

CIVIC BRIEFS

Basketball hoops may be removed

Dallas Borough Council has announced it will remove the basketball hoops from the Kenneth Young Memorial Park on Burndale Avenue if a littering issue does not improve within a week.

Borough Manager Tracey Carr said the litter at the park has "gotten out of control" recently and the basketball hoops will be removed for an indefinite period of time if the situation persists.

For more information, contact Carr at the municipal building at 675-1389.

Egg hunt today

The Franklin Twp. Volunteer Fire Company will hold its annual Children's Easter Egg Hunt at 2 p.m. today, April 1, at the fire hall, 329 Orange Road.

The event is open to all area children 12 years of age and under. There will be games, crafts and refreshments.

Legion ham raffle is today

Daddow Isaacs Inc. American Legion Post 672, Dallas, will hold its annual ham raffle at 1 p.m. today, April 1 at the post home, Route 415, Dallas.

For information, call 675-6542 or John M. Emil Sr., chairman, at 762-3184.

Support group meets

The Dallas Alzheimer's Support Group will meet at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 5 in the board room of the Meadows Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, 4 East Center Hill Road, Dallas.

Photos with Easter Bunny

The Easter Bunny will be available for photographs from 1 to 3 p.m. on Thursday, April 5 at Cook's Pharmacy, 159 N. Memorial Hwy., Shavertown.

KT Easter Egg Hunt planned

The Kingston Township Recreation Commission will hold its annual Easter Egg Hunt at 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 7 at the Center Street Park Field, 180 E. Center St., Shavertown.

The event is sponsored by the Kingston Township Board

of Supervisors for resident children of Kingston Township. Proof of residency is required for admission.

Noxen Easter Egg Hunt slated

An Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 7 at the Old Noxen School, School Street.

The event is sponsored by the Noxen Fire Company ladies auxiliary and N.H.C.A. Inc. and is open to all children under 12 years of age.

For more information, call 298-2052

Easter Egg Hunt planned

The Sons of the American Legion Post 672, along with the Ladies Auxiliary of Dallas American Legion Post 672, will host an Easter Egg Hunt at 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 7 inside the post home.

The Easter Bunny will visit children up to the age of 7, courtesy of the Dallas Fire Company.

For information, call the post home 675-6542 or John M. Emil Sr. at 762-3184.

Contra dance set

Fiddler Hope Grietzer, keyboard player Jill Smith and hammered dulcimer player Curt Ogood will play at a contra dance set for 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 7 at the Church of Christ Uniting, 776 Market St., Kingston.

No partner or previous experience is necessary.

Admission is \$9 for adults. There is a reduced rate for families.

For more information, call 333-4007.

MU professor presents workshop

Misericordia University professor James Siberski, M.S., C.M.C., CRmT, assistant professor, coordinator of gerontological education and director of the Geriatric Care Management program, will present the workshop, "The 10 Myths of Aging and What We Can Do About Them," from 2 to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, April 11 at the Healthy Aging Series sponsored by the Masonic Village at Dallas at the Irem Clubhouse, 64 Ridgway Dr., Dallas.

Siberski will examine the myths of aging, as well as look at how people can develop a purpose later on in life and what helps people to age well.

Call 675-1866 to register. The deadline to register is April 10.

BOY SCOUTS COLLECT FOOD



Members of Boy Scout Troop 281 successfully collected food donations from the Back Mountain on March 10. The Scouts picked up over 3800 non-perishable food items which will help to feed hundreds. These items were sorted, boxed and delivered to the Back Mountain Food Pantry at the Trucksville United Methodist Church. From left, first row, are Ivan Gingo, Kyle Besecker, Tyler Stivers, Bradley Adams, John Macey, Jeff Buscher, Alex Perry, Ethan Kolojchek. Second row, Eric Davies, Jared Blockus, Zach Dixon, Brian Butler, Jared Casaldi, Elijah Chester, Jonathan Adams, Ryan Cohen, Michael Sanorta. Third row, David Schnable, Calvin Crane, Danny Burkhart, Matthew Rawnolds, Alex McCarthy, Michael Smith, Bill Reynolds, Charla Pilger. Fourth row, Andrew Santora, Lenny Javick, Brian Drouse, Aaron Napkora, Josh Frankevich, Paul Smith, Mike Dennis and Loren Napkora.

SENIOR CENTER MENU

Senior Citizens Centers sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging for Luzerne and Wyoming Counties offer hot noon meals Monday through Friday to people 60 years of age or older.

Donations from participants are gratefully accepted and needed in order to expand this program.

The following is the menu for the week of April 1:

MONDAY: Chicken marsala, peas and pearl onions, buttered noodles, multi-grain bread, orange, lemon poppy seed cake, margarine, milk and coffee.

TUESDAY: Easter special lunch - roast pork with stuffing and gravy, green beans, sweet potatoes, raisin bread, spring cake, margarine, milk and coffee.

WEDNESDAY: Bag lunch - chicken salad

THURSDAY: Pork chop, snow peas, whole wheat bread, bread stuffing, berry cobbler, margarine, milk and coffee.

FRIDAY: Centers closed for Easter holiday.

STUDENTS PAINT SPRING SCENES AT MEADOWS



With help from Dallas High School art students, spring has sprung at the Meadows Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Dallas. Students painted spring scenes on windows and doors throughout the center. This community service project is under the direction of Dallas High School art teacher Claire Morris. From left, are Jennifer Walton, Karli Cimino, Jessica Conydon, Carly Manganello, Kaitlin Kean and Kirby Szalkowski. Second row, Erica Luzetski, Cassandra Michno, Taylor Davies and Kalie Lindbuchler.

Kingston Twp. plans spring clean up

The Kingston Township Board of Supervisors announced Spring Cleanup 2012 will be held at the Kingston Township Public Works Facility, 225 E. Center Street, Shavertown, starting Monday, May 7 and continuing through Saturday, May 12.

The new hours for Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, May 7, 9 and 11 are 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. The new hours for Tuesday and Thursday, May 8 are 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Hours on Saturday, May 12 will be 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The cleanup is open to Kingston Township residents only.

The following items will not be accepted: household trash or garbage; recyclable items such as newspapers, plastics, bi-metallic cans, clear and colored glass, tree stumps, rocks; construction debris; toxic substances but not limited to paints, solvents, automotive fluids, fertilizers, medical waste or any chemicals.

Other items not accepted include all electronics such as TVs, computers etc; tires, washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, furnaces, stoves, microwaves, water heaters, or other large appliances. Air conditioners or dehumidifiers that are not tagged with a certified sticker from a professional stating that the Freon has been removed will not be accepted.

American flags should be presented to the staff for proper disposal.

Proof of township residency is

required to obtain a permit. All residents are required to obtain a permit prior to dropping off any materials in accordance with the following fee schedule:

Cars/small SUVs - \$5/permit (limit 3 trips) \$10 (unlimited)
Vans/mid-size SUVs/small trucks - \$10/permit (limit 2 trips) \$25 (unlimited)

Large trucks/trailers/cargo vans/large SUVs (< 1 ton) - \$35/permit (1 trip limit)
Vehicles (> 1 ton) - \$90/permit (1 trip limit)

Residents are encouraged to purchase their permits between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday beginning Monday, April 2.

Permits required during Clean Up Week will only be available to purchase at the drop-off site. There will be no refunds.

Permits are issued to the occupants of rental units, not to the owners. All residents must present permit and proper ID to the police officer on duty for admission to the drop-off site.

Police officers will collect the three-trip limit permits, two-trip limit permits and one-trip limit permits.

Questions may be directed to the Kingston Township Administrative Office at 696-3809 during normal business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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