

Municipal notes

**KINGSTON TOWNSHIP
Snow emergency routes expanded**

The Kingston Township supervisors announced at their regular February 9 meeting that new snow emergency routes have been designated: Bunker Hill, Carverton, Church (in Carverton and Trucksville), Harris Hill, Lantern Hill, Mount Olivet and Mount Airy roads, Manor Drive and East Franklin and East and West Center streets. Parking is prohibited on all snow emergency routes until further notice.

Township manager Jeff Box reminded residents that under the winter parking ordinance, parking is prohibited on all township streets between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. until March 31.

In other business, the supervisors awarded the \$58,923 bid for a four-wheel-drive dump truck with a 30,000 lb. gross vehicle weight to Wilkes-Barre White-GMC.

The township will also advertise for bids for the 1994 spring cleanup and for the Back Mountain road materials joint purchasing program.

**LEHMAN TOWNSHIP
Fines for sloppy snow plowers**

The Lehman Township supervisors voted at their February 14 meeting to adopt two ordinances:

- A snow and ice ordinance prohibits people from shoveling or plowing snow from their driveways onto township roads. Private plowers must make sure that they don't leave a trail of snow from their operations. Offenders will be fined between \$25 and \$600, plus court costs.

Motorists may not park their cars in a way which will interfere with snow plowing and cinder operations. Offenders will be cited by police, have their cars towed at their expense and pay a fine between \$25 and \$600, plus court costs.

- A sewer ordinance designates the Wyoming Valley Sanitary Authority to treat and dispose of the township's sewage. This had been done by the Dallas Area Municipal Authority until it tied into the WWSA last year. Lehman Township's sewers tie into DAMA.

In other business, the supervisors reviewed the year's expenses of approximately \$20,000 for snow removal, or half of the amount budgeted for the year.

The supervisors said that the road crew will use less salt on the roads because it is too expensive and difficult to obtain.

"As the end of the month approaches, the temperatures are getting warmer. Mother Nature can help us out here," said supervisor David Sutton. "Of course, if conditions are dangerous, we'll do whatever we can to open up the roads."

**DALLAS SCHOOL BOARD
WORK SESSION
District looks into more sports fields**

The school board discussed development of an eight-acre vacant site behind the high school into one soccer field and two baseball fields for the use of school teams and community sports organizations with representatives of Quad Three, an engineering design firm.

Board member John George asked how parking would be handled, since the nearest paved parking lot is alongside the high school, a walk of several minutes' length. It was noted that adding a flat paved parking lot would cost approximately \$33,000.

Superintendent Gerald Wycalis said that Back Mountain Soccer was interested in donating money towards the cost; however he wants the solicitor to study the wording of the agreement which they want to make with the district.

Board president Ellen Nagy asked the Quad Three representatives to bring a report of the cost of building a usable softball field to the March meeting.

The board rescheduled the March 1 committee-of-the-whole meeting to 7 p.m. March 14 and the April 11 board meeting to April 4.

**DALLAS SCHOOL BOARD
Last school day is June 22..for now**

The school board announced that the last day of school is tentatively scheduled for June 22 and graduation for June 17, unless there are more snow days.

The school board voted at its February 14 meeting to:

- Purchase a computer lab for the senior high school for \$35,365.
- Approve a 4.7 percent raise, from \$6.96 to \$7.31 per hour, for the nine school crossing guards working in Kingston Township, with the township and the district each paying half of the salaries.
- Appoint Susan P. Marcella to the Citizens' Advisory Committee.
- Appoint English department chairperson Eugene Howanitz and coaches: Jerry Rynkiewicz, volunteer swimming; Thomas Yoniski, III, volunteer weight-lifting; Hugh Mundy, assistant volunteer track; Jack Wolensky, head senior high baseball; Jay Pope, head senior high softball, Yvonne Mould, senior high assistant softball; Ron Moran, head girls' soccer; Ron Loeffler, assistant girls' soccer; Bill Kvashay, head senior high track; Sam Jayne and Larry Schuler, assistant senior high track; David Jones, boys' volleyball; John Konopki, assistant in charge of middle school baseball; Anthony Chiraucci, assistant in charge of middle school softball; John McNeil, assistant middle school softball; Robert Mitkus, assistant in charge of middle school track.



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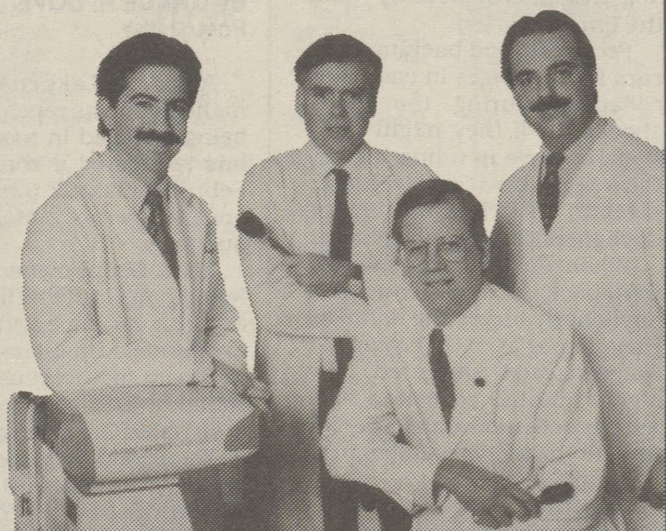
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by Sean O'Shea

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