

PEOPLE

PTA life member

Lehman-Jackson Elementary PTA recently awarded Debbie Maskalis the Gold Oak Leaf for Honorary Life membership, one of the highest honors given by the Pennsylvania Congress of Parents and Teachers Inc. It is given only to those people who have given unselfishly of their time and talents as an advocate for children. Debbie's name will be added to the State Office Honorary List and special recognition will be given to State Life members during the PTA state convention in October.



Host families sought for this summer

Barbara Kocher and Diane Cohen are looking for families interested in hosting a child between the ages of 11 and 16 from Mexico for eight weeks this summer.

Every child arrives from Mexico with health insurance, and spending money. All that a host family needs to do is share their home, their table, and most of all their love.

The international program, Intercambio Internacional de Estudiantes is based on a 35-year tradition started by Father Placid Reitmeyer. It was originally a small group exchange between the children of his area in Mexico and the families he knew in the United States and Canada.

It has grown into a strong international organization that promotes peace and understanding between North and Central America.

Families interested in hosting a child, may call Barbara Kocher at 477-3591 or Diane Cohen at 287-7607.



PLANNING THE KING'S COLLEGE 1989 CAMPAIGN - from left, are the Rev. Laurence Olszewski, C.S.C., vice president of external affairs at King's; Bogdan, Roderick and Farber.



Adopt-a-pet

I'm a year-old Shepherd mix, tan in color who had to be taken away from my previous owner because of abuse. A female, I love children and am looking for someone who would give me a good home. Children would be a plus. I have my shots including rabies and I'm looking for someone to adopt me and give me a name.

Ostrowski honored by Prudential-Bache

Robert J. Ostrowski, Senior Vice President-Investments, has been elected a member of the 1989 Chairman's Council of Prudential-Bache Securities, it was announced by George L. Ball, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the investment banking and brokerage firm.

The Prudential-Bache Chairman's Council consists of 100 members selected annually from the firm's over 5,500 account executives. Council members are chosen on the basis of their professionalism and consistent high production.

"This distinction that Bob has been awarded exemplifies his continued expert ability to service

his clients in today's complex and rapidly changing financial marketplace. We congratulate him on his achievement," Mr. Ball said.

Prior to joining Prudential-Bache in 1960, Bob served in the U.S. Navy. He graduated from King's College with a BA degree.

Mr. Ostrowski and his wife, Martha, reside in Kingston. They are the parents of three children, Laurie, Washington, D.C., Carol Ann, Dallas, Texas and Susan, an account executive with Prudential-Bache in the Wilkes-Barre Office.

Prudential-Bache Securities is a worldwide investment firm. Headquartered at One Seaport Plaza, New York City, the firm has



Robert J. Ostrowski

over 330 offices in the United States, Canada and overseas. Prudential-Bache Securities is a subsidiary of the Prudential Insurance Company of America.

The Prudential-Bache Securities Wilkes-Barre Office is located at 39 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Back Mountain residents lead King's campaign

Rev. Paul J. Farber, C.S.C., director of the annual fund at King's College, has announced the leadership for the 1989 Campaign for King's, the annual fund drive at the college.

Robert A. Roderick, of Shavertown, has been selected to serve as general chairperson of the 1989

Campaign for King's. Roderick is senior vice president and retail lending administrator for First Eastern Bank, Wilkes-Barre.

First vice chairperson of the campaign is James E. Bogdan, vice president and chief financial officer of C-TEC Corp. Bogdan resides

in Dallas.

The kickoff luncheon for the community phase of the campaign was held Wednesday, Feb. 15. The community phase seeks to raise \$275,000 from area businesses and community friends. The total goal for the 1989 Campaign for King's is \$650,000.

Sally Shea to chair Daffodil Days

Sally Shea was named chairwoman of the Wyoming Valley Unit of the American Cancer Society Daffodil Days in Luzerne County.

A Dallas resident, Mrs. Shea will coordinate the sale and distribution of thousands of freshly cut daffodils shipped to Pennsylvania directly from the states of Washington and Oregon.

This year's Daffodil Days are set for March 13-17. Hospitals, businesses, schools, restaurants,

churches and temples are participating in the event.

Mrs. Shea is the wife of Charles A. Shea III and the mother of Matthew and Molly. A graduate of Wyoming Seminary and Beaver College, she taught school in Somerville, Mass. and Norristown, Pa.

More than 500 volunteers are needed to assist in the project. The daffodils, \$4.00 for a bunch of 10 can be ordered now by calling the A.C.S. at 825-7763.



Sally Shea

Big Daddy "G" bags black bear and coyote

Gerard Harris, Idetown, (53 years old plus), who has been hunting approximately 39 years bagged the second black bear of his career at 1 p.m. on November 21, 1988. The bear was killed in Chatman Township, Clinton County and was estimated by the Pennsylvania Game Commission in Renovo, PA to be (live weight) about 365-370 pounds. Harris was accompanied by Dan Lengyel, from Lake Ariel, PA who was very instrumental in the hunt.

Also in the second week of buck season, Big Daddy "G" was on post and his son, Jim Harris, from the Mechancisburg Area, was making



Gerard Harris and his second bear

a drive when out bolted a coyote and big "G" shot it in mid air at approximately 50 yards. This was the first coyote taken by the Yellow Jacket Camp, Lycoming County, where Harris hunts out of. The

female coyote was estimated to be about 38 lbs. by Cliff Hales, a taxidermist. Hales has claimed that the 38-lb. female coyote is one of the biggest take in that area. The coyote was killed in Potter County.

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