

3 seek seats on Harveys Lake council



NEW FACES IN ELECTION - Christopher Hinton, left, Ruth Eaton and Thomas Callahan are candidates for the Harveys Lake Borough Council on the May Republican ballot.

The November elections at Harveys Lake will bring in three new candidates for borough council.

Christopher Hinton offers more than 20 years of business management experience for both corporate and private enterprises.

His background includes the ability to establish cost retention using profit and loss statements, long and short range planning, goal setting and time management.

He studied engineering at Oklahoma State University and has a strong background in real estate. He also works with the Boy Scouts with their outings and assists when needed at the Luzerne County Fair.

"Offer ethical management and solid financial practices," he said.

Ruth Eaton, resident and business owner, has announced her candidacy for a seat on the Harveys Lake Borough Council.

As a council member, Eaton said she will serve all residents of the borough equally by removing politics from the office and basing her decisions on the good of the community.

Eaton, co-owner of Damien's restaurant, has been active in the community for several years as a member of the Harveys Lake

Women's Service Organization and the Harveys Lake Protective Association.

In her role as secretary of the Harveys Lake Protective Association.

In her role as secretary of the Harveys Lake Business Association, she has been involved in fund-raising activities to benefit the Wyoming Valley Children's Association, the Daniel C. Roberts Volunteer Fire Co. and the Shriners Children's Hospital.

Her business sponsors local events, such as the carnival parade, fireworks display, and Labor Day festivities at the lake.

Eaton, a registered nurse, is a graduate of the NPW School of Nursing.

She will run on the Republican ticket in the May 16 primary.

Thomas J. Callahan has been a lifelong resident of Luzerne County, residing at Harveys Lake the past ten years.

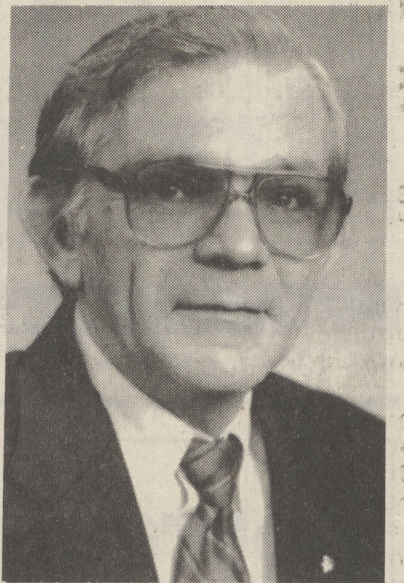
He graduated from Coughlin

High School in Wilkes-Barre and majored in business administration at Luzerne County Community College for two years.

Callahan is the president and chief executive officer of J.M., Callahan & Sons, a milk and major ice cream distributor throughout New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Maryland, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

He would like to bring his business and management expertise to the borough of Harveys Lake.

Williams seeks reelection to Lake-Lehman school board



THOMAS E. WILLIAMS

Thomas E. Williams of Sweet Valley has announced his candidacy for re-election to the Lake-Lehman Board of Education in the May Primary. Williams has filed on the Republican and Democratic ballot for one of two seats in Region II (Ross Township, Lake Silkworth, Middle District of Lehman), along with Dr. Martin D. McMahon, Jr., Lehman.

Williams is a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge, Lehman; Irem Temple, Dallas; Caldwell Consistory, Bloomsburg and is a past master-trustee of George M. Dallas Masonic Lodge, Dallas.

He is a graduate of Lake-Lehman, Class of 1958.

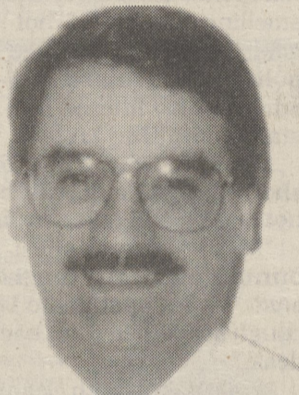
Williams has served a member of the Lake-Lehman Board of Education 12 years and also 11 years on the West Side Area Vocational-Technical school board. While serving on these boards he has been co-ordinator of finance, athletics, and activities, building and property committees, treasurer and school board president.

As a graduate of Lake-Lehman, Williams states, "I feel a great deal of pride in our school system and the people in our area. Our three children have received excellent preparation for their futures while at Lake-Lehman and would like all future students to continue to have this same opportunity. Our

board should provide the best for our students that the resources of our community will allow. These resources could be expanded with less burden to the property owners by continuing to look for grants and educational partnerships and continued community involvement in our school system."

"I will as in the past continue to strive for fiscally and educationally sound policies that will be beneficial to our students and community."

Shiner announces run for Dallas Borough Council



RONALD R. SHINER

Ronald R. Shiner has announced his candidacy for a seat on the Dallas Borough Council.

Shiner is employed as the Paramedic Coordinator for Wyoming Valley Health Care Systems, Medic 1 and Medic 302.

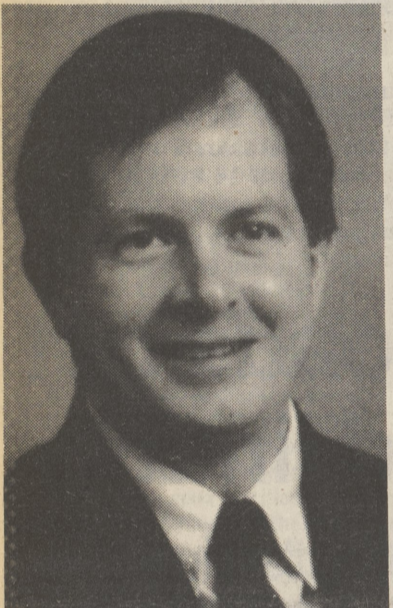
He is a member of Gate of Heaven Church and is also a third degree Knight of the Knights of Columbus, Luzerne Council.

He resides in Dallas Borough with his wife Barbara and their three children, Ronald III, Jonathan Michael and Samantha.

Rally for Michael Warner

There will be a rally for Lake-Lehman Region 3 school board candidate Michael Warner Thurs., April 27 at 8 p.m. at the Farmers' Inn, Jackson Township. County commissioner candidates Jim Phillips and Ed Donohue will also attend. Food will be served, a donation of \$5 is requested.

Dr. Martin McMahon to run again for L-L school board



MARTIN D. MCMAHON, JR.

Martin D. McMahon, Jr. of Huntsville-Idetown Road, Lehman Township, announces his candidacy for school director in Region II of the Lake-Lehman School District.

He is running in conjunction with Thomas E. Williams for the two available seats in Region II. They have filed on both tickets for the May 16 primary election.

McMahon is a magna cum laude graduate of Marian High School, Framingham, MA. He attended Stonehill College, North Easton, MA on an honors scholarship, graduating magna cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in biology.

He attended Tufts University School of Dental Medicine, Boston, on a National Health Service

Corps scholarship, graduating magna cum laude with a Doctor of Dental Medicine degree.

McMahon is center director of the Rural Health Corp of N.E. PA's Monroe-Noxen Dental Center, Route 29, Noxen, where he has practiced dentistry for 12 years.

This July he will receive his Fellowship from the Academy of General Dentistry.

McMahon served two terms on the school director board, from 1989 to 1993. He was board president in 1993, and also served as first and second vice-president.

He served on the Jackson Township General Municipal Authority from 1986 to 1993.

McMahon has been a volunteer coach for the Back Mt. Youth Soccer Assoc., Back Mt. Little

League, Wilkes-Barre YMCA indoor soccer program, and the Lehman-Jackson PTA Basketball program.

He is treasurer of Cub Scout Pack 241, Lehman, and as a committee member for Boy Scout Troop 444, Sweet Valley.

He is a member of the American Dental Association, the Pennsylvania Dental Association and the Luzerne County Dental Society. This year he served as assistant chairman for Children's Dental Health Month.

McMahon is married to the former Tamara Jarrett. They have three sons, Matthew, 13; Brian, 11 and Patrick, 8, all of whom attend Lake-Lehman schools. He and his family are members of St. Therese's Church, Shavertown.

Supervisor

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the cartway, rebuilding the drainage system and paving it. Race Road was also paved and the dirt roads have been upgraded, he said.

- Keep township taxes affordable. Residents now pay a property tax of eight mills.
- Apply for government grants wherever possible to maintain and improve the municipal building

and park, where a new fence was recently added around the baseball field.

A refreshment stand for the Little League is in the works for this year, he added.

"Government grants have also helped us purchase a good used road grader and upgrade our office equipment, both of which we really needed," he said.

During his term the township

has improved the municipal building and facilities, adding a storage shed, repairing the roof and adding offices and a sidewalk.


Democrat Martin W. Murray wants to get elected "to see if the minority party can be elected to office out here and work towards change."

He also favors "government strictly by the book. I don't want

to play any political favorites."

Controlled land development is better than no development at all, Murray said. "You can't stop progress, but you can keep an eye on it and act before serious problems come up," he added.

Republicans outnumber Democrats by nearly two to one in Franklin Township, according to Luzerne County voter records.



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