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nated, Rome said it would be impossible to do. "There will always be dead spots. There is no such thing as 100 percent radio coverage. We believe what we're doing will be better than what is being done today."

In early discussions of an Enhanced County 911 system, the new \$1.25 per phone line charge was to help pay for Mobile Data Computers (MDC), which were to be put in all emergency vehicles so that directions and instructions could be faxed directly to responders. Rome said the abolition of the Department of Community Affairs (DCA) ended that option.

Recently, 911 was put under the PA Emergency Management Agency, which determined that no part of the \$1.25 could be used for the MDC. The money is currently used for phone systems, fixed radio systems and salaries. "We still want the MDCs, we just don't know where to get the money to pay for them," said Rome.

Kingston Township police chief, James Balavage, anticipates the county 911 will work well and hopes the quality of communication currently enjoyed by police is maintained.



Day of honor

The Jackson Township Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary held its annual Memorial Day observance Saturday at the fire hall. The ceremonies included civic and military segments. Below, Rev. Ronald Cease of Valley View Union Chapel presented a spiritual message. At left, Dusty Rhodes, president of the Lake-Lehman High School band, played "To The Colors" during the military ceremony. The firing squad consisted of Sgt. Charles Fino, SPC. William Dutzar and PFC. Philip Losito.

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Ron Rome
Intragovernmental coordinator,
Luzerne County
Emergency Services

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Luzerne County non-emergency
819-4916*
Dallas Borough 675-4650
Dallas Township 675-5251*
Harveys Lake 639-1690*
Kingston Twp. 696-1175*
BMCC 675-4650

Emergency

911
Harveys Lake 675-5259**

* May continue to be used after June 17
** Until June 17, then 911

Athena

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the Consortium of Distance Education at Burlington County College for "Outstanding contributions and dedicated service to distance education."

The Chamber and the ATHENA Award Committee are proud to welcome Elly Miller to the list of outstanding individuals who have received this prestigious award. This is the 13th consecutive year of this program in the Greater Wilkes-Barre region.

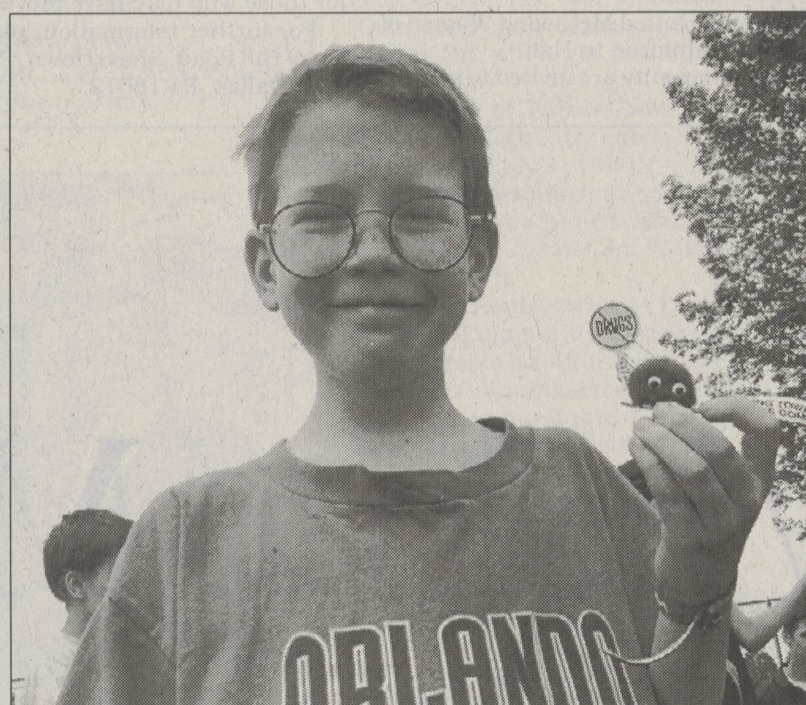
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Jason Sutton holds the prize he won at the putting booth. The prize, a cute fuzzy animal, carries the message to say no to drugs.

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before). Some ran to the dunking booth to sink a sophomore, others ran for a scoop of strawberry, chocolate or peanut butter ice cream.

With all this excitement, you might think the message of staying drug and alcohol free is lost, but the sixth graders seem to get it.

"The carnival is so people don't get addicted and die of drugs," said Cheryl Ross, 12. "We learn not to do drugs and what they do to you." Cheryl agreed with her friend Val Thompson that it helped to hear about drugs from teenagers.

Chris Bower, 12, frankly summed up the girls comments when he said, "We don't listen to old people."

Becky Edwards, a sophomore from Harveys Lake, was part of the group running the ring toss

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Lake-Lehman sophomore

booth. "I decided to do this for the kids. I think being around older kids influences them. They look up to us," she said.

Junior Chris Crawford said the carnival makes the message fun. "It's good to get them while their young," he said. "We would've liked something like this (when we were younger)."

All the prizes handed out, such as pencils, toy planes and fuzzy animals, tell the winners to just say no to drugs

and alcohol.

Baranowski said it's not just the younger ones who learn a thing or two. "The high school students create and design each booth. They also have to fill out an extensive application and get their teacher's permission," she said.

Jon Korbeil, junior, said "We learn how to deal with younger kids." He also mentioned that he enjoyed showing kids that there is always something else to do besides drugs.

Barnowski said local fire stations, such as Lehman Township Fire and Ambulance, bring their fire trucks for the grade schoolers to see. Also, the United States Army provided large tents and Hot 97 radio provided music.

The high school plans to improve the event every year.

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