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COMMUNITY

April 3 - CHICKEN BAR-B-QUE, from noon until 2 p.m. at the fire hall on Stull Rd., Noxen. \$6.50 per dinner. Eat in or take out available. Held by the Noxen Volunteer Fire Company.

Apr. 9 - BAKED MEAT LOAF DINNER/BAKE SALE, Loyalville United Methodist Church, off Rt. 118, Lake Twp. Serving 4:30-6:30 p.m., takeouts available, call ahead, 477-3521, 639-5882.

Apr. 9 - SPAGHETTI DINNER, 4-7 p.m., Franklin Twp. Fire Co. fire hall, Orange Rd. Adults \$5, children 7-12, \$2.50, 6 and under free. Takeouts available. 333-0557.

Apr. 9 - RUMMAGE AND BAKE SALE, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Rt. 118, Dallas.

GROUPS

Apr. 7 - BACK MOUNTAIN SENIORS will meet at 12:30 p.m. in the all-purpose room on the lower level of the Mercy Center in Dallas for luncheon and a business meeting. 696-1828.

HEALTH

Apr. 5-21 - LIFE GUARD TRAINING AND FIRST AID SKILLS Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-9:30 p.m., and Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lifeguard Training and First Aid certification and CPR for the Professional Rescuer certification will be awarded upon completion of the course. Must be at least age 15 by the last scheduled session. For more information on prerequisites for attending the workshops, cost, or registration, contact the King's College Discovery Program at 208-5807 or e-mail semccabe@kings.edu

Apr. 6 - PULMONARY SEMINAR, at Luzerne County Community College, Nanticoke. CEU credits available upon completion. Cost of \$50 for medical professionals, \$25 for students. Register by Mar. 28, 826-3762.

Apr. 7 - ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP, 11 a.m., Meadows Nursing Center, 55 W. Center Hill Rd. Public welcome. Info, call the Alzheimer's Association at 822-9915 or Meadows Nursing Center at 675-8600, ext. 195.

Apr. 11 - BACK MOUNTAIN RELAY FOR LIFE meeting, 6 p.m. in the Kennedy Room at the Banks Student Life Center, College Misericordia. Relay For Life is a fun team event to fight cancer in our

community. All welcome. Info, Christine DeMelfi at the American Cancer Society (888-227-5445) or chairperson Michelle Cassetori at 674-8770.

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Apr. 5 - SUMMER DREAMS information night, 7 to 9 p.m. at the Fellowship Evangelical Free Church, 45 Hildebrandt Rd., Dallas. Summer Dreams is a five-week hosting program for orphaned Russian children, ages 6-12. The program often leads to adoption. For information or reservations, call 1-888-350-4862.

Apr. 9 - APRIL FOOLS TOURS, 12 noon-4 p.m. Swetland Homestead, 885 Wyoming Ave., Wyoming. Children's story and activity at 1 p.m. Admission \$3. 823-6244.

MUSIC

Apr. 8 - WE'RE ABOUT 9, folk-rock trio. Chicory House, 35 S. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 8 p.m. Admission \$12, members \$9. Info, 825-8772 or www.chicoryhouse.org.

RECYCLING

Apr. 9 - LAKE TOWNSHIP, 10 a.m.-noon, at the municipal building, Rt. 29. Aluminum and b-metal cans, clear, brown and green glass and plastic 1 and 2 only. Newspaper will not be collected this month.

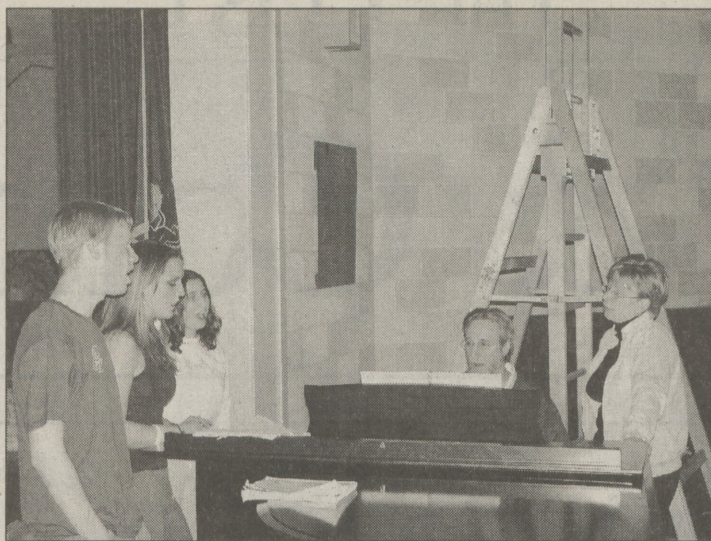
SPECIAL EVENTS

Fridays - FILM, FOOD, & FUN FACTS: A film and discussion series, 6:30-9:30 p.m., Penn State Wilkes-Barre Science Bldg., \$15/person/movie or \$60/person/all 5 movies, if registered by March 30. Light refreshments served. Call 675-9102 or visit www.wb.psu.edu/ce

April 8: "Radio Days," Woody Allen takes a nostalgic look at growing up in 1940 Queens.

Apr. 10 - AN EVENING AROUND THE WORLD, Junior League of Wilkes-Barre fundraiser, at the Luzerne County Courthouse, beginning at 5 p.m. Sample food from top area restaurants, ethnic cuisines, Chinese auction and raffle. Admission, by reservation only, \$50 per person. Reservations deadline April 1. Call 288-4818 for an invitation.

Apr. 10 - FINE ART AUCTION to support charities of the Rotary Club of Dallas. Sports and music memorabilia and sculptures may also be made available. At Irem Temple Country Club. Doors open at 2 p.m. for preview, bidding will begin



Rehearsing for "The Fantastiks" are, from left, Ryan Mallis, Dani Baclawski, Christina Stango, John Curtis (musical director) and Judy Ann Curtis (vocal coach).

'The Fantastiks' at Misericordia

The Misericordia Players will bring to the stage Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt's musical *The Fantastiks*. The play follows the trials and tribulations of Matt and Louisa, who are madly in love, but must keep their love secret from the eyes of their feuding parents, or so they think.

The parents have planned the entire feud, down to the wall that separates the two houses so that Matt and Louisa would definitely fall in love with one another. However, when all is revealed and the walls come tumbling down after Matt saves Louisa from the bandit, El Gallo, will the story end happily ever after?

The stage lights will shine on many new faces. Louisa will be played by CM freshman Dani Baclawski. Playing her forbidden love, Matt, is another freshman, Ryan Mallis. The cast is also comprised of Christina Stango, senior, play-

ing Louisa's mom, Charles LaJeunesse, professor of psychology, playing Matt's father, and Heidi D'Amore, junior, as the mute. Also in the cast, for the first time is Allan Waclawski as El Gallo, Donald Hopkins as Henry, and Lauren Trent, freshman, as Weeping Willow.

The technical director for the play will be College Misericordia Theater Manger Donald Hopkins, and the director is Christine Rock, from the Little Theatre in Wilkes-Barre. The musical director is John Curtis, College Misericordia staff and his wife Judy Ann Curtis is the vocal coach.

Performances will be April 8-9, at 8 p.m. and April 10 at 2 p.m. in Walsh Auditorium on the College Misericordia campus in Dallas. Tickets will be available at the door, \$3 for students and senior citizens, and \$5 for adults. For information, call 674-6719 or visit misericordia.edu.

at 3:30 p.m. Admission of \$12.50 per person or \$20 per couple includes hors d'oeuvres, wine and cheese. Door prizes all day. Major credit cards accepted for art purchases. For advance tickets and info, call 477-1350. Tickets also on sale at Dallas Photo Shop, Hilbert's The Tractor Store and Roth Jewelers.

STAGE

Apr. 3 - SOUTH PACIFIC, 3 p.m. matinee, Lake-Lehman High School auditorium. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$4 for students. Students' fine art exhibit from 2 to 4.

Apr. 8-9 - THE FANTASTICKS, Broadway musical hit about two young lovers. Presented by the Misericordia Players, Walsh Auditorium, 8 p.m. each night. Tickets \$5, students and seniors \$3. 674-6719.

Apr. 8-24 - CHILDREN OF EDEN, a tuneful and inspiring musical based on The Book Of Genesis. The Music Box Dinner Playhouse, 196 Hughes St., Swoyersville. Tickets and info, 283-2195 or 1-800-698-PLAY.

ONGOING

EXHIBITS

Through April 16 - THE COLORS OF WINTER, New Visions Art Studio student art exhibit, ages 6 to 16. Displayed at The Waterlily Florist Shop, 103 E. Overbrook Ave. Shavertown. Daily 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free. Info, 675-7778 or 696-5515.

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.

Wednesdays - YOGA FOR YOU, 10-11 a.m. Instructor: Angela Heffron, certified Hatha yoga instructor. Bring a yoga mat or beach towel and a blanket. \$10 per lesson, children free. Dietrich Theater 60 E. Tioga St. Tunkhannock. 996-1500.

Film Festival opens Friday at the Dietrich

The Dietrich Theater Spring 2005 Film Festival will run Friday, April 8 through Thursday, April 21. On opening night, at 7 p.m., the Dietrich will screen "Being Julia" and "The Merchant of Venice." A lavish spread of desserts will be provided by Epicurean Delight and Dr. Philip Mosley will introduce the movies. Admission is \$25 per person and reservations can be made by calling 996-1500.

On Saturday, April 9 at 2 p.m., Dr. Warren Bareiss will lead a discussion about the documentary "Born Into Brothels: Calcutta's Red Light Kids" at the Prince Hotel, which is across the street from the Dietrich. On Sunday, April 10 at 2 p.m. Dr. Bareiss will lead a discussion about the documentary "Bright Leaves," also at the Prince Hotel. At 9 p.m., Dr. Philip Mosley will lead a discussion about "Vera Drake" at the Dietrich Theater.

Light desserts and coffee will be provided for all three of these conversations and admission is free.

The Dietrich Theater is located at 60 E. Tioga St., Tunkhannock. Call 996-1500 for details, or visit www.dietrichtheater.com.

The schedule: A Very Long Engagement: Fri.,

April 15, 7:15 p.m.; Sun., April 17, 2:30 p.m.; Tue., April 19, 5:30 p.m.  
 Almost Peaceful: Mon. April 11, 7:45 p.m.; Wed. April 13, 2 p.m.; Mon. April 18, 6 p.m.  
 Being Julia: Fri. April 8, 7:15 p.m.; Sat. April 9, 2 p.m.; Tue. April 12, 8 p.m.; Sat. April 16, 2 p.m.; Mon. April 18, 7:35 p.m.  
 Born into Brothels: Calcutta's Red Light Kids: Sat. April 9, 12 p.m.; Tue. April 12, 8 p.m.; Sat. April 16, 4:30 p.m.; Mon. April 18, 7:35 p.m.  
 Bright Leaves: Sun. April 10, 12 p.m.; Fri. April 15, 5:30 p.m.; Wed. April 20, 12 p.m.  
 Hotel Rwanda: Sat. April 9, 7 p.m.; Tue. April 19, 8 p.m.  
 House of Flying Daggers: Sat. April 9, 9:15 p.m.; Wed. April 13, 7 p.m.  
 Kinsey: Sat. April 9, 7 p.m.; Sun. April 10, 2 p.m.; Tue. April 12, 6 p.m.; Fri. April 15, 9:40 p.m.; Wed. April 20, 2 p.m.;  
 Postmen in the Mountains: Mon. April 11, 6 p.m.; Thu. April 14, 8 p.m.; Sun. April 17, 7:30 p.m.  
 The Chorus: Sun. April 10, 4:15 p.m.; Wed. April 13, 12 p.m.  
 The Merchant of Venice: Fri. April 8, 10 p.m.; Sat. April 9, 4 p.m.; Sun. April 17, 12 p.m.  
 The Sea Inside: Sun. April 17, 5 p.m.; Thu. April 21, 5:45 p.m.  
 The Woodsman: Sat. April 16, 9:30 p.m.; Wed. April 20, 7:30 p.m.  
 Vera Drake: Sun. April 10, 7 p.m.; Wed. April 13, 4:30 p.m.; Sat. April 16, 12 p.m.; Wed. April 20, 5 p.m.

UPCOMING

COMMUNITY

Apr. 16 - OLD-FASHIONED BREAKFAST, 7:30-10:30 a.m., St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Rt. 118, Dallas. Tickets \$5 at the door. Fully handicapped accessible. Sponsored by the Odd Fellows, Dallas Lodge.

BOOTHS AVAILABLE, for the Market on the Pond, June 18 at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas. Spaces \$20 each, call 675-8600, ext. 195. Maximum 100 vendors.

DANCE

Apr. 16 - SQUARE DANCE, 8-11 p.m., Noxen School. Music by Roger Furman and band. Refreshments available, door prizes. Adults, \$6, students, \$3. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

GROUPS

Apr. 14 - LINCOLN ASSASSINATION, 140TH ANNIVERSARY, Wyoming Valley Civil War Round Table meeting, 7 p.m., lower level of the American Legion, Rt. 415, Dallas. Speaker Steven Wright is the author of two books, the contributor to seven others, and has written more than 300 articles and book reviews on such diverse subjects as the battle of Gettysburg, the battle of the Little Big Horn, the Lincoln assassination, and Lake Superior shipwrecks.

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THE FRESH AIR FUND welcomes volunteers and host families for a summer 2005 visit for New York City children. 674-3707.

Apr. 14 - TRADING CARD SWAP 6:30-8:30 p.m., Noxen School. Parent or guardian must accompany children. No charge, refreshments provided. 289-2052.

MUSIC

Apr. 14 - MUSICA MISERICORDIA faculty-student concert, featuring music of Cole Porter, Scott Joplin and George Gershwin. In Walsh Auditorium on the College Misericordia campus, beginning at 8 p.m. Free and open to the public.

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 April 15: "Bundle of Joy," musical comedy about a department store clerk who finds a baby on the doorstep.  
 April 22: "City Slickers," comedy. Area native Jack Palance won an Oscar for his performance in this comedy with Billy Crystal.

Misericordia faculty, students to present concert

The music of Cole Porter, Scott Joplin and George Gershwin will be featured during the annual Musica Misericordia concert on April 14. The show, which is free and open to the public, will be held in the Walsh Auditorium of the College Misericordia campus and begin at 8 p.m.

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