

COMMUNITY



Dallas Rotary Club elects officers

Dallas Rotary recently held Installation Night at the Newberry Estates to honor outgoing officers and to install new officers for the coming year: Alan Landis, President; Brett Slocum, Vice President; Arch Mohr, Secretary; Jim Alexander, Treasurer. Elected to the Board of Directors: Joe Stager and Jim Cocolin. Shown above, Alan Landis, left and John Reishus, past president.

Samuels celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Samuels of Dallas, recently celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

They were married July 17, 1939 in the Kingston Methodist Church, now the Church of Christ Uniting, Kingston by the late Rev. Norman Clemens.

Mrs. Samuels is the former Laura B. Davis, daughter of the late Reese G. and Laura Davis, formerly of Forty Fort.

Mr. Samuels is the son of the late Thomas J. and Edith Samuels formerly of Kingston.

They are the parents of twin daughters, Sharon Kay Foley of Mt. Laurel, N.J. and Karen Lee Manin of Marlton, N.J. They have five grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

A family dinner was hosted by their children at the Chart House Restaurant at Penn's Landing in Philadelphia with a gift of a vacation at Walt Disney World in Florida.



Blood drive August 2

The Meadows Nursing Center, 55 W. Center Hill Road, Dallas, will hold an American Red Cross Blood Drive at the Center on Wednesday, Aug. 2, from 1 to 6 p.m. in the All Purpose Room First Floor with a goal of 50 units.

Donating blood is a special experience. By simply giving about an hour of your time, you can help to save up to four lives. "There is no other source for blood except people who care enough to give a part of themselves," said Charles Hensley, Assistant Director of Blood Services, Wyoming Valley Chapter.

Shown at a planning session, seated from left to right are, Bernice Hill, Ollie Daubert, Blood Drive Volunteers. Standing, Louise Montigney, Barbara Barakat, Blood Drive Volunteers; Charles Hensley, Assistant Director of Blood Services, Wyoming Valley Chapter.

Back Mountain senior citizens club meets

The Back Mountain Senior Citizens Club, under Project HEAD, met recently with vice-president Bob Rogers, presiding. Reports were presented by secretary Betty Beline and treasurer Kay Hudak.

Vickie Leo, membership, introduced four new members, Ann and Charles Galluccio and Gertrude and Peter Kostelnick.

Kaye Ray, trips chairlady, announced that the July 31 trip to Caesars, Atlantic City, has been cancelled.

The annual Project HEAD picnic will be held at Knoebel's, Elysburg on Thursday, Aug. 24 from noon until 10 p.m. Members should provide their own transportation.

Nick Pericci, FOSSCO delegate, reported that Cefalo and Associates, a Pittston law firm is offering free of charge to senior citizens

over 60 years of age, the drawing up of simple wills. Also, Legal Services of Northeastern Pa. will offer the same service, plus: living wills, power of attorney, help with housing problems, nursing homes, and consumer protection advice. The members were informed that the PA Medicare Overcharge Measure has been passed in the House of Representatives and is now in the State Senate.

Lillian Soveroski, Programs, requested that Arts and Crafts items for the Project HEAD booth at the October Folk Festival, Kingston Armory, should be brought to

the meetings. She will conduct Arts and Crafts sessions at the second meeting of the month.

Dr. Catherine Wilson, Podiatrist, Back Mountain Area, will be the guest speaker on Thursday, Aug. 3, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Therese's Church auditorium, Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. Hostesses: Lil Soveroski and Clara Paltrinieri.

Yoga exercises, taught by Ann Balavage, will precede the meeting at 12 noon.

Meetings are held on the first and third Thursdays of the month. New members are welcome.



Misericordia hosts Judaic studies

College Misericordia and the Jewish Community Center recently co-sponsored a Judaic Studies Week as part of the College's 14th Annual Elderhostel Summer season. The week long residential program attracted 90 participants from nine states. Shown from left are, Fay Simon, Jewish Community Center; Linda Ross, College Misericordia; Cantor Ahron Abraham, Temple Israel; Rabbi James Michaels, Temple Israel; Dr. Pasquale DiPasquale, College Misericordia; Thomas O'Neill, College Misericordia; Hattie Adler, President of the Jewish Historical Society of New York.

Dunham home from Germany

Dennis Dunham of 176 Parrish St., Dallas, has returned home July 15 after spending a two week vacation with his brother, Thomas and family in Elsenberg near Frankfurt, Germany.

Dennis left Scranton/Wilkes-Barre airport June 29 at 3:50 p.m. arriving at Frankfurt, Germany at 8:15 a.m. on June 30.

Dennis enjoyed his vacation, sightseeing with his brother, sister-in-law and nieces.

Thomas Dunham is an officer in the U.S. Army station in Germany.

This was Dennis' first air trip. He enjoyed it very much but was glad to get back home.

Son born to the Smiths July 4th

Robert G. and Linda M. Smith announce the birth of their first child, a son, Robert G., Jr. on July 4, 1989. Robert G. Sr. is the son of Ruth J. Smith and the late William A. Smith of Centermorland.

Linda is the daughter of Lynn and Donna Ashworth of Trucksville. Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Laura Wheeler of Trucksville and Mr and Mrs. Lynn Ashworth Sr., of Dallas.

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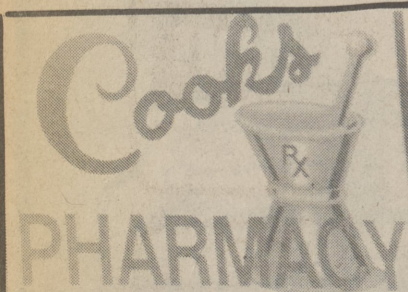


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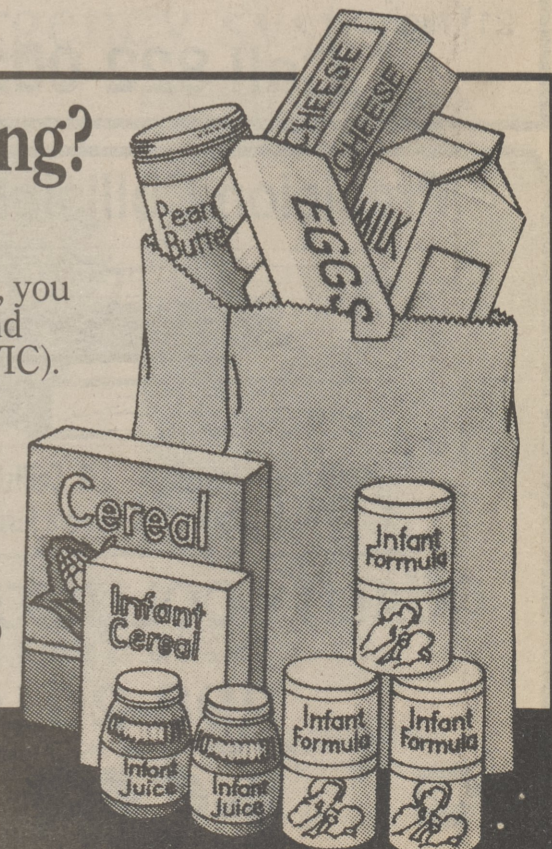
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