### SCHOOL BRIEFS

### SAT review class begins Aug. 29

Penn State Wilkes-Barre, in cooperation with Cambridge Education Services, Inc., will hold a review class for the Scholastic Aptitude Test from 6-9 p.m. for seven weeks each Tuesday beginning Aug. 29 at the campus in Lehman Township.

The course will cover preparation for the critical reading/ writing and math exams and will include a sample essay for the writing component. The course is designed to provide information on the current format of the SAT and will provide students with test-taking techniques.

Topics will address increased reading comprehension and strategies for sentence completion for the critical reading section. The writing component will cover grammar and mechanics and effective essay writing. Students will be introduced to a math grid and learn when to use a calculator on the test. Instructors will also cover the advantages and disadvantages of guessing.

The cost of the class is \$289 for critical reading and math or \$149 one of the two subjects. For more information or to register, contact Ellen Gregorio at 675-9220 or e-mail her at epg10@psu.edu.

### Lake-Lehman school holding Open House

The Lake-Lehman Junior/ Senior High School will host an Open House from Aug. 22-24 at the school on Old Route 115 in Lehman Township.

1-3 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 22; 6-8

p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 23; and 9-11 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 24. Students and parents are welcome to attend any day of the Open House.

The event gives seventh, eighth, and ninth grade students an opportunity to try lockers, locate rooms, and become familiar with the layout of the school. Information pertinent to the Open House will be mailed to

the homes of each student. Students must bring the information on the day they choose to visit the school. For more information, call the high school office at 675-7458.

### **Wyoming Seminary** ready for school year

Wyoming Seminary will begin its 163rd year of classes at the end of the month. The Upper School in Kingston will register boarding and day students during the day on Sunday, Aug. 27 and Monday, Aug. 28 for grades 9-12 and postgraduate. New students will participate in orientation activities both days and freshmen will attend a special Freshman Retreat on Aug.

On Tuesday, Aug. 29, a special opening of school convocation service will be held at the upper school. Senior class president Jacqueline Thomas of Dallas will ring the historic Cokesbury bell 16 times, one for each decade of Wyoming Seminary's existence, to usher in the new academic year.

The Lower School, located in Forty Fort, will begin its first day of classes Monday, Aug. 28 with a convocation for students in grades preschool through The event will take place from eighth grade. Orientation for new Lower School middle-

school students will be held from 10-11:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 21 and an Open House for new preschool, pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students and their parents will be held from 1-3 p.m. Friday, Aug. 25.

A meeting for parents of preschool, pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students will be held at 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 31 at the lower school. A similar session for parents of children in first through fourth grade will be held at 7 p.m. Aug. 31. An orientation for middle school students and parents will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 5.

For more information about Wyoming Seminary's programs and activities, call the upper school at 270-2160 or the lower school at 718-6610.

### Parent-Teacher group set events at GOH

The Gate of Heaven Parent Teacher Group will hold two back-to-school events for the 2006-07 school year. Family members of all registered students are invited to attend "Back to School Night" on Thursday, Sept. 7 at the school on Machell Avenue in Dallas. The time of the event will be announced at a later date.

The event will begin with a PTG meeting, followed by classroom breakouts, introducing parents to their student's classroom, homeroom teacher, and upcoming academic pursuits. Parents of all students - including those in the preschool, elementary and middle school are encouraged to attend.

An ice cream social will be held from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10 at the school. The event is open to current and prospective students and families. Teachers, staff and parents will be on hand Stu; and 304, Sut-Zal.

to scoop ice cream and greet families. Children's activities are also being planned.

All parents of Gate of Heaven students, teachers and staff are automatically members of the Gate of Heaven PTG. Members interested in helping in the event planning are encouraged to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 21 at the middle school.

### Lake-Lehman lists homeroom assignments

The Lake-Lehman Junior-Senior High School has listed the following homeroom assignments for the 2006-07 school year. The assignments are listed by grade, with the room number followed by the first initials of the students' last name.

GRADE 7: 701, Agn-Bul; 703, Bus-Denmon, A.; 704, Den-Hea; 705, Hei-Lip; 707, Loe-Mos; 709, Mur-San; 711, Say-Tri; and 713,

GRADE 8: 708, Abb-Cai; 710, Cal-Eva; 712, Eve-Hol; 714, Hop-Lau; 715, Lee-Mur; 716, Nae-Ros; 717, Row-Thr; and 718, Tra-Zub.

GRADE 9: 101, Agn-Chi; 104, Cho-Fow; 402, Fra-Hoz; 403, Ing-Lub; 404, Mac-Per; 405, Per-Spe; and 406, Sta-Zie.

GRADE 10: 305, Amy-Con; 306, Coo-Gil; 307, Gio-Koc; 309, Kon-McM; 310, Mei-Red; 311, Rob-Sym; and 313, Tay-Wyn.

GRADE 11: 201, Abb-Cas; 202, Caz-Eva; 203, Far-Kam; 204, Kel-Mas; 205, Mat-Sal; 206, Sal-Thomas E.; and 207, Tho-

GRADE 12: 105, Ada-Chi; 106, Cil-Fed; 107, Fis-Jay; 108, Jui-Mor; 109, Morr-Ros; 302, Sab-

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# Chili contest to debut at Harvest Festival

The annual Dallas Harvest Festival will be held from 1-6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17 in downtown Dallas. Parking will be available at the Back Mountain Memorial Library with free shuttle service to the festivities. The festival committee is looking for volunteers to help with the event. Anyone interested is invited to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 17 at the borough building.

For the first time, the festival will host a chili contest. The event is open to 12 local restaurants and/or caterers. The categories are normal, vegetarian, hottest, and unusual. The entry fee is \$30 and prizes will be awarded. For a \$5 fee, festival-goers can taste the chili and vote for their favorite. Half of the money raised from the contest will be donated to the Back Mountain Food Pantry.

Anyone interested in participating in the chili contest should call Mary Ann Ochman at 675-5872.

The Harvest Festival dance will be held from 7 p.m. to midnight Friday, Sept. 15 at Irem Temple Country Club. Tickets are \$25 tickets and may be purchased at Ochman's

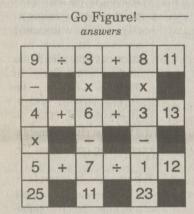
Coin & Jewelry on Church Street in Dallas or at the borough municipal building on Main Street. The ticket price includes food and free beer. A cash bar will also be available. Due to catering needs, no tickets will be available at the

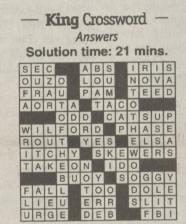
Most of the same vendors are returning from last year's festival. There will also be a Farmers Market, a Kiss the Pig contest with fire chiefs from five local departments vying for the honor, and entertainment with local performers on stage throughout the day.

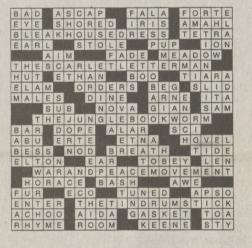
A new feature this year will be the Harvest Festival Idol Contest, which will be held at approximately 6 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13 in Walsh Auditorium on the College Misericordia campus. Registration will begin at 5:30 p.m. and will be limited to the first 75 musical performers between the ages of 16-25.

Solo and group acts are allowed, but no acting or poetry. There is also a three-minute limit per act. Cash prizes will be awarded and the top three finalists will perform from 3:30-5 p.m. at the festival. Anyone in attendance can vote for their favorite act.

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