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QUESTION — A reader wants to find a copy of Larry Benoit's book, "How To Bag The Biggest Buck of Your Life." He also would like to find wooden molding planes made by E.W. Carpenter, Lancaster.

QUESTION — Stan Szczepanek, Boyertown, wants information about brooding chickens using a coal-fired brooder. He wants to know what time of the year to do this, how often the fire needs to be fed, etc. He's also looking for a pamphlet describing the use of a Eureka Colony Brooder.

QUESTION — A Shipensburg reader wants a pattern and instructions to sew a winter hooded parka in either men's small or ladies' medium.

QUESTION — Michael Hopkins Jr. would like to know where he could purchase styrofoam egg cartons in jumbo and super jumbo sizes. He prefers a Pennsylvania source.

QUESTION — Dale Burkhart is looking for a lard can lid with the printing: Henry Burkhart Packing Co. Pure Lard 50 lb. Dayton, Ohio. Anyone have one they'd like to sell?

QUESTION — A Schuylkill County reader wants to know if anyone knows the value of an antique dress form from the early 1900s. It is a press-and-shape to the form you want to fit. Any idea of a fair price?

QUESTION — I. Wenger wants to purchase the following three books, but he sent no address. The books are "More All-Of-A-Kind

Family" and "All-Of-A-Kind Family Uptown" by Sydney Taylor; and "The Four-Story Mistake" by Elizabeth Enright.

QUESTION — E. Sheetz, Fleetwood, wants to know how to repair a burn mark on a leather table top or the name of a professional service that can fix it.

QUESTION — M. High wants to know if there's anything that will remove black spots off an iron spatula, which accidentally burned in a trash fire. The spatula was her mother's wedding present.

QUESTION — Robin Baummer needs someone to repair a braided rug with a 10x10-inch section missing. She prefers someone from the York or Adams County area.

QUESTION — G. Sweitzer wants to know what chemicals to use for treating wood damaged/infested by Eastern Subterranean Termites. Also, what chemicals are used outside the house and where can they be purchased?

Hinkelfest Is Sept. 15-17

FREDERICKSBURG (Lebanon Co.) — The tenth annual Hinkelfest will be held Sept. 15, 16 and 17. Located off Route 22 west of Fredericksburg, at the Farmer's Pride Airport, Hinkelfest is a chicken and egg festival that benefits local community organizations including the Fredericksburg Fire Company, Library, Community Association, Lion's Club, and American Legion. Since 1991, more than \$125,000 has been raised for these community services as families enjoy Hinkelfest's "Eggs n' Wings n' Chicken Things."

During this annual food festival, chicken is served a variety of ways from chicken pot pie, soup, burgers, to chicken wings and more. From 11 a.m. Saturday enjoy Chicken Bar-B-Que under the Big Top. Sunday, events open with a special open air worship service and the "Super Egg Breakfast Buffet" from 8 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Enjoy a filled chicken breast dinner starting at 11 a.m. There will be chicken cooking demonstrations throughout the weekend, too.

The entertainment begins with "Hearts Afire" performing concerts at 6:15 p.m. and 7 p.m. Friday, September 17. Also on Friday night, enjoy "Burning House" at 7:45 p.m. and 9:45 p.m. Saturday, enjoy the sounds of "Second Edition" as they perform at 1:15

p.m., 2:45 p.m., and 7 p.m. followed by "Country Legend" entertaining at 4:15 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Also featured on Saturday is "Johnny Counterfit," with performances at 5:30 p.m. and 9:45 p.m. Sunday afternoon "Covert Action" will get things rolling at 12:30 p.m. and 3 p.m., with "The Mahoney Brothers" giving performances at 1:45 p.m. and 4:15 p.m.

Shows are all free and open to the public. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets.

The Hinkelfest 5K Run will be held again this year, Saturday, September 16 at 10 a.m. Trophies will be awarded to the top three overall male and female runners, as well as the top three winners in each age category. Each registered runner will also receive an exclusive Hinkelfest 5K Run T-shirt.

Sure to draw a crowd is the all new Hinkelfest Classic Car Show, Sunday the 17 from noon to 5 p.m. All classic cars are welcome, with preregistration encouraged but not required. Also Sunday, at 1 p.m., will be a Model Aircraft Flying Demonstration.

Rides for the children, games, and a hot air balloon launch round out the weekend's activities along with the annual craft show on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday noon to 5 p.m.

For more "egg-citing" information, contact Neal Grimes at (717) 865-2501, or check out the website at www.hinkelfest.com.

Innovative Childcare Workshops Offered From Penn State

SCRANTON, (Lackawanna Co.) — Interested in learning new innovative ways to care for children?

Whether you are a childcare professional, or care for children in your home, or are simply interested in learning new ideas with children, plan on attending Penn State Cooperative Extension's childcare workshops. Thirteen childcare workshops will be offered in the upcoming year.

Nationally known childcare expert, Dr. James Van Horn, will present eight programs via satellite from Penn State University. Topics include woodworking with children, fun snack ideas and healthy lunches, hot topics for center directors, biting and sharing issues, pets in childcare, planning your childcare program activities, celebrating diversity in the classroom, and backyard science activities.

Lackawanna County Cooperative Extension is also offering five additional workshops, which include hands-on activities. The topics are innovative dance and music activities including yoga for kids; infectious diseases; first aid training; creative art ideas for anytime; and school aged activities.

Child care professionals will receive credits from the Department of Public Welfare, hand out materials, refreshments, and interesting, topic related door prizes at each workshop. Cost of each workshop is \$4 and is payable at the time of preregistration. Call Penn State Cooperative Extension at (570) 963-6842 between 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. for more information.

Holiday Ideas Workshop Nov. 7-8

LEESPORT (Berks Co.) — "Home, Heart, and Holiday Traditions" is the name for the upcoming Berks County extension holiday program.

The annual program features holiday foods, gift-giving ideas, safety in home and car, suggestions for decorating your home, and a luncheon buffet.

The program is repeated on two days, Nov. 7 and Nov. 8, from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Berks County 4-H Community Center, Leesport.

Tickets are \$12, which includes the buffet, and must be purchased in advance. Admission is limited. For more information or reservations, enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope and write to Rita Leshar, 3201D Garfield Ave., Reading, PA 19605 or Sylvia Blomquist, 200 Woodland Rd., Wyomissing, PA 19610. Make checks payable to Berks Co. Ext. Spec. Acct.

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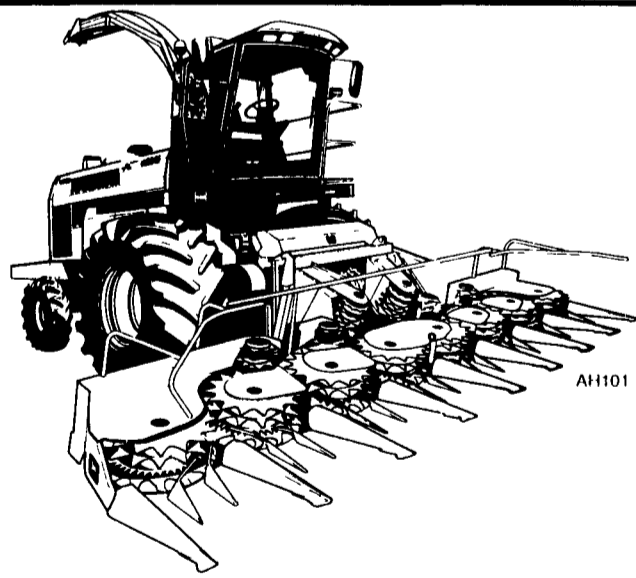
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