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**THIS WEEK**

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**COMMUNITY**

**May 15 - FLEA MARKET, CRAFT SHOW AND BAKE SALE**, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Maple Grove United Methodist Church, Main Rd., Sweet Valley (1/4 mile from Sheldon's Lunch, Rt. 118). Vendors wanted; indoor space, \$10; outdoor space, \$8 (supply own table) Info, Coleen Cooper, 477-5638 or Shirley Sayre, 477-5300.

**May 15 - BUFFET STYLE HAM DINNER**, 4-7 p.m., takeouts available, Fairmount Vol. Fire & Amb. Col, Rt. 118, .5 mile east of Rickett's Glen. Adults, \$7, children \$3.50.

**May 16 - PANCAKE BREAKFAST**, 8 a.m.-1 p.m., Falls/Lake Winola Fire Dept., Falls. Sponsored by the Falls Lions Club.

**EXHIBITS**

**May 9 - ADELE ALSOP: RECENT PAINTINGS**, American realist artist, opening reception, 5-7 p.m. Sordoni Art Gallery, Wilkes University, 150 S. River St., Wilkes-Barre. Continues through June 20. Info, 408-4325.

**May 16 - GEORGE L. SCHELLING — A LIFETIME OF ART**, Lizza Studios, 155 Bridge St., Tunkhannock. Nationally renowned artist and illustrator George Schelling is known for his wildlife, landscape, western and seascape paintings. He also creates in digital mixed media. Opening reception 2-5 p.m. with wood sculptures by chainsaw carver Dennis Beach, music by folk guitarist Jay Smar and a wine tasting by Maiolatesi Wine Cellars. Continues through July 6. Gallery hours: M-F, 9 to 5; Sat. 10 - 5. Info, 836-8806.

**GROUPS**

**May 13 - WYOMING VALLEY CIVIL WAR ROUND TABLE**, 7 p.m., American Legion, Rt. 415, Dallas. Bill Doherty will speak on "The Search for an Unknown Diarist, Captain Caspar Tyler, of the 141st PA Inf." Free, public welcome, refreshments served.

**MUSIC**

**May 9 - SPRING CONCERT**, The Wyoming Seminary/PAI Civic Symphony, directed by Jerome Campbell, 8 p.m. Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**May 11 - CONCERT OF BIG BAND MUSIC**, Wyoming Seminary Jazz Band, 7 p.m. in the River Street Jazz Cafe, 667 N. River St., Plains. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**OUTDOORS**

**May 15 - BLUEBIRD WALK**, 10 a.m. at Francis Slocum State Park. Meet at the parking lot next to the pool area. Guide will be Christine Shiber. Rain date is May 16. Free

**STAGE**

**May 15 - NEVER GET SMART WITH AN ANGEL**, 7 p.m., Tunkhannock Middle School auditorium. A Wyoming County Players presentation during its 25th season. Info, ticket prices, directions at 836-6986, or [www.wyoming-countyplayers.com](http://www.wyoming-countyplayers.com)

**Through May 16 - JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR**, Music Box Dinner Theater. 283-2195. Thurs.-Sat. 8 p.m., Sun. 3:15 p.m. Buffet dinner 90 minutes prior. Info, 283-2195.



Seen preparing for the performance are, from left, first row: senior Marley Cohen, Pittston; senior Jennifer Slock, Mountain Top; and senior Marajoy Sison, Ras Pitnura, Saudi Arabia. Second row: senior Grace-Marie Amico, West Pittston; senior Mallory Carey, Dallas; senior Eishita Manjrekar, Goa, India; and senior Yanina Dubizhanskaya, Wilkes-Barre. Third row: senior Meghan Davis, Dallas; senior Fang-Yu Hu, Taoyuan, Taiwan, R.O.C.; and Bernardine Vojtko, director of the Company and choreographer. Fourth row: senior Corey Tarreto, Harveys Lake; and senior Amanda Davidowitz, Kingston.

**Broadway theme for Sem dance performance**

The Wyoming Seminary Dance Company will pay homage to the vitality and color of Broadway in its spring dance performance, titled "Broadway Rhythms."

Two performances will be given, on Friday, May 14 and Saturday, May 15 at 8 p.m. each night in the Buckingham Performing Arts Center, North Sprague Ave., Kingston. The performances are free and open to the public.

The company includes 65 girls and boys who will dance to a variety of Broadway music selections including works by Marvin Hamlisch, Andrew Lloyd Webber, Cole Porter, Richard Rodgers, Leonard Bernstein, Frank Loesser, Stephen Sondheim, Irving Berlin and others. Popular numbers from block-buster shows such as "A Chorus Line," "The Music Man," "Grease," "Anything Goes," "Oklahoma," "West Side Story," "Cats," and others will be featured.

The performance is choreographed by Bernardine Vojtko, director of the company, and student choreographers. An exhibition of Wyoming Seminary student photographs will be on display in the lobby of the Buckingham Performing Arts Center during the performances.

For more information, call 270-2190.

**UPCOMING**

**COMMUNITY**

**May 21 - CHICKEN BBQ**, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Noxen United Methodist Church, Rt. 29, Noxen. \$6.50 per meal. Served in a takeout fashion, with seating available.

**May 29 - FLEA MARKET AND CRAFT SALE**, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Kunkle United Methodist Church community hall. Refreshments available. Indoor spaces \$15, outdoor \$10. Reservations and info, 675-5801.

**DANCE**

**May 14-15 - BROADWAY RHYTHMS**, dance performance, 8 p.m., Buckingham Performing Arts Center, Wyoming Seminary, N. Sprague Ave., Kingston. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**GROUPS**

**May 18 - PENNSYLVANIA HEARTLAND ARTIST** will meet at 6:45 p.m. at the Tunkhannock Public Library. Call Eileen at 869-2507 or Sarah at 836-6923 with questions. Visitors are welcome.

**May 19 - FAIRMOUNT PARK TRIP**, the Back Mountain Bloomers will visit Meadowbrook Farm and Japanese Gardens in Fairmount Park. Tour and \$10 shop coupon, with box lunch, \$45. Info, reservations. 675-3746.

**MUSIC**

**May 21 - WHICH DOCTOR**, 8-11 p.m., Banks Student Life Center on the College Misericordia campus as part of Alumni Weekend. Tickets, \$15 per person, which includes pizza and beverages. Reservations, 674-6768. Info, [www.misericordia.edu/alum-](http://www.misericordia.edu/alum-)

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**May 22-23 - WEEKEND OF PIANO TRIOS**, Wyoming Seminary music faculty and students, 8 p.m. Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**May 28 - FAREWELL RECITAL**, Wyoming Seminary student musicians, 4 p.m. Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**OUTDOORS**

**May 27 - INTRODUCTION TO BIRDING**, 6 p.m. Meet at Wild Birds Unlimited, Dallas Shopping Center. Led by Dr. Jerry Skinner, biology professor at Keystone College and Naturalist at Woodbourne Forest and Wildlife Preserve. Free.

**May 29 - TREES FOR TOTS**, 2 p.m., stories, craft and songs for ages 3-5. Frances Slocum State Park camp-

ground amphitheater. Info, 696-9105.

**May 29 - OWL PELLET INVESTIGATION**, 4 p.m., learn about birds of prey. Frances Slocum State Park campground amphitheater. Info, 696-9105.

**May 29 - NATIVE AMERICAN LIFE ALONG THE SUSQUEHANNA**, 8 p.m., slide presentation by Steve Runkle of the Susquehanna River Basin Commission. Frances Slocum State Park campground amphitheater. Info, 696-9105.

**May 30 - NATURE WALK**, 2 p.m., leisurely hike. Frances Slocum State Park. Meet at Pavilion 3. Info, 696-9105.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**May 17 - WYOMING COUNTY BETWEEN WORLD WAR I AND WORLD WAR II**, lecture by Dr. Sheldon Spear. Dietrich Theater, 60 E. Tioga St., Tunkhannock, 7 p.m. Tickets \$5. Info, 996-1500.

**May 22 - GARDEN SHOW**, 9

a.m.-4 p.m., rain or shine, hosted by the Tunkhannock Public Library, 220 W. Tioga St., Tunkhannock. Plants, accessories, used book sale, kid's corner, music, lunch available. Admission \$3, children under 12 free. Info, 836-1677.

**ONGOING**

**EXHIBITS**

**Through May 16 - WYOMING VALLEY ART LEAGUE**, 50th anniversary exhibition, MacDonald Art Gallery, College Misericordia. Tue.-Wed. Thur., 1-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.; Fri. 1-5 p.m.; Sat., Sun. 1-5 p.m. Info, 674-6250.

**KIDSTUFF**

**Tuesdays in May - TUESDAY FUN FOR TOTS**, stories and songs for 3-5 year-olds with Mary Baker, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Dietrich Theater, 60 E. Tioga St., Tunkhannock. Info, 996-1500.

**'Portraits from Life' feature Wyoming County residents**

MaryLouise Chibirka, Dalton resident artist, is the featured artist at the Earnshaw Gallery of the Dietrich Theater in Tunkhannock through the month of May. Featured as portrait subjects are well known Wyoming County residents: George Gay, Dorothy Colben-son, Peg Fassett, and George "Wes" Herron.

In reading the narratives that are alongside the portraits, one learns that all four subjects are pillars of the community.

Dorothy Colben-son has been active in the Wyoming County Historical Society since it began, and she has become the foremost authority on the history of homes in Tunkhannock. In 1999 she was named Woman of the Year by the Tunkhannock Woman's Club.

George Gay of Gay's True Value is a friend to everyone, taking pride in the variety of seeds sold at the store. He is a Rotary member, as well as a Barbershop Chorus member. George "Wes" Herron has

served on the Lackawanna Trail School Board, as well as the Board of Tyler Memorial Hospital. He was a longtime scoutmaster, at one time having now Senator Don Sherwood in his troop. His portrait was painted in the Methodist Church of Nicholson where he has been a member for 70 years.

Peg Fassett began the Tyler Hospital Antique Show more than 41 years ago, has served on the Tunkhannock Tree Association Board, and was instrumental in making the new Tunkhannock Public Library a reality.

The public is invited to attend a reception for Mary-Louise Chibirka and, hopefully, the subjects of the paintings on Saturday, May 15 from noon to 1 p.m.

The Dietrich Theater is located at 60 E. Tioga St., Tunkhannock. The exhibit will be open through May when movies are scheduled. For more information, call 996-1500.

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