

**LIBRARY HOLDING CITRUS FRUIT SALE**



The Friends of the Back Mountain Memorial Library in Dallas is holding its annual holiday citrus fruit sale through Nov. 20. Order forms have been mailed to regular customers and new customers are invited to stop by the library to pick up an order form. All proceeds benefit the library. The pick up times and dates are 4-6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 8 and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 9 at the library. Last year, several students from Bishop Hoban High School assisted with the distribution. The students, from left, are John Bailey, Neil Balonka, Joe Bailey, Alison Grant and Nicole Malloy.

**MEADOWS AUXILIARY HOLDING MEMBERSHIP DRIVE**



The annual membership drive of the Auxiliary of The Meadows Nursing Center in Dallas is open to residents of the community. Each year, the Auxiliary donates thousands of hours of volunteer service at the center and donates funds for special projects, activities and equipment. Helping with the membership drive, from left, first row are volunteers MaryAn Daily, Carl Apolinaro, Irene Transue, Marty Montigney and Louise Montigney. Dallas Kiwanis Club members Tex Wilson, Jean Wilson, Cliff Parker and John Navich, as well as Meadows volunteer Barbara Wentz also assisted with the drive.

**SCHOOL BRIEFS**

**Dallas High School presenting musical**

Area residents are invited to enter a world of fairytales, where one wrong turn causes far more than just getting lost. The Dallas High School drama department will present the "The Marvelous Misadventures of Little Red Riding Hood" at 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 17 and Saturday, Nov. 18, and at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19 in the school auditorium. Tickets are \$3 and may be purchased at the door. See what happens when Little Red Riding Hood meets up with Hansel and Gretel, the Three Little Pigs, the Three Bears, and

of course, the Big Bad Wolf. The musical is under the direction of Harry McKeown and stars Sarah-Jayne Hourigan as the Little Red Riding Hood. Other cast members include Kristina Tousseint as White Rabbit; Lauren Yurko as Jack; Alyson McRipley as Jack's mother; Moira Yanik as Gretel; Christopher Jayne as Hansel; Jeff Kelly as Wolf; Tori Ricciardi as Momma Bear; Mike Policare as Papa Bear; Rachel Kesselman as Baby Bear; and Amy Vodzak, Samantha Culver and Hannah Grube as The Three Little Pigs.

**Dallas H.S. juniors to attend program**

Members of the junior class from Dallas High School will attend a "How to Visit a College Campus, 101" program from 8:45-11 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 15 at King's College in Wilkes-Barre. The program will be conducted by the admission department at King's College and is being organized by the Dallas High School guidance department, Parent-Teacher-Student Organization, and Dallas juniors Katherine O'Brien and Kristen O'Brien. The O'Brien sisters are organizing the program as part of their completion project. The timing of the admissions process, questions to ask during visits to help determine if a college meets your needs, how

to distinguish yourself from other applicants, and financial aid will be addressed. Juniors will be placed in groups and will tour the campus, and hear a presentation from the admissions staff. Parents of students in the junior class are welcome to attend. The PTSO is looking for volunteers interested in learning more about the admissions process, or willing to spend time with the junior class. If interested, call the high school guidance department at 675-5201. **Friedman Observatory open Monday nights** Ever wonder what Neptune

looks like? Has the controversy over Pluto piqued your interest in the solar system? The Friedman Observatory at the Penn State Wilkes-Barre campus in Lehman Township offers opportunities to view the night sky through a computerized 16-inch Meade telescope. The observatory is open to the public starting one hour after sunset on clear Mondays. If Monday is not clear, the observatory will be open Tuesday at the same time. John Rovnak, acting director of the observatory, and her assistants will be on hand to answer questions. Rovnak is an amateur astronomer, retired aerospace engineer, and Penn State graduate. Small groups are welcome on public nights.

Larger groups, such as Girl and Boy Scout troops, are invited to call for a private session. The Observatory opened in 1990 and the computerized Meade Schmidt-Cassegrain reflecting telescope is the only one of its kind in the region. The rural setting provides a perfect opportunity for stargazing away from city lights. For more information regarding viewing opportunities, contact Thomas Winter at 675-9278 or txw2@psu.edu; and Rovnak at 925-2561 or jer32@psu.edu. Information is also available on college's Web site at www.wb.psu.edu. Go to the quick links for the Friedman Observatory.

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