

# Belsnickel Crafts

BOYERTOWN (Berks Co.)—Members of the Boyertown Area Historical Society are preparing for Belsnickel Craft Show. This premier event will be held Friday, November 24, noon to 8 p.m. and Saturday, November 25, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Boyertown Elementary School and the Junior

High School, West, both located at Second and Madison Streets, Boyertown. The Belsnickel is a juried Show, and the exhibitor's wares are judged by a Society committee before inclusion in the show.

More than 150 local and regional artisans will participate in the

show. Among the items on display are woodworking and woodcarving, pottery, baskets, pine cone art, wood, tin, and papier-mache folk art, woven rugs, dolls and doll clothing, children's clothing, stenciling, embroidery, jewelry, soft sculpture, theorem painting, and Christmas items. Also, dried flowers, quilted items, bread dough art, tole, weaving, scherenschette (paper-cutting), clay sculpture, fraktur, furniture, hand-knitted clothing, stained glass, corn husk dolls, punched-tin art, and wooden toys.

Free transportation will be provided from major parking areas to Show locations. Refreshments will be available only at the Junior High School. Donation to the Craft Show is \$3, children under 12 admitted free if accompanied by an adult.

## Gingerbread Houses Benefits 4-H

READING (Berks Co.) — As part of the Chef and Child Foundation Project, the ACF Berks/Lehigh Chef's Association will have a high display of gingerbread houses on display Thanksgiving weekend (Nov. 24-25) at the Berk-

shire Mall.

With a \$1 donation, you can obtain a ticket and have a chance to pick out the gingerbread house of your choice if your ticket is drawn.

The profits go to support the Berks County 4-H program.

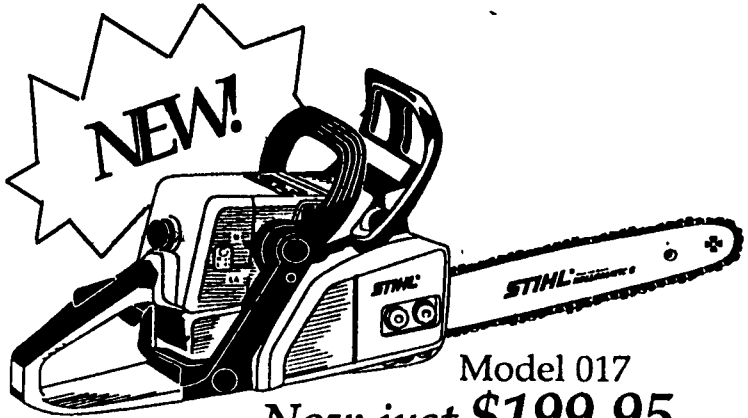


Basketmaker Eileen Musselman. Photo taken by Rosie Mutter.



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