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# Soles4Souls and Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission

By Kay Poeth



Abby Yorks of Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission, an ambassador for Soles4Souls, and Dianne Hackenberg, President of Snyder County PASR, pose with some of the shoes collected for this

Soles4Souls is helping people step out of poverty one pair of shoes at a time with a mission to serve those in need, create opportunities, and protect the environment. In 2024, they distributed 5.8 million pairs of shoes to men, women, and children in need in all 50 US states and 127 countries around the globe.

Abby Yorks was recently the guest speaker at the Snyder County PASR (PA Association of School Retirees) luncheon. The members donated new and gently used shoes and learned more about the Soles4Souls mission both locally, within the United States, and globally. Members learned that all kinds of shoes are accepted including dress shoes, single shoes (for amputees), and casual shoes from youngsters to

Abby explained the reach of the Soles4Souls mission by providing shoes to homeless school-age children or those struggling with poverty, providing help in times of world-wide disasters andrelief during national floods, hurricanes, and tornadoes. Many shoes go to orphanages around the world, especially in war-torn areas. The shoe donations can help to restore dignity.

Another important aspect of the Soles4Souls program is to provide opportunity. Shoe donations are distributed to various programs around the world to help those in need by providing relief or to help create jobs through the selling of shoes in developing countries. Sole Soles 4 Soulsouls partners with a Micro Enterprise. Micro Enterprise provides the shoes to underprivileged women who then offer the shoes for sale in the market, which in-turn provides them with money to make a living for them and their families.

The program exists in 57 countries to help mostly women in extreme poverty (earning less than \$2/day). "We provide them the quality inventory of shoes to start small businesses of selling the shoes to earn money to send their children to school, feed their families, and secure a future for themselves," explained Abby.

Abby is passionate about both the mission and the farreaching effects of this program. She has beenvolunteering with SoleSoles4Soulsouls for 16 years. She said, "What started as a small group collecting shoes for 1 month and shipping to Soles4Souls has blossomed into being an ambassador for Soles4Souls, becoming the Central Pennsylvania drop off location, and even starting my own shoe mission

(Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission) locally. According to Abby, "When I visited Soles4Souls headquarters in Nashville in 2022, I saw a plaque on the wall of a lady who had collected over 100,000 pairs of shoes and I thought, 'That's my goal!'In the fall of 2024, we processed

our 100,000 pairs of shoes for Soles4Souls. A huge milestone for everyone. Now, the goal is to reach 500,000which sounds like a very big number when you think it's half a Abby recently traveled with Soles4Souls to Honduras to witness the micro-enterprise program first hand. "Our in-



support others who want to sell shoes on their own. Any new shoes donated stay here to be part of the local mission.

No community is immune to poverty. Anyone can need help at any time. In 2024, Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission was able to secure enough new shoes in stock to offer help to those in need locally. "We have worked with shelters, foster care, schools, fire victims, food pantries, etc. to get our neighbors the shoes they need." Abby has a stockpile of shoes to help Central PA residents sorted by size. Monetary donations help to supplement what they need and what she doesn't have in stock.

In April.Soles4Souls contacted Abbystating that they were in need used shoes and they were sending a tractor trailer the end of May for whatever Abby could give them. "They usually send a truck when we have 20,000 pairs. I knew we would have about 15,000 come May, due to some larger donations coming in from schools. Several schools had decided to make collecting shoes a service project for their students. My volunteers and I decided we would put a push on and try our very best to get as close to 20,000 before the truck comes.

They nearly made their goal, coming up just a little short by collecting 16,396. "This is a huge win for S4S and all the micro enterprise entrepreneurs around the world!" noted

Currently, there are approximately 70 boxes in 6 different counties including Snyder, Union, Northumberland, Montour, Mifflin, and Juniata. Collection boxes are easy ways to participate in this project. Many churches also participate in the mission as well. Abby is always looking for public, indoor places to put a box.

In Snyder County, shoe collection boxes are located at the MAC YMCA (Beaver Springs).

In Union County, shoe collection boxes are placed at West End Library, Trutts Pharmacy (Mifflinburg), Mifflinburg Muscle & Fitness, and Inspire Wellness Studio (Mifflin-

In Juniata County collection boxes can be found at Lions Den (McAlisterville), Guardian Angel Bookstore (Richfield), EPSCO (Behind Rutters), 4-H Extension Office (Courthouse Annex), Mac's Clothing (Mifflintown), CK Hair Design (Port Royal), Port Royal Post Office, Turbett Back 40 (Old Port), East Waterford Senior Center. Abby remains devoted to her efforts. "What really mat-

ters is the lives that are being changed either here in Central PA or in places like Honduras. This project has become a very big part of my life. I work a full-time job so I am grateful that I have numerous volunteers that help in many ways."Volunteers help to collect shoe boxes, count shoes, pack shoes, and deliver shoes locally to those in need. Volunteers also attend events to promote the mission.

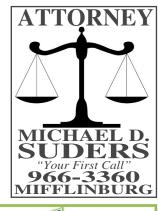
Abby is available to speak to churches, social groups, or anyone who would like to know more about the Soles-4Souls project. Monetary donations are gratefully accepted for the expenses of running the local part of the mission.

Checks can be made out to: Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission and mailed to 24 Walnut Ridge Ests, Middleburg, PA 17842. Visit Aunt Abby's Shoe Mission on Facebook for more details or call 570-768-0310.

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# Work of Sharon Koppel





invites viewers to experience color and motion stitched together in unexpected ways. Rooted in a lifelong connection to sewing, Koppel draws early inspiration from her grandmother, a skilled dressmaker and early 20th-century entrepreneur. What began with scraps of fabric turned into doll clothes and

purses has evolved into vivid, abstract wall quilts that celebrate color, motion, and creative spontaneity.

Her quilts often take shape on the design wall as she pieces intuitively, without formal patterns or pre-drawn lines. "I don't draw any quilt lines before sewing," she writes. "Rather, I sit down at my machine and create as I go.

Living in central Pennsylvania, where traditional quilting remains prominent, Koppel embraces a different path. Her art explores the joy of experimentation, playing with design, composition, and unexpected motion through free-motion stitching and bold color combinations.

"I awake each day filled with ideas and possibilities for new quilts," she shares, "eager to start cutting, designing, and sewing. Sometimes ideas work and sometimes they don'tbut the journey is more fun than I ever could have imagined.'

To learn more about Sharon Koppel and view her portfolio, visit:www.artquiltsbysharon.com The Public Library for Union County is located at 255 Reitz Boulevard, Lewisburg, PA 17837. Library hours are 9:30 am to 8:30 pm on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, and 9:30 am to 5:00 pm on Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday.

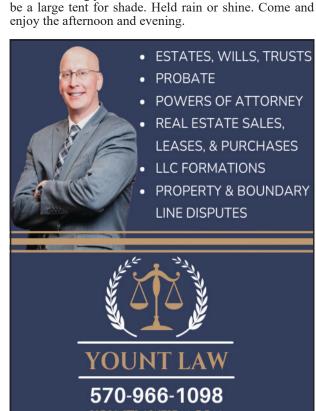
Artists and organizations are encouraged to apply to exhibit items of artistic, cultural, and intellectual interest in the library's gallery and/or display cases. For more information, visit unioncountylibraries.org/displays.

# Mifflinburg's 27th Annual Blueberry Festival

By Kay Poeth

The Mifflinburg 27th Annual Blueberry Festival will be held on Saturday, July 19 from 3-8 pm at Mifflinburg Community Park. The event includes music, food, fun, games, artisans &crafters and of course, blueberries! Time to munch on blueberry crumb and double crust pie, custard pie, blueberry cheesecake, blueberry wnoopie pies from Sunset Valley Bakery and blueberry ice cream from Olde Mill Creamery.

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Penncore Holdings LLC, Spring Mills Pa. to Angela M. & Mark L.J. Stover, Mifflinburg property in West Buffalo Township for the sum of 265,000.00.

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Kenneth A. Jr. & Dollie M. Keefer, New Columbia to Keefer Living Trust property in White Deer Township for the sum of 1.00.

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Tanner Isaac Stoltzfus, Mifflinburg to Riley Rose

Griffith, Mifflinburg Richard Apache Cory II, Beavertown to Alicia Marie Heimbach, New Berlin

#### DISTRICT JUDGE JEFFREY L. MENSCH,

MIFFLINBURG

Charged Kevin Best, 58, of Philadelphia, with three counts of verify fail to verify address/be photographed on October 25. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for July 8, at 2:30 p.m. **Charged** Jamie Janine Lattner, 43, Oakdale, with posses-

sion of a controlled substance by a person not registered and use/possession of drug paraphernalia on July 1. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for August 12, at 9:30 a.m. Charged Mark E. Bennage, 51, of Lewisburg, with ter-

roristic threats and harassment-subject other to physical contact on June 29. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for July 8, at 11 a.m.

## DISTŘIĆT JUDGE JEFFREY ROWE,

**LEWISBURG** 

**Charged** Alexandria Morgan Cienki, 23, of Watsontown, with DUI/alcohol with general impairment, DUI/BAC .16% or greater, and duties at stop sign on June 20.

Charged Barry Wayne Castille Jr., 40, of Westminster, CO, with retail theft-take merchandise (misdemeanor 1) and theft of services-acquis of service on June 23.

Charged Joann C. Maĥoney, 47, of Lewisburg, with simple assault and harassment/physical strike kick on July 6. Charged Samuel Rapheal Adams, 38, of New Berlin, with burglary-overnight accommodations-person present, criminal trespass-enter structure, criminal mischiefdamage property, resist arrest/other law enforcement, false identification to law enforcement officer, simple assault, and theft by unlawful taking on July 6.

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# Community Calendar

Free Christmas in July Kids Carnival

July 12, 5-8pm, Brookside Minitries Church, 11 Stetler Ave., Shamokin Dam

Royal Day of Play

July 12, 10am-2pm, Lewisburg Children's Museum Susquehanna Valley spinners and Weavers Guild Meeting July 13, 2pm, Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 3rd

Martin and Plura Klinger Family Reunion July 13, 12:30pm, St. Paul's (Erdley's) Lutheran Church

Picnic Grove, 2337 Erdly Church Rd., Middleburg "History of Union County Agriculture and the West End Fair" July 13, 2pm, The Union County Historical Society, The

Gallery, 15 N. Water St., Lewisburg

Martin and Plura Klinger Family Reunion July 13, 12:30pm, St. Paul's (Erdley's) Lutheran Church

Picnic Grove, 2337 Erdley Church Rd., Middleburg Archery Day Camp July 14, 4-H members https://4h.zsuite.org/event-regis-

tration/39105 4-H friends https://4h.zsuite.org/externalevent-registration/39105, Union Co. West End Fair MJHS Class of '66

July 16, 9am, County Line Restaurant Annual Book Sale

July 16-18, 9am-7pm, July 19, 9am-12pm, The Public Library for Union County, Faith Lutheran Church, 2349 Old Turnpike Rd., Lewisburg

Salt and Light Theatre Presents "Annie and Musical" July 16-18, 7pm, July 19, 2pm, Crossroads Nazarene Church, 71 Nazarene Lane, Milton

Leather Crafting Make and Take July 18, 1-4pm, 343 Chestnut St. 2nd floor, Mifflinburg

Jakes Youth Field Day at the Kreamer Sportsmen's Club July 19, ages 8-14, 1582 Sportsmen's Drive, Kreamer Food Drive to Lend a Hand to Our Neighbors in Need July 19, 10am-12pm, Mifflinburg Community Park, N. 5th St., Mifflinburg

**PCWA Rumble at the REC** 

July 19, doors open at 12, bell at 1, Regional Engagement Center, 429 Eighth St., Selinsgrove

**Herr Memorial Library Climb Your Family Tree** July 23, 4-5pm

CONTINUOUS EVENTS

VFW Post 5640 Meeting Meeting held every Tuesday, association at 6:30 and post

is 7:30. Breakfast every Sunday 7-10am Free After School Program for Grades 6-12

Mondays and Tuesdays, 3-5pm, Mifflinburg United Methodist Church Dinner by the River

1st and 3rd Thursday, 6pm, First Presbyterian, 18 Market St.. Lewisburg

**Old Herman School Tours** Sundays, 1-4pm, 3015 Salem Rd., Selinsgrove

**NOTICE TO READERS:** To place events in the calendar please send them at least

three weeks before the event so that we can publish it at least twice before the event. The deadline for events is **Monday by Noon.** The calendar goes by space available. Send, fax or e-mail us your event. Address: P.O. Box 356, Middleburg, PA 17842. Fax: 570-837-0776. E-mail: scuc@ptd.net. All phone numbers must include area code.

Blessing Box to Assist the Public

Dreisbach United Church of Christ, 875 Dreisbach Church Rd., Lewisburg

**Good News Day Camp** 

July 7-11, 9am-2:30pm, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Snyder and Union County, New Hope Bible Church, 310 Raven Lane, Mifflinburg

Free Community Meal

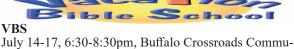
July 12, 11am-12:30pm, First Lutheran Church, 404 Market St., Mifflinburg **Campfire Night** 

July 20, 6pm, St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, 3249 N.

Old Trail, Shamokin Dam **Senior Community Lunch** 

July 24, 11:30am-1pm, Emmanuel United Church of

Christ, Corner of Vine and Market, New Berlin



nity Church, 954 Johnson Mill Rd., Lewisburg Bunkertown Brethren/Good News Lutheran Brethren Church July 14-18, 5:45-8PM, 52 Bunkertown Rd., McAlisterville **VBS Jesus Makes a Splash!** 

July 14-18, 5:30-6pm, Pre K-5th grade, Trinity Church of Winfield, 24 State Rt. 304, Winfield

**VBS-Magnified** July 14-18, 7-9pm, Baker's Church, 2251 Ulsh Gap Rd.,

McClure **Proof Pirates VBS** 

July 16-19, 6-8pm, Christ Church, 800 Center Ave., Beaver Springs July 20-24, 6:30-8:30, Paxtonville Church

**VBS** July 21-25, 6-8pm, theme is Egypt Follow Joeseph from Prison to Palace, Christ Community Methodist Church, 3939 Park Rd., Selinsgrove

July 21-24, 6-8pm, theme is Red Neck Bible School, Mifflinburg Church of New Life, 8700 Buffalo Rd., Mifflinburg

# Police

MILTON STATE POLICE

Retail Theft 6:47 p.m. July 1, at Walmart, on AJK Blvd., in Kelly Township. PSP responded to a retail theft. Upon investigation, a 29 year old female, of Mifflinburg, was charged with retail theft. Charges were filed through District Court 17-3-01.

Simple Trespass 3:04 p.m. June 12, at 19200 Old Turnpike Road, in Hartley Township. PSP received a report of two subjects trespassing at the Laurelton Center. An 18 year old male and a 17 year old male, both of State College, were found by security in the theater building on site. The males related that they found out about the Laurelton Center from one of their friends and thought it would be an interesting area to explore. Both were charged with simple trespassing and awaiting court dates.

Drug Possession 5:08 a.m. July 1, on Newman Road, in Kelly Township. PSP checked on a Honda Accord Crosstour parked in the rear parking lot of Lewisburg High School. Two males were found sleeping within the vehicle. One of the males, a 27 year old, of Bronx, NY, was in possession of a small amount of marijuana and will be charged with misdemeanor possession of marijuana. Crash 7:58 p.m. June 30, on Westbranch Highway, south

of White Deer Pike, in White Deer Township. A 2023 Jeep

driven by a 17 year old female, of Lewisburg, was traveling south on Westbranch Highway in the left lane, when the vehicle began to hydroplane over a large puddle of water. The driver lost control of the Jeep and hit a concrete traffic barrier on the north shoulder of the roadway. The Jeep then crossed over the right lane of Westbranch Highway northbound where it became disabled. The Jeep came to rest in the right lane of Westbranch Highway, facing north. No injuries were reported. The driver was issued a warning for driving at safe speed. Crash 9:16 p.m. June 30, on AJK Blvd. Walmart parking

lot, in Kelly Township. A 2000 Ford F250 Supercab was doing burnouts and donuts in the parking lot. A 2005 Ford was pulling into a parking stall. As the Ford was pulling into a parking stall, the Ford F250 Supercab lost control and hit the Ford. The Ford F205 Supercab came to rest legally parked in a parking stall, facing west. The Ford came to rest legally parked in a parking stall, facing west. The driver of the Ford F250 Supercab was cited for careless

# Chinese Auction to Benefit Brock Hare

By Kay Poeth

A Chinese Auction to Benefit Brock Hare will be held on Saturday, July 19 from noon- 6 pm. at New Berlin American Legion Post 957. There will an array of items for bid, raffles, food for purchase and a bake sale. Auction tickets are \$5 per sheet or 5/\$20. Drawing at 6:30 pm. Need not be present to win. Winners will be called on Sunday.

Brock Hare is a Mifflinburg graduate who was involved in a car accident in April. All proceeds will directly help to cover Brock's medical expenses and ongoing care. Any donation, large or small, is greatly appreciated

# White Deer Community Park Duck Derby

By Kay Poeth

White Deer Community Park is hosting a Duck Derby on July 19 at 10 am. Entry fee is \$10 per duck. Only 100 ducks sold. Call Dave @ 570-816-8353. The Duck Derby will take place on White Derr Creek beginning at the Old Rt. 15 Bridge. Gather at 9 am to cheer on the ducks in the race at the White Deer Mini-Park at the corner of Old Rt. 15 and Park Road. Winning cash prizes for top 3 places and last duck. Benefits White Deer Community Park Association.

# Jersey Shore Livestock Market LLC & Flea Market

The following items were sold on July 03rd, 2025, Beef Calves: \$11.00 to \$16.90 per pound; Beef X Calves: \$8.50 to \$12.75 per pound; Holstein Calves: \$0.15 to \$11.50 per pound; Cows: \$0.53 to \$1.71 per pound; Bulls: \$1.56 to \$1.96 per pound; Feeders: \$1.00 to \$5.00 per pound; Sheep: \$1.15 to \$1.60 per pound; Goats: \$65 to \$520 per head; Lambs: \$2.00 to \$2.45 per pound; Feeder

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#### **LEGALS**

#### **ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of Mary Louise Anderson, Deceased

Date of Death: April 2, 2025

Late of Mifflinburg, West Buffalo Township, Union County, PA

Letters of Administration have been granted on the Estate of Mary Louise Anderson to the undersigned Administrator. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them in writing and all persons indebted to the estate to make payment to it in care of the Administrator or his Attorney.

> Norman Richard Anderson 187 Meadow Green Drive Mifflinburg, PA 17844

> > or his attorney:

Jeffrey L. Mensch, Esq. 171 Scottsdale Drive Mifflinburg, PA 17844

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE OF FICTITIOUS NAME**

that"LEWISBURG TIQUE MALLS "has been filed under the PA Fictitious Names Act. **Antiques** Lewisburg shall have an address of 131 Silver Moon Lane, Lewisburg, PA 17837, Union County, Silver Development, LLC of 142 Andrew Drive, West Milton, PA 17886, Union County is a party to the registra-

DI: July 9, 2025

#### **ESTATE NOTICE**

Estate of RUTH A. ZIM-MERMAN A/K/A RUTH ANN ZIMMERMAN, late of Lewisburg Borough, Union County, Pennsyl-

Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the

undersigned, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to:

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Dewalt 1000 PSI 60v power cleaner w/soap hose and spray noz-zles, new, \$15, Dewalt 60v Flexvolt hand held blower, new, \$125, 570-768-5239

Dewalt 26 gallon max 175PSI vertical air compressor, very quiet, like \$375, 570-768-

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Paff 76 sewing machine in a cabinet, bought new in early 70's not used since late 70's, \$175, 570-847-8996

Good used 22, Bolens push mower, completely serviced w/new blade, \$75, 570-850-2167

MTD Yard rider, 12.5hp, 38" cut, runs good, completely serviced, new drive belts, \$325, 570-850-2167

6 wooden apple crates, \$30 for all 6, 570-809-

Used outdoor wood burner Central Boiler, w/water jacket and air conditioning system \$4,500, 570-295-1952 system,

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# Messiah Evan Lutheran New Berlin Milk Distribution



Dallas Goodyear, 2024-2025 SUN Area Dairy Princess presents check to Messiah Evangelical Church of New Berlin on May 18th to purchase the milk.



Madyson and Emmalyn Reich and Anna Mabus with church distribution group.



Anna, Madyson and Emmalyn with Mapes Farm Fresh milk for food pantry



Anna, Madyson and Emmalyn distribute milk and

On Thursday. June 19th SUN (Snyder, Union, Northumberland) Area Dairy Promotion's Madyson and Emmalyn Reich and Anna

Mabus distributed milk and yogurt at Messiah Evangelical Church of New Berlin during their food distribution. This contribution was made possible through a program called Fill a glass with Hope (FAGWH) through Feeding Pennsylvania. The FAGWH program allows food banks and pantries to purchase milk from processors and provide to families who face food insecurity. In honor of recognition of June Dairy month, Messiah Evangelical Church of New Berlin partnered with Mapes Farm Fresh for their milk supply. If you would like to have the dairy promotion team come to your event or place of business please contact Susan Hauck at 570-716-3760.



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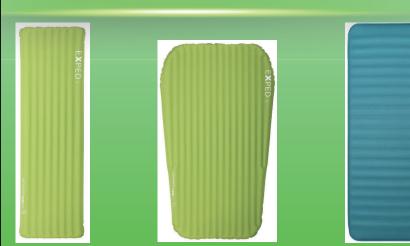
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The annual 410 sprint car Speedweek wrapped up with seven of the ten races getting into the books. It started out with Williams Grove and Lincoln both getting rained out on June 27-28 cars were in the pits at Willaims Grove while Lincoln had some of the time trials done when rain stopped the action. BAPS Speedway on Sunday June 29th had the biggest car count for the week with 46 drivers signed in and after that Lincoln just got there Monday June 30 in with rain coming to the victory lane celebration. Tuesday, Grandview called off the show with thunder showers expected to show up at race time and cancelled early. After those five straight nights off, racing took place starting out with the Wednesday July 2nd show at Port Royal. Followed by Hagerstown on Thursday, back to Williams Grove on Friday, the second show at Port on Saturday and it wrapped up with the final this year at Path Valley. Breaking it down over the last five nights, good car counts, and a good number of fans turned out for the last five events, and why not with the way the weather has been so far from this year most people have not seen that much racing. With five nights of no chance of rain for five nights drivers and fans turned out in droves for the racing action. In the end Anthony Macri, with one win, won the points title his third in a row, the first to do that since Fred Rahmer back in the early 2000's. Macri totaled 1035 to Danny Dietrich 998. Macri had all top five runs with a fifth at BAPS, second at Lincoln a win at Port, fourth at Hagerstown, second at Williams Grove and again at Port Royal and a fifth at Path Valley to score the title. Danny Dietrich, who was second, had runs first at BAPS, sixth at Lincoln, eighth at Port Royal, second at Hagerstown, another win at Williams Grove, fifth at Port Royal and a fourth at Path Valley.

Overall, seventy-seven drivers made an attempt to race at least one track during the seven nights with 11 of the top 20 in points running all of the shows. The average car count was 39 per event with Baps the best with 46,the lowest was Hagerstown with 33. Number looks like Anthony Macri 1035, Danny Dietrich 998, Chase Diest 843, Ryan Smith 783, Brock Zearfoss 705, then came Freddie Rahmer 697, Lucas Wolfe 664, Lance Dewease 642, Troy Wagaman 642 and Cameron Smith 614. Tough break for Troy Wagaman, who was third going into the final two nights of racing when he lost an engine in warm-ups at the Saturday show at Port Royal, then in the feature hurt the second motor and was not able to race in the final at Path Valley last Sunday. Feature winners were Danny Dietrich two wins with single wins going to Anthony Macri, Freddie Rahmer, Kyle Larson, Lance Dewease and Chase



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Andrew Yoder of Middleburg scored his second Port Royal super late model win of the season and his third overall also getting a win at Selinsgrove. Andrew also has two limited late model feature wins this year, one each at Port Royal and Selinsgrove. "I knew I had to get the jump on a guy like Gary Stuhler who is good at racing at the bottom of the track, where he started and then I just needed to hit my marks and not make any mistakes. Gary has been racing for a long time and he is always good on the bottom of the track, I was able to keep him behind me from the start and pull away at times. We did not have to deal with too much lapped traffic, which was good. On the longer

runs I was able to get some distance on him and that helped me to get the win". Noted Yoder. Stuhler hung on for second his best runs this season and was happy about running good for the first time this year." We have been working on this car with the help of Longhorn chassis people and tonight it almost paid off for a win, Andrew is running good in the beginning I could stay with him but as the green flag laps went on, I lost ground. He has been running well this year and we finally got a good starting spot for the feature and that really helped us tonight", stated Gary.

Three nights of racing for the super late model class this weekend with the make-up Friday night Appalachian Speedweek race at Selinsgrove speedway which will be the fifth race in the series with four other races rained out at Lincoln, Hagerstown and Clinton County. Gregg Satterlee is leading the points over Trevor Feathers by going into the final. Satterlee has

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two wins as does Mason Zeigler. Saturday the Frank Sagi Tribute race will be run at Hagerstown with \$5,000 going to the winner of the race which has a number of extra bonuses on top for the drivers, the weekend comes to an end on Sunday at Winchester speedway for the Jimmy Spence Memorial which pays the winner \$6,091 dollars to win, there is an extra \$2,500 for any driver that can win both races at Hagerstown and Winchester.



Andrew Yoder was greeted by two fans; Ridge Renninger (L) and Keenan Wiles (R) both from Richfield and went home with an autographed Checker Flag that Andrew gave them from winning the Super Late Model Race! Photo by Debbie

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# Obituaries

Lucille (Minium) Walter, 90, Mifflinburg



Lucille passed away peacefully on July 5, 2025. Born on April 9, 1935, she was the daughter of the late Howard and Anna E. (Bogart) Minium. Lucille was united in marriage to Dale C. Walter on May 28, 1955. Dale preceded her in death in June 1993.

A devoted homemaker, Lucille dedicated her life to raising her seven children with love and care. She gradu-

ated from Milton High School and found joy in cooking, baking, and gardening, particularly tending to her cherished flower collection.

Her passion for nurturing extended to her role as a Sunday School teacher at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Pennscreek, where she was an active member.

Lucille is survived by her four daughters: Noreen Snyder and her husband Garry, Diann Walter and her fiancé Brad Lewis, Christine Royer, and Linda Ulrich and her husband Wayne; one son, Michael Walter and his wife Judy; 21 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her daughter Wanda Mowery, son Kirk Walter, grandson Tyler Bingaman, granddaughter Melissa Walter, three brothers, and five sisters. A celebration of Lucille's life will be held at a later date. Her warmth, kindness, and love for her family and flowers will be forever remembered by those who knew her.

#### William R. Buck, 73, Penns Dr. Winfield



William passed away on July 6, 2025 at Evangelical Community Hospital in Lewisburg. He was born in Lewisburg on October 28, 1951 as the son of the late Earl W. Sr. and Mildred (Woolsey) Buck. He was happily married on November 14, 1970 to the beautiful former Emma Reichley who survives. William was a 1970

graduate of Milton High School, and he worked as a butcher and carpenter for various local businesses such as Clover Meat Packing, Troutman's Meats, Pennsylvania House, New

Tech Tooling, Wood Mode, and Catawissa Lumber. Additionally, he served his country and was a veteran of the Army. William was a stubborn, strong willed, hardworking man for many years until his health forced him into retirement. William held his faith dear to his heart and attended the Church of New Life. In his spare time, he was an avid hunter and fisherman and liked to catch snapping turtles with his family. William enjoyed having everyone

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together during holidays and picnics, in which he was a great cook particularly when it came to his gravy. William was a jack of all trades and a master of jokes. He had a great sense of humor especially when a laugh was needed. He loved his entire family with his whole heart and would have stopped at nothing to help or protect them. Most importantly he was a devoted husband, father and grandfather who always put his family first. For those that know him, he will never be far from the heart.

He is survived by his wife, Emma; three sons, Anthony Buck of Winfield, Brian Buck and wife, Rachel of Middleburg; and Eric Buck of Hummels Wharf; a daughter, Stephanie Motternand husband Eric of Middleburg; a brother Eugene Buck of Milton; two sisters, Debra Poff of Milton, and Sherry Heimbach of Mifflinburg; six grandchildren, Troy Buck and wife Alexis, Kordell Bingaman, Jordyn Buck, Kiahna Bingaman and fiancée Emily, Brianna Buck, and Ethan Buck and fiancé Cali; and three great grandchildren, Aubree, Alyssa, and Delilah.

William was preceded in death by his parents; an infant daughter, Stacy Buck; three brothers Earl Buck, Jr., Paul Buck and Richard Buck, and a sister Robin Kiefer.

Friends and relatives will be received from 5-6 p.m. on Friday July 11 at the Church of New Life, 8700 Buffalo Rd., Mifflinburg where funeral services will follow at 6 p.m. with Pastor Butch Woolsey officiating.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the Church of New Life.

The family is being assisted by the Shaw Funeral Home, 400 N. Front St., Milton and condolences may be shared at www.shawfuneralhomeinc.com (http://www.shawfuneralhomeinc.com/)



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Sports and money, Money and sports... they go together like ham and cheese and french fries and a Frosty. We all bemoan the fact athletes make obscene amounts of money. The owners of these sports franchises didn't get uber-rich by being bad businessmen.

They are lining their own pockets while paying individual players 40, 50, 60 and even 80 million dollars a year! Team profits are skyrocketing because you and I watch the games on our phones and TV's. More media revenue leads to greater ability to spend on players.

The LA Lakers were just sold for a record \$10 billion

to the same group that owns the Dodgers. The only other comparable team to the Lakers in the NBA are the Boston Celtics. The C's were sold less than six months ago for \$6 billion. Talk about appreciation in value. Billionaires invest in sports teams for status and pres-

tige. Leagues sell rights to streaming giants and cable networks for billions. Teams get a juicy slice, win or lose. It's basically passive income for rich dudes. In addition to all this there's the regional TV deals like \$240 million for the Dodgers and \$100 million for the Phillies each year. Sports is Money

Another disturbing trend in sports is how easy it is to bet on a game. All you need is a phone and credit card and you can place a bet on most anything. This is a far cry from what it was like thirty years ago when you called a bookie to make a bet for you... so I hear.

It's not just the final score with or without the spread, but prop bets are all the rage now. You can bet on Patrick Maholmes to throw for over 3.5 touchdowns in a game or under 1.5 TD's in the first half alone. You can wager on Saquon Barkley running for over 122.5 yards in a game or if he loses a fumble in the second half. I won't even get into the parlay facet.

Sports are becoming transactional because of the betting aspect. You no longer root for your team but the one vou bet on.

Did you know that in baseball you can bet on whether the next pitch is going to be a ball or strike? This is what recently launched an FBI and MLB investigation into Cleveland Guardians pitcher Luis Ortiz.

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Apparently there was an abnormal amount of money placed on two pitches Ortiz threw in different games. Wagers placed on those two pitches were they would be a ball and not a strike. Both pitches were not even close to strikes that Manny Sanguillen would not even have

We live in the computer age and it's way too easy to place a bet. It's also easy in the AI world for Major League baseball to monitor every pitch with various metrics. Location, pitcher's release point and arm angle are all monitored for review. Ortiz will make \$782K this year and has earned \$2.2M in his first three years in the Majors. If found guilty, you have to ask yourself how much was he paid to throw those two balls?

It's happening in the NBA as well. Malik Beasley, Jontay Porter and Terry Rozier were or are all under investigation for prop bet scenarios. From three-point baskets made by Beasley to Rozier leaving a game early due to injury. Many prop bets were placed on Rozier for the under total on points, assists and rebounds for the game. Rozier has a 4 year \$96M guaranteed contract. The NBA cleared Rozier but the FBI continues their investigation. Prop bets should be eliminated but they won't be be-

cause the league and betting organizations are making too much money. The opportunity for instant gratification pays off for these entities. There's a reason more betting windows are showing up inside stadiums and arenas. Colleges have also been affected by point-shaving and these are the athletes looking for money.

Speaking of colleges, the college sports gold rush is about to hit a brick wall. The recently passed rule settling a lawsuit of limiting pay for play ends after the upcoming season.

Ohio State's championship team last year was paid \$20M, this upcoming season they will be making close to \$35M. The biggest paying football programs will be paying \$30-\$35M to their football players.

The price increases are happening for two specific reasons. First, new rules are kicking in which aim to curtail the role of booster collectives. These groups were the

main source in paying NIL.

The second reason is that schools can spend up to \$20.5M in revenue sharing the next academic year of 2026/27 across all sports. Schools are going all out for a championship this year, no matter the price. Many schools have said they are planning to spend 75% or about \$15M on football players and \$3M on mens basketball. Sports

I have never been a fan of the LA Dodgers and never thought Clayton Kershaw was as good as everyone says. Last week he became a member of a very exclusive club in Major League baseball. He became only the 20th pitcher in history to get to 3K strikeouts. Nolan Ryan is at the top and Bert 'be home' Blyleven is number five!

The Pirates continue to confound. They are the only team in MLB history to shut out a team in a three game series and go scoreless in their next three game series. Baseball has by far the best All-Star game. I would like it even better if the players would wear their team's uniforms. The Home Run Derby has jumped the shark.

The future of Selinsgrove baseball and softball looks to be bright. Both the age 8-10 Division and age 11-12 (Majors) won Little League baseball District titles. The younger squad moves on to play Roosevelt Trail this Sunday in Beech Creek. The major team will play Tri-Valley this Saturday in Athens. Go out and support both of these district champs.

The Grove girls softball 8-10 team is playing in the district finale against the winner of the Keystone/Southern Tioga game.

I received a lot of feedback on my TV talker-take last week on Steve Jones and Van Pelt. I ran out of space for this week's yackers but promise more in the future. It's storm season and if you're like me, you get watches and warnings mixed up. My wife always has to remind me.... A watch means it could happen, a warning means it is happening. Keep those suggestions and questions coming at the view from hear 74@gmail.com and on X ... @ theviewfromhear

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Youth in Philanthropy (YIP), a program of the Community Giving Foundation, empowers high school students across the region as they work together to create visible impact in their schools and communities. Through educational activities and a hands-on approach to giving and grantmaking, students learn about the meaning of "philanthropy", the local nonprofit sector, and the importance of volunteerism. After surveying their peers to build local needs assessments, each group organized their own grant round to support local youth programs in their communi-

Youth in Philanthropy has experienced tremendous growth over its 21-year history. Since the program's start, more than \$700,000 has been awarded back into the region through student-led grantmaking. Groups from a record 18 school districts participated this year: Benton, Berwick, Bloomsburg, Central Columbia, Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit, Columbia-Montour AVTS, Danville, Lewisburg, Line Mountain, Midd-West, Mifflinburg, Millville, Milton, Northwest, Selinsgrove, Shamokin, Shikellamy, and Warrior Run.

"Youth in Philanthropy is teaching us how to give back to people who need it, making a difference in their lives and in our community. We're excited to keep learning different skills to use our time, talent, treasure, and ties to create a big impact," students shared as they reflected on

On April 15th, students connected with local nonprofits and community groups to present their final grant awards during a year-end celebration held at Danville High School. This year, students collectively distributed \$90,000 through 103 grants. Funding for these grant opportunities was made possible through the generous support of individuals, businesses, Foundation funds, and other community partners. For more information on the Youth in Philanthropy program and how you can partner with us to support our future community philanthropists, visit csgiving.org/youth-in-philanthropy or contact Alyssa Meyers-Sanonu at ameyers-sanonu@csgiving.org. Local Youth in Philantropy 2024-2025 Grant Recipi-

ents in our readership area include: Lewisburg students awarded the following grants:

- Camp Koala—Monthly Grief Camps, \$1,000
- DIG Furniture Bank—Housewarming Basket Supplies,
- Nicholas Wolff Foundation, Inc.—Kids Cash for Camp Victory, \$1,000
- The Green Dragon Foundation—Snack Pack Program,
- Union-Snyder Community Action Agency—Food Assistance for Lewisburg Families, \$2,000
- Midd-West students awarded the following grants: Christ Church—Every Person Matters, \$300
  DIG Furniture Bank—Building Stable Homes for Midd-
- West Families, \$250
- Grace Covenant Community Church—Cub Scout Sum-• Greater Susquehanna Valley YMCA—Middlecreek
- Area Community Branch: Youth Program Expansion,
- Snyder County Area Little League—Concession Stand Upgrades, \$1,200
- Mifflinburg students awarded the following grants: Camp Koala—Monthly Grief Camps, \$500
- DIG Furniture Bank—Housewarming Baskets for Mifflinburg Families, \$600
- Father's Hope—Hope for the Holidays, \$200 • Getting Ahead Foundation—Getting Ahead in Mifflin-
- burg: Education & Empowerment Program, \$1,000 Mifflinburg Heritage & Revitalization Association—
- STEAM Youth Programming, \$1,200 Action Agency-Union-Snyder Community
- burg Mobile Food Pantry, \$1,500 Selinsgrove students awarded the following grants:
- Regional Engagement Center—Free Summer Drop-In Program, \$550
- Selinsgrove Area School District—Greenhouse Vitality Project, \$2,250
- Summer SEALS Day Camp—2025 Day Camp,
- \$1,000 • Transitions of PA—Ther-
- apy for Survivors of Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault, \$1,200











# **Inheritance Scam** Alert!

From the E-Newsletter of Rep. David Rowe

State officials are urging you to stay vigilant after a scam was reported involving someone posing as a Commonwealth employee.

The reported scam uses a fake email to target older Pennsylvanians and request money through licensed financial institutions to receive a fake inheritance. In the recently reported incident, the victim was asked to pay upfront fees in order for the inheritance to be released – the fees would total hundreds of thousands of dollars over nearly a one-year period.

To protect yourself:

• Don't respond to suspicious emails or texts.

- Don't trust messages about winning money or getting an inheritance from someone you do not know.
- Do not feel pressured to act quickly or in secret. Check email addresses. Scammers can spoof emails,
- sending an email that looks like it is from a trusted source. Official emails from Pennsylvania state agencies always Watch out for fake websites. Official state websites end
- in pa.gov and will always display the Commonwealth logo with the text "Official website of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania" on the top left corner of a web page. • Know that Pennsylvania agencies will not threaten im-
- mediate legal action or license suspension without proper Scammers thrive on fear and secrecy. Shining a light on their schemes empowers law enforcement to act

swiftly, collaborate effectively, and ensure scammers are identified, apprehended, and held accountable," said PSP Commissioner Colonel Christopher Paris. Anyone who feels they have been scammed can file a complaint with the Office of Attorney General's Bureau of Consumer Protection at: www.attorneygeneral.gov

(opens in a new tab) or by calling 1-800-441-2555.

# Raku Workshop Fires Up Green Dragon Art Students



Area High School art students enjoyed participating in a workshop to experience Raku, a Japanese clay pottery firing technique. Funding from the foundation's Quasi Endowment for High School Art supported the visit of a mobile Raku studio and guest artist. From bringing the work to the kiln, observing the loading, manning the metal trashcans for the reduction, quick cooling with water, to washing their pieces and taking them home at the end of the day - students were involved in all of the steps. LAHS Art teacher Hillary Cree thanked the foundation

saying, "Bringing Mobile Raku to LAHS greatly inspired my students, and in some piqued a curiosity in ceramics that they hadn't yet experienced. Many of them asked me if it was a once in a lifetime experience and my response was: 'Yes, for most of you it is.' The day was incredibly energizing for me and my students." Students reflected saying that the hands-on workshop was unlike anything they had done in class and many expressed their desire to continue their study of ceramics.

# **New Berlin Carnival 2025** Starting Wednesday, July 9th - 12th at

7:00 p.m. in the New Berlin Fire Company Social Hall (Thursday 10th at 8:00 p.m. due to the Annual Fireman's Parade.) Help support the **New Berlin Fire** 

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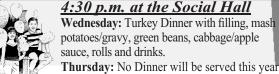
M Amusements out of Lehighton, Pa. for New Berlin Carnival 2025. There will be amusement rides and games for all ages. We will have Wrist band nights every night. The fire company will staff many game stands including a ticket pull, cake wheel, dime pitch, and BINGO, which is held in the New Berlin Fire Company Social Hall. As well as a variety of food stands including: Hot Dogs/ Hamburgers, Hot Sausage Sandwich, Fish and Chicken patty sandwich, Soups, Lemonade and Orangeade and many more. **Baked Good Donations needed nightly** for Cake Wheel Stand

\* \*See our Raffle Stand this year for a chance to win Special Prizes FREE Entertainment Schedule Includes:

Wednesday: To Be Determined On Stage: 6:30pm-9:30pm

Thursday: "Make Mine Country" On Stage: 6:30pm-9:30pm Fireman's Parade: Thursday at 7:00pm Along Market Street Friday: "Lucky Afternoon" On Stage: 6:30pm-9:30pm

Celebrating Independence Day Fireworks on New Berlin Commons at 9:45 p.m. Šaturday: "Echoes" On Stage: 6:30pm-9:30pm **Annual Fireman's Parade is on Thursday @ 7pm** 



Friday: Fish or Chicken Patty Dinner with Mac/ Cheese Stewed tomatoes, peas, cabbage/apple sauce, rolls and drinks.

Saturday: Baked Ham w/ Scalloped Potatoes corn, glazed carrots, cabbage/apple sauce, rolls and drinks. COME JOIN THE FUN

# **Snyder County Foundation Provides Educational Awards**



Noell Prowant, a dedicated member of the Snyder County 4-H Program, was recently honored with a secondary educational award from the Snyder County 4-H Clubs Foundation. This recognition celebrates her outstanding academic achievements, commitment to 4-H projects and activities, leadership skills, involvement in Citizenship and Community Services, and dedication to extracurricular and service

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endeavors within her school, youth organizations, and com-A resident of Lewisburg, Noell plans to attend The Pennsylvania State University, where she will pursue a degree

in Kinesiology, aspiring to become an occupational therapist. She has been an active member of the Twilight Riders 4-H Horse Program for six years, currently serving as the club's president. In this role, she leads with both passion and vision, inspiring her fellow members to use their voices in support of the club's activities. Her commitment extends beyond leadership—she has organized service projects such as parades for nursing home residents, supported local fire departments, and continues to plan events that unite her club while serving the broader community. Through her unwavering efforts, Noell has become a role model for younger members and peers alike. Her love for working with children was sparked through

4-H and strengthened by hands-on experiences, including volunteering with the Special Olympics of Pennsylvania and supporting a therapeutic rider's journey. Throughout her 4-H tenure, she has gained invaluable knowledge about horse care, leadership, and the importance of community. Whether riding thoroughbreds, driving mini horses, or working with draft breeds, she has embraced new challenges each year, thriving while uplifting her fellow club members. Noell's dedication reaches far beyond 4-H. For four years,

she has volunteered with the Special Olympics and the Random Canyon Riding Program, and she recently began assisting in a kindergarten classroom, positively impacting young lives with her compassion and dependability. Inspired by the power of connection—whether through horses or human interaction—she is committed to making therapy a joyful and empowering experience for children. The Snyder County 4-H Foundation, established in 1966

as a 501(c)3 organization, strives to encourage 4-H members and leaders to expand club work in Snyder County, recognize exceptional achievements, and responsibly manage contributions made in support of the county's 4-H programs. Donations to support Snyder County 4-H can be sent to PSCE, 343 Chestnut Street, Suite 3, Mifflinburg, PA 17844. Administered in Pennsylvania by Penn State Extension,

4-H is a non-formal educational youth-development program of the United States Department of Agriculture that helps young people develop knowledge and skills to become capable, caring and contributing citizens. To find your local program, visit the Penn State Extension website at https:// extension.psu.edu/programs/4-h.

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# Days of Remembrance Announces **Essay Contest Award Winners**

Days of Remembrance completed its seventh annual Area School District, Mifflinburg, PA essay contest on the topic of the Holocaust. The organization's mission is to sponsor essay competitions that foster a perpetual remembrance of the Holocaust. Learning about the Holocaust gives students an historical understanding of the causes and consequences of hate. It teaches students about ethics and critical thinking. Students bear witness to the suffering with the goal of preventing a future atrocity.

The essay contest is available to students in grades 7-12 in 11 counties in North-Central Pennsylvania. Awards range from \$100 to \$500. To date, the organization has received over 850 essays and awarded \$18,800 is prizes.

This year 99 students participated in the essay contest. The following students were recognized for their essays: **High School First Place:** 

"A 'Soapbox Perpetrator': The Romanian Orthodox Church in the Holocaust" by Benjamin Rogovin Lewisburg Area High School, Lewisburg, PA Middle School First Place:

'The Dutch Church and the Resistance: A faint light in the darkest of times" by Isaac Williams Donald H. Eich-

#### horn Middle School, Lewisburg, PA

High School Second Place:
"The Significance of the Quakers on the Holocaust" by Audrey Bucher Selinsgrove Area High School, Selin-

#### sgrove, PA

**High School Third Place:** "Remembering a Moral Choice" by Quinn Stanford Selinsgrove Area High School, Selinsgrove, PA

#### **High School Honorable Mentions:**

"A Blooming Revolution: The White Rose's Influence on Nazi Germany" by Vanessa Slavishak Selinsgrove Area High School, Selinsgrove, PA



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Atlanta, Ga. (Grassroots Newswire) July 2, 2025 - Career and technical students in Pennsylvania won one of the nation's highest awards at the 2025 ŠkillsUSA Championships, held in Atlanta, on June 25-26. More than 6,500 students competed at the national showcase of career and technical education. The SkillsUSA Championships is the largest skill competition in the world and covers 1.79 million square feet, equivalent to 31 foot-

First place state winners were invited to the event to demonstrate their technical skills, workplace skills and personal skills in 114 hands-on competitions including robotics, automotive technology, drafting, criminal justice, aviation maintenance and public speaking. Industry leaders from 850 businesses, corporations, trade associations and unions planned and evaluated the contestants against their standards for entry-level workers. More than 1,200 industry judges and technical committee members A total of 1,250 gold, silver and bronze medals were presented

to students on Friday night, June 27 at the SkillsUSA Awards Session. Many winners also received industry prizes, tools of their trade or scholarships. The medalists also received a Skill Point Certificate representing workplace readiness in the student's occupational specialty. Students can add the certificate to an employment portfolio. As an indicator of proficiency, Skill Point Certificates were awarded to national contestants who medaled or who met a threshold contest score for their event. The following students received a SkillsUSA Championships

medal and Skill Point Certificate from your area: Team I (consisting of Cordell Yoder, Dominic Scott, Benjamin

Rowan, Ezra Carr), from Sun Area Technical Institute (New Berlin), was awarded the High School Gold medal in TeamWorks. "More than 6,500 students from every state in the nation participated in the 2025 SkillsUSA Championships," said SkillsUSA

Executive Director Chelle Travis. "This showcase of career and

technical education demonstrates SkillsUSA at its finest. Our students, instructors and industry partners work together to ensure that every student excels. This program expands learning and career opportunities for our members. The SkillsÜSA Championships event is held annually for students in middle school, high school or college/postsecondary programs as part of the SkillsUSA National Leadership & Skills

Conference. The national, nonprofit partnership of students, instructors and industry is a verified talent pipeline for America's skilled workforce that is working to help solve the skills gap