

# COMMUNITY



## Scout Troop 281 honors its best at Court of Honor

Recently, Dallas Boy Scout Troop #281 held its Mid-Winter Court of Honor at the Irem Temple Country Club. Many scouts were advanced in rank and received a number of special recognitions. One of the special acknowledgements of the evening, was the awarding of eight star advancements, six in one patrol alone! Shown at the event are, first row, left to right, Alan Horridge, Jonathan Bradbury, Aaron O'Neil, Matthew Kutish, Michael Dancheck, and David Parks. Second row, Greg Riley, Justin Kerr, Tom O'Neil, Jeff Polley, Joe Lech, Rich Goeringer, Jarod Ambrosino.

Third row, Scoutmaster Charles Wasserott IV, Ben Sappe, Charles Wasserott V., Don Hosey, Rich Sylvia, Jared Dukas, Corey Brinton, Harry Goeringer, and Mary Chappell, Immediate Past Committee Chairman. Fourth row, Craig Bowersox, Scott Townsend, Brian Achuff, David Townsend, David Seidel, Eric St. Clair, Tom O'Neil, Assistant Scoutmaster, Jeff Townsend, Assistant Scoutmaster and Paul Kutish, Committee Chairman. Absent at time of photo: Mark Hozempa, Jr., Assistant Scoutmaster; Randy Hozempa, and John Achuff, Assistant Scoutmaster.

## Shavertown UMC plans Ash Wednesday services

The schedule of Communion Services for Ash Wednesday, March 4, at the Shavertown United Methodist Church, 163 N. Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown is as follows:

12:15 p.m. - Chapel service of Holy Communion, a 30 minute worship time for the business community and for others who prefer to attend during the daytime.

7:30 p.m. - A Worship service with Holy Communion. Emphasis will be on self-evaluation, pardon, and renewal before God. It will conclude with special prayers for

peace and God's direction for His people and His world.

During the evening service, the Chancel Choir, directed by Ros Santos will sing and other musicians will contribute special music. Jane Kishbaugh will be Communion Steward. Lorraine and Joseph Allen will carry the Communion Elements. Pastors Harriet L. Santos and James A. Wert will be liturgists.

All persons are invited to partake in the Holy Communion as preparation for the Lenten Season.

## A new pastor will join the Dallas Baptist Church

Patrick Theodore Colladay has been called to pastor Dallas Baptist Church. Pastor Colladay's first sermon will be March 8, at 11 a.m.

His major capabilities are preaching, teaching, discipleship, counseling. He was licensed at Canton Baptist Church, Canton, MI. (S.B.C.), ordained at Merriman Road Baptist Church, Garden City, MI.

Pastor Colladay's other Christian services are Associational Sunday School Outreach, Youth Director, Brotherhood Director,

Discipleship Training Director, President of Pastor's Conference, Person Place and Time Committee, State Sunday School Assistant Team.

A former pastor at First Southern Baptist Church, Harrisburg, Pa., he has been ministering for 17 years.

Pastor Colladay will be joined by his wife Rhonda Ellen, a Registered Nurse and an accomplished pianist, and his daughter, Kristina, six.

## Penn State will offer a workshop on land development March 12

Keeping up with changes in the land development process is becoming increasingly complex for landowners, municipal officials, surveyors and other technicians. In response, Penn State Wilkes-Barre will be offering a "Land Development Process Workshop," on Thursday, March 12, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop will look at some of the current problem areas, such as who has authority for regulating the land development process

under the 1988 and 1990 amendments to the Planning Code, the relationship of subdivision regulations and zoning, and current issues in land use regulation.

Stanford M. Lembeck, Ph.D., associate professor of rural sociology in the Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology at Penn State will be the instructor of the workshop.

He has been a member of the Penn State faculty since 1965. He is a state extension specialist with

responsibilities for developing and conducting educational programs on community planning.

Dr. Lembeck is a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners of the American Planning Association, the Pennsylvania Planning Association, and currently serves as Chairman of the State College Zoning Hearing Board. In 1990, he was named Professional Planner of the Year by the Pennsylvania Planning Association. He is a member of the

Advisory Committee of the Pennsylvania Field Office of the American Farmland Trust.

Other workshops being offered this spring include "Erosion and Sedimentation" presented on Thursday, April 23, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and "Plant Identification for Wetland Delineation," scheduled for Wednesday, May 20, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information on the above workshops, contact Penn State Wilkes-Barre Continuing Education at 675-9220.

## Marilyn Urban's paintings are on display at United Penn Bank

Paintings by Marilyn Urban are currently on display at the Dallas Branch of the United Penn Bank.

Urban, an office manager, has been painting seriously for five years. Working most often in watercolor, casein, or acrylic, she produces floral compositions with a lyrical quality and landscapes which although realistic often have a mystical nature as well. As a prize winning artist she is best known for her dramatic watercolor skies.

A member of both Cider Painters of America and the Wyoming

Valley Art League, Urban produces both miniature as well as larger sized paintings. She exhibits her art work regularly. Urban has studied art at Luzerne County Community College and for the past several years is a student with Sue Hand.

She and her suband are residents of Exeter, PA and Leesburg, Florida.

The public is invited to view the exhibit of art work by Marilyn Urban which will be on display in the lobby of the United Penn Bank, Main Street, Dallas through the end of March.

## Back Mountain seniors will meet March 5

Back Mt. Senior Citizens under Project Head will hold their next meeting on March 5, at 1 p.m. in St. Therese's Auditorium, Pioneer Avenue, Shavertown.

The Planning Committee will present the activities for the year. The monthly raffle will continue.

Last month's winners were Kay Ray, Pat Baloga, Sophie Kapral, and Marge Molley. The items were donated by Teresa Bosak, Marion Biggs, Kay Hudak, and Lillian Soversoki.

The Social Meeting celebrating St. Patrick's Day will be held on

Thursday, March 19 at 12 noon. Members are requested to bring a covered dish. Following the luncheon Pat Higgins, of AAA, will speak on Travel Safety. Regular bingo will be played following the speaker's presentation. New members welcome.

## Prison volunteers will train March 14 and 15

On March 14 and 15, the Spring Basic Training Weekend for Thresholds' volunteers will be held at the Parish House of Prince of Peace Episcopal Church on Main St. in Dallas.

Thresholds is a course in decision making and problem solving, taught by Thresholds' certified teachers. Thresholds, a National

organization, has been in existence in Wyoming Valley since 1978.

The intensive training received during the weekend, will enable volunteers to teach the 7-step decision making process to "clients" at the State Correctional Institution. "Clients" for the program are chosen by the admini-

stration of the Dallas Correctional Institution. The administration and the Bureau of Corrections give the Thresholds' program their full support.

For further information or to register for the training session, call Ingrid Prater at 823-9548 or leave a message at 675-1723.

## Dallas class of '72 seeks members

The Dallas Senior High School Class of 1972 Reunion Committee is looking for addresses of the following class members: Melanie Albert, Mark Arcuri, Bruce Dodson, Marie Edwoschenko, Dorothy Cooper, Karen Fedock, Patricia Fortuck, Susan George, Michael Gilbert, Walter Karl, Charlene Kozak, Christine Kreidler, Katherine Kreidler, John Jay LaBerge, Jay Miller, Susan Neilson, Nelson Nelson, Luther Kenneth Rozelle, Ann Scott, Nancy Samuels, Kathleen Smith, Paul Soltischak, Clark Turner and Dale Williams. If anyone knows the current address of the above-mentioned people, call Deborah Reimiller Adams at 696-3464.

## Religious services

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH** - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. 675-3859. Pastor Harold R. Baer, Jr. Worship, 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Holy Communion 1st Sunday of the month. Church School 9:45 a.m. for all ages. Tuesday Bible Study 9 a.m.

**DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. 675-0122. Rev. Michael A. Bealla. Pastor. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sun. School 9:00 a.m.

**SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. 675-3616. Pastors, Rev. James A. Wert, Rev. Harriet L. Santos. Music Director, Rosento E. Santos. SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m., Chapel Service. SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Services. Adventures in Faith, classes for all ages, 9:45 a.m.

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