

COMMUNITY



Antique show next week

Prince of Peace Episcopal churchwomen will hold their 37th annual Antique Show and Sale at the parish house, Main Street, Dallas, on Tuesday, May 2, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Wednesday, May 3, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Carol McKeever is chairman and Joan Naylor, co-chairman.

The public is invited and free parking is provided on the church grounds. The door prize will be an antique reproduction child's chair with carving done in China and will be presented by Antiques Etcetera of Dallas.

The show will feature homemade soups, sandwiches and pies both days and a special during the dinner hour on Tuesday, May 2. A flower mart will offer a large variety of house and garden plants and flowering blooms.

Pictured during a recent planning meeting are: seated, Betty Horvath, flowers; Carol McKeever, general chairman; standing, Thelma Ratcliffe, announcements and flea market; Beverly Todd, flea market; and Betty Swanick calling.

Women's clubs join fight against drugs in schools

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Staff Writer

In the fall of 1988, the General Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC), Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs (PFWC) and the Luzerne County Federation of Women's Clubs (LCFWC), decided to take a positive step in the fight against drugs by initiating Project Drug Free School Zone.

The goal of the project is to raise funds necessary to erect Drug Free School Zone signs at all Luzerne County schools. The 18"x24" reflective sign is lettered in black and red and displays a drug free symbol. The sign which is being used throughout Pennsylvania and the project are in conjunction with Act 31, stating that drug offenders arrested within 1,000 feet of prop-

erty on which is located a public, private or parochial school and convicted under this law will receive an additional minimum confinement of at least two years and another additional confinement of one year if the offense involves a minor.

A speakers program has been developed with a 20-minute presentation for use free of charge to any group or organization requesting it. A Watch Group has also been formed to assure application of law. District Atty. Corrales Stevens and his staff have been available whenever needed and have promised a vigorous legal battle against illegal drugs.

Anyone interested in more information about the project may contact the chairman, Mrs. Judi Stankowich at 655-5313.

Mass emergency training exercise planned Saturday

The Back Mountain Ambulance Association, in conjunction with Emergency Medical Services of Northeast Pennsylvania, will conduct a mass Casualty Care Incident on Saturday, April 29, in the Lake Silkworth area.

The exercise is designed to test and sharpen emergency crews' skills in communication, incident command, triage and patient care and transport. Public safety agencies can then be better prepared to deal with significant incidents should they occur in the future.

Participating fire companies and ambulance squads will include: Lehman Township Fire Company; Medic 1, Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston; Sweet Valley Fire & Ambulance, Sweet Valley; Kingston Township Ambulance, Shavertown; Harveys Lake Ambulance, Harveys Lake; Fairmont Township Fire & Amb. Co., Sweet Valley; Jackson Township Volunteer Ambulance Association; and the Noxen Community Ambulance.

A variety of area agencies may be available to support field units when needed, including: the Communications Centers and Emergency Management Agencies of Luzerne, Wyoming and Lackawanna counties; Life Flight from Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, Pa.; the Kingston Police Department; the Back Mountain Communications Center, Dallas; the Pennsylvania State Police and the Lehman Township Police Department; the designated Regional Trauma Center - Community Medical Center, Scranton, and Mercy Hospital, Wilkes-Barre, resource hospital.

Planning for the drill has been a coordinated effort of the regional staff at EMSNP and representatives of the Back Mountain Ambulance Association. The exercise will be observed by a team of trained evaluators and will be reviewed with a formal after-action evaluation session at a later date.

ENCON participates in state program

Representative Scott Dietterick recently toured the manufacturing facility of ENCON, a Back Mountain manufacturer, to see first hand the utilization of a new State program, the Industrial Resource Center program, which is intended to help manufacturers in Pennsylvania become more productive. An initiative of the Casey administration, the program offers assistance through the use of experts in areas such as technology transfer, training, CAD/CAM, quality management production and inventory control and any other area helping manufacturers become more productive. ENCON was one of the first participants in the program. Their project was an order entry and inventory control project. Dietterick stated "The Northeastern Pennsylvania Industrial Resource Center (NEPIRC) offers manufacturers a central point where they can receive assistance in a variety of programs. The NEPIRC is the only organization dedicated exclusively to servicing manufacturers in northeastern Pennsylvania."

Dr. Andrew Shaw, President of the NEPIRC Board of Directors, said, "The program is an excellent program for manufacturers in that it has a quick response time and can deliver a meaningful service. Evidence of the acceptance of the program is indicated by the fact



that the Center is currently working with over 100 manufacturers in northeastern Pennsylvania. Twenty-six contracts totaling over \$1 million of projects have been approved thus far." Shaw urges manufacturers in northeastern Pennsylvania to contact the Center at 654-8966 to seek assistance.




Spaces available for flea market

Vendor spaces are available for the 5th annual "Market on the Pond" to be held on the grounds of the Meadows Nursing Center, 55 W. Center Hill Road, Dallas, on Saturday, June 17, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. This annual fund raiser of the Auxiliary of the Meadows Nursing Center is a flea market which will offer a variety of articles for sale and refreshments. Each space is 8' x 12' and can be reserved for \$10.00. For more information, please call the Volunteer Department at 675-8600, Ext. 118. Market on the Pond committee members, seated from left, are: Bernice Hill, Jewelry Booth; Barbara Barakat and Ollie Daubert, Co-chairmen; Betty Williamson, Food Booth; Irene Transue, Reservations. Standing, Rachel Hale, Publicity; Marge Richards, Food Booth; Agnes Kunkle, Book Booth; Bernice Bauman and Evelyn Dailey, Bargain & Treasure Booth; Louise Montigny, Baked Goods; and Dianne Corby, Reservations.

Huntsville Two Fold Club has 40th anniversary

The Two Fold Club of Huntsville, held their 40th anniversary party recently at the Centre Inn, Sheatown. Following the dinner, Mary Laskowski, entertained the club at her home. Present were Harold and Lois Kittle, John and Hazel Fielding, Louise Lamoreaux, Ruth Johnson, Miriam Rice and Jack Tribler.



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Newcomer's Club to meet Tuesday

The Newcomer's Club of Wyoming Valley will hold their monthly meeting at the Dorrance United Methodist Church on Tuesday, May 2 at 7:45 p.m. The speaker for the evening will be Jay Pope of the Dallas Recreation Board, who will speak on the offerings for children this summer.

Other events include a Night at the Races, at Pocono Downs, the General Member Coffee, and the General Member Luncheon. A Ladies Night out at Chi Chi's is also planned.

Information about the club may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Andrea DeAngelo, 675-3731.

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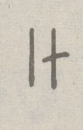
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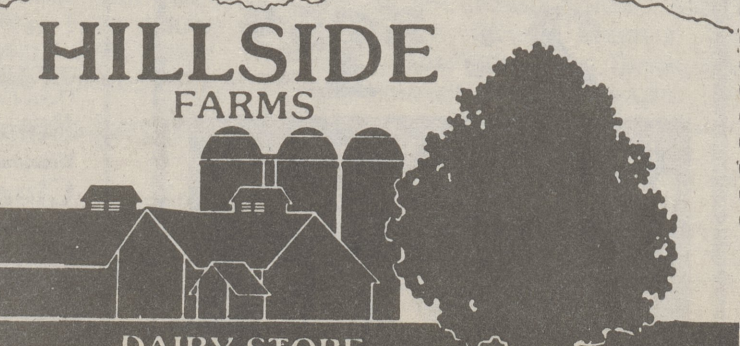


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