



Pictured above are some of the Joan Harris Dancers from various Back Mountain communities who will appear in "Corciev, The Grieving Wood" next weekend at Meyers High School. From left, first row, are Lauren Slavoski, Bridget Frame, Tunkhannock; Janice Lisman, Shavertown; Sonal Garg, Sharvertown; Addison Costantino, Wyoming; Allison Hrivak, Wyoming; Julia Macey, Dallas. Second row, Kelsey Hall, Dallas; Alexandra Jayne, Hunlock Creek; Caroline Conrad, Dallas; Anna James, Shavertown; Rebecca Schnable, Dallas; Lily Romanowski, Shavertown; and Anna Giacometti, Dallas.

Dancers from Back Mountain will perform in 'Corciev' April 28, 29

The rock fusion ballet "Corciev, the Grieving Wood" is set to be performed April 28 and 29 at the E.L. Meyers Auditorium in Wilkes-Barre. It has been seven years since the Joan Harris Dancers last staged this original work. The ballet combines an original script, avant-garde choreography, a musical score featuring symphonic treatments of rock legends magical illusions.

The Back Mountain communities will be well represented in the cast of nearly 500 ballerinas and danseurs from all across the region.

To mark the 27th consecutive year that the Joan Harris Centre has staged a full-length ballet, the

regional performing arts school has chosen to showcase this work.

"Corciev" represents a collaboration between author and area native Dr. Kenton Harris and Elisabeth Harris and Jennifer Harris. The choreography for the work includes both classical ballet and contemporary modern pieces.

"Corciev" is the story of a grieving queen whose loss is so great it could darken an entire forest. The spell can only be lifted by the kindness of young child.

The roles of Princess Joan and Princess Anna will be assayed by Anna James, of Jackson Township, and Caroline Conrad, of

Dallas, respectively. The court Sorceress will be played by Amanda Sedor, of Wyoming, and Maria Dutt, of Kingston, will dance the role of the dark Queen Clava.

"Corciev" will be performed at 1 and 5 p.m. on Saturday, April 28 and at 2 p.m. on Sunday April 29. Tickets are \$14 in advance and can be purchased at the Harris Conservatory for the Arts, Charles Street in Luzerne. For more information, call 287-7977 or 718-0673.

LOCAL DANCERS AWARDED FIRST PLACE



Carly Kappler, left, of Dallas, and Ashley Elick, of Shavertown, recently competed in the Performing Arts Alliance Competition at King of Prussia. They were awarded first place in duo pantomime and third place in duo jammin' in the 8-9 age category. The girls qualified to perform at the Performing Arts Alliance's Contest of Champions at King of Prussia. They placed "Tops" in their duo pantomime and duo jammin' categories. Kappler and Elick are dance students at Back Mountain Dance Studio and members of dance group "Sugar."

Researcher will visit Cross Creek

Bodie Hodge, a speaker, writer and researcher for Answers In Genesis will speak at Cross Creek Community Church, 370 Carverton Road, Trucksville on Sunday, May 6 and Monday, May 7.

Answers In Genesis Outreach prepares Christians to defend and share their faith with boldness and confidence. Their speakers bring the message of biblical authority as well as creation-apologetics materials and

educational resources to churches and communities across the United States.

Coupled with the efforts of local churches and pastors, Answers Outreach provides a means for training thousands of people in the "lines and precepts" of our faith.

The times and titles for Sunday are: 9 and 10:45 a.m. - "Is Genesis Relevant in Your Daily Walk," 6 p.m. - "The Flood: Who

Should You Trust" and 7:30 p.m. - "Dinosaurs, Dragons and the Bible."

Times and titles for Monday are 11 a.m. - "Dinosaurs for Kids" for children in grades K-6, 12:10 p.m. - "The Seven C's of History" for children in grades 7-12, 6:30 p.m. - "The Tower of Babel" and 8 p.m. - "Creation Evangelism".

Admission is free. For more information, call the church office at 696-0399.

National Day of Prayer set for May 3 at Centermoreland Methodist Church

National Day of Prayer ceremonies sponsored by the Centermoreland United Methodist Church will be held for the 13th year on Thursday, May 3.

At 6 a.m., the sanctuary will be open for individuals to relax and talk quietly with God.

At 7 a.m., a free breakfast

will be available in the dining/kitchen area. Wayne Morgan of the Wilkes-Barre Youth for Christ will give breakfast devotions.

At 8 a.m., the ceremonies will commence with State Representative Karen Boback as guest speaker. This year's

theme is "One Nation Under God" and the reference scripture is Psalm 33:12.

The free will offering plate proceeds will be donated to the NDP Task Force.

Reservations should be made by Sunday, April 29 by calling 333-4197 or 333-4226.

Golf tourney slated

Daddow-Isaacs Dallas American Legion Post 672 will hold its annual American Legion Golf Tournament on June 2 at Stone Hedge Golf Course in Tunkhannock.

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