

# CALENDAR

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## COMMUNITY

**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.

**PORK AND SAUERKRAUT DINNER** Saturday, Jan. 22, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Route 6 West of Tunkhannock. Adults \$7, children \$3.50, preschool-free. All you can eat. Bake sale. Everyone is welcome.

**A CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP SALE** will be held at the Loyalville United Methodist Church, Sat., Jan. 29. Price - \$3.25 per quart. Call 639-5882 and leave a message with your name telephone number, and specify number of quarts of soup. Orders need to be placed by Wed., Jan. 26. Pick up time - 2-3:30 p.m. on Sat. Jan. 29, at Loyalville United Methodist Church - call 477-3521. Please bring your own take out tray.

## CLUBS/GROUPS

**SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS**, for ACOA (Adult Children of Alcoholics) and other dysfunctional families are held every Sun., 8 p.m. Blue doors of Mercy Center at College Misericordia, Dallas. For more information, call the Help Line at 829-1341.

## CLUBS/GROUPS

**HOSPICE SAINT JOHN** will be holding its monthly grief support group meeting on Friday, January 28, from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Shavertown. The meeting, which is free of charge and open to the public, will be facilitated by Rev. Peter Kuritz, chaplain. For further information, please contact the Hospice Saint John office at 603-7380 or 1-800-622-3315.

**ACOA** (Adult Children of Addictions) and other dysfunctional families Support Group meetings are held for one hour every Tuesday at 8 p.m. and every Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at Clearbrook Bldg. Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort. Attendees should park and enter from rear of building.

**2ND MON. EACH MONTH THE NURTURING COMMITTEE OF WYOMING VALLEY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY** will sponsor a series of general interest courses, 7-9 p.m. at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. All courses are open to the public.

**IDETOWN UM CHURCH COUPLES CLUB** meets every third Saturday of each month Jan. through June and Sept. through Dec. New members are always welcome.

**S.P.A.W.N.** (Society of Poets and Writers of the Northeast) meeting. Third Sat. of each month. Call Steve at 639-2320 for more information.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meeting in the Back Mountain: Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. (OD) at the Lehman Fire Hall, Lehman

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. (OD) at Loyalville Methodist Church.

Friday, 8 p.m. (OD) at St. Therese's Church Rectory, Pioneer and Davis St., Shavertown. OD: Open discussion; OS. Open speakers.

## HEALTH

**WYOMING VALLEY CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS** is conducting CPR and First Aid courses at the Chapter House, 156 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 6-10 p.m. For more info, call the Health Services Dept. at 823-7161, ext. 37.

# PSU program on inventions by blacks

Who brought inoculation to America? Who made long distance phone calls possible? Whose invention keeps the world's machines running? "1001 Black Inventions," a play performed by Washington, D.C.'s Pin Points Theatre looks into the amazing lives of men and women whose genius impacts all of us every day. "1001 Black Inventions," now in its 15th touring season, takes you into a hilarious world where all inventions by African Americans disappear. Audiences laugh themselves into the realization that African American ingenuity is an integral part of their daily lives.

A Black History Month Presentation. Pin Points Theatre will perform at Penn State Wilkes-Barre, Science Building Bierly Auditorium Thursday, Feb. 3 at 7 p.m. Penn State's Cultural and Performing Arts programs are free and open to the public. For more information, call (570) 675-9284 or 675-2171.



## 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.

**STAR FITNESS**, offers special groups strength/stretch exercise and relaxation classes for adults age 65 and older. Classes are offered Mondays through Fridays at 10:15 a.m. in the Thomas P. Saxton Medical Pavilion Group Exercise Studio, 468 Northampton Street, Edwardsville. Fee per class is \$4. For more information, please call 552-4550.

**WYOMING VALLEY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM'S** Breast Cancer Support Groups will meet Monday, January 24, at 7 p.m. in the Nesbitt Medical Arts Building third floor lounge, 534 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston. All Breast Cancer Support meetings are conducted in a relaxed, casual manner, which allow group participants to offer one another comfort, hope and support.

## HEALTH

**TOPS CHAPTER #PA 1396**, Lehman meets at the Lehman United Methodist Church on Wednesday evenings. Weigh in is from 5:30-5:55 p.m. Meeting from 5:55 to 6:30 p.m. For more information call the Chapter Leader Karen Laskowski at 639-5207.

**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.

## EXHIBITS

**MacDONALD ART GALLERY**, College Misericordia, Dallas. Tues.-Thurs. noon to 5 p.m., and 6-8 p.m.; Fri., noon to 5 p.m.; Sat. Sun., 1-5 p.m. Free. 674-6250. "Sharing Our Art," annual members exhibition. Opens Jan. 30 with a reception, 2 to 5 p.m. Continues through Feb. 25.

## EXHIBITS

**JAN. 9 - FEB. 13, SOUP TO NUTS: POP ART AND ITS LEGACY**, Sordoni Art Gallery, Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre. Daily, noon to 4:30 p.m. 408-4325.

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## MUSIC

**WILKES UNIVERSITY MUSIC DEPT.**, Dorothy Dickson Darte Center, W. River St., Wilkes-Barre. 408-4540.

**MOZART CLUB OF WILKES-BARRE**, The club meets the third Monday of the month at Church of Christ Uniting, 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 Lisi's Lounge, Fox Hill Road, Plains Twp. first Tues. of every month, 7 p.m. for details call 842-0730 or 696-4325 nights.

**NEW ENGLAND STYLE CONTRA-** Dance with music By The Up-Hill String Band. Caller: Kate Charles. St. Therese's Church, Pioneer Ave. and Davis St., Shavertown. Feb. 12, 8 to 11 p.m. \$6. 3330-4007.

**THE CHORAL SOCIETY OF** Northeastern Pennsylvania invites adult singers to join its Symphonic Chorus. Rehearsals are Mondays, 7 p.m. at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Scranton or Tuesdays, 7 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Membership is \$40. 969-1203.

**Chicory House** concerts held in the community room of St. Stephen's Church, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Public information 825-8772. Doors open at 7:30 p.m.

## MUSIC

**YOUTH PIANO COMPETITION** - Sponsored by the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic Orchestra. Open to grades 7-12. First rounds on April 15-16; final rounds on May 6. Cash prizes. Applications: 457-8301. Website: www.Nepaphil.com.

## STAGE

**MUSIC BOX PLAYERS 1999 SEASON**, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville, Thurs., Fri., Sat., 6 p.m. open; buffet dinner 6:30 p.m.; 8 p.m. curtain; Sun. matinee, open 1:15 p.m.; dinner at 1:45 p.m.; 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. www.musicbox.org

**COLLEGE MISERICORDIA** - 301 Lake Street, Dallas Twp. 674-6372. "Legacy of Galileo," by American Playwright Rusty Bynum. Jan. 28, 8 p.m. Free.

**COLLEGE MISERICORDIA** - will sponsor a trip to the New York City Opera's performance of "Porgy and Bess" on March 25. 674-6764.

# CROSSWORD CORNER

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|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>                        | <b>DOWN</b>           | <b>ACROSS</b>                  | <b>DOWN</b>               |
| 1 A lot                              | 60 Mister, in Munich  | 106 Vane letters               | 8 Colorado native         |
| 6 Bungle                             | 62 Architect's add-on | 107 Tend the garden            | 9 Saloon                  |
| 10 Makes a touchdown                 | 63 Harness part       | 109 Pipe part                  | 10 Trauma aftermath       |
| 16 Hen's hubby                       | 64 Radio and TV       | 110 Cry of discovery           | 11 Spelunker's spot       |
| 19 Deck type                         | 65 Duncan's denial    | 113 Spanish dance              | 12 It bakes the cake      |
| 20 Ford or Grey                      | 66 a Song             | 116 Allen's partner            | 13 Alex Haley book        |
| 21 Frolic                            | Go Out of My Heart!   | 120 Passed into law            | 14 Directional suffix     |
| 22 Poster abbr.                      | (38 tune)             | 124 — Baba Marie, MI           | 15 Sault — Marie, MI      |
| 23 Start of a remark by Jack Simmons | 69 — Bank, NJ         | 130 —                          | 16 27th president         |
| 26 Distant                           | 70 Part 3 of remark   | 131 Lunar spacecraft successor | 17 All right              |
| 27 Expensive appetizer               | 75 HST's remark       | 132 Skater                     | 18 Chico or Karl          |
| 28 Common contraction                | 78 On the briny       | 133 Kovacs or Pyle             | 24 Textbook headings      |
| 29 Charon's river                    | 79 Service charge     | 134 Actress Caldwell           | 25 "Bail —"               |
| 30 Wallach or Whitney                | 80 Disconcert         | 135 Scrimshaw material         | 29 Finn's friend          |
| 31 Moore of "G.I. Jane"              | 84 Cubist             | 136 Mr. Walesa                 | 31 See                    |
| 34 Writer                            | 86 Business abbr.     | 137 Cassandra and Merlin       | 91 Down                   |
| 37 Actor                             | 88 Starchy tuber      |                                | 32 Distinguished          |
| 40 Hangs tinsel                      | 90 Moved like a mouse |                                | 33 Flavor enhancer: abbr. |
| 42 Command to Fido                   | 92 — del Sol          |                                | 35 Honest name            |
| 45 Cries like a baby                 | 94 Teatime treat      |                                | 36 Durban dough           |
| 48 Part 2 of remark                  | 96 Tachometer meas.   |                                | 37 Word form for "study"  |
| 53 React to a pun                    | 98 Lawn ornament      |                                | 38 — Zimbalist, Jr.       |
| 54 Enthusiast                        | 99 Part 4 of remark   |                                | 39 Rock's — Poneys        |
| 55 "Dallas" matriarch                | 103 Lots of laughter  |                                | 42 Ring official          |
| 56 Lummoxlake                        | 104 JFK lander        |                                | 43 Missouri airport abbr. |
| 58 Had a hankering                   | 105 Intense           |                                | 48 Presque —, ME          |



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| <b>ACROSS</b>            | <b>DOWN</b>              | <b>ACROSS</b>                       | <b>DOWN</b>                 |
| 1 Story of a lifetime    | 17 — de plume            | 33 Do soundtrack work               | 27 Payable                  |
| 4 Keglers' territory     | 18 Call-day link         | 35 Dog bane                         | 29 Jeans-maker Strauss      |
| 9 Kids' card game        | 19 Baffle                | 36 Apportion                        | 30 Je ne — quoi             |
| 12 Squabble              | 21 Dickens' — and Son?   | 38 Acoustic organ                   | 32 Source of wealth         |
| 13 Kalamata, e.g.        | 24 Abound                | 40 VII x VIII =                     | 34 Rod-shaped bacteria      |
| 14 Jima preceder         | 25 Jackie's second       | 41 Notion                           | 37 Became partners          |
| 15 Movie-musicals dancer | 26 Roulette bet          | 43 Currant liqueur                  | 39 Bigot, perhaps           |
| 17 — de plume            | 28 Emulates Columbus     | 45 Endocrine gland                  | 40 Hang about               |
| 18 Call-day link         | 31 "Vertically enhanced" | 47 Lemieux milieu                   | 5 Soothed                   |
| 19 Baffle                |                          | 48 Hole in one                      | 6 0                         |
| 21 Dickens' — and Son?   |                          | 49 Woman's name meaning "\$,00001?" | 7 Navratilova contemporary  |
| 24 Abound                |                          | 54 Spanish preposition              | 8 "TV Guide"                |
| 25 Jackie's second       |                          | 55 Pandora's box escapees           | 9 Quixote's foes            |
| 26 Roulette bet          |                          | 56 Churchillian gesture             | 10 Off base                 |
| 28 Emulates Columbus     |                          | 57 Whatever                         | 11 Georgia city             |
| 31 "Vertically enhanced" |                          |                                     | 16 Sci-fi flick, familiarly |
|                          |                          |                                     | 20 Unwilling to listen      |
|                          |                          |                                     | 21 Information              |
|                          |                          |                                     | 22 Vaccine type             |
|                          |                          |                                     | 23 Hats                     |

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.

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				22
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	6			10
		8		25
22	25	19	12	18

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