



People



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Book markers presented

Members of the Back Mountain 4-H Club recently presented book markers to residents of the Meadows Nursing Home, Dallas. Shown here is Meadows resident Beatrice Schreiner accepting one of the markers from a 4-H member. Also shown in the photo are Chris Opalicki, David Sims, Dawn Sims, Amber Sims, Clay Wertman, Tammie Wertman, and David Cummings. Absent at the time of the photo were Myrtle Cook and Tommie Parks. Evelyn Sims is leader of the 4-H Club while Sue Wertman, Jane Cummings and Gary Snyder are assistants.



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Check presented

Members of the Lehman Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary recently presented a check to the fire company for the purchase of two new furnaces in the truck room at the fire hall. Shown here during the presentation are, from left, Florence Campbell, president, Lehman Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary; Edward Radzinski, president, Lehman Volunteer Fire Company; and Elda Coolbaugh, treasurer, Lehman Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary.

Kiwanis welcomes members

At the last Back Mountain Kiwanis breakfast meeting, Lt. Gov. Reese Pelton made a slide presentation of the Pennsylvania Kiwanis Foundation's Children's Heart Program. This program is designed to make Geisinger Medical Center's newest medical procedures in Pediatric Cardiology available to children throughout Pennsylvania. Also, Past Lt. Gov. Bob Cartier inducted new members Ron Cooper and Frank Orkwis, into the club. Several more new members will be inducted at the next board meeting.

DEAR "AUNT PATTY"



DEAR AUNT PATTY:
I'm 19 years old and wondering if I have a problem. When I meet a boy I like, I can't get him off my mind. After about two weeks I start getting bored with him. This keeps on happening. Is this normal?
R.J.

DEAR R.J.:
Yes. It's very normal. Someday when you meet that special someone, you won't get bored after a short time. Then, just hope he doesn't get bored with you after just two weeks!
DEAR AUNT PATTY:
My husband and I have a good marriage except for one problem. When he feels like going out with the boys, he just goes. If I want to go out with the girls, he gets all upset. He says a woman's place is home. What can I do?
MRS. M.

DEAR MRS. M.:
Maybe he doesn't trust you. Talk to him about it and tell him why you would like to go out with the girls and what you will be doing. If your intentions are good, and he has no reason to doubt you, you'll both feel better about spending time apart.
DEAR AUNT PATTY:
How do you handle a pest for a neighbor? Every time we go out into the yard he comes over. This can be four times in one day. He's constantly gossiping about the neighborhood. We've tried everything to discourage him, to no avail. We don't want to become enemies with him. Any tips?
BOTHERED

DEAR BOTHERED:
Anonymously send him a clipping of this letter or build a high fence between your properties.

DEAR AUNT PATTY:
Our daughter will be attending her first prom. My husband and I are excited and apprehensive at the same time. She's a good girl with nice friends, but we are worried about drinking and driving on prom night. She has assured us she would never do this and we trust her, but we would like you to please say something in your column that might change at least one teenager's mind about drinking and driving on prom night.

WORRIED PARENTS:
DEAR WORRIED PARENTS:
The teenagers in our local area

have been reminded about the dangers of drinking and driving on prom night and other celebration times. There is a warning sign in the center of Dallas and programs such as PAK and MADD have been presenting their views and suggestions. No matter what I say — parents will still worry. You've got to trust your children and their friends and hope your values have been instilled in them. Also it helps to pray alot.

DEAR AUNT PATTY:
I have a gripe. It's not a gripe that requires an answer, but rather, a gripe that I will feel better about if I get it off my chest.

I'm sick and tired of hearing about how hard the senior citizens

have it. I work in a restaurant and 75 percent of the customers are senior citizens eating out several times a week. Most of them are too cheap to leave more than a quarter tip. Do you know who the decent tippers are? They are families with several kids who can only afford to eat out once every month or two. And who gets the free cheese and butter? What a joke.
DISGUSTED

DEAR DIGUSTED:
I'm glad you don't want an answer to that because I don't really have an answer for you. However, if you feel better now that your gripe is off your chest, then I guess it was worth writing.



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90 years old

Gertrude Bugham was overwhelmed with a cake, flowers and all kinds of goodies as she celebrated her 90th birthday on Wednesday. Gertrude, a resident of the Flagstone Guest Home at Harveys Lake, was treated to a birthday party by members of the Flagstone staff and was honored by other residents of the guest home.

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