

## MERCY CENTER RESIDENTS ENJOY LUAU



Mercy Center Rivers Room was full of excitement and colorful displays as the activity department brought the Hawaiian Islands to the residents. The residents enjoyed the atmosphere and flavor of Hawaiian foods and refreshments. Pictured are some of the residents enjoying the event. From left, first row, are Lorraine Welch, Pierre Rabbit, Marie Lauck, Sister Bride Pollard and Rose Sergi. Second row, Sammy Shark, Deborah Dragon, PCU activity coordinator; Ann Marie Morgan, activity director; Jerry Stone, entertainer; Clancy the Puppet, Rose Ann Bauer, volunteer; Katie Payne, activity assistant; and Don Stone, entertainer.

## BRIEF

## Jenkins presents research paper

Misericordia University English major Kathleen Jenkins, of Shavertown, has been selected to present her research paper at the 2012 Mid-Atlantic Popular and American Culture Association (MAPACA) conference in Pittsburgh in November.

Jenkins holds an Associate of Arts degree from Montgomery College, Rockville, Md., and is scheduled to receive her Bachelor of Arts Degree in English in December.

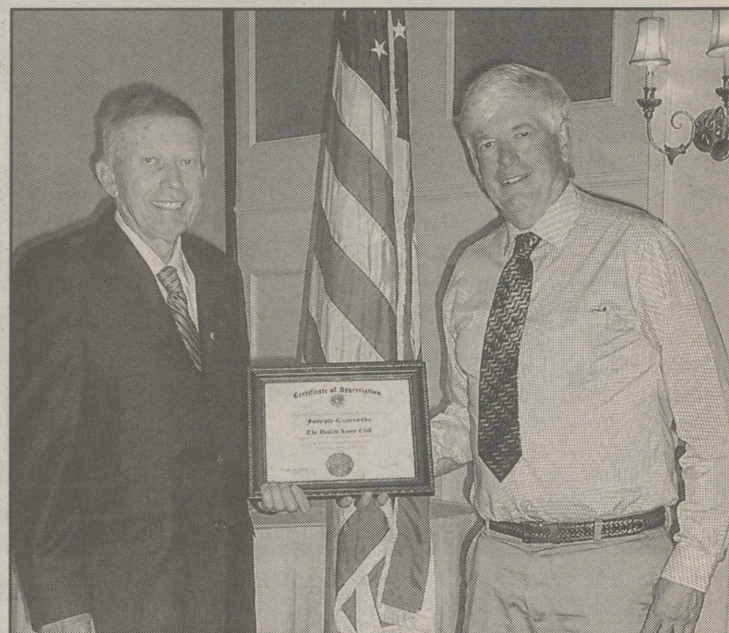
At Misericordia, she is the secretary and former president of the Library Club and the student representative to the Friends of the Mary Kintz Bevevino Library.

## DALLAS K OF C DONATES TO ST. JUDE'S



The Dallas Knights of Columbus, Council 8224 recently made a donation to ALSAC, the local arm of St. Jude's Children's Hospital, in Memphis TN. St. Jude's specializes in research and development of cures for childhood cancers. Shown here making a \$1,000 donation are, from left, Jerry Schmid, treasurer; Ed Sholtis, deputy grand knight; Corey Suda, receiving for St. Jude's; Jack Cacoza, Grand Knight; and Tom Casey, financial secretary.

## CZARNECKI HONORED BY LIONS CLUB



The Dallas Lions Club held its annual installation of officers recently at a dinner meeting at the Irem Country Club. At that meeting, Lion Joseph Czarnecki was installed as president for the 2012-2013 year and also received a certificate of appreciation for his efforts as club secretary during the past year. From left, are newly-elected Lion President Czarnecki receiving the certificate from Lion Donald Berlew.

## 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 and older. Donations for participants are gratefully accepted and needed in order to expand this program.

## WEEK OF AUGUST 27

**MONDAY** - Barbeque riblet, summer succotash, cornbread, baked potato wedges, toasted coconut pudding parfait, margarine, milk and coffee.

**TUESDAY** - Baked ziti casserole, garden salad, Italian green beans, Italian bread, fresh melon, margarine, milk and coffee.

**WEDNESDAY** - Barbeque chicken (thigh), mashed potatoes, cucumber and tomato salad, biscuit, Oreo pudding parfait, margarine, milk and coffee.

**THURSDAY** - Hot dog (low sodium), beans, zucchini tomato soup, crackers, whole wheat hot dog roll, watermelon wedges, margarine, milk and coffee.

**FRIDAY** - Roast pork, chunky applesauce, sweet potatoes, rye bread, crackers, peach and blueberry crisp, margarine, milk and coffee.

## OBITUARIES

**ANDRASKO** - William F. (Willie), 71, of Fedor Road, Hunlock Creek, died Friday, August 17, 2012, at Hospice Community Care at Geisinger South Wilkes-Barre.

He was born in Hunlock Creek on June 6, 1941, and was a graduate of Lake-Lehman High School. He served in the United States Army.

Prior to retiring, he was employed by the LIUNA Local 130 Laborers Union of Scranton.

He was a member of American Legion Post 350, Nanticoke. He was a member of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Lake Silkworth.

Surviving are his brother, Thomas, Edwardsville; nieces and nephews.

**BOWMAN** - Sarah Jane (Sally), 83, of The Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, died Tuesday, August 14, 2012.

She was born February 22, 1929, in Larksville.

Surviving are her husband, Arthur Bowman, Hunlock Creek; children, Billie K. Johnson, Hunlock Creek; Annette Billings, Luzerne; Romaine Trzesniowski, Wilkes-Barre, Jerome Trzesniowski, Nanticoke; brother, Louis Lee, Wilkes-Barre; six grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

**ECKMAN** - Phyllis Jean, 82, of Shavertown and Ocala, Fla., died Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at her home in Shavertown.

She was born January 12, 1930, in South Bend, Ind., was educated in South Bend and was a graduate of Riley High School. She received her Bachelor of Science degree in Pharmacy from Purdue University. She maintained her license for over 60 years working in various pharmacies, primarily in the Back Mountain Area.

She was an active member of

the Back Mountain Memorial Library, the Dallas Ladies Rotary Club and the Valley Tennis and Swim Club. She was a member of Huntsville Golf Club.

Surviving are her children, Elizabeth Lloyd, Dallas; Peter, Shavertown; Charles, Dallas; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; nieces and a nephew.

**FULLER** - Claude A. "Pete," 84, of South Montrose and formerly of Orange and Tunkhannock, died Sunday, August 19, 2012, at Meadow View Senior Living Center, Montrose.

He was born in Sayre and was employed for 36 years at Lake Louise Farms in Orange and Tunkhannock.

He and his wife, Ellen, were among the founding members of the Northmoreland Township Ambulance. He was also a member of the Franklin Township Fire Police and Franklin Township Fire Company.

Surviving are his daughter, Susan Taiko, of Barnesville; four sons, Michael, of Dallas; Edward, of Clarks Summit; Joseph, of Kingsley; Daniel, of Tunkhannock; seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; brother, Richard, Jasper, Ind.; nieces, nephews and cousins.

Memorial donations to the Montrose Minute Men, P.O. Box 461, Montrose, PA 18801, or to the Endless Mtns. Health Sys-

tems Building Fund, 25 Grow Ave., Montrose, PA 18801.

**JOHNS** - Charles H., 76, of Swamp Road, Hunlock Creek, died Monday, August 13, 2012, in the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Wilkes-Barre.

He was born September 3, 1936, in Wilkes-Barre.

He served in the U.S. Army in the Korean War. He was employed as a mechanic.

Surviving are sons, Charles Harden Jr., Jersey City, N.J.; John Harden, Hollywood, Fla.; sisters, Joann Case, Winter Haven, Fla.; Ethel Zonca, Jersey City, N.J.; three grandchildren.

**LANE** - Helen W., of Billings Mill Road, Tunkhannock, died Saturday, August 11, 2012, in Tyler Memorial Hospital in Tunkhannock.

She was born in Tunkhannock on February 16, 1932, was a 1951 graduate of Tunkhannock High School and, prior to her retirement, was employed as a waitress at several local restaurants.

Surviving are a son, David Lane, of Tunkhannock; daughter, Debbie Smith, of Tunkhannock; brother, Donald White, of Tunkhannock; sister, Evelyn Kristunas, of Tunkhannock; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

**MASSAKER** - Laurabelle, of

Dallas, died Monday, July 30, 2012.

**REAKES** - Willard (Butch), 78, a former resident of Hartman Road, Hunlock Creek, died on Tuesday, August 14, 2012, at the home of his daughter, Kellie Smith, in Noxen.

He was born November 9, 1932, in Hunlock Creek and was employed many years for the Pennsylvania Water Co. He served in the U.S. Army in Korea.

Surviving are his wife of 53 years, the former Alice Bloom, of Hunlock Creek; daughter, Kellie Smith, of Noxen; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sisters, Thelma Burkholder, Gladys Schneiderite and Arlene Dadey.

**ROGUS** - Kathleen M., 90, of Dallas, died Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at the Mercy Skilled Nursing Center, Dallas.

She was born in Larksville and graduated from Larksville High School. She was employed by Blue Ribbon, Kingston, and F & H Dress, Courtdale.

After retiring in 1981, she was a volunteer at the Nesbitt Hospital. She was a member of St. Theresa's Church, Shavertown, and an active member in the Al-

tar and Rosary Society. She moved to Kingston in 1986 and was a member of St. Ignatius Church, Kingston.

Surviving are her sons, John, Plantation, Fla.; Joseph, Toms River, N.J.; four grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Memorial donations to the Mercy Center, P.O. Box 370, Dallas, PA 18612.

**SCOUTON** - Lillyanne Grace, infant daughter of Robert J. and Michelle Hobbs Scouton, Lake Township, died shortly after birth on Friday, August 17, 2012, at the Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center, Plains Township.

Surviving are her brothers, Jeremy and Hunter, both at home; paternal grandparents, Kevin Frey, of Noxen; Paulette Palmer, of Wapwallopen; maternal grandparents, Edward and Arlene Gallagher Hobbs, of Plymouth.

**SEARFOSS** - Sylvia, 92, of Beaumont, died Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at her home.

She was born in Beaumont and was a graduate of the Beaumont High School, class of 1937.

Prior to her retirement, she was employed by General Cigar,

formerly of Kingston.

Surviving are a nephew, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Memorial donations to the Beaumont Union Gospel Church, Route 309, Monroe Township, PA 18618.

**ZELINSKY** - Jerome F., 79, of the Shawanese section of Harveys Lake, died Tuesday, August 14, 2012, in the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Plains Township, where he had been a patient.

He was born January 30, 1933, in Luzerne and attended Luzerne schools.

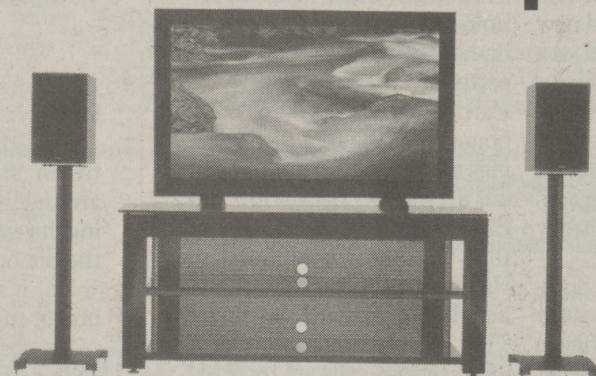
He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict.

Prior to his retirement, he was employed as a truck driver for various local trucking companies. He was a member of the American Legion Post 967, Harveys Lake.

Surviving are sons, Jerome Jr., of Forty Fort; Paul, of Exeter; daughters, Lisa Shiplett, of Shickshinny; Marian Zelinsky, of Plymouth; two grandsons; sister, Larayne Alles, Dallas; nieces and nephews.

Memorial donations to Candy's Place Cancer Resource Center, 190 Welles St., Forty Fort, PA 18704.

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