

## New books at BMT Library

The Back Mountain Memorial Library, 96 Huntsville Road, Dallas, announces the addition of the following books to their collection:

**FICTION**  
 "Further Lane" by James Brady  
 "The Secret Warriors" by W.E.B. Griffin  
 "Mackerel by Moonlight" by William F. Weld  
 "French Quarter" by Stella Cameron  
 "Imagining Atlantis" by Richard Ellis  
 "The First Horseman" by John Case  
 "Contract With An Angel" by Andrew M. Greeley  
 "The Museum Guard" by Howard Norman  
 "No Safe Place" by Richard North Patterson  
 "Tell My Your Dreams" by Sidney Sheldon

**MYSTERY**  
 "Black Coffee": A Hercule Poirot novel/adapted as a novel by Charles Osborne

**TAPES**  
 "The Wedding" by Dorothy West

**STORY COLLECTION**  
 "Soundings" by Anita Brookner

**SCIENCE FICTION**  
 "Legends"

**REFERENCE**  
 The Official 1999 Blackbook Price Guide to United States Coins" by

Marc Hudgeons, N.L.G. and Tom Hudgeons

**LARGE PRINT**  
 "The Toll House" by Patricia Wendorf  
 "Roxanne Slade" by Reynolds Price  
 "Brunswick Gardens" by Anne Perry  
 "Chromosome 6" by Robin Cook  
 "Numbered Account" by Christopher Reich  
 "Zek & Ned" by Larry McMurtry  
 "Why We Love the Dogs We Do" by Stanley Coren  
 "Unspeakable" by Sandra Brown

**NON-FICTION**  
 "Strong Women Stay Slim" by Miriam E. Nelson  
 "Stories, Essays & Memoir" by Eudora Welty  
 "Restoring Old Houses" by Nigel Hutchins  
 "My Brain is Open" by Bruce Schechter  
 "Restoring Houses of Brick and Stone" by Nigel Hutchins  
 "Glory and Games"  
 "Reading Lessons: The Debate Over Literacy" by Gerald Coles  
 "Complete Novels" by Eudora Welty  
 "Cooking Well for the Unwell" by Eileen Behan  
 "New Choices in Natural Healing" edited by Bill Gottlieb  
 "Laurel's Kitchen Caring" by Laurel Robertson



## Scouts attend Philmont

Recently members of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Boy Scout Council visited Philmont, the National High Adventure backpacking camp in northern New Mexico, spending over 11 days and nights of wilderness backpacking, hiking over 75 miles in elevations of 6,000 to 12,000 feet. Shown from left, are sitting: Jon Lepo, Exeter; David Kowalek, Lee Griffin, Dallas; Becky Holcomb, Philmont Ranger; Jeff Ferarro, Wyoming; Andrew Dale, Dallas, Eric Kowalek, Dallas. Standing, Larry Griffin advisor; Brian Downey, Dallas; Dr. Michael Ferarro, Advisor; Brad Kondracki, Kingston; and Anthony Kondracki, Advisor.

## SENIOR MENUS

Senior Citizens Centers sponsored by the Luzerne/Wyoming Counties Bureau for the Aging offer hot meals Monday through Friday to people 60 years of age. The following is the menu for the week of September 28. All meals include margarine, milk and coffee.

**MONDAY** - Stuffed cabbage rolls with tomato sauce, whipped potatoes, green beans, tomato juice, whole wheat bread, sliced peaches.

**TUESDAY** - Baked ham slice with pineapple, cauliflower with buttercrumb topping, sweet potatoes, white bread, vanilla pudding.

**WEDNESDAY** - Turkey ala King, peach & pear compote, grapefruit juice, vegetable medley, buttermilk biscuit, sugar cookie.

**THURSDAY** - Barbecued chicken, Au gratin potatoes, grape juice, vegetable medley, whole wheat bread, butterscotch krimpets.

**FRIDAY** - Tuna salad, fruit salad with citrus sections, marinated tomato salad, croissant, chocolate chip cookie, Manhattan clam chowder.

## MOVERS & SHAKERS

VNA Management Services of Luzerne County has promoted **Jeff Bomboy**, R.N., B.S., Trucksville, to the position of Community Liaison Nurse. Bomboy earned a nursing diploma from Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, and a Bachelor's Degree in Health Care Administration from St. Joseph's College in Standish, Ma.



**Karen M. Wisnieski** of Shavertown recently received notice of her successful completion of the Naplex and Pennsylvania Pharmacy law examinations.



Karen is presently employed as a registered pharmacist with Rite-Aid Corporation in their Northeastern Pennsylvania District.

Wisnieski is the daughter of Dan and Irene Wisnieski, is a 1998 graduate of University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy. She is also a graduate of Dallas High School where she was salutatorian of the class of 1993.

**Gary Karwaski**, R.Ph., of The Medicine Shoppe Pharmacy located at 28 Dallas Shopping Center in Dallas, has received the 1997 Community Service Award from Medicine Shoppe International, Inc., in recognition of providing healthcare screenings and wellness programs for consumers.

## Dallas High Class of '78 reunion

Dallas High School Class of 1978 will hold its 20th class reunion on Saturday, Nov. 26, at the Irem Temple Country Club in Dallas from 6 to 11 p.m. The cost is \$40 per person. Letters will be mailed to classmates during the month of August with payment due no later than October 1. An Ice Breaker will be held at the Grotto at Harveys Lake on Friday, Nov. 25. Addresses are sought for the following classmates: Richard Albrecht, Jonathan Davis, Deanna Dennis, Cathy Ellsworth, Kerry Fischle, Charlene Furman, Kim Moore, Craig Moyer, Dorothy Shaver, Ellen Spar, James Stokes, Rebecca Surkala, Marilyn Vail, Paul Weber. Call Melissa Parry at 288-3215 or Kathy Samuels at 675-9862 with information.

Mothers on a Mission (MOM) is a group of concerned individuals from Luzerne County who meet every year to discuss ways of assisting the Catherine McAuley Center. The Center is a non-profit organization sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy and named after their foundress. The Center provides housing, food, clothing, and supportive services to homeless women and children.



The MOM Committee met this month to name a chairperson to lead them in this year's campaign and welcome new members. One of the new members is **Barbara O'Donnell** who is a new resident of Shavertown.

The Committee announced that this year's campaign is a Special Appeal that includes a letter of request, information about the Catherine McAuley Center, a unique Mother's Day Card, and return envelope. The MOM Committee has set this year's goal at \$50,000.

**Justine Ostrowski** was recently notified that she has passed the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Examination and has met all of the requirements for national certification as a family nurse practitioner. She is affiliated with Ronald I. Harris, M.D., at the Penn State Geisinger Health Group, Valley Medical Building in Wilkes-Barre as a certified reg-



istered nurse practitioner in the department of endocrinology.

Ostrowski earned a bachelor of science degree and master of science degree in nursing from College Misericordia, where she also completed the family nurse practitioner program and received the Dr. Marcie Jones Graduate Nursing Award. While at College Misericordia, she received the Mary Kateri Dowart Award for Leadership in Excellence in Nursing and was inducted into the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing. During her education,

she was involved in caring for the migrant worker populations near Clarks Summit, developed educational handouts for parents of infants to age 12 months, and presented educational classes on infant and toddler growth and development for the public.

Experienced in the areas of emergency, intensive care, cardiothoracic and medical surgical nursing, she is a certified emergency nurse and holds neonatal, pediatric and advanced cardiac life support certifications. Prior to joining the Penn State Geisinger

Health System, she was a registered nurse in the emergency department at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital.

Ostrowski resides at Harveys Lake with her husband, Michael.

**Heather Ann Voitek**, R.N., B.S.N., a resident of Shavertown, was recently appointed a team nurse for the VNA Obstetrics Early Discharge Program. Ms. Voitek holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing from Bloomsburg University. Prior to her affiliation with The Visiting Nurse Association/Home Health Services, she was a Pediatric Nurse with the Wyoming Valley Health Care System at the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital Campus.

The VNA Obstetrics Early Discharge Program is a newly developed program to provide high quality post-partum and newborn follow-up and teaching services in the comfort of the new mother's home. Services are provided by a team of experienced obstetric, neonatal and pediatric nurses.

For more information on this program please call 820-7888.

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