

PEOPLE BRIEFS

Dr. Camp receives grant

Dr. William D. Camp, professor of sociology and history at Luzerne County Community College, has received a grant from the National Endowment to the Humanities in Washington, D.C. to study at the Henry Ford Center in Dearborn, Michigan.



Camp

Dr. Camp will participate in the NEH Landmarks program, exploring "American Industry, Labor and Culture."

He will also explore artifacts and archival materials as well as participate in roundtable discussions.

Dr. Camp earned his Bachelor of Arts degree from Gordon College, his Master of Arts degree from Fairleigh Dickinson University and his doctorate from Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh. A former Fulbright scholar to the Netherlands, Camp has participated in previous NEA programs at Brandeis, Harvard and Boston Universities.

He and his wife, Ann, reside in Dallas.

Gilligan visits Presidential Classroom

Molly Gilligan, a junior at Dallas High School, recently spent a week in Georgetown at the Presidential Classroom, focusing on campaigns and elections.



Gilligan

Presidential Classroom's mission is to provide the highest quality civic educational programs for outstanding students, using Washington, D.C. as the classroom. While there, Gilligan met with staff members in the offices of Senators Robert Casey and Arlene Specter and Representative Chris Carney. She also attended sessions at

the Department of State, the Pentagon and visited the Smithsonian Institute, Arlington National Cemetery and many Washington monuments.

Gilligan is the daughter of Martin and Mary Barbara Gilligan.

Dr. Glicini joins staff at Tyler Memorial

Robert L. Glicini, MD, of Dallas, a board-certified general surgeon, was recently appointed to the medical staff of Tyler Memorial Hospital, Tunkhannock.



Glicini

Dr. Glicini graduated cum laude from Dartmouth College, NH, in 1979 with Distinction in Engineering and was awarded a Doctor of Medicine (MD) degree in 1984 from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Rutgers Medical School. In 1989, he completed his residency in General Surgery with a sub-specialty in Trauma and Vascular Surgery, also at UMDNJ, University Hospital, Newark, NJ and its affiliated hospitals.

Previous to joining the Tyler staff, Dr. Glicini, 51, was a general surgeon for 19 years at Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center, Wilkes-Barre.

Dr. Glicini has been active in many community activities, including baseball and soccer and served as Scoutmaster for Boy Scout Troop 281, Dallas from 2000 to 2007. He presently serves as Assistant Scoutmaster and is planning a trip to Philmont, New Mexico with the Scouts.

He and his wife, Paula, have four children: David, 23, a biology major at Penn State; Diana, 21, who is studying physical therapy at Ithaca College; Michael, 19, a psychology major, also at Ithaca, and Matthew, 18, who is graduating this year from Dallas High School.

Kretchmer is Eagle Scout

Michael A. Kretchmer, 17, son of Dr. Donald S. and Lois E. Kretchmer, of Kingston Township, has earned the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest award in Boy Scouting.



Michael Kretchmer is the Back Mountain's newest Eagle Scout.

For his Eagle Scout leadership service project, Kretchmer planned, developed and carried out the construction and placement of raised handicapped accessible grow boxes at the Meadows Nursing Home in Dallas.

Also, as part of the project, the handicapped residents were helped in utilizing the new boxes with a planting program coordinated with the Activities and Occupational Therapy Departments.

Kretchmer is a member of Troop 155, sponsored by the Trucksville United Methodist Church where he has held leadership positions as Troop Guide, Librarian, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader and currently serves as Junior Assistant Scoutmaster. He has earned 33 merit badges.

During his Scouting career, he has earned the United States Heritage Award, BSA World Conservation Award, Wildlife Conservation Award presented by the PA Game Commission, Gettysburg and Valley Forge Trail Awards, as well as the Lackawanna Valley Heritage Trail Award, BSA Kayaking and Scuba Awards.

Kretchmer attended the 2005 National Scout Jamboree as well as troop camping trips to West Point Military Academy, Annapolis Naval Academy, Coast Guard Academy, Gettysburg and Valley Forge.

A junior at Dallas Senior High School, Kretchmer works part-time as a dietary aide at Mercy Center, Dallas. He plans to continue his leadership role with Troop 155 by becoming an Assistant Scoutmaster.

CHURCH BRIEFS

U2charist is May 10

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, 420 Main St., Dallas, will hold its second U2charist at 7 p.m. on Saturday, May 10.

A U2 Eucharist, or U2charist for short, is an Episcopal Eucharist service featuring music from the rock band U2 and a message about God's call to rally around the United Nations' Millennium Development Goals (MDGs).

This modern, multimedia service uses the themes in U2 songs about global reconciliation, justice for the poor and oppressed and the importance of caring for your neighbor.

Tickets are free and available by contacting the church office at 675-1723 or princeofpeace@epix.net

Everyone is asked to wear red and to bring a nonperishable food item to be donated to the Back Mountain Food Pantry.

The Sunday School will sell raffle tickets at \$3 each or two for \$5 for an 8gb iPod Nano.

All money raised will be donated in support of the Millennium Development Goals.

Chicken dinner set

A baked chicken dinner will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. on Saturday, May 17, at the Huntsville United Methodist Church, 2355 Huntsville Rd., Shavertown (near the Huntsville Dam). Takeouts will be available at 3:30 p.m.

The menu consists of a half chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, beans, cranberry sauce and roll and pie.

Tickets, at \$8.50 per person, may be purchased by calling 675-1937.

POP sets luncheon

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, Main Street, Dallas, will hold its Third Annual Theme Luncheon /Tea from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 17. Tickets are \$8 which includes the luncheon, entertainment, door prizes and a Re-Gift Auction.

For information and/or tickets, please contact Linda Schrader at 696-2082 or the church office at 675-1723 between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Tuesdays, Thursday or Fridays.

Fresh crop of farmers sprouting at The Lands at Hillside

The Lands at Hillside is putting the "garden" back in kindergarten with its newest educational program.

This spring, The Lands' Project KinderGarden has sparked interest from 38 kindergarten classes from Wilkes-Barre Area, Dallas, Lake-Lehman School Districts and the Wyoming Valley Montessori School to get students learning about gardening by experiencing it.

Project KinderGarden is head-

ed up by The Lands' farmer/educator Christine Doherty.

Project KinderGarden is funded through the Department of Agriculture's Healthy Farms/Healthy School initiative which encourages collaboration between Pennsylvania schools and their local farms. In addition to creating a garden for each school, Project KinderGarden focuses on teaching nutrition and healthy eating to area youth.

Chris Tweedy, The Lands at

Hillside Farms Director of Development, hopes this program will help students have a better understanding of where their food comes from and look forward to it growing in coming years.

Project KinderGarden will wrap up with a family day on the farm from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 31. Parents and educators will be present to admire the gardening work of the students in The Lands at Hillside Farms' on-site greenhouse.

For more information on Project KinderGarden, the family day event, or participating in future Project KinderGardens, contact Doherty at 696-4500 or by e-mail at christine@thelandsathillsidefarms.org.

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