

Sally, Timmy and Iggy the Piggy

Sally, 14, and Timmy, 5, Lookenbill, Sagerville, have an unusual pet.

Six weeks ago their uncle, who raises prize pigs, gave them a baby pig, because Timmy always wanted one of his own. The pig their uncle gave them was too small to ever win prizes.

They both help to raise the pig, which they named Iggy the Piggy. They feed him grain and water. Iggy also does a lot of rooting in the ground.

Iggy gets bathed in the family bathtub, with shampoo, to make his/her coat lustrous. (Timmy and Sally don't know whether Iggy is a he or a she). He or she is undoubtedly, though, the best-smelling pig in Lancaster County, if not the world.

Sally says Iggy is smart. He comes when she calls his/her name; also, Iggy follows Timmy and Sally down the road to Sagerville, without a leash.

Asked what they are going to do with Iggy after he/she is grown, Timmy says, "Eat him!" but Sally says she could never eat him or her.



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Biggest 4th of July ever planned by Jaycees

The Marietta Jaycees announced last night that the 22nd annual 1979 4th of July celebration will be bigger and better than any to date. The celebration and carnival attracts a lot more people to Marietta than any other single event sponsored by local organizations. This year's celebration will be the weekend before the 4th at War Memorial Park, June 29, 30, and July 1.

Chuck Loucks, co-chairman for the Jaycee project, said, "We will shoot off a thousand dollars worth of fireworks during the one minute finale. The total

retail value of the 1979 display is worth \$7,000." According to the fireworks supplier, the Marietta Jaycees have one of the largest and most beautiful aerial and ground displays in the entire state and have had it for years. The display and festivities draw thousands from near and far, reportedly from as far away as Washington, D.C. on a regular basis.

This year the Jaycees are planning for many thousands more people by extending public invitations to other Marietta and surrounding area organiza-

tions which can set up and operate new and interesting game and prize stands at a negotiable rate. Applications for stands may be obtained until June 13 from Chuck Loucks, 426-3001, Dave Morris, 285-3645, or any Marietta Jaycee.

Parents and children will be pleased to know that a new company, Rolling Regal Shows, had been contracted to bring an adult Ferris Wheel and Chairplane ride as well as other smaller kiddie rides.

Music lovers will be tapping their feet to live entertainment each evening

from 7 to 11 PM. Scheduled for Friday night, June 29th, is a Harrisburg group, "Music Generation," playing 50's hits; Saturday brings "Silver Streak" a rock band; and Possum Revue for a Sunday night bluegrass hoedown.

Plagued by floods one year, and rainy weather for the past two years, the Jaycees and the community are hoping for better weather this year. Proceeds from the project go toward continued development and restoration of the Marietta Community Recreation Center.

Tom Lavin
Publicity Chairman

Mount Joy Lions honor past presidents

The Mount Joy Lions held their annual Ladies Night on May 1st at Hostetter's. 84 Lions and guests enjoyed a fried chicken dinner, and each Lion wife was given a potted geranium.

Charter members and past presidents of the Lions Club were honored at the same time.

The meeting was opened by president Jim Roberts, who led the group in singing

the national anthem and reciting the pledge of allegiance. Randy Bistline, pastor of the Mount Joy Church of God, gave the invocation. He was a guest of Lion Jay Barnhart.

Entertainment was provided by Kenneth Munro, who demonstrated mind reading and hypnotism.

The Lions Club was chartered in 1945. Six charter members, who were active in the club then, were

present at the meeting: Maurice Bailey, Jay Barnhart, William Batzel, Lloyd Myers, Morrell Shields, and Arthur Sprecher.

The past presidents, of whom there are 26, were represented by George Fitzkee (who is President of Past Presidents), who was in charge of this part of the program. His committee included Mrs. Ann Fitzkee, Jay Barnhart, Robert Sherk, and their wives.

The next meeting will be held at the Lions Activities Building. A door-to-door broom and light bulb sale will precede that meeting.

The Pancake Breakfast will be held on Saturday, May 12th, from 6:00 to 11:00 AM in the Activities Building.

The Merchandise Club, which started on May 1st, will run for 25 weeks.

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receiving the Susquehanna Times for news of our former community and our friends back in Lancaster

County. Our prayers and thoughts were with you all during the recent TMI near disaster."

Letter: best wishes from Florida

[to the editor]

"We are enjoying the beautiful weather in Florida, but also look forward to

Letter from the White House

Readers may recall that some weeks ago this paper published an open letter to president Carter, asking that secretary Schlesinger come to our area to meet the citizens and talk about nuclear energy.

Here is the reply. -Ed.]

April 27, 1979

Dear Ms. Bromer:

Thank you for your letter of April 7 concerning Three Mile Island.

The President is in close contact with Secretary Schlesinger and is doing all

he can to insure that nuclear power plants are safe. I am enclosing copies of his remarks while at Three Mile Island and hope they are helpful.

In response to your invitation to Dr. Schlesinger, we are forwarding your letter to his office for appropriate handling.

If we can be of any further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely,
Jim Purks
Special Assistant
Media Liaison

A mother's Day Prayer

Dear Lord, who watches over us
and makes our lives so right
Please listen to these words of mine that I pray
to you tonight

I think of all the many times I didn't stop to say
a "thankyou" for the little things you did along the way
You took the time to mend a knee, or talk when I was blue
But where was I when you grew old, to sit and talk with
you?

How little do we think we'll miss our Mother old and grey
Unitl the early morning hours when we have to start
our day.

How lonely my life seems since you have gone away
Dear Lord, please tell me why my mother couldn't stay?
Alas, it comes to all of us, that we learn our lesson late
To appreciate our mothers before their final date
My mother's gone to meet her Lord, how happy she must
be.

I know that somewhere up above she is watching over me.
I only hope that I can be a little like my mother.
Because I've finally learned, there can never be another
God knew what he was doing when he created mothers
No greater love will I ever find than the love that was
my mother's.

Thank you God

—Lou Ann Brodhecker

Miriam rides again



Miriam Jensen rides again in the Marietta Lions' annual Horse Show, held last weekend. Miriam has shown up at all recent Horse Shows.