

Cubs & Webelos hold joint pack meeting at Lehman

On Friday night, Sept. 19, at 7:30 p.m. the new Back Mountain Medical Center grounds held an overflow of Cub Scouts and Webelos as Pack 281 of Dallas and Pack 155 of Trucksville started their new 1980-

1981 year off to a bang with a bonfire and toasting of marshmallows. All parents and scouts opened the ceremony with a Pledge of Allegiance followed by an awards presentation.

Adults given awards for their years of service to Pack 281 of Dallas were 15 years, Nancy McDonald; 13 years, Susan Jordan; 5 years, Carol Niski; 3 years, Rosemary Schmid and Ann Calkins, 2 years, Gloria Miller, Margaret

Dwinchick, Joan Pisaneschi, Betty Kasmak, Beverly Shutlock and Jacque Casseberry and 1 year, Karen Justus, Jan Jones, Arlene Bankovitch and Jim Niski. Certificates of

Appreciation were also presented to Karen Justus, Jacque Casseberry, Jan Jones, Arlene Bankovitch, Beverly Shutlock, Betty Kasmak, Joan Pisaneschi, Bernie Corcoran and Linda Tunney.

Eric Olsen and Paul Niznick; three year pin, Donny Rogers, Jason Zutant, Caris Dewey and Ricky Eckert; two year pin and two year perfect attendance; Robert Shaw, Michael Shutlock, Tommy Landon, Mark LeRoy, Ralph Down, Aric Gingo, Steve Finn, Lenny Roginski, T.J. Griffin, Scott Casseberry, Jim Tunney, John Common, Tom Davis, Daniel Holdredge, Jeff Miller, Michael Kaprowski, Brian Jordan, and Jason Donora;

Tommy Charney, Chris Pincombe and Mark Krohn; One year pin and one year perfect attendance; Martin Reynolds, Chris Justus, David Akers, Sean Price, Bruce Weaver, Jay Cherup, Eric May, Chris Tunney, Paul Donlin, Billy Cooper, Paul Clemm, Myron Suehodleski, Matthew Kruchinski, Michael Leonard, Joseph Stager, Stephan Daley, William Mannix, David Zachary, Jonathan Ursiak, Jeff Tinner, Gregg Steuben, Joseph Dwinchick, Craig

Owens, Gerard Schmid, Scott Watkins, Walter Fader, Matthew Jones, Paul Bankovitch, Hugh Mundy; one year pin only - Park Paczewski.

Pack 155 of Trucksville presented their awards to their scouts. At the end of the awards presentation, the boys enjoyed refreshments and toasting marshmallows over the fire.

The next pack meeting for Pack 281 only, will be held on Friday, Oct. 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church of Dallas.



CASINO RAZED--The Casino at Harvey's Lake at one time was the entertainment center for the Sunset area. Bingo games were held downstairs while dances were going on up stairs. Various restaurants came and went in the front portion of the building along with game rooms. But with time comes age and the building has become an eye sore which will be torn down.

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Banks questions

Installed on the less than two acre site, but architect J. Filip said this is in error as zoning allows tanks on as little as half acre parcels.

Supervisor Bob Hazeltine said "there is no sense lying about it, the township solicitor, who was absent, has said the entry road is questionable." Architect Filip countered that the roadway in question has been in use long enough for the township to take it by "eminent domain." Hazeltine retorted "You take that road by eminent domain and you'll take a 12-gauge shotgun."

The letter was signed by former owners, Mary, Louise and Allan Lamoreaux and Corey Johnson. Filip said the road will be handled like any other road.

An ordinance dealing with the flood plain insurance had been drawn up last month but was not adopted as the map on which the "flood plain" is calculated has been discovered to be inaccurate and dates back to 1929. Stating "the map is not true to the ordinance," the board

referred the matter to the solicitor.

Supervisor Hazeltine motioned that Valley Video, the township T.V. cable supplier, be given seven days from the day of the meeting to provide cable T.V. for some families at the lower portion of Chase Road. The motion carried on a second by Walter Zin-cavage.

Non-compliance with deadline will result in cancellation of the contract with the township. Supervisors said they believe "someone" could be found to take over if need be.

Much pro and con discussion followed and it appears, upon a suggestion from Bob Cooper of the audience, that a meeting between Valley Video and the board may be forthcoming. Cooper added the board had no right to grant the company a contract in the first place.

Police report was presented by Chief Don Jones. For September there were 35 complaints and one person arrested. Patrolman Nick Kalitoski will be out of commission for a couple months due to

a medical leave for knee problems involving surgery.

Bernard Banks, of American Asphalt Paving addressed the board regarding the township's hiring of a professional registered surveyor. According to Banks, Jackson Township engaged the services of Thomas Kimmell, R.S., (registered surveyor) in July, 1979. The surveyor reportedly swore under oath, said Banks, that he worked 320 hours surveying the paving company from the "outside" and a helper assisted for 80 hours. Banks said the information came to his attention at a recent public hearing and was upsetting.

Banks said the surveyor told him the "township has been paying me (Kimmell) and the township is a good client." Banks remarked he never heard the surveyors fee read aloud during the bills. Secretary Henry Zbiek said they have been read.

Banks asked "when?" Zbiek replied that they were read off last year and at other times. Banks said he "never heard

them read off." The "survey" concluded Sept., 1980, according to Banks.

Filip interrupted the exchange between Zbiek and Banks which, therefore, was not resolved. Filip stated the issue of how much the surveyor was paid "shouldn't be brought up and has gotten out of hand."

Reminded by a reporter that any funds spent by the board are public information, Supervisor Zin-cavage cautioned the audience member to "be quiet there now."

Board will announce the total amount paid to the surveyor to survey American Asphalt from the outside at the November meeting.

Banks said, following the meeting, it is not unusual for a professional surveyor to charge \$35 hourly.

Anymore "horseplay" in the township will not be tolerated. Residents whose horses roam and damage crops are liable for the actions of their animals. Police will intervene if the "horsing around" warrants it.

Doughton appointed to DAMA

The resignation of Walter Weir as one of the Dallas Township representatives to the Dallas Area Municipal Authority has created a vacancy on the board. The frontrunner frequently proposed to assume Weir's position on the DAMA board is Tom Doughton, Jr., who at 31 will be the youngest man to serve the authority.

Pending his official appointment by township supervisors either Tuesday, Oct. 7 or Monday, Oct. 20, the young man will begin a six year term. Supervisors Frank Wagner is very enthusiastic about the appointment, as is R. Spencer Martin, DAMA's chairman.

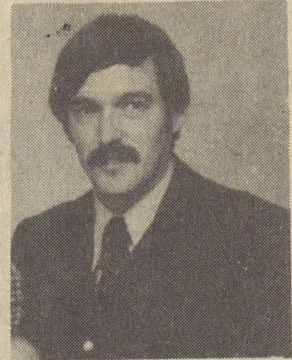
Martin told the supervisors he is very impressed with Doughton's experience. The new DAMA member worked for a short time at the DAMA plant which he helped design when employed by authority consulting engineers, Roy F. Weston, Inc.

Martin said "with that experience, he'd be a good man to have down here, as the more heads the better."

Frank Wagner said

Doughton's appointment would be in the best interests of the township.

Doughton, Jr., resides at 23 Hillcrest Drive, New Goss Manor with his wife Linda and 2½ year old



Thomas Doughton, Jr., son, Ryan, Linda, who is originally from New Jersey is employed by the Luzerne Intermediate Unit 18 as a special education teacher at Lake-Lehman.

The family are members of Gate of Heaven Church in Dallas and Tom is assistant fire chief of the Dallas Fire and Ambulance while Linda belongs to its auxiliary.

Doughton is employed by Smith-Miller Associates as project manager in charge of disaster recovery assistance. His latest

major project was the devastating Johnstown Flood.

Doughton's job is to move in to the scene of a declared disaster to begin what he calls "rehabilitation engineering" and obtain the grant funds to clean up. He has been with the firm since 1972.

Smith-Miller and Doughton were honored for his Johnstown accomplishments at a dinner at the Waldorf in New York City given by the prestigious Engineering News Record where he was cited for outstanding accomplishment in 1979 for construction and engineering. Only 40 others from around the country were so honored by the publication.

The success of the Johnstown experience was due mainly, according to Doughton, to the new system regarding awarding of grants. He said much of his employment duties focus on obtaining grants through the Federal Emergency Management Program.

Being familiar with the complex grant program will prove valuable to DAMA.

A 1967 graduate of Dallas High School, Doughton attended Wilkes College, was a member of the Army Reserves and in 1973 received his degree in business administration from Penn State, Main Campus. Doughton also spent two years in additional study in the field of engineering both at the main campus and local campus of Penn State.

He numbers among his professional organizations the American Society of Highway Engineers; The Maryland Association of Engineers; American Society of Civil Engineers and the Water Pollution Control Federation of Pennsylvania along with the Wilkes-Barre Chapter of Professional Engineers. He has been appointed to the President's Committee Advisory Board for Disaster Recovery for Region 3. This encompasses the states of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.

His leisure time is spent working on their new home on Upper Demands Road. Doughton said he expects to be in by the Christmas holidays.

makeup.

Borough solicitor Atty. Joseph Kasper explained that he advised the change because a second story would provide an opportunity for people to live over the water in violation of state law

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HL Borough abolishes 2-story bathouses

by Tom Mooney

Harveys Lake Borough has abolished the two-story bathhouse.

Meeting Tuesday night, council voted 6-1 to amend the present zoning ordinance to forbid the construction of any more

two-story bathouses.

The action was taken on the motion of council member Margaret Purcell. Voting for the amendment also were Andrew Morgus, Gifford Cappellini, Frank Coulton (president), Bruce Anderson, and Becky

Casterline. Only Michelle Boice voted "no".

The two-story bathhouse clause has been a point of controversy since permission for it was written into the zoning ordinance last year, when council had a substantially different