

SOCIAL

"55" Alive driving course offered to seniors

"55" Alive driving course has only a few openings available. Course attendance will be limited to 30 senior citizens having valid license.

The demand for the "55" Alive Driving Course continues to be popular with our Senior Citizens 50 years and older. A recent meeting of the instructors found these courses popular in all areas of our counties.

On October 7 the course will be held in the Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center, East End Blvd., Wilkes-Barre. This one day

presentation will consist of attendance 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Upon completion of the course, certificates of completion will be forwarded to National AARP for registering in the computer file.

Seniors who are registered may be entitled to a 10% discount on their auto insurance policy. This can amount to over \$30.00 per year. Each registration is valid for three years. Many seniors report savings of \$50.00 a year.

Due to the registration for this course, seniors are asked to send their \$7.00 fee, made out to AARP,

and mail it to instructor Jerry Fritzen, 115 South Thomas Avenue, Edwardsville, Pa.

Valley Auto Club, (AAA) is co-sponsor of the October 7 program.

Instructors have limited courses to 30 persons. You can get additional information by calling 282-3342 or 717-346-5751. All materials will be furnished at time of presentation, however, we ask that you register early in order to guarantee your acceptance to this National "55" Alive Driving Refresher Course.

October marks ninth annual Adopt-A-Dog month

The dog days of August may well be over, but dog days are just beginning at the SPCA of Luzerne County and more than 900 other shelters nationwide. On behalf of these shelters and the more than 13 million dogs that end up homeless each year, Meaty Bone Dog Biscuits and Jerky Treats Dog Snacks are sponsoring the ninth annual Adopt-A-Dog Month campaign in October.

This month-long effort draws attention to the numbers of perfectly healthy, beautiful puppies and dogs that end up at our shelter, as well as others, each year," said Edward Gross, director of the SPCA of Luzerne County. "It's unfortunate that, nationwide, only about 27 percent of these homeless dogs are ever adopted. This

program aims to better that figure at all shelters."

The SPCA of Luzerne County is open to potential adopters from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekends. As an added incentive for those considering adoption, all October dog adopters will receive a "doggie bag" filled with a congratulatory letter, dog skills training booklet, Jerky Treats and Meat Bone samples, and coupons for more products.

Also in the doggie bags, new dog adopters will find an entry form for the 1990 Poster Dog Contest, a chance to win from \$5,000 to \$500 and a year's supply of meaty Bone and Jerky Treats. Any adopted dog is eligible to enter the fourth annual contest which names one dog

to serve as an example of the types of wonderful pets available in shelters across the nation.

"We would encourage anyone in the area who has ever adopted a dog to pick up an entry form at our shelter as the sponsors will also be awarding cash grants to the shelters from which the dogs were adopted," Gross said.

Entry forms are also available by writing to Meaty Bone/Jerky Treats, 211 East Ontario, Suite 1300, Chicago, IL 60611. Deadline for entries is February 15, 1990.

Anyone interested in adopting a dog from the SPCA of Luzerne County will receive special attention and assistance from the staff.



Noxen High School holds 50th class reunion

The Class of 1939 at Noxen High School held its 50th reunion recently at the Castle Inn in Dallas. All seven of the members of the class who were graduated on June 1, 1939, were in attendance, as well as their guests, members of the school's faculty and clergy. In addition, members of the class of 1940 also attended.

Members of the Class of 1939 are, from left: Eleanor Pogar Dendler, Pearl Stubbs Winnie, Margaret Dotter Dent, John C. Rausch, Eloise Casterline Montross, Ruby Keiper Dendler, Elsie Wyant Jolley.



Meadows volunteers recognized

Romayne Morris and Catherine Wright, Dallas, were recently presented Meadows Green Smocks by the Auxiliary of the Meadows Nursing Center in recognition of their completion of 50 hours of volunteer service to residents at the Center.

Shown from left, are: Ollie Daubert, Auxiliary President; Romayne Morris and Catherine Wright, Auxiliaries; Rita Nichols, Meadows Nursing Center Volunteer Coordinator.

Religious services

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF DALLAS (across from Chapel Lawn Cemetery on Harveys Lake Memorial Highway.) Phone 675-3723. Pastor Dale S. Brown. SUNDAY, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Morning Worship, (Jr. Church and Nursery); 6 p.m. Family Bible Hour. WEDNESDAY, 7:00 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting; 7:00 p.m. KING'S CHOIR Practice (for 6-12 year olds).

DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. Phone 675-0122. Rev. Michael A. Bealla, Pastor. SUNDAY, 9:30 a.m.

THE FELLOWSHIP EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH- Hildebrandt Road, Dallas Phone - 675-6426. Pastor, Rev. Dwight Hodne; Assistant Pastor-Minister of Youth, Rev. John Butch Jr. - SUNDAY, 9 a.m. Morning Worship, also a Junior & Beginners Church; 10:30 a.m. Sunday School; 7 p.m., Informality & ministering to one another sets this service apart. Nursery is provided for all services; WEDNESDAY, 7:30 p.m., Prayer and Worship; THURSDAY, 9:15 a.m., Women's Bible Study with nursery provided; 7 - 8:30 p.m., F.C.Y.F. weekly youth meeting with in-depth Bible Study.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH - 340 Carverton Rd., Trucksville. Pastor Tim Tanner. SUNDAY, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; WEDNESDAY, Family night, 7 p.m.

GATE OF HEAVEN CHURCH - Machell Ave., Dallas. Phone, 675-2121. Pastor, William Cusick; Assistant Pastor, Michael Sullivan. Mass Schedule: SATURDAY, 5 p.m.; SUNDAY, 7, 8:30, 11 a.m., 12:15 p.m.; MONDAY, Novena Devotions and Mass, 7:30 p.m., Rosary at 7:15 p.m. CONFESION; Saturday, 4 - 4:50 p.m.

HUNTSVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH - (1 block west of Huntsville Reservoir Dam, RD 4, Box 197, Dallas. Phone 675-0611, Pastor Cliff Jones. SUNDAY, Wor-

ship service 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 11 a.m.

IDETOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Pastor, Rev. Michael Shambora; Layleader, Mr. Henry Bergstrasser. 10 a.m., Church Worship; Sunday School, 11 a.m.

JACKSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Pastor, Rev. Michael Shambora.

8:45 a.m. Church Worship; 8:45 a.m. Sunday School.

KUNKLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-RD 1, (Kunkle) Dallas. Phone 675-0556. Pastor, Rev. Michael Willis. SUNDAY Church service starts at 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Classes for all ages 10:45 a.m.

LEHMAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Pastor, Rev. Michael Shambora. Layleader Mr. Don Weidner; 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11:15 a.m. Church Worship.

PRINCE OF PEACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH - Main St., Dallas. Phone 675-1723. The Rev. John S. Prater, Rector. SUNDAY, Holy Communion, 8 a.m., Holy Communion, 10 a.m., 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday; Morning Prayer, 10 a.m.; Church School 10 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. Phone 675-3859. Pastor, Rev. Harold R. Baer, Jr. Service of Worship, 9:30 a.m.

ST. THERESE'S CHURCH - 64 Davis St., Shavertown. Phone 696-1144. Pastor, Rev. Joseph F. Meighan; Deacon, James P. Feerick. DAILY MASS, 8:30 a.m. SATURDAY, 4:30 p.m.; SUNDAY, 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m.; Holy Day, Vigil: 7:30 p.m. Day: 9:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.; CONFESIONS: Daily at 8:15 a.m.; Saturday, 3:45 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. Rectory hours, M-F, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., corner of West Center St., Shavertown. Phone 675-3616. Pastors, Rev. James A. Wert, Rev. Harriet L. Santos. Music Di-

rector, Rosendo E. Sanots. SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m., Chapel Service. SUNDAY 9 a.m. Chapel Service; 9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School, class; 11 a.m. Worship Service TUESDAY: 7:00 p.m. Tough Love Meeting; WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. New Life Prayer and Bible Study for young women, 7:30 p.m. Practice with summer soloists.

TRINITY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Church St., Dallas. Pastor, Rev. Andrew Pillarella, Phone: 675-3131. SUNDAY: Church School for all ages, youth choir rehearsal; 9:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m., Superintendent, Mary Chapel; Morning worship at 11 a.m. (Nursery provided). TRINITY NURSERY SCHOOL - Monday thru Thursday, 9-11:30 a.m.; 11:30-2 p.m.

TRUCKSVILLE FREE METHODIST CHURCH, 370 Carverton Road, Trucksville, Pastor Rev. Warren W. Hoover, Telephone 696-2535. SUNDAY: Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service at 10:45 a.m. Family night service at 6:30 p.m. with adult Bible Study; with Pastor and Christian Life Club for children and preschool children. WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m., Christian Growth Service.

TRUCKSVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Church Rd., Trucksville. Phone 696-3897, Pastor, Rev. Shillabeer. SUNDAY, 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. morning services Sunday School 9:30 a.m. all ages. ; Coffee fellowship; 10:30 a.m. UMYF, 7 p.m. Sundays, Bible Study 10 a.m. Thursdays.

VERNON BAPTIST CHURCH. Independent Rt. 292, RD 5., Box 691, Tunkhannock (in Vernon), Pastor, James A. Cummings, Phone 333-4935. SUNDAY, Worship Service 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, 10:45 a.m., Evening Service 7:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY, Midweek Bible Study, 7 p.m. THURSDAY Good News Club, 4:30 p.m.; Agape Youth Fellowship, 7 p.m.

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