



**Program hosts**

The Biology Club of College Misericordia was pleased to host a program entitled "An Introduction to Forensic Pathology" given by Luzerne County Coroner, Dr. George Hudock, Jr. An explanation of the role of the coroner and a slide presentation were part of the agenda. Pictured above, from left, are, Jane Pope, club secretary; Ruth Werts, vice president; Dr. Hudock; Sherri Masiewicz, treasurer; Elaine Prebola, president; Mr. Olney Craft, Jr., faculty advisor.



**Workshop held**

United Way staff went "In Search of Excellence" to Penn State Wilkes-Barre. Fifteen members of the executive staff of the United Way of Wyoming Valley participated in the two-day workshop based on the management best seller, "In Search of Excellence." The workshop was directed by Michael Sawczuk of Penn State's Management Development Services, and coordinated by James F. Campbell, director of continuing education at Penn State Wilkes-Barre. From left, seated, are Martina Martin, Midge Donnelly, Barbara Goleach, Barry Simons, Sherry Goldwein and Walter Klepaski. Standing, Mike Sawczuk, Joe DeVizia, Don Linker, Gene Sirni, Chuck Reynolds, David Yonki, Penne Hankey, Diane Myers, and James Campbell.



**LCCC program**

The Career Planning and Placement Office of Luzerne County Community College recently conducted its annual Health Services Information Day on the main campus in Nanticoke. Representatives from local hospitals and other health care facilities were available to speak with interested students on careers in the health field and possible job openings. Shown during a break in the session are, from left, Mary Richards, Wilkes-Barre, LCCC nursing student; Veronica Buzinkar, Shavertown, LCCC nursing student; Ellen Nagy, Dallas, director of marketing, Home Health Services of Luzerne County; Barbar Price, Shavertown, coordinator of career planning and placement at LCCC; Lori Throne, Nanticoke, LCCC nursing student; Gloria Brezinski, Nanticoke, LCCC nursing student; and Nancy L. Roberts, Wilkes-Barre, human resource counselor, LCCC career planning and placement office.

**Assistance offered**

The Professional Education Committee of the Wyoming Valley Unit, American Cancer Society, offers assistance to physicians who advise their patients to stop smoking. Anti-smoking literature and stop-smoking kits are available from the American Cancer Society, at 825-7763. Recent studies indicate that a physician's use of anti-smoking materials has a significant positive effect on helping patients quit the habit. Shown here are, from left, Dr. Marie Luraschi; Melanie Roguls, R.N., M.N., chairperson; Shirley Smith, R.N. M.S.N.



**Program held**

The Luzerne Intermediate Unit held its preliminary screening for the Pennsylvania Governor's School for the Arts at the Intermediate Unit building, 368 Tioga Avenue, Kingston. The screening is the first step in the selection process for the award of \$1,000 scholarships to the residential arts program. The list of preliminary winners will be sent to Harrisburg and final screening will take place during April. The arts involved are music, art, dance, theater, creative writing and photography. Pictured are judges who screened the area applicants and L.I.U. staff. From left, first row, Klaus Holm; Patricia Heaman; Cora Artim; Helen Marr; Enzo Liva; Rusty Anderson; Walter Humanik. Second row: Paul V. Irzinski, Director, Special Education, L.I.U. No. 18; Arthur Pupa, Supervisor, L.I.U. No. 18; Robert Carson, Dr. William Sterling; Francis Hanify; Richard Fuller; Dr. Herbert Garber; Kevin M. O'Connor, Acting Executive Director, L.I.U. No. 18; Mr. Charles Orner, Special Education Advisor, Bureau of Special Education; Richard Dower, Ted Veremeychick. The Governor's School for the Arts, an annual residential summer arts program now entering its 13th year at Bucknell University, is co-sponsored by the Pennsylvania Department of Education and the state's 29 regional intermediate units.

**Videoconference on robotics conducted**

A live videoconference on robotics was held at Penn State Wilkes-Barre in Lehman. The five-hour

and future trends as well as such practical matters as methods for achieving accurate robot arm control.

program coordinator; and Joseph Perkowski, engineering professor and robotics instructor; Lenn Minkiew-

program, co-sponsored by the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers and Penn State, examined the state of the art of robotics

Participating were: Jonathan Rogers, telecommunications and electrical engineering student at the Lehman campus; Sharon War, pro-

ic, electrical engineering student. The tele-conference was attended by representatives of industries interested in expanding use of robots.

**Canoe guide is available**

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According to Virgil Chambers, Chief of the Commission's Boating Safety Education Section, there are many marvelous things to be seen in Pennsylvania by canoe and "Paddle Pennsylvania" will help you choose the right waterway. The booklet also contains guidelines for planning a float trip, a section on canoe safety and a 9" x 15" pull-out canoe map showing canoe trips designed for novice paddlers, the intermediate canoeist and the experienced whitewater enthusiast.

"Paddle Pennsylvania" may be obtained by sending a check or money order for \$1 to the Pennsylvania Fish Commission, Bureau of Waterways, P.O. Box 1673, Harrisburg, Pa. 17105-1673.

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