



School



Misericordia has classes for kids, too

College Misericordia is offering a variety of courses for children during the fall semester.

"Puppets and Masks," for children ages 5 to 8, will be held on Saturdays,

Sept. 21-Oct. 12, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Students will make puppets and participate in a class puppet show. Instructor Lynnette Moore holds a bachelor of science degree in art education. Cost is \$18.

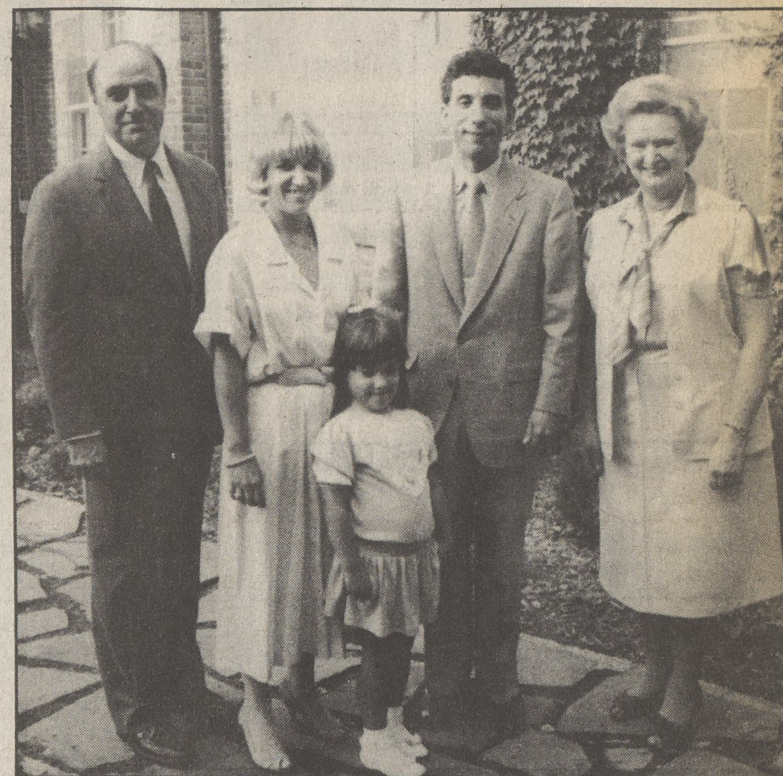
On Saturdays, Oct. 26-Nov. 16, from 10 a.m. to noon, Moore will instruct children, ages 8 to 12, in "Painting." Students will use various types of paints including watercolors and acrylics. Subject matters will include still lifes, landscapes, and portraits. Cost is \$18.

Children grades 3 to 6, can get hands-on experience in "Computer Programming for Kids," scheduled Saturdays, Sept. 28-Oct. 26, from 9 a.m. to noon. Students will acquire or further develop BASIC programming skills and learn to generate graphs and charts. The IBM PC will be emphasized. Instructor Jim Heffers is a Pennsylvania certified computer specialist and teaches computer science at the Middle School in Pittston. Cost is \$50.

Students, grades 4 to 6, can join in a fantastic journey to an unseen world in "An Adventure in Biology," to be held Saturdays, Nov. 9-23, from 10 a.m. to noon. Through a microscope, the young adventurer will probe the realms of pond water and other areas unseen by the naked eye. The cost is \$15, plus \$5 for materials. Al Craft, associate professor in the Division of Natural Sciences, Mathematics and Computers, will instruct.

"Parlez Vous Francais" will be offered to children, grades 3 to 6, on Saturdays, Nov. 2-23, from 10 a.m. to noon. The cost is \$20. Instructor Diane Polachek will introduce participants to the French language, which will include greetings, telling time, French songs and games. Polachek holds a master's degree in both French and education. She teaches French at the Wyoming Seminary Lower School.

Children, grades 4-8, will learn to the logistics of newsletter and newspaper writing in "Your Own Byline: A Newsletter Workshop for Kids," on Saturday, Nov. 2 and 9, from 9 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$15. Students will have the opportunity to write, edit and design a newsletter. Basic writing skills will be taught. Instructor Jim Schilling holds a bachelor's degree in journalism.



Welcome all

Eighth grade students at Wyoming Seminary Lower School, Forty Fort, hosted a Kindergarten Open House for students and parents. Among those attending were, from the left, Carmen Marnell, Dean of the Lower School, Mrs. Joann Katuna, Cara Katuna, Elliot Katuna, Shavertown; and Mrs. Mary Catherine Shedlawski, kindergarten teacher.

Classes to prepare students for SATs

Dallas Senior High School will offer a coaching course this fall to provide college-bound students the opportunity to brush-up on their verbal and math skills in readiness for the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT).

The coaching course will begin the week of Sept. 16.

There will be two coaching sessions a week in English, Monday evenings from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and Thursday evenings from 3 to 5 p.m. The math coaching sessions will also be held two evenings a week, Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Each student should select and attend one verbal and one math session per week that best suits his time schedule. Coaching sessions will run for seven weeks and be free of charge to any Dallas High School senior. Late registrations will be accepted for the sessions if space is available.

College-bound students who plan to take the SAT's on Nov. 2 should register in the guidance office for the coaching sessions. Anyone desiring information about the course should contact Mrs. Russin at 675-5201 ext. 215.

For business leaders

LCCC lists classes in problem solving

The Office of Continuing Education at Luzerne County Community College is offering a breakfast series for leaders and aspiring leaders in local commerce and industry entitled, "Creative Problem Solving - Innovative Methods for Business and Industry."

The series, which will help business leaders to acquire fresh approaches to dealing with issues and problems in their professions, will be offered on Friday mornings, from 7:30 to 9:30, Sept. 20 through Oct. 11, at the college's Educational Conference Center.

Breakfast will be served at 7:30 a.m. prior to the start of the session at 8 a.m. "The Components of Innovation" will be offered on Sept. 20

and will focus on the innovative product, the innovative individual, the innovative environment and the innovative process.

"Ideation - The Key to Innovation" will be offered on Sept. 27 and will feature brainstorming as a technique to generate innovative ideas. "Thinking Laterally" will be offered on Oct. 4 and will discuss the basic characteristics of this type of reasoning.

The final session, which will be held on Oct. 11, is entitled "Evaluating Innovative Ideas: Strengthening Innovative Ability" which will demonstrate a method that can result in the best possible choice given, based on one's own criteria and business, professional or individual

setting. Facilitator for the breakfast series is Peter J. Yestrumkas, director of administrative services at White Haven Center, who has done extensive studies in innovative methods and problem solving. He has facilitated numerous seminars for business, industry and professional groups in Pennsylvania and New York.

Yestrumkas holds a B.S. degree in business administration from Pennsylvania State University, an M.B.A. degree from the University of Scranton, and an M.G.A. degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

For further information on the breakfast series, or to register to attend, contact the Office of Continuing Education at Luzerne County Community College at 829-7481.

Yearbooks for 1985 here at DSHS

The Dallas Senior High School 1985 Yearbooks have arrived. They may be picked up in the main office from 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. weekdays.

Receipts are helpful, but not necessary. A few additional copies are available for those who did not order earlier.

These extra copies are available on a first come-first-served basis. No books will be reserved.

Lehman PTA kicks off fundraising

The Lehman-Jackson Elementary PTA announces the start of its annual fall fundraising program.

This year students will be taking orders from The Soap Box Collection, an assortment of concentrated soap products, and Whimsies, decorative glass pieces for fun'n'fancy.

Proceeds from this campaign will support PTA activities and projects such as assembly programs, educational presentations, field trips, etc.



Sport fitness

Physical fitness screenings were given recently to all Lake-Lehman athletes by the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital's Back Mountain Medical Center. Jeffrey Pace, left, tests Ted Naugle's shoulder for strength and range of motion.

Dallas cheerleaders win awards at camp

The Dallas High School cheerleaders recently received numerous awards at Cheerleading Camp.

The Junior Varsity squad, along with their ribbons, brought home a trophy for Superior Performance during competition that was held on the final day of camp.

The Senior Varsity squad award ribbons ranged from Outstanding to Superior and they also were awarded a trophy for superior performance on the final day of competition.

One such trophy is awarded each division.

Both squads won Daily Spirit Sticks and were voted "The Most Spirited Squad." The Dallas High School Cheerleaders were presented a plaque by The Universal judges who conducted the camp.

The camp was held at Penn State, University Park. Preparation at this camp readies the Dallas squads for competing at the National Cheerleader Competition to be held in the fall.

37 take Scout leadership training

Penn's Woods Girl Scout Council has a new group of 37 leaders taking Basic Leader Training at the Council Office.

Area leaders attending include: Neighborhood 24: Sandy Cook, Tracy Cook, and Sandy Blaine, Dallas, Troop 658; Debbie Dinger, Dallas, Troop 651; Diane Reid, and L. Chimoek, Trucksville, Troop 696; and Diane Bonham, Sweet Valley, Troop 608.

Neighborhood 25: Shirley Macri, Luzerne, Troop 630; Audrey Wylie, Shavertown, Troop 630; Bernie

White, Trucksville, Troop 929; Jennie Metzgar and Nancy Nelen, Shavertown, Troop 665; and Cindy Fernandez, Shavertown, Troop 657.



Karate Kid

Shawn Phillips, son of Dan and Virginia Phillips, Trucksville, recently earned a fourth place ribbon at the U.S. Capitol Classics, national karate tournament held in Washington, D.C. Shawn, age 10, fought 13 bouts in one day. He participated in a class with 84 other competitors, ranging in age from 10 to 15 years. A white belt, Shawn competed against green and brown belts in one of the biggest karate tournaments in the country. Shawn is a fifth grade student at Dallas Intermediate School. He studies karate at the Costigan Institute of Oriental Combat Arts, Dallas.

Misericordia plans to give PSAT, SAT prep classes

High school students planning to take the preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT) or Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), in October or November, are welcome to participate in College Misericordia's PSAT-SAT test preparation workshop, said Thomas O'Neill, director of special programs at the college.

The workshop is scheduled for Sept. 28 through Oct. 26, from 9 a.m. to noon, each Saturday. Cost is \$50.

For information and pre-registration, call College Misericordia's Office of Special Programs at 675-2181, ext. 331.

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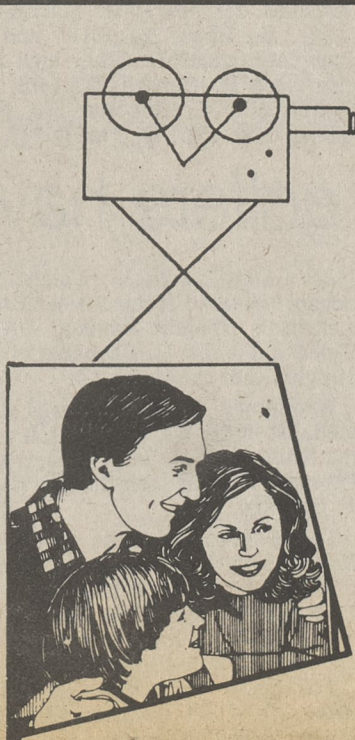
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