

CALENDAR

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COMMUNITY

FEB. 13, VOLUNTARY RECYCLING, drop-off center for Lake Township will be accepting recyclables, from 10 a.m. - 12 noon at the township building. The following items may be dropped off: aluminum and bi-metal cans, clear, brown and green glass, plastic #1 and #2 only. No motor oil containers can be accepted. No newspaper this month.

SLIGHTLY READ BOOKSHOP, Bk. Mt. Memorial Library, Mon. & Wed., 1-8 p.m., Sat., 10-5 p.m. Fiction, non-fiction, children, juvenile, classic, cookbooks, mystery, sci-fi, travel & others at great savings.

NEWSPAPERS for blind and elderly daily on WRKC-FM 88.5, 10 a.m.-noon. Call Tom Carten at 826-5811 for information.

FRIDAYS-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. 6:30 p.m. Confidentiality assured.

BINGO every Thursday night at the Kunkle Fire Hall, Rte. 309, Kunkle. Jackpot, Early Birds, 5:45 p.m. regular games 7:15 p.m.

BINGO every Sunday night at the Shavertown Fire Hall, Main St., Shavertown, 6 p.m. Doors open at 5 p.m. Paperbingo. Jackpot, Magic Number. Smoking and non-smoking available. Refreshments.

CLUBS/GROUPS

FEB. 14, NEW VOICE CLUB, laryngectomy support group, 1:30 p.m., allied Services, Mundy St., Wilkes-Barre. Call Ken, 823-7459.

FEB. 21, BOWMAN'S CREEK WATERSHED ASSOC. monthly meeting, at Noxen-Monroe Sportsman Club, Market St., Noxen, 4 p.m. Bowman's Creek Watershed covers townships of Fairmount; Ross, Lake, Dallas; Franklin and Harveys Lake Borough in Luzerne Co. The townships of Noxen; Monroe, Eaton; Forkston, Northmoreland and Mehoopany in Wyoming Co.

EXHIBITS

MacDONALD ART GALLERY, College Misericordia, Dallas. Tues.-Thurs. noon-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Fri., noon-5 p.m. Sat., Sun., 1-5 p.m. Free. 674-6250.

THROUGH FEB. 21, SHARING OUR COLLECTION, Members annual Exhibition. Opening reception Jan. 17, 2-5 p.m.

FEB. 28-MAR. 31, SUZANNE MARIE ROSETTI MEMORIAL ART EXHIBITION, A juried exhibition by arts students from Back Mountain, Northwest and Tunkhannock high schools.

THROUGH FEB. 28, WILKES UNIVERSITY DEPT. OF ART FACULTY BIENNIAL, Sordani Art Gallery, Main Gallery, Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre. Daily, noon-5 p.m. 831-4325.

THROUGH FEB. 28, LUIGI LUCIONI: ETCHINGS, Sordani Art Gallery, Print Room, Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre. Daily noon-5 p.m. 831-4325.

HEALTH

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), new chapter, meets at the Lehman United Methodist Church, between 5:15 and 6:15 p.m. Stop by on your way home from work. For more info call 675-7505 or 675-1682 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

TOPS (take off pounds sensibly) Chapter 1360 meets every Thursday at the Shavertown Methodist Church, Shavertown. Weigh-ins from 5-6 p.m. followed by a brief informative meeting. Anyone interested is welcome to join as a guest for the first meeting. Call Crys Jennings 675-4336 or Margie Hislop 696-1212.

RECOVERY INC.: Self-Help Mental Health Since 1937, Wednesdays, 7-9 p.m. Shavertown U.M. Church, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. This is a self-help group for people who suffer from anxiety, fear, panic attacks, depression, obsessions and other nervous symptoms. For more information, 331-2422.

BLOODMOBILE

FEB. 16, DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Parsonage St., Dallas, 12:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.



Contra Dance for Valentine's Day

The Chicory House and the Folklore Society will again showcase local talent at New England Contra Dance Saturday, Feb. 13 at 8 p.m. The dance is held at the St. Therese's Church, Pioneer Ave. at Davis St. in Shavertown. Music is to be provided by the Warrington family, with Ridge Kennedy calling. No partner or previous experience is necessary.

The five-member Warrington family band features a wonderful combination of American, Celtic and English Country dance tunes. Youngsters Ian and Lucy will be featured on fiddle, while their brother Ben will add keyboard accompaniment. Mother, Jean, adds rhythm acoustic guitar, and dad, Peter, will provide bass rhythm. They have been featured musicians at previous contra dances and the junior members of the band performed at the Swetland Homestead and at classical music recitals in the Wyoming Valley.

The Chicory house is an all-volunteer, non-profit coffeehouse, sponsoring folk music and dance in the Wyoming Valley. Admission to the dance is \$6 for adults and \$15 for families. Dancers are asked to wear soft-soled shoes and to bring a snack to share at intermission. Further information is available at 333-4007.

CHURCH

FELLOWSHIP EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH, Ladies Bible study Weds., 6:30-8 p.m. Thurs., 9-11:30 a.m. at Fellowship Evangelical Free Church, 45 Hildebrandt Rd., Dallas, (next to Dallas High School) For more information 675-6426.

KIDSTUFF

STORY TIME and special events. Tudor Book Shop and Cafe, 651 Wyoming Ave., Kingston, Wed. at 4 p.m. Fri., 10:30 a.m. Free. 288-9697.

SPECIAL EVENTS

FEB. 13, WARRINGTON FAMILY BAND, New England Contra Dances, St. Therese's Church, Pioneer Ave., Shavertown, 8 p.m. \$6. \$15 family. 333-4007.

FEB. 19-21, BUILDERS' HOME SHOW, builders, remodelers, Realtors. 109th Field Artillery Armory, Market St., Wilkes-Barre. Fri., 5-9 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sun., 11 a.m.-5 p.m. \$3. Children free. 287-3331.

SWETLAND HOMESTEAD, 885 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming. Saturdays 10 a.m.-4 p.m. \$3, \$1 children 12 and under. Free for members of the Historical Society, 823-6244.

SPECIAL EVENTS

STAR-GAZING, Friedman Observatory at Penn State Wilkes-Barre, begins 8 p.m. on Wed. and Fri. nights, weather permitting. Sessions are free and open to the public. Groups of 10 or more are asked to call for reservations. For more information, call 675-9278; or leave a message at the Observatory at 675-9149.

WYOMING HISTORICAL & GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY, 49 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Research library. Museum with permanent exhibit on the anthracite era and local American Indians. 822-1727. www.whgs.org

MUSIC

FEB. 16 & 18, FOUR NATIONS ENSEMBLE, concert in Wilkes-Barre, noon, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, S. Franklin St., 8 p.m. Thurs., at J. Carroll McCormick Campus Ministry Center, Jackson & N. Franklin Sts. on the King's College campus. Both performances are free and open to the public. For more info, call 208-5966.

FEB. 19, ERIC ANDERSEN, Lyric poet singer/songwriter, 8 p.m., Chickory House, St. Stephen's Church, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Public information number is 825-8772.

FEB. 22, VOICE OF THE TURTLE, North America's premiere Sephardic musical ensemble, will perform their famous blend of Judeo-Spanish music, 8 p.m. College Misericordia Walsh Auditorium. Concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call 674-6719.

AT THE KIRBY

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic. All concerts at 8 p.m. 457-8301.

FEB. 20, POPS II: DALLAS MEETS BERLIN.

FEB. 26, TERRI CLARK, country singer. 8 p.m., \$28, \$24, \$19. 826-1100 or 654-2028./

STAGE

MUSIC BOX PLAYERS 1998 SEASON, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville, Thurs., Fri., Sat., 6 p.m. open; 8 p.m. curtain; Sun. matinee, 1:30 p.m. open; 3:15 curtain. Adults \$30, \$22 children 12 and under. Show only, \$17 adults, \$15 students, \$13 children. 283-2195 or 1-800-698-7529.

FEB. 11-14, 18-21, 25-27, GYPSY, musical.

FEB. 12, 13, THE ROYAL FAMILY, presented by Wyoming Seminary Players, Buckingham Performing Arts Center, Wyoming Seminary, North Sprague Ave., Kingston. Admission \$2.

FEB. 12-14, 19-21, ANYTHING GOES, Cole Porter musical, Wilkes University, Dorothy Dickson Darte Center, Wilkes-Barre. \$10, \$5 seniors. 8 p.m., Feb. 14 & 21, 2 p.m. Group rates available, discounted rates given to F.M. Kirby Center members. 408-4540.

FEB. 19-20, 26-28, PRISONER OF SECOND AVE., Neil Simon comedy, 8 p.m., Matinee Feb. 28, 2 p.m., Showcase Theatre, 54 Tunkhannock Ave., Exeter. 654-2555.

CROSSWORD CORNER

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| ACROSS | you" | 72 Biblical name | 108 Stormed | 32 Betel palm | lead-in |
| 1 - "My Way" | 42 Meal or work lead-in | 73 Greek physician | 109 Italian epic poet | 35 Dark Chinese tea | 69 Dogs and cats, often |
| 6 Canter and trot | 43 "...thou hast a name that thou..." (Rev. 3:1) | 74 Intoxicating plant juice | DOWN | 36 Fast planes | 70 Chest sounds |
| 11 Punctuation marks | 45 Narrow slat | 75 Congregation's head | 1 Chafing | 37 Plant shoots | 71 Cross |
| 16 Spanish-speaking district | 46 Herd | 78 Young male horses | 2 Band on a shield | 38 Base-stealing maneuvers | 73 Aggressive person |
| 17 Range of activity | 47 The south of France | 79 Reduce lens aperture | 3 Head of Benjamin's clan | 39 Tel- | 74 Stays away from home all night |
| 18 Cylindrical and tapered | 48 John Jacob and Mary | 83 River islands | 41 Antony's loan request? | 40 Ship of 1492 | 75 American patriot/author |
| 20 "Norma" composer | 49 Degrees in development | 84 "Lady Be..." (old movie) | 42 Conspiracies | 5 Share | 76 Giving assistance |
| 21 Instrument for Casals | 51 Impure type of sodium carbonate | 86 "Wild ox" | 44 Caesar's fatal date | 6 Recreational vehicle | 77 Temporary substitute |
| 22 Largest living bird | 52 Railroad handcars | 87 Wild ox | 46 Fern leaf | 7 Sharp mountain crest | 78 Moslem magistrate |
| 24 Auk genus | 53 Schemes | 88 Altar phrase | 47 Bus or boat lead-in | 48 Church parts | 79 "Like it Hot" |
| 25 Handled | 56 Owlsh | 89 Summer refreshers | 49 Point of view | 50 Graceful dance | 80 In constant motion |
| 27 Small, sudden explosions | 57 Ram down | 90 Ram down | 51 Graceful dance | 48 Church parts | 81 Suits |
| 29 Fencing sword | 58 Dove shelters | 91 High, craggy hill | 52 Pierced with horns | 53 Adult insect stage | 82 Asiatic plants |
| 30 - polio | 59 Tourist's need | 92 Palm leaf used in thatching | 54 Adult insect stage | 54 Bowling alleys | 85 Circus workers |
| 31 Down to the - (to the very end) | 60 Confessed to a crime | 94 Anagram for time | 55 Scanty | 55 Scanty | 86 Increased |
| 32 Start of the play | 61 Acts servilely | 95 Most arid | 57 Sheltered anchorage | 57 Sheltered anchorage | 90 Hackneyed |
| 33 Greek letter | 62 Philippine Moslems | 97 Lean-to | 58 Gathering of witches | 58 Gathering of witches | 93 River in Italy |
| 34 Japanese aborigine | 63 Frog genus | 98 Etch designs on | 61 Small souvenirs | 61 Small souvenirs | 94 - Knievel |
| 36 River sediment | 64 Chang's brother | 100 City on the Po | 62 Apportions | 62 Apportions | 95 Rope or line lead-in |
| 37 Sings like Bing | 65 Rescued | 102 Legal evictions | 63 Spanish | 63 Spanish | 96 Salad fish |
| 39 Boxer and caliph | 66 Part or break off | 104 Stupid or silly fellow | 65 Chor plum | 65 Chor plum | 97 Fr. holy women |
| 40 - show | 67 Aged beer | 105 Related on mom's side | 66 Old mariners | 66 Old mariners | 99 - Annie, of "Oklahoma!" |
| | 68 Night's pause on a journey | 106 Opens | 67 Light or post | 67 Light or post | 101 Merkel of movies |
| | 70 Appraised | 107 Steno groups | | | 103 Childless; plural abbr. |
| | 71 Branching | | | | |

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| ACROSS | Kristi Yamaguchi | 6 Blind - | Foreman |
| 1 Pop singer | 38 "Oedipus" | 7 Russian space station | 34 Videogame parlor |
| 5 Aries | 39 Story of a lifetime | 8 One of the Gorgons | 35 Appear |
| 8 One of the help | 40 The "final frontier" | 9 Seed coating | 36 Round |
| 12 Pedestal statue | 43 Contradiction | 10 "Bus Stop" playwright | Table address |
| 13 Kyoto sash | 47 Lover for one | 11 Repr.'s rivals | 37 Eucalyptus eaters |
| 14 Sea eagle | 50 Very eager | 17 Open a bit | 39 Wool, bow-wow, arf, et al. |
| 15 Brunch, for one | 51 Wapiti | 19 Favorite | 40 Hormel product |
| 16 Model | 52 Rue the run | 22 Festive | 41 Macadamize |
| 18 Fort wall | 53 Erstwhile Persian | 23 Marceau portrayal | 42 Saharan ayes |
| 20 Author Verne | 54 Affront, in slang | 24 Eventual | 43 Hungarian sheepdog |
| 21 Undeniably | 55 Bedazzle | 25 " - the ram-parts..." | 44 Steno's skill: abbr. |
| 22 Petrol | DOWN | 26 Crony | 45 Honolulu's island |
| 23 Give a leg up | 1 Walk unsteadily | 27 - long way | 46 Comic-book supergroup |
| 26 Pattern of excellence | 2 Thought | 28 Can. prov. | 48 U.K. ref. bk. |
| 30 " - Got a Secret" | 3 Make like an eagle | 29 Born | |
| 31 Serenade the moon | 4 Mitigates | 31 Compete with | |
| 32 "A Chorus Line" song | 5 Ring borders | | |
| 33 Sunshade | | | |
| 36 Emulate | | | |

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Answers to Crossword, Challenger on page 12

challenger THE INTERNATIONAL CROSSNUMBER GAME

DIRECTIONS: Fill each square with a number, one through nine. Horizontal squares should add to totals on right. Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom. Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

Today's Challenge
Time 14 Minutes
2 Seconds

Your Working

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Time Minutes Seconds

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