

Shavertown Fire Co. video available

Literally thousands of area residents might catch a glimpse of themselves in the Shavertown Fire Company's 75th anniversary souvenir video now on sale.

The fire company produced the local historical piece to underscore the strong ties between the company and other institutions in the Back Mountain area.

The fund-raising video includes early history of Shavertown, the school system, sports and the three churches serving the community. St. Therese's Roman Catholic church, Shavertown United Methodist and St. Paul's Lutheran church. Many parishioners will find themselves in scenes of recent services along with many original founding members of the three congregations. Of particular interest will be

the film footage of the burning of the parsonage of Shavertown United Methodist church in 1940. The Back Mountain Lumber and Coal Company fire of 1961 is recounted, as is the founding of Rave's Lawn and Garden Centers in the Shavertown community.

Time is devoted to a recap of the 75th anniversary parade on Rt. 309 on August 12. Additional photos of early Little League teams and Shavertown elementary school classes will no doubt have many doing double takes to see who they recognize.

The 1/2 hour souvenir video is available from the Shavertown Fire Company, or at the following locations: Rave's, Shavertown; Back Mountain Lumber and Coal Company, Shavertown, and Mary's Flower Garden, Shavertown.



PSU raffle at Meadows Fall Festival

The Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, announced that tickets are available for the raffle that is part of the Fall Festival to be held at the center on Saturday, October 14, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Prizes for the raffle include a Joe Paterno signed football, Penn State sweatshirt, tailgate basket, and Penn State cheerleader doll. Tickets can be purchased in the Meadows lobby or the day of the event.

The Fall Festival will feature crafts, candles, face painting, pumpkin patch, baked goods and lunch. Admission is free and the community is invited to attend. All proceeds benefit residents of the center.

Shown with raffle prizes, from left, Nittany Lion, Don, Joey and Midge Smith, raffle committee members, and Joe Paterno (cutout).

Jackson Township road construction

The Jackson Township Road Department in conjunction with Lagana Construction Services will be closing portions of Smith Pond Road and Kasko Road the week of Oct. 16, weather permitting, for pavement and resurfacing and pipe work.



Golf tournament benefits library

The Par 4 Café in Wilkes-Barre will hold its fourth annual golf tournament to benefit the Back Mountain Memorial Library on Monday, Oct. 16. The Irem Temple Country Club course in Dallas will be the site of the noon shotgun start. Entry forms may be obtained at the library or at Par 4 Café, 128 Parrish St., Wilkes-Barre. Call 829-3011 for further details.

Pictured are Martha Butler, library director; and Brian Freeman, Par 4 Café.

Child safety seat inspection in Dallas

The NE Highway Safety Program finds that 90% of children's car seats are not installed properly. The Dallas Borough Police Department will be conducting a child safety seat inspection at Mr. Z's in Dallas, on Friday, Oct. 13, from 10 a.m. until noon. Anyone interested in making sure their child's car seat is installed properly can have it looked at by certified car seat technicians. Car seats will also be checked for manufacturer's recalls. The police department will have special goodies for kids who are buckled up in their car seat of seatbelt.

Mountain Grange flea market

Members of Mountain Grange #567 are planning a flea market on Saturday, Oct. 21, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For table rentals or (weather permitting) outdoor space reservations, please call 696-1452 or 287-6354.

The kitchen will be open for lunch and snacks all day. There will be homemade vegetable soup, wimpies, hotdogs, various pies, cakes and desserts.

From Wyoming Ave., Wyoming, take W. Eighth St. to Carverton. The Building is on the left, across from Bodle Rd.

From Trucksville, turn at the traffic light onto Carverton Rd. At stop sign, turn left onto Eighth St. Building is across from Bodle Rd.

Ryan Morgan at Washington Youth Leadership Conference

Ryan Morgan of Dallas is attending The National Youth Leadership Conference (NYLC) this week in Washington, D.C. The NYLC is a unique leadership development program for high school students who have demonstrated leadership potential and scholastic merit. Morgan will be among 350 scholars from around the country to attend the conference.

The theme of NYLC is *The Leaders of Tomorrow Meeting the Leaders of Today*. Throughout the six-day conference, Morgan will interact with key leaders and newsmakers from the three branches of government, the media and the diplomatic corps.

Highlights of the program include welcoming remarks from the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives and a panel discussion with prominent journalists at the National Press Club. Morgan will also meet with senators and representatives or an appointed member of their staff to discuss important issues facing the nation.

Morgan will also participate in a number of leadership skill-building activities. In one role-play activity known as *If I were President*, students act as the president and Cabinet members responding to an international crisis. Students also participate in a

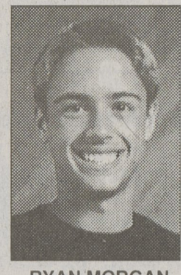
judicial simulation called *Testing the Constitution*, in which they examine actual Supreme Court cases. The NYLC culminates with the *Model Congress*, in which scholars assume the roles of U.S. representatives, and debate, amend and vote on proposed legislation.

For additional information on the NYLC, visit us on the Internet at www.cylc.org.

Morgan is a Dallas High School junior. He is an Honors with Distinction student, a two-time NEDT award winner, and the two-time recipient of the cumulative "A" award and various departmental and other academic and civic awards. He represented Dallas High School at Rotary Leadership Camp and received a full scholarship to Pennsylvania Free Enterprise Week at Lycoming College this past summer.

He is a member of several clubs, and is currently the Junior Class treasurer, and a member of the Student Council and the soccer team. He was a graduate of the 2000 Jr. Leadership Wilkes-Barre class and was elected to and currently serves on the Jr. Leadership Advisory Council. Morgan is also active as an altar server and an assistant CCD teacher at Gate of Heaven Church in Dallas. He has worked for Grotto Pizza and as a referee for Back Mountain Youth Soccer.

Offset Paperback Company in Dallas is providing corporate sponsorship toward a portion of the cost of the conference.



RYAN MORGAN

Nesbitt School of Pharmacy ceremony held

In preparation for their field experiences in area pharmacies, students from the Nesbitt School of Pharmacy Class of 2004 recently completed the *Professional Initiation Ceremony* among an audience of families and friends in Wilkes University's Rite Aid Auditorium.

Brianna Herron, Amy Hilstolsky, and Jane Wisniewski, all of Dallas, took part in the festivities.

The pharmacy students took the official "Oath of a Pharmacist," signed the "Code of Ethics" and received their white lab coats. Following a welcome by Dr. Bernard W. Graham, dean of Nesbitt School of Pharmacy, a keynote address was delivered by Steve L. Sheaffer, Pharm.D.FASHP. Sheaffer is director of Pharmacy at Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital and president-elect of the American Society of Health System Pharmacists.

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