

## Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Buckley celebrate first anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Buckley celebrated their first wedding anniversary on Sunday, Oct. 28, 2001. They were married by the Rev. Zbigniew Dawid and the Rev. John Kotula, in the Holy Mother of Sorrows Church, Dupont. Alter servers were John Kotula III and Jeffrey Kotula.

Mrs. Buckley is the former Dawn Dana Scanlon, daughter of Lenore Scanlon, Wilkes-Barre, and James Scanlon, Zephyrhills, Fl. Mr. Buckley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Buckley, Dallas.

The bride given in marriage by her father chose her sister Dana Davis as the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Susan Buckley, sister of the groom, and Laura Scanlon, Esq., sister-in-law of the bride. Flower girl was Cayley Scanlon, niece of the bride.

The groom chose his brother Todd Buckley as the best man. Groomsmen were Gerard Davis, brother-in-law of the bride, and Dale Scanlon, D.M.D., brother of the bride. Ring bearer was Jamie Kotula, cousin of the bride.

Scriptural readings were narrated by David Keefer Jr., Josiah Garlan and Michael Wagner, friends of the bridal couple.

An evening cocktail hour and dinner reception were held at the Holiday Inn T.G.I. Fridays complex, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

The bride is a graduate of Wyomissing High School, Reading, and Luzerne County Community College, Nanticoke. She is employed as a dental hygienist for Myersville Dental, Myersville, Md.

The groom is a graduate of Dallas High School, Dallas, and College Misericordia, Dallas. He is employed as an occupational therapist for Frederick County Developmental Center, Frederick, Md.

The couple resides in Frederick, Md.



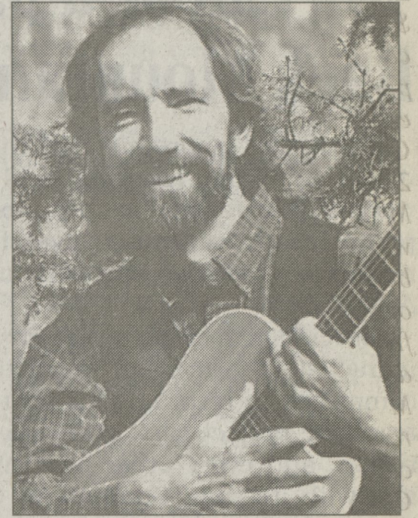
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## Multi-media concert aids North Branch Land Trust

North Branch Land Trust and Plains Animal Hospital will present "Walkin' Jim" Stoltz in concert Friday, Oct. 26. The concert takes place in McAuley Walsh Auditorium at College Misericordia, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Walkin' Jim has been touring extensively with his multimedia show, "Forever Wild," since 1985. The concert shares the life he experiences on his long walks and consists of his live music and poetry backed by Jim's stunning photographs. The combination of the dual images (artistically blended using two projectors and a dissolve unit) and his moving songs, results in a powerful, inspirational program. This merging of the media captures the magic and uniqueness of the wild country like no other presentation.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students (if college stu-



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dent, ID required at door). They can be purchased in advance from any board member or by calling the office at 696-5545. Net proceeds benefit the Land Trust.

## Haunted Barn ready to scare

For 19 years, the Lehman Haunted Barn has been giving its patrons a good scare. The volunteers who make it all happen are from the Lake-Lehman High School Chorus and Band, the Lehman Volunteer Fire Co., and the Lehman and Idetown Churches.

The Lehman Haunted Barn is located off Route 118 behind the Lehman Post Office and open Oct. 18 to 21 and Oct. 25 to 31, week nights and Sundays 7 to 10 p.m. and Fridays and Saturdays 7 to 11 p.m. Admission is \$6.

Children's Shows will be offered on Saturday, Oct. 27, and Sunday, Oct. 28, at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. Seating is limited, reservations required. For more details call the spook line at 674-5420 or visit [hauntedbarn.org](http://hauntedbarn.org).

## Driver safety course for seniors

Wilkes-Barre Area Vocational Technical School will sponsor an evening AARP 55 Alive/Driver Safety Program course to be held at the school on Mondays, Oct. 29 and Nov. 5. The class is scheduled from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. each evening as a special convenience to persons who work full-time during the day, but anyone is welcome to attend. You do not need to be an AARP member. Participants must attend both sessions in order to receive a certificate.

The AARP driver safety course targets adults age 50 and over. The entire class takes place in the classroom, not in an actual vehicle, and topics focus on ways to cope with the age-related changes that affect older drivers. Increased knowledge of driving risks, as well as practical hints and tips, help older drivers drive more safely.

Since this course has proven effective in reducing accidents among participants, Pennsylvania has mandated a 5 percent discount on automobile insurance for drivers age 55 and over, provided there have been no recent chargeable claims. If a spouse is

also listed on the insurance, he or she must also take the course in order to receive the discount. The discount applies for three years, and may be renewed by repeating the course.

Instructor Pat Pisaneschi points out that despite the length of the class, most students stay alert because emphasis is placed on group discussion and interaction as well as the course manual. Participants do not need to pass a test in order to earn their certificates. Costs are minimal because all instructors are trained volunteers. A fee of \$10 per person covers materials; checks or money orders must be made payable to AARP and can be brought to the first session.

Interested persons should register in advance, since walk-ins cannot usually be accommodated. Call the instructor at 868-6732 or contact her at [ppisanes@epix.net](mailto:ppisanes@epix.net) and be sure to include your phone number. Students must be sure to bring along their driver's licenses and social security numbers as well as course payment.

## Girl Scout Bake Sale Oct. 28

Senior Girl Scout Troop 665 will be holding a Halloween Bake Sale Sunday, Oct. 28 at Thomas' Market in Shavertown from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. A variety of Halloween and seasonal baked goods will be available. Profits benefit troop activities.

## Bible conference at Cross Creek

The Cross Creek Community Church will present "These Last Days" Bible Conference in conjunction with area churches. Guest speakers will be from the Friends of Israel Ministries.

The conference will be held Nov. 4 to 8. For more info, please contact Cross Creek Community Church at 696-0399.

## GOH early childhood center open

The Gate House Early Childhood Development Center, located on Machell Ave., Dallas, officially opened on Sept. 10 under the direction of Mrs. Mary Jane Kozick. The Center will follow the Gate of Heaven School calendar with hours of operation from 8:15 to 10:45 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The program is for 3 and 4-year-old children. For info or a free brochure, call 674-0194 or 675-6566.

## SENIOR MENUS

Senior Citizens Centers sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging for Luzerne and Wyoming Counties offers 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. All menus include margarine, milk and coffee. The following is the menu for the week of October 25-31.

**THURSDAY:** Scalloped turkey over noodles, succotash, butter-nut squash, white bread, orange.

**FRIDAY:** Baked pollock, lemon, parslid rice, peas and carrots, grapefruit juice, whole wheat roll, chocolate brownie.

**MONDAY:** Beef stroganoff over noodles with gravy, carrots, peach and pineapple compote, whole wheat bread, grapefruit juice, chocolate pudding.

**TUESDAY:** Baked chicken, whipped potatoes, roman vegetable medley, rye bread, applesauce.

**WEDNESDAY:** Halloween party special dinner. Roast pork with stuffing and gravy, cabbage slaw, sweet potatoes, apple cider, dinner roll, gingerbread.

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