



CHARLOTTE BARTIZEK PHOTOS/ FOR THE DALLAS POST

Owen Kiluk, of Trucksville, has his headpiece adjusted by his best friend's mother, Tina Navestad, of Wyoming. The two boys entered in the Best Group category.



Preston Klem, of Dallas, is a naturalist in his Crocodile Dundee suit.



Sage Morgan, of Dallas, hopes to be the prettiest bumblebee at the Halloween parade and contest.



Judging the annual Dallas Halloween Costume Contest are, from left, Matt Roncevich, Alyssa Tacka and Ashley Rood. A. J. Arnoldi was also a judge.

## COSTUME JUDGING

The Annual Halloween Costume and Parade sponsored by Dallas Kiwanis is always a well-attended event. This year was no different as hundreds of costumed characters made their way to the old Dallas High School for judging.

### DALLAS TOWNSHIP

## Letterkenny Lane may be renamed

By CAMILLE FIOTI  
Dallas Post Correspondent

Named after a town in County Donegal, Ireland, Letterkenny Lane has been the name of a road off 42nd Street for nearly 120 years, said Letterkenny Lane residents Tom and Joan Byron at Monday's board of supervisors meeting.

The couple said they have been notified by the county's emergency management office that the road would be renamed "Byron Lane" to aid in emergency situations as well as in postal deliveries.

Because three other houses are on that road, the Byrons asked if the addresses for those properties would be renamed to reflect the owners' last names as well. They asked if the road's name could stay Letterkenny Lane. Board secretary Nancy Balutis said she would look into the matter with the county Emergency Management Systems office.

*In other business, the board*

• Voted to approve an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement between the township and the five other Back Mountain municipalities that

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make up the Back Mountain Partnership to purchase a radar display speed trailer.

The usage and cost for the device, which is approximately \$5,000, will be shared between Dallas, Jackson, Kingston and Lehman Townships as well as with Dallas Borough.

• Voted to approve a Preventative Maintenance Agreement between the township and Winter Engine-Generator Service, Inc. for 2011.

The agreement provides an annual inspection and testing of the township's generator at a cost of \$884.

• Voted to renew an intergovernmental insurance cooperative, known as the Pennsylvania Municipal Health Insurance Cooperative, for the purpose of developing and administering an employee benefits program for members using cost-effective funding models.

### JACKSON TOWNSHIP

## New sirens coming

By EILEEN GODIN  
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Jackson Township supervisors gave an update on two new SCI-Dallas prison siren installations, plus approved two mutual cooperation agreements to share paving equipment and emergency management services with neighboring municipalities at their regular meeting held November 1.

Last month, supervisors announced the emergency prison sirens at Wallow Mountain in Lehman Township (known as the powerhouse whistle), at the prison and on the Jackson Township salt storage shed off Chase Road would be replaced.

Chairman John Wilkes Jr. said the siren at the salt storage shed has been replaced but the one at Wallow Mountain was higher than anticipated, noting that SCI-Dallas will use a crane to reach it.

Supervisors approved a mutual cooperative agreement with Lehman Township and Dallas Borough for use of paving equipment. The equipment would be purchased in unison with the two other municipalities and shared, Wilkes said.

Pooling resources to provide excellent emergency management services was the thought behind a mutual cooperative agreement with Dallas Borough. Wilkes said

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both Jackson Township and Dallas Borough have great emergency management services, adding it makes sense to combine efforts for the betterment of the communities.

"We want to provide the best services in cases of emergencies," he said. "By combining services, we maximize our resources and increase grant possibilities."

*In other news ...*

• Supervisors approved a Back Mountain Community Partnership resolution to participate in a regional water study of the Back Mountain, creating a baseline reference for future water testing.

• Wilkes said the 2011 proposed budget will be passed at the December 23 meeting but will be available for public review by December 1.

The next Jackson Township supervisors' meeting will be held at 6 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 6, in the municipal building.

### THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS

#### MONDAY, NOV. 8

**Dallas School District**  
2000 Conygham Ave., Dallas Twp.

The Dallas School Board will hold its regular meeting at 7 p.m. in the administration building next to Wycallis Elementary.

**Kingston Township**  
180 E. Center St., Shavertown

The board of supervisors will hold a public work session at 7 p.m. in the municipal building.

**Lake-Lehman School District**  
Old Route 115, Lehman

The Lake-Lehman School Board will hold a work session at 7 p.m. in the junior/senior high school library.

#### TUESDAY, NOV. 9

**Ross Township**  
72 Broadway Rd., Sweet Valley

Supervisors will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. in the municipal building.

#### WEDNESDAY, NOV. 10

**Kingston Township**  
180 E. Center St., Shavertown

Supervisors will hold their regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the municipal building.

**Lake Township**  
488 State Rte. 29, Harveys Lake

Supervisors will meet at 7 p.m. at the municipal building.