

Thomas Knorr explains role of athletic trainer to Board

Mr. Thomas Knorr, high school physical education teacher, presented an interesting program to the Donegal School Board this past Thursday evening.

Mr. Knorr is completing the requirements for certification as an athletic trainer at Millersville State College. Mr. Knorr begins each day at 7:30am with high school assignments, and attends MSC immediately after school.

Mr. Knorr began his presentation by asking each member of the board to write down his or her

definition of an athletic trainer, stating that many people were unsure of the meaning of athletic training.

He went on to discuss the role of the athletic trainer in the school system; his acting as the eyes and ears of the physician. Mr. Knorr stated that the majority of injuries do not happen at the game with a physician present, but rather on the practice field.

The athletic trainer would have the ability to determine whether a player should re-enter a game after an injury—a job often difficult

for the coach because of his other responsibilities.

Mr. Knorr concluded with the thought that the athletic trainer would, in the long run, save the school system money.

In further business, the board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Susan Z. Schlosser, high school English teacher. It is hoped that a replacement will be hired by November 2.

The board also accepted the superintendent's recommendation of Miss Brenda L. Eberly for a temporary professional con-

tract. She has been serving as a full-time substitute since the beginning of the term as a Grandview interim teacher.

Students Sherri Brackbill and Phill Mellinger will represent Donegal High School at the Human Relations Conference for youth, grades 9 through 12. The conference took place Tuesday, October 23. These two students accompany Mrs. Paden to the monthly meetings of the Lancaster Human Relations Committee.

The board decided to continue with the BUCS

unemployment compensation plan for the up-coming year. BUCS is handled by R. D. Harrington, Inc., and is based on 1% of the taxable payroll.

The school board, along with the SICO Foundation Board will be making a trip to Mt. Gretna November 10.

Also concerning Gov. Dick at Mt. Gretna was the mention that the Mt. Gretna Snowmobile Club had been granted permission, in the past years, to gather dead wood in return for their caretaker services. Mr. McFarland, of the high school, dropped his request to do the same.

The board received the resignation of Mr. J. Henry Greiner as Mount Joy Township tax collector, effective October 31. The books will be closed out as they are at the end of the year. The bank will take care of receiving taxes between November 1st and 15th.

Bob Smith Contractors, Inc., Maytown, had its bid for curb and sidewalk work at the W. I. Beahm Junior High accepted. The total cost will be \$3,495. It was suggested that the sidewalk be put in before November or after winter, due to the freezing weather.

It was noted that the junior high needed the following repairs: girls' lavatory roof needs replacing; roof leaks along

wall between old and new buildings and bricks need pointing and cap flashing replaced; boys' and girls' locker room leaks above windows; and more drain holes needed on the auditorium roof.

The Mount Joy Interchurch Council made a request, in writing, to use the high school football stadium field for an area evangelistic outreach under the name **Renewal 80**. The event would take place June 15th through 19th, 1980. The guest speaker would be Dr. Myron Augsburg, president of Eastern Mennonite College. The board wants more information concerning liability, the use of lights, parking, etc.

Walter V. Price brought some concerns before the board. He brought with him a salad that is sold in the junior high cafeteria for \$.40. Mr. Price felt that the serving size was much too small for the price being charged. He also questioned the quality of the foods being served, especially the protein contents.

He also voiced concern of the health insurance coverage offered by Educators Mutual. Mr. Price experienced some personal problems in his dealings with the company, and he wants the school board to look at the company twice before renewing their contract next month.



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Troop 1123 holds Investiture Ceremony

by Jill Shupp

On Monday, October 15, 1979, Brownie Troop 1123 of Mount Joy held their Investiture Ceremony. Investiture is held when one or more girls join Girl Scouting for the first time. The girls' families attended and a small social hour followed the ceremony.

The new Brownies invest-
ed were: Heidi Applegate,
Marcie Cooper, Stephanie
Dudek, Luann Eby, Jennifer
Finn, Kim Flowers, Beth
Ann Gallagher, Leslie Ger-

mer, Crystal Getz, Jenny
Klugh, Christina Sweigart,
and Joy Ann Weidman.

Taking part in the traditional flag ceremony were: Amy Breault, Sherry Derr, Stephanie Robeson, Jamie Wilson, and Stacey Wilson.

Now Brownies Troop 1123 is looking forward to making their sit-upons and their Halloween "dress up" party on 29 October 1979. The girls hope it is a "bewitching" night.

Leaders for Troop 1123 are Jill Shupp and Jean Germer.

Cub pack 136 hikes at Pine Grove Furnace

Mount Joy Cub Pack 136 went on a hike at Pine Grove Furnace State Park on the Appalachian Trail under the leadership of Robert Mark, John Auker, Vaughn Mark, Bryan Mark, Richard Breault, Carolyn Newcomer, Mary Ritzman, and Todd Newcomer.

The cubs were Kevin Eby, Michael Gilland, Andrew Breault, Johnny

Heller, Todd Ritzman, Harold Hartman, Jason Lutz, Lester Dimeler, Jr., Richard Boring, Reed Boring, David Kleinfelter, Christian Christofferson, and Scott Newcomer.

Parents and others who went along were William Eby, Lorin Pardoe, Jr., Phoebe Pardoe, Kevin Mark, Matt Lehman, and Ron Lutz.