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Upgrading road equipment

Franklin Township received a \$5,000 state grant December 18 from Representative George Hasay to help pay for a used road grader. These grants help small rural municipalities purchase equipment and other necessary items and avoid having to raise taxes to pay for them, Hasay said. Accepting the check are chairman Robert Redmond, Hasay, four year-old Bruce Redmond and supervisors Andrew Prebola and Timothy Dymond.

Time to apply for PA, federal financial aid programs

The Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) has streamlined its application process for state and federal higher education grants, according to Sen. Charles D. Lemmond (R-20).

Lemmond said that students and families now only have to fill out one form. (The Free Application for Federal Student Aid — FAFSA) to be eligible for both state and federal assistance. Previously, applicants were required to file both a federal and state application for financial aid.

The deadline for all applicants who are seeking to renew grants for the 1994-95 academic year is May 1, 1994, Lemmond noted. He said this deadline also applies to first-time applicants who plan to enroll in baccalaureate programs, as well as those enrolled in college transfer programs at community or junior colleges. Students who did not receive a state grant during 1993-94 and who plan to enroll in business, trade, and technical schools; hospital schools of nursing; or two-year, non-transferable college programs, have until August 1, 1994 to apply for aid, Lemmond said.

Although these are the final deadlines, Lemmond stressed that students should submit applications as soon as possible to meet early school and college deadlines for campus-based and institutional aid.

Back Mountain briefs

Kingston Twp. tax bills are mailed

Kingston Township residents' tax bills currently in the mail from Tax Collector Janice Castellani reflect the elimination of the property tax assessed by the Township.

The remaining tax on this particular bill is that which is assessed by Luzerne County. The Township does not receive any of that money.

The Supervisors eliminated the Real Estate Tax when they adopted the 1994 Township Budget. Residents with questions may call Tax Collector Janice Castellani or Township Manager Jeffrey Box at 696-3809.

Mini-Mount cheerleaders seek advisors

The Dallas Mini Mountaineers Cheerleaders are looking for volunteers to be advisors for the 1994 season.

Volunteers must be over the age of 18. Knowledge of cheerleading and or gymnastics is helpful.

Interested persons may call 675-8662 for details. No calls after 7 p.m. please.

Leadership W-B seeks fall class applicants

Leadership Wilkes-Barre is seeking applicants for its 1994-95 class. Over 10 months, participants focus on community and economic development, government and politics, leadership, health care and education.

For more information and an application, call 823-2101.

Spaces available at Evans Falls Craft Show

The Evans Falls PTA will be sponsoring its Spring Fling Craft Show at the Evans Falls Elementary School on Saturday, March 19 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The show will include assorted crafts, pictures with the Easter Bunny, bake sale, crafts for kids and much, much more. Vendor spaces are still available please contact 298-2525 or 298-2000 if you are interested.

Pittston 'Y' offers lifeguards' course

The Greater Pittston YMCA will be starting a Lifeguarding Class on March 5.

This program is for anyone 16 years of age or older who has good swimming skills and can do front crawl, breast stroke, side stroke (left and right sides) elementary back stroke.

Classes start Saturday, March 5 and run for eight weeks from 10:30 to 2:30 p.m. Jerry Yakobitis is the certified Lifeguard Instructor. CPR and first aid are required.

For more information call the Greater Pittston YMCA at 655-2255.

Dr Szulborski joins Eye Care Consultants practice

Donald J. Savage, M.D., Thomas C. Sharkey, M.D., and Harvey Reiser, M.D., of Eye Care Consultants, Kingston, announce Robert George Szulborski, M.D., Ph.D., has joined their practice, specializing in general ophthalmology and glaucoma.

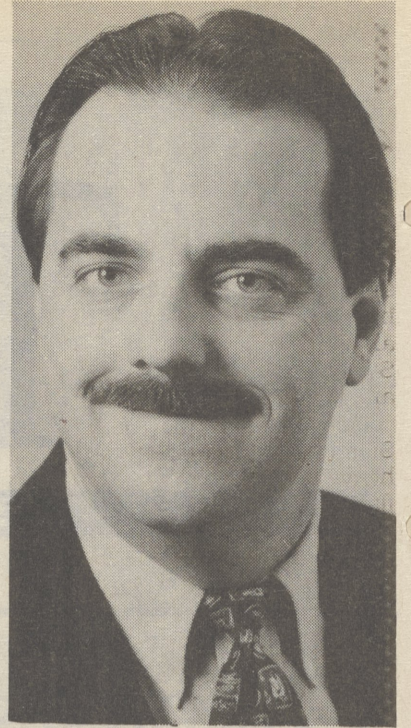
Dr. Szulborski brings to Eye Care Consultants specialized training and expertise in the medical laser, and surgical treatments of all forms of glaucoma. Dr. Szulborski also offers expertise in small-incision cataract intraocular lens surgery, especially in patients with both cataracts and glaucoma.

Dr. Szulborski received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Physics from Amherst College and his doctor of Medicine and Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Dr. Szulborski completed a medical/surgical internship at the Lehigh Valley Hospital Center, Allentown, a three-year residency in ophthalmology at Barnes Hospital, Washington University Medical Center, Saint Louis, Missouri and a fellowship in management of glaucoma at the Scheie Eye Institute, Department of Ophthalmology/University of Pennsylvania.

He is a member of the Wyoming Valley Health Care System medical staff, the American Academy of Ophthalmology, Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology and the Aerospace Medical Association, Space Medicine Branch.

Dr. Szulborski resides in Dallas Township with his wife, Debra A. Serfass, Ph.D., and their three children, Kira, Kasia and Kai.



DR. GEORGE SZULBORSKI



Career day

In conjunction with its celebration of Catholic Schools Week, Bishop O'Reilly High School in Kingston conducted a "Career Day" day for its students. Twenty-five professional and business people from the community spoke to students in three mini sessions to acquaint them with the requirements and responsibilities involved with their professions.

Back Mountain presenters were Bill Jones, 1st Eastern Bank, Shavertown; Sister Carol Makravitz, SCC, native of Dallas; Jeanne Francis, Director of Guidance, Dallas; Lisa Hrabovsky, occupational therapist, Dallas; and Damien Kaye, owner of Damien's Restaurant, Harveys Lake.

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