

CALENDAR

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COMMUNITY

Sat. Sept. 14 - **5TH ANNUAL CHINESE AUCTION** from 1-4 p.m. sponsored by the Activities Department of the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas. Rain date is Sunday, Sept. 15. Auction is a fundraiser to benefit the 130 residents at the Nursing Center. Auction will be held in the pavilion at the rear of the Meadows Nursing Center. Drawing will begin at 3 p.m. Booths will include baked goods, 50-50 raffle, instant bingo and odds and ends. Refreshments available.

Sat. Sept. 14 - **ROAST TURKEY DINNER/BAKE SALE**, at Loyallville UM Church, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Adults \$6.50, children 12 and under \$3.25. Homemade pie/cake included in price of dinner. Takeouts available. Call ahead for takeouts 477-3521.

Sat. Sept. 14 - **CHICKEN BARBEQUE** 4:30-7 p.m. at The Mount Zion U.M. Church, Mount Zion Rd., Harding \$7 for adults and \$5.50 for children. Public welcome. For ticket reservations, call 388-6324.

Sun. Sept. 15 - **PAUL D. JOBSON JR. 4TH ANNUAL MEMORIAL GOLD TOURNAMENT** Format is Captain & Crew with a shotgun start at 10 a.m. at Wilkes-Barre Golf Club. Entry fee is \$70 which includes 18 holes w/cart, soft drinks & dinner and gift for all players. This event raises money to help fight Lou Gehrig's Disease. If interested call Scott at 655-4656.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Sept. 15 - **THE ENDLESS MOUNTAINS COUNCIL OF THE ARTS** presents it's annual Artisan's Autumn Showcase festival at Riverside Park, just off Route 29, in Tunkhannock from Noon to 5 p.m. Music by George Wesley, dancers demonstrating ballroom, hip hop, swing and Irish. Food, fun for kids, including pony rides, pumpkin contests, storytelling. Artisan's and crafters demonstrate and display their wares. Free to the public. Bring your lawnchair. Call 570-836-3622 for more info.

Thur. Sept. 19 - **THE MUMFORD MANNER MURDER MYSTERY** featuring the Repertory Theater of America Gourmet Dessert Theater at Penn State Wilkes-Barre in Lehman; 6 p.m. Reservations required, \$10 for show and gourmet treats. Call 570-675-9284 for reservations or information.

Sat. Sept. 21 - **BENEFIT DINNER AND STAGE SHOW** hosted by Eckley Miners' Village Associates to raise funds for the restoration of the Eckley Breaker. Hors'oeuvres and cocktails at 5 p.m.; buffet style dinner at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$27.50 per person and must be paid in advance. Deadline for ordering tickets will be Tuesday, Sept. 10. The Eckley Miners' Village is located nine miles east of Hazleton, off Route 940. For info or to order tickets, call 636-2070.

Sun. Sept. 22 - **ARTS, CRAFTS & COLLECTIBLES SHOW**, more than 50 vendors, Irem Temple Country Club Pavilion, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Light lunch, baked goods, door prizes. Ample parking, handicapped accessible. Sponsored by the Irem Ladies, Marge Pazdzioro, Chairlady.

Sat. Oct. 19 - **13TH ALUMNI ASSOC. FALL CRAFT FESTIVAL** 10 a.m.-4 p.m. held by The Luzerne County Community College Alumni Assoc. at the College's campus in Nanticoke. Featured will be more than 125 vendors from around the region. The festival also will include raffles, food vendors, and children's entertainment. Admission is \$2. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Proceeds will benefit student scholarships. For more info call the LCCC Alumni Office at 740-0735.

EXHIBITS

Sept. 20 - **ENDLESS MOJNTAINS COUNCIL OF THE ART'S** Second reception features paintings and floral arrangements by 15 local artists and numerous florists and garden centers. 6-8 p.m. Located at the EMCA Center, 302 W. Tioga St., Tunkhannock. Regular gallery hours Fri, Sat, Sun 1-5 p.m. Call 836-3622 or email emca@mail.emcs.net for more info.

COMMUNITY

Fri. Sept. 20 - **CHICKEN & BISCUIT DINNER**, 4:30-7 p.m. will be held by The Dallas Chapter Eastern Star Building Assoc. at the Eastern Star Building Foster St., Dallas (behind CVS Drug Store). Adults \$6.50, children \$3, preschool free. Takeouts available. Welsh cookies will be sold. Tickets from members or at the door. For info call Dianne Corby 675-4893.

Sat. Sept. 21 - **FAMILY STYLE BREAKFAST** 7:30 -10:30 a.m. St. Pauls Lutheran Church, Rt 415-118 Dallas, \$5, Tickets at the door. Sponsored by the Odd Fellows Dallas Lodge

Sept. 20 & 21 - **RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE** to be held by The Huntsville U.M. Church. Donations will be accepted and transportation available to transport your donations, if needed. Immediate area only. Sale will run both days from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Refreshments will be served. For info call 696-2205 or 675-1937.

OUTDOORS

**AUDUBON SOCIETY FIELD TRIP**, Sixth Annual Fall North American Migration Count for Luzerne and Wyoming Counties sponsored by greater Wyoming Valley Audubon Society. Come out to assist in documenting the movement and number of birds in this year's autumn migration. No experience is necessary. For more info, contact Jim Shoemaker 825-9401 for Luzerne County or Bill Reid 836-2734 for Wyoming County.

Tue. Sept. 17 - **FALL GARDENING SEMINAR** will be held by Penn State Cooperative Extension Luzerne County at the Luzerne County Community College Conference Center, Nanticoke. These workshops will be presented at 3 and 6 p.m. To pre-register call Penn State at 825-1701, 602-0600, or toll free at 888-825-1701.



The Druckenmillers have performed at Mayfair, the Fall Fiddle Festival, First Night Bethlehem, bookstores, dances, and at Godfrey Daniels, Mine Street and Mountain Moon coffeehouses, the Cape Cod Fiddlefest, and the Autumn Leaves Festival in Wayne County PA. They've played live on the radio and have three recordings.

Contra dance season opens Sat.

The Chicory House Contra Dance starts a new season Saturday, Sept. 14 at 8 p.m. The dance is held at the St. Therese's Church, Pioneer Avenue at Davis Street in Shavertown. Music will be by Betty, Tom and Nathan Druckenmiller. Contra dancing involves mixing with other dancers as each couple performs a short routine with another couple before progressing onto a new couple and repeating the sequence. Caller

Greg Frock will teach a different routine before each dance, and will "walk through" the dance while explaining it. Frock, from the Baltimore area, has been calling at dances and festivals since 1992. Contra dancing is moderately aerobic, but all figures can be accomplished with a walking step. No partner or previous experience is necessary, and all dances are taught and called. New guests should have no prob-

lem learning the basics of the contra moves, many of which are borrowed from square dancing and ballroom dancing.

The Chicory house is an all-volunteer non-profit coffeehouse, sponsoring folk music and dance in the Wyoming Valley. Admission to the dance is \$6 for adults and \$15 for families. Dancers are asked to wear soft-soled shoes and may bring a snack to share at intermission. Further information is available at 333-4007.

STAGE

Sept. 13-29 - **CHICAGO**, the Bob Fosse Musical, presented by the Music Box Players. Sept. 13-15, 19-22 and 26-29, at the Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. Thursdays through Saturdays: bar opens: 6 p.m.; buffet dinner, 6:30 p.m.; curtain: 8 p.m. Sunday matinees: Bar opens: 1:15 p.m.; buffet: 1:45 p.m.; curtain: 3:15 p.m. Tickets on sale for dinner and show and show only. Call 283-2195 or 800-698-PLAY for information and reservations.

GROUP

Thu. Sept. 12 - **THE BOWMAN'S CREEK WATERSHED ASSOC.** will hold their monthly meeting at the Noxen-Monroe Sportsman Club, Market St., Noxen at 7 p.m.

Thur. Sept. 19 - **THE WYOMING VALLEY CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE** will be held at 7 p.m. at Picketts Charge Restaurant, Dallas. Guest speaker will be Mr. Jeffrey D. Wert of Centre Hall. He will be speaking on General James Longstreet. Refreshments will be served following the presentation.

GROUP

**MOUNTAIN GRANGE #567, CARVERTON**, is planning an AARP 55-ALIVE course on the following dates: September 19 & 26. Each course consists of a total of eight hours, therefore, each date will be four hours each, from 1-5 p.m. Cost is \$10 per person. You must register prior to the specified classes. To register call 333-1021, 287-6354, 586-5132. From Trucksville, turn at the traffic light onto Carverton Rd., at stop sign, turn left (Eighth St); building is across from Bodle Rd.

HEALTH

Sept. 15 - **CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION CLASS** Wyoming Valley Health Care System will hold three series in the Thomas P. Saxton Medical Pavilion auditorium, 468 Northampton St., Edwardsville. Sunday series will be 1-3 p.m., Sept. 15 through Oct. 13; Tuesday series 7-9 p.m., Sept. 17 through Oct. 15 and the Thursday series 7-9 p.m., Sept. 19 through Oct. 17. Pre-registration is necessary. Cost for a series is \$30. To register or for more info, call 1-800-838-WELL, option 2 or log onto www.wvhcs.org.

**STAR FITNESS**, a service of Wyoming Valley Health Care System, offers special group strength/stretch exercise and relaxation classes for adults age 65 and older. Classes are offered Mondays-Fridays at 10:15 a.m., through STAR Fitness, located in the Thomas P. Saxton Medical Pavilion, 468 Northampton St., Edwardsville. Fee per class is \$5 or you can attend unlimited classes throughout the month for a reduced monthly rate of \$38. For more info call STAR Fitness at 552-4550.

REUNION

Wed. Sept. 18 - **THE KINGSTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1934** will celebrate its 68th reunion with a luncheon at the Mark II Restaurant in Dallas at 1 p.m. For reservations call 696-1809.

BLOOD DRIVES

Tue., Sept. 24, **IREM TEMPLE COUNTRY CLUB**, Country Club Road, Dallas 12:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Jackson Twp. to start recycling program

The Jackson Township Board of Supervisors will be conducting recycling in conjunction with Exeter Borough on the third Tuesday of each month. Recyclable will be accepted from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. beginning September 17 at the Jackson Township Municipal Building. Fliers will be distributed to township residents with recycling information soon.

## Open House!

Wyoming Seminary Lower School invites you to a Pre-K (age 3) Open House!

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