

Lake-Noxen events

The Lake-Noxen Elementary School is sponsoring the following events in December:
 Wednesday, Dec. 9, The American Red Cross Blood Drive from 1-6 p.m.
 Thursday, Dec. 10, Dinner at the Northbound, 7 p.m. (this date has been changed)
 Monday, Dec. 14 through Thursday, Dec. 17, Santa's Workshop, each child is given the opportunity to purchase Christmas gifts for family and friends.
 Wednesday, Dec. 23, Visit from Santa: Santa will visit each classroom and each child will be given a small gift.
 Volunteers are always needed. If you have not previously signed-up for, and would like to participate, please contact Linda Schuler at 639-2541.

DHS Band's holiday concert Dec. 13

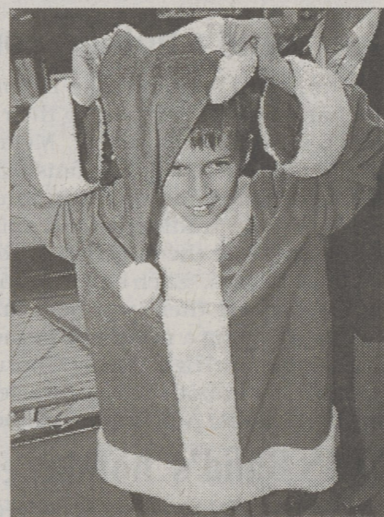
The Dallas High School Concert Band, Jazz Band, Select Chorus and Full Chorus will present its annual holiday performance at the Dallas High School auditorium on Sunday, Dec. 13, at 3 p.m.
 The program will be traditional holiday and seasonal music and carols under the direction of Todd Hunter, Geoffrey Dent and Ms. Cassie Paley. The performance is free and open to the public.
 The Dallas Band Booster Organization will also have a holiday decorative items on sale in the hallway.

Dallas yearbooks are now available

The 1998 Dallas Yearbooks are available to students who placed orders earlier this year. Alumni may pick up their yearbooks from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. daily in the high school main office. Receipts are helpful, but not necessary. A limited number of extra copies are also available on a first-come, first-serve basis for those who did not order earlier. Payment is due in full upon receipt of the book.

Holiday happenings

The holiday spirit was in full bloom around the Back Mountain last week. At Westmoreland Elementary School, the third graders put on the annual program of Christmas and Hanukah music, which included a costumed rendition of "The Twelve Days of Christmas." In photos, clockwise from right; Stacie Major looked sharp in a top hat as she prepared to play Frosty the Snowman; Eric Hildebrand finally got to don his Santa cap; Anna Kammen held a candle as she sang; Nick Barbose, Paul Kowalek and Matt Alfano contrasted with a mannequin that played the part of a toy soldier.



POST PHOTOS BY CHARLOTTE BARTIZEK

Keith Hunter donates watercolor to courthouse

Attorney Keith A. Hunter, a resident of Shavertown, recently donated to the Wilkes-Barre Law and Library Association/Luzerne County Bar his original watercolor painting of the Courthouse. In addition to his law practice, Attorney Hunter is widely known as a watercolor artist.
 A graduate of the Case Western Reserve University Law School, he has been a member of the Luzerne County Bar for many years, and is associated with the firm of Mahler, Shaffer & Pugliese, with offices in Kingston.
 Attorney Hunter's endeavors as an artist have earned him a number of watercolor awards and his paintings have been featured in a series of one-man shows. Other Hunter paintings are hung at the Osterhout Library, the V.A. Hospital in Wilkes-Barre, and in a number of private collections in Pennsylvania and other states.
 He serves as a member of the Advisory Commission of the Sordoni Art Gallery; is a member of the MacDonald Art Gallery; the Art Association of Harrisburg; and other art organizations. Currently he is president of the Wyoming Valley Art League.



Charles A. Shaffer, Esq., left, president of the Wilkes-Barre Law and Library Association, with Keith A. Hunter, Esq., and his original watercolor of the Luzerne County Courthouse. The painting is now on display in the Law Library of the Association at the Courthouse.

St. Therese's to hold night of singing

St. Therese's Church, Shavertown will hold an evening of Advent Lessons and Carols, featuring Adult, Youth and Bell Choirs, Sunday, Dec. 13 at 6 p.m.

Pet photos with Santa December 19-20

The SPCA of Luzerne County will hold its annual Pet Photos with Santa from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 19-20. The SPCA is located at 524 E. Main Street, (Fox-Hill), Plains Twp. For more information, call 825-4111.
 Dogs will be photographed on Saturday and cats on Sunday. Donation is \$5 per photo.

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