

COMMUNITY

In the service

PVT. RICHARD ADAMS COMPLETES TRAINING

Army National Guard Pvt. Richard A. Adams has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad.

Instruction included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, and mine warfare, field and combat operations.

Adams is the son of Patricia A. Evans of RR 1, Dallas.

He is a 1989 graduate of West Side Technical High School, Pringle.

PETTY OFFICER CALVIN TINSLEY IS SERVING ABOARD THE SYLVANIA

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Calvin J. Tinsley, son of Alice C. Tinsley of RR 1, Dallas, recently departed aboard the combat store ship USS Sylvania, homeported in Norfolk, VA, for a six-month Mediterranean Sea deployment.

Tinsley will participate in several exercises designed to enhance the ship's mission.

The 1966 graduate of Dallas Senior High School, joined the Navy in August 1966.

MARY FEHER FINISHES ARMY BASIC TRAINING

Army Reserve Pvt. 1st Class Mary M. Feher has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

She is the daughter of Eileen C. and John R. Feher of Lake Catalpa Road, Dallas.

The soldier graduated from West Side Technical High School, Pringle, in 1985, and received an associate degree in 1991 from Luzerne County Community College, Nanticoke.

SGT. BRUCE DEVINE FINISHES AIR FORCE OFFICER ACADEMY

Tech. Sgt. Bruce H. Devine has graduated from an Air Force major command non-commissioned officer academy having received advanced military leadership and management training.

Devine is an inventory management supervisor at Charleston Air Force Base, North Charleston, S.C.

He is the son of Melvin T. and Diane R. Devine of 130 Lincoln Drive, Shavertown.

The sergeant is a 1976 graduate of Dallas Senior High School.

MATTHEW LEHMAN RECEIVES NAVY COMMISSION

Navy Ensign Matthew J. Lehman, son of Clinton J. and Sara A. Lehman of 39 Westminster Drive, Dallas, was recently commissioned upon graduation from the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) Program.

During each undergraduate semester at Villanova University, Villanova, PA, officer candidates completed naval science courses as well as a full academic schedule that led to a degree. These courses, combined with annual summer training aboard ships and shore installations, served to prepare NROTC graduates for the duties and responsibilities of a commissioned officer.

He is a 1988 graduate of Wyoming Seminary, Kingston.

S.SGT. STEVEN LAIR IS DEPLOYED IN JAPAN

Marine Staff Sgt. Steven L. Lair, son of Edith A. Stock of 62 Valley View Park, Dallas, recently deployed with 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines, 1st Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, CA for six months to Okinawa, Japan.

Lair will participate in various exercises designed to challenge the unit's mission readiness, to include amphibious warfare training. Additionally, he will have the opportunity to train in jungle warfare while on Okinawa-something which is harder to accomplish at Camp Pendleton.

He joined the Marine Corps in December 1976.

CAPT. GEORGE VOGEN ARRIVES FOR DUTY IN NEW MEXICO

Air Force Capt. George S. Vogen, a space systems operations officer, has arrived for duty at Holloman Air Force Base, N.M.

Vogen is the son of Augustina M. Vogen of 282 Woodruff Road, Milford, Conn., and grandson of Alice Haradem of RR 1, Dallas.

The captain graduated from Milford High School in 1982, and received a master's degree in 1991 from the Air Force Institute of Technology, Dayton, Ohio.



Dallas Township Class of '42 holds reunion

The Class 1942 of Dallas Township High School held their 50th Class Reunion at the Shadowbrook Resort on July 18. It was a wonderful reunion and a perfect time of reminiscing for old friends and classmates.

Carl Garinger was master of ceremony and Harry Ampler spoke and took the class on a "Trip Down Memory Lane."

Pictured above are members of the class and their spouses: Seated from left, Mary Louise Kitchen Buckalew, Mary Jones,

Dorothy Gries Russ, Ellen Gerlach Temple, Ruth Neyhard Young, Dorothy Weaver Kraft, Caroline Brace Gardner, Marilla Martin Stanton, Lana Elston Birnstock, Mildred Kitchen Smith, Mildred Schoonover Schray.

Standing, from left, Harold Young, Joanne Garinger, Carl Garinger, George Russ, Henry Snyder, Fay Snyder, Nicholas Stredny, Warren Stanton, Jack Birnstock, Shirley Austin Jones, Donald Smith, Herbert Jones, Marge Siperko, Albert Siperko.



BETSY GAFFNEY

Gaffney is Geisinger's #1 employee

Betsy Gaffney, R.N., C.C.R.N., has been named the Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center Employee of the Month for April.

Gaffney is employed in the medical center's intensive care unit. A graduate of Sacred Heart Academy in Hamden, Connecticut, she obtained a bachelor of science degree in biology from Marywood College.

A member of the American Association of Critical Care Nurses and Sigma Theta Tau, Gaffney resides in Trucksville with her husband, Paul, and their daughter Shannon, 10.

Summer Arts Festival will feature 69 artisans

Sixty-nine craftspersons will exhibit and sell wares at the eight annual Summer Festival Arts and Crafts show at the Penn State Wilkes-Barre campus in Lehman on Sunday, Aug. 30, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The event will feature all types of crafts, art work, theatre, demonstrations, story telling and music. Live entertainment will include a folk rock group, a showcase theatre presentation, and a

magician. Children's activities include karate demonstrations, story telling, magic tricks, balloon sculpting and free-style drawing on a fence mural. In the evening the public is invited to participate in a "star gazing" show at the Fried-

man Astronomy Dome on the campus.

Refreshments will be available. Admission for the Festival is \$1. For more information on the Summer Festival, call Penn State Wilkes-Barre at 675-2171.

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