

People

With Joan Kingsbury

Around town

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Program held

Members of Girl Scout Troops 640 and 641 recently gathered to participate in a seatbelt safety program. Corporal Pat Higgins of Troop P, Pennsylvania State Police, Wyoming, conducted the program for the Scouts. Shown here, from left, first row, Christine Dinger, Allison Stubb, Melissa Kozlowski, Adrienne Miroshian, Becky Sutton, Kim Gaylord, Kevin Gaylord. Second row, Cpl. Pat Higgins, Jenny Conrad, Diane Alters, Kelly Komsisky, Christy Maskalis, Winter Rusiloski, Jennifer Marchakitus.

Dallas Post/Ed Campbell

WYOMING VALLEY has become an area with great ecumenical spirit during the recent Christmas holidays, members and friends of B'nai B'rith under the spiritual leadership of Rabbi Arnold Shevlin spent Christmas Day working in General Hospital's Hospitality Shop so that regular employees and volunteers could spend the day with their families.

I have also noticed that many area churches have donated funds to St. Vincent De Paul Soup Kitchen. Regardless of denomination, it seems area residents are happy to help each other. After all, isn't that what religion is all about?



KINGSBURY

Attending were Calliope Herman, Katherine Wiener, Toby Grossman, Barbara Sorber, Burton Bane, Kevin Adolfsen, Robert Howell, Jeff Firmstone, John Chapple and Robert Baseski. Michael Elias was instructor.

MY SINCERE BEST WISHES to Christine Melovitz and her fiance Donald Romanowski who have announced a September wedding in St. John's Church, Larksville.

Chris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melovitz, Larksville is a graduate of West Side Vocational-Technical School and Empire Beauty School. She is employed at Carol Eason's beauty shop. (I can speak from experience when I say that she is a great girl to have work on your hair.)

Donald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Romanowski, Exeter Township. A graduate of Wyoming Area High School, he has completed advanced courses at West Side Vocational-Technical School. He is employed by Pride Health Care, Pittston.

BEST WISHES to William D. Michael and Marjorie Dorshefski who were married Dec. 28 in Lehman United Methodist Church. Rev. Michael Shambora performed the ceremony. The couple is residing in Hunlock Creek.

EIGHT SENIOR GIRLS from Bishop O'Reilly High School recently hosted a senior party at Irem Temple Country Club. Back Mountain hostesses included Larisa Bergevin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bergevin, Dallas; who was escorted by Keith Hillard; Michele Capone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Capone, Shavertown, escorted by John Brawley; Micki Bachman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cornell, Lehman, escorted by Sean Dougherty; Joleen Dwojeski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dwojeski, Shavertown, escorted by Pete O'Neil and Liz Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Burke, Dallas, escorted by Mark Mullery.

MR. AND MRS. DALE CAMPBELL, East 42nd St., Dallas, announce the engagement of their daughter Dawn Elaine to George Anthony Blom, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Blom, 42 Reese St., Plainsville.

A graduate of Dallas High School and Lock Haven University, where

she received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Computer Science, Miss Campbell is employed as a programmer-analyst for Campbell Business Machines, Dallas.

Mr. Blom is a graduate of Bishop Hoban High School and is employed by Bakery Delight, Plains.

An august wedding is planned.

OUR SON, BILLY, a kindergarten, is learning how to print. This can be a very tedious process, so whenever the chance arises, for instance when placing milk money in an envelope, I allow him to print what the money is for, thus giving him some practice.

One morning Billy picked up a pen and began to write "Billy Kingsbury, Milk Money, 25c". Everything went fine until he got to the M's. In a frantic voice he called to me, "Oh no! It's turning into a W." I rescued the M, and assured him that this could happen to anyone. Who says a six year old's life is easy.

MR. AND MRS. HENRY YANKOWSKI of Chase Manor, Shavertown, announce the engagement of their daughter June to William Erikson III, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Erikson, Jr., Chadds Ford, Pa.

Miss Yankowski is the granddaughter of Mrs. Alex Kervalavage, Wilkes-Barre.

Miss Yankowski is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and the Pennsylvania University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Industrial Engineering. She is employed with Armstrong World Industries, Lancaster as an industrial engineer.



Fries honored

Miss Kiersten Fries, Dallas, was honored recently for her dedication as drum major for the Dallas High School Band by community member and Dallas supporter Mr. Bill Kubis. Mr. Kubis presented Miss Fries with a photograph and plaque. The photograph is one which Mr. Kubis had taken while he was in attendance at an event where Kiersten and the band performed. The plaque accompanying the photo dedicates the award to her because she exemplifies Mr. Kubis' motto of "confidence with determination." Mr. Kubis made the presentation of the award, which will be on display in the school's trophy case, in the hopes that Kiersten's example and its recognition in this award night inspire future students to value and prize such standards of excellence. Pictured at the awards ceremony, from left, are Dr. Thomas Cypher, District Secondary Principal; Miss Fries, Mr. Kubis, Mr. Gerald Wycallis, Superintendent; Mrs. Grace Reishus, mother of Miss Fries and Mr. Frank Galicki, Assistant Principal, Senior High School.

LAST WEEK our family decided to take in a movie on Sunday afternoon so we went to the mall and enjoyed the who done it Clue. This is really funny, and very mysterious until the last minutes of the movie. Mystery lovers shouldn't miss it.

WELCOME TO THE BACK MOUNTAIN - Dr. Charles Brand and Dr. Richard Coslett, who have opened a Family Dental Care clinic on Memorial Highway in Shavertown. Best of luck!

BISHOP O'REILLY PARENTS are working very hard to raise additional funds for the high school. Last weekend a dance featuring the Poets, a group that performs a rendition of 50's songs, was held at the Knights of Columbus home in Luzerne. The dance was a sellout, since many folks have seen The Poets and their fantastic performance on previous visits to the Valley.

Additional upcoming fund raisers for the school are a Night at the Races on Feb. 1 and the annual Spring Bazaar. Plan to attend, have lots of fun and give Bishop O'Reilly a little financial help.

WITH SO MANY COLLEGES IN OUR LOCALITY, we are able to take advantage of many interesting programs. Recently Penn State Wilkes-Barre Campus, Lehman, offered a micro-computer workshop.

Snowdon to attend seminar

Brent Snowdon, a sophomore at Dallas Senior High School has been selected as the representative to attend the Hugh O'Brien conference on leadership in Lancaster, Pa. Dallas selects a representative each year based on their leadership abilities to attend the conference.

Brent is a 4.0 student, a member of the Gifted Program, and has received NEDT Certificates in 9th and 10th grade. He was involved in the fall school play, and is active in soccer and tennis programs.

Brent is active in fund raising activities outside of the school setting. He has done volunteer work for Muscular Dystrophy and the Cancer Society.

Brent is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snowdon, 18 Skyline Drive, Dallas.



BRENT SNOWDON

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