# Gate of Heaven honor roll

Mrs. Mary C. Tigue, Principal, announces the Honor Roll for Gate of Heaven School for the third quarter

#### FOURTH GRADE

Honors with Distinction: Colin Donnelly, Melissa Everitt, Joan Kupstas, Randi Malak, John Pambianco.

First Honors : Jennifer Bjelich, Kathryn Delaney, Leslie Dewees, Laura Krakosky, Brent Mayernick, Christina Puhalla, Erin Rovinsky, Kelly Wallick.

Second Honors: Elizabeth Cusma, Danny Engler, John Gale, Jeanne Herman, Lindsay Herron, Jeffrey Singer, Roger Vrhel, Genevieve Wroblewski. **FIFTH GRADE** 

Honors with Distinction: Kathryn Guntli, Samantha Leandri.

First Honors: Elizabeth Baker, Timothy Carroll, Lisa Gongleski, Rebecca Hoffman, Shannon Leary, Shannon Lupien, Kathryn Mullins, Jamie Pikul, Jaclyn Reisser, Russell Susko, Kimberly Urban.

Second Honors: Robert Barna, Theresa Carboni, Elizabeth Charnick, Laura Charnick, Bradley Feleccia, Paul Grundowski, Jessica Holton, Jennifer Hummler, Alison Hutch, Stephanie Lalley, Andrew Lohin, Deirdre McLaughlin, Elizabeth Parulski, Lee Stevens.

#### SIXTH GRADE

Honors with Distinction: Kara Grundowski, Bryan Wagner.

First Honors: Kathleen Bednarek, Tess Bruns, Katherine Creamer, Morgan Czwalina, Jessica Gionta, Michelle Jose, Megan McAndrew, Veronica McRipley, Bridget Narcum, Robert Neher, Jennifer Pizano, Michael Regan, Nicholas Suhocki.

Second Honors: Robert Bradbury, Nadine Ginocchetti, Valerie Herron, Nicole Seitz, Lorne Trapani, Maria Wright.

#### SEVENTH GRADE

Honors with Distinction: Robyn Considine, Melissa Stevans.

First Honors: Rose Carter, Janina Chalk, Kristen Czwalina, Carol Herman, Matthew Motyka.

Second Honors: Meghan Chapman, Connor Garvey, Jennifer Mace, John Mitchell. **EIGHTH GRADE** 

Honors with Distinction: Alma DeRojas, Matthew Koch, Kathleen O'Brien, Maureen Paley.

First Honors: Kathryn Mahoney, Christopher Malonis, Jamie Piszak, Susan Tomchak.

Second Honors: Samantha Abod, Kristin Bednarek, William Kingsbury, Christopher Suhocki. Please note: Robert Neher was

omitted from the Second Quarter list for First Honors in Sixth Grade.

## Registrations are now open for Trucksville mini-camp

The Trucksville Nursery School, located in the Trucksville United Methodist Church Educational Building, will hold a Pre-school Mini-Camp for older three year olds who have completed a preschool program, four and five year olds, and children who have ompleted Kindergarten.

Sessions will be offered for two weeks from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday through Friday. There will be 12 children per class, with two teachers for each class. The program costs \$45 per week per child. Siblings and church members can attend for a \$3 discount.

Registrations should be completed by May 25. Contact Linda Mazur at 696-3899 for more information.

ALICE ANN COOPER AND NEAL R. COLATOSTI

# Alice A. Cooper to wed Neal Robert Colatosti

Mr. and Mrs. Grant R. Cooper, Shavertown, announce the engagement of their daughter Alice Ann, to Neal Robert Colatosti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas L. Colatosti, Shavertown.

Miss Cooper is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and Luzerne County Community College. She is employed by Wyoming Valley Family Practice.

Colatosti, is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School. He is employed by Pennsylvania Power and Light.

The couple will be united in marriage June 4, at the Huntsville United Methodist Church, Huntsville Road, Shavertown.

# **BMT Library Auction seeks** donated items for booths

Contributions for the Odds 'N Ends Booth and the Book Booth of the Back Mountain Memorial Library Auction are now being solicited.

Items may be brought to the library on Huntsville Road at any time during library hours. The auction is slated for July 7 through July 10.

Odds 'N Ends will accept a wide variety of items, including dishware, kitchen items, toys, usable small appliances and electronics, jewelry, lamps, sports items, records, 'nicknacks' and seasonal

items. Clothing and furniture cannot be accepted. Collection is now underway.

The Book Booth seeks salable fiction and non-fiction, including cookbooks, biographies, history, travel, technical books, pictorial editions, novels and children's books.

Magazines are not solicited. Sybil Pelton, Mary George and Jean Grimes operate the Odds 'N Ends Booth while Benny Matchett chairs the Book Booth.

## Area artists to hold exhibit

Two local artists, Sue Hand and Karen Shelley, have created a collection of their most recent artwork for an exhibit, "East Meets West," May 22 through May 28 at Sue Hand's Imagery, Dallas.

The paintings were all completed by the two women this past winter and spring. They include local landscapes from the Back Mountain and Wyoming Valley, florals and still lifes, landscapes and seascapes from the western United States, done in watercolor, acrylic and graphite.

National recognized artist Hand has had her artworks included in public and private art collections in nearly every state in the nation and nine foreign countries. Shelley is best known for her

wildlife and western paintings. An instructor at Sue Hand's Imagery for the past 12 years, she teaches children in grades kindergarten through sixth grade as well as teens and adults.

The public is invited to attend an opening reception Sunday, May 22 from 1-5 p.m. at Sue Hand's Imagery, Dallas.

The exhibit will also be open May 23-28.

Hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9-6 p.m.; Tuesday. and Thursday 9-9 p.m.; and Saturday, 9-4 p.m.

#### Horse show event to benefit St. Jude's

Borrowdale Acres Inc. and the Showin Blue 4-H Club will be conducting a Saddle-Up Divison at the Showin Blue Bonanza Horse Show, May 28, at the Luzerne County Fairgrounds, Rt. 118, Dallas, starting at 11 a.m.

Locally, Carole Malig will coordinate the event to benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

#### Cub Scouts to hold spaghetti dinner May 28

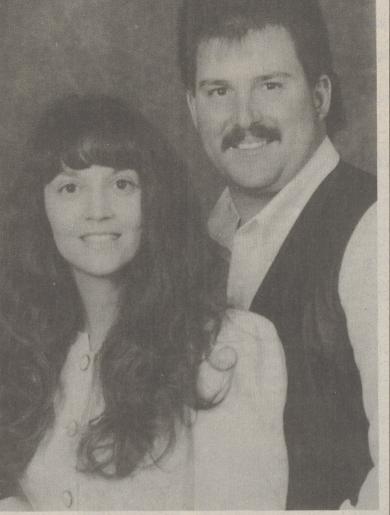
Cub Scout Pack 241 will sponsor a Spaghetti Dinner on May 28 at the Lehman United Methodist Church.

Takeouts will be available beginning at 4 p.m. Dinner seatings begin at 4:30 p.m.

The meal includes spaghetti, salad, beverage, and dessert all for \$4. Tickets will be available at the door.







## Fixing may make more sense than buying

"Low, low monthly payments" are a big selling point in new car advertising. The fine print often discloses that these are lease payments. Lease or otherwise, the on-camera salesman makes \$250 sound like chicken feed.

For many prospective car buyers that "chicken feed" would go a lot further in the immediate needs of the car you already own. It covers the cost of a brake system overhaul or a major tune-up PLUS that long overdue oil change.

It might pay for two new tires and a battery or for other needs that press a person to go car shopping.

Car leasing or lower monthly finance payments help ease the sting of higher new car prices. But statistics demonstrate that owners are fixing up and driving their older cars. Average car age is at its highest since the early 1950's.

For many of us, the handwrit-ing is on the wall," says Don Midgley of Car Care Council. "In many cases it is wiser to accept one whopping repair bill and hang on to the old car or truck than to commit to a hefty monthly payment for 4 or 5 years."

This is the subject of a pam-

## BRAKES

Your braking system, probably the most critical safety system on your car, is like an extension of your body. When your brain tells your foot to push down on the brake pedal for a panic stop, you expect instant, predictable response.

Don't gamble with your brakes; have them checked periodically and when you do need repairs, invest in the best quality brake service you can get.

### SCRATCHES AND DINGS

When your car gets bumped or scraped in a parking lot or accidentally bruised on the street, don't ignore the damage—it won't go away. It's likely to get worse as rusting sets in.

Body repairs, even minor ones, pay big dividends, says the Car Care Council. A car that looks good and runs well brings significantly more at trade in than one that's been neglected.

phlet published by the Council which says, "When an aging car needs repairs, too often the solution lies in the quickest route to the car dealers showroom. But supposing the amount of the down payment (plus a little extra) were spent on the old car instead, making it serviceable for at least another year?"

One thing is certain: whatever repairs your car, truck or van needs, it probably won't cost as much as buying a new one. "And it's not a long term commitment,"

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concludes Midgley. "Meanwhile you are driving a better vehicle and later, when you sell or trade, your car should bring a higher price."

For a good look at the pro's and con's of fixing up vs. trading up, send for the Council's pamphlet "RENEW OR REPLACE (Rx for Making a Decision)." All it takes is a business-sized, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Car Care Council, Department R, One Grand Lake Drive, Port Clinton, Ohio 43452.

