

# **Community Calendar**

### Theater

**EDDIE HUGHES**, experienced 14year-old performer from Lawrenceville, N.J. has won the coveted lead in the musical hit, "Oliver", appearing at Pocono Playhouse in Mountainhome from July 30 through August 4. The show is based on Charles Dickens' classic story, "Oliver Twist", about an appealing orphan boy's adventures in London's underworld.

All tickets at Pocono Playhouse range from just \$10 to \$14. There are 9 performances per wek. tues-day, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:30 p.m. Saturday at 5 and 9 p.m. Sunday at 6 p.m. Matinees Wednesday and Thursday at 2 o'clock. Call the box-office in Mountainhome, PA. for further information and convenient ticket reservations (717) 595-7456.

# **Seminars**

WILKES-BARRE GENERAL HOSPITAL'S VOLUNTEER SERV-ICES Department will hold a babysitting seminar for girls ages 11 to 18 on Wednesday, August 7 from noon to 4 p.m. at the hospital. The seminar is free-of-charge.

Agenda includes first-aid for emergencies, basic care of small children, fire safety and personal safety. The course is taught by registered nurses form General's Education Department and by officers from the Safety and Security Department. Participants receive a certificate upon completion of the course

Registration is limited to 25 participants and pre-registration is advised. Tor egister, contact Wilkes-Barre General Hospital's Volunteer Services Department at 829-8111, extension 3029. Pictured above are participants from the last sseminar. From left: Jean Oleniak (Wilkes-Barre); Kasia McDonough (Wilkes-Barre); B. Gail Marshall, R.N., instructor, Edication Department (W. Wyoming); Lori Hewitt (Wilkes-Barre); Heidi Stepanski (Wilkes-Barre).

# Trips

ENORMOUS INTEREST IN RAILROAD HISTORY has been created by the Steamtown, USA excursions over former Delaware, Lackawanna and Western trackage, Scranton to Moscow, Penna.

The popularity of this mode of travel by tourists has inspired a special 10 hour excursion to Norwich, New York, sponsored by the Lackawanna & Wyoming Valley Historical Society, Saturday, September 7

The train will leave Taylor Yard at 8:30 a.m., travel via Binghamton on the D&H then the Delaware

gram coordinator and Associate Professor of World Affairs at LCCC, representatives of federal and state governments, business and labor, humanitarian and service organizations, and academia will serve as program participants. These expert panelists will devote substantial time to addressing the questions and concerns of the members of the audience. In response to one growing local

concern, the initial conference of the 1985-86 academic year series will examine the impact of foreign imposts through its international, national, and regional context. The conference will be hald in late September at the community college's Educational Conference Center on the main campus in Nanticoke.

The earlier conferences, coordinated by Walters, paved the way for the creation of the new National Issues Conference series. For further information on the upcoming conference program at Lauzerne County Community College contact Fred Walters, 829-7415.

# **Events**

A WIDE VARIETY of special activities for children, including special concerts, crafts, juggling, storytelling, puppets, and more are planned for the 1985 Philadelphia Folk Festival.

The 24th annual three-day event will take place August 23to 25 at the Old Poole Farm in Schwenksville, Pa. The schedule of events includes afternoon and evening concerts, special showcase concerts, workshops, crafts, camping and dancing.

Children under 12 are admitted free to the Festival, and there is plenty of free parking. Plenty of different types of nourishing foods and drink are available on the grounds or families can bring a picnic lunch.

Tickets and information are available from the Philadelphia Folk Festival at 7113 Emlen St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19119; or by calling 215-242-0150. Outside Philadelphia call 800-422-FOLK; outside Pennsylvnia call 800-556-FOLK.

The Philadelphia Folk Festival is sponsored by the Philadelphia Folksong Society, a non-profit, educational corporation.

A "FUN FAIR" for all ages will be held at the Shavertown United Methodist Church in the Edward Hall Parking Lot and Social Room on Saturday, Aug. 3, from 3 to 7 p.m

Games and prizes will be included in the afternoon's activities. At 4 p.m. "Uncle Ted's Magic Show" will be featured. At 5 p.m. Clowns will arrive on the scene with balloons for the children. At 6 p.m. the Webspinners Sq7are Dance Group will be the featured attraction. Movies and popcorn will be offered for the young (and young of heart) in the Social Room. A Petting Zoo, oony rides, new and used books and refreshments will be offered. Sharon Atherholt has accepted the chairmanship of the "Fun Fair" event for the Council on Ministries of the Shavertown UM Church. She is assisted by Jan Anderson, Jennifer Davenport, Bonnie Kauffman, Chick and Marion Kozak, Mary Lou Swingle, Marla Karalunas, and Olwen Overman.

Wyoming will look at Indian life. The walks are free and open to the public.

At 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 3 and Sunday, Aug. 4, "Tales of the Wood-lands: American Indian Life" a free guided walk along the Frances Slocum Trail, will discover a Delaware Indian rock shelter, share Indian stories, and learn which plants and animals were useful to American Indians of this area.

Comfortable walking shoes, not sandals are recommended for the walks. Call the park at 696-3525 for more information.

JONATHAN R. DAVIS VOLUN-TEER FIRE COMPANY, Idetown will hold its 20th Annual Horse Show on Saturday, Aug. 10, starting at 8 a.m. and Sunday, Aug. 11, starting at 9 a.m. The show will be held at the Lehman show grounds, 4 miles west of Dallas.

Come and enjoy a fun day with plenty of good food, plenty of free parking and children under 12 years of age will be admitted free. There will be classes for all ages

to enjoy. Some of which will be English, Western, pony, pleasure, jumpers, hunters, pee wee and timed events.

THE JACKSON UNITED METH-ODIST CHURCH will be having their annual church and Sunday School picnic on the church grounds on Sunday, Aug. 4, at 3 p.m.

A brief worship service will be conducted by Rev. Michael Shambora. A supper will be held and some games will follow

A CHICKEN BARBECUE AND AUCTION will be held on Friday, August 9, and Saturday, August 10, at the Centermoreland Methodist Church Grounds.

Dinner will be served from 4 to 7 p.m. with the auction to follow. A concert by the Jacobs Brothers will be conducted on Friday at 6:30 p.m.

THE LUZERNE COUNTY 4-H HORSE AND PONY ROUND-UP will be held at the Lehman Horse Show Grounds in Lehman, on Saturday, Aug. 3 starting at 8:30 a.m. and continuing throughout the day. The show allows members to compare their riding skills with that of other horse club members in the county.

Classes tobe included in the show are Equitation, Grooming and Showmanship, Pleasure, Working Trail, Working Hunter, Pole Bending, Barrel Racing, Pony Driving and many more.

To see local youth participate in these classes and to help encourage them with their 4-H projects, plan to attend the 4-H Horse Show. Admission is free and refreshments are available.

For more information on the 4-H horse project contact Donna Skog, Courthouse Annex, 5 Water Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711 or phone 825-1704 or 459-0736, ext. 704. 4-H is administered through the Pennsylvania State University Cooperative Extension Service which offers educational programs and materials without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, handicap, or age as provided by law.

the main fair office and at the fair MERCE'S next Small Business box office during box office hours. Reserved seating tickets for the evening shows are available only at the fair box office and Ticketron outlets.

Mail orders are accepted with a \$2-per-ticket handling charge which provides admission to the grounds. For tickets or more information write, The allentown Fair, 17th & Chew Sts., Allentown, PA 18104.

#### Meetings

Awareness Breakfast will be on Wednesday, July 31, at the Sheraton Crossgates. The session will begin promptly at 7:57 a.m. and will end by 9:30 a.m. A country-style breakfast will be served followed by the program.

The guest speaker will be Leonard DAvis, President of All Business Opportunity Services, Inc., a fulltime business brokerage office. His topic is: "How to Buy and Sell a Small Business."

Mr. Davis is the exclusive agent for the franchise brokers network THE GREATER WILKES- which represents more than 70 fran-BARRE CHAMBER OF COM- chisers of products and services. It

is the largest network of its kind in the country.

For reservations, please call Tilly Kalish at the Chamber office, 823-2101. The cost is \$6.00 members and \$8.00 non-members. Please make checks payable to the Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce.

THE IDETOWN UNITED METH-ODIST CHURCH COUPLE'S CLUB will meet on Saturday, Aug. 3, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Klienfelder at Harveys Lake.

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## SHAVERTOWN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO. ANNUAL **AUCTION & BAZAAR** AUGUST 1, 2, 3 00000000000 **OPENS** 6 P.M. NIGHTLY **PARADE: SATURDAY** LIVE MUSIC SATURDAY NIGHT FOOD, GAMES & FUN **Sponsored By The Following Businesses: BACK MOUNTAIN** ENCON **RADIATOR SHOP Lower Demunds Road Complete Radiator Service** Dallas R. 195 N. Main St., Shavertown 675-5266 675-1608 **NATIVE TEXTILES** DALLAS EXXON Main Highway SERVICE CENTER Dallas Memorial Highway, Dallas 675-2123 675-3336

**JACK A. PRITCHARD** 

Otsego System to Norwich.

Upon reaching Tunkhannock Creek Viaduct at Nicholson the train will allow patrons to detrain and make a "runpast" for them to view and photograph the area.

Two more runpasts will occur in New York State. Equipment will consist of modern air conditioned coaches, some with glass domed roofs, powered by two diesel locomotives.

Details are available from Mike Kelly, who will provide two coaches for the trip, at 824-0635, or trip chairman neil Weinberg, Locust Lane, Box 369, RD 3, Waverly, Pa. 18414, at 563-2491.

# Programs

A SERIES OF CONFERENCES designed to explore some of the most significant and pressing issues facing the United States wil be presented by Luzerne County Community College during the 1985-86 academic year.

The program, "National Issues Conferences," will be open to the public free of charge and willexamine major national and international topics through in-depth analysis and discussion. Participants will be from local, state and federal levels. According to Fred Walters, pro-

The public is invited for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Adequate parking will be available and Jim Aikens will assist in traffic safety

The Reverend James A. Wert is pastor of the Shavertown United Methodist Church. Associate Pastor is The Reverend Harriet L. Santos. THIS WEEKEND'S NATURE **PROGRAM** at Frances Slocum State Park, Mount Olivet Road,

PICK YOUR OWN!

333-4944

Starting at 8:00 a.m.

Call:

BISHOP O'REILLY HIGH SCHOOL will distribute school uniforms from the Flynn & O'Hara Uniform Company at the school on Wednesday, Aug. 14, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE for the traditional smash 'em, crash 'em action at the Allentown Fair.

The National Championship Demolition Derby returns at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 31. General admission for the no holds barred contest on the track is \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12.

General admission tickets for the derby and for all the evening grandstand shows plus half-priced grounds admission passes are available every weekday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in

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From Dallas From Pittston **Daily Except Sundays** JONATHAN R. DAVIS FIRE CO. 20th ANNUAL HORSE SHOW **LEHMAN HORSE SHOW GROUNDS** 4 Miles North Of Dallas, Pa. SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1985 8 A.M. **SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 1985** 9:00 A.M.

