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**THIS WEEKEND**

**FRIDAY**

**STAGE**

**Aug. 22-24 - INNOCENT MERRIMENT:** The songs of Gilbert & Sullivan. Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swyersville. Friday and Saturday: bar opens, 6 p.m.; dinner 6:30 p.m.; curtain, 8 p.m. Sunday matinee: bar opens 1:15 p.m., dinner 1:45 p.m., curtain 3:15 p.m. Tickets available for dinner and show and show-only. Reservations, call 283-2195 or 800-698-PLAY. www.music.org

**SATURDAY**

**COMMUNITY**

**FAMILY STYLE ROAST BEEF SUPPER,** 4:30-6:30 p.m. Takeouts 4 p.m. Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas applesauce, pickled beets, rolls and butter, pie, beverage. Sweet Valley Fire Hall, Main Rd., Sweet Valley. \$7 for adults. \$3.50 for children 6-12 yrs. of age. Free for children under 6 yrs. \$7 for all takeouts.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Aug. 23 and 24 - LIVING HISTORY WEEKEND,** 10 a.m.-5 p.m. both days, rain or shine. Through live demonstrations by encamped artillery, cavalry, and infantry units, visitors will be able to examine the experiences of the Anthracite Region's soldiers and civilians during the Civil war. Domestic demonstrations like traditional cooking and laundry, Bobbin & Lace.

**Jacobs Brothers Concert at Centermoreland U.M. Church**

The Jacobs Brothers, veterans in gospel music, are dedicated to the ministry of spreading the Gospel through music. Since 1962 the group has traveled million of miles, produced more than fifty albums, and hosted many international tours.

The group is comprised of two brothers, Bob and Mike Jacobs, who are original members of the group that started in the small town of East Berlin, PA, in 1962. The third member, Mike Lawver, who joined the group in 1972 comes from McClure, PA.

The word "versatility" best describes the Jacobs Brothers program. Although they specialize in traditional and sacred music, their approach to the Gospel is varied by using the diversified talents of the singers throughout the concert.

The Jacobs Brothers will appear in concert at 7 p.m., Friday August 22.

Pysanky Egg Making and more. Entertainment provided. Eckley Miners' Village, Weatherly, PA. Info, 636-2070 or http://www.eckleyminers.org

**SUNDAY**

**OUTDOORS**

**SORBER MOUNTAIN HIKE,** 11:45 a.m. six easy miles from Kupsta's Store to Iron Bridge in Stull. Meet 11:45 a.m. at Guarante Bank, Routes 118 and 29, Pikes Creek. Info, 639-2428.

**BUTTERFLY WALK,** meet at the Dallas U.M. Church 9 a.m. or at Red Rock General Store 9:30 a.m. Trip ends at noon. Discover the world of butterflies. Jim Hoyson will be group leader on a tour to the State Game Lands 57 and Ricketts Glen State Park. Bring a notebook, field guide and drinking water. To register, contact Jim 696-4925 or birdder@aol.com

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**ARTS AT HAYFIELD SUMMER FESTIVAL XIX** 10 a.m.- 4:30 p.m., featuring arts and crafts, a variety of entertainment, children's activities, and plenty of food. Penn State Wilkes-Barre. The Friedman Observatory and Hayfield House will be open for tours, and the Penn State Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners of Luzerne County will be on hand to answer questions.



From left, Ted Anderson, Bill Lipski. Kevin Costley will perform in *Innocent Merriment at the Music*

**Gilbert & Sullivan at Music Box Playhouse**

The Music Box Players will present *Innocent Merriment: The Songs of Gilbert & Sullivan*, on August 22-24, at the Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swyersville.

The famous team of Sir Arthur Sullivan (music), and W.S. Gilbert (books and lyrics) might be considered the Victorian equivalent of Rodgers and Hammerstein. G & S joined creative forces in 1871 to write and produce 10 full-length operettas and two one-act operettas. They include: H.M.S. Pinafore, Pirates of Penzance and The Mikado.

*Innocent Merriment* highlights many of the finest moments in G & S operettas, providing an evening of over 30 solos, duets, trios, quartets and choruses.

The revue is conceived and directed by Kevin Costley, and the musical direction is by Linda Houck.

This special presentation offers dinner and show tickets (\$23 to \$25) and show-only tickets (\$12 to \$14).

For more information and reservations, call 283-2195 or 800-698-PLAY.

**UPCOMING**

**COMMUNITY**

**Sat. Aug. 30 - ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE,** 4-7 p.m. Kunkle Fire Co. \$7 for adults. \$4 for children.

**Sat. Aug. 30 - FLEA MARKET,** open at 9 a.m. Kunkle Fire Co. grounds. To reserve a spot call 675-3334, 675-2728. Rain date Sun. Aug. 31.

**Sept. 13 - ROAST TURKEY DINNER/BAKE SALE,** 4:30-6:30 p.m. Loyalville U.M. Church. \$7 for adults, \$3.50 for children 12 and under. Homemade pie ro cake included in price of dinner. Takeouts available. Call ahead for takeouts 477-3521.

**EXHIBITS**

**"ART FROM THE GARDEN"**, exhibit of artwork by 23 Northeastern Pennsylvania artists currently on display. The florals and garden-inspired drawings and paintings will enhance the walls of the Hoyt Library through mid-August. Public is invited to view the

artwork exhibit at the Hoyt Library, Kingston, during regular library hours.

**GROUP**

**Aug. 30 - Beginning Experience** will hold a family picnic at noon. Divorced, widowed, and separated persons and their children are welcome. Francis Slocum State Park, Dallas, \$5 per adult; no charge for children age 18 and under. Bring a covered dish; hamburgers, hotdogs, and beverages provided. Registration essential; call Gerri at 570-825-0811.

**KIDSTUFF**

**Aug. 26 - CURIOUS GEORGE** - 10 a.m. the storybook monkey character, is the subject of a storytime and craft making session. Barnes & Noble Booksellers, arena Hub Plaza, Wilkes-Barre. Aug. 28, 6:30 p.m. Info, 829-4210.

**Thorough Aug. 27 - JUNIOR BOOK CLUB** - 4-5 p.m. Wednesdays. book discussions and snacks with Betsy

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Aug. 25 - ALZHEIMERS AWARENESS NIGHT,** at Lackawanna County Stadium Tickets for the game between the Red Barons and the Pawtucket Red Sox are \$5 each. Call the Alzheimer's Association office at (800) 773-6677 by August 20. Proceeds benefit programs and services for families and individuals in the 15 county service area of Northeastern Pennsylvania.

**Aug. 26 - INTRODUCTION TO ZEN MEDITATION** 7:30-9 p.m. Brief explanation of Zen meditation, talk on customs and procedures, short practice sessions. Teacher is Sister Barbara Craig, RSM. Free. Pre-registration is required. Call 675-1872 or 639-5894.

**CUTEST DOG CONTEST** Vote for or enter your favorite dog. Tudor Bookshop, 651 Wyoming ave., Kingston. Voting ends Aug. 27 Info, 288-9697.

**ONGOING**

**COMMUNITY**

**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 to order or leave message.

**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.

**EXHIBITS**

**Through Aug. 10 - PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS,** Photographs from the Permanent Collec-

tion. The summer exhibition will feature more than 40 photographs from the Sor-doni Art Gallery's own permanent collection. 150 South River St., in the Stark Learning center on the Wilkes University campus. Summer hours are: Wednesday through Sunday, form 12 noon to 4:30 p.m. Admission is free. For info, 408-4325.

**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.

**GROUP**

**ACOA (Adult Children of Addictions)** and other dysfunctional families support group meetings are held for one hour every Tues. at 8 p.m. and every Sat. at 6:30 p.m. at Clearbrook Bldg. Wyoming Ave., Forty Fort.

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**LUZERNE COUNTY FAIR**  
September 3-4-5-6-7, 2003  
at the fairgrounds on Route 118, Dallas/Lehman, PA

**\$6.00 ADMISSION** Includes rides, parking, entertainment, exhibits, attractions, horse shows and much more!

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
BAD HAIR DAY, Wednesday at 7 p.m.  
LEE VINCENT ORCHESTRA, Thursday at 7 p.m.  
CLARK FAMILY EXPERIENCE, Friday at 8 p.m.  
CONFEDERATE RAILROAD, Saturday at 8 p.m.  
THE MAHONEY BROTHERS, Sunday at 6:00 & 8 p.m.  
FIREWORKS FINALE, Sunday at 9 p.m.

**ALL WEEK:** Sue Wee Pigs and Ugly Pig Racing, Animals of Distinction, LawsonLand Learning Farm and Petting Zool

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Senior Citizens: Thursday and Sunday - half price admission  
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**Learn To Golf Clinic First Swing Seminar**  
August 26 - Fox Hill Country Club, Exeter

The purpose is to teach individuals with physical disabilities the basics of golf. Instruction for golf professionals and therapists on adaptive golfing techniques is also available.  
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