



Lake Silkworth Lions give to fire and ambulance organizations

The Lake Silkworth Area Lions recently presented representatives from the fire companies and the ambulance associations from the surrounding communities with monetary donations. Donations are presented annually to Lake Silkworth, Sweet Valley and Fairmount Township Fire and Ambulance Associations. Pictured, from left: Bob Walsh, Sweet Valley Fire Co.; Alice Walsh, Sweet Valley Ambulance Association; Bernie Kolodziej, Lake Silkworth Area Lions Club President; Cindy Stucker, Lake Silkworth Ambulance Association; Don Kivler, Lake Silkworth Fire Co.



70 Years Ago - June 17, 1932

KINGSTON TOWNSHIP HOLDS BRILLIANT COMMENCEMENT

Awarding of honor prizes and the awarding of diplomas to graduates of Kingston township high school featured the annual commencement exercises held at the Trucksville M.E. church. Speaker was Rev. Charles Roush.

At the local A & P Store, some items you could get: peas 2 cans 25¢; cigarettes, carton \$1.25; potatoes, 15-lb 33¢; Bisquick, pkg. 33¢; baking powder, 12-oz can 20¢.

Movies that played at the Himmler Theater were: The Man Who Played God with George Arliss; The Manhattan Parade with Winnie Lightner; One Hour With You starring Maurice Chevalier and Young America with Spencer Tracy and Doris Kenyon.

60 Years Ago - June 19, 1942

LOCAL SOLDIER IN IRELAND WITH AEF

Private George Swan is the first soldier from this region to be shipped overseas to Europe with the new A.E.F. Private Swan is a gunner in the Coast Artillery.

Fire believed to have originat-

ed in defective wiring, caused \$1,500 damage to the home of Wesley Baer of Center Hill Road. Dr. Henry M. Laing Fire Company pumped 3,000 gallons of water from nearby Toby's Creek to extinguish the blaze.

Aircraft observation post 672-A maintained since last fall at Harvey's Lake, will soon be transferred to new quarters now under construction in Dallas. New location will be atop the rocky cliff in the forefront of Rice Cemetery on Huntsville road.

50 Years Ago - June 27, 1952

ROSS TOWNSHIP TO CLOSE SEVEN 1-ROOM SCHOOLS

Seven one-room schools in Ross Township will be closed this year and their 221 pupils transferred to a new ten-room elementary building in Sweet Valley.

Some of the movies that played at the Dallas Outdoor Theatre: "When The Redskins Rode" with Jon Hall; "Emergency Wedding" with Larry Parks, Barbara Hale; "All The Kings Men" starring Broderick Crawford, Joanne Dru; "Halls of Montezuma" with Richard Widmark, Jack Palance.

Dallas Kiwanis Club celebrated its 25th anniversary with a dinner for the wives at the Irem Temple Country Club. Kenneth Rice was president.

40 Years Ago - June 21, 1962

DEALERS WILL DONATE ANTIQUES TO 16TH ANNUAL LIBRARY AUCTION

Many generous contributions from antique dealers have begun to come in. Some contributions

are: Gene Haley and Bob Davis of "The Silver Sleigh" have donated a pine blanket chest; Pual Coolbaugh donated a large wooden shovel made in Susquehanna, Gladus Daves contributed a slat-backed chair and fire place cover.

Army Pvt. Raymond J.P. Dempko, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Demko, Trucksville, completed military police training at Fort Gordon, Ga.

Members of the Ridge Runners Jeep Club of Harveys Lake took a 50-mile tour of State Game Lands No. 57 in Wyoming County.

30 Years Ago - June 22, 1972

HURRICANE AGNES TURNS SUSQUEHANNA INTO KILLER

The Susquehanna River in Wyoming Valley crested at 40.60 feet. The dikes were constructed to contain a level of 37 feet. Of the five Middle Atlantic States hit by flooding, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania was the worst hit. Within the state itself, it was believed that the Wilkes-Barre-Wyoming Valley area suffered the worst devastation.

Frances Slocum State Park, through a donated program between the Pennsylvania Departments of Environmental Resources and Community Affairs and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, will have a trailer village established for those who have permanently lost their place of residence due to the flood.

A decision to postpone the 26th annual Back Mountain memorial Library Auction was made following a caucus of Auction Chairman Clarke Bittner and members of the Auction advisory committee and library

board. Auction officials felt that it would be inappropriate to hold the Auction in the face of the recent flood disaster.

20 Years Ago - June 6, 1982

DALLAS ARTIST'S PAINTING BOUGHT BY ACTRESS

A watercolor by Ann Parkhurst, Dallas, artist, was sold to film star Shirley MacLaine. The picture depicted three mountain rams on a slope, which attracted the attention of Helen Jones, president, Society for Animal Rights, which went on display in New York, where Miss MacLaine purchased it.

The Harveys Lake Bassmasters held their annual cleanup of the Lake. The club originated in 1980 and compete in tournaments with similar clubs from other Districts.

Hugh King of The Recyclery in Dallas announced a "Ride to Stop Cancer." The 25 mile ride through the Back Mountain will raise money for the American Cancer Society.

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Miller receives scholarship from AAL/LB

Michael R. Miller of Dallas, has been awarded an All-College Scholarship from Aid Association for Lutherans/Lutheran Brotherhood. The scholarship is for \$2,000.



Michael Miller

Miller, a graduate of Dallas Area, is one of 1,700 graduating high school seniors to receive an AAL/LB All-College Scholarship.

The 2002 All-College Scholarship recipients were chosen from more than 6,000 applicants by ACT Recognition Program Services, a leader in scholarship support services. Selection was based on academic record, leadership qualities, church and community involvement, and extracurricular activities.

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