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**THIS WEEK**

**EXHIBITS**

**Jan. 16 - MICHAEL KENNA: JAPAN**, surreal and haunting photographs of the Japanese landscape. Opening reception Jan. 16, 3-5 p.m. Daily noon-4:30 p.m. Sordoni Gallery, Stark Learning Ctr., Wilkes University, 150 S. River St., Wilkes-Barre. Info, 408-4325 or [www.sordoni.wilkes.edu](http://www.sordoni.wilkes.edu).

**Jan. 21-Feb. 13 - FROM WITHIN V**, artwork of students, faculty and staff at College Misericordia. Tues.-Thrus. noon-5 p.m.; Fri.-Sun. 1-5 p.m. MacDonald Art Gallery, on the campus, 301 Lake St., Dallas. Info, 674-6250.

**HEALTH**

**Jan. 20 - SENIOR CITIZEN FLU SHOTS**, 10 a.m.-noon, Dallas Senior Center, Rice St. For age 60 and over. Free if Medicare or First Priority, others \$15. Pre-registration needed, call 675-2179.

**KIDSTUFF**

**Jan. 16 - ROCK ON ICE**, an ice skating party at the Riverside Park Ice Rink, Rt. 29, Tunkhannock, sponsored by The Wyoming County Players. Free. Games, contests and music by DJ All About Entertainment from 1-3:30 p.m. Skate rentals on site. Bad weather date is Jan. 23. Info, 836-6986.

**MUSIC**

**Jan. 16 - WINTER INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT**, by the Wyoming Seminary Music Department at 3 p.m. in the Great Hall, 228 Wyoming Ave., Kingston. The concert features the Wyoming Seminary Orchestra and several instrumental chamber ensembles and will include music by Dwight Gustafson, Gabriel Faure, and Scott Joplin. Free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**Jan. 18 - THE WYOMING SEMINARY JAZZ BAND** will present a program of big band music at 7 p.m. at the River Street Jazz Cafe, 667 North River St., Plains. The 22-member band, led by Sem's Lower School music teacher Robert Lugiano, will

perform music by a variety of jazz composers. The program is free and open to the public. Info, 270-2190.

**OUTDOORS**

**Jan. 16 - RICKETTS GLEN STATE PARK HIKE**, five to seven difficult miles. Snowshoes and crampons required. Sponsored by Susquehanna Trailers Hiking Club. For time and meeting place, call 262-0191.

**Jan. 23 - KIRBY PARK BIRDING**, 8 a.m. meets in the lot of the former King's Department Store and Reilly's Classic Car Museum near the intersection of Market St. and Dawes Ave., Kingston. Everyone welcome. Info, Bob Wasilewski, Greater Wyoming Valley Audubon Society, at 542-5948.

**Jan. 23 - EAGLE'S MERE TOBOGGAN RIDE**, meet at Sheldon's Diner, Rt. 118, Sweet Valley at 10:45 a.m. If no snow, the hike will be in Mountain Top. Meet at the Mountain Top Fire Hall, Rt. 437 at 12:45 p.m. Sponsored by Susquehanna Trailers Hiking Club. Info, 474-6185.

**RECYCLING**

**Jan. 18 - JACKSON TOWNSHIP**, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., at the municipal building, 2211 Huntsville Rd. Commingled and newspaper. Info, 675-8371.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Jan. 19 - THE WYOMING COUNTY PLAYERS** and the Pam Holdredge Dancers will entertain at the Wyoming County Senior Citizen Center, Rt. 29, Tunkhannock at 10 a.m. Open to the public. Info, 836-6986.

**STAGE**

**Through Jan. 23 - THE LAST OF THE RED HOT LOVERS**, performed by the Scranton Public Theater, at The Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., Sundays at 3 p.m. Admission: \$18 and \$16 For reservations, call 570-283-2195 or 1-800-698-PLAY.



The Wyoming Seminary Jazz Band, led by Robert Lugiano, will perform at the River Street Jazz Café on Tuesday, Jan. 18 at 7 p.m.

**Sem band will swing at Jazz Café**

The Wyoming Seminary Jazz Band will present a program of big band favorites on Tuesday, Jan. 18 at 7 p.m. at the River Street Jazz Café, 667 North River St., Plains Township. The 22-member band, led by Sem Lower School music teacher Robert Lugiano, will perform music by Sammy Nestico, Thad Jones, Larry Barton, Jean Thielemans, Paul Clark, Kenny Dorham and Louis Armstrong. Some of the selections are "Panic Button," "Fancy Pants," "A Child Is Born," "Bluesette," "Swing Shot," "Blue Bossa," "All of Me" and "Put 'Em Up." The program will feature student soloists and jazz ensembles. The performance is free and open to the public. For more information call 270-2190.

**UPCOMING**

**COMMUNITY**

**Jan. 30 - VENISON/GAME DINNER**, 2-5 p.m. at Ardee's Foodrinkery, Rt. 92, Falls. Sponsored by the Falls Lions Club. Info, 388-6107.

**Feb. 5 - PIG ROAST**, Daddow-Isaac Post 672 American Legion, Dallas. Food served 5-8 p.m., dancing 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Donation \$7 per person. Tickets can be picked up at the Post home. Info, 675-6542 or 675-4461.

**HEALTH**

**Jan. 25 - BACK MOUNTAIN RELAY FOR LIFE** kickoff meeting, 7 p.m., Bevevino Library at College Misericordia. Info, call the American Cancer Society at 1-888-227-5445 or chairperson Michelle Cassetori at 388-2930.

**OUTDOORS**

**Jan. 29 - EXPLORING BIRDS-HOW AND WHAT DO THEY EAT**, 10-11 a.m. Join Rebecca Lesko, local Environment Education Specialist anytime during the hour to participate in the fun and make bird project to

**'Best In Show' gala to aid SPCA**

Best In Show, a fundraising gala to benefit the Paws to Help capital campaign of SPCA, will be held on Friday, Feb. 25 at Genetti's in Wilkes-Barre from 7 to 11 p.m. It will include open bar, passed hors d'oeuvres and buffet stations. Entertainment will be provided by the Little Sister Band, Soul Busters, Nevada and Richard Jenkins, with special appearances by comedian Chris Barnes and producer Robert May. A large live and silent auction will feature a variety of packages, incorporating spa parties, Penguins luxury boxes, golf passes, gym memberships, jewelry, catered events, romantic dinners, wine and cheese tasting parties, pet items, a day on the set of movie and much more.

Tickets are \$75 per person or \$650 for a table of 10 and can be purchased by calling 472-0365 or 970-SPCA. Proceeds benefit the SPCA Capital Campaign, an effort to raise funds to provide needed renovations and additions to the SPCA shelter.

take home. You'll need about 30 minutes. This program is designed for ages 4 and older. Free. Wild Birds Unlimited, Dallas Shopping Center.

Wasilewski, 542-5948 to register or for information.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Jan. 28 - WORDHORDE**, open mic night at the Back Mountain Memorial Library, 96 Huntsville Rd., Dallas. The showcase event for performance arts — music, poetry, prose and monologue — starts at 7 p.m. Ages 14 through adult welcome; \$1 donation requested. Sign up at the door on first-come, first-served basis. Info, call Brian Fulton at the

library, 675-1182.

**Jan 29 - PASTHAPPY**, Wyoming County Players presentation at the Shadowbrook Resort, Rt. 6, Tunkhannock. Delicious dining, displays of memorabilia, nostalgic entertainment and a trivia contest with cash prizes will begin at 7 p.m. For dinner and show reservations, call 836-6986.

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**Through Mar. 8 - GOLDEN DAYS OF RADIO PLAYERS GROUP**, ages 13 and up Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m. Instructor, Valerie Paulus. Free. Prepare a radio play production. Dietrich Theater 60 E. Tioga Street Tunkhannock. Info, 996-1500 or [www.dietrichtheater.com](http://www.dietrichtheater.com)

**ONGOING**

**COMMUNITY**

**PUBLIC SWIMMING**, Wednesdays and Fridays, 6:30-8:30 p.m.; Sundays 2-5 p.m. Dallas Middle School pool is open to the public for lap and recreational swimming. No one under 18 admitted without a parent or guardian. Proof of residence and a \$2 daily fee required.

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**HEALTH**

**BACK MT. FREE MEDICAL AND LEGAL CLINIC**, every Friday, 6:30 p.m., Fr. Sammons Hall at St. Therese's Church, Pioneer Ave., Shavertown. Strictly confidential and non-denominational. Volunteer doctors, nurses and greeters are welcome. Call Maureen at 696-1427 with questions.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meetings, Every Tuesday starting at 7:30 p.m., St. Paul's Lutheran Church, off Rt. 118, Dallas. Every Friday starting at 7 p.m., Shavertown United Methodist Church, Pioneer Ave.

**KIDSTUFF**

**Through May - COLLEGE MISERICORDIA** offers Yoga,

aerobics, adult ballet, water-aerobics, and swim lessons (for boys and girls 5-14, for pre-schoolers, ages 2-4, and for young children, ages 2 months-3 years). Info, 674-6289 or [www.misericordia.edu](http://www.misericordia.edu), "Non-Credit Courses"

**OUTDOORS**

**Saturdays through Feb. 26 - EAGLE EXCURSIONS**, guided treks to search for wintering eagles at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Eagle Institute, 176 Scenic Dr., Lackawaxen. \$10. Info, 685-5960 or [www.eagleinstitute.org](http://www.eagleinstitute.org).

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**Auditions for youth musical**

Auditions will be held Sunday, Jan. 23, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., for the musical comedy "Captain Bree and Lady Pirates." All roles are open to youth age 10 through high school. A parent or guardian of those under 18 years of age must sign permission to participate forms.

Everyone will be required to read from the script and those auditioning for lead and feature roles will be asked to sing. Prepare an up-tempo and ballad song.

Scripts are available for review by calling the Northeast Players at 675-4333. The auditions will be held at Major Performing Arts Center, Carverton Road, Trucksville.

Performances will be in May at College Misericordia. Rehearsals will be held primarily on weekends.

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