

Noxen Depot meeting Nov. 18

The public is invited to attend a meeting of the All Aboard Committee for the Noxen Depot Project on Tuesday, November 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Old School in Noxen. Project organizers are seeking help from businesses, volunteers and interested parties as this project prepares to enter Phase Two, the completion of the interior of the Depot. There will be a discussion of the progress of Phase One, needs for Phase Two and plans for an open house and winter sleigh ride. Light refreshments will be served. Call the North Branch Land Trust at 696-5545 for directions and information.

Hasay aide at Harveys Lake

Millard Twardowski, a field aide for State Rep. George C. Hasay, will be at the Harveys Lake municipal building Thursday, Nov. 20 from 10 a.m. to noon.

Twardowski will have with him PACE prescription card applications, \$10 vehicle registrations for retired persons and tax/rent rebate forms.

Jackson Township building permits

Jackson Township Zoning officer reminds all residents that the Township has an ordinance that requires a building permit for any new construction, repairs, alterations, etc. being done to any building or property. Building Permits may be applied for at the Zoning office in the Municipal Building, 2211 Huntsville Road. Zoning Office Hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9 a.m. to Noon.

In accordance with Ordinance #5 of 2001, all Jackson Township residents should make every effort to clean up their properties and discard any junk, debris, junk vehicles etc. that could be considered a nuisance by other residents. For information call 674-4554.

Lehman Twp selling address signs

The Lehman Twp. Fire and Ambulance Co. is selling 911 address signs. Each sign will be made at the fire hall, 25 Firehouse Rd., for every address in the membership area at a cost of \$12 each.

The reflective sign can be mounted to the mail post or house. This will assist emergency personnel in locating a residents.

Members will be available from 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, or call 675-5654.

Back Mountain Senior Citizens

Meetings of the Back Mountain Seniors are now held once monthly, on the first Thursday of the month.

meetings will start at 1 p.m. and will be held in St. Thereses' Hall on Pioneer Ave. and Davis Street in Shavertown.

For information call Lil at 696-1828 or Marie at 696-3095.



Giving trees at library

The Friends of the Back Mountain Memorial Library invite you to join them in decorating their first annual giving trees. They are available in two locations in the library. All proceeds will help the library purchase new books from the "Wish List." Children may purchase ornaments for \$1. Adults may purchase ornaments for \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20 or \$25. Inscribed book dedications are also available.

Stop by the front desk to take part in the excitement of making the first annual Library Giving Tree project a wonderful success.

Pictured from left: Jill Kryston, President of the Friends of the Library Steering Committee; Kathy Simpson, giving tree project chairperson; Ruth Ann Logue and Mary Lou Grant, committee members.

New books at Back Mountain Library

The Back Mountain Memorial Library, 96 Huntsville Road, Dallas, announces the addition of the following books to their collection:

EXPRESS LOAN

"Blow Fly" by Patricia Cornwell

FICTION

"Blow Fly" by Patricia Cornwell

"Balance of Power" by Richard North Patterson

"The Perfect Summer" by Luanne Rice

"The Amber Room" by Steve Berry

"The Time Traveler's Wife" by Audrey Niffenegger

"Havana" by Stephen Hunter

"Lost Boy, Lost Girl" by Peter Straub

"Lives of the Circus Animals" by Christopher Bram

"Quicksilver" by Neal Stephenson

"A Sunday at the Pool" by Gil Courtemanche

"Monstrous Regiment" by Terry Pratchett

"Golden Buddha" by Clive Cussler

"The Snow Bride" by Debbie Macomber

"Cry, the Beloved Country" by Alan Paton

"O'Hara's Choice" by Leon Uris

"The Greek Villa" by Judith Gould

"Capital Crimes" by Stuart Woods

"Shepherds Abiding" by Jan Karon

"The Night Country" by Stewart O'Nan

"Ghost Eater" by Frederick Highland

"Elizabeth Costello" by J.M. Coetzee

"The Interpreter" by Suki Kim

"When the Elephants Dance" by Tess Uriza Holthe

"Paradise Alley" by Kevin Baker

"Purple Hibiscus" by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

"The Stones of Summer" by Dow Mossman

"The Great Fire" by Shirley Hazzard

"Best Kept Secrets" by Sandra Brown

NON-FICTION

"Lies and the Lying Liars Who Tell Them" by Al Franken

"Eastern Front" by Ian Baxter

"Ripe for Dessert" by David Lebovitz

"Novels, 1920-1925" by John Dos Passos

"America's Women" by Gail Collins

"You Don't Have to Be Rich" by Jean Sherman Chatzky

"Shut Up & Sing" by Laura Ingraham

"Who's Looking Out for You?" by Bill O'Reilly

"Follow the Star" by T.D. Jakes

"Post Office Jobs" by Dennis V. Damp

"Poems and Translations" by Ezra Pounds

MYSTERY

"Letter from Home" by Carolyn G. Hart

"Now May You Weep" by Deborah Crombie

"The Babes in the Wood" by Ruth Rendell

"Silver Lies" by Ann Parker

"Popped" by Carol Higgins Clark

"All Roads Leadeth" by Peter Turnbull

REFERENCE

"Thomas Regional Industrial Buying Guide 2004"

"The New Encyclopedia Britannica"

"Intellectual Property" edited by Jennifer Peloso

BOOKS ON CD

"Treason" by Ann Coulter

"Seabiscuit" by Laura Hillenbrand

"The Da Vinci Code" by Dan Brown

"A Cold Heart" by Jonathan Kellerman

"Bleachers" by John Grisham

"Hello Darkness" by Sandra Brown

YOUNG ADULT

"Dust" by Arthur Slade

"Lucas" by Kevin Brooks

"The River Between Us" by Richard Peck

"The Impossible Journey" by Gloria Whelan

"The Sword of the Rightful King: a novel of King Arthur" by Kane Yole-n

"Losing is Not an Option" by Rich Wallace

LARGE PRINT FICTION

"The Teeth of the Tiger" by Tom Clancy

"The House Sitter" by Peter Lovesey

"The Killing Hour" by Lisa Gardner

LARGE PRINT NON-FICTION

"The Crisis of Islam" by Bernard Lewis

SEAN'S SKI TIPS



Q. Which are warmer, mittens or gloves?

A. Mittens are much warmer, but gloves give better dexterity. Mittens should be big enough to wear glove liners inside them. That way, your hands are protected if you remove them to work your buckles. Gloves should be loose enough to not restrict circulation when you close your hand.

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Grant to spur creation of Susquehanna 'water trail'

The National Park Service has awarded Endless Mountains Heritage Region (EMHR) a grant of \$45,000 through the Chesapeake Bay Program to develop a Gateway Water Trail for the North Branch of the Susquehanna River from Luzerne County to the New York State border and the loop of the river in Susquehanna County. The grant requires a mix of cash and some allowable in-kind matching funds for services provided of \$45,000, bringing the total project value to \$90,000.

The water trail, which will include production of a map and guide and a conservation strategy is slated for completion in 2004. The new trail will become part of the Chesapeake Bay Gateways Network providing access for people to experience scenic, cultural, geological, historical and recreational aspects of the Susquehanna.

"The North Branch Water Trail complements EMHR's commitment to the Susquehanna Greenway Partnership," EMHR Executive Director Bob Veleker said. Veleker currently serves as interim director of that group.

The Susquehanna River winds lazily through approximately 88 miles of the Endless Mountains Region of Northeastern Pennsylvania, part of the largest river system in the Eastern United States. The Susquehanna is within a day's drive for about three quarters of the population of the entire nation, making it an easily accessed recreational destination.

The North Branch water trail will identify routes suitable for canoe, kayak and small, motorized watercraft. It will encompass a recreational corridor adjacent to the river identifying access points, boat launches, day use and overnight camping areas.

The National Park Service will be available to EMHR to provide technical assistance and consultation planning approaches to presenting interpretive themes for the water trail.

Students of Penn State University's Landscape Architecture Department under the direction of professors Dan Jones, Kenneth Tamminga and Tom Yahner will work with EMHR staff identifying access points and developing interpretive signs.

An advisory committee will be established to move the project forward. An initial meeting is scheduled for Friday, Nov. 21 at 2 p.m., in the Tunkhannock Public Library, Tunkhannock.

A second round of meetings is planned for spring 2004.

EMHR, a State Heritage Park organized around an agricultural theme, is now in its sixth year. The non-profit organization serves four counties: Bradford, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Wyoming.

For more information contact Endless Mountains Heritage Region, 10 Park St., Towanda, 18848; emhr@epix.net; 570-265-1528, or explore EMHR on the web: www.endlessmountainheritage.org.

Jackson Township recycling

A recycling trailer with a divider separating two sections will be at the Jackson Township municipal building the third Tuesday of each month, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Each section will be clearly marked either co-mingled (co-mingled is plastic, glass and metallic bottles, jars and cans) or newspaper/cardboard. Recyclables must be placed in the specified section. Residents are asked to bring their recycling materials in reusable containers to the Jackson Township Municipal Building, 2211 Huntsville Rd. Please take the container home with you. No recyclables can be in a plastic bag; they are not recyclable.

For plastic bottles and jars, remove lids, rinse and flatten. For glass bottles and jars, remove lids and rinse. Do not break. For tin, aluminum and bi-metallic cans, rinse cans and flatten.

For paper, place newspapers and cardboard together. Call the township at 675-8371 with questions.

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