

PUC will hold hearings on water rate increase April 6

The Public Utility Commission has rescheduled a hearing for April 6 at the Lake-Lehman High School to receive public comment on the request of National Utilities, Inc. for a \$261,300 annual increase in water rates.

Administrative Law Judge George M. Kashi will hold the sessions at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

The hearing had been originally scheduled for March 9 but cancelled because of bad weather.

Customer testimony will become part of the record on which the commission will base its decision in the case.

The increase would affect customers of the Rhodes Terrace, Midway Manor and Warden Place companies.

Yearly residential bills for 60,000 gallons of water would increase to \$379 for Rhodes Terrace customers and \$266 for Midway Manor and Warden Place customers.

Game Commission honors area employees for service

Recognized for their outstanding performance in 1993, three Pennsylvania Game Commission employees from the Dallas office were recently nominated for prestigious statewide awards.

In the category of Pennsylvania Game Commission Outstanding Employee were Land Management Supervisors Stephen J. Schweitzer and Dispatcher Dennis B. Dobnick.

Wildlife Conservation Officer Donald R. Burchell, who until 1994 served in northern Luzerne County, was nominated for the Conservation Law Enforcement Chiefs Association Officer of the Year Award.

CLECA is an organization of conservation law enforcement chiefs representing the northeastern states.

New athletes' organization forms

Wyoming Valley/Lackawanna County Chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes will hold a organizational meeting April 2 at 11 a.m. at King David Hall, 386 Tioga Avenue, Kingston, Pa. 18704.

Pastors or assistant pastors, youth leaders, educators, teachers, athletes, newspaper reporters, parents and students are invited to attend the meeting.

For additional information call Bob Bellio Jr. at 822-7840 or Rev. Kathy Potera at 287-9831 after 4:30 p.m.

The meeting will be directed by Bob Bellio, Jr. president of the chapter.



PLANNING FUNDRAISER - Planning committee members for the Dallas Area Federated Women's fundraiser fashion show are: Mary Molitoris, General Manager of The Bon-Ton, Midway; Mary Perugino, Chairman; Nancy Rowlands, Club President; and Betty Roberts, Co-Chairman

Dallas Federated Women to hold fashion show April 10

A fundraiser fashion show will be held April 10 at 2 p.m. at the Irem Temple Country Club, Dallas, sponsored by the Dallas Area Federated Women's Club and The Bon Ton, Midway.

Door prizes, refreshments, free makeovers and beauty consultations by Estee Lauder, Lancome and Clinique representatives are included in the price of a ticket.

Door prizes include four \$150

baskets of fragrances and make-up and wardrobe giveaways. The fashions will be presented by professional models.

Tickets are available at The Bon Ton, Midway, or from any club member. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

Price of the ticket is \$8.00. Proceeds will benefit the student book scholarship fund

PSU to sponsor Atlantic City casino trip

Penn State Wilkes-Barre Athletics and Recreation Program is sponsoring a bus trip to Caesar's Casino, in Atlantic City on Saturday, April 16. The fee is \$20 which includes a \$10 rebate, beverage and snack.

Bus leaves Penn State parking lot at 7 a.m., will pick up at Pole M, Wyoming Valley Mall at 7:15 and will return at 10:30 p.m.

Reservations and money must be received by April 10. For more information call, 675-9181 or 675-9259.

State kids' health plan has new low income guidelines

The change in eligibility guidelines for the BlueCHIP (Children's Health Insurance Program) of Pennsylvania program announced recently by Governor Robert Casey will allow Pennsylvania's four Caring Foundations to insure thousands of uninsured children.

The four Caring Foundations, affiliated with the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans in Pennsylvania, administer the program as BlueCHIP in different regions throughout the state.

The Children's Health Insurance Program was created by the Governor and Legislature in 1992 and is funded through a designated portion of the cigarette tax.

The Caring Foundations identify, qualify and enroll eligible children and on their behalf purchase insurance coverage from Blue Cross and Blue Shield.

Since May, 1993, the Caring Foundations have received more

than 40,000 applications from children seeking coverage; over 13,000 children who met the state's eligibility guidelines were enrolled. Nearly 1,000 of the total enrolled are children residing in northeastern Pennsylvania.

The change in guidelines will allow children through age 13 with family incomes below 185% of the Federal Poverty Level (e.g., \$27,380 for a family of four) to qualify.

Children must also be a resident of Pennsylvania for more than 30 days and not be covered by private insurance or eligible for Medical Assistance.

The revised guidelines will become effective April 1, 1994.

For more information in northeastern Pennsylvania, call The Caring Foundation of Northeastern Pennsylvania, 1-800-KIDS-199.

Senior menus

Senior Citizen's Centers sponsored by the Luzerne/Wyoming Counties Bureau For The Aging offer hot noon meals Monday through Friday to people 60 years of age or older. Donations from participants are gratefully accepted and needed in order to expand this program.

The following menu is for the week of April 4, 1994.

MONDAY - Easter/Spring Celebration! Roast pork w/gravy-stuffing, sweet potatoes, green beans, raisin bread, margarine, "Spring" cupcakes, milk and coffee.

TUESDAY - Chicken parmesan, pasta w/marinara sauce, mixed vegetables, Italian bread, margarine, chilled pear halves,

parmesan cheese, milk and coffee.

WEDNESDAY - Liver and onions, whipped potatoes, spinach w/lemon, whole wheat roll, margarine, peanut butter Tandy cakes, lemon, milk and coffee.

THURSDAY - Chopped steak w/cheese, hash brown triangle, parsleyed carrots, orange juice, sandwich roll, margarine, sugar cookie, ketchup, milk and coffee.

FRIDAY - Crab cutlet w/tartar sauce, oven brown potatoes, zucchini and tomatoes, whole wheat bread, margarine, rice pudding, cole slaw, milk and coffee.

For further information, contact the Luzerne/Wyoming Counties Bureau For The Aging Nutrition Program or call the Senior Citizens Center nearest your home.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY - Planning committee members for the Wilkes-Barre Junior League's 50th anniversary luncheon and fashion show are Maureen Minichello, 1992-1993 president; Kelly Borthwick, 1990-1991 president; Louise Kondracki, 1993-1994

Wilkes-Barre Junior League celebrates 50th anniversary

The Junior League is planning a luncheon and fashion show at Genetti's in Wilkes-Barre April 17 at 2 p.m. to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Junior League of Wilkes-Barre.

It is scheduled to coincide with National Volunteer Week which begins the same day.

The Junior League is an inter-

national organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism and improving the community through effective action and leadership. For more information call the Junior League office at 288-4962 or write to 1261 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA 18704.

Sing His Praises

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JOYFUL EASTER TO ALL
from the Congregation of the
SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
N. Pioneer Ave. at W. Center St., Shavertown
All Are Welcome!

Holy (Maundy) Thursday
2 Services of Holy Communion
12:15 P.M. - Informal Service in the Lounge
7:30 P.M. - Service in the Sanctuary with Tenebrae

Good Friday Service
Community Service at Dallas United Methodist Church
Holy Saturday 5:30 P.M. Easter Vigil Service
GLORIOUS EASTER
Service of the Resurrection - 9:00 & 11:00 A.M. Worship
10:00 A.M. Classes for All Ages

Pastors: Harriet L. Santos & James A. Wert
675-3616

† Gate Of Heaven
Machell Avenue, Dallas, PA 18612
Holy Week

Holy Thursday, March 31 The Lord's Supper - 7:00 P.M.

Good Friday, April 1 Celebration of the Lord's Passion - 12 Noon
(Stations of the Cross) - 7:00 P.M.

Holy Saturday, April 2 The Easter Vigil will begin at 8:00 P.M. **No 5:00 P.M. Mass.**
Blessing of the Easter food in auditorium at 3:00 P.M.

Easter Sunday, April 3 - 7:00, 8:30, 11:00 A.M. & 12:15 P.M.

Holy Week Confession Schedule
Wednesday March 30 - Parrish
Penance Service 7:00 P.M.
Holy Thursday, March 31 - 3:00 P.M.
Good Friday, April 1,
following Stations - 7:00 P.M.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
(196 N. Main St., Shavertown)

Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday:
7:30 P.M. Holy Communion
Stripping of the Altar

Good Friday:
7:30 P.M. Tenebrae Service

Easter Services
Easter Vigil 6 A.M. with Holy Communion
8:30 and 11:00 A.M. - Communion & Worship Service

Rev. Harold R. Baer Jr.
675-3859

New Life Community Church
meeting at The Glory Barn, Brace Road, Orange
Dennis Madeira, Pastor
639-5433

Easter Sunday
8 A.M. - Continental
Breakfast & Fellowship
9 A.M. - Easter Morning
Service

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