

# Community Calendar

Wednesday,  
Nov. 20

**THE SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** will hold a Teacher Training Orientation at 10 a.m.; 6:15 p.m., Prayer Service for the sick and troubled; 7:15 p.m., Bible Study; 7:30 p.m., Work Area on Education.

**THE GREATER WILKES-BARRE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** is holding a Small Business Awareness Breakfast on Wednesday, Nov. 20, 8 a.m., at the Sheraton Crossgates on Public Square.

The topic for the breakfast meeting is "Understanding the Problem of Placing a Business in a New Location."

Participating in the panel discussion are Harry Seargent of H.C. Seargent, Architect; Thomas O'Connor, Esquire, of O'Connor, McCormick & MacDonald, Attorneys; and Jack Varaly, Wilkes-Barre City Planner.

The panel moderator is Gottfried Csala, of Eyerman Csala Hapeman, Architects.

The cost of the breakfast is \$6.00 for members and \$8.00 for non-members. Anyone interested in attending the breakfast can contact the Chamber at 823-2101.

**THE FIFTH AND FINAL LECTURE** in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital's "On the Road to Weight Control" offered this fall will be conducted on Wednesday, Nov. 20 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the classroom, Nesbitt Medical Arts Building, 534 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston.

Instructor Mary Jones, Registered Dietitian and Judy Letukas, R.N., B.S.N., will present an in-depth program on weight control.

The class is conducted free of charge. For further information contact the hospital's Education Department, 288-1411, extension 4035.

Thursday,  
Nov. 21

**VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM WAR**, Post No. 2, will meet Thursday, Nov. 21, at 8 p.m., at the Coral Lounge, 245 Owen St., Swoyersville.

A Directory of the Names on the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C. is available for reference.

The Veterans of the Vietnam War, Inc. is a full service organization open to all veterans.

**A GREATER WILKES-BARRE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** "Business After Hours" Membership Mixer is being held on Thursday, Nov. 21 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The Membership Mixer is being sponsored by Bob Price Greenhouses, Inc. of 695 East Main Street in Nanticoke.

At this mixer, you will have the opportunity to see and walk through one of Northeastern Pennsylvania's largest displays of poinsettias.

To make your reservation for the Membership Mixer, call the Chamber at 823-2101.

**"INNER CONNECTIONS: The Eight-Year Saga of One Man's Research on the American Indians"** is the title Professor Frederick Stefan has chosen for the talk he will give at next Thursday, Nov. 21, at the Penn State Wilkes-Barre Campus.

Dr. Stefan is the final speaker in the fall lecture series of the Scholarly Activities Committee. The public is invited to join the faculty, staff and students to hear him at 4 p.m. in Hayfield House on the campus in Lehman.

A graduate of the University of Scranton, he earned a master of arts degree in history from The Pennsylvania State University in 1972. He was awarded a doctorate in American Educational Policy Studies, a special interdisciplinary major, by Penn State in 1983.

**THE WILKES COLLEGE WIND ENSEMBLE** will open its season with a concert on Thursday, Nov. 21, at 8:15 p.m. in the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts. The performance is open to the public, free of charge.

For the ensemble's season debut, conductor Jerome Campbell has chosen Schoenberg's "Theme and Variations" as the featured work.

"Theme and Variations" was originally composed for college bands, but, due to its demanding nature, it is rarely performed on the college level today. However, it is often played by symphony orchestras and is considered a staple of the professional repertory.

Other pieces on the evening's program include Verdi's Overture to "La Forza del Destino," Mennin's "Canzona," Bernstein's Overture to "Candide," and Ives' "Variation on America."

For further information contact Wilkes College Department of Music at 824-4651, ext. 355.

**ATTORNEY JOSEPH R. REISINGER** will present a seminar to the Northeast Chapter of the Pennsylvania Society of Public Accountants to be held at the Scranton-Treadway on Thursday, Nov. 21, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The topic for discussion will be "Partnership Taxation and Workshop."

The Northeast Chapter of the Pennsylvania Society of Public Accountants conducts accounting and tax seminars in cooperation with the Wilkes College Office of Continuing Education.

Attorney Reisinger was admitted to practice before the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, United States Tax Court, United States Court of Claims and the United States Federal Court. He is also a member of the Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce and of the Wilkes-Barre Law and Library Association.

For further information, you may call Wilkes College Office of Continuing Education at 824-4651, Extension 225.

**THE SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown will hold Bible Study at 10:30 a.m.; Brownie Troop 929 will meet at 4 p.m.; Work Area on Finance at 7:30 p.m., Chancel Choir at 7:30 p.m.

**THE DADDOW-ISAACS AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT 672** will meet at the Post Home on Thursday, Nov. 21, at 8 p.m. Marion Harvey, President, will preside.

**IN OBSERVANCE** of the Great American Smokeout on Thursday, Nov. 21, Wilkes-Barre General Hospital will offer free lung-capacity testing for smokers and non-smokers from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. that day in the hospital lobby.

In addition, the hospital will provide an information display with smoking literature and an "Adopt A Smoker" plan for those wishing to help a friend quit.

Sponsored by the American Cancer Society, the Great American Smokeout is designated to help and encourage smokers to kick the habit for 24 hours.

Saturday,  
Nov. 23

**A SAUERKRAUT AND PORK SUPPER** will be held Saturday, November 23, at Mountain Grange Hall, Carverton.

Serving will begin at 4:30 p.m. and will feature a family style, all-you-can-eat meat with pie for dessert.

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**THE WILKES-BARRE YMCA** will begin a Saturday Fun Program starting on Saturday, Nov. 23. The program will run through January 4. No program will be held on November 30.

This bus-to-the Y program is an opportunity for boys and girls in the Back Mountain area to participate in the Wilkes-Barre Y Youth program from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for 6 weeks with transportation provided. The activities include swim instruction, gym classes and special activities. The registration deadline is November 20.

Various pickup stops will be available for participants. For more information contact the Wilkes-Barre YMCA at 823-2191.

**HARVEYS LAKE FUN FAIR** being held Saturday, Nov. 23 at the Lake-Noxen Elementary School beginning at 11:30 a.m. Donation of \$1.00 which includes refreshments of hot dog, soda and cupcakes.

A one hour magic show by Pat Ward.

Children may dress in any type costume and have their make-up applied by a make-up artist.

A children's Arts & Crafts Seminar, featuring artist Mary Ann Kapral, is planned. She will help the children make Christmas decorations and other creations.

A new educational toy will be demonstrated by the inventor, Francisco Perez.

Balloons, prizes and other surprises for lots of fun for everyone to share.

This event is the first of many sponsored by a Harveys Lake Community organization to create community awareness for the need of recreational facilities for the lake and surrounding communities.

For further information contact chairperson, Rhoda Scofield at 639-5882.

**A REMINDER TO EVERYONE** that there will be a bake sale Saturday, Nov. 23 at K Mart, Haver Mall, starting at 9 a.m. and ending at the end of the day.

The bake sale is being given by the Relief Society of The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Manor Dr., Trucksville. Come and get your holiday desserts.

**DUE TO THE INCLEMENT WEATHER**, The Ruggles United Methodist Women have rescheduled their Nov. 16 rummage sale, flea market table, bake sale and plant sale to Saturday, Nov. 23 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the church dining room.

Sunday,  
Nov. 24

**THE SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown: 9:30 a.m., Church School for all ages; 11 a.m., Worship.

**APOSTOLIC FAITH TABERNACLE**, Village Road, Orange, will hold revival services, beginning Thursday, Nov. 21 to Sunday, Nov. 24 at 7 p.m.

Everyone is welcome to come hear Evangelist Marshal Donovan and family as they minister in song and the word of God. Rev. Donovan

is originally from Maine, but is presently traveling the United States preaching the gospel. His great faith enables God to use him in many ways when ministering. Host pastor is Rev. Frank J. Chorba.

Monday,  
Nov. 25

**THE SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown: 7:30 p.m., Board of Trustees; 7:30 p.m., New Community Singers.

**PROFESSOR THOMAS WINTER**, who teaches physics at Penn State Wilkes-Barre and who heads the amateur astronomy group there, is inviting area residents to join with the group at the campus in Lehman to view Halley's Comet.

He commented that this is a once in a lifetime opportunity to glimpse the famous comet which has aroused awe and terror since before the birth of Christ. It is making its first appearance in our sky in 75 years.

The amateur astronomy group at Penn State Wilkes-Barre meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Science Center, on every clear Monday and Tuesday night throughout the fall and spring semesters. They use an eight inch diameter Celestron telescope to view and photograph the moon, the planets, galaxies, star clusters, and nebulae.

He said that the best view is obtained when the moon is not full or in its first quarter. "It brightens the sky too much and washes out the comet." The professor noted that the fall semester ends on Dec. 13 and the spring semester begins in mid January.

**THE FIRST FALL ASSEMBLY MEETING** of the Wyoming Valley Council of Churches will take place on Monday, Nov. 25 in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 35 S. Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, at 7:30 p.m.

It will be a time for us to look at what does draw us together in a common Christian mission in our Valley. The title of the program will be "Renewing our Vision."

The Rev. Clarence Schaffer, retired Pastor, St. John's Lutheran Church, Wilkes-Barre is President of the Board of Directors and will chair the Business Session.

The Rev. Andrew Pillarella,

pastor, Trinity Presbyterian Church, Dallas, and Chairman of the Evangelism and Ecumenical Relations Committee, will open the meeting with devotions.

The Rev. Anita J. Ambrose, Executive Director, will chair a panel of persons who will present some of the programs of the Wyoming Valley Council of Churches. Following the meeting a time of fellowship will take place served by the Church Women United of Wyoming Valley under the leadership of Mrs. Daniel Walting, President.

Tuesday,  
Nov. 26

**THE SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown, will hold a Lessonary at 2 p.m.; Girl Scout Troop 634 will meet at 6:30 p.m.; Administrative Board, review budget at 6:30 p.m.

**STARTING ON NOVEMBER 26** the Wilkes-Barre YMCA will offer an after school program for children grades 1 through 6. The program will continue for six weeks. The program will consist of a structured Gym & Swim class. Bus transportation will be included in the fee.

Classes will be held on Tuesday for children from Rice Elementary School and Thursday for children from Fairview Elementary. Pickups for the program will be at the schools.

Registrations are now being accepted at the Y and are limited to the first 30 children on each day. For additional information contact the Wilkes-Barre YMCA at 823-2191.

**THE NPW MEDICAL CENTER** Respiratory Support Group will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 26, at 7 p.m. in the NPW Learning Resources Center.

James Yarnal, D.O., Ph.D., an associate in pulmonary medicine with the Geisinger Medical Group Wilkes-Barre and the NPW Medical Center, will discuss "Getting the Most Benefit from Inhaled Medication."

The NPW Respiratory Support Group is designed to help people in surrounding communities who have chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) learn how to improve their breathing and take good care of their lungs. There is no fee or

charge to belong to the group, and family members and friends are invited to attend.

For additional information, please call the NPW Education Department at 826-7624.

Coming events

**"THE JOYS OF CHRISTMAS"** will be the theme of the 10th annual Christmas Tea at the Oldest House, East Main St., Laceyville, Pa. Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 7 and 8. The public is invited to come and see the old home from 1 to 4 p.m. both afternoons. It will be beautifully decorated and fresh trees with homemade ornaments will grace each room.

Collection of bells from local people and a display of Madonnas will be shown throughout the event. An electric train will be running under one of the trees for the kiddies and grown-ups too, to enjoy. Society members will serve holiday punch, homemade cookies and candies.

The Oldest House Christmas Tea has been held regularly since the house was purchased in 1976 and the Laceyville Area Oldest House Historical Society was formed. The event is the organization's greeting to new friends and a "thank you" to those who have supported the preservation of the old landmark over the years.

**THE COMMERCE CLUB** of the Greater Wilkes-Barre Chamber of Commerce will be meeting on Friday, Dec. 6, 12 noon, at Genetti's Best Western Motor Inn.

Scheduled to speak at the luncheon is William Moyer, Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Commonwealth Telephone Enterprises and also President of Commonwealth Telephone Company.

Moyer has been associated with Commonwealth over the last 15 years through his partnership in the law firm of Dechert Price & Rhoads and through his executive positions within the company. Moyer began his career in telephone as a manager with Bell of Pennsylvania from 1960 to 1968. He left Bell of Pennsylvania and joined the law firm of Dechert Price and Rhoads in Philadelphia where he practiced corporate and public utility law. During that period, Mr. Moyer served as

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