

Back Mtn. briefs

Children's Day June 4 at Trucksville UMC

The Trucksville United Methodist Church will continue a 75 year old tradition with Children's Day celebrated at the Sunday service at 11 a.m. on June 4.

This service provides the opportunity for all children and youth to share with the congregation lessons they have learned during the past year in Sunday School.

The theme of this year's program will be about Native Americans with a program entitled, "Brother Eagle, Sister Sky."

Following the service there will be a family picnic on the grounds of the Educational Facilities.

The present enrollment in the Sunday School is 153, including all age groups from nursery-adult. Sunday School superintendents have been Deborah Blandford, Sharon Cosgrove, Sandra Race and Tania Reinert. Rev. W. Charles Naugle is pastor.

Flea Market to aid Lake-Lehman soccer

The Lake-Lehman Soccer Club will sponsor a flea market Saturday, June 3, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Lake-Lehman High School. The event will be held rain or shine. For more information, call Tassie at 477-3400 or Michele at 639-2632.

State sets up free plant blight hotline

The state Agriculture Department and the Pennsylvania State University are operating pest management hotline for information on the occurrence and management of late blight. The telephone number is 1-800-736-6476 (1-800-PENN-IPM).

Late blight (phytophthora infestans) is a fungal disease affecting tomatoes and potatoes. Brownish to purplish black spots appear on leaves or stems of plants.

Recycling seminar in Wilkes-Barre

The Public Recycling Officials of Pennsylvania (PROP) will conduct a business recycling seminar, "Recycling is Good for your Business," June 7 at the Wilkes-Barre Genetti Best Western Hotel.

The seminar is sponsored by the PA Department of Community Affairs (DCA), the Department of Environmental Resources (DER) and PROP.

The session will begin with registration at 8 a.m. and adjourn by 11:30 a.m. The cost to attend is \$5 per person (\$10 at the door) which includes refreshments and materials.

For more information, call the PROP office at (412) 548-7767 or the Luzerne County Solid Waste Management Department at 1-800-821-7654.

Book signing at Moon Lake June 1

A book signing will be held at Moon Lake Park, June 1 by local author Tony Muskas, 84, who recently published a book on Moon Lake.

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 is the menu for the week of June 5. 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 and tomato sauce, brussel sprouts, Italian bread, fruited gelatin, tossed salad w/Italian dressing, parmesan cheese.

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

FRIDAY - Tuna melt on whole wheat English muffin, home fries, mixed vegetables, cranberry juice, vanilla cookies.

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



Meadows Auxiliary plans June 17 flea market

The Auxiliary of the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, has announced that tickets are available for the raffle that is part of the annual "Market on the Pond" flea market at the Center, June 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (rain date if June 24).

Tickets can be purchased at the reception desk in the lobby or on the day of the flea market. All proceeds benefit residents of the Center. Showing off prizes donated by family, friends, volunteers and staff at the Center are committee members Rachel Hale and Shirley Yellitz.

Recognized for contribution to care of cancer patients

Dallas resident Shirley Smith, clinical specialist (oncology) and hospice coordinator at the Wilkes-Barre Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, has been notified of her selection for the annual "Quality of Life Lecture-ship" Award, by the Oncology Nursing Society (ONS), a large organization of nurses involved in cancer care.

Mrs. Smith is well known for programs she has initiated for improvements in cancer care, including outpatient chemotherapy clinics, support programs and liaison with community agencies. Mrs. Smith initiated and coordinates the hospice program at the VA Medical Center, which has been commended as a model program and has served as a training and resource center for other medical centers starting up new programs.

She has published numerous papers on cancer care and has lectured at the National Cancer Institute, National Hospice Organization, ONS congress, and other national meetings. Last fall she presented a workshop at the International Cancer Nursing Conference in Vancouver, British Columbia.

The award will be presented at the Fall Institute of the Oncology Nursing Society to be held in



SHIRLEY SMITH

November in Nashville, TN. The lecture will be presented at that time and will also be published in the Oncology Nursing Forum journal.

Mrs. Smith resides in Dallas with her husband, Clair. They have two daughters, Marcella Gilson of Seattle and Dianne Lung of Tucson.

Boro rec center registration June 13

The Dallas Borough recreation center's 10-week summer program will run July 13-August 17, Monday through Thursday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and Friday 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Recreational director will be Jack Wolensky, with Kathy Farrell, Missy Pomrinke, Ann Marie Danna and Adam Nicely on staff. Registration will be June 13, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Parents registering their children are asked to bring a game for use at the rec center.

Legion to elect officers, board

Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post 672 will elect officers for the Legion and board of directors for the home association June 9, 5-8 p.m.

Q. Where can you find the most Back Mountain news?

A. In The Dallas Post every week

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Nesbitt Medical Arts Building Auditorium
Friday, June 2
7:00 P.M.

Speakers: Leo Landau, M.D., Pediatrician
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Teens and Sports

TPS Medical Pavilion
Health Enhancement Classroom
Tuesday, June 6
7:00 P.M.

Speakers: Michael Harris, M.D.
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*For young entrepreneurs ages 11 to 16. Fee: \$8.00

**Parent and Teen Breakfast:
"Lawn Care Safety"**

TPS Medical Pavilion Auditorium
Saturday, June 3
8:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

Speaker: Michael Kravitsky IV
Lawn Care Specialist

Invite a parent along for a healthy breakfast, learn how to "play it safe" while using lawn tools, and listen in care skills.

Free

To register
for any of these programs,
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