

# CALENDAR

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## COMMUNITY

**MAY 15, HAM & SCALLOPED POTATO DINNER** 4-7 p.m. St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Rte. 6W of Tunkhannock. All you can eat. Adults \$7; children \$3; 5 and under free. Bake sale.

**MAY 15, BAKED HAM DINNER**, Fairmount Twp. Vol. Fire & Ambulance Co. 4-7 p.m. Adults \$6; children \$3. Menu, ham, mashed potatoes/gravy, vegetables, dessert and beverage. Take out orders available.

**MAY 22, LADIES AUXILIARY FLEA MARKET**, Jackson Twp. Volunteer Fire Dept., 8-2 p.m. at the Fire Hall on Chase Road. The hall will be filled with everything from brand new discounted toys to homemade crafts and knick-knacks. Anyone who likes to shop or has an appetite for lunch, is invited to stop at the Ladies Auxiliary tables and help support the local fire department by sampling some of the best homemade goodies in the Back Mountain.

**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. Paper bingo. Jackpot, Magic Number. Smoking and non-smoking available. Refreshments.

## BLOODMOBILE

**MAY 25, IREM TEMPLE COUNTRY CLUB**, Country Club Road, Dallas, 12:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**MAY 13-16, FINE ARTS FIESTA**, Artist Market, children's activities, art exhibitions, bandshell performances. Public Square, Wilkes-Barre. Free.

**MAY 21, FLOWER BLOSSOM BALL** with Joe Bachak Band, Anthracite VFW Post 283, 757 Wyoming Ave., Kingston. 8-11 p.m. doors open 7:30 p.m. Smoke free atmosphere, refreshments available. 287-7511.

**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.

**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.

## HEALTH

**MAY 12, BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**, Thomas P. Saxton Medical Pavilion, VNA Conference Room. All Breast Cancer Support Group meetings are conducted in a relaxed, casual manner which allow group participants to offer one another, hope and support. Reservations are requested. In order to ensure adequate accommodations, only women who have had breast surgery or are currently fighting cancer are requested to register by calling 552-8632 or 1-800-838-WELL.

**MAY 16, MEMORIAL TREE, by SHARE of NE PA**, the pregnancy and infant loss support group of Wyo. Valley Health Care System, 1 p.m. at Kirby Park, Wilkes-Barre. SHARE is a mutual help program for families who have lost a child through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth or early infant death. SHARE provides valuable support and education about the grieving process to parents and grandparents coping with perinatal loss. For more info, call 552-8632 or 1-800-838-WELL.

# Thomas has title role in children's classic play

*Pinocchio*, the tale of the little wooden boy whose nose grows bigger each time he tells a lie, will conclude the 1999 Children's Theatre Season at the Music Box Dinner Playhouse. Performance dates are May 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 and 23. Friday performances are at 6 p.m. Saturdays at 1 and 5 p.m. and Sundays at 1 p.m. This original musical adaptation of the classic Italian story is by Kevin Costley, with music by Linda Houck and lyrics by Costley. The show's cast includes Craig Thomas, a 7th grade student at Lake-Lehman Middle School, playing Pinocchio. Criag is the son of Lee and Cindy Thomas of Jackson Township. He has a younger sister, Emily.



## SIERRA CLUB

**MAY 16, SINGLES HIKE** at Keystone College. Meet 11 a.m. Dunmore YMCA, Exit 55, I-81 or 11:45 a.m. parking lot of Keystone College, Tte 6, LaPlume. 942-4282.

## AT THE KIRBY

Kirby Center 71 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, 826-1100, or Ticketmaster, 693-4100 or www.kirbycenter.org  
The Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic. All concerts at 8 p.m. 457-8301.

**MAY 13, THE GODFATHER**, 7:30 p.m. Admission \$3. Free public tours of the historical Kirby, 5-7 p.m. Coffee and pastry by "Un Po d'Italia". Coordinated by Leadership Wilkes-Barre class of '99.

## HEALTH

**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.

## KIDSTUFF

**MAY 12-14, CHILDREN'S THEATRE FESTIVAL**, featuring Pinocchio, The Red Balloon, The Gizmo Guys, and The Dinner Dogs. Performances at the F.M. Kirby Center, the Dart Center at Wilkes University and Bishop Hoban High School, all in Wilkes-Barre. 823-4599. \$4.50 advance, \$5 at the door.

## STAGE

**MAY 14, 15, 16, THE COURSE** Showcase Theatre, Pittston. 8 p.m., Sun., 2 p.m. For ticket prices and reservations, call 654-2555.

## EXHIBITS

**THROUGH-JUNE 6, A CELEBRATION OF ART & MUSIC**, Paul Bacon, Sordoni Art Gallery, Main Gallery, Wilkes-University, Wilkes-Barre. Daily, noon to 5 p.m. 831-4325.

**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 MAY 23, THE PORTRAIT & HUMAN FIGURE**, a group exhibition. Meet the artists reception Apr. 10, 6-8 p.m.

**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

**MAY 14, REGIONAL SHOWCASE:** Chicory House, St. Stephen's Church, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Celtic group Clare's Fancy, acoustic blues duo Tom Rosencrans & Nate Myers and singer-songwriter Don Shappelle, 8 p.m. \$5.

**MOZART CLUB OF WILKES-BARRE**. The club meets the third Monday of the month at Church of Christ United, Market St., Kingston with a concert following each meeting at 8 p.m. and sponsors a Junior Club for students. For more info, call 472-3250 or 655-3184. Concerts open to the public.

**NORTHEAST PA DOO-WOPP SOCIETY** seeks new members. Meeting/social hour at Lispi's Lounge, Fox Hill Road, Plains Twp. first Tues. of every month, 7 p.m. for details call 842-0730 or 696-4325 nights.

**MAY 22, STANDING STONE & Tchaikovsky's Romeo & Juliet Overture**, Fidelio Opera Company, Irem Temple, 52 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. 8 p.m. \$13, \$20. 819-4719.

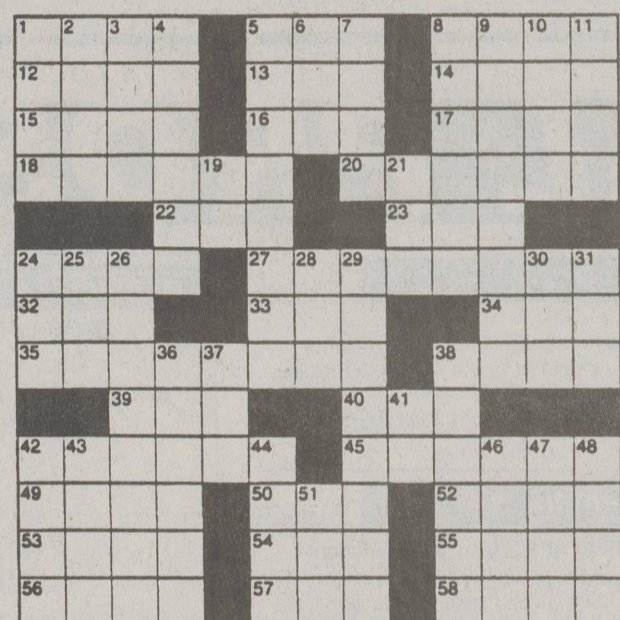
# CROSSWORD CORNER

**ACROSS**  
1 Filing markers  
5 Supports for corsets  
10 Court promises  
15 Word with street or gap  
19 La Scala bonus?  
20 Part of USNA  
21 Parade feature  
22 High flier  
23 Something bought sight unseen  
25 Financially irresponsible  
27 White linen vestment  
28 Related  
29 Before, as a palindrome  
31 Underground missile storehouse  
32 Dawn goddess  
33 Calculating snake?  
35 Weed or cabbage  
37 Teaching assistant  
39 Albert and Bracken  
41 Accelerate  
43 Knows intuitively  
46 Johnny Appleseed, for one  
47 Poker

**holding**  
48 Old English bard  
50 Allen or Lawrence  
51 Granny, for one  
52 Reator's sign  
53 Eye or ladder companion  
55 — and terminator  
56 Slippery swimmer  
57 Frisky pet  
59 Goddess of the moon  
61 Make a blunder  
62 Clanifies  
64 TV bird?  
66 Lack of pretensions  
68 Trig. function  
69 Large cask  
70 Good sense  
71 Remnants of a former time  
75 Patron saint of France  
77 "The — of Eastwick"

**ment**  
90 Puppeteer Tony  
91 Handle  
92 Long-time pride of the Pirates  
94 Remarks from Scrooge  
96 Stupefy  
97 Adjust to fit  
98 Six-line poem  
100 Responded to stimuli  
102 Wide prairies  
103 Hemmed sheets  
105 Word with iron or shovel  
106 Poet's morning song  
107 Bat wood  
109 Baseball's Slaughter  
111 Charged atom  
112 Chapter of the Koran  
113 Sailor  
116 Exert steady pressure  
119 A string game  
122 Saige  
123 Singer Della admitted in 1861  
124 Growing out  
125 Like most colleges  
126 Mets in reverse order?  
127 Winter weather forecast

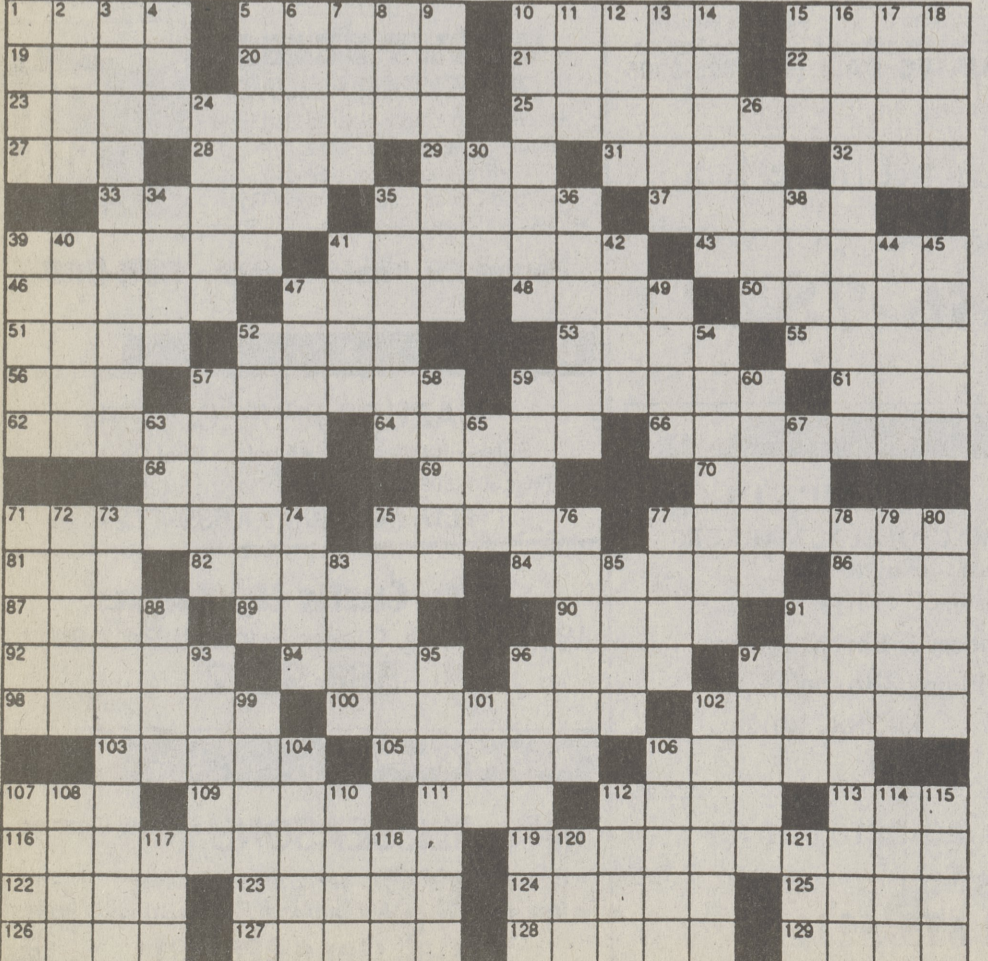
**228 Fortuneteller**  
229 Breakfast order  
**DOWN**  
1 Bark cloth  
2 Seed coat  
3 A threat to the pigs?  
4 Cabine monkey  
5 They may be charmed  
6 Hoglike animal  
7 The Bard's river  
8 Talkative wild ox?  
9 More glossy  
10 Displeases  
11 Carry or catch follower  
12 Attic treasures?  
13 Nun's garb, once  
14 Needlelike marker  
15 Type of pole or pants  
16 Semiprecious stones  
17 Roman emperor  
18 Step in reverse?  
24 Consumer advocate  
26 Written on stone?  
30 Regret  
34 It's seldom adhered to  
35 Crab or monkey  
36 German coffee cake  
38 Aware of  
39 Glacial ridge  
40 One receiving the gifts  
41 Word with box or marsh  
42 Steno group  
44 Court queen  
45 Press together in ranks  
47 Lobster, chimney and flower  
49 Wordsworth opus  
52 Afternoon naps  
54 Shrewd or clever  
57 End the gin game  
58 Wheel hubs  
59 Style of sleeve  
60 Checks the copy  
63 Here, in Paris  
65 Johnson or Cliburn  
67 Shopping list ending?  
71 Pipe or dish holders  
72 "Dallas" matriarch  
73 Leo's portion?  
74 One of England's nob?  
75 Track events  
76 Established method  
77 Impaired by use  
78 Beagle or setter  
79 German city  
80 Files high  
83 Prepare for the bout  
85 Praise  
88 Head, in Dijon  
91 Jai —  
93 Tie the knot again  
95 Strong, glossy fabric  
96 Postures  
97 Communion table  
99 Mario Lanza, et al.  
101 Corp.'s top banana  
102 Small package  
104 Wooden pin  
106 Antiquated  
107 Burrows and Vigoda  
108 Splinter group  
110 Small dagger attempt  
112 Improvised attempt  
114 Man in a loge?  
115 Garden plots  
117 Sailor's drink  
118 Verb or prop ending  
120 Cuckoo  
121 Top combat pilot



**ACROSS**  
1 He's got a handle on our highway system  
8 Goblet feature  
12 Excellent vessel  
13 "X-Files"  
14 Via, for short  
15 Resounded  
16 War zone, for short  
17 Belligerent deity  
18 Chinese calendar animal  
20 Skillful  
22 Downsize  
23 Calendar abbr.  
24 Wear a rut in the rug  
27 A funny noise?  
32 "—" not choose

**to run"**  
33 Ending for east or west  
34 Nonprofessional system  
35 Trade  
38 Clarinetist Fountain  
39 Kettle  
40 Chinese calendar animal  
42 Bleachers  
45 Chinese calendar animal  
49 Chinese calendar animal  
50 Chartres chum  
52 Roughly  
53 Starting stake  
54 Opposed  
55 Has a bug in the rug  
56 Optimistic  
57 Frat-party essential  
58 Ball-bearing items

**DOWN**  
1 Calling —  
2 Chinese calendar animal  
3 Sicilian resort  
4 Jamaican music style  
5 Mole, frequently  
6 "—" picture paints 1,000 words..."  
7 Robin Cook book  
8 Potato or rice  
9 Choke  
10 "... — saw Elba"  
11 Has no alternative  
19 Chinese calendar animal  
21 Chinese calendar animal  
24 Snapshot  
25 Commotion  
26 Small cars  
28 Electricity's path  
29 Consistently accurate  
30 Nosh  
31 Catcher's place?  
36 Chinese calendar animal  
37 Timetable abbr.  
38 109 was a famous one  
41 Author Milne  
42 "Lion King" villain  
43 — avail  
44 Bag  
46 Oozy cheese  
47 Capri, e.g.  
48 Fling  
51 Larry's pal



Answers to Crossword, Challenger on page 16

**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.

THERE MAY BE MORE THAN ONE SOLUTION

Today's Challenge  
Time 9 Minutes  
25 Seconds  
Your Working Time Minutes  
Seconds

			5	28
		3		24
7				29
			6	26
30	22	30	23	24

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