

DHS INTERNATIONAL CLUB PLANS FUNDRAISER



The Dallas High School International Club, in conjunction with the Dallas High School PTSO, is hosting a Soup and Sweets fundraiser from 2:20 to 4:30 p.m. on Friday, April 23, in the high school cafeteria when a variety of homemade soups and desserts will be available for purchase. Proceeds benefit student programs throughout the year. From left, seated, are Mara Zumchak, International Club student secretary; Robyn Jones, school counselor; Deborah Chielli, PTSO parent. Standing, Kathy Millington, Bonnie Stachnik, Anne Manganello, Gail Petorak and Barbara Goode, PTSO parents; and Candyce Fike, International Club adviser.

SCHOOL BRIEFS

'Wizard of Oz' ends today

The final performance of "The Wizard of Oz" will be held at 2 p.m. today, April 18, in the Lake-Lehman High School auditorium.

General admission seating is available at a cost of \$8 for adults and \$5 for children under the age of 12.

Dr. Kopen to speak at PSU/WB

Penn State Wilkes-Barre's Honor Society will host a public discussion on health care reform at 7 p.m. on Monday, April 19, in the Academic Commons Barry Auditorium on campus.

Dr. Dan Kopen, a native of Northeastern Pennsylvania, will speak about the recent passage of health care reform.

For more information, contact Dr. Joseph Jumpeter, Honor Society moderator, at 570-675-9248.

Art exhibit at Misericordia

A "Modern Masters" exhibition featuring 41 artists and 81 fine art prints in diverse media opens with a champagne reception from 5 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, April 24, in the Pauly Friedman Art Gallery on the campus of Misericordia University. The reception is open free to the public.

The exhibit will be open through June 26 during gallery hours: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

MU hosts spring ensemble concert

Misericordia University will host the annual spring Ensemble Evening, featuring performances by students and faculty in concert and jazz bands, two choirs and five dance ensembles at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 28, in Lemmond Theater in Walsh Hall.

For more information, call the Misericordia University Box Office at 674-6719.

Movie will be topic of discussion

"Athletics Movies and Discussion Series: A League of Their Own" will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 29, at the Penn State Wilkes-Barre Science Center Auditorium.

Instructor is Bill Bachman, Penn State Wilkes-Barre communications instructor. Cost is \$12 per person.

Spring concert set

The Wyoming Seminary Music Department will present its annual Spring Concert on at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 30, in the Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Ave., just north of Kingston Corners.

This concert is free to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

Nursery school being

planned

The child development class of the Lake-Lehman School District will sponsor a nursery school for 3-to 5-year-olds from 8:15 to 9:45 a.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from May 4 to May 27.

For more information, contact Robin Rogers at 255-2871.

LHS Class of 1951 will meet

Members of the Lehman High School Class of 1951 will gather for a Dutch treat lunch at noon on Wednesday, May 5, at the Red Rooster in Pikes Creek.

Those planning to attend are asked to call Millie Yockavitch Pall at 477-5907 or Grace Barrall Lord at 675-1503.

Lock-In Committee sets meetings

The Dallas High School 2010 Graduation Lock-In Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 6, and Wednesdays, May 19 and 26, in the high school library.

There will be a final mandatory meeting for all those working the night of the Lock-In at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 1, at the high school.

Students are asked to e-mail a baby or toddler photo and a senior photo to lockinpics@comcast.net for the Lock-In video.

Friendly's sponsors Lock-In fundraiser

The Dallas Lock-In Committee will hold a fundraiser from 5 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 12, at Friendly's Restaurant in Dallas. A percentage of the sales will be donated to the Lock-In on eat-in and take-out orders.

The Lock-In is an alcohol-free, drug-free, fully chaperoned, all-night party for the graduating class on June 4, 2010.

Lock-In fundraiser at T.G.I. Friday's

Back Mountain residents are asked to support the Dallas High School Grad Lock-In by eating in or taking out food at T.G.I. Friday's in Wilkes-Barre any Wednesday or Thursday until May 20.

A portion of sales will be donated to the Lock-In and coupons must be presented to servers. Coupons can be printed from the Dallas School District Web site.

DHS Class of 1970 plans reunion

The Dallas High School Class of 1970 will hold its 40th anniversary reunion from 6 to 11 p.m. on Friday, July 30, at Appletree Terrace, Newberry Estates, Dallas.

There will be an open bar, food, music and great memories. Members of the classes of 1968, 1969 and 1971 who missed their class reunions are invited.

Anyone interested in attending is asked to make a reservation by calling Sally Cyphers Johnson at 690-6771 or Scott Lefko at 410-848-9124.



Members of the Lake-Lehman Middle School Color Guard are, from left, first row, Lila Szabo, Carissa George, Bryanna Tucker and Carolyn Price. Second row, Rebecca Ford, Carey Anne Keiper, Kaila Hartman and Kaitlyn Evans.



Members of the Lake-Lehman Band Color Guard are, from left, first row, Jessica Campbell and Ealish Ellis. Second row, Allison Sankey, Symone Vaughn, Jess Buzink, Deanna Szabo, Tim Seabridge, Stephanie Konek, Taylor Spencer and Christina Solomon.

Excelling at competition

Members of the Lake-Lehman Indoor Percussion/Color Guard groups competed at Whitehall High School in Mechanicsburg on April 10.

Lake-Lehman has more than 60 students in four units competing in the TIA (Tournament Indoor Association), including high school percussion, elementary percussion, middle school color guard and high school color guard.

The high school percussion show is entitled "The Horror" and is directed by A.J. DeFrancisco, assisted by Eric Boylan and Brendan Carter.

After its exceptional performance and score at Daniel Boone High School the previous week, the ensemble was promoted to the Scholastic Intermediate A category. Over the past year, the band has competed against associations formerly classified in the open/world category. Although the new ranking meant a more challenging contest, the students proved their determination by placing second at the Whitehall event.

The elementary percussion show is entitled "Batman - The Dark Knight."

That group performs under the Scholastic Elementary Percussion category and is directed by Patrick Stanley, an elementary music teacher at Lake-Lehman. Stanley has several student helpers from the high school percussion, including Chris Gerlin, Ben Attanasio, Jordan Lindley, Jacob Pelton and Megan Osiecki.

The unit consists of fifth- and sixth-grade students from the district's three elementary schools. Most of the 14 students do not play percussion instruments in the cadet band; however, have proven themselves to be multi-talented individuals by learning the skills necessary to play different instruments. The ensemble received a first-place trophy for its performance at this



Members of the Lake-Lehman Band elementary percussion group are, from left, Luke Hummel, Nathan Mutchler and Zack Zaleskas. Second row, Devin Lindley, Joey Chaga, Blaise Walligun, Jamie Buzink, Kaitlyn Hennebaul, Claire Wilson, Andrew Leahy, Sierra Titus, Jacob Karolowicz, Rebecca Osiecki and John Pelton.



Members of the Lake-Lehman Band high school percussion group are, from left, Jake Sedorchuk, Jon Higueta, Chris Gerlin, Nina Jones, Jordan Lindley, Ben Attanasio, Zack Titus, Rob Hamilton, Vito Sicurella and Jon Anderson. Second row, Dustin Zeller, Samantha Lindley, Paige Vacante, Jacob Pelton, Stephanie Zeller, Matt Miller and Noah Crispell. Third row, Jess Long, Katelyn Pelton, Nicole Lockard, Jamie Salinas, Megan Osiecki, Lana Sicurella, Jenna Barski and Nicole Ford.

venue. The middle school color guard show is entitled "Lucky."

This group is a senior project co-directed by Kaitlyn Martin and Symone Vaughn, both long-time members of the color guard.

Along with their adult advisors, Martin and Vaughn have taught the girls not only the basics of color guard, but have also been able to construct a show for the unit to perform

in the Scholastic Middle School Guard category. The ensemble received a second-place recognition at Whitehall.

The high school color guard show is entitled "Winter."

Its classification is Scholastic Intermediate A Guard and is directed by Brian Marsh, assisted by Jessica Milbrodt and Michelle Keller.

The group's performance is a portrayal of the winter season, highlighting the various

talents of the ensemble, including dance, flags and rifles. Its many hours of practice have proven to be worthwhile as the unit was acknowledged as a first-place recipient at the recent contest.

The groups are now preparing for the upcoming Chapter 7 championships to be held on Sunday, April 25. The season will conclude with All-Chapter Championships in Wildwood, New Jersey at the end of April.

College of Health Sciences open house set at Misericordia

Misericordia University will hold a community open house from 5 to 6:30 p.m. on Monday, April 19, at its new state-of-the-art College of Health Sciences building at 100 Lake St., Dallas.

The new facility opens the door to expanded research and clinical and educational opportunities for students, faculty and Northeastern Pennsylvania while also expanding upon health centers that provide clinical therapy sessions in speech-language pathology and physical therapy to regional clients who have little to no health insurance.

The building is also a community resource that offers meeting space for civic organizations.

The renovated three-story, 40,000-square-foot building is a \$5.6 million investment in the health sciences by Misericordia.

The historic structure houses the nursing, speech-language pathology (SLP), occupational therapy (OT) and physical therapy (PT) departments.

The Misericordia University SLP department's suite on the second floor expands clinical space and offers additional state-of-the-art technology that will benefit students and clients alike through the video observation room, Sensory-Motor Gymnasium, Voice and Speech-Science Anatomy, Stuttering and Lan-



Misericordia University physical therapy students Danielle Hogan, left, and Danielle Leonzi work with Anthony Vanesco in the Misericordia University Physical Therapy Center located in the new College of Health Sciences building in Dallas.

guage, Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) and Cognition and Brain Injury laboratories.

Light refreshments will also be served during open house and there is ample free parking available to campus visitors.

HONOR ROLL

The following sixth-grade students in the Lake-Lehman School District have been named to the Honor Roll for the third marking period of the 2009-2010 school year:

LAKE-NOXEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Kyle Baker
Zachary Field
McAndrew Fogarty
Charles Hennebaul
Dominic Hockenbury
Brandon Hogrebe
Colby Karnes
Grace Kuschke
Lisa Labar
Karlie Lobitz
Haley Nice
Rebecca Osiecki
Miranda Pace

LEHMAN-JACKSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Jacob Barber
Julia Baur
Eric Bordo
Joseph Chaga
Lauren Cunius
Anthony DeCesaris
Kaley Egan
Julia Eneboe
Nicholas Eury
Edward Geist
Victoria Goodwin
Kyra Grzymiski
Kyle Hall
Katelynn Harrison
Perry Hoover

Samantha Kanios
Kayleigh Konek
Rachel Leskowsky
Rachel Malak
Connor McGovern
Michael Minsavage
Maranda Moosic
Jerome Natishan
Robert Oakley
Miranda Parry
Lindsay Pemberton
Catherine Rose
Christopher Sabol
Katrina Sennett
Joseph Sharon
Alexis Soifer
Megan Spess
Madison Stambaugh
Molly Storz
Katie Supey
Kaitlin Sutton
Blaise Walligun
Corey Weaver
Thomas Williams

ROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Holly Banta
Kimberley Dragon
Jared Guth
Marie Johns
Corey Kinney
Karen Marchakitus
Sara Schuler
Clayton Vasey