

# People

## People in the news

**MARINE CPL. MARYANN R. AFFLERBACH**, granddaughter of Ann Muir and niece of John F. Muir both of Dallas, has reported for duty with 3rd Force Service Support Group on Okinawa.

**ARMY NATIONAL GUARD SPEC. 4 JAMES M. SPASER**, a 1976 graduate of Dallas Senior High School, has completed the tactical microwave systems repairer course at the U.S. Army Signal Schools, Fort Gordon, Ga.

The course provides instructions for soldiers to install and operate microwave radios and multiplexing equipment.

During the 36 weeks of training, soldiers also received training in the installation and operation of interconnection of components and power units, tuning receivers, and transmitters, maintenance of efficiency of circuits, and safety procedures.

**SCOTT E. SAXTON**, son of Mrs. Ruth Donahue of Wilkes-Barre, enlisted in the United States Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program according to MSgt. Bill Shaver, Air Force recruiter for Wilkes-Barre.

Saxton, a 1982 graduate of Dallas Senior High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on April 18, 1985. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six week basic training course, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the Electronic Aptitude Area.

He will be earning credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and other Air Force technical training schools.

**MISS JENNIFER M. KERN** has recently received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Biology from Temple University, Philadelphia. She is a graduate of Dallas High School, Class of 1980. She is presently a first year medical student at the Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine, Philadelphia, PA. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kern, and brother, Tim, of West Overbrook Avenue, Dallas, attended the graduation ceremonies held at Tomlinson theatre, Temple University Campus.

Jennifer is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Elenchik, Dallas, and of Mrs. Marion A. Kern,

also of Dallas. She is the niece of the late Dr. Carl J. Kern, Loyalville.

**NAVY SEAMAN DOUGLAS W. OSBORNE**, son of Theron W. and Shirley D. Osborne of Route 4, Dallas, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training center, San Diego.

During the eight-week training cycle, trainees studied general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields.

Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

**ARMY RESERVE PVT. RODNEY H. COULTON**, son of Frank H. and Ann Coulton of Rural Route 1, Harveys Lake, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

**ARMY PVT. RICHARD J. GOUGER JR.**, son of Richard J. and Jane M. Gouger of Rural Route 5, Shavertown, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

**RONALD SZELA**, of Anchorage, Alaska, recently spent a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Szela, of Fernbrook, RD 6, Dallas.

Ronald is married to the former Connie Hreha of Exeter and is employed as a mechanical engineer for the city of Anchorage.

**MR. AND MRS. HENRY HESS** of Dallas and Elizabeth Hess Douglas, Mr. Hess' sister, of Caldwell, New Jersey, recently returned home following a train trip across Canada.

The trio visited Toronto, Victoria and Calgary where they enjoyed a helicopter tour.

**ARMY PRIVATE RICHARD J. GOUGER JR.**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gouger of 138 Ridge St., Shavertown, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the eight weeks of training, he received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

He is a 1984 graduate of Lake Lehman High School.

**NAOMI LEWIS**, RD 1, Box 503-2 Upper Demunds Rd., Dallas now is a residence of Coral Ridge, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

**ARMY PVT. ANDREW S. HULES**, son of Fred L. and Patricia J. Hules of Rural Route 2, Dallas, has completed the Army's construction machine operator course at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the course, students were trained to operate and maintain heavy construction equipment and received practical experience by actually working at construction sites.

**ARMY NATIONAL GUARD PVT. RAYMOND E. JONES**, son of Raymond A. and Lorna G. Jones of 471 Hillside Ave., Harveys Lake, has completed basic training at Fort Benning, Ga.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

**ARMY RESERVE PVT. JOSEPH P. WALSH**, son of Mary A. and Paul J. Walsh of 18 Westminster Drive, Dallas, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

**CHARLES BATKA**, R.R. 4, Box 425, Dallas, PA., has been named to the Presidential Honor Society at the DeVry Institute of Technology in Columbus, OH.

To be eligible for the prestigious honor, students must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5 (out of a possible 4.0) after two terms of study. Batka, a student in the Computer Information Systems program, has a 4.0 GPA.

DeVry Institute of Technology is part of the DeVRY Inc. network of 11 campuses that specialize in Electronics Technology and Computer Information Systems. DeVRY INC. is one of the largest postsecondary technical education organizations in North America.

**DR. EUGENE P. PRYOR, JR.**, son of Mrs. Margaret Pryor and the late Eugene Pryor of Shavertown, has returned to northeastern Pennsylvania after completing his internship and serving as a post doctoral Fellow in Clinical Psychology at Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School.

A native of Dallas, Dr. Pryor graduated from Central Catholic High School in Kingston, received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology with honors from Millersville University, his Master of Arts degree in Clinical Psychology from Oakland University where he was awarded a Fellowship and his Doctor of Psychology degree in

Clinical Psychology from Nova University.

Dr. Pryor is married to the former Deborah Weichel of Dunmore. They now reside with their daughter, Meagan, in Lake Ariel.

He has opened an office to practice general clinical psychology in the Abington Forum in Clarks Green.

**MR. AND MRS. DAVID KING**, and sons Michael and Aaron of Beacon Falls, Connecticut have returned home after spending their vacation visiting Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. Dorothy Perkins, and grandmother, Mrs. Dorothy Laurence.

**MRS. MILDRED CORSON**, of Horsham, Mrs. Sylvia Langley, of North Wales have returned home after spending two weeks with Mrs. Helen Franklin of Jackson Church Road.

**THE LADIES AUXILIARY** of the Jackson Twp. Volunteer Fire Company held their meeting on Sept. 12 at the Fire Hall. Hostesses were Mrs. Beatrice Newell, and Mrs. Sandy Newell.

**MR. AND MRS. DENNIS BONNING**, and Mrs. Margaret Bonning, enjoyed a week's vacation in Canada.

**MARINE LANCE CPL. ALLEN D. HILBERT**, son of Harry C. and Janet C. Hilbert of Route 1, Dallas, recently departed on a deployment to the Western Pacific.

He is a member of 2nd Battalion, 6th Marines, 2nd Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

His unit will spend six months overseas as part of the Marine Corps' unit deployment program. The concept is designed to rotate whole battalions or squadrons at a time instead of individuals at separate intervals. In this way, unit integrity is retained and the actual time spent overseas is shortened.

**RONALD T. SCHALL**, son of Barbara and Ronald Schall Sr. of Route 5, Shavertown, was one of over 600 U.S. Navy Midshipmen from the U.S. Naval Academy and NROTC Universities across the country who participated in summer training cruises aboard ships of the U.S. Seventh Fleet.

The annual cruises augment classroom studies and give prospective Naval officers a preview of their future.

During the training cruise midshipmen work in a number of shipboard jobs, gaining valuable practical experience. They also have the opportunity to visit several countries located within the Seventh Fleet operating area, which covers some 52 million square miles of the

Western Pacific and Indian Oceans.

**MICKEY AND HANK BARTOS** served as co-chairpersons for a fund-raising party held at Nelson Bunker Hunt's ranch in Dallas, Texas, during the 1984 Republican Convention held there.

The Bartos couple, of Orange, were chairpersons of the affair, which was termed the "largest fund-raiser" for the Republican party during convention week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartos are members of the National Conservative Political Action Committee (NCPAC) which is headquartered in Washington, D.C.

**JAMES M. O'CONNELL** of Box 273-4, Orange Road, Dallas, has been accepted at the Art Institute of Pittsburgh in the Visual Communication Department. James is a 1984 graduate of Dallas Area High School.

The Art Institute of Pittsburgh is a two-year commercial Design School and has an enrollment of almost 2,000 students from the United States and abroad. AIP offers an Associate in Specialized Technology Degree and is accredited by the Accrediting Commission of the National Association of Trade and Technical Schools.



**Freshmen welcomed**  
The Nursing Department of Luzerne County Community College recently welcomed its freshman class for the start of Fall semester classes at the college's main campus in Nanticoke. Approximately 98 students are enrolled in the first year of the associate degree program at LCCC, and completion of the program will qualify them to take the registered nursing exam for licensure. Shown here at an orientation session are, from left, Lorraine Gelatko, Wilkes-Barre, assistant professor; Ruth Seeherman, Wilkes-Barre, director of the nursing program; Sharon Hudacek, Laffin, instructor; Annette Morris, Bear Creek; Lorne Querci, Exeter; Sandy Magdanski, Wilkes-Barre; and Lillian Schorr, Dallas. The Luzerne County Community College nursing program is approved by the Pennsylvania State Board of Nurse Examiners and is accredited by the National League for Nursing.

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