

Carole and Bob Behling

## Bob Behling tells how Jaycees improve selves while they help community

Robert M. Behling, 545 Joy, is very deeply involved in the activities of his community.

He is vice-chairman of the Mount Joy zoning hearing board and is a member of the borough planning commission. He is a former member of the borough board of health and a former health officer of the borough.

He was a member of the borough Bicentennial Commision. He is vice-president of the Lancaster County Conservancy and advisor to the Scout Explorer Post.

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Not surprisingly, he is president of the Mount Joy Jaycees.

Behling's vocation is regional planning. He is Associate Community Planner at the Lancaster County Planning Commission, specializing in the preservation of agricultural lands and the histroic preservation of buildings.

He says that serving on the borough planning commission and zoning hearing board brings him, also a county planner, "down to

He is a lay reader at St. earth." As a county planner Terrace Avenue, Mount Luke's Episcopal Church in he makes recommendations to many municipalities; as a borough planner he had to make decisions, enforcing ordinances that affect individuals' economic interests. In all decisions that he makes he tries to look out for "the public interest." He says, "I like Mount Joy and want it to be the best possible community."

> As president of the Mount Joy Jaycees he is leader of an organization making a large number of different contributions to community life and also engaged at the same time in developing the

Behling describes the Jaycees as "leading training organization for young men aged 18 to 35. "It is not just a social club," Behling says. "It provides an opportunity to stretch yourself by improving your various skills." Jaycees can take courses in: public speaking, leadership, financial management, time management, writing, family life, and personal dynamics.

personal dynamics is very similar to a course offered by Dale Carnegie, but the

talents of its members.

Behling points out that the Jaycees' course in Carnegie course costs \$400,

while the Jaycees' course is

The Jaycees do not merely study in these courses; they apply them in the various activities of the organization. "If a guy chairs a project, and it flops, he hasn't really lost anything. He has gained experience and learned what not to do. His experience is helpful to him in business and in family

"We try to show people what they can do, whatever they want to do," says Behling.

One aspect of the Jaycees that Behling values is the diversity of its membership. He says, "You rub elbows with people in all walks of life. We understand that all men are brothers. I am really proud to be president of the Mount Joy Jaycees."

"The Jaycees are especially good for the person who sits at home watching TV and drinking his beer. The Jaycees bring him out of his shell."

The activities of the Jaycees can be divided into three categories: serving the needs of the community, the individual development program, and the ways and means projects.

Here are some of the programs sponsored by the Jaycees: the Miss Donegal pageant, the 75-and-over banquet, the award for the valedictorian at D.H.S., the summer picnic for Messiah Home, the softball team, the Oct. 20 run from 8 a.m. till noon, putting up flags on holidays, Santa's arrival in town, pictures of kids with Santa, a community prayer breakfast, award to outstanding young man (not necessarily a Jaycee), sending retarded children to camp, a road rally, bike rodeo and safety rodeo, Memorial Day carnival (at which all organizations can make money), the "Anything Goes" competition, sponsoring a girl scout troop, setting up a cardio resuscitation pulmonary course (which the Jaycees hope will save some local lives), and a learn to swim

To pay for all these activities the Jaycees wash cars, sell apple butter, maintain booths at fairs and carnivals.

On November 3 the Jaycees will sponsor Monte Carlo night at the Salunga Fire Hall with dancing, entertainment, and refreshments.

Behling has only one regret about his many community activities. He says he has to be careful that he spends enough time with his family: his wife Carole (Thome), daughter Stephanie, 9, and son Timothy, 5. The Behlings are expecting another child at Christmas.

## Mount Joy Welcome Wagon meets Oct. 3

The Mount Joy Welcome Wagon's board meeting was held on Oct. 3rd at the home of Sue Hamm.

Our president, Sue Binkle started the meeting by announcing that she will be resigning so she can become our assistant hostess. The 1st vice president, Pat Nehr, will be assuming the presidency. An election will be held to elect Pat's replacement. Candidates for the office are Jean King and Doris Landers.

The October meeting will be a joint affair with the Joycee-ettes. It will be held on Oct. 17th at 7:00pm at Trinity Lutheran Church. Our speaker will be John B. Shenk. He is a former teacher at McCaskey High School and Millersville State College. His talk, entitled "Suggestion and Behavior," deals with psychic and hypnotic suggestion, phenomena of sleep, loosing weight and smoking withdrawl. This will be followed by a

demonstration involving 6 to 8 people. Refreshments will be a make-your-own sundae treat.

There was a turnout of 24 people at last month's bowling party. Sherry Lantz was high women's scorer with a 193 and Jim Binkle was high man with 189. The low scorers were Debbie Wilbert and Mike Lantz. A fun evening was had by all.

The social for October will be a tour of the Nissley Winery in Bainbridge. That will be followed by a wine and cheese-tasting party at the home of Suzanne Manly. Lunch Bunch will be held at Haydn Zug's.

Our four newest members are, Jane Bacon, Marlo Konas, Peggy Kuster, and Cindy Reppart.

Anyone who is new to the area, has had a baby or is newly engaged and would like a Welcome Wagon visit is urged to call Cherie Dillow at 653-1609.

—Ann Bernard



## "It's a miracle" at the Lancaster Ad Club

The Lancaster Advertising Club will be presenting Xerox's "Brother Dom Phenom," a program of the company's marketing and advertising strategies featuring Brother Dominic. The familiar 5 foot, 200 pound monk is portrayed by Jack Eagle, a stand-up night club comedian in his own right. Brother Dominic will provide 20 minutes of his comedy sketch as part of the program. Xerox's commercials, featuring Brother Dominic, have been honored with the CLIO Award as well as three Andy Awards.

The Lancaster Advertis-

ing Club will hold its meeting on Thursday, October 11. at the Sheraton-Conestoga Village, Rt. 272, 4 miles North of Lancaster. The meeting agenda begins with beverages at 6PM., Dinner 7PM., Program 8PM. Cost is \$12 for members, \$17 for guests for dinner and program. For your reservations and membership information, call Emily Bucher at 393-6186 by 3PM Monday, Oct. 8. The Lancaster Advertising Club welcomes members and guests interested in advertising from Lancaster, York, Berks, Dauphin, Lebanon and Chester Counties.

## Births

MARTIN, Mr. and Mrs. Galen (Nancy Jane Kopp),

RD2 Mount Joy, a son at Manheim Medical Center, last Wednesday.