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## Misericordia receives approval for Public Relations Student Society

The Department of Communications at Misericordia University was approved for a Public Relations Student Society of America Chapter on campus. The Misericordia University Chapter of the Public Relations

Student Society of America provides communications and public relations students with networking opportunities and also enables them to build upon their classroom instruction by providing hands-on experi-

ences in developing, presenting and implementing integrated media plans in a professional work environment.

Misericordia's student organization is offering its services to regional nonprofit organiza-

tions in need of public relations and advertising expertise.

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show at Misericordia University in December. It featured noted fashion designer Jay McCarroll, who won the first season of "Project Runway."

The fashion show was a fundraiser for the First Lady's

Beautification Project. It raised almost \$1,000 in honor of Mrs. Tina MacDowell and Misericordia University President Michael A. MacDowell, who are both retiring at the end of June.

## DALLAS HIGH SCHOOL KEY CLUB DONATES TWO BULLETPROOF VESTS



The Dallas High School Key Club recently donated \$1200 to Fallen Officers Remembered in support of its "Adopt A Cop" and "Adopt A K-9" programs. Proceeds were raised during a carnival held by the Dallas High School Key Club. The vests were purchased for Officer Sara Chmielewski, of the West Pittston Police Department and a K-9 from Allegheny County. From left, first row, are Jaclyn Pocceschi Mosley, president and co-founder, Fallen Officers Remembered; Mrs. Wilhelm, Key Club advisor; Alex Klings, Rocky Rutkoski, Chmielewski, Francois Ross, Taryn Weaver and Gina Pocceschi Boyle, vice president and co-founder, Fallen Officers Remembered.

## L-L 6th grade Honor Roll announced

Sixth-grade students at the three Lake-Lehman School District elementary schools have been named to the Honor Roll for the second marking period of the 2012-2013 academic year.

### LEHMAN-JACKSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Abigail Bartuska  
Ava Baur  
Aryan Blazick  
Julia Bucholtz  
Michael Bulzoni  
Emily Burgit  
Christopher Cercone  
Stephanie Chaga  
Taylor Cragle  
Ibrahim Dabshah  
Madison Federici  
Nicholas Fegely  
Gabrielle Fitzgerald  
Hannah Kasko  
Hunter Kline  
Charles Leo  
Julianna McMahon  
Mikaela Meeker  
Samantha Mihalko

Gabrial Mitchell  
Kyle Naugle  
Lauryn Pembleton  
Jonathan Raspen  
Julia Sabol  
Jessica Salus  
Eva Sicurella  
Trinity Skovira  
Sophia Soifer  
Elmer Souder  
Jacob Stokes  
Donald Thompson  
Justin Timonte

### LAKE-NOXEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Macenzi Barker  
Paige Covert  
Casey Dale  
Dylan Derhammer  
Scott Field  
David Hogrebe  
Hannah Lukasavage  
Tyler McGuire  
Corinna Scoblick  
Casey Shager  
Jacob Stefanowicz

Toni Traver  
Abigail Winter  
Christopher Wright  
Madalyn Wright

### ROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Madison Budzak  
Joelle Burke  
Mason Cross  
Jessica Evans  
Dakota Heinrich  
James Herceg  
Andrew Jubis  
Luke Kreller  
Wade Kreller  
Frank Kutz  
Derrick Lanning  
Dillon Major  
Morgan Marchakitus  
Amanda May  
Mikella Monaco  
Jayden Piatt  
Jacob Prest  
Savannah Purdy  
Sarah Rood  
Sarah Stanski

## Local students on PSU dean's list

The following Back Mountain students have been named to the dean's list at Penn State University for the fall 2012 semester:

Zachary Aciekewicz, Trucksville, Wilkes-Barre campus; Brittainy C. Adams, Harveys Lake, Lehman Valley campus; Elliot J. Anderson, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Nathan D. Ayers, Harveys Lake, Wilkes-Barre campus.

Also, Allison E. Banks, Dallas, University Park campus; Arielle K. Belskis, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Sarah C. Bilski, Dallas, University Park campus; Jordan A. Bloom, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Shannon A. Brace, Hunlock Creek, University Park campus; Joseph C. Brandenburg, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus

Also, Rocco M. Cabrera, Trucksville, University Park campus; Cayla R. Candrill, Dallas, University Park campus; Pawel M. Chrzanowski, Shavertown, University Park campus; Madalyn M. Confer, Shavertown, University Park campus; Casey L. Conway, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Kevin M. Cope, Shavertown, University Park campus

Also, Casey L. Dawes, Hunlock Creek, Wilkes-Barre campus; Sydney K. Doyle, Sweet Valley, Wilkes-Barre campus; Joshua W. Dunay, Hunlock Creek, Wilkes-Barre campus; Christopher J. Ehret, Dallas, University Park campus; John H. Ellis, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, Kiley P. Foley, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Shelby J. Foster, Dallas, University Park campus; Matthew S. Fuhr, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; William J. Fulton, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Serena A. Fulton, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, Scott E. Gay, Dallas, University Park campus; Shane E. Grady, Sweet Valley, Wilkes-Barre campus; Timothy B. Graham, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Julie R. Haller, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Jeffrey V. Heath, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Kyle L. Hillard, Hunlock Creek, Harrisburg campus; Ryan P. Hogan, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; John P. Howe, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus.

Also, Casey J. Judge, Dallas, University Park campus; Kevin T. Katchko, Sweet Valley, Wilkes-Barre campus; Alyx E. Koehler, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Lee R. Kazokas, Trucksville, Wilkes-Barre campus; Mike S. Krogulski, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus.

Also, Lucas J. Lansberry, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; David J. Lynn, Hunlock Creek, Scranton Worthington campus; Zachary J. Mangarella, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Joseph V. Marchakitus, Hunlock Creek, Wilkes-Barre campus; Chelsea L. Martin, Dallas, University Park campus; Devon McMahon, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Megan A. Millo, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Tabitha A. Miscavage, Harveys Lake, World campus; Christopher J. Mozeleski, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre

campus; Sarah A. Muldoon, Dallas, University Park campus; Molly B. Murphy, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus.

Also, Ali F. Paris-hasan, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Amir G. Paris-hasan, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Harry C. Parkhurst, Trucksville, University Park campus; Amelia R. Pietracini, Dallas, University Park campus; Christopher M. Pino, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Kenneth R. Pollock, Dallas, University Park campus; Emily R. Prater, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, Kaitlyn A. Rando, Dallas, Hazleton campus; Amanda E. Reiser, Shavertown, University Park campus; Justin F. Rice, Dallas, Harrisburg campus; Eric J. Ringsdorf, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Timothy A. Ropel, Trucksville, University Park campus; Erin C. Ryan, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, Yukiko Sarker, Dallas, Harrisburg campus; Chad M. Schraeder, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Steven D. Shatrowskas, Shavertown, Mont Alto campus; Clinton P. Sorber, Sweet Valley, University Park campus; Kianna M. Spencer, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, Jordan Thomas, Shavertown, Wilkes-Barre campus; Alexis P. Vanfleet, Lehman, Wilkes-Barre campus; Bryan D. Weaver, Shavertown, University Park campus; Randall L. Welsh, Hunlock Creek, Wilkes-Barre campus; Jaime L. Wesley, Hunlock Creek, University Park campus.

## L-L kindergarten registration is slated

Lake-Lehman School District announces kindergarten registration and screening for eligible kindergarten students on Feb. 19, 20 and 21.

Lake-Lehman School District policy states that a child must be 5 years of age before Sept. 1, 2013 and fully immunized in accordance with the latest regulations of the Pennsylvania Department of Health in order to register for kindergarten for the 2013-2014 school year. Kindergarten in the Lake-Lehman School District is

an all-day program.

Parents or guardians must accompany the student during the registration process and present a birth certificate, two proofs of residency (driver's license and utility bill with address) and immunization record for the child. Immunizations required are the three doses of hepatitis B, three doses of polio, four doses of DTP (fourth dose after the fourth birthday), two doses of MMR and two doses of varicella vaccine or history of disease.

Children should be registered at the building they will attend.

Registration dates are as follows: Lehman-Jackson Elementary at 675-2165 on Tuesday, Feb. 19; Lake-Noxen Elementary at 639-1129 on Wednesday, Feb. 20; Ross Elementary at 477-5050 on Thursday, Feb. 21.

The time schedule will be the same at each elementary school, following alphabetical order of the last name: 9 a.m. - A-E; 10 a.m. - F-J; 11 a.m. - K-O; Noon - closed; 1 p.m. - P-S; 2 p.m. - T-Z.

## LIU plans full-day career planning event

The Luzerne Intermediate Unit #18 is organizing "Looking Forward," a free all-day career and academic planning event for students and their parents from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p. m. on Saturday, Feb. 23 at Misericordia University.

This event, being offered in partnership with WVIA Public Media, is open to all northeastern Pennsylvania students, grades 8 through 12, and their

parents. Students will attend concurrently running workshop sessions covering a variety of career cluster, and the steps leading to informed career preparation and choice. Parents will have opportunities to explore ways in which they can assist their children with academic and career planning.

Bill Kelly, president and CEO of WVIA Public Media and host

of the "Northeast Pennsylvania Business Journal" which airs on WVIA TV and FM, will open "Looking Forward" with an interview of Kris Jones, investor, author and founder of KBJ Capital.

Information booths will also be on site for students and parents to interact with local colleges, universities and other members of the educational and business community.

## Back Mountain residents graduate from PSU

The following Back Mountain residents graduated recently from the Pennsylvania State University:

David S. Bartos, Harveys Lake, Wilkes-Barre campus; David C. George, Hunlock Creek, Wilkes-

Barre campus; Devin J. Kornak, Dallas, University Park campus; Garry R. Musselman, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus; Kenneth L. Pollock, Dallas, University Park campus.

Also, John J. Scaffidi, Dallas,

University Park campus; Chad M. Schraeder, Dallas, Wilkes-Barre campus, with distinction; Michael P. Sesson, Shavertown, University Park campus; Scott D. Summa, Lehman, Wilkes-Barre campus