

## 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 10, 1995. All lunches include margarine, milk and coffee.

**MONDAY** - Beef barbecue, oven brown potatoes, broccoli, sandwich roll, chilled pears.

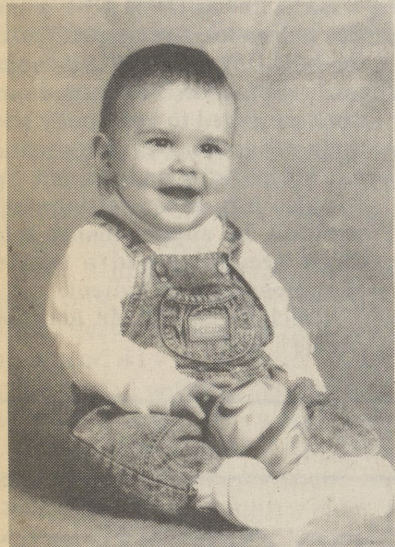
**TUESDAY** - Sausage and peppers, baked potato, Roman vegetable medley, whole wheat roll, butterscotch krimpets.

**WEDNESDAY** - Stuffed shells w/meatballs-tomato sauce, brussel sprouts, Italian bread, fruited gelatin, toss salad w/Italian dressing, parmesan cheese.

**THURSDAY** - Turkey ala king over rice w/warm biscuit, parsleyed carrots, orange juice, pudding pop.

**FRIDAY** - Centers are closed. Good Friday.

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



BRANDON ROME

## First birthday for Brandon Rome

Brandon Rome of Dallas Township celebrates his first birthday April 5. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rome.

Mrs. Rome is the former Alesia Ambrose of Nuangola.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ambrose Sr., of Nuangola.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rome, Sr., of Exeter.

Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Betty Sherksnas of Harveys Lake.

Brandon shares his birthday with his mother, whose birthday is also April 5.

His mother and father celebrated their 8th wedding anniversary on April 4.



**ANNUAL SPRING LUNCHEON** - Members of the Steering Committee of the Friends of the Back Mountain Memorial Library who are planning the luncheon are from left, seated, Martha Wheeler, librarian; Deborah Burke and Cathy Creamer; standing: Joanne Runner; Nancy Brown, luncheon chairman and Shirley Moore.

## Luncheon will feature Sue Hand

The Seventh Annual Spring Luncheon sponsored by the Friends of the Back Mountain Memorial Library will be held April 27 at the Apple Tree Terrace, Newberry Estate, Dallas. The social hour starts at 11:30 a.m.; luncheon will be served at 12 noon. Tickets are \$16.50 each.

To make reservations, call the Back Mountain Memorial Library at 675-1182. Checks should be made payable to the Library and mailed to 96 Huntsville Road, Dallas, PA 18612.

The proceeds of the luncheon will benefit the library. Prompt action is suggested for this very popular spring event. Seating preferences will be honored.

Sue Hand, well-known Dallas

artist and author, will be the speaker at the "Luncheon with a Special Author/Artist". During her speech, she will create a watercolor painting of a bouquet of live flowers. Chances for the completed painting will be sold at the luncheon, at \$1.00 a ticket. The drawing will be held at the conclusion of the luncheon.

Sue's credentials include artworks which are in public and private art collections in nearly every state of the Union as well as in nine foreign countries; 35 years of art instruction to students of all ages; being a founder of the Pennsylvania En Plein Air Society and the Cider Painters of America, and a member of numerous other art associations; and the authorship

of two books, her first one, titled *A Dog Named Jamie: Her Life, Her Love, Her Legacy*.

Her new book, *Art In My Heart and Paint On My Shoes*, will be introduced at the luncheon. Copies of the book will serve as table prizes. Sue Hand's hand-crafted note cards, and a selection of her paintings will be available for sale. She is donating a percentage of the sales to the library.

Sales of raffle tickets for the watercolor painting of gladioli which Sue Hand has given to the library are proceeding briskly. The number of tickets, priced at \$5 each, is limited to 250. They may be bought at the library, where the painting is on display.

## Angela Patla chosen 1st runner-up in pageant

Angela L. Patla, 22, daughter of Ed and Leam Patla of Sweet Valley, was recently chosen as first runner-up in the 1996 Miss Pennsylvania-USA Pageant, held March 4 and 5 in Monroeville, PA.

The two day event consisted of 76 girls throughout the state competed in personal interviews, on-stage interviews, swimsuit competition and evening gown competition.

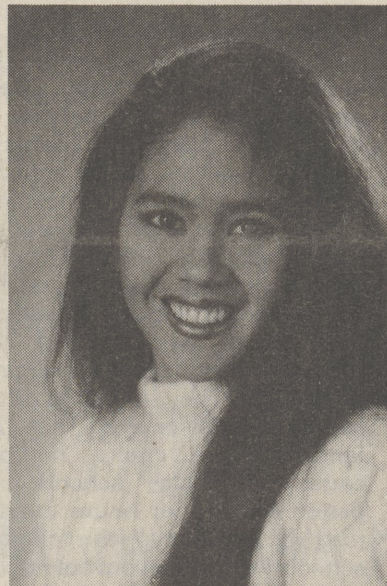
The state pageant selected PA's representative to the Miss USA Pageant, nationally televised on CBS-TV early in 1995.

Miss Patla is a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School and is presently pursuing a career in model-

ing. She was graduated from The Models' Workshop and John Casablanca's professional modeling schools.

Angela has competed in several pageants, having won the titles of 1989 Miss Pennsylvania Teen Beauty of America and Miss Pocono Downs 1993. She was also the 1991 Luzerne County Fair Queen runner-up, and the first runner-up in the 1994 Miss PA-USA Pageant. She currently holds the title as the Weekender Magazine Model of the Year.

Angela is employed at Cross Valley Chiropractic in Plains and currently resides in Dallas.



ANGELA L. PATLA

## Alzheimer's Association offers two new services

The Northeast Pennsylvania Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association has added two new services to its program.

A monthly "Fact Sheet" will be sent to anyone caring for a family member with Alzheimer's or a related disease. The fact sheet will be a compilation of information on topic of interest to caregivers. There are 25 topics in all including activities, combativeness, nutrition and wandering. The second program, being

conducted in conjunction with the Chapter's Education Committee, is the Family Caregiver Training Program. This an intensive three hour session of video tapes and discussion that focuses on five topics: communication, safety, managing difficult behaviors, caring for the caregiver and daily challenges.

For more information on either of these programs or Alzheimer's Disease contact the local chapter at 1-800-773-6677.



## Area residents recognized for service

Three Back Mountain residents were among 20 staff members of the Visiting Nurse Association who were recently honored at the 11th annual employee recognition dinner. Honored were Ellen J. Nagy, a Dallas resident and VNA's Director of Community Relations, 10 years of service; Dallas resident, Nancy Barnard, VNA Quality Assurance Manager, 15 years; Lisa Killian, a Hunlock Creek's resident with five years; and VNA Administrator Mary Ann Keirans.

The Visiting Nurse Association is a United Way agency which offers a wide range of health care services in the home setting for acutely and chronically ill patients. For information about VNA services call 283-0681.

## Religious services

**BACK MOUNTAIN HARVEST ASSEMBLY** - 340 Carverton Rd., Trucksville. 696-1128. Pastor, Daniel S. Miller. Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Wed., 7 p.m., "Out of Bounds" youth service, Midweek home groups; call for days and times. Weekday prayer 6:30-7:30 a.m. Visitors welcome.

**DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. 675-0122. Rev. Michael A. Bealla, Pastor. Sunday School, 9 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

**SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. 675-3616. Pastors, Rev. James A. Wert, Rev. Harriet L. Santos. Music Dir., John Vaida. SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m., Chapel Service. SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Services. Visitors expected. Sunday study classes, 10 a.m. PHONE-A-PRAYER 675-4666.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH** - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. Rev. Harold R. Baer, Jr., Pastor. Worship Services 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Church School for all ages 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion 1st Sunday of the month and festivals. Everyone Welcome! Office Hours: 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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