \$1.00.
 Melanie M. Page to Lindsay B. Huepenbecker & Logan Huepenbecker property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of \$170,000.00.
 Joan P. Dershem to Edward R. Bullock & Amy M. Bullock property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of 187,000.00.
 Brian T. Ulmer & Stephanie Ulmer to Kenneth D. Walter property in Mifflinburg Borough for the sum of \$125,000.00.
 Watsontown Brick Co. to Matthew G. Markunas & Kimberly A. Markunas property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of \$160,000.00.
 Michael T. Huddock & Catherine A. Hudock to Arlene F. Belford property in Kelly Township for the sum of \$225,000.00.
 Wendel B. Hanselman & Jean H. Hanselman to Terry L. Hanselman & Alice M. Hanselman property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of \$1.00.
 Wildflower Village & Susquehanna Valley Development to Vito Mazzamuto & Giuseppa Mazzamuto 2 properties in Buffalo Township for the sum of \$182,000.00 each.
 David C. McClay to Mifflinburg Bank & Trust property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of \$1.00.
 Willowbrook Homeowners Assn., to Charles W. Pursel & Janet M. Pursel property in Kelly Township for the sum of \$12,600.00.
 Tyler W. Reedy to Benjamin J. Firman & Addison S. Firman property in White Deer Township for the sum of \$75,000.00.
 David Wagner & Barbara Mae Wagner to Robert J. Pflug III property in Lewisburg Borough for the sum of \$200,000.00.
 Howard Wendell Wolfe & Robert H. Wolfe & Patricia Ann Kerstetter & Darlene Louise Stahl to William T. Kerstetter & Patricia A. Kerstetter property in Mifflinburg for the sum of \$1.00.
 Jason F. Miller & Lindsey M. Miller to Lindsey M. Stephens property in Lewisburg for the sum of \$1.00.
 Wells Fargo Bank to Federal Home Loan MTG property in Hartley Township for the sum of \$1.00
 Holly M. Snyder & Tim R. Snyder & Gregg L. Heiss to Leroy F. Troester Sr. & Barbara Ann Troester & Leroy F. Troester Jr. property in In Buffalo Township for the sum of \$840,000.00.

Divorce Decrees:
 Mark Gargano, Lewisburg for Laure Rohrs. Gargano, Lewisburg they were married for 18 years.


DISTRICT JUDGE LEO ARMBRUSTER, LEWISBURG
Charged Karis Clemens Radke, 20, of Lahr Circle, in New Columbia, with driving under the influence of a controlled substance or combination of controlled substances, driving under the influence of a schedule 1 controlled substance, careless driving and disregard for traffic lanes on November 26. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for January 31, 2013, at 3:30 p.m.
Charged Claudia Emilia Mustacchi, 48, of North Third Street, in Lewisburg, with simple assault, possession of drug paraphernalia and harassment on November 17.
Charged Nicole Marie Smith, 24, of Federick Drive, in Watsontown, with theft by failure to make required disposition of funds received on November 20. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for January 24, 2013, at 10:30 a.m.
Charged Lena Jo Kurtz, 22, of Penns Creek Road, in Mifflinburg, with driving under the influence of alcohol with general impairment, driving under the influence of alcohol with a high blood alcohol level of 0.145 percent, and disregard for traffic lane on November 28.
Charged Jakob Donald English, 22, of Honeysuckle Lane, in Milton, with retail theft on November 28. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for January 17, 2013, at 2:30 p.m.

DISTRICT JUDGE JEFFREY L. MENSCH, MIFFLINBURG
Charged Charles L. Jordan, 44, of Chestnut Street, in Mifflinburg, with defrauding secured creditors on November 28. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for December 18, at 2 p.m.
Charged Theresa Jolene Inch, 34, of New Berlin Highway, in Winfield, with install or use of pen register or trap/trace device without obtaining a court order on November 28. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for December 18, at 1:30 p.m.

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William C. Sampsell, Administrator
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Erik Jones Wins Snowball Derby

By Gerald Hodges/the Racing Reporter

PENSACOLA, Fla.—Sixteen year old Erik Jones of Byron, Michigan passed Kyle Busch with 15 laps remaining to win Sunday's 300-lap Snowball Derby.

Jones was leading the race, when an accident on lap 272 brought out the yellow. All the leaders came to pit road for fresh tires. Jones' team had a tire get away from them, which allowed Kyle Busch to beat him out of the pits.

But when green flag racing resumed, Jones easily passed Busch's No. 51, then held of Jeff Choquette of W. Palm Beach, FL, for the win. "We just beat NASCAR star Kyle Busch," Jones said. "I can't believe it. Guys race for this championship for a lifetime and don't get it. And for me, my first time, to get it? It's amazing. I'm still surprised that I didn't finish second."

Jones became the first driver to win the Snowball Derby in his first attempt since Gary St. Amant in 1992.

With two laps to go, Choquette also passed Busch, relegating the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series driver to a third-place finish.

"Erik just drove a great race at the end and did what he had to do," said Busch, who was racing at Five Flags for the first time since winning the 2009 Snowball Derby.

Top-10 unofficial finishers: 1. Erik Jones-Byron, MI; 2. Jeff Choquette-W. Palm Beach, FL; 3. Kyle Busch-Mooresville, NC; 4. Jeff Fultz-Mooresville, NC; 5. Chase Elliott-Dawsonville, GA; 6. Grant Enfinger-Fairhope, AL; 7. Kyle Benjamin-Easley, SC; 8. David Ragan-Concord, NC; 9. Chris Davidson-Pearland, TX; 10. John Nemechek-Mooresville, NC.

Finishing third at the Snowball Derby was just the latest 2012 racing disappointment for Busch.

During Sunday's race Busch was sent to the tail end of the field of cars.

"He deliberately wrecked another driver," Speedway officials said. The incident caused a 10-car pileup.

One of those involved in the massive wreck was Steven Wallace. During the next caution period Wallace threw a hammer at Busch's car as he entered pit road, and showered him with some verbal obscenities. "We never got it all together," said Busch. "It's been a frustrating season. We were never able to get on track. I thought the entire team performed very well, but we weren't able to produce good finishes."

He led 1,436 laps in the Sprint Cup series, but had a disappointing finish. His lone Cup victory in the Spring race at Richmond represented his lowest win total over all three national series since he started full time in 2004.

"In several races we qualified well, had good runs, but things happened to take us out of contention. In a couple races, we didn't qualify well, but the team made enough adjustments that allowed me to run up front. Still, we weren't able to win like we wanted to."

He failed to win in nine races where he led the most laps. Three of those races occurred in the Chase -- at Dover, Phoenix and Homestead. One of his most frustrating moments came during the Sep. 30th race at Dover.

Busch led 302 laps of the 400-lap race, but had to pit with 10 laps remaining because he did not have enough gas to make it to the finish.

Crew chief, Dave Rogers, said afterward that the team had opted for ultimate horsepower rather than fuel mileage when it tuned the engine before the race.

Busch had been able to control his emotions for most of the season, but during the Dover race he let go with choice expletives over his car radio, about the engines, which come from Toyota Research and Development.

He issued an apology two days later.

"We have a great partnership with TRD and they built me a motor that helped me lead over 300 laps and nearly lap the field. It's just frustrating that the caution fell where it did and suddenly it became a fuel-mileage race and we were set up for maximum horsepower," Busch said.

Busch had engine problems in two other races during the summer that contributed to his missing the 2012 Chase for the Sprint Cup.

However, he did record four consecutive top-fives in the final four races of the year.

"We were really fast for most of our races," Busch continued. "The team gave me some fast race cars, which I've been excited about. Dave [Rogers] and the guys have done a really nice job of putting together some good stuff. It's just stupid things kept happening to us."

Busch clearly needed a victory going into Bristol, in order to squeeze his way into the final Chase wild card spot. The opportunity was there for him, since he had five previous victories at the .5-mile bull ring.

He qualified 10th, led several laps, but could only manage a 6th-place finish.

Busch's lack of wins even carried over to the Camping World Truck Series.

While leading the final truck race of the season at Homestead in a green-white-checkered-flag finish, Busch exited the final turn as the leader. Fast-closing Cale Gale caught Busch and pushed Busch's No. 18 Toyota against the outside wall, taking the checkered flag by a nose in a shower of sparks.

"I got drove into the fence," Busch said. "That's it. You saw it."

Gale didn't disagree.

"Will we have a better season next year?" Continued Busch. "What

can I say? Will we win a lot of races? I hope so. We've got a good team, and we expect to have good, fast cars. There's no way anyone can say how many races they're going to win. We'll go out and do our best."

GEOFF BODINE HANGING UP HIS HELMET

Geoff Bodine is moving on.

After more than 50 years of racing, 27 of those spent in NASCAR's top three divisions, Bodine said he has other priorities in life; his family, charity work, and building the next generation of bobsleds for the U.S. Olympic team.

"I'm not using the word retirement because people misinterpret what you are saying," he said. "I don't want that word associated with me. I'm not retiring from life. I'm more active now than ever. I'm just not going to drive a race car anymore. That's all."

Bodine began to rethink why he was still trying to race at the Sprint Cup level at the age of 63 after he suffered a lifetime of hard hits to his head, including a concussion from a spectacular Truck Series crash at Daytona International Speedway in 2000 that almost cost him his life.

"I don't know the definition of what a concussion is, but all I know is that I've been knocked out several times and have hit my head and jarred it several times really hard," Bodine said. "I even got knocked out in high school football, so my head injuries started a long time ago. I've had all of those multiple concussions and they add up. You never know if the next one is going to put you down. Dale Jr.'s situation kind of pushed me into making this decision."

Racing Trivia Question: Which Cup driver is nicknamed, "The Cuban Missile?"

Last Week's Question: Where is NASCAR's first regular season Cup race held? Answer: The Daytona 500, held in Daytona Beach, FL.

You may contact the Racing Reporter at hodges@race500.com.



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Hunting #2



Rachel Keister, age 6, of Penns Creek shot her first deer on November 26th. She shot a 6-point buck at 50 yards with the gun while hunting with her dad.

Dean's List

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Limestone Township Meeting Notes

September 4, 2012

Attendees: Supervisors Neil Moyer, Jr.(Chair), Brian Haines (Vice Chair); and Eric Heintzelman; Secretary Judy Christ; Treasurer Rebecca Moyer; Solicitor Brian Kerstetter; Assistant Roadmaster, Code Enforcement Office, and Emergency Management Coordinator Stanley Bingaman; Constable Dennis White; Open Records Officer Carolyn Gatty; Tax Collector Teresa Haines; Member of the Planning Commission Phares Horning; and Member of the Public Freeman Shemory.

Chairman Moyer called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Motion to approve August 14 minutes by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Motion to accept the treasurer's report by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

Motion to pay the bills by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

The Board reviewed the MMO which is necessary to calculate the township's annual pension contribution.

Public Comment:

Teresa Haines, Tax Collector, addressed the Board concerning a late tax payment in January 2011. The envelope was post-marked December 31, 2010. The Union County Tax Assessor refused to accept the payment. The school district will accept the payment. Motion by Supervisor Heintzelman to reopen the 2010 tax books for an original bill of \$7.33; 2nd by Supervisor Moyer. Supervisor Haines abstained.

Freeman Shemory inquired about the proper procedures for the onlot sewer inspection and provided his pumping receipt.

Roadmaster Report:

Assistant Roadmaster Stanley Bingaman provided the Roadmaster Report. No one has yet visited the maintenance shop to inspect the lumpy cold patch. A neighboring municipality has expressed interest in some of the scrap available. \$75 an hour will be charged for the use of mower and labor in New Berlin. Motion to accept the Roadmaster's Report by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Emergency Management Coordinator Stanley Bingaman reported on the upcoming annual membership meeting at the Central Keystone Council of Government to be held Oct. 11, 7pm at the CK COG office, 1610 Industrial Blvd, Lewisburg.

Code Enforcement Officer Stanley Bingaman reported on issuing three construction permits to:

Permit #	Applicant	Date	Description	Cost	Permit Cost
2012-13	Donald Weller, Sr.	8/25/2012	Woodshed 25' x 15'	1,000.00	5.00
2012-14	Jerry Hoover	8/22/2012	Barn Addition 34' x 38'	3,500.00	8.00
2012-15	Elton Martin	8/24/2012	Chicken houses (2) 48' x 50'	266,350.00	270.00

Supervisor Moyer discussed a letter that will be sent to all township residents concerning businesses on residential properties which do business with the public for which occupancy permits are required and which may not have been inspected. Among the reasons for the inspections is to ensure compliance with health and safety regulations and the Americans with Disabilities Act. Municipal supervisors are required by oath to uphold the laws of the Commonwealth.

Motion to adjourn at 7:50 p.m. by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

October 2, 2012

Attendees: Supervisors Neil Moyer, Jr.(Chair), Brian Haines (Vice Chair); and Eric Heintzelman; Secretary Judy Christ; Treasurer Rebecca Moyer; Assistant Roadmaster, Code Enforcement Office, and Emergency Management Coordinator Stanley Bingaman; Constable Dennis White; Tax Collector Teresa Haines; Open Records Officer Carolyn Gatty; Members of the Planning Commission Phares Horning, Samuel Hoover, and Brian Keister; Union County Bicentennial Committee County Commissioner John Showers and Nada Gray.

Vice-chair Haines called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Motion to approve September 4, 2012, minutes by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Chair Moyer arrived and assumed the chairmanship.

Motion to accept the treasurer's report by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

The Board discussed the invoice submitted by Eastern Industries for road repair/maintenance. \$81,000 will be charged to

the State Fund and the balance from the General Fund.

Motion to pay the bills by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

Public Comment: NONE.

Roadmaster Report:

Project contract work is complete. BVCOB church needs to raise a grate near the church and they've been notified to do that. Eastern Industries picked up the bad cold patch and replaced it after weighing it. The truck bid was awarded to Limestone Township on Muncibid for \$61,600. It has been paid for and picked up from Loyalsock Township. Mowing is complete. Weather has deterred sign replacement and will continue when weather improves. Cold patching will continue. Tiling was replaced on Brouse, Ridge, and Mensch Roads near intersection of Red Ridge Road. Prices are being obtained to switch boxes on trucks. \$1600 is first price received. Offers were received for graders (\$7500 for both) and roller (\$3500), all being sold as is. The equipment includes one V Plow. Motion to accept bids for equipment by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Motion to give Roadmaster Haines authorization to expense \$1600 for switching truck boxes by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

Motion to accept the Roadmaster's Report by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Chair Moyer opened the Public Hearing calling for comment on Ordinance 2012-1 "Subdivision, Land Development, and Storm Water Management Plan". Hearing no comments, the hearing was closed.

Motion to adopt Ordinance 2012-1 "Subdivision, Land Development, and Storm Water Management Plan by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Motion to adopt Resolution 2012-10 to set the fee schedule for the SALDO by Supervisor Haines, 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

Union County Commissioner John Showers and Historical Commission member Nada Gray presented comments concerning the 200th Bicentennial of Union County in 2013. Limestone Township will be featured in the New Berlin bicentennial book.

Library News

Please note there will be NO Story Times or Discover programs December 25-January 3 at any of the UCLS libraries. If you have any questions, please contact me at 570-523-1172.

UCLS announces December Events

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 December. All programs are free and open to the public unless otherwise noted. For additional information, visit the UCLS website at www.unioncountylibrarysystem.com.

The Public Library for Union County - Lewisburg

Registration is required to attend programs unless otherwise noted. To register call 570-523-1172 or visit the library at 255 Reitz Blvd., Lewisburg.

Adult and Teen Programs

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.

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.

Do you like to play chess? Would you like to learn to play chess? The library is now hosting a Chess Club every Tuesday hosted by Jessica Gallegos, experienced Chess player and instructor. All skill levels are welcome. If you have your own chess set or board, bring it along!

Tai Chi Class - Mondays - 10 a.m.; Wednesday, December 5 - 1 p.m.; Wednesday, December 19 - 1 p.m.

Tai Chi, a traditional Chinese soft-style martial art, is an effective form of low-impact exercise for all ages. Classes are held every Monday and the first and third Wednesday of each month at the library with instructor Kit Sisson.

Dare to Dream: Dream Pillow Making - Monday, December 3 - 7 p.m.

Francie Gundrum will take participants through the steps of creating an herb-filled dream pillow! All materials will be provided. Seating is limited. Register to attend by calling 570-523-1172.

Fitness with YogaFit - Monday, December 3 - 7 p.m.; Thursday, December 6 - 7 p.m.

Jessica Kelbatyrov and Misha Heid will be leading free yoga classes to fulfill requirements needed to become certified instructors through YogaFit. Participants should wear comfortable clothing and bring their own yoga mat or large towel. Participants do not need to attend all sessions. Registration is required by calling 570-523-1172.

Choices at the End of Life: Advance Care Planning - Tuesday, December 4 - 6 p.m.

Presented by Geisinger Health System's Dr. Robert Shabanowitz and Dr. Patricia Maani-Fogelman, this program will focus on discussing your end of life choices with family and health care providers and the ethical, philosophical and practical aspects of advance care planning. To reserve your seat, please call CareLink at 800.275.6401 and ask for 'Events' or visit www.geisinger.org/events.

Adult Book Group - Thursday, December 6 - 7 p.m.

The library's adult book group will be discussing A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole. Book group meetings are free, informal and open to the public.

The Old World Duo presents: Classic Holiday Music - Tuesday, December 11 - 7 p.m.

The Old World Duo featuring Flora Eyster and Steve Catania will perform a selection of medieval to classic holiday music from Central and Northern Europe and Scandinavia.

Great Gadgets for 2013 - Thursday, December 13 - 7 p.m.

Thinking about purchasing some new technology this holiday season? UCLS Technical Coordinator Scott Fritz and Sarah Biallas, AmeriCorps volunteer, will discuss the latest gadgets hitting the market for 2013 including cell phones and smartphones, tablets, and eReaders. They will also be offering classes on how to use these devices beginning in January.

Series for Caregivers - Monday, December 17 - 6:30 p.m.

Bette Scott, who cared for her aging parents, hosts a discussion series for caregivers to share tips and coping strategies.

Children's Programs

Getting Ready for Kindergarten - Thursday, December 6 - 6:30 p.m.

Getting Ready for Kindergarten is a monthly program held September through May to help prepare children for kindergarten by introducing different letters and numbers through games and activities. This session is for children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2013 and will be held the first Thursday of each month.

Lap-Sit Story Time - Friday, December 7 - 11 a.m.; Friday, December 21 - 11 a.m.

Lap-Sit Story Time is for children up to one year of age, along with a parent or caregiver. There will be stories read aloud, nursery rhymes, and finger plays. Lap-Sit Story Time is held the first and third Fridays of every month.

Toddler Holiday Story Time - Tuesdays - 9:30 a.m.

Join us for stories read aloud, nursery rhymes, finger plays and American Sign Language. This program is for children age 1-2, along with a parent or caregiver. There will be no story time on December 25 or January 1.

Preschool Holiday Story Time - Tuesdays/Wednesdays - 10 a.m.

Stories, flannel-board activities and crafts are all included in Preschool Story Time for children ages 3-5, along with a parent or

Other books include Mifflinburg and River Valleys among others. Nada discussed upcoming tours including cemetery and house tours. Tony Shively will present a program. Commissioner Showers discussed events planned to appeal to younger residents such as athletic competitions. A challenge will be made to Union County citizens to cover 200 miles in Union County to learn more about Union County. There is a perception that citizens do not understand the scope of Union County communities. A passport will be available to participants. Plans are to offer prizes that may include a kayak or an iPad. A "Paddle Down Penns Creek" event is planned to commence at the Limestone Township pavilion and ending at New Berlin. The Commissioner's Office is working with the Planning Commission to travel to Cherry Run to walk to the tunnel with an historical interpretation of Penns Creek and the railroad. The official start is March 22, 2013 and end November 22, 2013. Nada Gray presented an official banner on behalf of the Bicentennial Committee to the Board of Supervisors. Additional banners may be purchased from John Showers, Union County Government Center 155 N 15th St, Lewisburg, PA 17837, or jshowers@UnionCo.org.

Motion to accept price of curbing of \$6100 and excavating of \$1400 for Pinnacle and Mensch Roads by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Emergency Management Coordinator Stanley Bingaman reminded the Board of the upcoming annual membership meeting at the Central Keystone Council of Government to be held Oct. 11, 7pm at the CK COG office, 1610 Industrial Blvd, Lewisburg.

Motion to accept the Emergency Management report by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Motion to adopt Resolution 2012-8 to adopt Union County's Hazard Vulnerability Assessment and Mitigation Plan.

Motion to sign Steven Keister sewer module by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor.

Motion to adopt Resolution 2012-11 to appoint First National Bank as a depositor for the funds of Limestone Township by Supervisor Heintzelman; 2nd by Supervisor Haines. All in favor. Motion to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. by Supervisor Haines; 2nd by Supervisor Heintzelman. All in favor.

caregiver. There will be no story time on December 25 or January 1.

Holiday Celebration - Tuesday, December 11 - 6:30 p.m.

The entire family is invited to this special holiday celebration featuring holiday books read aloud, a sing-along and a holiday-themed craft. Registration is required to ensure enough materials are available.

Daddy Story Time - Saturday, December 15 - 10 a.m.

Children of all ages and the special men in their lives are invited to attend this special story time, held the third Saturday of every month, September through May. There will be stories, activities and crafts.

Evening Story Time - Thursday, December 20 - 6:30 p.m.

Fall is upon us and it's a great time of year to curl up with a great 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. Evening Story time is held the third Thursday of each month.

A New Year's Celebration - Thursday, December 27 - 6:30 p.m.

Children of all ages and their families are invited to discover how the New Year is celebrated throughout the world through stories, activities and crafts. Registration is required to ensure enough materials are available.

Herr Memorial Library - Mifflinburg

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 more. Registration is required by calling 570-966-0831. The fall session of Discover ends on December 12.

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 more. Registration is required by calling 570-966-0831. The fall session of Discover ends on December 13.

Preschool Discover (3 to 5 years) - Wednesdays/Thursdays, 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 570-966-0831. The fall session of Discover ends on December 13.

Cross-Stitch Class - Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.

Kathleen Flynn Irion will lead this informative class for cross-stitchers of all skill levels. Cost is \$3 per class and registration is not required.

Special Stitches Knitting Group: - Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m.

The Special Stitches knitting group welcomes all skill levels. Registration is not required.

Christmas Story Time - Saturday, December 1 - 10 a.m.

The Lucky Clovers 4-H Club of New Berlin will present a special Christmas-themed story time for children age 4-7.

Yoga - Mondays, December 3, 10 - 10 a.m.; Wednesdays, December 5, 12 - 5:15 p.m.; Friday, December 7 - 10 a.m.

Carol Hollister will be leading yoga classes at the library. Cost is \$7.00 per class and participants should wear comfortable clothing, bring their own yoga mat and a water bottle.

It's a Play Date - Wednesdays, December 19, 26 and January 2 - 10 a.m.; Thursdays, December 20, 27 and January 3 - 10 a.m.

The library is offering a fun, safe, and educational place for children and their parents to meet, play, read and discover over the holidays. There will be games, instruments, books, magnetic-board activities, puppets, puzzles and more!

West End Library - Laurelton

End Readers Adult Book Group - Monday, December 3 - 6:30 p.m.

The West End Readers will meet to discuss At Home on Ladybug Farm by Donna Ball. The group will also discuss upcoming selections.

Preschool Story Time - Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Children (birth to age 5) along with their parents, grandparents, or caregivers are invited to join in a fun and educational story time. Each week we will feature a different theme with stories, music, and age-appropriate crafts and activities. There will be no story time on December 25 or January 1.

Book Bingo Bonanza! - Thursday, December 13 - 6:30 p.m.

Looking for a good book for yourself or a gift for a friend? Enjoy an evening of Book Bingo Bonanza and win some great books! As an added bonus, grab some hot chocolate and cookies while you're here!

Slippers and Stories - Saturday, December 15 - 10 a.m.

Preschoolers and early elementary-school children are invited to join in the fun of puppets and stories while in the comfort of their pajamas and slippers. Bring your favorite stuffed animal to enjoy the stories, too! This program will be held the third Saturday of every month.

Living History @ the West End Library

The Living History program will resume in January.

West End Library announces winter hours

The West End Library will begin following its winter hours starting December 1.

The library will be open from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays; 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays; and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays. The library is closed Wednesdays and Sundays.

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Penns Creek Adult Resource Has Dress Up/Mustache Bashe Day



Penns Creek Adult Resource Center held its annual dress up/costume day Wednesday, October 31. As you can see in the above picture we had some great costumes and/or mustaches to go along with our Mustache Bash Day. The following took part in our fun day from left to right in the back row: "Hand-some Man?"-Curtis Hackenberg, "local girl"-Phyllis Moyer, "Area Cook"-Gladys Swartzlander, "My wife?"-Bob Hassinger, "Witch Mustateers?"-Frances Stover, Elaine Noll, Rita Brunson, "Cowgirl"-Esther Specht, "Aide"-Melissa, "Animal Lover"-Mary Moon, "Secretary"-Dianna Hassinger, "Wood Carver"-Paul Martin, "Card Keeper"-Grace Benfer, "Farm Hand"-Carolyn Landis and "Singer/Songwriter"-Tom Kurtz. Missing from the photo but came late dressed as a "wild & crazy treasurer"-Romayne Kline. Thanks for the fun day guys and girls!

Real Estate Agency Makes Donation to Local Hospital



Coldwell Banker Penn One Real Estate, Inc., employees recently donated \$385 to Evangelical Community Hospital's Thyra M. Humphreys Center for Breast Health. The money was collected during dress down days in October, National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The donation will support mammograms for uninsured and underinsured women in the Susquehanna Valley. Presenting the check to Renee Ferry, Development Officer at Evangelical (center) on behalf of the employees were Martha Barrick, Owner of Coldwell Banker Penn One Real Estate, Inc. (far left) and Jodi Boyer, Cancer Care Fund Coordinator (far right).

Millmont, West Union Area Lions Club News



In the picture, left to right: Tom Eberhart, program chairman; Marion Lois Huffines, author of Mifflinburg and the West End; James H. Gold, Vice President of the Millmont, West Union Area Lions Club.

Millmont, West Union Area Lions Club recently celebrated the 27th Annual Charter Night. The speaker of the evening was Marion Lois Huffines, past president of the Union County Historical Society and professor emerita of Bucknell University. She presented a program based on her recent book, Mifflinburg and the West End. Her presentation included many pictures of the past from western Union County, many of which were familiar to many of the Lions Club members. The group enjoyed reminiscing about past history. Huffines sold and autographed a number of copies of her book.



Mifflinburg Bank & Trust COO & Lion, Thomas Eberhart presents a check to Lion Shirley Terrill, Chairperson White Cane Day.

One of the many projects of the Millmont, West Union Area Lions Club is the Annual White Cane Day. It is a time when the community participates with the Lions Club to raise funds aiding in the elimination of eye disease and blindness. All money received is sent to the Research Department of Wills Eye Hospital in Philadelphia, PA.

Appreciation, in particular, goes to Mifflinburg Bank & Trust Company for their generous contribution to White Cane Day. Thomas Eberhart, COO, Mifflinburg Bank & Trust presented a check at the Lions Club meeting on November 1st.

Gratitude is also extended to the community for their individual contributions. Including individual contributions, Mifflinburg Bank's contribution, and a contribution from the Lions Club, the Wills Eye Hospital Research Department will receive a check in the amount of \$1,000.00. Thank you to all for your help.

Second Annual Senior Expo



SUN Area Technical Institute's health program student, Kevin Buch (standing) takes State Representative's Lynda Schlegel Culvers blood pressure during a local event that was open to all but focused on our area's senior citizens. Joseph Weisser stated, "This Senior Expo was a tremendous success for our very active senior members of our community and their strong turnout is evidence of their strong commitment to our valley's many resources." The Senior Expo was sponsored by State Representative Lynda Schlegel Culvers office.

Lewisburg Sunset Rotary Club News



David Decoteau, from Riverside Adventure Company, discusses plans for the upcoming Frosty 5K run/walk that Lewisburg Sunset Rotary sponsors as one of the events of the Lewisburg Ice Festival held on Saturday, February 2. Along with the Frosty 5K the Lewisburg Sunset Rotary also sponsors the children's games in Hufnagle Park as well as the Chili Cook Off held at Puirseil's Irish Pub. Pictured with David is club president Irene Henninger.

The Lewisburg Sunset Rotary Club meets on Mondays at 5:30 PM, Puirseil's Irish Pub, 17 South Sixth Street in Lewisburg. Business, professional and community-minded individuals are invited to attend a meeting and learn more about Rotary.

Operation Happy Holidays



During the month of November, Union-Snyder Community Action Agency collected non-perishable foods, toiletries, games and cards to make the Holiday Season a little merrier for the Men and Women in our armed forces. Personal messages were written and a banner created to encourage and thank our troops for their service.

The mission of the Union-Snyder Community Action Agency is to work in partnership with families, agencies, and communities in alleviating the causes and impacts of poverty. For more information view www.union-snydercaa.org

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