

CALENDAR

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COMMUNITY

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER TEA-

The Carverton United Methodist Women will have a Mother and Daughter Tea, May 5, at 6 p.m. in the form of a covered dish. Annette Kuzma and Sue Harvey have charge of prizes and planning of the tea. Pastor Jackson Cox will be giving a special chalk presentation following dinner. Everyone is welcome.

KUNKLE FIRE CO'S ANNUAL CHICKEN SUPPER, Sat., May 6, 4-7 p.m. at the Kunkle Social Hall. Adults \$6.50, children 10 and under \$3.50. Take outs available. Tickets sold in advance and can be purchased at the door.

LAKE-LEHMAN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF '90 REUNION, Our 10 year reunion is set for Sat., Nov. 25, and we're looking for everyone who graduated in 1990. Please contact Denise Thompson-DuBois at (732) 818-1008 or Michelle Lankwarden at (323) 822-9331 or E-mail us at lehman90@hotmail.com.

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 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.

AT THE KIRBY

Kirby Center 71 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, 826-1100, or Ticketmaster, 693-4100 or www.kirbycenter.org.

"VICTOR/VICTORIA" Musical comedy. April 25-26 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$45, \$38 and \$28.

CLUBS/GROUPS

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.

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.

OUTDOORS

SPRING BIRDING AT MUHLENBURG will be sponsored by the Greater Wyoming Valley Audubon Society, Sat. April 29. Birding will be primarily by walking tour of a 120 acre farm located about a half hour from the Wyoming Valley. Meet at the Dallas United Methodist Church parking lot at 7 a.m. Call Bob Wasilewski at 829-6230 to register. Free and open to the public.

Folk guitarist Wright at Trinity Sunday

Trinity Presbyterian Church, Irem Road, Dallas, will be hosting musician Christopher Wright on Sunday, April 30 at 5:30 p.m.

From his textured guitar playing to his carefully woven folk-like lyrics, Wright conveys the heart of God in a unique and powerful way, with his songs finding the "common ground" in us all.

Although his style is certainly acoustic pop, there is an undeniable worshipful fragrance which accompanies each song. Because of this, his music is enjoyed by young and old alike.

Wright is an active member of his local church, serving on the worship team as a vocalist and musician. He also serves at Eastern College in St. Davids, PA as advisor of the chapel worship team. Residing in West Chester, PA, Wright and his wife, Jean, have four children, the oldest of whom will be joining Wright at Trinity.

A reception will be held immediately following the concert.. For more information, please call Trinity Presbyterian Church at 675-3131.



OUTDOORS

EXPLORING AUDUBON'S LEHIGH AUTO TOUR will be sponsored by the Greater Wyoming Valley Audubon Society, Sun., April 30. This trip will cover the White Haven, Rockport, and Weatherly sections of the newly established auto tour. Meet at the caboose in the White Haven Shopping Center on Route 940 at 1 p.m. Call John Jakoby at 474-5884 to register. Free and open to the public.

MUSIC

CHORAL SOCIETY OF NORTHEAST PA, will perform "Juda Maccabeus", Handel's oratorio. May 5, at 8 p.m., St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Wilkes-Barre. Tickets are \$14, or \$7 for senior and students. Call 969-1203 for more information.

MUSIC

CHICORY HOUSE concerts held in the community room of St. Stephen's Church, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Public information 825-8772 or www.chicoryhouse.org.

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.

THE CHORAL SOCIETY OF Northeast 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.

KIDSTUFF

"HEY HO PINOCCHIO", children's musical performed by the Northeast Players, St. Therese's Church, Shavertown. May 8, at 10 a.m., 1:30 and 7 p.m. Also performing May 12, at the First Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre. Showtimes: 10 a.m., 12 p.m., and 7 p.m. Tickets are \$5, call 675-4333.

PET CONTESTS, at the Osterhout Library, Wilkes-Barre. Registration by April 28, call 823-0156 ext. 17. **Stuffed Pet Contest** for preschool children, April 29, at 11 a.m. **Live Pet Contest** for kindergarten to grade 6, April 29, at 2 p.m.

ARTHUR READ ALLOUD CLUB, for kindergarten and first grade students. Osterhout Library, Wilkes-Barre. May 6, from 10:30-11:30 a.m., or 2-3 p.m. For registration and information call 823-0156 ext. 17.

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HEALTH

THE GEISINGER WYOMING VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER CAREGIVERS DISCUSSION GROUP will continue its *Aging Parents Seminar* with regularly scheduled programs running February through July. The seminar is designed to help adult children, aging parents and others who are involved in the caregiving experience. The programs can provide assistance for both immediate issues and long range planning strategies to help aging parents maximize their continued independence. For information or reservations call 826-7398.

WYOMING VALLEY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM

VAGINAL BIRTH AFTER CESAREAN SECTION (VBAC) CLASS, Tues., May 9, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, 562 Wyoming Ave., Kingston. Conducted by registered nurses from the Nesbitt Memorial Hospital Labor and Delivery department, the class helps women who have previously given birth via cesarean section prepare for the vaginal birthing process. The class features a discussion of the risks and benefits, knowledgeable guest speakers, pain management and video presentations. Support persons are encouraged to attend.

Pre-registration is necessary. To register or for more information, please call 552-7754.

HEART TO HEART SUPPORT GROUP, Wed., May 10, at 7 p.m. in Thomas P. Saxton Medical Pavilion auditorium, 468 Northampton St., Edwardsville. Michael D. Rupp, MD, Cardiologist is scheduled to present at the meeting. Providing informational presentations for individuals with heart disease and their support persons, the Heart to Heart support group is open to the public. For more information, please call 552-2611.

STAGE

MUSIC BOX PLAYERS: **"The Unsinkable Molly Brown"**, April 7-30. Performances are: Thur., Fri., & Sat., buffet at 6:30 p.m., curtain at 8 p.m. Sun., buffet at 1:45 p.m., curtain at 3:15 p.m. Admission: \$30, \$22 children. Show only: \$17, \$15 students, \$13 children. Call 283-2195 or 1-800-698-PLAY for reservations. Visit the web at www.musicbox.org.

"Nobody Loves a Dinosaur", an original musical for children, April 28-30 and May 5-7 at The Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. Performance times: Fri., at 6 p.m., Sat., 1 and 5 p.m., Sun. at 1 p.m. The price of admission includes a McDonald's Fun Meal. For reservations, call 283-2195 or 1-800-698-PLAY.

CROSSWORD CORNER

ACROSS
1 Big —
4 "Stop" sailor!
9 James of "Misery"
13 Swash-buckling novelist
18 Grand — Oproy
19 Actress Berger
20 Mournful music
21 "F Troop" corporal
22 Start of a remark by Milton Berle
24 Mid-size band
25 "Andrea —"
26 Costa —
27 "Family Feud" host
29 Division word
31 Aachen article
32 Basilica feature
34 Part 2 of remark
38 TV's "General —"
42 Like some sheep
43 Part of HOMES
44 Inclined
45 Senator Thurmond
47 "Waking — Devine" ('98 film)
49 Wee serving
52 Composer Schirrin
54 Circus performer
57 Put on a pedestal
61 Soft tissue
63 Tangle
64 Damage
65 Actress Ward
66 Baseball's Boudreau
68 Enchiriada
70 "Trinity" author
72 Neighbor of Wyo.
73 Obeys the dentist
77 Part 3 of remark
78 '80s Joe Penny series
80 Crank's comment
81 Skater Lipinski
82 Noun suffix
84 Shutdown, to Shelley
85 Actor Arkin
87 See 106
88 "Love Train" group
91 Thick of things
95 Denizen
97 Geological phenomenon
99 The Chipmunks, e.g.
100 Comic Carvey
101 Galena, for one
103 —ski party
105 Priest's robe
106 With 87
109 Merit
112 Part 4 of remark
118 Well-informed
119 "So that's your game!"
120 Nonflowering plant
121 The Addams Family' uncle
125 Does Little work
128 Croc's kin
131 Chateau valley
133 End of remark
135 Wear away
136 Computer key
137 "The Lady —" ('79 film)
138 Child welfare org.
139 Rock's Meisner
140 Stocking stuffers?
141 Dispositions
142 "The Belts" monogram
DOWN
1 Physician Niels
2 "The Time Machine" people
3 English port
4 Simile center
5 Feud
6 Novelist Seton
7 Pack
8 Homeric characters
9 Pres. Clinton, e.g.
10 Performer
11 Actor's actor?
12 Irritate
13 Rigoletto, to Gilda
14 Actor Tognazzi
15 — Gras
16 Sharon of Israel
17 Trap
20 "Tiny Bubbles" singer
23 Comics' "Andy —"
28 He gives a hoot
30 "— the fields we go . . ."
33 Slangy sib
35 Ain't right?
36 Extensive
37 Toast start
38 Grapefruit serving
39 October birthstone
40 Curved lines
41 Forsaken
46 Ditch under a draw-bridge
48 Object
50 Change for the better
51 Brawl
53 Sonja Henie's birthplace
55 Acts like an ass?
58 Arritsar attire
59 Nonsense
60 Smidgen
62 Throw a party
67 Custom
69 Message board?
71 Goblet part
73 Lost luster
74 — apoc
75 Gray or Moran
76 — Domingo
79 "What's — for me?"
80 Candy quantity
83 Spotted rodent
86 Belarussian city
89 Puppy protests
90 Withered
92 Downspout
93 Bank deposit?
94 "Twelfth Night" role
96 Spanish surrealist
97 Equipment
98 Happened again
102 Heal a rift
104 Eat in the evening
107 Right — the bat
108 A hole near the sole
110 Allude (to)
111 Dundee denial
113 Loud laugh
114 Bet
115 "Pal Joey" author
116 Boca —, FL
117 Maine town
122 Willow
123 Baseball's Martinez
124 Spanish river
128 "I could — horse!"
127 Break suddenly
129 Eccentric
130 Curious George's creator
132 Musical syllables
134 Pitches
37 "The Deerslayer" author
4 Con game
8 Shock potential
12 Bothersation
13 Dawn, to da Vinci
14 It's all in your head
15 Stern structure
17 In the neighborhood
18 Fleet
19 Early bird
21 Say it's OK!
22 Big publicity
26 Antic Holyfield
29 Tyke
31 One of Donald's nephews
32 Coquettish
33 Be philanthropic
34 "— My Party"
35 Maze path
36 Spick-and-span
3 Adverse destiny
4 Lower
5 Spike
6 Alphabet beginning
7 — while the sun shines
8 Overzealous patriot
9 Praiseful piece
10 Meadow ingredient
11 Macadam
16 Onetime head of CBS
20 Sailor
23 Ballet bend
24 Stromboli output
25 Arabian Sea gulf
26 Stylish
27 Jam ingredient?
28 Mexican moolah
29 Great happiness
32 Sang "Adeste Fideles"
33 Symbol
35 Said
40-Across
36 Friendly ghost
38 Fast food
39 Bullwinkle, for one
42 Rove
43 "Born Free" heroine
44 Calendar quota
45 Whale group
46 Schedule abbr.
47 Heathcliff or Garfield
49 Bullring bravo

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