



## Santa's first visit

Santa Claus made an early appearance in the Back Mountain last weekend, stopping by the community Brunch with Santa Dec. 4 at College Misericordia. Above, Caylee Irvin was well-prepared, with a neat list and note to Santa. At right, four generations posed with the ageless St. Nick. From left, seated: Caitlin Cooper, David Cooper Jr., Mark Regan, Shirely Regan. Standing: Nancy Garvey, Lorraine Regan.



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## PROPERTY TRANSFERS

The following property transfers were recorded recently at the Luzerne County Courthouse:

William Phelps and spouse to Krishnakant Patel and spouse, Deer Meadow Estates, Dallas, \$372,000.

Wilfred Dannert and spouse to Eric Fumanti and spouse, Old Well Lane, Dallas, \$283,000.

James Richardson to Anthony Domiano, Dallas, \$25,764.

James Richardson to Anthony Domiano, Dallas, \$30,742.

James Richardson to Anthony Domiano, Dallas, \$55,492.

Catherine Hoolick to Martin McHale and spouse, Demunds Acres, Dallas Township, \$212,500.

Estate of Jane V. Riggi to Bryan Glahn and others, Haddenfield, Dallas Township, \$140,000.

Robert Seaman Jr. and spouse to Nancy Johnson, Goss Manor, Dallas Township, \$115,000.

Lillian Merithew to Brendan McGovern, Dallas Township, \$150,000.

Estate of Emma Creagh to Robert Redmond and spouse, Maplewood, Dallas Township, \$50,000.

Alverna Lamoueaux per agent to Carl Ide, Garfield St., Dallas Township, \$1,250.

Frederic Lamoreaux per agent to Carl Ide, Maple Wood Heights, Dallas Township, \$1,250.

John E. Halbing III Partners to James Chamberlain and spouse, Roosevelt St., Dallas Township, \$38,500.

Jerome Devlin and others to Arthur Spears Jr. and spouse, Dallas Township, \$2,500.

Samuel Linski to Joseph Kontra and others, Harveys Lake, \$34,500.

Isabel Youngblood to Hang Huynh and spouse, Harveys Lake, \$37,000.

Lillian Bongiova per attorney to Richard Dodson and spouse, Harveys Lake, \$1,000.

John Reno and spouse to John Reno and spouse, Lakeside Drive, Harveys Lake, \$115,032.

Marina Commons at Harveys Lake to Paul Tomanek Sr. and spouse, Marina Pointe, Harveys Lake, \$245,519.

Donn Hunter Jr. and spouse to Richard Misson and spouse, Harveys Lake, \$3,500.

George K. Martin and spouse to Corina Niculescu-Mihai, 1 Worthington Road, Jackson Township, \$170,000.

Mary Frances Gavigan to Eileen Gallagher, Kingston Township, \$140,000.

Paul Gallagher and spouse to William Zukosky, Kingston Township, \$110,000.

Edward Brewer and spouse to Michelle Belles, Sherwood Forest, Kingston Township, \$150,000.

Bernard Suhamski and spouse to Karen A. Droms, Kingston Township, \$103,000.

Fred Schwalbach and spouse to Thomas Doan and spouse, Kingston Township, \$41,500.

Phyllis Piatt to Gerard Lucas and spouse, Kingston Township, \$155,000.

Nathan Peterson and spouse to Corey Gimble, Lake Township, \$386,900.

W.H. Conyngham & Company Inc. to William V. Leandri, Lehman Township, \$85,000.

Scott Vanetten and others to James Hoyt and spouse, 38 Jumper Road, Lehman Township, \$282,000.

W.H. Conyngham & Company to Shawn McManus, Hayfield Farms, Lehman Township, \$50,000.

Andrew Kopczynski and spouse to F. Scott Cikowski and spouse, Amber Woods, Lehman Township, \$298,900.

## SHOWROOM

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That business closed during the Depression, and in 1938 Louis Richardson opened his Dodge dealership in the building. Jim Richardson took over the business from his father in 1967. Earlier this year, Jim Richardson said the dealership was one of only about 50 left in the nation selling only the Dodge line. Saying it was becoming difficult to earn a profit, Richardson

closed the dealership August 9, then reopened it a week later. Domiano said all former Richardson employees, including Jim's son, Bill, have been retained, and that 10 to 15 new workers will be added within a year. Joe Moskowitz, Dallas Borough Manager, believes the borough's efforts to enhance its retail center may have helped assure the continuation of the dealership. He said Domiano has indicated he will clean up the section of Toby's Creek that runs through the property, and that may help the borough's efforts to get other property owners to do the same. No plans have been submitted to the borough, Moskowitz said, "but we've had extensive discussions" on the new building, which would conform to the zoning on the land. Named Dallas Dodge, the

dealership will continue to sell and service Dodge cars and trucks. The Domiano company now operates seven dealerships, most of them in Lackawanna County, selling Cadillac, Chevrolet, Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, GMC trucks and Mitsubishi.

## DALLAS

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Usavage as representative on the Back Mountain Library Board. It was the first public meeting without Griffiths in the superintendent's chair. Griffiths resigned Dec. 1, about seven months before his contract expired, after repeated policy

clashes with the board majority. High school Principal Frank Galicki took over for Griffiths as acting superintendent this month. In August he was named interim assistant superintendent while Michael Speziale, who officially holds that job, is on one-year leave.

## CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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### Rational Numbers

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### King Crossword Answers

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