

## Community Calendar





Do you ever have to take care of vourself after school or while your parents are running an errand? Do you have to watch a brother or sister too? You know your parents and I, McGruff, The Crime Dog, want you to be safe. Taking care of yourself is a big responsibility, but you can handle it if you follow these

- Make sure you know how to reach your parents where they work and what to do in case of a fire or other emergencies. Learn all the local emergency phone numbers fire, police, hot-lines, poison control center - and make sure they're posted near all the phones in your

- Be sure you know how to use the telephone correctly-both push-button and dial-and how to make local, long distance and emergency calls, and how to get the operator.

Check in with your mom or dad or a trusted neighbor as soon as you get home. Make sure you know how to work the door and window locks

and lock the door after you come in. - When you're home alone, never open the door for anyone you don't know well or are unsure of. Check the identity of service people by calling their office before letting them in. And don't let unfamiliar callers know that you're alone.

 If you feel you're being followed on your way home from school, don't go home — go to a store, or back to school, or to the nearest "Safe House."

- With your mom and dad, select a place to keep a key or keys and money for lunch or emergency phone calls.

 Never go anywhere with another adult, even one who says he or she has been sent by your parents. You and your parents might want to adopt a secret "code word" as a signal if another adult has to

 If anything happens to you while you're alone that makes you feel uncomfortable, tell an adult you trust. Always. Every time.

### **Theater**

KING'S COLLEGE'S FOURTH ANNUAL SUMMER THEATRE FESTIVAL will draw to a close with the production of the John Pielmier drama "Agnes of God" at 8 p.m. July 26 and 27 and August 1, 2 and 3 in the college's Auditorium, located in the Administration Building, North River Street

Tickets for the play, the third of the Summer Theatre Festival, are 15 for adults and \$2.50 for children and senior citizens. Reservations can be made by calling the King's College Box Office at 826-5825 Mondays to Fridays from noon to 8 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays from noon to 5 p.m.

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SHARON DOUGHERTY

## Dougherty receives scholarship

Sharon Dougherty, daughter of Harry and Elaine Dougherty, Dallas, has been awarded the 1985 Jaycee Scholarship Award for aca-

She is a 1985 graduate of Dallas Senior High and has been notified that her biography will appear in the Who's Who Among American High School Students for the second consecutive year.

Sharon was a member of the National Honor Society and acting Secretary in her senior year, a representative of the Student Council and was selected to represent her school in her sophomore year at the Hugh O'Brien Seminar in Lan-

caster as a recognized leader. She was involved in various sports including Cheerleading for 5 years and was Captain of the squad in her senior year. She played volleyball

and was statistician for baseball. She received the Presidential Academic Fitness Award for 3 consecutive years. She also maintained a 90 plus average for 12 years and grad-

uated in the top fifth of her class. Sharon will attend Penn State University, State College Campus in the fall of 1985 as a business major.

### PUC acts on proposals

The Public Utility Commission (PUC) recently acted on a number of proposals intended to assist customers having difficulty making payments on utility bills.

As a byproduct, the PUC's actions were meant to improve the way electric and natural gas companies handle consumers facing payment

The PUC voted on nearly 20 proposals submitted to it by its Bureau of Consumer Services after receiving comments during informal hearings held throughout the state. The proposals consisted of options applicable to the larger electric and gas companies that are designed to alleviate financial distress, prevent unnecessary terminations, and open up new approaches for dealing with payment troubled customers.

The most significant recommendations approved by the PUC opened the door to reforms which would help curtail high energy consumption. The PUC voted to develop guidelines, for example, which, if eventually adopted, would require utilities to offer low interest loans and weatherization programs targeted to high usage, low income consumers in the utilities' territory.

The PUC also voted to encourage utilities to develop "Cares" programs, in which an employee of the utility works to help customers cut energy use and obtain financial aid.

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## Local girl to perform in Illinois Showcase

Dance Showcase at the Krannert reographers since all of the cho-Center for the Performing Arts on reographers are serving on the the campus of the University of faculty for the summer dance pro-Illinois on July 26 and 27, 1985. The gram. Several of the ballets were dance showcase features the students attending the National Academy of Arts Summer Dance '85 program.

includes works choreographed by Petrus Bosman, Robert Dicello, Douglas Nielsen, Nat Orr, Mark

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\(\tilde{\pi}\) August 30 to September 1 — Colonial Williamsburg. Includes 2 night accommodations at the Ramada Inn West, 2 breakfast, 1 dinner at the hotel and 1 dinner at The Cascades, admission into Colonial Williamsburg Restored Area, and admission into The Governor's Palace and also Busch Gardens.

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Natalie A. Ziolokowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ziolkowski The students have had the opprotunity to work directly with the chogram for junior high and senior high school students. The National Academy of Arts also provides numerous training opportunities in dance and music for students in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, area.

> Natalie is 14 and will be a 9th grade student at the Dallas Jr. High

> She will be returning to the Wilkes Barre Ballet Theatre this Fall as part of their company.

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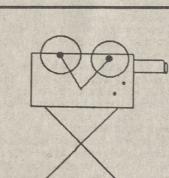
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