

Liberty Tree Planted in Union County

By Kay Poeth



Members of the America250PA Committee, Pennsylvania Freemasons, and local dignitaries gathered for the planting of the Union County Liberty Tree.



Sponsored by and in partnership with the Pennsylvania Freemasons, America-250PA's Liberty Tree Project includes a certified Liberty Tree being planted in each of Pennsylvania's 67 counties. The Union County Liberty Tree was planted at the Dale-Engle-Walker House.

America250PA, the Pennsylvania Commission for the U.S. Semiquincentennial, marked the 250th Anniversary of the Second Continental Congress convening by joining the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, F & AM to plant a Liberty Tree in Union County on May 10, 2025.

According to the America250PA website, "During the American Revolutionary War, the Sons of Liberty often convened under the nation's original Liberty Tree in Boston, to discuss their opposition to British rule in the colonies. This historic tree became a beacon of hope to colonists and a symbol of American freedom. In an attempt to stymie these colonists, the British destroyed Boston's Liberty Tree.

"Suddenly, patriots throughout the 13 colonies began to designate new Liberty Trees. The last known original Liberty Tree sat on the campus of Saint John's University in Maryland, until it was destroyed by Hurricane Floyd in 1999. Today, seeds from a scion of the original tree are being collected, grown into seedlings, and planted across the Commonwealth!"

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In addition to The Grand Lodge of Free Masons represented by Lynn B. Baker, Right Worshipful Junior Grand Warden, The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania and John R. Segursky, District Deputy Grand Master, 21st Masonic District, County sponsors and local dignitaries also attended including Union County Commissioners Preston R. Boop, Jeffrey P. Reber, and Stacy A. Richards, as well as Lewisburg Mayor Kendy Alvarez, Rep. David Rowe and the Shikellimo Chapter of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

"The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania is proud to partner with America250PA to plant these symbols of freedom in

all 67 counties across the Commonwealth in preparation for the 250th anniversary of the founding of our nation. It was a great honor to be part of the ceremony for the Liberty Tree in Union County," said Lynn B. Baker, Right Worshipful Junior Grand Warden, The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania. "I think the Dale-Engle-Walker House is a most fitting place for this piece of history. The tree is a descendent of one of the 13 original Liberty trees where our founding fathers planned the revolution. I hope this living symbol of our history will live for hundreds of years. So, our future generations will have a living symbol from our past."

Lewisburg Mayor Kendy Alvarez was moved by the event, noting, "Planting this Liberty Tree in Union County is more than a nod to history—it's a living symbol of hope, resilience, and renewal. Like our founders, many of whom were immigrants starting over, this tree reminds us that liberty must be nurtured, shared, and extended to all who seek it. Especially now, as our nation wrestles with questions of belonging, we are called to remember that America's promise has always grown from the courage to welcome and the commitment to care."

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Mifflinburg Alumni & Friends Foundation Makes Generous Donation to MASD

By Jamiee Joiner

Left photo – The 95% Group Program. Top right photo – Back row from left to right – Mifflinburg High School Principal, Jeremiah Allen, Assistant to the Principal, Jason Dressler, and Shelby Hackenberg, Treasurer of the Mifflinburg Alumni & Friends Foundation of Mifflinburg Area School District. Middle row from left to right – Jaden Boyer and Grady Brubaker, and front row from left to right – Lilian Stamm, Jasmine Doeblner, and Makayla Fogle. Bottom right photo – The High School's Courtyard with the new picnic tables.

The students of the Mifflinburg Area School District recently received a double dose of generosity from the Alumni & Friends Foundation of Mifflinburg Area School District, demonstrating their continued commitment to enhancing the educational environment for all learners. This thoughtful contribution will directly benefit both the high school and the elementary and intermediate levels.

At Mifflinburg Area High School, the Alumni & Friends Foundation has provided a gift that not only offers a refreshing change of scenery in the school's courtyard by the addition of new picnic tables including handicap accessible ones, but it will create an inviting outdoor space where students can gather for informal learning, work on group projects, enjoy lunch together, or simply connect with their peers in a more relaxed setting in a space that has gone largely unused for many years. Imagine students brainstorming ideas under the open sky or sharing laughter during a study break – this donation promises to enhance the social and learning atmosphere of the high school.

Extending their support to the younger learners, the Foundation has also made a significant investment in cutting-edge educational technology for the Mifflinburg Area Elementary and Intermediate Schools. The donation facilitated the purchase of comprehensive 95% learning software, a powerful phonics tool designed to assess and personalize lessons for students who need Title 1 reading intervention. It is clear that this resource will provide valuable opportunities for students to reinforce concepts, explore new topics, and develop essential skills in an interactive and engaging way. This forward-thinking contribution underscores the Foundation's dedication to equipping students with the tools they need to thrive in the 21st century.

Mifflinburg Area Intermediate School Principal, Philip Heggstadler stated, "We (the Intermediate School Staff) are seeing very good results with the 95% program. We are very thankful for this generous donation to help close learning gaps related to phonics and reading."

Mifflinburg Alumni and Friends Treasurer, Shelby Hackenberg stated about their donation, "Alumni and Friends is proud to help the Mifflinburg Area School District be able to provide a new and innovative, multi-use learning environment to fit the ever-changing needs faced throughout each school year. The area with the picnic tables can be used to reward positive behavior during lunch periods or provide outdoor learning spaces to bring a different view to each student's educational experience. We look forward to these and future opportunities to assist the district in providing academic opportunities, that all our learners can find pride, school spirit and a sense of community."

The Mifflinburg Area School District and its students are once again thankful for the remarkable generosity of the Alumni & Friends Foundation. Mifflinburg Area School District's Business Administrator, Renee Jilinski stated, "The personal connection that the Alumni & Friends Foundation members have to the Mifflinburg Area School District is evident by their continued generosity which provides resources that enhance both the learning environment and future opportunities. They truly care about our students and community and their donations serve as a powerful example of the positive impact that a strong alumni network can have on its community's schools."

Beyond these tangible gifts, the Alumni & Friends Foundation also provides two annual scholarships to graduating seniors pursuing higher education.

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Ballard A. Wertz, Millmont to Wertz living Trust property in Glen Iron, Hartley Township for the sum of 1.00.
Ronald B. & Nancy Merritt, Lewisburg to Merritt Living Trust property in East Buffalo Township for the sum of 1.00.
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Marriages:
Kaitlin Jean Caringi, Lewisburg to Lan Ronald Dinsmore, Lewisburg
DISTRICT JUDGE JEFFREY L. MENSCH, MIFFLINBURG
Charged Ryan Joseph Bickel, 44, of Lewisburg, with fleeing or attempting to elude officer, driving while operating privilege is suspended or revoked-DUI 3rd or subsequent offense, careless driving, windshield obstructions and wipers-improper suncreening, operate vehicle without valid inspection, driving required to be licensed, operate vehicle without required financial responsibility, registration required-PA expired > 60 days, non-PA expired or unregistered, and driving at safe speed on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for July 1, at 9:30 a.m.
Charged Anthony Griffin, 37, of Niagra Falls, NY, with terroristic threats with intent to terrorize another, disorderly conduct engage in fighting, disorderly conduct hazardous physical offense, scatter rubbish upon land/stream etc. on May 19. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for May 27, at 10 a.m.
Charged Richard Ivan Noel, 44, of Mckees Rocks, with possession of a controlled substance by a person not registered and use/possession of drug paraphernalia on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for July 8, at 3 p.m.
Charged Michael Todd Coakley, 35, of Turbotville, with maximum speed limits-any other max speed, DUI/Schedule 1 controlled substance, and DUI/metabolite controlled substance on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for June 24, at 3 p.m.
Charged Orville George Calnson James, 47, of Boalsburg, with one count of DUI/Schedule 1 controlled substance, DUI/drug or combination of drugs with general impairment, careless driving, improper stop, and two counts of turning movements and required signals on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for June 3, at 10:45 a.m.
Charged Jaffar Mansa Dance, 40, of Annapolis, MD, with possession of a small amount of marijuana for personal use and use/possession of drug paraphernalia on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for June 3, at 11 a.m.
Charged Phillip Kenneth Jones Jr., 40, of Washington, DC, with DUI/alcohol and a drug or combination of drugs with general impairment, DUI/BAC .10%- .16%, DUI/Schedule 1 controlled substance, possession of a small amount of marijuana for personal use, use/possession of drug paraphernalia, and vehicle registration sus-

pending on May 14. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for June 3, at 11 a.m.
DISTRICT JUDGE JEFFREY ROWE, LEWISBURG
Charged Brock David Hare, 21, of Mifflinburg, with DUI/drug or combination of drugs with general impairment, DUI/metabolite controlled substance, DUI/BAC .10%- .16%, careless driving, driving at safe speed, driving on roadways laned for traffic(single), and DUI/unsafe driving on May 19.
Charged Sherry Ann Kline, 29, of Winfield, with endangering the welfare of children on May 14.
Charged Zachary Eugene Jordan, 34, of Winfield, with endangering the welfare of children on May 14.
Charged Robert R. Schmoyer Jr., 39, of Bangor, with possession of a controlled substance by a person not registered and use/possession of drug paraphernalia on May 13.
Charged Jaheem Xavier Lewis, 23, of Lewisburg, with criminal trespass-defiant trespass actual communication to and disorderly conduct-hazardous physical offense on May 12.

Community Calendar

Memorial Day Parade and Service
May 25, 6pm, lower end of Mazeppa, if rain then no parade and service will be held at Mazeppa Union Church
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May 26
West Beaver McClure Vetrans Memorial Pool Golf Tournament
May 31, registration 8am, Lewistown Country Club, for info contact Doug Dean 570-850-1320 or vmpoolgolf@gmail.com
The Union County Public Library Chess Club
May 29, 5:00-7:00pm
Herr Memorial Library Planting a Rainbow - Teen & Tween Event
Wednesdays, 10:00-11:00 am
CONTINUOUS EVENTS
VFW Post 5640 Meeting
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Drug Possession 4:35 p.m. April 27, on Westbranch Highway, in White Deer Township. A traffic stop was conducted on a 2021 gray Chevrolet Trail Blazer driven by Phillip Jones, 40, of Washington DC for having a suspended registration. Jones was subsequently arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol and controlled substances. The passenger, Jaffar Dance, 40, of Annapolis, MD, was arrested for being in possession of controlled substances. Criminal charges were filed through District Court 17-3-02.
Theft 9:55 a.m. April 18, at 45 Red Barn Lane, in Buffalo Township. PSP investigated a theft from units at Article Storage. Anyone with information is asked to contact police at 570-524-2662.
Drug Possession 10:15 a.m. May 13, on Hospital Drive, in Kelly Township. PSP was dispatched for found drugs. Upon further investigation, a patient, Robert Schmoyer, 39, of East Bangor, was found to be in possession of a controlled substance. Schmoyer was charged and is lodged in the Union County Jail.
Crash 9:38 p.m. May 9, on SR 104 at its intersection with Red Ridge Road, in Limestone Township. A 2006 Chevrolet Colorado driven by Kim A. Mattern, 72, of Middleburg, was traveling east on Red Ridge Road and a 2022 Jeep Wagoneer driven by Keith G. Dauses, 54, of White Marsh MD, was traveling south on SR 104. The Chevrolet Colorado crossed into the intersection making contact with the passenger side of the Jeep Wagoneer. The Chevrolet Colorado came to rest on the southwest corner of the intersection, facing south. Jeep Wagoneer came to rest on the southwest corner of the intersection, facing southeast. The Jeep Wagoneer rolled over as a result of the contact from the Chevrolet Colorado during the crash. Mattern was extricated from the Chevrolet Colorado and transported to Geisinger Medical Center. Dauses and one passenger were transported to Evangelical Community Hospital. All injuries were suspected minor injuries. Charges are pending investigation.
Crash 9:47 a.m. May 18, on Broad Street at its intersection with 3rd Street, in Kelly Township. A 2015 Nissan Versa driven by Jennifer L. Singer, 43, of New Columbia, was traveling south on 3rd Street and a 2013 Chevrolet Silverado driven by Thomas C. Persing, 54, of Montgomery, was traveling west on Broad Street. Singer failed to stop at an illuminated red light and proceeded into the intersection without clearance striking Persing’s Chevrolet Silverado. Singer was evaluated on scene and refused transport. No other injuries were reported. Singer was cited for obedience to traffic control devices.

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May 22-24, 8am-3pm, huge 14 family yard sale, rain or shine (under pavilion), 293 Jacks Lane, Millmont

May 22-24, yard sale, 631 Lenig Rd., Selinsgrove

May 23, 24, 9am-?, yard sale, 611 Walnut St., Mifflinburg

May 23-31, 8am-4pm, estate garage sale, rain or shine, new things each week, 2280 Kissimmee Rd., Middleburg

May 23, 24, yard and bake sale, 77 Oriental Rd., Liverpool

May 23, 24, 8am-?, yard sale, Reber Rd., Mifflinburg

May 23, 24, 9am-3pm, neighborhood yard sales, WH Troup/Deer Lane/ Sprude Run Rd., 5 miles West of Milton

May 23, 24, yard-bake-plant sale, Stauffer's Produce Rd., 3084 Produce Rd, Selinsgrove

May 22, 23, 24, annual Verdilla Rd., yard sales, some open Thursday's

May 22, 23, 24, 26, 7am-?, garage sales, 119 Cold Run Rd. and 423 Cold Run Rd., Millmont

May 22-24, multi family garage sales, 11, 15, 69 East Green St., Mifflinburg

May 22-24, 8am-3pm, huge 14 family yard sale, rain or shine (in pavilion), 293 Jacks Lane, Millmont

May 22-24, 26, garage sale, 3410 Grandvalley Rd, Mifflinburg

May 23, 24, multi family yard sale, 1415 Green Ridge Rd., Mifflinburg

May 24, 9am-2pm, multi family yard sale, rain or shine, if rain then it will be held in a big white detached garage, 4450 Creek Rd., Millmont

May 24, 8am-?, multi family yard sale, 200 Creek Rd., Mifflinburg

May 24, 7am-2pm, yard sale, Harris Estates, Selinsgrove

May 24, 26, multi-family yard sale, 920 Kaiser Run Rd., Millmont

May 25, 26, 8am, 158 Baldwin Blvd, Shamokin Dam

May 26-29, 8am-?, gigantic yard sale, 611 Maclay Ave., Lewisburg

May 29, 20, 8am-3pm, massive multi family yard/garage sale, 110 Edbert St., Selinsgrove

Obituaries

Richard Harry Diehl, 75, Lewisburg

Richard passed away May 23, 2025, at his home in the presence of his family.

Richard was born May 26, 1949, in Lewisburg to Richard H. Diehl and Helen I. (Neidig) Diehl. He grew up in Lewisburg.

As Richard wished, the family is planning a Celebration of Life at a later date for family members.

The John H Shaw III Funeral Home in Lewisburg is in charge of the arrangements.

Dr. Robert Allen Spangler, 83, Winfield

Robert entered into eternal rest on May 22, 2025, at his residence.

Born on July 24, 1941, in Buffalo Twp., Union County, the son of the late Woodrow Wilson and Ellen (Miller) Spangler. On June 10, 1967, he married the love of his life, Barbara Anne Reish, who passed away on July 9, 2023.

Family and friends are invited to the visitation from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 28, 2025, at Adamo Funeral Home, 16 Walnut Street, Mifflinburg, where the memorial service will be held at 11 a.m.

Arrangements are by Dominick T. Adamo Funerals · Cremations · Monuments, 16 Walnut Street, Mifflinburg.

Geraldine Virginia Cole, 92, Lewisburg

Geraldine passed away at her home Thursday, May 22, 2025.

A native of Union County, she was born Aug. 18, 1932, a daughter of the late William McKinley and Aida Evelyn (Keffer) Seebold. She was married for 64 years to Charles G Cole who preceded her in death Dec. 3, 2016.

Friends and relatives were received at the John H Shaw III Funeral Home Lewisburg, Thursday morning, May 29, 2025 for a funeral service.

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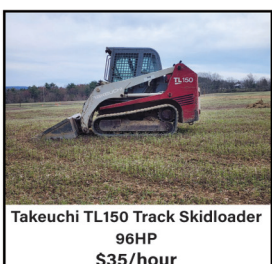
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Port Royal Pulled off the Biggest Paying Sprint Car Race in Pennsylvania’s History Last Weekend



Zach Hampton of Mooresville IN had a bad flip in the feature at Port Royal Speedway but walked away from the hard turn one crash. Photo by Debbie Gastelu

up to race on Sunday after their own race was completed on Saturday night at Attica Raceway Park. Add to that Brian Brown of Higginsville MO. Drove 14-hours after placing fourth on Saturday night at Knoxville Raceway in Iowa. Brian made the show and placed tenth in the feature. WOO series drivers David Gravel of Watertown CT placed fifth with Logan Schuchart of Hanover PA placed eighth in the feature. Zach Hampton of Mooresville IN had a bad flip in the feature but walked away from the hard turn one crash. The big win on Sunday went to Aaron Reutzel of Clute TX, who after a run in with Kody Hartlaub the other week at BAPS Speedway, was not the crowd favorite. Last weekend at Port Royal, he won, but in the long run he got the last laugh leading all laps in the feature and taken home the \$100,000 top prize. If you add that his Tuscarora win a few years ago, he has made some good money racing at Port Royal. Before the flip by Hampton Anthony Macri of Dillsburg PA, he had made a pass for the lead but the red flag cancelled out the pass Macri hung for second place with Lance Dewease of Fayetteville PA third. For the weekend, Dewease had a second and third, Reutzel had his win and a sixth place on Saturday, Anthony Macri had a third and eighth, Logan Wagner of Harrisonville PA a fifth and sixth with Tyler Country of Indianapolis IN had a ninth and seventh. A field of 52 drivers signed in for the night action. One interesting note from driver Lance Dewease, “that the track got weird during the feature and was hard to figure out”.

Saturday night had 38 sprint car drivers signed in with Brent Marks of Myerstown PA scoring the \$20,000 top prize over Dewease and Ryan Smith of Fleetwood PA in the Kreitz #69K, Justin Peck of Monrovia IN Logan Wagner.

The Limited late models were also on the show with a special that paid the winner \$2,000 to win, the race drew a field of 33 drivers, with Dillan Stake of Mapleton Point getting the win over Middleburg driver Andrew Yoder, then came Jaxton Garman of Elliottsburg, Lane Snook of Mifflin and Casey Steinhoff of Millville. Up this Saturday at Port is the 410 sprint the Pass 305-sprints in a double feature program and East Coast wingless sprints.

Friday night at Williams Grove, they finally beat the weather problems. They have been having this season with a complete show with Cameron Smith winning the 410-sprint car feature over WOO series driver Buddy Kofoid, Troy Wagaman, Nash Ely and TJ Stutts. Another WOO series driver Garrett Williamson placed seventh. In three other features, Anthony Macri had won all three which includes the WOO series race two weeks ago. Macri on Friday was on hand at Port for their special weekend. 32 drivers were signed for the night of racing along with 33 305-sprint which was won by Jeff Paulson over Mike Melair and Kasey Weaver. This Friday Williams Grove has 410-sprint along with the 358 sprint in action.

Selinsgrove, which sat idle last weekend, will be back in action on Saturday with a program of Super late models with Rick Eckert (two feature wins) and Gregg Satterlee with one win. Eckert leads the points with 1020 over Gene Knaub and Shaun Jones at 820, Andrew Yoder 710 and Hayes Mattern 700. Limited late models will be in action with Lane Snook (two feature wins) and Andrew Yoder one. Andrew Yoder leads the points 1250 with Snook next at 1210, and then comes Casey Steinhoff 1070, Zach Kauffman 1030 and Matt Murphy 970. The third division will be the first race for the Former Roadrunner class that will now be called Street Stocks. Brad Mitch and Jason Gessaman each with two wins. Mitch leads the points 1340 over Keith Bissinger 1130, Nate Stroup 1120, Aiden Mitch 1070 and Jake Jones 1040.

After the super late model race at Selinsgrove, the next weekend brings the Selinsgrove Ford Late Model Speedweek with eight races in ten days. It starts at Clinton County on Friday June 6th then moves to Port Royal on Saturday and Hagerstown on Sunday. Path Valley is on for a Tuesday June 10th race followed by Selinsgrove on Thursday June 12th that is followed by Bedford on Friday June 13th, Lincoln speedway on Saturday June 14th and it wraps up in the state of New Jersey at Bridgeport Speedway on Sunday June 15th.

Clinton County hopes to end the month of May like it started by having a racing program completed this Friday. The Limited late models, which already have had two shows rained out, will get the call for the night action along with Pro-Stock, 270-Micro Sprints and Four-Cylinders. Then, after that the big Speedweek Super Late Model event, will take place with East Coast Leg-

ends and Four Cylinders in action. One super late model race did happen last Sunday night at Potomac Maryland Speedway with Will Herrington of Tennessee scoring the feature win driving the Bruce Kane, Derrick Quade, Kenny Moreland, Joey Love and Trevor Feathers in the top five.

Aaron Reutzel Wins Bob Weikert Memorial; Trent Yoder Dominates in Wingless Sportsman

By Brad Strawser



Photo Credit: Kubota High Limit Racing

Port Royal, PA -- The Bob Weikert Memorial finale on Sunday, May 26th has become one for the history books as late Friday night it became the highest paying race in Pennsylvania dirt track racing history. The driver who would etch their name into the history books on Sunday night hails from Clute, Texas and would lead from start to finish. Aaron Reutzel picked up his fourth career Port Royal Speedway win and would walk away \$100,000 dollars richer.

Reutzel would start to the inside of the front row with Kubota High Limit Racing series point lead Brad Sweet starting to his outside. Reutzel would get off to a fast start taking the early lead with Sweet in second and Anthony Macri in the third spot.

Macri would find himself in a three car battle for the third position with Logan Wagner taking the position away 3 laps into the feature event and Brian Brown in contention as well.

Lance Dewease, who started in seventh would begin his charge to the top spots with six laps completed as he was able to get by Brian Brown to move himself up into sixth using the bottom side of the race track.

The battle for the podium positions would heat up with ten laps completed as Brad Sweet, Anthony Macri, Logan Wagner, and Lance Dewease would all battle for the runner-up spot.

Macri would take the runner-up spot with 29 laps remaining and Dewease would get by Wagner three laps later to take the final podium spot.

Following a competition stoppage to allow the driver to refuel their cars with 25 laps remaining, Reutzel and Macri would go to battle for the lead on the ensuing restart.

Macri would overtake Reutzel for the top spot using the top lane on the front stretch once the green flag waved, but a flipping Zach Hampton would draw the red flag and line the field back up in single file formation.

For the remaining 25 laps, Reutzel would hold off one more challenge from Macri and would go on to lead the remaining laps of the event to claim the biggest paying win of his career and take home the famed bull head trophy as a part of the Bob Weikert Memorial.

“One hundred grand. What more can I say?” put Reutzel in victory lane. “I love this place. I’ve made a lot of money here. I can’t wait to keep making more and hearing some more boos.”

Anthony Macri would hold on to the runner-up spot and Lance Dewease would round out the top 3.

In wingless super sportsmen competition, Trent Yoder would dominate the field.

Yoder started in the fourth position of the twenty lap A-main event. He would quickly find himself in the second spot and would trail Troy Rhome for a few laps before getting by him with 15 laps remaining and wouldn’t be challenged the rest of the way to go on for the win.

Tony Jackson would come from his ninth starting position to finish in second and Cliff Brian Jr. would round out the top 3.

Port Royal Speedway will be back in competition on Saturday May 31st with Weikert’s Livestock 410 sprint cars, Penns Valley Meat Market 305 sprint cars, and USAC East Coast wingless sprint cars on Military Appreciation Night. Any fan with military ID will get free admission to The Speed Palace.

For more information, visit portroyalspeedway.com or follow along on social media on Facebook at Port Royal Speedway Trackside Media or on X/Twitter @PortRoyalSpdway.

Results:
410 A Feature 40 Laps | 00:41:22.062 | Kubota
87-Aaron Reutzel[1]; 2. 39M-Anthony Macri[3]; 3. 12-Lance Dewease[7]; 4. 49-Brad Sweet[2]; 5. 2-David Gravel[10]; 6. 55-Logan Wagner[6]; 7. 7BC-Tyler Courtney[16]; 8. 1S-Logan Schuchart[5]; 9. 24-Rico Abreu[17]; 10. 21-Brian Brown[4]

B Feature 15 Laps | 00:04:47.646 | Winters Performance
27-Troy Wagaman Jr[1]; 2. 77-Michael Walter[4]; 3. 26-Justin Peck[6]; 4. 67-Justin Whittall[9]; 5. 45-Jeff Halligan[3]; 6. 29-Danny Dietrich[13]; 7. 19-Brent Marks[10]; 8. 23-Chase Dietz[5]; 9. 5W-Lucas Wolfe[12]; 10. 11-TJ Stutts[11]

C Feature 10 Laps | 00:03:17.495 | Driven2SaveLives
01-Danny Varin[3]; 2. 51-Freddie Rahmer[5]; 3. 27S-Robbie Kendall[2]; 4. 22-Doug Hammaker[8]; 5. 9R-Chase Randall[7]; 6. 99-Devin Adams[6]; 7. 12H-Blane Heimbach[10]; 8. 35-Austin Bishop[9]; 9. 28F-Davie Franek[14]; 10. 10-Jake Waters[13]

WSS A Feature 20 Laps | 00:07:38.700
66-Trent Yoder[4]; 2. 88-Tony Jackson[9]; 3. 99-Cliff Brian Jr[5]; 4. 00-Troy Rhome[2]; 5. 16-Billy Brian Jr[12]; 6. 07-Curt Stroup[7]; 7. 1A-Craig Perigo[1]; 8. 166-Wyatt Rotz[8]; 9. 59-Steve Wilbur[10]; 10. 318-Scott Smith[6]

Brent Marks Claims \$20K Win in Night 2 of Bob Weikert Memorial; Dillan Stake Dominates in Limited Late Model

By Brad Strawser



Top 3 finishers in the \$100,000 410 Bob Weikert sprint car race at Port Royal Speedway on Sunday night. 2nd place Anthony Macri, winner Aaron Reutzel from Texas and 3rd to Lance Dewease. Photo by Debbie Gastelu



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Port Royal, PA -- The Bob Weikert Memorial weekend was set to be a huge one, but late Friday night, the stakes were raised after it was announced that \$35,000 had been added to the winner’s share of the next two night’s racing activities with Saturday’s race paying \$20,000 to the winner and Sunday’s paying \$100,000. On Saturday night, Brent Marks was able to claim the winner’s share, his 2nd win of the High Limit Racing season and his 16 overall win at Port Royal Speedway.

Danny Dietrich and Lance Dewease made up the front row of the 25 lap A-main event on Saturday night presented by Folkens Brothers Trucking with Lance Dewease taking the early race lead.

Marks, who started outside the 2nd row, would quickly make his way to the runner up spot using the outside lane of the speedway to get around Dietrich before a caution would restack the field just 5 laps completed.

On the ensuing restart, Marks would hold off a charge from Dietrich and again use the top side to mount a charge around the track’s 2nd winningest all-time driver in Dewease and would lead the remaining 19 laps.

“The car had so much stick and so much drive, it was a lot of fun to drive,” said Marks in victory lane recapping his \$20,000 win. “I love racing with Lance. I looked up to him growing up, and it’s awesome to race him for another win.”

Lance Dewease and Ryan Smith would round out the podium, with Smith going from the 8th starting spot to the third position.

“I knew from the first couple of laps that I wasn’t going to be as good late as I normally like to be,” said Dewease during his podium interview. “This is the first night that I’ve felt we’ve put the whole night together.”

In Zimmerman Truck Repair limited late model competition, the night was all about Dillan Stake. Stake would lead all 20 laps of the A-main event claiming himself the \$2,000 winner’s check.

Stake would have a dominating performance from the start of his night, winning his heat race by over 7 seconds, and would have a lead as large as 5 seconds at times in the main event.

Andrew Yoder would finish in the 2nd position and Jaxton Garmin rounded out the podium.

Sprint car drivers will now prepare for the largest paying race in Pennsylvania history for dirt track racing with the Bob Weikert Memorial paying \$100,000 to the winner on Sunday with Kubota High Limit Racing.

All gates will open for Sunday’s event at 12PM with plenty of events for fans of all ages to take part in around the fairgrounds.

For more information, visit portroyalspeedway.com or visit the track’s social media pages at Port Royal Speedway Trackside Media on Facebook or @PortRoyalSpdway on X/Twitter.

Results:
A Feature 25 Laps | 00:10:25.984 | Kubota

19-Brent Marks[4]; 2. 12-Lance Dewease[2]; 3. 69K-Ryan Smith[8]; 4. 26-Justin Peck[10]; 5. 55-Logan Wagner[12]; 6. 87-Aaron Reutzel[9]; 7. 29-Danny Dietrich[1]; 8. 39M-Anthony Macri[7]; 9. 7BC-Tyler Courtney[11]; 10. 67-Justin Whittall[3]

B Feature 12 Laps | 00:04:06.467 | Winters Performance

5W-Lucas Wolfe[2]; 2. 1A-Ashton Torgerson[6]; 3. 8-Brock Zearfoss[4]; 4. 5-Brenham Crouch[1]; 5. 77-Michael Walter[3]; 6. 55W-Mike Wagner[7]; 7. 12H-Blane Heimbach[11]; 8. 22P-Jonathan Preston[12]; 9. 9R-Chase Randall[16]; 10. 27S-Robbie Kendall[5]

C Feature 8 Laps | 00:02:35.614

33-Gerard McIntyre Jr[2]; 2. 88-Tanner Thorson[1]; 3. 20-Brady Bacon[4]; 4. 9R-Chase Randall[3]; 5. 47K-Kody Lehman[7]; 6. 11-TJ Stutts[9]; 7. 2KS-Cory Eliason[6]; 8. 35-Austin Bishop[10]; 9. 45S-Samuel Miller[12]; 10. 10-Jake Waters[13]

LLM A Feature 20 Laps | 00:07:14.080

D19-Dillan Stake[2]; 2. 2-Andrew Yoder[6]; 3. 11-Jaxton Garman[8]; 4. 23-Lane Snook[7]; 5. 22-Casey Steinhoff[3]; 6. 28Z-Ryan Zook[12]; 7. 56R-George Dixon[4]; 8. 70J-DJ Myers[13]; 9. 79-Chase Bowsman[5]; 10. 462-Keith Walls[1]

LLM B Feature 8 Laps | 00:09:23.071

7H-Meade Hahn[1]; 2. 13-Brad McGinnis[5]; 3. 27-Cayden Ranck[3]; 4. 21M-Matt Murphy[9]; 5. 8-Donnie Farling[8]; 6. 22T-Skylar Taschek[2]; 7. 121-Tristin Neiderer[4]; 8. 4M-Kyle Moser[7]; 9. 05-Mitchel Smith[10]; 10. 4-John Moser Jr[6]



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Cordell Yoder, Ben Rowan, Dominic Scott & Ezra Carr (TeamWorks) earned the title of "STATE CHAMPION". They will now compete in Atlanta, Georgia at the National level, the week of June 23-27, 2025.

Triston Herrold and Dominic Santer (Mechatronics) earned second place honors.

Simon Moyer (Collision Damage Appraisal), Austin Hanselman (Collision Repair Tech), Andrew "Grant" Yount (Painting & Decorating), and Aiden Brininger, Brian Reeder, and Wyatt Kobel (Welding Fabrication) placed third in the state.

Other SUN students participating at the state conference were Paige Emery in Advertising Design; Lydia Hockenbroch in T-shirt Design; Cynette Winston in Cosmetology; Elecia Ehrenzeller and her model Taya Barge in Nails; Carlos Stuter in Criminal Justice; Seth Piper in Culinary Arts; Gracie Eichman in

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The Union County Historical Society Presents "History of the Reish Distillery"

Edited by Kay Poeth



Three generations of the Reish family were involved in the production of their renowned rye whiskey at distilleries in Forest Hill, White Deer Mills, and Cowan from c. 1819 to 1919. You won't want to miss the program on June 8 at 2 pm at the UCHS Gallery.

On Sunday, July 8 at 2 pm, the Union County Historical Society proudly presents the program, "The History of the Reish Distillery." Matthew Wagner, a Reish descendant, will present a program on the history of the Reish distilleries. The Reish family operated distilleries in Union County for nearly 100 years. Three generations of the family were involved in the production of their renowned rye whiskey at distilleries in Forest Hill, White Deer Mills, and Cowan from c. 1819 to 1919.

Mark your calendars for June 8 at 2 pm for this informative program. Located at UCHS Gallery at 15 North Water Street in Lewisburg, the program is free and open to the public.

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Gum Drops \$2.39 lb.
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DELI SPECIALS:
Smithfield Virginia Ham \$3.99 lb.
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BAKERY SPECIAL 6/5/25 THRU 6/7/25 ONLY
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13th Annual AUCTION

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BUFFALO VALLEY PRODUCE AUCTION 22 VIOLET ROAD, MIFFLINBURG, PA

FRI, JUNE 6 **FLOWER & TOOL SALE** Starting at **4 PM**

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SAT, JUNE 7 MAIN AUCTION

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► GIFT BASKETS ► HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
► TOOLS ► FARM-RELATED ITEMS

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QUILTS TO BE SOLD AT APPROXIMATELY 12:00 PM

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The Clinic for Special Children in Strasburg, PA is a non-profit diagnostic and primary pediatric medical service for the children with inherited Metabolic Disorders. The facility serves families throughout our country, and other countries across the world, whose children may suffer rare genetic diseases.

FOR COMPLETE LISTING VISIT ClinicAuctions.org/union

TO DONATE OR FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:
Leon Hoover: 570-966-2414 | Floyd Martin: 570-966-3814 | Jason Martin: 570-966-9980

13th Annual Public Union County Benefit Auction

to support the

Clinic for Special Children

Saturday, June 7, 2025
Buffalo Valley Produce Auction
22 Violet Road, Mifflinburg, PA

7:00 AM Breakfast | 8:00 AM Auction Begins | 11:00 AM Remarks by CSC Doctors | 12:00 PM Quilts

Rustic Pavilion, & Pole Shed Package
12x16 rustic pavilion, Pole shed: 30x40 pole shed w/ garage door & 1 man door & 2 windows built on your site!

Handmade Quilts
Lone star, Malinda's Heart, Moonlite, Star Spin, Log Cabin, Ferris Wheel, Bargello Lilly, & many more!

Household & Toys
Bernina 335, Bernina L450 Serger, 16x24 Timeless Harmonies Music Clock with 13th annual Clinic logo, Fort Pomfret/Graybill Homestead crock, charcuterie board, sewing machine cabinets, sand diggers, marble rollers, lots of kitchenware, & lots of toys!

Furniture
5 pc. gray/white Keystone bedroom suite, wormy maple kitchen island w/ walnut top, 4-pc. bedroom suite, rollout desk, glider rockers, oak extension table w/ 4 chairs, wooden trashcans, book shelves, benches, children's furniture, poly furniture, sewing machine cabinets, 3-tiered plant stand, granny hutch, pie safe, rustic trashcan, mattress/boxspring sets & more.

Horse & Horse Related
Pony & pony cart, cozy cab spring wagon, two-seater buggy with lights, sulky harness, sulky cart, & more.

Food
Chicken BBQ, pork sandwiches, shrimp, salad bar, hoagies, french fries, ice cream, donuts, soft pretzels, pies, cakes, & much more!

Gift Certificates
4-night stay at Florida home in Sarasota (3-bedroom, 2 bath, heated pool), Oticon Intent One Hearing Aids & many more!

Tools, Farm, & Shop Equipment
Wooden chicken crates, 72" tool chest, poly twin tubs, double bale spear attachment, 48 pallet fork attachment, 4-8 lug skid loader belting wheels, bolt bins with bolts, Stihl power tools, Toro 60V lawn mower, 3pt PTO rototiller, Karcher pressure washer, stepladder, & more.

Outdoor Furniture & Misc. Outdoors
Planters, fruit trees, shrubbery, flowers, Poultry Man grill with wheels, Blackstone griddle, pellet grill, gas grill, garden tools, homeowner pea sheller, load of firewood, poly furniture, wooden chair with flower planter, vinyl swing set, trampoline, 1300 poly wagon with flat-free tires, child's trike & trailer, stained picnic table, & more.

Sporting Goods
Handcrafted muzzleloader, Magnum e-bike, bikes, fishing supplies, hunting supplies, camping supplies, kayak, 360 hunting blind, Mission Crossbow Sub-1 lite, Creekbottom hunting blind, & more.

40+ Gun Auction | Auctioned on Friday Evening @ 7 pm
Ruger M77 22-250, Stevens 334 308, Fox 12ga, Hartford 1878 12ga, Mossberg 83B 410, Whippet 20ga, Mossberg 450 bushmaster, A Greener 12ga, H&R 12ga, Stevens 301 410, Winchester wildcat 22, Rosi 12ga, Savage 6.5cm, Savage 7mm08, Savage 30-06 SS, Rossi 22LR, Stevens 334 6.5cm, Ruger 10/22, Winchester 70 30-06, Partner 20ga, Ruger 450 bushmaster, Mossberg 308, Ruger 308, Savage 7mm08, Savage 22, Remington 770 308, McCoy 12ga, Savage 400 legend, McCoy 410, Savage 30-06, Remington 700 30-06ADL, Winchester 1300 12ga, Remington 700 7mm, 45 caliber percussion & more.

This is only a partial listing - many more items to be sold!

Rib Dinner & Flower/Gun/Tool Auction

Friday, June 6th at the Buffalo Valley Produce Auction | Begins at 4 p.m.

All announcements day of sale take precedence over prior advertising | Receiving Hours - Friday, June 6th from 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
For more information OR to make a donation: Leon Hoover - 570-966-2414 | Jason Martin - 570-966-9980
Directions Take Rt. 15 to Lewisburg - 45 West - Go Left on Driesbach Church Rd. - Right on Furnace Rd. then left on Violet Rd. (Watch for Signs) From Mifflinburg Take Rt. 304 South - then go left on Ridge Road - Approximately 4 miles - Auction on right.
Buffalo Valley Produce Auction, Clinic for Special Children, and the auction committee are not responsible for accidents.

Carrier Testing at the Auction!

The Clinic for Special Children will be on-site from 10 AM - 2 PM to do carrier testing! The Plain Insight Panel™ will be offered at this carrier drive and is done via blood draw. Cost is \$150 per person for the Plain Insight Panel.

Clinic events are subject to change due to severe weather conditions, restrictions, or unforeseen circumstances.

ABOUT THE CLINIC FOR SPECIAL CHILDREN: The Clinic for Special Children was established in 1989 as a non-profit medical service for children with complex medical needs. The Clinic's mission is to serve children and adults who suffer from genetic and other complex medical disorders by providing comprehensive medical, laboratory, and consultative services, and by increasing and disseminating knowledge of science and medicine. CSC cares for 1,700 active patients from 17 countries and 46 states, treats over 480 unique disorders, and conducts monthly outreach clinics in the Mifflinburg area.

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Feeder Cattle Sale - June 20th @ 6PM
Equipment Sale - June 14th @ 9AM

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June 12-14 2025

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M18 Brushless Drill/Driver Kit



1/4" Impact Driver Kit



HACKZALL Reciprocating Saw

Outdoor Power Tool Sale!

Get 10% off all Milwaukee & DeWalt outdoor power tools, plus get a FREE 5 AH battery when you spend \$300 or more!



Brushless String Trimmer Kit
Was: \$329.99
Sale: \$296.99



Brushless Handheld Blower
Was: \$169.99
Sale: \$152.99



Pole Saw Attachment
Was: \$119.99
Sale: \$107.99



DCCS620P1 Chainsaw Kit
Was: \$249.99
Sale: \$224.99



M18 String Trimmer Bare Tool
Was: \$229.99
Sale: \$206.99



M18 Fuel Blower Bare Tool
Was: \$199.99
Sale: \$179.99



Pole Saw Attachment
Was: \$179.99
Sale: \$161.99



M18 16" Chainsaw Bare Tool
Was: \$179.99
Sale: \$161.99

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Free coffee, donuts, & ice cream provided all 3 days!



Bailey's BBQ & Catering will be on site Saturday June 14th with delicious food available for purchase!



Sen. Culver Applauds Bipartisan Senate Passage of Key Funding Bill During Career and Tech Ed Day at the Capitol



The Pennsylvania Senate has passed Senate Bill 315, sponsored by Sen. Lynda Schlegel Culver (R-27), with strong bipartisan support to provide budget predictability for career and technical education (CTE) equipment grants, enhancing the ability of schools to strategically invest in needed resources.

“Senate Bill 315 makes a small change in language but will have a huge positive impact on our career and technical schools,” said Culver. “This legislation requires data for calculating CTE equipment grant funding to be set by June 1st prior to the school year in which the allocation will occur. This change allows schools to budget and make purchases strategically based on the funding they know is available, rather than having to estimate and be reimbursed – not always fully – for equipment already purchased.”

Culver noted that the change enacted by SB 315 aligns the equipment grant calculation timing with similar changes made for basic education, special education, and regular CTE funding as part of the 2024-2025 state budget.

The passage coincided with Career and Tech Ed Day events organized by Culver as Chair of the Senate Education Committee. More than 20 of the Commonwealth’s CTE schools set up displays in the Capitol’s East Wing Rotunda, with students highlighting their programs and skills. Earlier in the day, Culver and Senate Education Committee Minority Chair Sen. Lindsey Williams (D-38) hosted a press conference featuring a CTE student and administrator, followed by a public hearing exploring the importance of career and technical education for Pennsylvania’s workforce and economy.

“It is incredibly fitting that Career and Tech Ed Day culminated with the Senate passing this important, bipartisan bill,” Culver added. “We heard directly from students and educators about the amazing work being done in CTE programs, and this legislation provides practical support they need. I know from speaking with CTE schools and PACTA how valuable this change is, and I thank my colleagues from both sides of the aisle for their affirmative votes.”

Senate Bill 315 now goes to the House of Representatives for consideration.

Heart of Lewisburg Summer Craft Fair

Edited by Kay Poeth

Get ready to kick off the season in style at the Lewisburg Summer Craft Fair on Saturday, May 31 from 10 am- 5 pm, rain or shine. This annual event brings together over 100 craft vendors and food trucks, offering everything from handmade treasures to delicious eats.

Visit the newly renovated Hufnagle Park for a day filled with craft vendors, delicious food, and fun activities for all ages! Discover unique handcrafted items, connect with talented artisans, and enjoy the vibrant atmosphere of the beautiful downtown.

Some of these interesting activities: Mr. Mysterio and Miss Direction Magic Show – Enjoy a whimsical and fun-filled magic show for all ages; Ryan the Bugman – Get up close with fascinating bugs and learn all about their incredible world; AirWeaver Balloon Sculptor – Watch in amazement as colorful balloon creations come to life; Pfirmen Face Painting – Kids and kids-at-heart can transform with imaginative face art; RB Winter State Park Exhibit – Explore the natural beauty of our region through an engaging outdoor exhibit; Ian Carroll, Musician – Enjoy live music that adds the perfect summer vibe to your stroll; Molly’s Boys Jug Band – Tap your toes to classic jug band tunes with a lively, nostalgic twist; and Ukebender Ukulele Performances and Demonstrations.

Mark your calendars for May 31 for the Heart of Lewisburg Craft Fair.

The State Museum of Pennsylvania Announces Finalists for 58th Annual “Art of the State” Exhibition

The State Museum of Pennsylvania is pleased to announce the finalists for the prestigious “Art of the State 2025,” showcasing the exceptional talent of artists from across the Commonwealth. This year’s exhibition offers a captivating glimpse into the Commonwealth’s rich artistic heritage, featuring a diverse range of works from 96 artists across more than 30 counties, including paintings, photography/digital media, crafts, sculptures, and works on paper.

Finalists were selected from an impressive 2,344 entries submitted by 696 artists. The highest-rated works in each category were selected for inclusion in the exhibition. From these finalists, an esteemed awards juror will choose the first, second, and third place winners.

Artists selected to exhibit at Art of the State 2025 in our area are Ann Piper- Snyder County and Tony Ragusea- Union County.

Cash awards totaling \$5,300 will be bestowed to winners. In each of the five categories, a first prize of \$500, a second prize of \$300, and a third prize of \$200 will be presented. Additionally, the Art Docents’ Choice Award will be honored with \$300.

The public is invited to view the finalists’ creations at The State Museum of Pennsylvania, beginning Sunday, June 8. Admission will be free on opening day. The exhibition will be on display through September 14, 2025, coinciding with Harrisburg’s Gallery Walk, offering another opportunity to engage with the arts.

The 58th annual Art of the State is presented by The State Museum of Pennsylvania in partnership with the Pennsylvania Heritage Foundation. The Pennsylvania Heritage Foundation (PHF) is the nonprofit partner of the Pennsylvania Historical & Museum Commission (PHMC), dedicated to preserving and sharing the Commonwealth’s rich history. Through generous donations, PHF supports PHMC in caring for 23 historic sites and museums, an extensive collection of artifacts, and invaluable archival materials.



Friday, June 06 @ 10AM

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Wednesday, June 4 @ 4 PM

Turn off SR 45 Main Street at the Red Light onto SR 445 North Street to the Millheim Fire Company, 105 North Street, Millheim, Centre Co., Pa

Auctioneers Note: There is more to the Yeti Legend than just coolers. Come see where it all started, while you are here look at some of the other Legends that are still circulating. Tall Tales on Legends become one in the same when they involve Motorcycles, Hunting Camps & Fast Cars. It is all here, come & see what we have to offer at this auction.

COLLECTIBLES & PERSONAL PROPERTY

Playstation 2; 30+ Playstation 2 Games; Play Station 3 & 4 w/Controls; SW-G2.1 1250 DX Gaming; Atari & Games; Nintendo Entertainment Center; Phantom 3 Drone; Midway Touch Master Bar Top Trivia Game #G20100003, Merit Industries, works; Lighted Old Milwaukee Lighted Sign, works; Mopar Parts Sign; Hemi Sign; 312 Urban Wheat Ale Chalk Board Sign Display Case; Mopar Parts Sign; Hemi Sign; Knickerbocker Metal Beer Tray; Wolf Thermometer; Swisher Sweets Sign; Sasquatch/Big Foot Items; Zippo Lighter, Lunch Box, Mugs, Metal Posters, Beer Tap, Bottle Opener, Burlap Feed Bag, Stuffed Big Foot; Buck Belt Buckle; Hemi Car/Boat Book & Watch; 12 NIB Car Models; 1/25 Chevy Corvette Models ('57, '60, '67 NIB); Carrera Evolution 1:24-Mega Race Track & 2 Cars (8' straight & 2" bank track, plus additional Cars & Track); 1:32 Cars; 1:24 & 1:64 Hemi's; Hot Wheels; Fast & Furious Cars; Ski-Doo Full Face Helmet; #44 Slim Jim Cars & Pitchers; 1969 Chevy Blazer Bank; Miller Lite Dragster; Harley Davidson Items: Cards, Zippo Lighters, Cookie Jar, Miniature Motorcycle, Lg. & XXLg. Leather Jackets, Lg. Leather Chaps, Gloves, Male & Female Helmets, Double-Up Seat, Framed Stand-Up Article, Dart Board; Replica Swords; Little Champion Spark Plug Decanter; State Police Patrol Car Series & Helicopters; State Police Bear, Ash Tray; Beer Name Mugs, Glasses, Goblets; Bar Well Mats; Snap-On Clock; Creeper; Electric Patio Char-Broil Grill; Bar Stools; 48"x30"x29" Tone; Hi-Point Tree Stands (1 Climber, 2 Lock on); Cable Flex; 2 – 3x3, 4x4 Shouler Deer Mounts; 12" Wood Carved Bear; Smoking Pipes; Hoyt XT 2000 Compound Left-Handed Bow; Excalibur Cross-bow Matrix 355; Kokomo & Primo's Turkey Calls; 50 Caliber Band of Bullets; 53" Dunlap Wood Lathe; 45" Craftsman Wood Lathe; Task Force Tool Boxes; 4 Tippmann Paint Ball Guns; Kenmore Portable Sewing Machine; Enamel Spit-toon; Jason & Tasco Binoculars; Pocket Knives; HO Holiday Express Match Box Train Set; 1991 Phillies Baseball Cards; 1,100 - 1992 Baseball Cards; 530 Hockey Cards; Books: Whitetail Wisdom Book; Artificial Lures, Pro-Tactics Fishing Books, Freshwater Fishing Secrets; Fishing Tackle Box & Tackle; Fishing Rods; 8' Folding Tables; Wooden Door or Table Top from 5 Species of Wood; 79.5" h x 29 3/4" Wooden Door w/Barn Track; Flite Left Handed Golf Clubs (exc. ping driver); Hornet Nest & Much More.



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Kratzerville News

Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Police Holding 4th Annual Cornhole Tournament

The Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Company Fire Police Squad is holding its 4th Annual Cornhole Tournament on Saturday, June 7, 2025, at the Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Company Little League fields, 62 Firehall Road, Selinsgrove. Registration and practice begin at 10 am, rules of play announced at 11:30 am, with the first bag being thrown at noon.

There will be brackets available for different skill levels. Each team will play six games. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners of each bracket. The cost is \$50 per two-member team and includes a meal and drinks. Food and drinks will be available to spectators for purchase.

The tournament is being administered by Packer Island Cornhole, who will be building the brackets and ruling the gameplay for the day.

Pre-registration is available as well as same-day registration. To register in advance or to answer any questions, contact Steve Herrold, Packer Island Cornhole, at 570-452-9157, or download the Scoreholio App and register there. Checks made payable to: Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Police, 62 Firehall Road, Selinsgrove, PA 17870.

Any proceeds from the event will support the Fire Police and their efforts in our community. No outside alcohol is permitted to be brought on-site.

Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Company to Hold Benefit Auction

Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Company will be holding an open-to-the-public Chinese Auction on Saturday, June 7, 2025, from 11 am-5 pm in the Bingo Hall of Selinsgrove VFW Post 6631, Route 522, Selinsgrove.

Tickets can be purchased at the event to place chances to win a wide variety of items in the regular auction. Items include everything from gift cards/coupons, gift baskets, event passes, sports items, new evening gowns, and more. Additional tickets can be purchased to bid on large-value items, including a kayak. There will also be a 50/50 drawing to win cash. Winners will be announced at 5 pm. Need not be present to win.

Previews of items available can be found at the Kratzerville Volunteer Fire Company Facebook page. All items have been graciously donated by individuals and local businesses.

All proceeds from the event will support building, equipment, insurance, and operational needs to ensure the fire company has the resources it needs to operate and serve the community long into the future.

Union County Notices

The Mifflinburg Buggy Museum will be open for tours Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 1 to 4 p.m. May 3 through Oct 26. Visit us at 598 Green St., Mifflinburg, to get a glimpse of life before the golden age of the automobile.

Tours are offered at 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. and include the Visitors’ Center, Heiss family home, carriage house, buggy factory and repository.

A Drive Through Turkey Dinner will be held on Saturday, May 31 starting at 3:30 pm at Christ’s United Lutheran ‘4 Bells’ Church, located west of Mifflinburg on Route 45. Dinners include turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, gravy, vegetable and apple sauce. Cost of the dinner is \$12 and proceeds benefit Hope’s Haven Food Pantry. For more information, email kim@4bellschurch.com or call 570-716-5601. Pre-orders are being accepted at www.4bellschurch.com.

Seminar & Training Sessions Offered by Central PA Business & Education Association

Edited by Kay Poeth

Central PA Business & Education Association is hosting a Seminar & Training Series. All seminars are held in-person at the PA Central Chamber.

“Referral to Revenue: Finding Your Next Customer” will be held on Wednesday, June 4 from 9-11 am at the Central PA Chamber. It will be presented by Hot Frog: Print & Media. Register for this in-person seminar by June 2 at www.centralpachamber/events. Cost is \$10.

“The Art of Communication” will be held on Wednesday, June 11 from 9-11 am at the Central PA Chamber. It will be presented by Caz Russell-Leadership Development Facilitator. Register for this in-person seminar by June 9 at www.centralpachamber/events. Cost is \$45.

“Good Leaders Ask Great Questions” will be held on Wednesday, July 23 from 9-11 am at the Central PA Chamber. It will be presented by Caz Russell-Leadership Development Facilitator. Register for this in-person seminar by July 21 at www.centralpachamber/events. Cost is \$45.



Wednesday, June 11 @ 9 AM

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VEHICLES

Selling @ 11:45 AM: 1999 Black Toyota Tacoma, 4x4, 5 speed w/116,000 miles, Bedliner & Cap, VIN: 4TAPM62N5XZ419882; 2002 Silver Dodge Neon SXT Sedan, VIN: 1B3E556C32D653949 (Vehicles not inspected)

Estate of Sandra Sauers

Attorney: Marshall, Parker & Weber, 570-321-9008



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Open House at Penn Valley Airport on May 31, Public Welcome

Edited by Kay Poeth



Penn Valley Airport welcomes the public to an Open House, sponsored by the Penn Valley Pilots Organization, on Saturday, May 31, 2025 from 10 am- 4 pm. A wide variety of aircraft will be on display, and visitors will have an opportunity to see them up close and learn about them from the pilots who fly them and the specialists who maintain them. The event is free and open to all.

"We hope the public will come and share the adventure of flying with us," said Russell Stankiewicz, Board Member of the Penn Valley Airport Authority. There is a chance to view the world of pilots who fly for business or family transportation, personal challenge, career development or just plain fun. The open house will be an exciting opportunity for everyone, especially for young people and older ones who have occasionally thought about learning to fly.

As Chairman of the Board of Directors Bruce Witkop points out, "It's not always understood that the airport is an integral part of the community. Besides the jobs and income it provides directly, the airport is instrumental in creating community income by businesses and industries that use general aviation (i.e., non-airline, emergency services, recreation) transportation to facilitate their operations."

"The airport open house will provide a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the airport's role in the community, as well as experiencing the excitement of aviation first hand," added Stankiewicz.

There will be a variety of activities besides the thrill of flying, such as airline recruiters, raffles/giveways, on-site media entertainment, full-motion flight simulator introductory lessons, airplane rides (scenic and introductory flights), radio controlled (RC) models, concessions from local food trucks, and more.

Visitors won't want to miss these highlights of the day. Valley Sky Tours & Keystone Aviation Group will be conducting airplane rides, Chester County Aviation will be doing helicopter rides, Susquehanna STEM to the Skies will be offering simulator rides. Aviation professionals and meet-and-greets are always popular. Cirrus will be there with a new modern aircraft (Cirrus G7) or the vision jet. Go Smart Air LLC will have a Citation M.2. Brian Benfer from Susquehanna Thruway Project and friends will be there. Tens of aircraft fly-in across the state, potentially historical and warbirds, maybe a few aerobatics (not an airshow), just flying in. SUN Tech and Susquehanna STEM to the Skies will be raffling off a 07' Oshkosh Pedal Plane. A remote broadcast on site by Big-foot Country is provided by Piedmont Airlines.

Mark your calendars for May 31 and plan to enjoy the day with family and friends by attending the Penn Valley Airport Open House. Located at 100 Airport Road in Selinsgrove, the public is invited to visit the airport and participate in this event. For more information, contact Steve Bowers at 570-374-7671.

Weis Center Receives 2025 Green Business Award from Central PA Chamber of Commerce



Pictured here are: Rebecca Dressler, Technical Director; Johanna Kodlick, Operations Director; Kathryn Maguet, Executive Director; Lisa Leighton, Marketing and Outreach Director; Rachel Martine, Artist Relations & Educational Programs Coordinator; Alec Engelman, Phoenix Filtration and Plumbing Owner; and Tea Jay Aikey, Central PA Chamber of Commerce CEO & President.

The Weis Center for the Performing Arts has received the 2025 Green Business Award from the Central PA Chamber of Commerce. The Central PA Chamber of Commerce's Green Business Recognition Program has been created to showcase the environmental efforts of our businesses and individuals. Through the implementation of this program, the Chamber hopes to encourage green business practices throughout our rural region.

To be considered for recognition, a business must be a member of the Central PA Chamber, doing business in our rural region, and demonstrate green business practices in each of several major areas.

Applicants are given a score based on their "green" efforts. The Weis Center scored high in many of the program's categories, including: Solid Waste Prevention, Recycling, Purchasing and Energy & Water Conservation. These scores are then combined with an essay section that provides more details about "green" efforts.

Specifically, the Weis Center has installed a new HVAC system, energy efficient lighting and water bottle-filling stations throughout the venue, moved from paper to digital programs for patrons, and engages in sustainable purchasing methods and recycling measures.

Working with the Weis Center, behind-the-scenes, the Central PA Chamber was able to surprise Lisa Leighton, Marketing and Outreach Director, with a custom, hand-made Tree of Life from fellow Chamber member, Thomas Beall-Ellersieck of HandyCrafts, LLC. Each year, Beall-Ellersieck creates a personalized award for the winner. They were joined by Alec Engleman of Phoenix Filtration and Plumbing, the sponsor for this year's Green Business Award.

Green Business is good business! In addition to helping the environment, it can save your business money, and your customers and employees will value your efforts.

Old Herman School Sunday Afternoon Tours



Summer is quickly approaching, which means the Old Herman School will once again be open for tours on Sunday afternoons. There is always some upkeep that goes into keeping a structure from 1842 going, but this past fall and winter was a hard one for the school. The typical image of a one-room schoolhouse brings to mind a brick structure, but Herman School is a rare wooden schoolhouse. While the wooden exterior gives the school rustic charm, it also requires a lot of maintenance, and many rotting and loose boards had to be replaced this fall. The work was done by Lick Run Builders.

No sooner had those repairs been made when the Old Herman School was the site of an automobile accident. A car hit the side of the building and caused both exterior damage to the wood and stonework, but also some interior plaster damage. Lick Run returned to make further exterior repairs, and Matt Johnson fixed the large cracks in the plaster inside the school. Additionally, another accident during the winter caused a car to slide into one of the signs directing drivers to the school, requiring a replacement sign to be made.

But the Herman School continues to stand the test of time, in part due to the small group of volunteers that make up the Herman School Association board, and in part due to members and visitors whose membership dues and donations go toward the maintenance of the school, as well as scholarships for graduating seniors in Selinsgrove and Mid-West school districts. Without community support, this piece of local history would be lost.

Which is why teaching the younger generations about history is so important, and why the West Snyder Elementary 3rd graders once again visited the Herman School as part of their Snyder County field trip on May 9th.

The Herman School Association is always in need of volunteers and tour guides. Please contact Bill Clawser at 570-743-1650 or Mary Sullivan at 570-966-4320 for more information.

Also, in keeping with the need to preserve local history, with the closing of the Slifer House Museum, many local historical societies and museums including the Herman School Association received donations of items from the museum. A display of these items (books from the time period, a teacher's bell, and children's toys) is coming sometime this summer.

Interested in visiting the Old Herman School? Tours are Sunday afternoons from 1-4 pm, June 1 through August 31. Admission is free. However, donations are gratefully accepted. The Herman School is located at 3015 Salem Rd in Selinsgrove. Check them out on Facebook by searching Old Herman School.

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USCBA Celebration of Law Day Art & Essay Winners

By Kay Poeth



Congratulations to the all of the winners of the USCBA Law Day Essay and Art Contests in Union County and Snyder County pictured with President Judge Lori R. Hackenberg and Judge Michael Picuch.

The Union-Snyder County Bar Association (USCBA), in partnership with the judges of the 17th Judicial District, sponsored an art and essay contest in honor of Law Day. Celebrated at the beginning of May each year, “Law Day provides an opportunity toreflect on how the legal process protects our liberties, strives to achieve justice, and contributes to the freedoms that all Americans enjoy.”

On May 5, 2025, family and teachers gathered to celebrate the winners of the Union-Snyder County Bar Association’s Law Day Art and Essay contest winners. The award presentation was held in Courtroom of the Union County Courthouse in Lewisburg.The theme of this year’s contest wasThe Constitution’s Promise: Out of Many, One, an essential part of being an American citizen under our Constitution.

The Honorable Lori Hackenberg, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 17th Judicial District, gave the Opening Remarks.

On behalf of the Union-Snyder County Bar Association, Eric A. Williams, Esq, and Bar Association President, gave remarks that commended passing values from one generation to the next. “We, the People can have our voices heard through Art and Essays.”

Mary Beth Clark, Esq., who chaired the Law Day Committee, said the Lewisburg Art Council Judges were very impressed by the students’ creative work and the Committee members found the essays were thoughtful and insightful as to how our young people think. “This contest gives us hope for the future of our country and our democracy.”

The award-winning artwork was on display in the Courtroom. The first-place essay winners read their pieces to the audience.Barbara Baker, Sandy Davis, and Valerie Moyer, representatives of the Lewisburg Arts Council judged the art and members of the Bar Association’s Law Day Committee judged the essays. Cash prizes were awarded.The winnerswere recognized and presented awards by Judge Michael Picuch and Mary Beth Clark, Esq. The submissions showed insight and understanding. Congratulations to all the winners!

In the Essay Contest, the Union County the first-place award was presented to Cecilia Cunado-James of Lewisburg High School under the guidance of Andrew Cook. 2nd-place honors were bestowed upon Ian Boney also of Lewisburg High School under the guidance of Andrew Cook. 3rd place was awarded to Micah Castillo of Lewisburg High School under the tutelage of Andrew Cook. Honorable Mention was awarded to Matthew Zawisky of Lewisburg High School.

“The phrase ‘out of many, one’ recognizes all who enjoy the liberties of American citizenship, however simultaneously holds unique significance for those regardless of status; the simple, unrefined nature of the inclusion of the individual amongst a community transcends the bounds of identity and fails to recognize borders, legality, color, orientation, gender, or affiliation, rather pursuing unification unconditionally.To the American people it is this essence of the phrase ‘out

of many, one’ that signifies indiscriminate acceptance and enduring recognition regardless of the reality that may hinder individuals elsewhere,” concluded Cecilia Cunado-James in her essay.

In Snyder County, the first-place award in the Essay Category was awarded to Devon Mitchell of Selinsgrove Area High School under the guidance of Daniel Frake. Earning second place recognition was Quinn Stanford of Selinsgrove Area High School under the tutelage of Laurie Knitter.Third-place honors were awarded to Audrey Bucher of Selinsgrove Area High School under the guidance of Truly Walters-Zimmerman. Honorable Mention was awarded to Alexander Suruj.

In her essay, Devon Mitchell states, “The words ‘Out of many, One,’ or E Pluribus Unum in Latin, have been an integral part of American identity since the country’s earliest history. It is found on the Great Seal of the United States and has been a motto symbolizing unity through diversity for a very long time. It is not just a catchphrase; it is a vital aspect of what it means to be an American citizen under the Constitution. The United States was founded on the premise that individuals from many difference backgrounds, cultures, and religions could come together to form one, unifying nation. The idea is still part of the nation’s identity, its government, and citizen responsibilities. The phrase ‘Out of Many, One’ encapsulates the American democratic essence by promoting unity, the value or diversity, and the shared responsibility to preserve the Constitution.”

In the Essay Contest for the SUN Area Technical School/Homeschooled category,first-place award was presented to Sean Dewar, a Homeschooled student, under the guidance of Cristin Dewar. Second place was presented to Allen Hockenbroch from SUN Area Tech under the guidance of Emmalee Williams. Third place honors were presented to Jack Kappen of SUN Area Tech under the tutelage of Kale Geiswite.

In his essay, Sean Dewar noted, “The true American dream is to live up to our nation’s motto E pluribus unum which means ‘Out of many, one’ The great thing about dreams is, despite how impossible they may seem, dreams are achieved every day. However, they are not easily reached. Our nation’s government is not going to return to E pluribus unum. At least, not unless we do it first. The first three words of our constitution read ‘We the people’. Our government’s rule book hangs on those three words, hangs on us. We the people, hold the ability to bring about change and bring back E pluribus unum.”

Dewar concluded by saying, “The question is, ‘how?’ Looking back one more time to the start of our nation gives us the answer. After the Revolution, we were 13 colonies, filled with people who were willing to set aside their differences, compromise, and find common ground on the ideals of our nation. This is how we got E pluribus unum, and this is how we can get it back. It is our choice to set aside our differences and stand Out of many, one. It is our choice to recognize the opinions of others take those into account and find compromises that satisfy both parties. It is our choice, to make change, to forgive, and work past disagreement. It won’t be easy, most will not choose this; however, the more of us that do make the choice, the more people will see it and make the choice themselves.”

The artwork was powerful with exceptional creativity. The artwork displayed a good use of symbolism. Congratulations to all the winners. In the Art Contest, the Union County winners all hailed from Lewisburg Area School District under the guidance of teacher Andrew Cook.First place winner was Jack Siegel, second-place honors were awarded to Leila Bronner, and third place was presented to Sara Mincemoyer and Phoebe Dresser. Honorable Mention was awarded to Payton Spigelmyer.

In Snyder County, the first-place award in the Art Category was awarded to Evelyn Holler of Mid-West High School under the guidance of Ryan Van Horn.

The SUN Area Technical Institute Art winners were under the guidance of teacher Emmalee Williams. Congratulations to first place winner- Kirsten Gaugler. Taking second place honors was Shakira Moyer. Presented third place was Gracie Martin. Honorable Mention was awarded to Emily Flow-ers.

The Union-Snyder County Bar Association is a voluntary professional organization of attorneys who live or practice in Pennsylvania’s 17th Judicial District, which is comprised of Union County and Snyder County. The Bar Association has been hosting this Law Day Contest since 2022. They offer \$3,800 in cash prizes annually and have given out about \$15,000 over the last 4 years to students.The essays and artwork are posted on the Union-Snyder County Bar Association Facebook page. Some photos are also posted on The Snyder & Union County Facebook page.

Bowling Hall of Fame Ceremonies

By Kay Poeth



Curtis Camp, Alicia Beachy-Trelease and M. “Butch” Feaster who are congratulated by Rep. David Rowe (left) and Rep. Stephanie Borowicz (right).

Approximately, 100 people gathered in celebration of the sport of bowling and to honor the new inductees into the Central PA USBC Hall of Fame on Saturday, May 3, 2025at the Silver Moon Banquet Hall.

Congratulations to Class of 2025 Central PA USBC Hall of Fame inductees- Alicia Beachy-Trelease, M. “Butch” Feaster and Curtis Camp Each inductee received a citation from Rep. David Rowe (R-85), acertificate from Central PA USBC, and a clock/plaque from Central PA USBC.

2025 Hall of Fame inductee, Alicia Beachy-Trelease, became hooked on bowling at a young age after cheering for her mother as she bowled in the Monday Night Ladies’ League at John Wilcox Lanes in Mifflinburg. As a youth bowler, Alicia made lifelong friendships in the YABA league that are still strong today.

At 17 years old Alicia bowled her first 300 game at Wilcox Lanes in the Saturday Morning Youth League. Her first two games were less than stellar. Alicia stopped rushing, trying too hard, and getting frustrated. Instead, she paid more attention to having fun rather than scoring well. And, that is when it happened! When we get too upset or are trying too hard, things don’t often go our way. Alicia continues to remind herself to relax, have fun, and enjoy the game.

She and her teammates took second place at the PA State High School Bowling Championships, with Alicia winning first place All Events at the same competition.

After taking a break from bowling, Alicia once again joined her friends and family at Best Bowl Lanes for Monday Night Ladies League. They have a good time heckling each other and occasionally bowling well. Her team has won the Women’s Association Tournament. Alicia has bowled several 700 series and currently holds an all-time high average of 210.

Alicia has served on the Central PA USBC Board of Directors for the last eight seasons, helping with events and fundraisers.

Congratulations, Alicia Beachy-Trelease on becoming the newest member of the Central PA USBC Hall of Fame! Bowling continues to bring entertainment and fun to her life.

2025 Hall of Fame inductee “Butch” Feaster is a big sports fan of- fast cars, softball, and baseball. He is especially into major sports being a Phillies fan, and likes hockey and bowling. He also enjoys Penn State wrestling and Bucknell basketball.

In 1985, Butch and a friend were talking sports and decided to start a bowling team. “Funny thing is...we won the championship that year. I was elected league president that year and my passion for bowling began!”

At his first association tournament that year, he and his partner won Doubles. He has been attending state tournaments for 36 years. Butch has participated in the PA Senior Championships since 2010. “I was fortunate to bowl on the 2019 State Championship team.”Other honors include several sanctioned 300 games, too many 299 games, and never enough 700 series, many league high average trophies, and Lewisburg Lanes first 600-700 sweeper tournament winner. His highest average is 214 and highest series is 784.

“Looking forward, as incoming President to our association, I’d like to ask you all for your support to keep this sport alive. Bowling can be so much more than throwing a ball and knocking down pins. Great times can be had. Have fun, nothing better than a night of laughs, comradery, and making memories.”

2025 Hall of Fame inductee, Curtis Camp, began bowling at age 12 at John Wilcox Mifflinburg Lanes. His first year of bowling in YABA, he won Bowler of the Year. From there, his bowling journey took off.

In high school he bowled under the late Roger Folk. Some accomplishments from high school include numerous top five finishes at sates and even winning the first league championship for the program in his senior year.

After time away from the area, Curtis moved back to PA in 2005. He resumed bowling at Best Bowl in Selinsgrove. Between Mifflinburg Lanes and Best Bowl, Curtis and his teammates have won multiple league Championships. Curtis has held league high average several times, his highest being 230.

In 2014, Curtis’s father and grandfather, Dennis and Robert Camp, assumed ownership of Best Bowl. This is where Curtis’s dedication for the sport began to really grow.

In 2010, Curtis became assistant coach of the Mifflinburg Bowling team. In, 2012, he took over as head coach and has led the program since. Curtis has coached the girls to regionals every year since 2017 and the last four years the team was able to advance to States and then Nationals.

Curtis and his wife Jodi run the youth bowling league at Best Bowl. Curtis takes great pride in coaching the younger generations and loves to see kids excel. Coaching is something that he is passionate about and it is shows through his hard work and dedication to the kids and to the sport.

Curtis Camp’s induction into the Central PA USBC Hall of Fame marks three generations of the Camp family’s inductees- his grandfather, Bob Camp, his father, Dennis Camp, and now Curtis. Congratulations, Curtis on continuing the family legacy.

Central PA USBC Open Team Champions were “Chris’s Crew” (3559) consisting of Jeremiah Girton, Steve Hackman, Tim Hepler, Chris Houtz, and Josh Rodriquez.

All-Events Champion was Brandon Ford(2239).Doubles Champions(1495) were Dustin Botts and Brandon Ford. Singles Champion was Seth Wenrich (790). Senior All-Events Champion (2184) was Dennis Reigle. Senior Singles Champion was Joe Zimmerman (760).

Women Team Champions were the “Bison Beverage” (3291) consisting of Stacy Andrews, Lena Baumer, Bonnie Crabb, Jamie Hendricks, and Vicki Smith.

Bowling 800 series were Austin Englehart (835, 814), Wilbur Betts III (833, 824, 812), Curtis Camp (816), Skylar Swope (813, 807), Shawn Pontius (803), Zach Trissler (803), and Cam Englehart (804, 800).

Bowling Ladies 700 series were Mackenzie Noble (745), Cheri Knarr (716), Regina Moscarello (712) and Miranda Morningstar (708).

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