

**BACK MOUNTAIN BRIEFS**

**Flea mart at Harveys Lake Legion July 15**

Harveys Lake American Legion, Post 967, will hold a flea market Saturday, July 15, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the post home, Rt. 415, Harveys Lake. Tables at \$10 may be reserved by calling 675-0104 or 639-5500.

**Lake Twp. recycling newspapers July 15**

Newspaper will be collected at the Lake Township Drop Off Center on Route 29, July 15, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Paper should be packed in paper bags and all glossy inserts removed.

**Irem Women's luncheon July 18**

Irem Women's Auxiliary's luncheon will be held July 20 at Irem Temple Country Club at 12:30 p.m. Reservations must be made by July 18, with Mrs. Martha Reese, 675-5929. Luncheon is open to members and friends.

**Dallas class of '76 reunion committee forms**

Anyone interested in helping with the Dallas High School class of '76 reunion is invited to a meeting at 7 p.m., July 13 at the Four Seasons Golf course.

Those who cannot attend the meeting but are interested in helping should contact Brian Sickler, 675-7595; Peach Brown, 674-4959; Kathy E. Perry (Coyle) 283-3931 or Donna Heidel, 675-8487.

**Trucksville UM Women seek crafters for show**

The United Methodist Women of the Trucksville United Methodist Church will sponsor an "Autumn Harvest" craft show on November 18, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall of the Educational Building.

Space is limited and reservations will be awarded on a first come basis. Interested vendors (tables will be provided) may call the church office 696-3897 between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. Monday through Friday or call Barbara Glowach at 696-1093.

The United Methodist Women will sponsor a bake sale/candy table and will serve lunch from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. that day.

**Free medical clinic Friday at St. Therese's**

The Back Mountain Free Medical Clinic at St. Therese's Church, lower level, corner of Pioneer and Davis St., Shavertown, welcomes all who are in need of medical care by competent doctors, nurses and staff.

If uninsured or underinsured we care to help. Come Fridays, time: 6:30 p.m. Confidentiality assured.

**NE Jr. Players to hold performing arts camp**

Wyoming Valley's only non-profit youth theatre troupe will host a NE Junior Players, Performing Arts Day Camp, July 24-28 for ages 6-12 years at the Trucksville Studio of Major Performing Arts Center, Carverton Road.

Workshops in acting, dance, improv, clowning, costuming, sets and music will be featured. No experience necessary. Call 696-4755.



Junior girl Scout Troop 633 members are, row 1: Devon Rother, Lorraine Lovechio, troop guest Nicole Tarnalicki, Jennifer Zinn, Jamie Bozentka, Kristie Kovalick and troop guest Amanda Socash. Row 2, Rebecca Rowett, Caitlin Bessmer, Rebecca Pincovski, Jill Karichner, Emily Fritz, Brynn Kovalick and Amy Zavaskas. Row 3, Jennifer Raub, Kim Fowler, Nicole Sabatura, Nicole Sutton and RaeEllen Zekas. Missing from photo are Susan and Jessica Banks and Alex Stylinsk.

**Troop 633 ends busy season**

Junior Girl Scout Troop #633 recently ended a busy year with an overnight trip to Lancaster, where they toured an Amish village, the National Wax Museum, the Choo Choo Barn and a lunch excursion on the Strasburg Railroad.

During the year the troop collected items for UNICEF Peace Packs for refugee children as a service project, an overnight at the "Museum of Scientific Discov-

ery" in Harrisburg, a giant Christmas cookie bake, roller skating party, picnic/pool party and the play "Sleeping Beauty".

The girls earned many badges including "Talk", "My Self Esteem", "Communications", "Looking Your Best" and "Dabblers of People". Some girls achieved the "Sign of the Sun" or "Sign of the World".

Troop leaders are Mrs. Tracy Sutton and Mrs. Holly Karichner.



Sue Reilly, left, Junior League; Sharon Krasner, president, New Directions; Ramah Hackett, Junior League; Ed DeMichaels, American Cancer Society, gather to announce the League's \$5000 donation.

**Junior League raises money for American Cancer Society**

New Directions, a fundraising group for the American Cancer Society, Wyoming Valley Unit would like to thank the Wilkes-Barre Junior League for their generous donation during Send A Kid to Camp Celebration '95.

The recent benefit collected over \$11,000 and will allow area children to participate in Camp Can-Do, Mt. Gretna, Lebanon County.

Each year the Wilkes-Barre Junior League researches certain

needs in our community. This year, through the efforts of Sue Reilly, president, Junior League, and Ramah Hackett, Junior League, chairperson of project development, the Junior League presented New Directions with a \$5,000 donation to show their support to the children in our area afflicted with Cancer. Anyone interested in the camp may contact the A.C.S. office at 825-7763.

**Wilkes U. will host annual Hospice 100 pre-ride dinner**

Metz & Associates, Ltd., in conjunction with Wilkes University, will host the pre-Ride Food Extravaganza for riders in the Hospice Saint John Hospice Hundred.

The special pre-ride dinner, featuring many special foods geared for the occasion will be held at Wilkes University, where Metz & Associates is the food-service provider.

The Hospice Saint John Hospice Hundred, the region's premiere bicycle pledge tour ride, will be held Sunday, July 30. It will feature three bicycling routes through the rolling greenery of the Back Mountain, starting and ending at Dallas Area High School.

Registration begins at 7 a.m.

More than 100 riders are expected to participate in the event, which is designed to raise funds for Hospice Saint John, a not-for-profit hospice serving the terminally ill and their families in 10 counties of northeastern Pennsylvania. Hospice Saint John is a program of Lutheran Welfare Service of Northeastern Pennsylvania (LWS) a not-for-profit social ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

For further information about the Hospice Saint John Hospice Hundred and how you can help as a rider, volunteer, or donor, call 823-2114.

**SENIOR MENUS**

Senior Citizen's Centers sponsored by the Luzerne/Wyoming Counties Bureau for the Aging offers 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 July 17. All meals include margarine, milk and coffee.

**MONDAY** - Barbecue chicken, butternut squash, sliced beets, pineapple juice, pudding pop, whole wheat bread.

**TUESDAY** - Whimpies, steak fries, vegetable medley, cherry pie,

sandwich roll, cream of tomato soup, ketchup.

**WEDNESDAY** - Roast pork w/ sauerkraut, parslid potatoes, spinach, baked apple w/cream, whole wheat bread, lemon.

**THURSDAY** - Beef bracirole w/ gravy, whipped potatoes, parslid carrots, orange juice, oatmeal cookie, white bread.

**FRIDAY** - Italian hoagie, lettuce/tomato, potato chips, V-8 Juice, birthday cake, hoagie roll, mayonnaise.

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

**Dallas Rec Center activities**

The following is the schedule of events for the Dallas Recreation Center at the Kenneth Young Memorial Park, Burndale Road, Dallas for the week of July 13 - 19.

**FRIDAY** - Library hike, 11 a.m. Bring a bag lunch.  
**MONDAY** - Mini golf, 1 p.m.  
**TUESDAY** - Arts and Crafts, 11 a.m.  
**Wednesday** - Roller skating, 1 p.m.

**FAMILY REUNIONS**

**Kocher family**

Little did Johan Georg Kocher dream as he stepped off the St. Andrew's Galley in 1737, that in 1995, his descendants would still celebrate his heritage.

This year's Kocher Reunion will be held August 5 at St. John's Church Park in the Hanover section of Nanticoke.

Lunch will begin at noon. Anyone who wishes to assist in the arrangements for games and activities may contact Mike or Debi Dutil at 717-477-5388.

**Hoover family**

The 83rd Annual Reunion of the Hoover family will be held on Saturday, July 15, at the home of Larry and Iva (Hoover) Killian on Troxell Switch Road, Outlet, beginning with a buffet picnic lunch at 12 noon.

Each family is requested to bring one covered dish or a large dessert, their own place settings and beverages.

All family members and guests are invited to attend and participate in the entertainment and games of the afternoon.

**Dutil/Archavage family**

The Dutil/Archavage Reunion will be held August 12, at St. John's Church Park in the Hanover section of Nanticoke. Call Mike Dutil at 717-477-5388 for directions. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish, and their own place settings. Beverages will be provided from money raised at last year's reunion.

Games were such a big hit with the kids that Anne Marie Aed and Beth Acukiewicz have offered to do them again this year.

Adult prizes are being handled by Colleen Dutil and Debi Dutil.

Anyone wishing to keep the Chinese Auction going is asked to bring an inexpensive item along.

**Newell/Hiram Wilson family**

The Newell family reunion will be held July 16 at Knoebel's Park, Eleysburg, at Pavilion G. Meeting at 1 p.m. (This is a former Hiram Wilson reunion.) For info, call 639-2889.



**Employees honored for quality service**

Dallas Post office employees, Carol Sosik, Irene Bednar and Mary Ann Swingle were recently presented with Certificates of Appreciation and gift certificates by Postmaster Raymond Ceconi for their contributions to the operation of the Dallas Post Office.

**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. Morning Worship 9:30 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; WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. mid-week Chapel Service. Visitors expected. PHONE-A-PRAYER 675-4666.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH** - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. Rev. Harold R. Baer, Jr., Pastor. Worship Services 9:30 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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