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Barn Tag Sale slated for Sept. 26 at BMT library

Be sure to save the date of our first ever Barn Tag Sale! Come early and stay late on Saturday, Sept. 26, for the last day of our Farmers' Market and peak around the rear of the library grounds for great bargains on unsold items from our annual auction.

The Barn Tag Sale will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will offer leftover auction items due to rain postponement which include Lenox, Royal Doulton, Wedgewood, Baccarat, Carnival glass, Cut glass, Cranberry glass, Depression glass, Sterling Silver and silver plate items.

Antique items include Shabby Chic hall stand, seven-piece dining room suite, antique oak sideboard with mirror and shelving, Postmaster sorting desk, cedar chest, wash stand, drop leaf table, marble top wash stand, dressers, chests, decorator items, dolls, jelly cupboard, pictures, mirrors, fine linens and much more!

Our Nearly Olde tent, Christmas and Basket tents will also offer unique items for early Christmas shopping. The Slightly Read Bookshop will extend its hours and remain open until 4 p.m. Take a chance or two on our Raffle Baskets and, after shopping, stop by the Food Booth for a light lunch and visit with neighbors one more time before fall arrives.

Library closed on Labor Day

Remember that the library will be closed on Monday, Sept. 7, to observe Labor Day. The library will re-open for regular hours on Tuesday, Sept. 8. The Slightly

Read Bookshop will also be closed on September 7 and will resume its regular hours at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Bookshop sale begins September 9

The Bookshop is enticing everyone with a special "After Labor Day" fiction sale which will be held September 9 through October 14. During the sale, all fiction hardcovers will be sold at half price. There will also be a fantastic sale on chapter books left over from the auction. They will be priced at only five cents each and, if you buy five, you get one free!

Openings for children's workshop

Parents of very young children will be happy to learn that there are still several openings for our popular "Fall Parent/Child Workshop."

This play group setting allows toddlers 1 through 3 years of age to play and interact with other children as mothers (caregivers) get a chance to talk to each other and resource professionals who attend each session. This workshop will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. on Tuesdays, Sept. 22, Sept. 29, Oct. 6 and Oct. 13.

Call the Children's Room of the library at 675-1182 for more details.

Story hour registration

Registration for the Fall Story hours begins at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Oct. 1.

MOMENTS IN TIME

The History Channel

- On Sept. 13, 1814, Francis Scott Key pens a poem, which later is set to music and in 1931 becomes America's national anthem, "The Star-Spangled Banner." The poem, originally titled "The Defence of Fort McHenry," was written after Key witnessed the Maryland fort being bombarded by the British during the War of 1812.
- On Sept. 12, 1940, near Montignac, France, a collection of prehistoric cave paintings are discovered by four teenagers who stumble upon the ancient artwork in a cavern. The 15,000- to 17,000-year-old paintings consist mostly of animal representations.
- On Sept. 8, 1953, Continental Trailways offered the first transcontinental express bus service in the U.S. The 3,154-mile ride from New York City to San Francisco lasted 88 hours and 50 minutes, of which 77 hours was riding time. The cost was \$56.70.
- On Sept. 9, 1971, prisoners riot and seize control of the maximum-security Attica Correctional Facility near Buffalo, N.Y. Later that day, state police retook most of the prison, but 1,281 convicts occupied an exercise field called D Yard, where they held 39 prison guards and employees hostage for four days.
- On Sept. 11, 1985, Cincinnati Reds player/manager Pete Rose gets the 4,192nd hit of his career, breaking Ty Cobb's major-league record for career hits. Rose retired as a player during the 1986 season, but remained in his position as Reds manager until Aug. 24, 1989, when he was banned from baseball for life for gambling on Reds games.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Photographer Deno Pantelakos, of Idlewood Drive in Dallas, was somewhat surprised to find only one fisherman on the lake at Lackawanna State Park on a very sunny day this summer. Pantelakos calls this photograph "A Quiet Day on the Lake."

SHARE YOUR PICTURES WITH OUR READERS

"YOUR SPACE" is reserved specifically for Dallas Post readers who have something they'd like to share with fellow readers. Submitted items may include photos or short stories and should be sent via e-mail at news@mydallaspost.com, by fax at 675-3650 or by mail to The Dallas Post, 15 N. Main St., Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711. Information must include the submitting person's name, address and a telephone number in the event we have questions. Readers wishing to have their photos returned should include a self-address/stamped envelope. Items will be published in the order in which they are reserved. The editor of The Dallas Post reserves the right to reject any items submitted for publication.

1989 - 20 YEARS AGO

Mary-Kristin Albertson, 12-year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Richard P. Albertson, of Harvey's Lake and Wynnewood, recently won second place and a \$1,000 savings bon in the Shop Rite third annual "Kids in the Kitchen" recipe contest. Mary-Kristin entered the local store contest along with 3,000 other youths between the ages seven to 15 years of age. Her recipe, "Treasure of the Sea" had scallops as the main ingredient.



ONLY YESTERDAY

Junior Girl Scout Troop 638 recently completed requirements for their Ecology Badge. As part of the project they donated a tree to the Lake Noxen School where all of the girls attend school as well as hold their meetings. Members of the troop are: Crystal Covert, Marissa Bevan, Crystal King, Tracey Long, Becky Blaine, Jennifer Birt, Allison Jurkowski, Jennifer Sandstrom, Megan Mosier, Cara Nygren, Judy Sichler, Jennifer Reno, Christina Tuzinski and Laurie Finnegan.

At local Shur Save Supermarkets, an 8 ounce bottle of Ken's Salad Dressing sold for 89 cents; a 12 ounce package of Kraft Velveeta and Shells sold for \$1.29; and a large bag of Wise potato chips sold for 99 cents.

1979 - 30 YEARS AGO

A six run rally in the sixth inning by Cook's Owls of Lehman won the 1979 Back Mountain Slo-Pitch League Championship for that team. Members of the team are: Keith Bicking, Rich Goodwin, Bob Cyphers, Gino Gionochetti, Jim Yascur, Paul Adamshick, Bob Kunkle, Bud Jordan, Goose Chamberlain, Dave Jones, Din Katyl, Jamie

Adamshick and Vince Hudak.

Newly installed officers of the Gate of Heaven Parent-Teacher Guild held their first board meeting of the new school year last week. The officers are: Mary Ann Thompson, president; Dorothy Flynn, first vice president; Mike Williams, second vice president; Marilyn Pavlovec, secretary; and Joe Hayer, treasurer.

1969 - 40 YEARS AGO

Dallas Senior High champions of District II Track Meet were recently awarded blue and white wool jackets by the Dallas Area Lettermen-Booster club at a meeting at the high school. Awards were made to 15 boys, all first place winners in the district tourney. Dallas team also won first place in Class B. Those awarded jackets are: John McClary, Frank Summs, Ken Engler, Lance Wills, Scott Lefko, David Jones, Clark Switzer, Chuck LaBerge, Bob Samanes, Richard Martin, David Merithew, Gary Belles, Pat Bidwell, Jerry Torr and Jim Tupper.

Members of the Dallas High School Class of 1944 recently held their 25th reunion at the Castle Inn. Twenty-six class members and one advisor attended. Prizes were awarded to Stanley Wrobelski for traveling the farthest distance from Baltimore, Md.; to George (Dodie) Bittenbender for the largest family of five children; and to Paul Carlin for having the youngest child.

Lehman-Jackson Cardinals, second place team in the Little League Minor division, joined their families and coaches, Donald Weidner and Frank Gaissl, at a picnic on the Lehman Horse Show grounds last Sunday. An exciting softball game between the fathers and their sons began the day's activities. The fathers lost 8-3.

Members of the team are: Tommy Snell, Freddy Webber, Paul DeBarry, Dale Ehret, Nicky Sando, Johnny Rusonis, Chuck

May, Scott Rave, Kevin Cragle, Chris Hall, Larry Scott, Mike McGrath, Ricky Sorber, Mark Rodriguez and Craig Selingo.

1959 - 50 YEARS AGO

Children of College Misericordia's French Demonstration Class recently presented a program in the Mother M. Theresa Walsh auditorium on the college campus. The children, who range in age from seven to eleven years and attended classes for five weeks during the summer session, sang songs in French, danced and presented a classroom scene. Participants were: Janet Balshaw, Corrine Conklin, Daniel Dorrance, Stanley Dorrance, Eugene Evans, Barbara Hughes, Ann Lacy, David Lacy, Charles Leibold, Lizette Leibold, Mary Ellen McLaughlin, Thomas McLaughlin and James Steinhauer.

Girl Scout Troop 195, Idetown, who stayed at the Half House at Wildwood from Monday afternoon until Wednesday noon were Joyce Ide, Ellen Ide, Linda Calkins, Linda Casterline, Judy Jennings, Shirley Jennings, Janie Schultz, Gaile Harrison, Elizabeth Anne Shaver, June Gearheart, Joy Agnew and Mary Lou Casterline.

1949 - 60 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Alice Uhl has announced that she will open the Country Dress Shop in the rear of Dixon's Store, Dallas, and will handle there an exclusive line of women's and children's dresses and accessories. Mrs. Jessie Gruver will assist her during the opening. The shop will feature Jessie Gruver frocks and custom bridal gowns.

Friendship Class of Trucksville Methodist Church will conduct a fall fashion show in Kingston Township High School auditorium Friday night. Mrs. Byron Shortz is chairman. Other committee members are: Mrs. Earl Hess, Mrs. Penred Rice,

Mrs. Ted Bennett and Mrs. Sam Davis.

Movies playing at the Himmeler Theater, Dallas, included "Edward My Son" starring Spencer Tracy and Deborah Kerr; "It Happens Every Spring" starring Ray Milland; and "Johnny Belinda" starring Jane Wyman.

1939 - 70 YEARS AGO

Lake Township and State Motor Police scoured the countryside in the vicinity of Huntsville in an attempt to apprehend an armed man who tried to kidnap Florence Rusilowski, age 20, daughter of Mrs. Frances Rusilowski of Lehman, as she walked along the state highway at 6:50 p.m. last night, in company with little Mary Hudachick, age 8, also of Lehman.

The kidnapping was attempted at the intersection of the dirt road known as Lover's Lane and Route 115 that skirts Huntsville Reservoir. As the two girls approached the intersection they saw a man with a black mask over his face and a pistol in his hand get out of a parked automobile and approach them. He shoved the gun at the Rusilowski girl and at the same time grabbed her about the waist. In the struggle that followed, the girls' coat and outer garments were torn from her body, but she was able to wrest herself out of his grip and escape. The little Hudachick girl escaped in the encounter and ran down the road to her home.

Movies playing at the Himmeler Theater, Dallas, included "Confessions of a Nazi Spy" starring Edward G. Robinson; "Slave Ship" starring Wallace Berry and Mickey Rooney; and "Tarzan Finds a Son" starring Johnny Weismuller.

Information for "Only Yesterday" is taken from past issues of The Dallas Post, which is 120 years old. The information is printed here exactly as it appeared in the newspaper years ago.

"HOW WILL YOU SPEND LABOR DAY?"



"We labor on Labor Day because the fruit keeps ripening; we'll do the market in Scranton that day."

Paul Brace
Franklin Township



"I work retail that day but I will get to a family picnic later."

Robin Haines
Dallas



"A picnic at the Dymond family farm with hamburgers, hot dogs and brownies."

Kerry Beth Dymond
Franklin Township



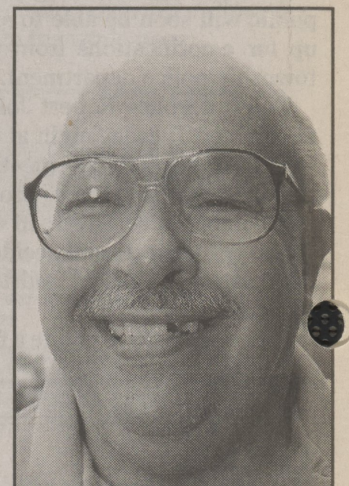
"We have a get-together, generally soup and salad, but everyone brings something."

Jessica DalSanto
Dallas



"Visit friends, have a picnic and I'll cut the grass."

Robert Dingman
Dallas



"Just relax, cook out and watch the Jerry Lewis MDA Telethon on TV."

Jim Snyder
Shavertown