

Calendar

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Community

- DEC. 1, HIV/AIDS TESTING**, on World Aids Day, Dec. 1, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. at Planned Parenthood of NE PA. No appointment needed. For more information, 1-800-230-PLAN.
- DEC. 2-3, MADRIGAL DINNER**, College Misericordia, in the Redwood Room of Merrick Hall, 7 p.m. Reservations are required. Cost \$25 per person. For reservations, 674-6719.
- DEC. 4, HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW**, by Shavertown Volunteer Dept. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the fire department, Main Street, Shavertown. Admission free. Items will include wood work, wreaths, white birch centerpieces, jewelry, bows, sweat-shirts, homemade lollipops, dolls and hand woven goods. Sand candles, food and baked goods will also be sold.
- DEC. 6, CHRISTMAS CONCERT**, by College Misericordia Choral Society, 8 p.m. in Walsh Auditorium. Performance is free and open to the public. For more information, 674-6739.
- DEC. 10 CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY**, 1 p.m., Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church hall, Lake Silkworth. Refreshments for all and Santa will distribute toys to children. Sponsored by Lake Silkworth Area Lions Club.
- DEC. 17, BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**, all-you-can-eat, 8-11 a.m. at the Lehman Fire Hall. Eggs, bacon, homefries, muffins and more. \$5 for adults, \$2 for children under 12. No advance ticket sales. Sponsored by the Lehman Volunteer Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary.

Exhibits

- THROUGH DEC. 20, 'DRUMLITHOGRAPHS: 1960-1963'**, exhibition of lithographs created between 1960 and 1963 at Drum Lithographers. Created by Milton Avery, Jane Freilicher, Paul Georges, Alex Katz, Reginald Pollack, Fairfield Porter and Larry Rivers. Sordani Art Gallery at Wilkes University. Daily noon to 5 p.m., Thurs. noon to 9 p.m. Free. 831-4325.
- THROUGH DEC. SHARON BOWAR**, a exhibit of landscape watercolors. D.H. Oliver Foods, 550 memorial Hwy., Dallas. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8 a.m.-7 p.m.; Sun., 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- THROUGH DEC. 'ANSEL ADAMS, AMERICAN WILDERNESS'**, photographs from the Ansel Adams collection. Everhart Museum, Scranton. 346-7186.
- THROUGH 1994, "WYOMING SEMINARY'S SESQUICENTENNIAL EXHIBIT: Celebrating 150 Years of Learning Together,"** looks at Wyoming Seminary's history. Wyoming Historical and Geological Museum, 69 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Tues.-Fri., noon-4 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 823-6247.
- ANTHRACITE YEARS**, Wyoming Valley Historical and Geological Museum, 69 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Tues.-Fri., noon-4 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 823-6247.



NOT SHORT, NOT RELATED - The Short Sisters folk group will appear in concert December 9 at the Chicory House.

Short Sisters return

The Short Sisters - Fay Baird, Kate Seeger and Kim Wallach - aren't sisters, and they aren't particularly short. They're three women who have a flair for sharing their delight in harmony, humor and high spirits with an audience and who happen to have short first names! Among those who know, Fay, Kate and Kim are perhaps American folk music's premiere female harmony trio. The Short Sisters are scheduled to perform at the Chicory House, Friday, Dec. 9 at 8 p.m. Coffeehouse concerts are held in the Community Room of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, South Franklin Street across from Boscov's, in downtown Wilkes-Barre. Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. Admission to the Short Sisters' Chicory House concert, Dec. 9 at 8 p.m., will be \$7 at the door. There are no advance sales or reserved seats; table and other seating will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Desserts and beverages will be available for purchase throughout the evening. For more information phone 825-8772.

At the Kirby

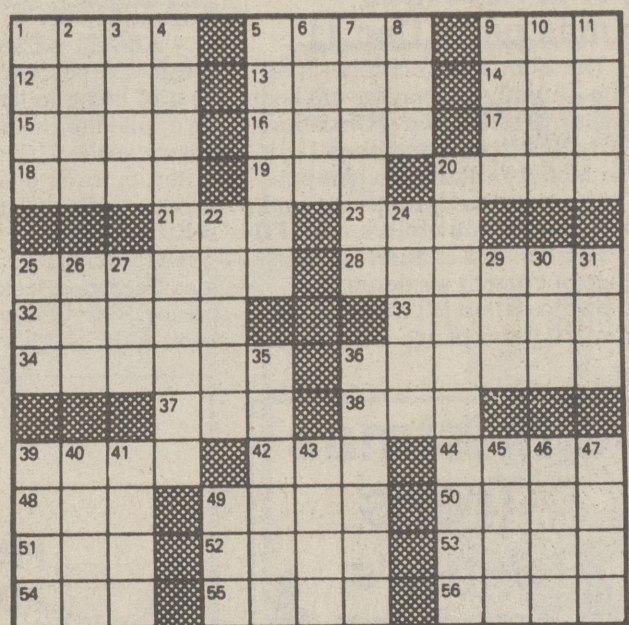
- DEC. 7, 'FRESH'**, film. 1 and 8 p.m., rated R. Matinee, \$2, evening, \$5.
- DEC. 11, JIMMY STURR'S POLKA CHRISTMAS**, 4 p.m. \$26, \$23, \$18.
- DEC. 14, 'A CHRISTMAS CAROL'**, 6 p.m. Single tickets \$6.50.

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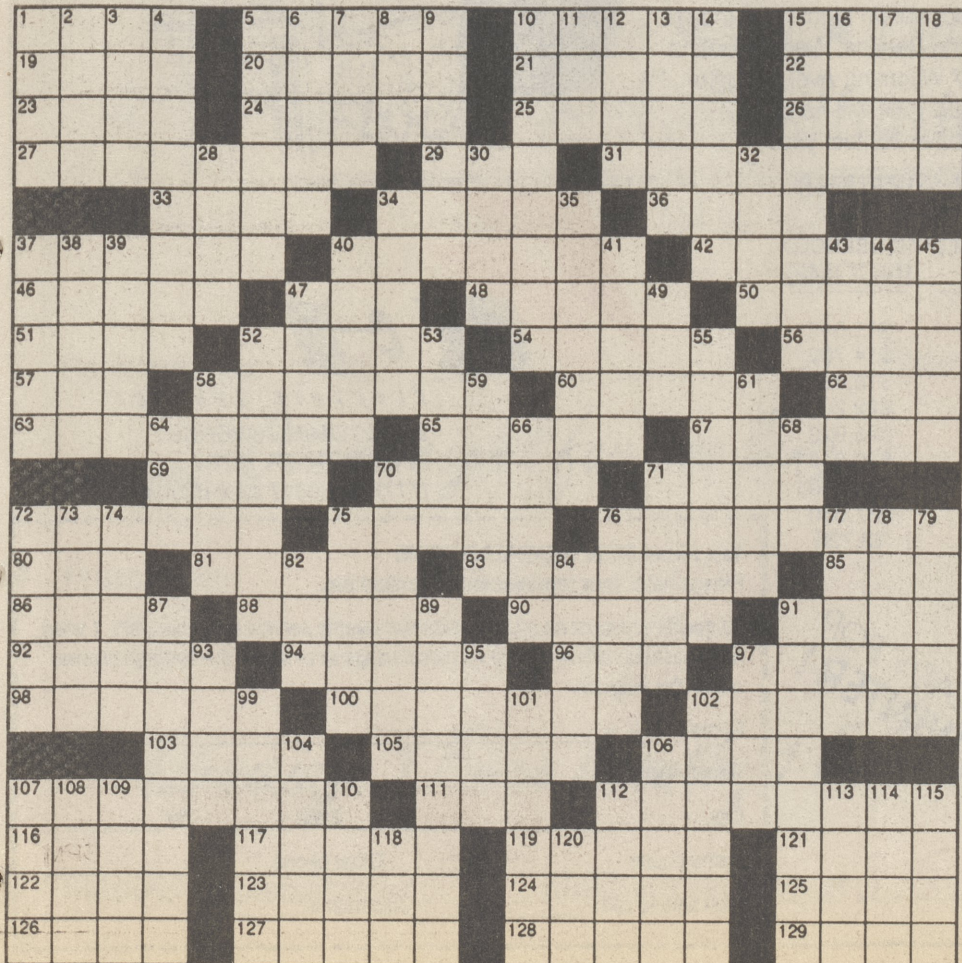
THROUGH DEC. 9, 'NAMES & THINGS', black and white photographs by Philip A. Dente, MacDonald Art Gallery, College Misericordia, Dallas. 674-6250.

CROSSWORD CORNER

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| ACROSS
1 Word before cracker or water
5 Snake's ammo
10 Calls out
15 Lament loudly
19 Having a part of
20 Genus of ground beetles
21 Swell up or bulge out
22 Water plant
23 Saved well
24 Certain
25 Japanese-Americans
25 Cow's first stomach
26 Predominant spirit
27 He wrote "The Egoist"
29 Lupa's souvenir
31 He wrote "The Martian Chronicles"
33 Boring routines
34 Rudely concise
36 Pillared
37 He wrote "A Bell for Adano"
40 Morally strict person
42 Habituals
46 Vary spicy stews
47 Rev.'s talk
48 Bagets | 50 Ten-percentner?
51 Portray in words
52 Lack of muscle tone
54 Mystery writers' award
56 Aesopian racer
57 John or Jane
58 He penned "The Faerie Queene"
60 Governed
62 King or martyr
63 He wrote "Elizabeth and Essex"
65 Negative quantity
67 Collar folds
69 Complain about
70 Straw broom
71 Food fish
72 Quibbles
75 Author of "John Brown's Body"
76 Philip Marlowe's creator
80 Granada gold
81 Spend it in Iran
83 Hold back
85 Brooklyn or journal
86 Philippine Negritto
88 State in India | 90 Beach Boys' "Little-Coupe"
91 Florist's container
92 Stone pillar
94 Putrid
96 Pose a question
97 Pries inquisitively
98 Cylindrical and tapering
100 Take away
102 Most discriminating
103 Cake decorator
105 Crow or head starter
106 Make the contract legal
107 He wrote "My Ten Years in a Quandary"
111 One measurement: abbr.
112 He wrote "Tales of the South Pacific"
116 Beehive State
117 French school
119 Sea or setter
121 Sacrificed
122 Florida county
123 Bucolic or rustic
124 French legislature
125 Layer of the lifts
126 Noisy impact
127 Metal that describes Superman's mettle? | 128 Claim or right
129 Watch over
DOWN
1 Anna's second home?
2 Story starter
3 Mover and shaker
4 Author of "Winterset"
5 Dressing table
6 Discharges
7 He wrote "Free Wheeling"
8 Miner's find
9 He wrote "The Executioner's Song"
10 Author of "And Then There Were None"
11 Biblical name
12 Metrical foot
13 One of a baseball trio
14 It does business on the Hill
15 He created "The Blue Knight"
16 Baseball brothers
17 Stravinsky
18 Tramp's adored one
28 Membership fees
30 Sister of Ares
32 Portuguese lady
34 Short walks
35 Tympanic membrane
37 Wrestling grips
38 He wrote "The Waste Land"
39 Versifier
40 Showy, flowering perennial
41 Hot wine beverage
43 Author of "The Cloister and the Hearth"
44 Sign up
45 Stalks of bananas
47 Noted Dutch painter Jan
49 Girl of song
52 Loss of speech
53 Country on the Red Sea
55 "Me" (67 hit for E. Humperdinck)
58 Find fault
59 Stair part
61 Mends the toe hole
64 Henri's friend
66 Well-known
68 Group of seals
70 Rebukes severely
71 It's often "in the mail"
72 Ride on a sled
73 Mountain crest
74 Solid citizen?
75 Formed a foundation | 76 Pastry shell
77 Legal contract
78 Dangerous curves
79 Rancid bacon
82 Science org.
84 Kind of pipe or officer
87 He created Teyve the milkman
89 Author of "Gone With the Wind"
91 "Cat's Cradle" author
93 Engrave with acid
95 Bunt or race
97 Close
99 Moray fishermen
101 Monet or Manet
102 German philosopher
104 Mow a second time
106 Strong agave fiber
107 Future flowers
108 List under
109 Nothing, in Seville
110 Long ago, once
112 After-dinner treat
113 Hub of a wheel
114 Uniform
115 Enjoy the newspaper
118 New Guinea town
120 Portuguese coin |
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| ACROSS
1 Distantly
5 "Bonanza" son
9 Cartography product
12 Post-bath wear
13 Inside info
14 - Marie Saint
15 Player's sport
16 Flat
17 Cut the hay
18 German river
19 Dr. Ruth's topic
20 Propels the boat
21 Deed
23 Summer, to Simone
25 Cabaret dance
28 Toddler's watcher
32 "Inferno" author
33 Copse
34 Somewhat aged
36 Harvested
37 Explorer Johnson | 38 Circle part
39 Chessman
42 Sportscaster
44 Journey of assertions
48 Hatchet
49 Distinct flavor
50 Davenport setting
51 "Get By"
52 Actress Bancroft
53 Microwave, e.g.
54 Conducted
55 Avoid bidding
56 Home in the trees
DOWN
1 Jason's ship
2 Part of FDA
3 Competent
4 Bending of light
5 "Fideles"
6 Peace symbol
7 Pinnacles
8 Fellows | 9 Office note
10 Swear
11 Dog's "dogs"?
20 Taking back of assertions
22 Kasparov's forte
24 Big cat
25 Fuss
26 Chum
27 Common connector
29 "Gun" (movie)
30 December 31, e.g.
31 Crimson
35 Cigar type
36 Mountain groups
39 Milkmaid's need
40 Wheel shaft
41 Fuse
43 Taverns
45 Wander
46 She sheep
47 Famed philosopher
49 Water source, often |
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Answers to Crossword, Challenger on page 16

challenger

THE INTERNATIONAL CROSSNUMBER GAME
DIRECTIONS: Fill each square with a number, one through nine. Horizontal squares should add to totals on right. Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom. Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

Today's Challenge
Time 12 Minutes
9 Seconds
Your Working Time Minutes
Seconds

		8		17
7				13
	2			28
			4	12
29	10	18	26	21

Music

- DEC. 4, MESSIAH SING-IN**, 3 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, South Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Music available to rent, or bring your own. Tickets \$5 at the door or from members of the Wyoming Valley Oratorio Society. 696-2936.
- DEC. 4, ERIC BURDON'S FLYING EAGLE**, featuring former members of the Animals and War. Grand Ballroom, the Woodlands, 8 p.m. \$12, at Gallery of Sound stores or the Woodlands.
- DEC. 9, THE SHORT SISTERS**, singing group. Community Room, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 35 S. Franklin St., 8 p.m. \$7. Presented by the Chicory House. 825-8772.
- N.E. PA DOO-WOP SOCIETY**, meets Dec. 6 at Lispi's Lounge, Fox Hill Rd., Plains at 7 p.m. This meeting/social will also be the holiday party. Days, 842-0730; eves, 696-4325.

THE NEW COMMUNITY SINGERS, seeks new singers. Rehearsals are Mondays at 7:30 p.m. at Mercy Center, Dallas. For details Louella, 675-1558 or Eleanor, 287-7855.

WYOMING VALLEY ORATORIO SOCIETY seeks new members. Rehearsals are at Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. 696-2936.

MOZART CLUB of WILKES-BARRE, seeks new members. The club meets the third week of the month with a concert following each meeting. For more information, 675-4867. Concerts open to the public.

Special Events

- DEC. 2, 3, CHRISTMAS MADRIGAL DINNER**, with English dishes and live entertainment by dancers and madrigal singers. College Misericordia, Dallas. 7 p.m. \$25 per person. For reservations, 674-6719.
- DEC. 2 AMERICAN INDIAN DANCE THEATRE**, Scranton Cultural Center, Masonic Temple, Scranton. 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. \$5.50 for students and children, \$14.95 for adults. 344-1111.
- EVERY SUN. THROUGH AUG. NATHAN DENISON HOME**, tours costumed colonial guides, 35 Denison St., Forty Fort, 1-4 p.m. \$2, adults; 50c, children 5-12; free for children under 5. 287-7055 or 288-5531.

KidStuff

- WILKES CONSERVATORY CLASSES**, music and theater classes for children, acting class for high school students. Classes meet Wednesdays or Saturdays at Wilkes University. 824-4651, ext. 4425.
- FRANCESLOCUMSTATE PARK**, fall nature programs personalized for your school, church or organized group. Continuing through November. Programs may be scheduled from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Sun.-Thurs. Free. For more information call park naturalist Jerry Kozlansky at 696-3525.

Clubs/Groups

- TUESDAYS, BACK MT. TOUGHLOVE**, Shavertown U.M. Church, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. Toughlove is a self-help program for parents troubled by teenage behavior. For more info, 675-3616 or 675-0372.
- '50 SINGLES CLUB**, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Black Diamond Post 395 American Legion, 386 Wyoming Ave., Kingston. For information, 675-1910 or 283-5614, evenings, or all day weekends.
- SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS** for ACOA (Adult Children of Alcoholics) and other dysfunctional families are held, every Sunday, 8 p.m. Blue doors of Mercy Center at College Misericordia, Dallas. For more information call the Help Line at 829-1341.

Stage

- THROUGH-DEC. 17, 'A CHRISTMAS CAROL'** musical. Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swyersville. Performances are Thurs.-Sat. 8 p.m. Sun. matinees begin at 3:15 p.m. Tickets available for dinner/show or show only by calling, 283-2195.
- DEC. 1-2, 'A CHRISTMAS CAROL'** presented by New Life Drama Troupe, Dallas Middle School Auditorium, 8 p.m., \$2.50 For more information, call 639-5433 or 287-1071.
- DEC. 9-11, 'THE NUTCRACKER'**, ballet. Darte Center, Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre. Showtimes: Fri. 8 p.m.; Sat. 2 and 8 p.m.; Sun., 2 p.m. \$10, adults; \$6, children and seniors. Tickets at Gallery of Sound outlets; Humphrey's Children's Apparel, Shavertown; Gino's Shoe Store, Dallas.



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