

Flower show April 28-30

The 2000 Northeast Pennsylvania Flower Show is scheduled for April 28, 29 and 30 at the Kingston Armory. Everyone is encouraged to enter the flower show with a floral display of a simple cutting from a spring garden. You need not belong to a garden club to enter your plants or designs and there is no entry fee.

Ticket prices are \$6 for adults, \$3 for children ages 6-12 and all

children under 6 are free. Show hours are Friday and Saturday, April 28 and 29 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday, April 30 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Judging of the exhibits by accredited National Council of State and Garden Club Inc. judging is scheduled for Thursday, April 27, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The judging will be followed by a "Preview Party" from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. which everyone is encouraged to attend.

Entries sought for 'Mother of the Year'

The Catherine McAuley Center's Special Events Committee is sponsoring a Mother of the Year Contest for the year 2000.

Anyone interested in entering the contest must:

Send a written or typewritten (1) page letter stating why you think your Mom should be Mother of the Year to the Catherine McAuley House, 121 Church St., Plymouth, PA, or the Catherine McAuley Center, 709 Madison Ave., Scranton, PA 18510. All entries are non-returnable. Attend the Mother's Tea, May

13, at Pennsylvania State University, Worthington Campus, Dunmore, PA. Gifts will be presented at this time.

Include with all entries name, address and a phone number where you can be reached. If you are part of a school project, include the name of your school on the letter. Entries will not be returned.

All letters are read by a committee made up of members from Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties and must be postmarked no later than April 28, 2000.

Blood drive April 28 at Lake-Noxen

The Lake-Noxen Elementary School in cooperation with the Wyoming Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross will be sponsoring a community blood drive. The drive will be hosted at the school on Fri., April 28, between the hours of 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. Students will participate in an ice cream party competition. The class credited with the most do-

nations made by relatives and friends of the families, will be treated to an ice cream party, compliments of Automobile City.

If you are 17 or older and weigh at least 105 pounds, you can do your part. If you have a medical question, please contact the nursing department at 1-800-432-8045. For information call 823-7161 ext. 33.

Grief support meeting at St. Paul's

Hospice St. John will be holding its monthly grief support meeting Fri., April 28, from 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m., at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Shavertown.

The meeting is free of charge and open to the public.

For information, contact the Hospice Saint John office at 603-7380 or 1-800-622-3315.



Looking over the memorabilia are committee members, from left: Ray Metzgar, Betty June Mathers and Ed Transue.

Troop 155 to mark 50 years

Plans are underway to mark the 50th Anniversary of Boy Scout Troop 155 and Cub Scout Pack 155. Trucksville United Methodist Church, which sponsors both the troop and the pack, will be the site of the celebration on Sunday, May 21. Beginning with a church service at 11 a.m. Program festivities will be held from 2-4 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Memorabilia from the history of these organizations will be on display through-

out that time. There will be outdoor displays of Boy Scout activities if the weather permits. Anyone affiliated with Troop 155 and Pack 155 is welcome to wear their scouting uniform to the celebration. Light refreshments will be served and the public is invited to attend. For information call program committee members Betty June Mathers at 696-2214, Dick Montgomery at 696-1887 or Russell Banta at 696-2833.



Eight confirmed at Trucksville UMC

Recently eight youth of the Trucksville United Methodist Church were confirmed by Rev. Charles Naugle. He was assisted by mentors who had guided the confirmands for six months in exploring the many facets of their faith journey. Each confirmand participated in the worship service sharing experiences and insights gained during this time of study and reflection.

The confirmands, from left: Carol Jones, Gene Lispi, Craig Thomas, Leslie Rosenbaum, Jeff Pace, Adam Pajka, Colin Madigan, and Nicole Nulton.

The mentors: Betty June Mathers, James Tupper, Paul Reinert, Janis Seeley, Rev. Naugle, Barry Wagner, Ned Bessmer, James Jury and Tania Reinert.



DHS students plan to help SPCA

Students of the Dallas Senior High School are planning a food and product drive to benefit the SPCA of Luzerne County. Student coordinators, Molly Savage and Jason Race, have organized the drive with the assistance of Mary Ward and Ed Gross from the SPCA. The SPCA's wish list includes items such as cleaning products, paper towels, TV/VCR, dry and canned pet food, cat litter, rabbit pellets, monetary donations, etc. Collection bins will be set up throughout the Senior High School the week of May 1, through May 5.

Pictured, from left: Jason Race, Mary Ward, SPCA; Molly Savage; Robyn Jones, guidance counselor; Frank Galicki, principal.

GOP will meet May 13 in Dallas

The 5th Republican Legislative District of Luzerne Co., will hold their convention to elect a chairman, Saturday, May 13, 2000, at the Dallas American Legion. Breakfast will start at 9 a.m., with the business meeting to follow.

All elected committee people of the fifth must present their election certificates to attend the convention and to vote.

Spaghetti supper at Carverton UMC

The Carverton Methodist Church will be holding their annual spaghetti supper on April 29. Serving is from 4:30-7 p.m. Take outs are available. Adults are \$5.50 and children under 12 are \$3.50. For information call 333-4558 or 333-4837, or 333-4539.

SENIOR MENUS

Senior Citizens Centers sponsored by the Luzerne/Wyoming Counties Bureau for the Aging offer hot noon meals Monday through Friday to people 60 years of age or older. Donations from participants are gratefully accepted and needed in order to expand this program.

The following is the menu for the week of April 24, 2000. All meals include margarine, milk and coffee.

MONDAY - EASTER MONDAY SPECIAL DINNER - stuffed chicken breast with gravy, whipped potatoes, broccoli, fresh fruit salad, dinner roll, peaches and cream cake

TUESDAY - Stuffed green pepper, whipped potatoes, vegetable medley, whole wheat bread, chocolate chip cookie

WEDNESDAY - Sweet and sour pork, peas and carrots, parslid rice, cranberry juice, whole wheat roll, fruited gelatin

THURSDAY - Italian meatloaf, oven brown potatoes, broccoli, italian bread, citrus sections

FRIDAY - Pierogie with butter and onion, beets, pickled eggs, peach/pineapple compote, dinner roll, orange juice, birthday cake

St. Therese's A&R Society will meet

St. Therese's Altar & Rosary Society will meet on Wednesday, May 3, at 7:10 in the social room. Discussion will be regarding social events for the year. Jean Carey will give a talk regarding her recent trip to the Holy Land. Canned goods are collected at every meeting for the Back Mountain food bank.

Welsh cookie sale in Shavertown

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Shavertown Volunteer Fire Company, will hold a welsh cookie sale on Sat., May 6, at the Shavertown Fire Hall, N. Main St. Pick up orders from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. To order call 696-3308 by April 30.

Rummage sale at St. Paul's

Dorcas Rummage and Bake Sale will be held Saturday, May 6 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 196 North Main St., Shavertown. Sponsored by Lutheran Brotherhood Branch # 8892.

Antique Show at Prince of Peace

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, Dallas, is holding its 48th Annual Antiques Show and Sale, Tues., May 2, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m., and Wed., May 3, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. at the parish house.

Featured again this year will be a Flower Mart and a Flea Market. Door prizes include a brass samovar lamp and a stand made of cherry with one tiger maple drawer.

A luncheon will be served both days from 11 a.m.-2 p.m., including homemade soups, sandwiches, and desserts. On Tuesday evening, from 5-7 p.m., a homemade meat lasagne dinner will be served.

Admission is \$2.50 and parking is free.

Prayer breakfast at Center Moreland UMC

There will be a National Day of Prayer Breakfast and Prayer Service held at the Center Moreland United Methodist Church in Center Moreland, on May 4. An informal, Open Prayer time is scheduled for 6-7 a.m. for those who need to be at work at the time of prayer service. Breakfast will be served from 7-7:45 and the Prayer Service will be from 8-9 a.m. Call 333-4354 for information or to sign up.

If you plan to attend the Open Prayer time, bring your coffee mug and we will fill it for you before you leave.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

BACK MOUNTAIN HARVEST ASSEMBLY - 340 Carverton Rd., Trucksville. 696-1128. Pastor, Daniel S. Miller. Christian Education for all ages, 10:00 a.m. Worship 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Wed., 7 p.m., "Genos" youth service. Midweek home groups; call for days and times. Weekday prayer 6:30-7:30 a.m. Visitors welcome.

DALLAS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 4 Parsonage St., Dallas. 675-0122. Rev. William D. Lewis, Pastor. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School at 9 a.m.

PRINCE OF PEACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 420 Main St., Dallas, 675-1723. The Rev. Robert A. Nagy, Rector. Sunday Holy Eucharist 8 & 10 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School pre-K thru high school 10 a.m. Midweek Holy Eucharist Tues. 7 p.m. & Thurs. 10 a.m. Both are healing services on the second Tuesday and Thursday of the month. Bible Study Tues. 7:30 p.m. All are welcome!

SHAVERTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. 675-3616. Pastors: Rev. Douglas and Janet Bryant Clark. Music Dir., John Vaida. Saturday Services: 5:30 p.m.; Sunday Services: 9 a.m., Family oriented Service; 11 a.m. Traditional Service in the Sanctuary. Sunday Child Care Provided. Visitors expected. PHONE-A-PRAYER 675-4666.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH - 196 N. Main St., Shavertown. Sat. Worship 5:30 p.m.; Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Phone 675-3859 or e-mail: stpaul@epix.net for more information. Everyone welcome! Rev. Charles H. Grube, Pastor.

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