

# Calendar

## Wednesday, February 17

**THE MAPLE-GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** will host the beginning of this year's Lenten Series on Wednesday, Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Glenn Brown of the Mooretown Assembly of God will be the speaker. Host pastor is Rev. Ted Lorah. Communion will be celebrated. The public is cordially invited to attend. The Hunlock Creek UMC will provide the music.

**THE CARDIAC REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT** of Mercy Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, is currently celebrating "Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Week" February 14-20 following a proclamation recently signed by Governor William Casey acknowledging the talents and efforts of those who devote their skills toward maintaining and promoting proper cardiac care.

Mercy Hospital will celebrate the occasion with a lobby display on Wednesday, Feb. 17 from 10 a.m. - noon. Literature concerning various areas of cardiac care will be distributed. Cardiac Rehabilitation Department personnel will be available to answer inquiries about coronary care.

## Thursday, February 18

**THE KINGSTON TOWNSHIP Recreation Commission** will be sponsoring "Hobby Nights" at the Westmoreland Elementary School in Trucksville, on Thursdays, Feb. 18 and 25, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

The program is open to hobby enthusiasts to display various handcrafts, stamp collections, coin collections, baseball card collections, token collections, model train collections, etc. The program is free to all township residents and there is no admission charge to set-up.

**SUPERINTENDENT JOSEPH RYAN** of the State Correctional Institution at Dallas announced that the contractor will be making tests of the recently constructed siren system on February 16, 17, and 18, 1988.

The sirens are located in Jackson Township, Lehman Township and at the institution. Some of these tests will be audible.

These tests will be followed at a date to be announced by a test which will involve members of the Jackson Township Citizens' Advisory Committee.

**THERE WILL BE** a meeting held for all libraries in Northeastern Pennsylvania on Feb. 18 at 1:30 p.m. at the Economic Development Council of Northeastern Pennsylvania (EDCNP) office. Howard J. Grossman, Executive Director of the Council noted that, "Meetings of this type are designed to keep regional libraries informed of the programs available to EDCNP. We will be convening a meeting each year so that libraries are aware of any new programs that were created or any extensions-changes to existing programs."

Please contact Lynne Breza at the Council office to register for the meeting by calling 717-655-5581.

**VIRA NICHESON KRAUSS**, 87 Charles St., Wilkes-Barre will be honored by her family and friends with an "Open House" to celebrate her 80th birthday. This affair will be held on Thursday, Feb. 18 at First Presbyterian Church, Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, from 1-4 p.m.

Friends are invited to attend this affair, but please no gifts, your presence will be her most cherished gift.

## Friday, February 19

**THE REGULAR PACK MEETING** of the Lehman Cub Scouts Pack 241 will be held at 7:30 p.m., Feb. 19 at the Lehman Jackson Elementary School. All past cubmasters, members and scouts are invited to attend this 32nd reunion pack meeting. Any old photographs or memorabilia from past years for display would be greatly



**TIRED OF TALKING TO FRIENDS ABOUT WHAT YOU HAD FOR SUPPER?** — Penn State Wilkes-Barre's Great Books at Hayfield will feature the works of Joseph Conrad, Edward Albee and William Carlos Williams as its spring schedule of roundtable literary discussions gets underway. The first offering, Joseph Conrad's "Heart of Darkness" will be featured February 22 at 7 p.m. in the Hayfield Community Room of the Penn State Wilkes-Barre campus in Lehman. The public is invited to join Penn State Wilkes-Barre staff, faculty and students in the discussion, or just observe. Admission is free. Call the school for more information.

appreciated.

Cubmaster, Joe Blaine, reminds all scouts of the uniform inspection to be conducted. Members of Den 5 should arrive at 7 p.m. to set up for the meeting. The Webelos will clean up and refreshments will be provided by Den 6 and 7.

## Saturday, February 20

**BACK MT. WIDOWS CLUB** will meet Saturday, Feb. 20 at 12:30 p.m. for lunch at Mark II Family Restaurant, Dallas. All widows are invited.

**THE WYOMING VALLEY Ice Skating Club** will present its 11th annual skating show Winter Wonderland at the Wilkes-Barre Ice-A-Rama. The show will be held Saturday, Feb. 20 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Feb. 21 at 6 p.m.

**THE WYOMING VALLEY CHAPTER** of the American Red Cross, announced "CPR Training for Rescuers," a one-day CPR instructional session for providers of emergency medical and support services. The training will take place on February 20, from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the Luzerne Volunteer Fire Department Banquet Hall, Luzerne. Sign-in will be at 8:30 a.m.

Instruction will be provided by volunteer American Red Cross authorized CPR instructors. Class size is limited and preregistration is necessary. To obtain a registration form, call the Health Services office at the Chapter 823-7161.

**THE FEBRUARY** meeting of the Harveys Lake Protective Association will be held at the Harveys Lake Municipal Authority Building on Saturday, Feb. 20, at 2:30 p.m. Mr. Fred Menke, representing the Pennsylvania Fish Commission, Bureau of Waterways, will be

present to address issued relative to the "Marker Buoy" Program.

It is extremely important that all Harveys Lake residents who currently lease buoys and those who may be interested in securing buoys in the future be present at this meeting.

The monthly business meeting will be held immediately following Mr. Menke's address.

**THE LUZERNE COUNTY Special Olympic Committee** in conjunction with the Deutsch Institute, will conduct a swim clinic on February 20 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at King's College for local Special Olympians. At this clinic, time trials will be held for the Area P swim meet, which will be held March 26, 1988.

Registration and Release forms for the area meet are available at the clinic, local schools and the Deutsch Institute office 320 S. Pennsylvania Avenue, Wilkes-Barre. Athletes are reminded that they must present a completed Parent-Medical Release form at the clinic and the swim meet in order to participate. For more information, contact: The Deutsch Institute 829-6624.

## Monday, February 22

**GREAT BOOKS AT HAYFIELD** literary discussion will be held on Feb. 22 at 7 p.m. Hayfield House, Penn State

## Free trees available

The National Arbor Day Foundation is giving 10 free shade trees to each person who joins the nonprofit Foundation during February, 1988.

A Red Oak, Weeping Willow, Sugar Maple, Green Ash, Thornless Honeylocust, Pin Oak, Sycamore, Tuliptree, European Mountainash, and Red Maple tree will be given as part of the

Wilkes-Barre, community participants, students and faculty of Penn State. The evening's selection: "Heart of Darkness" by Joseph Conrad. Discussion will be led by Irene Thomas. Open to the public free of charge. For more information, contact Penn State Wilkes-Barre at 675-2171.

## Tuesday, February 23

**RIVERSIDE ADULT DAY CARE CENTER**, 220 S. River St., Plains will be offering free Blood Pressure Checks on Tuesday, Feb. 23 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 to 3 p.m. There will also be blood sugar screening on this date for a fee of \$2.00.

**"IDENTIFYING SUPPORT SYSTEMS IN THE COMMUNITY"** will be discussed when Mercy Hospital presents the fourth program in its "I Can Cope" series on Tuesday, Feb. 16 at 7 p.m. at the Cancer Center of Wyoming Valley adjacent to Mercy Hospital, 50 Roosevelt Terrace, Wilkes-Barre.

The public is invited free of charge, to participate in this learning experience or just listen as various areas of the disease cancer will be addressed. Reservations are required. Refreshments will be served. For further information,

call the Cancer Center of Wyoming Valley at 823-7603.

**KUNKLE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN** are sponsoring a Welsh Cookie Sale Tuesday, Feb. 23 and Wednesday, Feb. 24 at the Kunkle Fire Hall.

Orders should be placed in advance by calling 675-1514 by Sunday, Feb. 21. Cost is \$2.00 per dozen.

**LEHMAN UNITED METHODIST WOMEN** will meet in the church on Tuesday, Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. Janet Eddy will preside at the business session.

The Annual Call-to-Prayer and self denial program will be presented by Elda Coolbaugh. This year's program "The older woman; a resource for mission was written by Sara Clardy and will focus on the diversity, experience and wisdom of older persons that make them special resources for the whole church. A special offering will be taken to support projects relating to the theme.

Refreshments will be served by Naomi Nuss, Deborah Shambora, Elda Coolbaugh. Interested women are invited to attend.

## Next week

**THERE WILL BE** a Pancake Supper at the East Dallas United Methodist Church on Feb. 27 with serving starting at 4 p.m. until 7 p.m.

Menu: includes Pancakes, sausage, eggs, pie and coffee. Come and enjoy.

**THE GREATER WILKES-BARRE FAMILY YMCA**, a United Way Agency will offer a spring session of Belly Dancing starting February 25 at 11 a.m. The class will be held six consecutive Thursdays concluding March 31.

For more information, call YMCA at 823-2191.

**THE COMBINED Alzheimer's**

Support Group and the Riverside Care-Givers Support Group will meet on Wed. Feb. 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Riverside Adult Day Care Center, 220 S. River St., Plains. The speaker for the evening will be Ms. Sheryl Delasega from Temple University speaking on "Hints on Coping with the Alzheimer's Victim. This will be a two-part program, with the second half to be given in March. The meeting is free and open to the public.

## Coming events

**WILKES-BARRE GENERAL HOSPITAL'S Obstetrics Department** will offer a two-hour Childbirth Preparation Refresher course on Monday, Feb. 29 beginning at 7 p.m. The one-night class is offered especially for parents-to-be who have one or more children and wish to review the stages of labor and delivery. The Childbirth Refresher course also refreshes parents on the various relaxation and breathing techniques which are helpful during birth.

The Refresher Course will also be held on April 25, June 20, Aug. 15, Oct. 10 and Dec. 5.

For information or to register, contact Wilkes-Barre General Hospital's Nursing Services Department at 829-8111, extension 2205.

**CHAPTER 9 DAV** publicity chairman Mike Danowski announces the monthly meeting of the Chapter will be held March 7 at the Parsons VFW, Scott St., Wilkes-Barre. Commander Paul Skiptunas will preside.

Items on the agenda will include the Commanders appointments for the coming year, hospital reports, etc. Volunteers are needed the first Tuesday of the month to assist Mr. Jim Morio, VAVS Rep, VA Hospital, at the VA Hospital. Reports by Peter Dudish, National Service Officer will be given. Refreshments will be served. All members are urged to attend.

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