

# CALENDAR

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## MUSIC

**Jan. 17 - LES SAMPOU**, acoustic blues, 8 p.m. \$12 supporting members. Chicory House, Community Room, St. Stephen's Pro-Cathedral, 35 S. Franklin St., W-B. 825-8722 or chicory-house.org

**Jan. 17 - DOO WOP STARS**, with Emil Stucchio & the Classics, the Toys and Charlie Thomas' Drifters. 8 p.m.F.M. Kirby Center, Public Square \$42.50, \$27.50.

**Jan. 18 - WILKES UNIVERSITY CHAMBER SINGERS**, 18-member group performing sacred music, madrigals, chansons and contemporary works. 7:30 p.m. at St. Peter's Cathedral, 315 Wyoming Ave., Scranton. Info, 408-4434.

**Jan. 19 - WINTER INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT**, a performance of classical and contemporary works by the Wyoming Seminary Orchestra, the Jazz Band and other chamber ensembles. 3 p.m. with the Orchestral Concert at Great Hall, 228 Wyoming Ave., Kingston, followed by the Jazz concert at the Buckingham Performing Arts Center, N. Sprague Ave., Kingston. Info, 270-2190.

**Jan. 23 - "BLACK, WHITE AND BLUES"**, gospel, poetry and blues by poet Glenis Redmon and singer/guitarist Scott Ainslie. 7 p.m. King's College, W-B., Info, 208-5900.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Through Mar 2 - VISUAL ART**, this exhibit of the work of regional artists will be on view and for sale. The Endless Mtns. Council of the Arts Center, 302 W. Tioqa St. and the Wyoming County Courthouse Gallery, Tunkhannock.

**Thu. Jan. 16 - THE PHILLIES WINTER TOUR**. Signing free autographs will be Phillies Manager Larry Bowa, Jimmy Rollins and Brett Myers. 6-7:30 p.m. at the Stadium Club Restaurant, Lackawanna County Stadium in Moosic.

**Jan. 19 - "ROCK ON ICE"**, 1- 3:30 pm. Endless Mtns. Council of he Arts 4th annual winter festival. Riverside Park Ice Rink, Rt 29, Tunkhannock. Skate to DJ entertainment, compete in games and races! Skate rentals available. Hot and cold drinks served.

**Sat. Feb. 1 - CASINO NIGHT**, the semi-formal evening begins at 6 p.m. with Hors D'oeuvres and a silent auction, followed by cocktails, a dinner buffet, dancing and casino gambling from 7 p.m.-midnight. Sponsored by the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital Auxiliary at the Woodlands Inn and Resort, Plains. Tickets will be sold. call the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital Gift Shoppe at 552-1241 or from any Starlight Casino committee member. Info, contact Barbara Giordano at 288-2324.

## COMMUNITY

**Jan. 17 - SPAGHETTI DINNER**, 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the Noxen U.M. Church on Rt. 29. \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for children under 12.

## EXHIBITS

**Through Feb. 21- "FROM WITHIN II,"** artwork created by College Misericordia faculty and staff. Opens Jan. 19 with a reception 2-5 p.m.

**Through 2003 - REGIONAL ART EXHIBIT**, archival photographs and artifacts. Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. Pennsylvania Anthracite Heritage Museum, McDade Park, off Keyser Ave., Scranton. Info, 963-4804

**Through Feb. 7 - NATURE NARRATES "IN THE BEGINNING,"** religious landscapes by Betty-Ann Hogan originally scheduled January 14 - February 7 will not be shown. Additional details to be announced. Info, Sandra Faux, Public Relations and Marketing Office at (570) 208-5885.

**Jan. 16 - Feb. 16 - AWAKENING**, works of Gothic surrealism by Curtis Salonick will be on exhibit with a "Meet the Artist" reception January 23 at 7 p.m. and a gallery talk at 8 p.m. at King's College Widmann Gallery

## STAGE

**Jan. 17-18 - "SHIRLEY VALENTINE"**, comedy by Willy Russell, starring Agnes Cummings. 8 p.m.; Jan. 19 3:15 p.m. Dinner served 90 minutes before show-time. Music Box Dinner Playhouse 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. \$14, \$25 with dinner. Info, 283-2195 or musicbox.org

**Jan 17-18 - "THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW,"** the bizarre cult classic. Jan. 10-11, 17-18 at 8 p.m.; Jan. 19, 2 p.m.. Showcase Theatre 54 Tunkhannock Ave., Exeter. Info, 654-2555.

**Jan. 20 - "THE MEETING"**, a play written by Jeff Stetson, portrays the fictional meeting of Martin Luther King, Jr. and Malcolm X at noon in the Hayfield House Community Room. Free. and will be performed by Pin Points Theatre at Penn State W-B. Info, 675-9284.



**Jan. 22 - "UNSINKABLE WOMEN,"** new, one-woman play about the women who survived the sinking of the Titanic, 8 p.m. in Wyoming Seminary's Buckingham Performing Arts Center, North Sprague Ave.. Presented in conjunction with Wilkes University. Free and open to the public. For info, 270-2190. Deborah Jean Templin, above, created and performs the stories.

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## Music Box Players to present 'Shirley Valentine'

The Music Box Players will present Shirley Valentine, a comedy by Willy Russell, which opens the Music Box 2003 Season, on January 17, 18, and 19. Shirley Valentine - a smash hit in London and New York - and later a popular motion picture - is the comic and often poignant journey of bored and unfulfilled middle-class house-

wife, Shirley. She dreams of a new life of love and adventure, and, in a moment of supreme bravery, escapes to Greece where her fairy-tale becomes reality and she finds a second life of exotic happiness. Shirley Valentine is directed by Morgan Christopher, who supervised a production of Valentine at the Walnut Street Theatre in Philadelphia. sets

and lighting are by Michael Gallagher and costumes are by K.D. Love. Performance times on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 17 and 18 are: bar opens at 6 p.m., a served dinner of chicken and pasta is served at 6:30 p.m., and curtain is at 8 p.m. At the Sunday, Jan. 19 matinee, the bar opens at 1:15 p.m., dinner is served at 1:45 p.m., and cur-

tain is at 3:15 p.m. Dinner and show is \$25, and show-only is \$14. Discounted prices are available for senior citizens, children and students. For further information, and to make reservations, call 283-2195 or 800-698-PLAY. All performances are at the Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes Street, Swoyersville, 18704.

## OUTDOORS

**Jan. 18 - FIELD TRIP** to the upper Delaware River and vicinity in search of wintering bald eagles. Meet 7 P.M. at the Park & Ride across from the K-Mart by Blackman St. Info, contact Bob Wasilewski at 542-5948.

**Tue. Jan. 21 - PUBLIC MEETING** to discuss and approve design of Luzerne Creek walk along Toby's Creek and Truckville Trail access at Carverton 7 p.m. at the Kingston Twp. Building, east Center St., Shavertown.

## GROUP

**Thu. Jan. 16 - MONTHLY MEETING** of the Civil War Round Table. Speaker will be Dr. Sheldon Spears presenting his program on "Local Civil war History". 7 p.m. at the Dallas American Legion, Rt. 415.

## BLOOD DRIVES

**Fri. Jan. 24 - ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**, Route 118, Dallas.

## Jerry Haines to perform at Penn State Wilkes-Barre

Jerry Haines, singer/songwriter, will perform at Penn State Wilkes-Barre on Friday, January 24 at noon, in the campus Cafe Commons. Haines has performed throughout the Mid-Atlantic states at fairs, colleges, coffee houses, and concert series for the past 24 years. In addition to guitar, he also plays the autoharp and often accompanies himself on the harmonica. Influenced by Bob Dylan, Joni Mitchell, and Leon Redbone, Haines lyrics draw on day to day life. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 675-9284.

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