

Keeping Posted

There will be bingo held at the Franklin Twp. Volunteer Fire Company in Orange on Friday nights. Doors will open at 6 p.m. and an early bird special will be played at 6:45 p.m. Jackpot is \$200 for final special. Refreshments are available.

The Wyoming Valley Ski Club will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 2, 8:15 p.m. at Gus Genetti Motor Inn, Wilkes-Barre. In conjunction with the Wednesday evening ski lesson program, WVSC will provide

round-trip bus transportation to Elk Mountain at a low cost. The bus leaves behind Sears at the Wyoming Valley Mall at approximately 5:30 p.m. and departs from Elk Mt. at approximately 11:30 p.m.

Kingston Twp. Ambulance Ladies Auxiliary will meet Wednesday, Jan. 27, at 8 p.m. in the newly constructed Ambulance Association Building, at 200 E. Center St., Shavertown. Nw members are always welcome. Refreshments will be served.



CAROLE WALL (right) instructor of the fashion course at West Side Area Technical School, Kingston, oversees the work of Mary Anne O'Kane, student in the afternoon session, who helped make 24 tablecloths for the Leader

Rehabilitation Center-West in Kingston. Students in the course also helped pay for materials. The tablecloths will be used at the Leader Center for holidays.



SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT—Dr. Donald Bortz, consultant from East Stroudsburg State College, presented information to the Dallas School District's Citizen Advisory Committee on the recent Needs Assessment that was conducted throughout the community. This information will be incorporated into the Dallas School

District's Long Range Plan for School Improvement. In attendance were: left to right, Donald J. Evans, Frederick J. Case, Dr. Andrew Shaw, Jr., Julie Conologue, Ruth Husband. 2nd row, Brooke P. Hunt, Martin Moore, Ronald Moran, Donald Bortz, Gerald Wycallis, Ellen Nagy, Samuel Barbose.

Area students able to compete in local art contest

Students in grades 7-12 will have an opportunity to compete in a local art contest this March. The first annual SUZANNE MARIA ROSSETTI ART CONTEST will be sponsored by Joe and Sue Hand, owners and operators of Sue Hand's Imagery, Dallas.

The contest is open to any 7-12 grade student residing in the Dallas or Lehman School Districts, even if they attend private or parochial school; or anyone taking lessons at the Imagery, regardless of residence.

There will be first,

second, and third prize ribbons for each of the grade levels in each of the five following categories; watercolor; oil, alkyd, and acrylic; pencil and charcoal; ink and scratchboard; and pastel. There will be a total of 90 ribbons awarded by three qualified judges. There is a limit of five entries per person, and a size limit of two by three feet. (24 by 36"). All entries must be matted or framed, since the winners will be exhibited immediately.

Entries may be delivered to Sue Hand's Imagery from Monday,

March 22 to Saturday, March 27, during regular studio hours. The winners will be exhibited at the Imagery, 35 Main St., Dallas, from Monday, March 29 through Friday, April 2. The public is invited to attend.

The contest honors Suzanne Rossetti, a 26-year-old resident of

Phoenix, Ariz. who last January was kidnapped and raped by convicts (one escaped, one on a work release program) who then threw her off a cliff, climbed down to her, and finally stoned her to death. Ms. Rossetti was a native of the Boston Area. Her sister is an art teacher near there.

Philharmonic presents "The River flows"

Soprano Christine Donahue, a Metropolitan Opera National Auditions winner, will sing the leading role of Frances Slocum when the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic presents

the world premiere of Richard Wargo's concert opera, "The River Flows," as part of the orchestra's "Pennsylvania Tricentennial Celebration." Friday, Jan. 29 at 8:30 at the Irem

Temple, Wilkes-Barre, and Saturday, Jan. 30 at 8:30 at the Masonic Temple, Scranton.

A native of Kingston, Miss Donahue was graduated from Wilkes College and the Juilliard

School, from which she received a master's degree in voice and opera. Miss Donahue was a member of Houston Operas Studio for three years and for two seasons toured with Texas Opera Theatre in a wide variety of roles ranging from Cio Cio San to Rosina. She has sung leading roles with the Juilliard Opera Department, American Opera Center, Houston Grand Opera, San Antonio Opera, Michigan Opera Theatre Spring Festival, and the Youngstown, Ohio, Symphony Society.

Her concert appearances have included the Verdi Requiem with the Juilliard Symphony, the Victoria, Tex., Symphony, and the University of Houston Festival Orchestra. She has made numerous appearances in the Wilkes-Barre-Scranton area and will sing the role of Violetta when the Philharmonic presents a full concert version of La Traviata in April.

Miss Donahue will be joined in the world premiere by tenor Mark Thomsen, baritone Paul Rowe, and mezzo-soprano Kate Nesbit.

Back Mt. resident earns Doctorate at Florida

James H. Aikman, director of development at Wilkes College recently received the Doctor of Public Administration degree from Nova University, Fla.

Aikman, who has served in his present position at Wilkes for the past five years, holds a B.S. in mathematics from

the University of Nebraska, and M.S. in systems management from the University of Southern California. A veteran of 27 years with the United States Air Force, retiring as a Colonel, Aikman served in various command and staff positions which included: jet-fighter pilot,

professor aerospace technology and as deputy-commander of Tri-Service Public Affairs School.

Married to the former Rita Balayzis, the couple resides with their two children, Anita and James, in the Back Mountain area.

Dallas students treated

Sinfonia da Camera, under the direction of conductor Ferdinand R. Liva, performed in a concert of classical music for the students of the Dallas Junior High School in the school auditorium on Jan. 20.

Sinfonia is the professional orchestra, resident at College Misericordia, with Mr. Liva as both conductor and musical director.

Student soloists with the orchestra include Mark Liva, Dallas junior high student, in a piano solo of the Haydn Youth Concerto in C Major, the first movement. Performing the Vivaldi Concerto for two Violins in A Minor were Ferdinand R. Liva, Jr. and Victor Liva. Victor is in the seventh grade at Dallas, and Dino is a student at the Dallas Senior High School. Both Dino and Victor are

members of the musicians union and perform frequently with the orchestra. Dallas students, above, who performed with Sinfonia are left to right, Ferdinand R. Liva, Jr.; Victor Liva; Mark Liva and Nina Liva, in front.

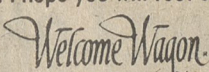
Super speller

Dallas Junior High School is celebrating Super Bowl Week with a Super Speller Contest, the first annual SUPER SPELLING BEE. All seventh graders at the school have been preparing for the contest since early in October. On Jan. 26, 20 finalists will participate in the grand Super Spelling bee in the school auditorium.

Participants are the students of Mrs. Maryann Sigworth and Mrs. Kathy Wega. Judges for the grand finale will be Mrs. Becky Shuster, physical education instructor, and Mr. Gordon Schlier, guidance counselor. The purpose of the spelling bee is to promote spelling excellence and pride.

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Ice skating party at Lake Silkworth

An ice skating party at Lake Silkworth sponsored by the Lake Silkworth Volunteer Fire Company will be held Sunday, Jan. 31, and every Sunday thereafter weather per-

mitting from noon until dusk.

Refreshments will be sold at the Lake Silkworth Fire Company Chuck Wagon.

West Side Tech Menu

WEST SIDE VO TECH Feb. 1-5

- MONDAY—Hot dog, sauerkraut garnish, chips, cheese cubes, orange smiles, milk.
- TUESDAY—Hoagie, lettuce-tomato, Italian dressing, applesauce, ginger bread, milk.
- WEDNESDAY—Cubed turkey, mashed potatoes, seasoned peas, homemade roll-butter, jello-whipped cream, milk.
- THURSDAY—Fruit juice, hot ham on bun, corn, creamy rice pudding-raisins, milk.
- FRIDAY—Fish on bun, tartar sauce, cole slaw, buttered green beans, chocolate fudge cookies, milk.

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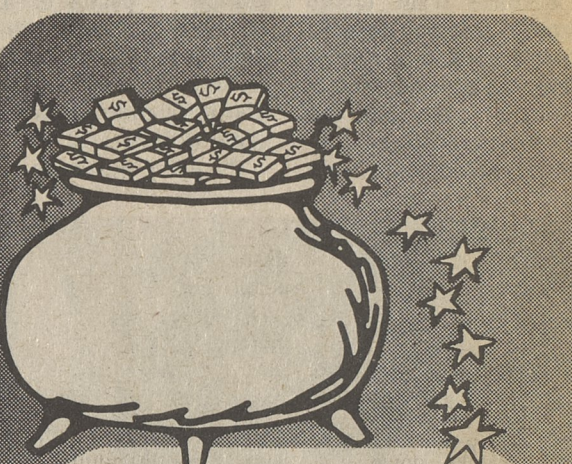


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