Community Calendar

Concerts

THE NORTHEASTERN PENN-SYLVANIA PHILHARMONIC, under the direction of Hugh Wolff, will present a family concert on Friday, Jan. 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Irem Temple in Wilkes-Barre and Saturday, Jan. 28, at 6 p.m. at Masonic Temple in Scranton.

Along with works by Vivaldi and Mozart will be Prokofiev's classic introduction to the symphony, 'Peter and the Wolf," featuring the Bob Brown Puppet Company and narrator Peter Phillips.

Tickets are available at regular outlets and through the Philharmonic Hotline-287-1916 and 342-0920.

WYOMING VALLEY ORATORIO SOCIETY CHORUS will begin rehearsals at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 24, in the upstairs choir room of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre. Music Director Clifford Balshaw has announced that Bach's "St. John Passion" will be presented on Sunday, April 8 at 3:30 p.m. with Charles Bressler as tenor soloist.

New singers wishing to join the group at this time are asked to call Mr. Balshaw either at St. Stephen's or at his home in Dallas. Tenors and basses are especially welcome. The work will be sung in German, with orchestral accompaniment.

Clinics

REGISTRATION FOR HEART SCREENING sponsored by the American Heart Association Northeastern Pa. Region will be held on Friday, Jan. 27, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Kirby Health Center, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre.

A nominal fee is charged for this service, which includes the electrocardiogram, test for high blood pressure, sugar and cholesterol.

The purpose of the Heart Screening Program is to seek out the coronary prone individuals who are unaware of their cardiac abnormalities and refer them to their physician for proper follow-up care. This program is not intended for those persons with known heart problems.

Individuals over 65 years of age must present a permission slip from their physician. Those wishing to be screened are to call the Heart Office at 822-6247 to make an appointment.

Also, in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, a free glaucoma screening will be available.

A VITAL SIGNS (Blood Pressure) class will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Wyoming Valley Chapter, American Red Cross, 156 South Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre.

Class size is limited. Please call Mrs. Mary Lou MacFarland, director of Nursing-Health Services at 823-7161 for more information. A minimal fee will be charged.

Meetings

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the Lake-Lehman Board of School Directors will be held on the third Thursday of the month, Jan. 19, instead of the second Tuesday.

The January meeting will be held at the regular time, 8 p.m. in the music room of the Lehman-Jackson Elementary School, Lehman. Joseph "Red" Jones, president, will

Please note that this change is for the month of January only.

THE DADDOW-ISAACS AMERI-CAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT 672 will meet at the Post Home. Dallas on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 8 p.m. President, Marion Harvey will preside at the meeting.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Luzerne County will meet Thursday, Jan. 19, at 7:15 p.m. at 15 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre.

Classes

FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO SHARPEN THEIR WIT at card game playing, the Office of Continuing Education at Luzerne County Community College is offering its poplar "Casino Blackjack Atlantic City Style" course for the Spring semester.

The non-credit course will run from Feb. 20 through March 22, on Monday and Thursday evenings, from 6:30 to 9:30, at the college's Educational Conference Center on the main campus in Nanticoke.

Designed to introduce the rules of blackjack, casino etiquette, and the basic strategy for the beginning and intermediate player, the course will also show how to eliminate the five percent house advantage through the skillful use of basic blackjack strategy.

Instructor for the course is Barry Prandy, who has played professional blackjack for six years. Prandy has played professionally in every Atlantic City and most Las Vegas casinos.

For further information on the "Casino Blackjack Atlantic City Style" course, or to register to

attend, contact the Office of Continuing Education at Luzerne County Community College, 829-7482.

IF YOU'RE TOO BUSY TO GO TO PENN STATE, Penn State will go to you.

The Department of Independent Learning of the Pennsylvania State University will offer independent learning courses to improve students' business skills.

Credit courses offered include Systems Organization, People and Organizations, Business Logistics, Credit-free courses to be offered are The Computer Programme, Personal Time Management and The Business of Writing.

Courses are beginning this month over WPSX-TV and PENNARAMA, the learning network. All courses include textbooks and study guide, television lessons and interaction with a Penn State instructor by mail and telephone.

To receive a free catalog and course schedule, call toll-free: 1-800-252-3592 (state of Pennsylvania) or 1-800-458-3617 (nationwide)

Workshops

THE EDUCATIONAL OPPOR-TUNITY CENTER will present a special workshop on state and federal financial aid programs for college and technical school on Tuesday, Jan. 31, from 7 to 9 p.m. at King's College, in the Susquehanna Lounge located in the Administration Building.

Speakers for the program, "Meeting College Costs" will be Ms. Barbara Dillman, EOC counselor, and Dr. Peter Yasenchak, Regional Director, Pennsylvania Higher Edu-Assistance Agency cation (PHEAA).

The Educational Opportunity Center, funded by the U.S. Dept. of Education provides free career guidance and information on college and technical school programs for eligible individuals age 16 and over who want to return to school.

'Meeting College Costs' is free and open to the public. Registration is requested and may be made by calling EOC at 825-8435.

Tests

THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT of Bishop O'Reilly High School, Kingston, will administer the S.R.A. High School Placement Test to eighth grade students planning on entering the high school next year on Saturday, Jan. 21, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the west-side school, Maple Avenue.

Parents with questions concerning the test should contact Sister Francis de Sales RSM, Director of Guid-

Seminars

COLLEGE MISERICORDIA'S DEPARTMENT OF CONTINUING EDUCATION will present a seminar on "Prospective Reimbursement and its Impact on Nursing: DRG's" (Diagnostic Related Groupings), on Wednesday, Jan. 18, from

8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Merrick Hall. Phillip A. Greiner, RN, MSN, will conduct the seminar, which is approved by the Pennsylvania Nurses Association to award .6

An instructor in the Family and Community section of the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing, Philadelphia, Greiner will discuss the background and development of prospective reimbursement, the cost of health care, the DRG system of reimbursement and its effects on the health care system and on nursing.

Greiner is the author of an article entitled "What has become of the Traditional Nurse," which was printed in the in the December, 1981 issue of Nursing Outlook.

For information and registration call the College at 675-2181 extension

Clubs

THE DALLAS LIONS will sponsor a "Nite at the Races" on Saturday, Jan. 21, at 7:30 p.m. at College Misericordia, Merrick Hall.

There will be eight races with 10 horses per race and intermissions between each race to allow for wagers. The cost of the night's fun and entertainment will be \$3.00 per person which includes free refresh-

The horses will be off and running on schedule and the Dallas Lions urge everyone not to miss this thrilling event.

THE DALLAS INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL PARENTS - TEACHERS ORGANIZATION will sponsor a roller skating party on Sunday, Jan. 22, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Roller King on Third Avenue in Kingston. Admission is \$1.25 and skate rental

("Shop Talk" is a column about Back Mountain businesses and business people. To submit information for "Shop Talk," phone The Dallas Post at 675-5211.)

JOHN F. ADAMS PAVING, RD 2, Box 349A, Dallas, is one of 13 new members recently accepted by the Board of Directors of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Com-

Specializing in the pavement of recreation courts, driveways and parking lots, the company was sponsored by Eileen Connelly of Entre Computer Center.

John F. Adams is owner.

RAVE NOTICES HAVE BEEN HEARD around town about the homemade pies from the new bakery at Dymond's Farm Market off Route 309 in Shavertown. Other specialties in the bakery section which is open Wednesday through Sunday, include delicious homemade bread and rolls.

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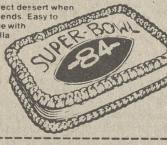
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March planned

The annual drive of the March of Dimes "Mothers March on Birth Defects" will begin on Sunday, Jan. 22 (Super Bowl Sunday) in the Wyoming Valley area. Shown here are those involved in the drive in the Harveys Lake-Sweet Valley area. From left, Dan Stadulis, Luzerne County chairman; Robert Prosser, executive director, Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, March of Dimes; Richard Tattersall, Sweet Valley and Harveys Lake; and Nick Diveronica, Harveys Lake. Also assisting in the Harveys Lake area is Michelle Tattersall Boice. Volunteers are needed and may contact Chairman Stadulis or the March of Dimes Office at 824-1345 for additional information.

National gardening contest is scheduled

The American Community Gardening Association and GLAD Wrap and Bags will co-sponsor the firstever national community gardening contest in 1984. The program is the important trend in community gardners across the country.

gardening, recognize the accomplishments of community gardeners nationwide, and encourage their efforts

designed to focus public attention on been allocated to help community

To receive an official ACGA-GLAD Wrap and Bags National Community Gardening Contest Kit, write to ACGA-GLAD Contest, c-o Over \$20,000 in cash prizes has Ogilvy & Mather Public Relations, 230 Park Avenue, Suite 1236, New

Frosting Friends plan cake demonstration

Frosting Friends of Luzerne County and the John Heinz Rehabilitation Center of 99 Mundy Street, Wilkes-Barre, will sponsor a cake decorating and vegetable garnish demonstration on Monday, Jan. 23

at 7:30 p.m. in the John Heinz Center staff dining room.

The public is invited to attend the demonstration free of charge.

Mrs. Eileen Hoyt will decorate a cake entitled "Basketfull of Strawberries." Among the things Chef Charles Cannavale will demonstrate are how to garnish a floral arrangement of vegetables and make birds

Refreshments will be served.

Kingston Townships seeks committee member

The Kingston Township Board of Supervisors has announced that there exists a vacancy on the Kingston Township Recreation Commis-

The Board is requesting individu- the Township office, 11 Carverton als interested in serving on the Road, Trucksville, PA 18708.

Recreation Commission to contact

