

The Meadows will host free collectors' show Aug. 27

The community is invited to visit the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, for a free Collectors' Showplace and Mini Mart August 27, from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the all-purpose room, first floor. Highlighting "Collectors" day will be a 1929 Model "A" Ford with rumble seat. Other collections to be displayed include antique quilts, nutcrackers, nativity sets, antique wooden tools, trains, dolls, precious moments, Friar Tucks, crocheting, bells, unicorns, el-

ephants, pigs, Christmas houses, carved Santas, Mickey Mouse memorabilia, sports cards and more.

The Mini-Mart will offer for sale, Christmas items, crafts, jewelry, books and baked goods. Entertainment and free refreshments will be available.

Sponsored by the Meadows Auxiliary, this event will assist with the "Tent-Raising" campaign that will benefit residents.

Fair Queen entrants sought

The Luzerne County Fair is looking for contestants for the 1996 Luzerne County Queen contest, sponsored in part by Pepsi-Cola, WARM Radio, and Major Performing Arts Centers. This year's event will be held at the main stage of the County Fair September 7 at 4 p.m., with interviews with the judges held beforehand.

The 1996 winner will receive a

\$500 U.S. Savings Bond from Pepsi, an assortment of beautiful prizes and will represent Luzerne County in the PA State contest in January.

For an application, call 717-675-1761, an entry form will be mailed directly to your home address. Young women must be between the ages of 16 years and not over 20 years as of June 1.

SENIOR MENUS

Senior Citizens 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 August 26. All meals include margarine, milk and coffee.

MONDAY - Barbecue rib patty, tater tots, corn cobettes, tomato juice, chilled peaches, sandwich roll, ketchup.

TUESDAY - Baked ham, sweet potatoes, cauliflower w/ buttercrumb topping, whole wheat bread, rice pudding.

WEDNESDAY - Grilled chicken, rice pilaf, carrots w/dill, cantaloupe, whole wheat dinner roll.

THURSDAY - Baked manicotti w/meatballs and tomato sauce, lima beans, gelatin, orange juice, banana, Italian bread, salad w/ Italian dressing, parmesan cheese.

FRIDAY - Tuna salad platter, macaroni salad, marinated tomatoes, cranberry juice, minestrone soup, assorted crackers, lemon pie.

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

Meadows seeks volunteers

The Volunteer Department at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, is seeking volunteers to help escort residents to and from beauty shop appointments at the center's Beauty Shop. Morning and afternoon assignments are available on a substitute basis. Training provided. Please call the volunteer department at 675-8600. Ext. 138.

Trucksville UM Women to meet Sept. 3

The United Methodist Women of the Trucksville United Methodist Church will meet in the Fellowship Hall of the Educational Building September 3, beginning with a covered dish meal at 6:30 p.m.

Craft sale Aug. 24 at OES Building

The 8th annual Flea Market and Craft Sale will be held at the O.E.S. Building and parking lot on the corner of Woodlawn Ave. and Foster St., in Dallas, behind CVS, Aug. 24 from 9 to 4 p.m. Rain date, Aug. 25. Lunch will be available.

The Post offers school-year subscriptions

The Dallas Post offers special subscriptions for students going away to school or college. Subscriptions run from September through May, and cost \$15 in Pennsylvania, New York or New Jersey, and \$17 in all other states. To order, call 675-5211.



DAWN MARIE WANDEL AND BRIAN F. KAPLANSKI

Dawn M. Wandel engaged to Brian F. Kaplanski

Mr. and Mrs. Keith D. Wandel Sr., of Dallas announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn Marie to Brian F. Kaplanski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Kaplanski of Trucksville.

Miss Wandel is a 1990 graduate of Dallas High School and is pursuing a bachelor of science degree in occupational therapy at the University of Scranton. She is also employed by Western Auto Parts America of Wilkes-Barre as a parts counter specialist.

Mr. Kaplanski is a 1989 graduate of Dallas High School and is a former member of the United States Army Reserves. He is a graduate of All-State Career School of Philadelphia, where he earned his commercial driver's license. He is currently employed by J.B. Hunt Transport as a driver/trainer and has earned the Gold Drive award for safety.

The couple is planning to wed in June of 1997 at Fellowship Evangelical Free Church of Dallas.

Crafters needed for Oct. 19 show

The United Methodist Women of the Trucksville United Methodist Church will sponsor their second annual Craft Show October 19, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Vendors' tables are available at \$15.00 each and will be awarded on a first come basis. To reserve a table call the church office at 696-3897 or Barbara Glowach at 696-1093.

All proceeds from the show go toward the organization's local, national and global mission projects.

Red Cross blood drive Aug. 26 at Fellowship Church

A Red Cross blood drive will be held at Fellowship Evangelical Church, August 26, 1 p.m. - 6 p.m. in honor of Tim Madeira, a member of New Life Community Church in Idetown and a familiar face in the Back Mountain area. Because of a serious illness, Tim has been receiving blood on a regular basis.

Blood donors must be at least 17 years of age, weigh 105 pounds and be in good general health.

Diabetics can now give blood, as long as the sugar level is under control and the dosage of insulin or medication is constant. Diabetics can begin donating blood two weeks after beginning insulin injections.

Cancer patients can give blood only if they have not had chemo-

therapy or it has been five years from the date of surgery or radiation treatment.

People who have had myocardial infarction can donate blood after six months from the MI, as long as they are not taking any medication except aspirin, are symptom free, and no limits have been placed in physical activity. The same applies for those who have undergone coronary artery bypass, except that the deferral is for one year.

People taking antibiotics for acne may donate as long as there is no infection.

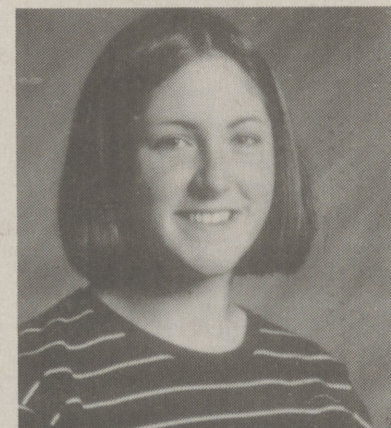
For more information or to schedule a blood donation, call the Wyoming Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross at 823-7161.

Tara Oatridge will open Red Barons game Aug. 25

Tara Elizabeth Oatridge, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oatridge, Jr. of Shavertown, will be guest soloist at the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Red Barons game, August 25. She will open the game by singing the "Star-Spangled Banner".

A junior at Dallas Senior High School, Tara is member of the Dallas High School band and chorus and a member of the Dr. Edwards junior choir.

Tara is a student at Roxanne Grant's Original Stars of Tomorrow, Forty Fort, under the direction of Elenora Grant.



TARA ELIZABETH OATRIDGE

Brittany Barbacci has 11th birthday

Brittany Barbacci, the daughter of Barb and Jim Barbacci of Market Street, Noxen will celebrate her 11th birthday August 21.

She has a brother, Christopher, 6, at home.

Brittany is the granddaughter of Eleanore and Elston Mowry, Laceyville and Ruth and Jim Barbacci, Noxen, and the great grand-daughter of Martha Stevens, Broadway Corners, Sweet Valley.



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