

CALENDAR

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COMMUNITY

CHICKEN BARBEQUE- at the Mount Zion United Methodist Church, July 8. Menu will include chicken, baked potato, corn on the cob, bread, dessert and beverage. Take outs from 4:30-5 p.m. Dinner from 5-7 p.m. Adults \$6.50 and children \$3.50.

FLEA MARKET-Members of Mountain Grange #567 are planning a flea market on Sat., July 8, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. For table rentals or weather permitting, outdoor space reservations call 696-1452 or 287-6354.

SUMMER VBS AT H.C.C., Huntsville Christian Church will be holding their annual Vacation Bible School for children aged 3-grade 6, on June 26-30. This year's theme is VeggieTown Values on the Job. VeggieTown Values invites young people to encounter, practice and apply God's word in everyday life. Each day kids will enjoy Bible stories, crafts, games, snacks, music, videos, making new friends and so much more! For information or to register call Judy at 696-6920.

HOME MADE ICE CREAM SOCIAL, The Sweet Valley Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary are hosting a Home Made Ice Cream Social, Saturday, July 1, at the Fire Hall, Main Road, Sweet Valley. The menu includes: Pork BBQ's, hamburgers, hot dogs, cake, ice cream and beverages. Doors open at 4:30 p.m.

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.

REUNIONS

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 Bankwarden at (323) 822-9331 or E-mail us at lehman90@hotmail.com.

MUSIC

SOUTHERN GOSPEL CONCERT, sponsored by the Bowmans Creek Free Methodist Church Friday, July 14 at 7 p.m. at Tunkhannock Middle School, Tioga St. and Franklin, Tunkhannock. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$12 at the door. Children 12 and under are free. For more information call 298-2137.

COLLEGE MISERICORDIA, Black Eagle Jazz Band. July 10 at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5. Pre-concert jazz presentation at 7 p.m.

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.

EXHIBITS

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.

COLLEGE MISERICORDIA MCDONALD ART GALLERY, "Recent Forms and Images" pottery and photography by Skip Sensbach. Through June 30.

CLUBS/GROUPS

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.

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.



Art films at Kirby Center

The F.M. Kirby Center for the Performing Arts in Wilkes-Barre will present a series of first-run and art films starting July 5. The second film in the series, *The Emperor and the Assassin*, will be shown Wed., July 12 at 1 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Set in the 3rd century BC, it is the story of an ambitious king, Ying Zheng, obsessed with unifying all of China and becoming its first emperor.

The series begins July 5 with *East-West*, a tale of homesick Russian expatriates who returned to the homeland in 1946 when the Soviet Union offered amnesty to Russians who had left because of the 1917 Communist Revolution, only to be jailed or executed.

CLUBS/GROUPS

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

CLUBS/GROUPS

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.

SPECIAL EVENTS

OLD FASHIONED FOURTH, traditional patriotic music by the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic, fireworks display. Kirby Park, Wilkes-Barre. July 4, beginning at noon.

STAR-GAZING, Friedman Observatory at Penn. State Wilkes-Barre, begins 8 p.m. on clear Wed. and Fri. nights. 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.

OUTDOORS

GREATER WYOMING VALLEY AUDUBON SOCIETY Sunday Morning Birding in Kirby Park This opportunity to learn to identify native birds is held the fourth Sunday of each month. Free and open to the public

BACK MOUNTAIN TRAIL Susquehanna Trailers Hiking Club. Unless otherwise noted, hikes meet at Kirby Health Center, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre. Verify if weather is questionable. 654-3323.

YMCA HIKES, All hikes meet at the YMCA, Dunmore at 9:15 a.m. Bring water, food and sturdy footwear. 343-5144. or email info@HikingJane.com

SIERRA CLUB EVENTS Unless otherwise noted, hikers meet 8 a.m. at the Dunmore YMCA parking lot, Exit 55 off I-81.

FRANCES SLOCUM PARK SUMMER YOUTH CONFERENCE July 10-14 from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. For youths in grades 6-12. Sponsored by the Back Mountain Area churches. For more information call 639-5099, 696-2869, or www.GENOS.com. Free.

All children age 6 and under must be accompanied by an adult to any program. Unescorted children will be sent back to their campsites.

BLOODMOBILE

MEADOWS NURSING HOME, 55 W. Center Hill Road, Dallas, July 5 from 1-6 p.m.

IREM TEMPLE COUNTRY CLUB, Country Club Road, Dallas, July 12 from 12:30-6:30 p.m.

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HEALTH

WYOMING VALLEY CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS is conducting CPR and First Aid courses at the Chapter House, in Wilkes-Barre; evenings from 6-10 p.m. For more information, call 823-7161, ext. 37.

TOPS CHAPTER #PA 1396, which meets at the Lehman United Methodist Church has moved to Trinity Presbyterian Church in Dallas. Meetings are held on Wednesdays. Weigh-in from 5:30 to 5:55 p.m. Meeting 6 to 6:30 p.m. Call Karen at 639-5207 for more information. **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.

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.

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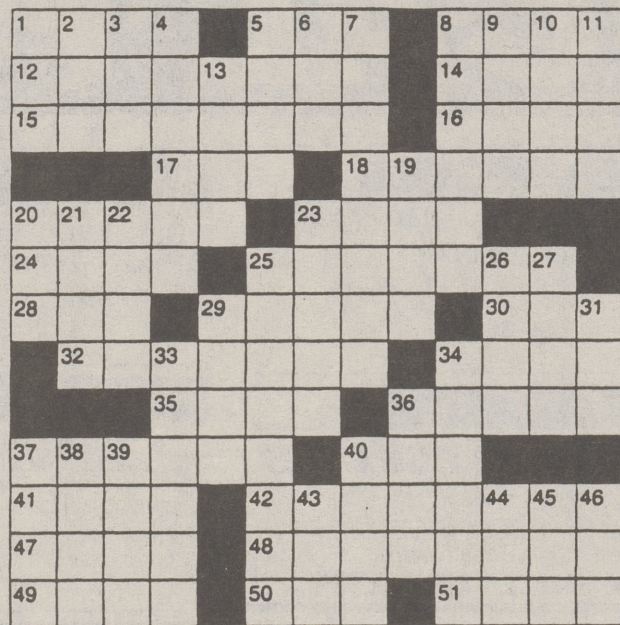
SUMMER THEATER WORKSHOP, 10 session course for ages 7 to 12 covering basics of acting, singing, improvisation, and mime. Must Box Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. July 10-14, 9 a.m. to noon. \$150. For information call 283-2195.

AT THE KIRBY

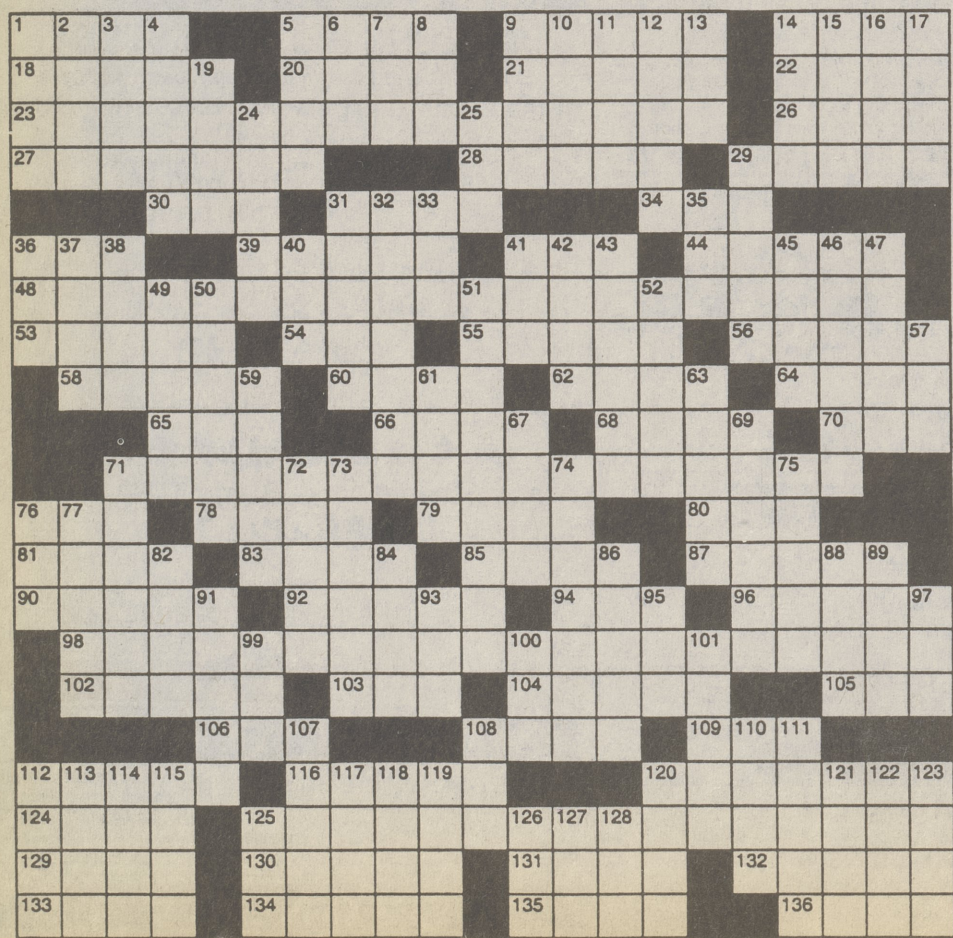
Kirby Center 71 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, 826-1100, or Ticketmaster, 693-4100 or www.kirbycenter.org.

CROSSWORD CORNER

- ACROSS**
- 1 Sale stipulation
 - 5 Street urchin
 - 9 Isaac's mom
 - 14 Marsh, for short
 - 18 Distend
 - 20 Ferris-wheel part
 - 21 Lithe
 - 22 — Major
 - 23 What Dad never hears
 - 26 Pro foe
 - 27 Corrective measure
 - 28 Furniture wood
 - 29 Heavy-weight Mike
 - 30 Sphere
 - 31 Cooking fat
 - 34 — Zedong
 - 36 Literary collection
 - 39 Sour
 - 41 Mrs. McKinley
 - 44 Word with socks or suit
 - 48 What Dad never hears
 - 53 Experiment
 - 54 Calendar abbr.
 - 55 Beethoven wrote one
 - 56 Competitor
 - 58 Viewpoint
 - 60 Normandy site
 - 62 '93 Kevin Kline film
 - 64 Grim
 - 65 Peeper protector
 - 66 Wooden strip
 - 68 Dissolve
 - 70 Fast way to the UK
 - 71 What Dad never hears
 - 76 "Now I've got you!"
 - 78 — Valley, CA
 - 79 Painter Paul
 - 80 Air-quality org.
 - 81 Town meetings
 - 83 Apiece
 - 85 Brink
 - 87 Actor McDowall
 - 90 Bandleader Shaw
 - 92 Abounds (with)
 - 94 Neighbor of Tenn.
 - 96 Sacks
 - 98 What Dad never hears
 - 102 Happen next
 - 103 Fashion monogram
 - 104 Michelangelo masterpiece
 - 105 Muckraker Nellie
 - 106 Bit of butter
 - 108 '69 Oliver hit
 - 109 DDE's predecessor
 - 112 West Point student
 - 116 Lab critter
 - 120 Get-togethers
 - 124 Norwegian king
 - 125 What Dad never hears
 - 129 Torrid or Frigid
 - 130 "Ben-Hur" extra
 - 131 French airport
 - 132 Hood of "Our Gang"
 - 133 1776, e.g.
 - 134 Irish poet
 - 135 "Bang a Gong" rockers
 - 136 Film — (with)
 - 137 Neighbor of Tenn.
 - 1 Singer Lane
 - 2 Disparage
 - 3 It comes before kappa
 - 4 Permission
 - 5 Fade away
 - 6 Medieval weapon
 - 7 — de France
 - 8 Nourished
 - 9 Comic Mort hit
 - 10 Like fine wine
 - 11 Paella ingredient
 - 12 Eye-opener?
 - 13 "Tell — No" ('65 hit)
 - 14 Dock
 - 15 Decorative vases
 - 16 Concerning
 - 17 Acquire
 - 19 Do Europe
 - 24 — "Cowboy" ('80 film)
 - 25 Lincoln son
 - 29 Lighthouse or minaret
 - 31 Ade ingredients
 - 32 With skill
 - 33 New York city
 - 35 "Do — say, not..."
 - 36 Feign
 - 37 Asta's mistress
 - 38 Obote's ouster
 - 40 LP replacements
 - 41 Mischief-maker
 - 42 Chased away the gray
 - 43 Chalet shape
 - 45 Markey or Bagnold
 - 46 Offer an opinion
 - 47 Despots
 - 49 Bald bird
 - 50 Comrades
 - 51 Like turtles
 - 52 Praises passionately
 - 57 Authorize
 - 59 One of the Munsters
 - 61 Deficiency
 - 63 Senior member
 - 67 Used a scuffie
 - 69 Add the finishing touch
 - 71 Kramden's crony
 - 72 Fancy fiddle
 - 73 Fine point d'
 - 74 Finery
 - 75 Gymnast 120 Very low river?
 - 76 "Birds — feather..."
 - 77 Neighsayer? ("81 hit)
 - 78 "Marleen" ('81 film)
 - 79 Constellation component
 - 88 Beat
 - 89 Holler
 - 91 Let out the lava
 - 92 Flagon filler
 - 93 — de mer
 - 95 City
 - 97 Farm feature
 - 99 Indeed
 - 100 Gibbon or gorilla
 - 101 Swift savage
 - 107 Resort lake
 - 108 David James Elliott series
 - 110 Move quickly
 - 111 Big guy
 - 112 Tearoom item
 - 113 — vera
 - 114 Delany or Plato
 - 115 At any time
 - 117 — "Said" ('61 hit)
 - 118 Coup d'
 - 119 Prohibits
 - 120 Very low river?
 - 121 Natural hairdo
 - 122 — "Marleen" ('81 film)
 - 123 Constellation component
 - 125 Twisted
 - 126 "Baloney!"
 - 127 Be human
 - 128 Flagon filler



- ACROSS**
- 1 Crease
 - 5 Symbol of intrigue
 - 8 Molt
 - 12 Three digits after 1
 - 14 Blood (Prefix)
 - 15 Morning treat
 - 16 Calif. neighbor
 - 17 Eviscerate
 - 18 Enigma
 - 20 Oregon capital
 - 23 Gambling game
 - 24 Stench
 - 25 Payment plan
 - 28 Humorist
 - 29 Plastic wrap
 - 30 Dave's competition
 - 32 Ousting
 - 34 Story
 - 35 Put to work
 - 36 "Boxcars"
 - 37 "Jolene"
 - 7 Act of disloyalty
 - 8 It's always with you
 - 9 Zebra bunch
 - 10 Actor Jannings
 - 11 Take a nap
 - 13 Pal
 - 19 Ayatollah territory
 - 20 Boar's mate
 - 21 Hebrew month
 - 22 Theater box
 - 23 Capacitance unit
 - 25 Pale blue-purple
 - 26 Trojan War hero
 - 27 Bulldogs' bailiwick
 - 29 Adequate
 - 31 Absolutely
 - 33 Say under your breath
 - 34 Leotard
 - 36 Affix your X
 - 37 Lima's land
 - 38 Rotation pivot
 - 39 Sartorial woes
 - 40 Air from a pair
 - 43 Eggs
 - 44 Resumé
 - 45 Harem room
 - 46 31-Down, slangily



Answers to Crossword, Challenger on page 12.

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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 3 Minutes
26 Seconds

Your Working Time
Minutes
Seconds

			13	
	2		13	
	2		26	
		8	25	
1			16	
28	15	13	24	20

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