

Beware of area road construction this weekend

Motorists traveling this Memorial Holiday weekend should know there will be a few construction projects underway on Northeastern Pennsylvania interstates during the holiday weekend, according to Pennsylvania Department of Transportation Construction Engineer Robert Doble. Doble says motorists should not find it a problem traveling the Interstates, however he has issued a travel alert to those planning to use the Interstate system.

"We want to give motorists construction schedule information to allow them a choice when traveling Northeastern Pennsylvania Interstates," Doble said.

The Interstate areas that will be under construction during the holiday are as follows:

1. Interstate Route 380...Rehabilitation of the Eastbound lanes on Interstate Route 380 between Daleville (Exit 5) and Gouldsboro (Exit 6) in Lackawanna County. The

scope of work includes paving, drainage improvements, and the installation of guide rails. During the construction period, Eastbound traffic will be detoured onto the Westbound lanes and will be separated by a concrete median barrier.

2. Interstate Route 81...Construction underway on seven miles of Interstate 81 between Route 29 (Exit 44) and Route 115 (Exit 47) in Luzerne County. The road resurfacing begins South of Bear Creek and continues to just South of Ashley near Exit 44. Traffic is being shifted to the Southbound lanes while crews reconstruct the Northbound lanes of Interstate 81.

3. Interstate 84...Work is set to resume on May 18, 1988 on joint rehabilitation in the Westbound lane of I-84 (Milford) and Exit 9 (Lords Valley). Traffic restricted to one lane at the worksites during construction, Through traffic will be maintained.

Operation C.A.R.E. in force

The Pennsylvania State Police is joining a nationwide education effort with OPERATION C.A.R.E., Combined Accident Reduction Effort, to call on motorists to "Start a Habit for Life and Buckle Up." May 23-30, 1988 is Buckle Up America Week and Colonel Ronald M. Sharpe, Commissioner, Pennsylvania State Police, is urging the motoring public to renew a spirit of cooperation with law enforcement agencies around the country who have joined together in a national effort to make our highways safer.

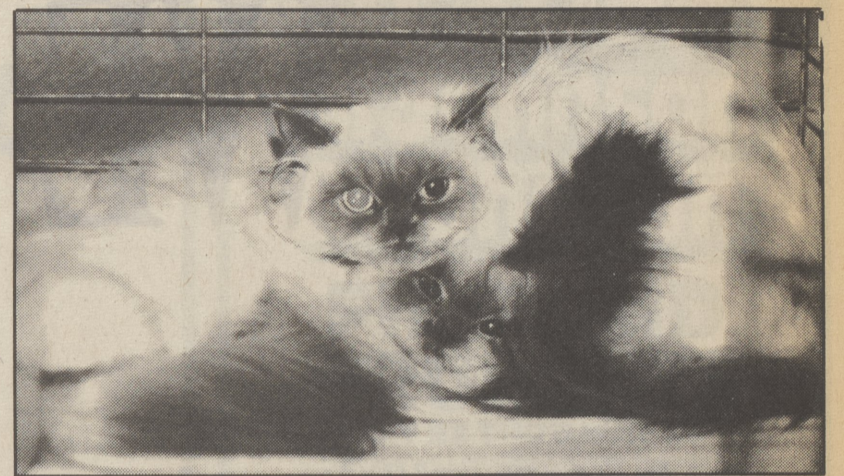
Colonel Sharpe, who was recently elected chairman of Region III, (PA, DE, MD, VA, WV, and D.C.) of C.A.R.E. noted, "Buckle Up America provides an excellent opportunity for motorists to show they CARE about their own safety. Pennsylvania's new seat belt law has been enforced since March 23, 1988. During the first week, Pennsylvania State Police issued 104 citations for violations. Early indications are that some 60 to 65 percent of motorists on Pennsylvania highways are wearing seat belts."

"Your chances of serious injury or death in a motor vehicle crash are greatly reduced if you are wearing your seat belts," said Colonel Sharpe. "Seat belts and child safety seats are also known to be the best defense against the drunk or drugged driver," he added.

Buckle Up America Week is timed to coincide with the upcoming Memorial Day holiday weekend, which, traditionally, marks the beginning of summer vacation travel throughout the United States. State Police and Highway Patrols are gearing up for a coast-to-coast campaign to heighten awareness of the life saving benefits of safety belt use.

Operation C.A.R.E., a selective enforcement effort on the Interstate highway system Nationally will focus attention on the use of safety belts and child safety seats and how they can help reduce the risk of serious injury or death in accidents associated with increased holiday travel.

Local felines win at show



Cats take top honors

In top photo, Holly Zug, with "Mistletoe", left, Dallas and Tatum Moise with "Rochelle", Shavertown, show off their cats at the first annual Cat Colony Cat Show, Saturday. Both cats took honors at the show. (Linda Shurmatitis Photo)

In bottom photo, Tadjhi Zin Mau Mau and Jingles Zim Ling Ling, twin Blue Point Himalayan felines, owned by Shelly Volinsky, Shavertown, placed fourth and fifth in Saturday's show. (Linda Shurmatitis Photo)



Students save cents

Students of Dallas Elementary School spent weeks saving their pennies for the Dallas Kiwanis "Pennies for Back Mountain Baseball Inc." project. Student representatives above, display the pennies accumulated. From left, Jennifer Coolbaugh, Greg Hodne, Kierston White, Jennifer Ayers, Kristyn Race; back row, Mrs. Ruth Tetschner and Kiwanian Joseph Grimes. (C.M. Denmon Photo)

Library Auction dates set

The 1988 Back Mountain Memorial Library Auction is scheduled for Wednesday, July 6 through Sunday, July 10 on the auction grounds behind the library on Huntsville Road in Dallas. This, the 42nd annual auction, will be chaired by Dr. John Shaskas with Dr. Durelle Scott as co-chair. Other committee members include: New Goods, Corinne Pawling; Book Booth, Florence Crump, Priscilla Liput and Ben Matchett; Candy and Baked Goods, Carol Ericson; Odds and Ends, Mary George and Sybil Pelton; Refreshments, Terry and Lee Eckert; Car Raffle, Connie Scott; Children's activities, Kathy Kostrezewski; Finance, George

Maculloch; Antiques, Ernest Ashbridge and Publicity, Nancy Kozemchak.

A special feature of the auction will be the chancing off of a 1988 1/2 Ford Escort 2-door liftback car. The drawing for the car will take place Sunday night, July 10 during the auction. Chances are \$5.00 each and may be purchased at the circulation desk at the library or from staffmembers, board members or auction committee members.

The auction committee members will meet in the reference room at the library on Tuesday evening, May 31 at 7:30. Anyone interested in working on the auction is invited to attend this meeting.

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