



DONNA GREGER AND JOSEPH ASHMAN

Donna Greger will marry Joseph Ashman

Mr. and Mrs. James Greger of Dallas announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna, to Joseph Ashman of Baltimore, Maryland. Joseph is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ashman of Springboro, Ohio.

Donna is a 1989 graduate of Bishop O'Reilly High School and a 1993 graduate of West Chester University. She received a BSN in nursing and is a registered nurse in the oncology department of the University of Maryland Hospital in Baltimore.

Joseph is a 1987 graduate of Red Bank Regional High School, New Jersey and a 1992 graduate of West Chester University with a BS degree in criminal justice. He is a police officer in Baltimore County, MD.

A September 1995, wedding is planned at Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas.

Sweet Treats to help handicapped kids

The Wyoming Valley Association of Life Underwriters is again teaming up with area restaurants, businesses and clubs to sponsor Sweet Treat Time, a candy sale that benefits handicapped children who receive therapy at Wyoming Valley Children's Association.

Candy bars will be on sale at locations throughout the area from February 1 through March 31.

Anyone wishing to join the Sweet Treat project can call the Children's Association at 829-2453. The Children's Association is a United Way member agency.

Xin Tian (Alice) Yang weds Karl J. Hoffman

Xin Tian (Alice) Yang of Dallas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kai Hong Yang of Guangzhou, China, became the bride of Karl J. Hoffman of Harrisburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman of Plains at 12 p.m. September 17, 1994. The double-ring ceremony was officiated by Pastor David Mansfield at Huntsville Christian Church, Dallas.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, chose Mrs. Nina Hoffman McCann, sister of the groom, as the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Jessica Chen of Wilkes-Barre, cousin to the bride, and Miss Renee Mazzei of Scranton and Harrisburg.

The groom chose Richard McCann, brother-in-law, as best man. Ushers were Paul Hoffman, Jr., of Boston, brother of the groom and Thomas Burkhardt of Kingston. Colin McCann, nephew of the groom served as ring bearer.

Selected Scripture was read by Fred Williams of Lemoyne in English and the bride's father in Chinese. Musical selections were performed by pianist/organist Kevin O'Malia and soloist Christine Katsock.

The bride's mother, the groom's mother and special honoree Miss Elma Major of Dallas and Lemoyne, were distinguished and presented with a red rose by the bride at the ceremony.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Fellowship Hall of the church. Brother of the groom, Mark Hoffman of Harleysville was the master of ceremony and guitarist Joseph Vogwist performed folk music selections.

The groom's parents hosted a homemade rehearsal dinner at their home. The bride and groom were honored at an engagement party given by groom's parents in May.

The bride is a 1990 graduate of Zhongshan University, Guangzhou, China with a B.S. in Chemistry, and a 1994 graduate of Wilkes University with a Masters of Health Administration. She is employed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Health in Harrisburg.



MR. AND MRS. KARL J. HOFFMAN

The groom is a 1980 graduate of Bishop Hoban High School, received his Bachelor degree from Penn State University in 1985, and was awarded a Master of Health Administration from Wilkes University in 1993. After serving as a Management Intern for the Governor's Office of Administration, he is presently employed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Heritage Affairs Commission.

The couple currently resides in Harrisburg and is planning a honeymoon vacation in the spring.



TO GRANT SICK KIDS' WISHES - Reviewing plans for the Third annual "Give Your Heart To Make-A-Wish" Ball on Saturday, Feb. 11 are: Molly Karchmar, chairperson Beth Ward and Neela Petel; standing, Make-A-Wish of NEPA president Jim Harowicz; Molly Kafriksen and Cynthia Das.

Make-a-Wish Ball Feb. 11

The Third Annual "Give Your Heart To Make-A-Wish" Gala Ball will be held February 11 at the Victoria Inns in Pittston.

General Chairperson for the Black Tie Event is Beth Ward of Dallas.

Cocktails will begin at 6 p.m. with guest harpist Diane O'Malley.

Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. followed by a brief program. Local artists "Hollywood" will offer evening entertainment. Tickets are \$75 per person.

The Make-A-Wish Foundation

of Northeastern Pennsylvania grants wishes to children who suffer from a terminal illness or life-threatening medical condition in 11 counties.

Currently, 18 wishes are outstanding. All proceeds of the gala ball to be used to grant these wishes.

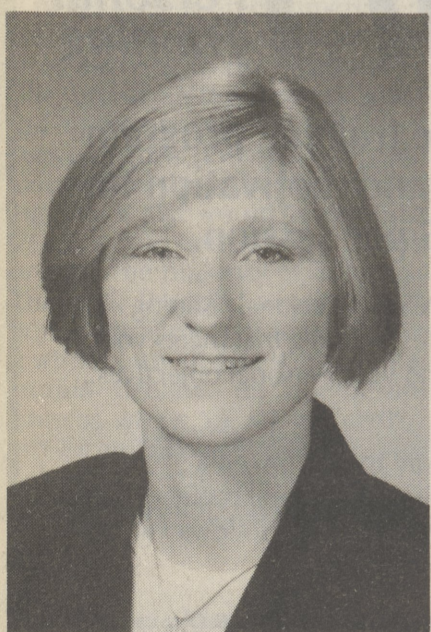
Reservations are limited and can be made by calling the Regional Office at 829-3235 or by sending a check to 480 Scott Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702 by February 8.

LCCC offers phlebotomy classes

Luzerne County Community College is offering a 10-week career training program in phlebotomy, the techniques of collecting blood samples, from February 27 through May 11. Registration deadline is February 20. For more information, call the college at 829-7477 or 829-7496.

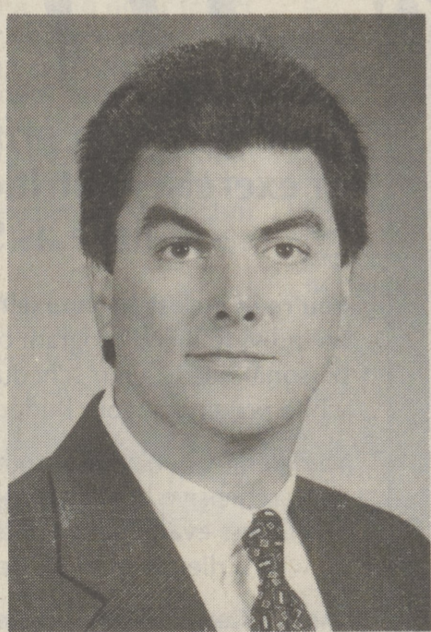
Associates Named At ROSENN, JENKINS & GREENWALD

The law firm of Rosenn, Jenkins & Greenwald is pleased to announce that Jennifer Dressler, Joseph F. Dietrick, Sean P. Fahey, Joseph J. Notarianni, Jr. and Joseph J. Schwerha, IV have been named associates of the firm.



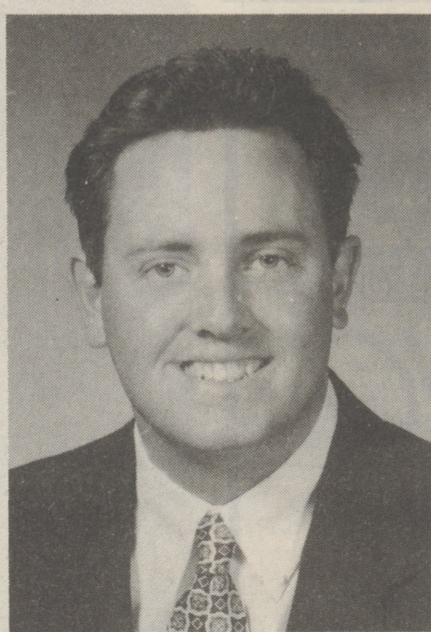
Jennifer Dressler

Jennifer Dressler is a graduate of Rutgers University, Cook College in New Jersey. She received her Juris Doctor Degree from the Rutgers Law School. Mrs. Dressler is a member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association and is admitted to practice in New Jersey. She is an associate in the firm's Labor and Employment Law Department. Jennifer resides in Dallas with her husband Steve.



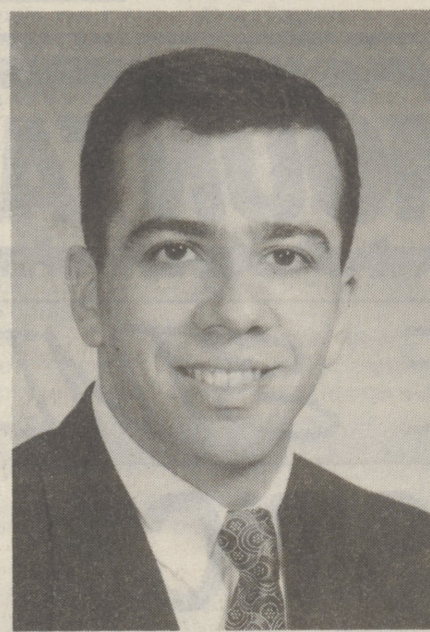
Joseph F. Dietrick

Joseph F. Dietrick is a graduate of Penn State University. He received his Juris Doctor Degree from the Cornell Law School. Mr. Dietrick is a member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association. He is an associate in the firm's Corporate Commercial Department. Joe resides in Pittston.



Sean P. Fahey

Sean P. Fahey is a graduate of Villanova University. He received his Juris Doctor Degree from the Villanova University School of Law. Mr. Fahey is a member of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Bar Associations. He is an associate in the firm's Litigation Department. Sean resides in Kingston with his wife Amy.



Joseph J. Notarianni, Jr.

Joseph J. Notarianni, Jr. is a Cum Laude graduate of the University of Scranton. He received his Juris Doctor Degree from the Temple University School of Law and his Master of Business Administration from the Temple University School of Business. Mr. Notarianni is a member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association. He is an associate in the firm's Real Estate Department. Joe resides in Scranton with his wife Eileen and their two daughters, Cara and Katie.



Joseph J. Schwerha, IV

Joseph J. Schwerha, IV is a graduate of Carnegie Mellon University, with highest college and university honors. He received his Juris Doctor Degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law and a Master of Science degree from Carnegie Mellon University. Mr. Schwerha is a member of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Bar Associations. He is an associate in the firm's Litigation Department. Joe resides in Forty Fort.

Rosenn, Jenkins & Greenwald maintains offices at 15 South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre. Founded in 1954, the firm maintains a staff of 44 attorneys and 18 paralegals. The full-service law firm provides representation to its clients in the areas of business and finance, litigation, personal injury, real estate and zoning, wills, trusts and estates, tax, employee benefits and executive compensation, bankruptcy and creditors' rights, banking and insurance, labor and environmental law.