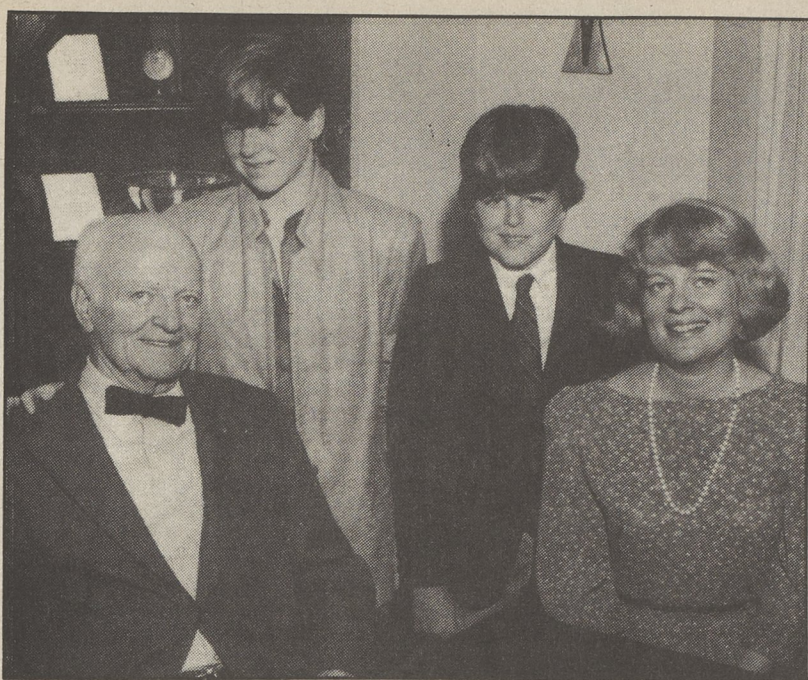




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Room dedicated

The College Misericordia Alumni Association dedicated a conference room in McLaughlin Library in memory of the late Hilda Staub Garey, Lehman. Mrs. Garey, a College Misericordia graduate, had served as alumni director of the campus for 12 years. In 1981, she was awarded the Catherine McAuley medal by the college for her outstanding service. The college Alumni Association further recognized her contributions to the alumni by establishing an award in her name. Attending the ceremony in her behalf are, William Garey, husband; Erin Brady, granddaughter; Sean Brady, grandson; and Mary Beth Garey Brady, daughter.

LCCC to resume telecourse offerings

As part of a nationwide Public Broadcasting Service Adult Learning Program, Luzerne County Community College will resume its regular schedule of telecourse offerings for the Fall semester.

The community college will offer five telecourses on WVIA-TV, Channel 44, and seven independent study telecourses which are available for viewing by appointment at the student's convenience at the LCCC Library on the main campus in Nanticoke.

Among the telecourses to be offered on WVIA-TV are Introduction to Data Processing, an up-to-date survey of electronic data processing, computer hardware and software systems, and developments that will provide the basis for further advancements in information processing. This telecourse will air on Sundays, from 7 to 8 a.m., beginning September 8 through December 1.

The forces which have shaped our earth will be examined in the Introduction to Physical Geology telecourse which will be shown on Wednesday mornings, from 7 to 7:30, beginning September 11 through December 11. The course will include a review of fossils, volcanoes, water, geothermal energy, glaciers, deserts, reefs, rocks and minerals. Principles of Sociology will offer clues to understanding the myriad of sociological events of our time through interviews with renowned social scientists and examinations of portions of society experiencing change. This telecourse will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 7 to 7:30 a.m., beginning September 10 through December 19. Contemporary marketing environment, identification of consumer

needs, production strategy and distribution strategy are some of the topics to be discussed in the Principles of Marketing I telecourse to be offered on Saturdays, from 7 to 8 a.m., beginning September 14 through December 7. Also to be reviewed are promotional strategy, pricing strategy and international marketing.

American Government will be offered on Mondays and Fridays, from 7 to 7:30 a.m., beginning September 9 through December 16, with the last program airing on Wednesday, December 18, at 7 a.m. This telecourse will discuss the theories and principles of constitutional government and will feature up-to-date information on government policies, current political issues and the 1985 presidential campaign.

The independent study telecourses to be offered include the Brain: Mind and Behavior, English Composition I, Introduction to Business, Vietnam, World War II: Part I, World War II: Part II, and The Constitution.

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By registering for one or more telecourses, students can learn at home, without the necessity of regular classroom attendance. The courses combine television lessons, reading assignments, one or more on-campus sessions for discussion, review for exams, or alternate assignments. The instructor will be available by telephone at convenient hours each week for assistance at times to be announced to registrants.

For further information, or to register for a telecourse, contact Eleanor Miller at Luzerne County Community College, 829-7423.

Enrollment records will be broken at LCCC soon

All types of records will be broken this Fall when the doors open for classes at Luzerne County Community College where an anticipated 1,600 newly enrolled freshmen will begin their studies for either one-year certificate or two-year degree programs.

At the same time college president Thomas J. Moran announced that there would be no tuition increase for the fourth consecutive year. Students are able to complete a one-year certificate program for approximately \$1,000, and a two-year degree program for a total academic cost of \$2,000.

Thomas P. Leary, associate dean of admissions and student services at the community college, noted, "We are anticipating this record enrollment due to the increase of applications at this time compared

to last year, and that applications are still being accepted and will continue to be accepted from interested students."

College officials will welcome the new freshman class at the annual orientation program to be held on Monday, August 26, at the college gymnasium on the main campus in Nanticoke, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

With the increased enrollment figures, the college staff is readying itself for the registration period scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 27 and 28, from 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.; and Thursday, Aug. 29, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., on the main campus.

Evening classes will also be offered on the main campus and at six off-campus locations including Dallas, Hazleton, Pittston, Berwick, Kingston and Wilkes-Barre.

Directors attend workshop

Three school board members and administrators of the Lake-Lehman School District recently returned from a three-day education workshop held at Bucknell University, Lewisburg.

Local attendees included Martin F. Noon, 2nd Vice President; Raymond C. Bowersox, Board Secretary-Business Manager; and DR. M. David Preston, Superintendent of Schools.

Five state school management organizations sponsored the annual workshop which offered comprehensive training sessions for superintendents, principals, school board secretaries, school business officials and school board members. Sponsors of the event were the Pennsylvania Association of School Administrators, the Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials, the Pennsylvania Association of Secondary Principals, the Pennsylvania Association of Elementary School Principals and the Pennsylvania School Boards Association.

Special training was provided on the opening day for new administrators and assistants (or new to their positions) by the Pennsylvania Department of Education Executive Academy.

Seven broad topics consisting of three components each comprised the Friday workshop offerings. Topics discussed were boardmanship, school finance, personnel relations, community involvement, management, instruction, and students.

Saturday's highlights featured eight miniclinics on the following topics: vocational education, small and rural districts, remediation, rumor control, school insurance, board policy, controlling conflict, and legislative update.

Speakers included Dr. Thomas L. McGreal, University of Illinois, and Dr. Gary Sojka, Bucknell University president.

McGreal delivered the keynote address on how the management team can help teachers keep sharp instructional tools. He specializes in the supervision and evaluation of educational personnel.

Sojka, who assumed the presidency of Bucknell in August 1984, addressed the participants at the closing luncheon. He provided some thoughts about the challenges facing public schools and the professionals who will lead the educational enterprise in the decades ahead.

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James E. Brewer, associate professor of ornamental horticulture, points out that new and existing vines need periodic management to remain attractive and effective. These management tips are given in a correspondence course on Vines, Ground Covers, and Esapliers offered by The Pennsylvania State University.

The lessons explain the hardness, foliage color, fruiting habits, planting, general maintenance, and spray schedules for over 110 vines and ground covers. The last lesson describes the methods and techniques used in training trees and shrubs in a geometrical pattern against a building, wall or fence.

With the help of this course, you may be able to eliminate tedious mowing around trees, close to walls or down a steep slope by planting a ground cover. If the blank side of the garage needs landscaping, consider espaliering a plant or shrub suited to the site and soil. Morning glories or scarlet runner beans may hide the unsightly storage shed. These are just a few of the suggestions given in this course to improve home grounds.

To order, write for VINES, Dept. 5000, University Park, PA. 16802. Make your check for \$4.50, including handling, payable to PENN STATE.



Organization meets

SPECTRUM, an organization formed last year in the Wilkes-Barre area to act as a communications-referral network for professional women, met recently at the Penn State Wilkes-Barre campus in Lehman. A program was presented on "Women and Leadership" by Phyllis Belk, Director of University Relations at the Penn State campus. The group meets every other month to hear speakers, exchange ideas and build a referral system. Among those present at the summer meeting were these pictured, front, left to right, Ann Smith, social worker; Adele Schwarz, account executive; Susan Yelen, financial consultant; Jennie Congleton and Linda Trompeter, owners of Hurjax Photo Inc. Standing, Ms. Belk of Penn State; Hjordis Ohberg, psychologist; Anita Shekletski, attorney; Mary Ann Soniak, attorney; Margaret Bakker, architect; Maria McGrane, M.D. in family practice; John L. Krause, nutrition consultant, and Ruth K. Smith, realtor.

Wilkes gets \$300,000 grant

Wilkes Collee has been awarded a \$300,000 grant from the J.N. Pew Trust of Philadelphia to fund a comprehensive program of professional development for the College's entire faculty, it was announced this week.

The grant will fund the initial three years of a planned five-year program. The Pew Trust is administered by the Glenmede Trust Company.

Describing the project, Wilkes President Christopher N. Breiseth stated, "This important grant from the Pew Trust will enable each member of the faculty to grow professionally by enriching professional capabilities and at the same time improving the quality of Wilkes' overall educational mission."

Faculty development was described by Breiseth as a variety of projects that will encourage faculty to explore new teaching-learning theories designed to improve

and broaden individual knowledge as well as course quality and content. It will also enable them to evaluate and adjust the College's curriculum to respond to the changing needs of today's students.

Through an on-going series of professional seminars both on and off campus, and through the introduction of new team-teaching techniques, the faculty will be given the opportunity to contribute to redesigning a curriculum to reflect the newly defined mission of Wilkes College. Various other methods, such as sabbatical study, scholarly colloquia, and pedagogical research, will also be used in the faculty development program.

According to Breiseth the recent tendency of too many colleges has been to train students in a particular area of specialization, rather than to give students a basis of liberal arts knowledge and skills needed to articulate those fields of

specialization. "We are looking for curriculum reform and faculty development that will work well for that majority of students who may be changing careers four or five times in their professional lives."

The program is also designed to blend science and technology courses with the liberal arts so that students in all disciplines are equipped to follow a wide variety of career choices.

Dr. Gerald E. Hartdagen, Dean of Academic Affairs, said that the faculty at Wilkes is very supportive of the five-year plan. "We are confident that this will lead to an institution which pursues professional development as an integral part of its mission while assuring that each graduate has a strong basic core of liberal learning. Wilkes will soon become a college of even greater value to its students and the communities it serves."

Phonathon conducted by alumni

The Executive Committee of the Wilkes College Wyoming Valley Chapter Alumni Association has volunteered to lead the 1985 Alumni Phonathon, scheduled to begin September 3. The Phonathon will be conducted every Monday through Thursday evening, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., until September 26, at the Conyngham Student Center, according to

Ann Thompson, Director of Annual Giving.

The 15 member Executive Committee will act as co-chairmen and will recruit volunteers. Thompson said 350 volunteers are needed in order to operate 20 phones per night for the duration of the Phonathon. The target audience is approximately 10,000 alumni nationwide.

Both alumni and students will be sought as volunteers, according to Thompson.

The goal for alumni support in 1985 is \$150,000 and the total Annual Giving goal is \$400,000.

Volunteers may contact Anthony Shipula, Director of Alumni Relations, 624-4651, ext. 325.

Misericordia has non-credit courses

College Misericordia is sponsoring four adult non-credit programs during August.

"Study Skill for the Returning Adult Student," will be held August 6 and 8, from 6 to 9 p.m. Instructor Barb Killian will address the needs of the adult student returning to the college environment. The primary focus will be on developing basic academic and management skills.

A jewelry making workshop is scheduled under the direction of Sister Regina Kiel, RSM, on August 13 and 14, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Participants will create a silver ring using the lost wax casting method.

"Soccer Rules for Parents" will be held on August 14 and 21, from 7 to 9 p.m. Co-sponsored by the Back Mountain Youth Soccer Association, it is designed by instructor Ray Dennis to help parents understand the fundamentals of soccer.

Depression is the subject that will be discussed on August 19, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Instructors Madeline Branas and Candice Mamary, are

employed at the Luzerne-Wyoming Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center I. They will provide knowledge about various aspects of depression and explore coping techniques.

For registration information and a free brochure detailing non-credit summer courses for adults and children, contact the College Misericordia Office of Special Programs at 675-2181, ext. 331.

PSU has course available

Bees would produce little honey without the highly organized, close-knit society in the beehive.

More structured than human society, bees have a queen mother, a few loitering drones, and hundred or workers. Drones who successfully mate die. Other drones fly about humming and taking food from the mouths of nursing workers and comb from cells. So, it is not surprising that before winter arrives, the workers throw the "gentlemen" out to die in the cold

rather than feed them. The queen, mother to all the bees in the hive, has no authority to rule. Her family feeds and cares for her while the older workers nurse the babies and make family decisions, according to a correspondence course available from Penn State.

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