

# CALENDAR

## CLUBS/GROUPS

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

**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.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meetings in the Back Mountain [OD-open discussion; OS-open speakers]: 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.

**EATING DISORDERS:** Persons interested in forming an eating disorder support group in the Back Mountain, please call 696-3688 and ask for Barbara.

**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.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**SWETLAND HOMESTEAD**, the recently renovated historic home re-opens for tours, 885 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming, Thurs. and Fri., 1-4 p.m.; Sat. and Sun., 11 a.m.-4 p.m. \$3; children 12 and under, \$1. 823-9011.

**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.

## COMMUNITY

**SOUP SALE**, Sat., Feb. 17, sponsored by Noxen-Monroe Sportsmen's Ass'n. Ham & bean or vegetable beef soup for \$3 per quart. Pick up between 4 and 6 p.m. Soup will also be available by the bowl.

**PANCAKE SUPPER**, Sat., Feb. 24, 4-7 p.m., East Dallas United Methodist Church. Pancakes, sausage, eggs, pie and beverages. All you can eat. Tickets sold at the door.

## EXHIBITS

**KILBURN GALLERY**, Sheehy Student Center, King's College, Wilkes-Barre. Through Feb. 23: "Susquehanna River Series: A Journey Through the Valley," featuring works by the En Plein Air Society. For more information or gallery hours, call 208-5966.

**STUDIO III CULTURAL CENTER**, 175 Main St., Luzerne. Gallery hours are Tues. - Fri. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. or by appointment. Through Feb. 28: Works including water colors, mixed media and oils by Studio III teachers, Marie Perks, Susan Teal and Daya.

## HEALTH

**BACK MOUNTAIN FREE MEDICAL CLINIC**, Fridays 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.

## STAGE

**'OKLAHOMA', MUSIC BOX DINNER PLAYHOUSE**, Swyersville. Opens Feb. 8. Thurs., Fri., and Sat., dinner at 6:30 p.m., curtain at 8 p.m.; Sunday, buffet at 1:45 p.m., curtain at 3:15 p.m. Tickets are \$30 for adults, \$22 for children. Show only: \$17 adults, \$15 students, \$13 children. For more information call 283-2195 or 1-800-698-7529 or www.musicbox.org. Feb. 8-11, 15-18, and 22-25.



## Back Mountain students in Oklahoma! at the Music Box

Four students from the Back Mountain Area are playing a variety of roles in the Music Box Players production of Oklahoma. Donna Kaminski, 15, of Harvey's Lake is a sophomore at Lake-Lehman High School. There she participates in the school chorus and the debate team. At school and in community theatres, she has appeared in productions of Bye Bye Birdie, a Christmas Carol, The Wishing Tree and Alien Voices. Chelsea MacDougall, 13, is an 8th grade student at Lake-Lehman M.L.E.B. At school she participates in field hockey, track and chorus. She has appeared in several plays at school and for the N.E. Junior Players including Cinderella, Winnie The Pooh, The Jungle Book, Aladdin and Beauty and The Beast. Chelsea studies dance and attended the School of Performing Arts in Philadelphia during the summer of 2000. Nicole Sutton of Dallas, 17, is a senior at Dallas Area High School. There she is a member of the chorus, the select chorus, the yearbook staff, the Student Council, and the National Honor Society. She has played numerous roles with the N.E. Junior Players in their productions of The Wizard of Oz and Toy Camp. At the Music Box, she has appeared in Cinderella. She hopes to major in Business and Theatre in college next year. Craig Lee Thomas, 14, is a 9th grade student at Lake-Lehman High School. He has appeared in numerous shows at the Music Box and the Little Theatre and is a member of the Northeast Choral Society. Craig has also acted professionally in numerous National Television commercials, appeared in the musical Jubilee at Carnegie Hall, and has hosted on Saturday mornings for the Discovery Channel. See calendar listing for show times. Picture above from left: Chelsea MacDougall, Craig Lee Thomas, Donna Kaminski and Nicole Sutton appear in Oklahoma! at the Music Box.

## STAGE

**'THEY'RE PLAYING OUR SONG'**, Wed., Feb. 21 and Sat., Feb. 24 at 8 p.m. in the King's College Theatre, located in the Administration Building Auditorium. General admission \$5, students and senior citizens \$3, King's College students free. Call 208-5825 for reservations.

## STAGE

**'THE SOUND OF MUSIC'** at the Scranton Cultural Center, Fri., Feb. 23 at 8 p.m.; Sat., Feb. 24 at 2 & 8 p.m.; Sun., Feb. 25 at 2 & 7:30 p.m. Tickets on sale at the box office and Ticketmaster locations; to charge by phone, call 693-4100 or order online at ticketmaster.com

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## MUSIC

**THE FOUR NATIONS ENSEMBLE** will present the music of 15th and 17th century Paris in "Love and Remembrance," Thurs., Feb. 15 at 8 p.m., in the J. Carroll McCormick Campus Ministry Center at King's College. The performances will include music from J. Ockeghem, F. Couperin, Marais and Ste. Colombe, and Claudin de Semy. Free and open to the public. For further information, call the King's Student Activities Office at 208-5966 or visit the four Nations Ensemble's website at www.fournations.org.

## BLOOD DRIVE

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** needs volunteers, both professional and non-professional; call 823-7161. Back Mountain blood collection dates/locations are: Feb. 21: Dallas UMC, Parsonage St., Dallas, from 12:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Mar. 14: College Misericordia, 301 Lake St., Dallas, from 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

## AT THE KIRBY

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

**SESAME STREET LIVE** Feb. 27- Mar. 4. Tickets on sale now.

## OUTDOORS

**GREAT BACKYARD BIRD COUNT** will be conducted Feb. 16-19. Anyone interested is invited to count and report birds as part of a national effort to track species distribution. For information, go to www.birdsource.org.

**FISHERMAN'S FLEA MARKET**, Feb. 18, Wilkes-Barre Twp. Firehouse off East Northampton St. New and used boats will be on display along with 25 fishing tackle vendors, with new, used and antique-tackle to buy, trade or sell. Admission cost is \$1. Hours are 10 am till 4 pm.

# CROSSWORD CORNER

**ACROSS**  
 1 Type of file  
 5 Broadway org.  
 10 Bog  
 15 - Cass  
 19 Game ending?  
 20 Prentiss or Poundstone  
 21 Kind of quartz  
 22 Viquel of baseball  
 23 Approximately  
 25 Puzzling problem  
 26 "Peter Pan" coach  
 27 Hester Pryne's kid  
 28 Kids connect them  
 30 Shorten a skirt  
 31 Social climber  
 32 James of "Miser"  
 35 Clois  
 38 Owl or eagle  
 40 New Hampshire's motto  
 45 - do-well  
 46 Shelley showcase  
 47 Launder powder  
 48 Squealers  
 51 Zodiac crustacean

**DOWN**  
 2 Wax device  
 3 Praise  
 4 Summon  
 6 Mommy  
 7 gear  
 8 "Darn!"  
 9 Envelope abbr.  
 11 "islands in the..."  
 12 Egyptian Nobel  
 13 "83 hit"  
 14 Frame of mind  
 15 "Nonsense!"  
 16 Coaching legend  
 17 Boar's beloved  
 18 Rigatoni  
 19 "Hasty"  
 20 "Oh, woe!"  
 21 Honshu metropolis  
 22 Furry fisherman  
 23 Tourist isle  
 24 Riga  
 25 Katmandu's country  
 26 Peter of Hermit's  
 27 Cry over a mouse?  
 28 Lena of "Havana"  
 29 Showy shrub  
 30 High-toned guy?  
 31 Couch

**ACROSS**  
 43 Bulldoze  
 44 A shape that stops traffic  
 45 Tiny Tom  
 46 Soap opera, e.g.  
 47 Cassius'  
 48 cohort  
 49 Pupil's place  
 50 Medieval menial  
 51 "Archie" character  
 52 Hosts  
 53 Halloween greeting  
 54 Ancient daily  
 55 Shake-spearean tragedy  
 56 German poet  
 57 Air bear?  
 58 Flexed, as muscles  
 59 Born  
 60 Italian wine  
 61 "The Jungle Book" bear  
 62 Glum drop?  
 63 Parental sibling

**DOWN**  
 96 Sgt. or cpl.  
 97 Solid circle  
 98 New York city  
 99 Polo's place  
 100 Bk. convenience  
 101 -wop  
 102 Singer  
 103 Sheena  
 104 Literary pseudonym  
 105 Bright inventor?  
 106 Dictator  
 107 Pyramus' paramour  
 108 Move like  
 109 Across  
 110 "Archie" character  
 111 Push-button predecessor  
 112 Ernelop  
 113 Ship or Jackson  
 114 Up on  
 115 Flatten a fly  
 116 Kedrova of "Zorba the Greek"  
 117 Runner  
 118 Zatopek  
 119 Record  
 120 Record abbr.  
 121 Smith or Foster  
 122 Novelist  
 123 Kesey  
 124 Vein contents

**ACROSS**  
 1 Curry or Rice  
 4 Don't just sit there  
 7 Tutor  
 12 "Exodus" name  
 13 Holler  
 14 Mortal  
 15 Card-table call  
 16 Ace  
 18 Work with  
 19 Basins' accessories  
 20 Presentation  
 22 Work unit  
 23 Waikiki is there  
 27 Conclusion  
 29 Pearl's home  
 31 Dickens title start  
 34 Biting  
 35 Utter confusion  
 37 Resort  
 38 Scoundrels  
 39 Make a decision  
 41 Colonial needle-wielder  
 45 Knapsack part  
 47 WWF surface  
 48 Limbo, to astronomers?  
 52 Pub order  
 53 More than one spoke  
 54 Dog's doc  
 55 Weeding tool

**DOWN**  
 11 Away from  
 17 Thus  
 21 "The Time Machine" author  
 23 "Sesame Street" curmudgeon  
 24 Put away  
 25 Opposite of him  
 26 City area, jocularly  
 28 Teachers' org.  
 30 Shriek bark  
 31 Rudimentary lessons  
 32 "With Mussolini"  
 33 Keep  
 36 Gypsy -  
 37 Less fresh  
 40 Utah city  
 42 Normandy beachhead  
 43 Beauty parlor  
 44 Trusty mount  
 45 Late-braking development  
 46 Tennis star  
 48 Car-front protector  
 49 - di-dah  
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 • Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

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Answers to crossword on page 2



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