

CALENDAR

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COMMUNITY

May 23 - NOXEN CHICKEN BARBEQUE 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the Noxen U.M. Church on rt. 29 \$6.50 per person.

May 24 - KUNKLE CRAFT, RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Kunkle U.M. Church.

Sun. May 25 - BREAKFAST BUFFET, all-you-can-eat. 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Harveys Lake American Legion Post #967 Adults \$6.50, children under 7 \$3.50. Stay and enjoy the Memorial Day Parade 1 p.m.

Mon. May 26 - MEMORIAL DAY BAKE SALE & FLEA MARKET, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. rain or shine. Featuring home baked goods, tent full of numerous flea market items. Refreshments available. St. Frances Cabrini Church in Carverton. A Memorial Day Mass will be at 10 a.m.

Mon. May 26 - WALK A MILE TO SUPPORT THE TROOPS, 2 p.m. Walk one mile to show support for our troops. Line up at 1:30 p.m. Harveys Lake American Legion Post #967. Info 639-2240 or 613-0657.

May 30 and 31 - RUMMAGE AND BAKE SALE, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Light lunch, bake sale and refreshments, Huntsville U.M. Church, 2355 Huntsville Rd., Shavertown, one mile above Huntsville Dam.

May 31 - MOUNTAIN GRANGE #567 FLEA MARKET 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Featured will be hogies, homemade vegetable beef soup, wimpies and other food. From Trucksville, turn at the traffic light onto Carverton Rd., at stop sign, turn left (Eighth St.); building is across from Bodele Rd. For table rentals or outdoor spaces, call 477-5462.

PIZZA SALE FUNDRAISER, Sale is held on the 2nd Friday of each month. Pizza pick up time is from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Huntsville U.M. Church on 2355 Huntsville Rd., Shavertown. Orders must be submitted by the first Friday of the month. \$6 for 12 cuts of pizza. Call Mrs. Susan Pall at 675-0212 or order or leave message: 675-0212

NOXEN CLOTHES CLOSET, sponsored by United Methodist Community Development Corporation of Noxen, Kunkle and Ruggles, at the Old Noxen School Tues., 10 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5 p.m.-8 p.m.; Sat., 2 p.m.-5 p.m. Browse, shop or drop off donations. Call Pastor Keith Benjamin for further info. at 298-2503.

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EXHIBITS

Through June - THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER FROM COOPERSTOWN TO THE CHESAPEAKE. Luzerne County Historical Society's Museum, 69 South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre. En Plein Air Society showcases over 100 paintings of the mighty Susquehanna from New York to Maryland, including many from Wyoming County and Luzerne County.

May 27 to July 3 - SCULPTURE AND DRAWINGS OF HERBERT SIMON, 1989-2001. A resident of Shavertown, Simon has exhibited widely throughout the United States. Simon's sculptures are all in metal, both cast and fabricated pieces. A reception for the artist will be held Saturday, June 21 from 2-5 p.m. Gallery hours are 1-4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Madelon Powers Gallery of East Stroudsburg University Normal and Marguerite St., East Stroudsburg. Both the Exhibit and reception are free and open to the public. Info, 422-3483.

Jun 7 and 8 - PENNSYLVANIA EN PLEIN AIR SOCIETY painters will participate in Riverfest on Saturday and on Sunday, they will begin to paint the weeklong Susquehanna Sojourn from Wilkes-Barre, to Harrisburg. During this exhibit, members of the PA En Plein Air Society will conduct fundraising events and workshops to benefit the Luzerne County Historical Society for the duration of this exhibit. Contact Sue Hand for further details 675-5094

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

HISTORIC SITES

SWETLAND HOMESTEAD, at 885 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming. Open Thurs.-Fri., 1-4 p.m.; Sat.-Sun., 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Admission \$3; children 12 and under, \$1. For more info. call 823-9011.

THE PENNSYLVANIA ANTHRACITE HERITAGE MUSEUM, McDade park, off Keyser Ave., in Scranton. Open Mon.-Sat. from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., and Sun., noon-5 p.m. Admission is charged. Info. call 963-4804.

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May 31 - KARAOKE NIGHT at The Music Box, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Fund raiser for the Music Box Players. Cover charge \$2, cash bar.



Dallas Senior High School PTSO Lock-In Car Wash

Saturday, May 24 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., the Dallas High School PTSO, Lock-In Committee will sponsor a car Wash at Dallas Auto Parts (NAPA). The cost is \$2 per car and the funds raised will help with the cost of the Senior Class Lock-In on graduation night. Pictured are some of the Dallas Seniors, from left, back row: Paul McCue, Jeff Dickson, Dennis Ellis. Front row: Laura Vanderhook, Jamie Bozenika and Alyse Taddei.

OUTDOORS

FRANCES SLOCUM STATE PARK

- May 23 - WHO WAS FRANCES SLOCUM?** 7 p.m. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 24 - PLANT POWER**, 2 p.m. Join the park naturalist as we explore the world of plants. ages 3-5 Campground Amphitheater.
- May 24 - BIRD BASICS** 4 p.m. Learning bird facts through discussion and fun activities. ages 8-12. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 24 - PA BLACK BEARS** 8 p.m. Discussion and a short video about PA black bear. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 25 - EE BUILDING OPEN HOUSE** 2-4 p.m. Stroll through the exhibits and displays in our Environmental Education building. EE building.
- May 25 - PENNSYLVANIA WILDFLOWERS** 8 p.m. Learn about

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- some of our beautiful wildflowers. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 30 - WONDERFUL WETLANDS**, 7 P.M. Come and find out how important wetlands are. Campground amphitheater.
- May 31 - SPIDERS FOR KIDS**, 3 p.m. Explore the world of spiders. ages 3-5. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 31 - COMMON TREES OF PENNSYLVANIA** 7 p.m. Join us as we learn about the common trees in our area. Campground Amphitheater.
- May 31 - NATURE CAMP REGISTRATION** Frances Slocum state Park 10 a.m. Pavilion #1. Enrollment is limited. First come, first served. \$20 non-refundable registration fee per child due at registration. For more info, call Kathy Kelchner 696-9105.

SPECIAL EVENTS

May 24 and 25 - 225TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF WYOMING, The Forty Fort Meeting House and the Forty Fort Cemetery Association will conduct guided tours of the Forty Fort Cemetery, River Street, Forty Fort, on Saturday and Sunday at 1 and 3 p.m. No reservations are necessary. Admission \$5 per person, children under 12 admitted free. Also on Sunday, the Plymouth Historical Society will dedicate a new historical marker for the Shawnee Fort on the grounds of the Pennsylvania National Guard Armory, 747 West Main Street, Plymouth, at 2 p.m. Info, 823-6244.

May 31 - TROUT DERBY, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. for children ages 2-14. Registration 10 a.m. Noxen-Monroe Sportsman's Hall. Main St. Noxen. Prizes awarded in three groups, ages 2-5, 6-9, and ages 10-14. No fee for children to enter the derby. Refreshments served. Info, 639-1723.

June 8 - N.E. REGIONAL CANCER SURVIVORS CELEBRATION, 1-4 p.m. at Montage. Featured guests and speakers, food, musical entertainment, Doug Smith's Dixieland All-Stars Band and Kathy Elgaway, jugglers and clowns; face painting; and children's games. To register or for info, 941-7948 or (800) 424-6724.

Talk on Wyoming Valley history coming to the Dietrich Theater

Retired history professor and popular speaker Dr. Sheldon Spear will present a local history lecture at the Dietrich Theater in Tunkhannock on Wednesday, May 28 at 7 p.m. He titles the lecture "The Best and Worst of Times: Wyoming Valley at the Turn of the Last Century." Admission is \$5. For reservations, please call 996-1500; advance reservations are advised. Spear is the author of four works on local history: Chapters in Northeastern Pennsylvania History (1999); Wyoming Valley History Revisited (1994); Chapters in Wyoming Valley History (1989); and Wyoming Valley Historical Calendar (1985). He is also co-author of The Jews of Wilkes-Barre: 150 Years (1845-1995) in the Wyoming Valley of Pennsylvania (1999).



'Zoo on Wheels' coming for Children's Spring Festival

Saturday, May 24 is the date for the second annual Children's Spring Festival sponsored by the Back Mountain Business and Professional Association. Hours of the event are from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. on the grounds of College Misericordia. There will be many exciting activities for children of all ages-including games, prizes, music, a clown, ice cream, soda and snacks. Highlighting the day will be a visit by the Philadelphia Zoo's "Zoo on Wheels" Program. Entitled, "Built to Survive," the program examines the unique features of live animals and explains how they have adapted to survive in their own wild lifestyle. It examines the law of the jungle - "eat or be eaten". There will also be a booth with casual animal presentations and touchable animal artifacts.

The Poets at Misericordia

Northeastern Pennsylvania's premier nostalgia band, The Poets, will perform on Friday, May 30, from 8-11:30 p.m. in the Banks Student Life Center on the College Misericordia campus as part of Alumni Weekend. The event is also open to the public with ticket reservations. Tickets are \$15 per person, which includes pizza and beverages, and can be reserved by calling the Alumni Office, 674-6768. For more information on the event, visit the CM website, www.misericordia.edu/alumni.

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