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►WEEKEND HAPPENINGS

Friends of the Bangor Library Wine Tasting Party

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library will hold a Wine Tasting Party, **Friday, November 3rd 6:00pm–9:00pm**, at Tolino's Vineyards & Winery, 280 Mt. Pleasant Road, Bangor, PA. Tickets for the tasting are available at the Bangor Library, 39 South Main Street, Bangor, PA. Proceeds from the event benefit t the library. For additional information contact: Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.

East Bangor Fire Co. Basket Bingo

Friday, November 3rd 7:00pm will be held at East Bangor Fire Co., (30 East Central Ave.), for more information call 610-588-5996

Tatamy/Stockertown Lions Club Spaghetti Dinner

Tatamy/Stockertown Lions Club will host an All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner on **Saturday, November 4th 4:00pm to 7:00pm** at Tatamy Vol. Fire Co. 164 Bushkill Street, Tatamy, PA.

Bangor High Rise Craft/Bake Sale

Saturday, November 4th, 10:00am -2:00pm. Baked goods and food will be available. Come shop and stay for lunch. Bangor High Rise 101 S Murray St, Bangor, PA 18013

East Bangor Park Fall Festival

Saturday, November 4th, 12:00pm-4:00pm. Hay Rides, Pie Walk, Family Fun Games, Pumpkin Toss, Food. Park Road, East Bangor.

Upper Mt Bethel Twsp. Fall Festival

Upper Mt Bethel Twsp will host a Fall Festival on **Saturday, November 4th, 1:00pm-5:00pm**, at Chelsea Sun, 487 Stone Church Drive, Mt Bethel. PA.

Hope UCC Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner

Saturday, November 4th, 4:00pm-7:00pm, Hope United Church of Christ 2nd Street, Wind Gap, PA.

Easton Football Bingo

Sunday, November 5th; Bingo fundraiser will be held for Easton football. Event will be held in the Easton High School cafeteria (2601 William Penn Hwy, Easton, PA). Doors open at 10:30 am, Bingo at 12:00pm. For more information or to purchase tickets contact Tara 908-763-3914 or t.heckel@vahoo.com.

Bath Area Food Bank – Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, November 5th 4:00pm – 7:00pm; St. John's Lutheran Church (206 East Main Street, Bath, PA) will be holding their 7th annual spaghetti dinner to benefit the Bath Area Food Bank. If you would like to make a donation to the food bank you may mail your donation to Bath Area Food Bank c/o. St. John's Lutheran Church 206 East Main Street, Bath, PA 18014.









EBUMC Pot Luck Dinner

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church welcomes you to a FREE "Potluck" Dinner on **Sunday, November 5th, from 4:00pm-5:30pm.** Church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA. Questions call 610-588-4453 or visit http://ebumc.org/.

Owl Banding at Jacobsburg

Saturday, November 4th, 7:00pm-10:00pm. Join naturalist and experienced owl bander Darryl Speicher as he sets up mist nets in the park in an attempt to catch and band small owls. Participants should dress for the weather and bring a flashlight. Registration is required.





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Upper Mount Bethel Township to Host Fall Festival Benefit

Upper Mount Bethel Township will host a Fall Festival fundraiser on Saturday, November 4th. The event will be held at The Chelsea Sun Inn. 487 Stone Church Drive in Mount Bethel from 1:00pm-5:00pm.

There will be pumpkin picking and painting, a petting zoo, face painting, hay-rides, a 50/50 raffle and a Tricky Tray. Tickets will be sold at the event for these features as well as refreshments.

A FREE Touch-a-Truck exhibit sponsored by Upper Mount Bethel Township will be on-site and include township vehicles and our local fire companies.

All proceeds from the event will be shared equally between two local nonprofits, Bloom Bangor and American Way Disaster Relief. Bloom Bangor is a two-vear residential recovery program whose mission is to heal, empower and employ women survivors of addiction, trafficking, and trauma. Bloom provides safe, supportive housing, the opportunity for economic independence and immersion into a strong community of advocates and partners. Visit their website to learn more at www.bloombangor.org

American Way Disaster Relief uses a network of nationwide contacts to provide aid & relief to victims of disasters. The founders were inspired to begin the non-profit organization by the success of two recent disaster relief missions, where the team provided relief in Texas & Florida.

There will also be a collection area for non-perishable food items for PUMP, the Portland Upper Mount Bethel Food Pantry.

For more information about the event, to be represented as a sponsor, or to donate items for the Tricky Tray, please contact Amber Foley at (570) 688-7292

Bangor Lions Club Fundraiser

The Bangor Lions Club will hold a fundraiser at Wendy's in Wind Gap Wednesday, November 8th, 5:00pm-8:00pm. Proceeds go to Sight Conservation, Diabetes Awareness, Leader Dog, White Cane, Center for Vision Loss, and local food banks.

St. Elizabeth's of Hungary Parish Bus Trip

St. Elizabeth's of Hungary Parish, Pen Argyl, is sponsoring a trip to the Mohegan Sun, Wilkes -Barre on Thursday, November 9th. The bus will depart from St. Elizabeth's church parking lot by 9:00 am; and then proceed to the old St. Joseph's parking lot in Wind Gap. Everyone will receive a \$25 slot voucher and a \$5 food coupon. For more information: please contact Mary Lou DeRea-Lohman at 610-863-4846 or 610-844-4630.

Forks Elementary School PTA Tricky Tray

Friday, November 10th: Forks Elementary School PTA (1709 Richmond Road, Easton) please join us for our 3rd annual Tricky Tray. Doors open 5:30pm for more information please email Cassie Mosley at cassie80@ptd.net



Pen Arayl PTO Color Run

Saturday, November 11th 8:00am-1:00pm. Registration Opens 8:00am-Race Begins at 9:00am. Wind Gap Middle School, 1620 Teels Road, Pen Argyl, PA 18072. To register online www.PenArgylMSCR.eventbrite.com

Relay for Life NYC Bus Trip Fundraiser

NYC Bus Trip Saturday, November 11th, 2017. Fundraiser for Footprints in the Sand Relay for Life team. You may just take the bus or bus and show tickets available. Show: Miss Saigon, Depart Five Points Elementary 9:00am, Depart NYC 7:30pm, Seats go fast so call ASAP for more info. Lynn Altemose 484-375-5162 or Donna Kelton 610-417-5550

Grand Central Landfill Chili Cookoff Fundraiser

Grand Central Chili Cookoff Fundraiser hosted by Grand Central Landfill and Hauling/Waste Management of the Slate Belt will be held Saturday, November 11th at 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM. Come support local non-profits as they vie for two jackpots! \$5 gets you chili samples and the opportunity to be a People's Choice Judge! There will be activities for the whole family!

Arndt's Lutheran Church Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner

Arndt's Lutheran Church will hold a Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner on Saturday, November 11th, 4:00pm-7:00pm. The church is located at 1851 Arndt Road, Forks Township. For tickets or information, call the church office at 610-253-3732, Rawlynn at 610-258-1018 or Ruthann at 610-252-0586.

Blue Ridge Hook & Ladder Fire Company Auxiliary

The Blue Ridge Hook & Ladder Fire Company Auxiliary in Saylorsburg is having a Craft Fair and Bake Sale on Sunday, November 12th from **9:00am-3:00pm.** Come join the fun and have your picture taken with Santa from 11:00am-1:00pm! We will be having our "Stairway to Heaven" quilt raffle drawing, bake sale, and lunch will be served. Come out and support your local fire company. Vendors Wanted Reserve your table now by calling Lucy Goss at (570) 629-2871.

Washington Township Vol. Fire Co. Ladies Aux. Bingo

The Washington Township Vol. Fire CO. Ladies auxiliary will host their "Holiday Cash Bingo" on Sunday, November 12th, at The Washington 920 Washington Blvd. Bangor, PA. Doors open at 11:00am Bingo starts at 12:30pm Kitchen will be open. For more info or tickets call Sandy 610-462-5611. Donna 484-298-0192. Shirley 484-541-4659. or Ruth 610-588-7402.

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Plainfield Fire Co. to Host Holiday Craft and Vendor Event

Plainfield Township Volunteer Fire Company will be holding their annual holiday craft and vendor event on Saturday, November 4th, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm in Charter's Banquet Facility at Plainfield Township Volunteer Fire Company.

Quality artisans, hand crafters, and vendors, as well as many Direct Selling Home Businesses, and local non-profit groups will be setup at the event. The fire company will be serving breakfast and lunch. They will also be hosting the annual raffle for the show.

New addition's this year, Children's coloring contest with prizes in three age groups. Santa will arrive at noon! He will visit from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm. and each child will receive a small gift from Santa. Families are encouraged to bring their cameras as this is a FREE photo opportunity for

ALL NEW!!! For the men and boys an Interactive Mobile Shooting Range will be set up in the parking lot. The 100% Mobile Simulation System with IR Laser & HD projection technology provides an exciting and safe, non lethal shooting environment. This is a one of a kind mobile range, new to this area.! To check out the site prior to the show, please visit www.xxtremesimsations.com.

Vendors and crafters can request an application at holidayevent17@yahoo.com.

EBUMC "Operation Christmas Child."

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church is collecting filled "Shoeboxes" for Samaritan's Purse "Operation Christmas Child." Shoeboxes are distributed worldwide. Deadline is Sunday. November 12th. Church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA. For more info. call 610-588-4453 or visit ebumc.org.

EBUMC Annual Christmas Bazaar

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar on Friday, November 17th from 10:00am to 8:00pm and Saturday, November 18th from 10:00am to 4:00pm Also, from Monday thru Thursday (13th-16th) from 10:00am to 3:00pm there will be a sale of "White Elephants Only". The Bazaar consists of handcrafted Christmas gifts and more. Sandwiches and homemade soup will be available all day Friday and Saturday only. A door prize drawing will be held on Saturday. The church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA. Call 610-588-4453 or visit: ebumc.org

Slate Belt Band

The Slate Belt Band will meet the **2nd and 4th Wednesdays of every** month from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Practices are held at the Roseto American Legion, 143 Garibaldi Ave., Roseto, PA. For more info. call 610-588-8881 or find the band on Facebook.



Mission of Love Annual Holiday Dinner

The Mission of Love Food Bank will host their annual holiday dinner on Saturday November 18th, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm at the Mission of Love, 555 North Main Street Bangor, PA. If you are interested in donating a turkey or volunteering at the dinner please contact Pastor Frank Pons at 570-807-7794.

Western Pocono Lioness Club Presents "Holidayfest"

The Western Pocono Lioness Club HOLIDAYFEST is a unique Snack & Shop Event to be held on Saturday, November 18th, 11:00am-4:00pm at Chestnuthill Park Building, 221 Rt. 715, Brodheadsville, PA. For info. call: Lioness Carol 610-554-8755

Scott Ewing 5K

Sunday, November 19th 9:00am-2:00pm; The Scott Ewing 5K will be held at the Pocono Family YMCA (809 Main St., Stroudsburg, PA). The course will be through Stroudsburg and finish at Pocono Family YMCA. Runner and Walkers Welcome! For registration information visit www.poconoymca.org/index.cfm?e=event&eventid=28864

Comic Book Show

Sunday, November 19th, 10:00am to 4:00pm. Mount Vol. Bethel Fire Hall, 2341 North Delaware Drive (Hwy. 611). Mt Bethel. For more info 609-242-7756 or http://www.jerseyshorecomicbookshow.com



Nazareth YMCA 11th Annual Pumpkin Pie 5K Run/Walk

The 11th Annual Nazareth YMCA Annual Pumpkin Pie 5K Run & Walk will be held on **Thursday, November 23rd, 7:30am-11:00am.** Additional race information can be found at http://www.gv-ymca.org/event/nazareth-branch-11th-annual-pumpkin-pie-5k-run-scenic-walk/

Christ Evangelical Church Thanksgiving Pie Sale

Wednesday, November 22nd; Christ Evangelical Church (703 S. Delaware Dr., Mt. Bethel) will be holding a pie sale choice of apple or pumpkin. To place an order or for more information call Chrissy 610-588-0809.

Mt. Bethel Fire Co. Ladies Aux. 29th Annual Craft Show

The Mt Bethel Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary will host their 29th Annual Craft Show on **November 25th**. Vendors are needed, to reserve your table/space now. Call Kris 610-392-7975 First come, first serve basis.

West End Vol. Fire Co. Station 42 Craft Fair

Saturday, November 25th 9am – 3pm. West End firehouse (Rte. 715, Brodheadsville behind WaWa) will be holding a craft show. Great handmade gifts. Free Admission and parking.

Wind Gap Christmas Tree Lighting

Sunday, November 26th starts at 1:30pm. Food and fellowship, Christmas Program, Santa and lighting of the tree. Wind Gap Boro Park

Merchants Bank Walkers Bus Trip Fundraiser

Merchants Bank Walkers are planning a bus trip to New York to see the city ready for Christmas. **December 10th, leaving Merchants Bank 191 branch at 9:00am, leaving the city at 5:30pm.** Payment reserves your seat and can paid at any Merchants Bank branch. Call Karen at 484-390-0743 or visit Merchants Bank. Proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society.

Community Christmas Cantata

Grace United Methodist Church again this year will be hosting a Community Christmas Cantata. Everyone in the Slate Belt community is welcome to join. Rehearsals will **every Thursday, 7:00pm to 8:00pm** in the chapel at Grace UMC, 404 E. Mountain Avenue, Pen Argyl. The Cantata will be held on Sunday, December 10th at 3:00 pm at the church. For more information or any questions call the church office at 610-863-4811.

Calling All Family Members of Foiano di Val Fortore, Italy

A delegation of Mayor Donato lampietro and Vice-Mayor Giuseppe Ruggiero from Foiano di Val Fortore, Italy will be visiting the Lehigh Valley to meet with descendants of Foiano. Foiano di Val Fortore is a community in the Province of Benevento in the Italian region of Campania. The sister city of Foiano, Italy is Bethlehem, PA. There area large number of Foianese people living in the Lehigh Valley area including the Slate Belt.

In response to the growing interest in genealogy throughout the world, this delegation will be visiting Roseto to meet with descendants of families who may have had or currently have relations still in Foiano, Italy. It will be an opportunity for you to meet with them and learn more about the town and it's people. They are particularly interested in hearing about the advancement of families in the Slate Belt who originated from this region of Italy. If you have photos of family members who are descendants of Foiano, please feel free to bring them with you for this event.

Therefore if you believe you have family members from the Foiano region and are interested in meeting with this delegation, Roseto Mayor Joseph Angelini has organized a reception on **Sunday, November 19th from 3:00pm-5:00pm** at the Columbia Fire Company in Roseto, PA (columbiafireco.org).

Please email Steven Reto at sreto@comcast.net with your interest in attending.

Families First of Pen Argyl Presents A Holiday Bazaar Vendor & Craft Fair

Families First of Pen Argyl will present a Holiday Bazaar & Craft Fair at the Wind Gap Middle School Gym on **Saturday, December 2nd, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.** For additional vendor information please email shank.spring@penargylsd.org

All proceeds will benefit Families First's Holiday Adopt-A-Family. Families First is a non-profit in the Pen Argyl Area School District that provides support to families and individuals in need, through a variety of means. Vendors will be selected on a first-come, first-served fashion. No two vendors of the same business will be permitted without prior approval in an effort to avoid duplication.



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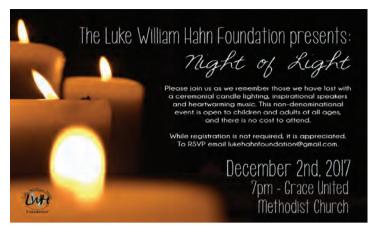
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Slate Belt Heritage Center Calendar of Events for 2017/2018

Thursday, November, 9th, 7:00pm - "In Honor of Old Glory"-Flag Ceremony- Join Perry Morris and the Boy Scouts for a history of our nation's flag and the respectful way to use and retire it.

Sunday, December 10th, 2:00pm - "The Great Slate Belt Trivia Contest"-Master of Ceremonies, Marc Blau will host a trivia game for teams of four or make your own team or just show up and join in another team. Prizes for

Sunday, January 14th, 2:00pm - "History of Cigar Manufacturing" - Patti Dewitsky will present state and local history of cigar manufacturing. Sunday, February 11th, 2:00pm - TBA

Sunday, March 11th, 2:00pm - "The Life of Blaine Reimel" – James Paynter relates the life of the Slate Belt's first fatality in World War II.

Thursday, April 12th, 7:00pm - TBA
Thursday, May 10th, 7:00pm - "Memories of the Slate Belt" presented by

former Bangor resident and graduate of the class of 1964, David Blau. Thursday, June 21st, 7:00pm - "Annual Preservation Awards".
Thursday, July 12th, 7:00pm - "Restoration of the Slate Hoists" – Mike

Piersa will conduct an outdoor presentation of the manufacturing and operation of the restored Flory slate hoists which now reside in Bethel Park. Thursday, August, 9th, 7:00pm - TBA

Thursday, September 13th, 7:00pm - TBA

Thursday, October 11, 7:00pm - "Haunted Heritage Program".

The Slate Belt Heritage Center is located at 30 N. 1st Street, Bangor, PA.

The Blue Mt. Community Library Silent Auction

The Blue Mt. Community Library will be hosting a Silent Auction now through Saturday, November 18. Various items will be displayed in the Adult Reference Room Area, located on the first floor. Sheets for each item will be attached. Library patrons must place their "Bid" on the sheet, using their membership number. If you are not a member, the volunteer at the desk will assign you one. The winners of the bids for the items will be contacted by phone. These items will make wonderful Christmas gifts. Please consider supporting the library with this fundraiser. The Blue Mt. Community Library is free for all residents of the Pen Argyl Area School District and non-residents may join for a small annual fee. The library is located at 216 S. Robinson Ave. in Pen Argyl. Hours are M-Sa, 10 am-Noon, and M-Th, 6-8 pm. Call 610-863-3029 for information or visit www.bmcl.org. Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/bmclpenargyl.

Slate Belt Heritage Center

The Slate Belt Heritage Center is seeking any individuals who would like to share, in the form of a presentation, any pertinent historical information about the Slate Belt. This could be in the form of a power point or just a discussion. Please call Karen Brewer @ 484-894-5661 if you are interested.

Bangor Slaters Band Boosters

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Elks Lodge, 120 Broadway, Bangor, PA SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2017

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Upper Mt. Bethel, Lower Mount Bethel, and Portland Borough are joining together for a Christmas bus trip to KOZIAR'S CHRISTMAS VILLAGE Saturday, December 2, 2017

Itinerary:

3:00 PM – Bus departs Upper Mount Bethel Fire Hall 2341 N Delaware Dr. 4:30 PM – Arrive at Koziar's Christmas Village 9:00 PM – Depart Koziar's Christmas Village for

home Ticket cost per person is \$32.00 & children 3 and under \$22.00 each

Prices include transportation and admission to Kozlar's Christmas Village Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult

Payments will only be accepted at the Upper Mount Bethel Township Building 387 Ye Olde Hwy., Mount Bethel, PA 18343 Cash or checks will be accepted, checks payable to UMBT

Any questions please contact Upper Mount Bethel Township office at (570) 897-6127



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Pen Argyl Salvation Army

The Pen Argyl Salvation Army will be accepting Christmas assistance applications on the following dates: November 14th – 17th, 9:00am – 12:00pm and 1:00pm – 3:00pm (Thursday evening by appointment) and December 4th, 9:00am – 12:00pm and 1:00pm – 3:00pm

***You must bring a current PA driver's license or photo ID for yourself and an original birth certificate or Social Security card for each child in your household along with proof of income. For more information please call (610) 863-6677

Letters to Homefront:

"A Love Story Between a Community and its World War II Soldiers"

Is now in its second printing stage. The Slate Belt Heritage Center is now receiving orders for the books. Those interested in making a purchase can send a check for \$40.00 to the Center at 30 N. First Street North 1st Street, Bangor, PA w/Att: Homefront Book. **Distribution will be on Saturday, December 2nd from 9:00 am -12:00pm,** (just in time for Christmas presents). For additional information contact: Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.

Slate Belt Heritage Center Preservation Award

The Slate Belt Heritage Center, located at 30 Forth 1st Street, Bangor, Pa, is pleased to announce that it is now accepting applications for its' "Annual Heritage Award". The purpose of the award is to acknowledge individuals who have performed exemplary acts that promote and preserve the culture and heritage of the Slate Belt. Candidates may be an individual or group and can benominated by themselves or by another party.

There will be three (3) categories:

- 1. Initiative Award: Applicant who has performed exemplary actions in promoting and preserving the Slate Belt heritage through in-kind actions. This means acts that do not necessarily involve monetary donations but can be unpaid service for a preservation cause.
- 2. Architectural Award: Applicant who is saving or conserving a historic building, place or artifact where restoration is authentic to preservation.
- Special Focus Award: Applicant who is saving or conserving tradition or a body of knowledge. That individual who contributes to educational information via exhibits, documentation, internet, archival, etc.

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- 2.) Whether the project meets Professionally accepted preservation and/or scholar standards.
- 3.) Whether the project is considered "complete" with goals and how they were achieved.
- 4.) Whether the project had a significant impact with before and after photographs for proof of information and/or proof that a historic piece would have been otherwise lost if the nominee had not completed the project.

Nominations will be accepted this fall and will be reviewed in January of each year. the awards will be presented at a special program in June. One prize will be awarded with the possibility of one per category depending on committee's review of candidates. Nominations should include a description of entry, photos (if applicable), and any pertinent documentation. The Heritage Center retains the right to exhibit and/or publish the application materials, including photographs. Applications for those not chosen will be held on file, indefinitely, for future consideration

Interested parties may obtain an application at the Heritage Center (Sundays 1-3), at local municipal offices or by contacting Karen Brewer at 610-588-8615. If calling, please leave an address to where applications can be mailed in addition to name and phone number. For additional information contact Karen Brewer.

Bangor Womens Club GFWC Meeting Presentation by Walter Emery

Walt Emery gave a presentation on the history of the one, two, and multiroom schools in the Bangor School District at the October meeting. His slide presentation showed photos of the forty-six school buildings of the past. Many of the buildings are still in existence and have been renovated into private homes. Walt, is a



lifelong resident of the area, a 1964 graduate of Bangor High School, and is a retired teacher from the Pen Argyl School District.

Erica Neetz thanked the club members for sponsoring her attendance at the HOBY Leadership training program at Villanova University in the spring. She described what a life changing experience this weekend was for her in developing her personal skills and group leadership skills. President Ellen Prudenti conducted the meeting. Anna Drago read an inspirational reading "True Friend". The club is currently raising funds for the community and school scholarship funds. Every month the members collect a designated item to donate to P.U.M.P. the Portland Upper Mt Bethel Food Pantry. Anyone interested in learning more about the organization can go to our Facebook page www.facebook.com/bangorwomensclub.

The next meeting will be on **Tuesday, Nov. 21st** at Prince of Peace Church, Johnsonsville PA at 12:00pm. Guests are always welcome to join us for lunch and an interesting program.

For further info contact Clare at 610-588-1373.



Bangor High School Class of 1987 30 Year Reunion



First Row Floor-Chad Achenbach, Seated: Kris Ordinsky-Parks, James Futchko, Koreen Doherty Thompson, Chris Cerino Gregory, Stephanie Matvas Hunsinger, Next Row: Paul Malavolta, Stacy Bellis Tripodi, Mike Carson, Shelly Commins Stackhouse, Jill Greene Cobb, Michelle Smith Shafer, Kelly Kearney Taylor. Back Row: Laura Dunne Hettenbach, Ray DeCesare, Donna Stopp Taylor, Jim Taylor, Don Bellis, Bill Schrack, David Sheaffer, Karen Smith Taylor, Stacy Brobst Shriver.

Soup and Study to be Held at Community Presbyterian Church

This Changed Everything. . . 500 Years of the Reformation this event is free to the community!!! All are invited to join us.

In this visually rich, three-part documentary series hosted by actor David Suchet, leading church historians share fascinating insights and pose vital questions about unity, truth, and the future of the Christian church.

Community Presbyterian Church of Mt. Bethel and Portland (1755 S. Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel) will host a Soup and Study on Wednesday, November 8th, from noon (lunch served 12-12:30) until 1:30pm. For more information, please contact the church office at (570) 897-6766.

NCC Offers STEAM'in Saturdays for Youth

Discover what STEAM stands for – Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math – at a series of Saturday workshops offered by Northampton Community College's Horizons for Youth program. Each three-hour class will give boys and girls in grades 4-6 a chance to explore a different fun concept combining science, creativity, problem solving, critical thinking, and innovation. Classes include:

Airplane Science - Nov. 4 • More Math in Art - Dec. 2

Each class runs from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in Penn Hall on NCC's Bethlehem Campus. You may register for one or all classes in the series. For fees and to register, visit Northampton.edu/lifelearn. For more information. call 610-861-4120.

Pen Argyl Borough Leaf Collection

Pen Argyl leaf collection will begin **October 23rd**. There will be no collection the week of November 20th, collection will resume on November 27th and will end December. Please note leaves will not be picked up if they have sticks, acorns or animal feces in the piles. These materials can cause malfunctions with the machinery and become dangerous to our employees. Avoid putting leaves out 2 days before rain or foul weather, especially in the hilly areas of the Borough. During storms leaf piles can clog storm basins and cause water damage to streets and private property. Whenever possible, park away from leaf piles so the workers can maneuver the equipment and clean up more thoroughly. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the scheduling of the leaf pick-up, please call the Public Works Office at 610-863- 9249, leave your name, address and brief message, your call will be return at the earliest possible convenience.

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Slate Belt Nazareth Good Scout Breakfast

Tighe Scott accepted the Slate Belt Nazareth Good Scout Award at the Good Scout Breakfast held on Friday, October 19th on behalf of the Scott Family and Amelio "Scotty" and Amelia "Millie" Scott. Amelio and Amelia Scott were dedicated and prolific supporters of all of the efforts of Slate Belt Catholic Churches, communities and organizations. All pastors relied upon their efforts and particularly those connected with Immaculate Conception; Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and Pius X High School.



Pictured L-R Dick Smith, Tighe Scott, and Ron Karasek

American Legion Riders Post 927 Meeting

The American Legion Riders have their monthly meeting on **Sunday**, **November 12 at 10:30am** at the American Legion Post 927, Route 209 and Fairgrounds Road, Gilbert.

The American Legion Riders are well known for their charitable work, which has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for local children's hospitals, schools, veterans homes, severely wounded service members and scholarships, and enjoy riding.

For more information, contact President Everett Shaver, 570-977-8208 or everett.shaver@yahoo.com. Visit www.ampost927.org and Join us on Facebook



Hair Donation

Abigail Frey, 12 years old from East Bangor, donated her hair to Wigs for Kids. This is her fourth time donating.

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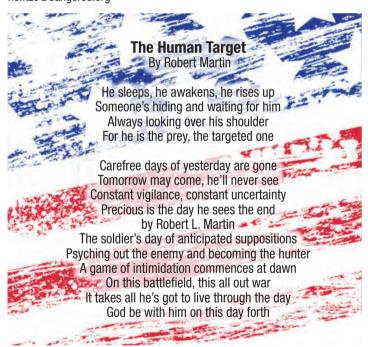
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E-mail or mail us your good news and it may be published in our next issue thebeltandbeyond@gmail.com or mail us your good news PO Box 33 Bangor, PA 18013

1885 Club Accepting Nominations

The Bangor Area High School Alumni Association is looking for nominations for induction into the 2018 "1885 Club Hall of Fame." In 1998, the members of the Bangor Area High School Alumni Association began to search for a way to honor graduates who have distinguished themselves through public service, scholarship, and recognition in their chosen fields of work. Discussions naturally led to creating a Hall of Fame for such individuals. Concerned about possible confusion with the Athletic Hall of Fame, however, the committee began to seek ways to create a different type of recognition with its own unique distinction. From this collaboration, "The 1885 Club" was born. Named in honor of the first year in which a class of students graduated from Bangor High School, this exclusive club honors distinguished alumni and holds these individuals as outstanding examples for others to follow. Through the creation of "The 1885 Club" the Alumni Association underscores and upholds the fact that graduates of Bangor Area High School have been making tremendous contributions to mankind for more than 130 We reserve a special category for educators and administrators who have served the Bangor Area School District over its long history.

To nominate someone for either of these awards, please go to the Bangor Area School District web site, bangorslaters.com, click on the Alumni icon (under Quick Links) and then click on the 1885 Club. There you will find a printable form. The form must be filled out completely for your nominee to be considered. Mail the completed form to the address shown or forward it to Carole J. Hontz at Bangor Area Middle School, 401 Five Points Richmond Road, Bangor, PA 18013-5267. Nominations can also be e-mailed to hontzc@bangorsd.org



NCC Presents Warren Miller's "Line of Descent"

Northampton Community College (NCC) will host Warren Miller's film "Line of Descent" on November 3 at 7 p.m. and November 4 at 3:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. in the Lipkin Theatre, Kopecek Hall, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem, PA.

In this year's film, you will travel the globe from Squaw Valley and Jackson Hole to Norway and the French Alps, as new generations of skiers and riders are pushing their sport to extremes. Sponsored by NCC Ski Club, Elk Mountain and Buckman's Ski and Snowboard Shops, Join us for the official start of winter!

For more information and for tickets, go to www.nccwarrenmiller.com. Advance ticket purchase is strongly recommended; all shows have sold out in previous years.



VETERANS DAY EVENTS 2017

VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM AT BANGOR MEMORIAL PARK

- The Bangor & Roseto American Legions, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Order of the Elks will be holding a Veterans Day remembrance ceremony on Saturday November 11th, at 10:00 a.m. at Bangor Memorial Park, 90 Eisenhart Blvd., Bangor, PA by the pool entrance.

SLATE BELT YOUNG AT HEART CLUB SALUTE TO

VETERANS- The Slate Belt Young at Heart Club is sponsoring a "Salute to Veterans" and military on Thursday, November 16th at **12:00pm.** Refreshments will be served. There will be featured special speakers, presentations, and a special thanks to all of these deserving people who have kept us safe and free and are still continuing to do so. All are invited to attend. For more information: call Mary Lou DeRea-Lohman at 610-863-4846 or 610-844-4630.

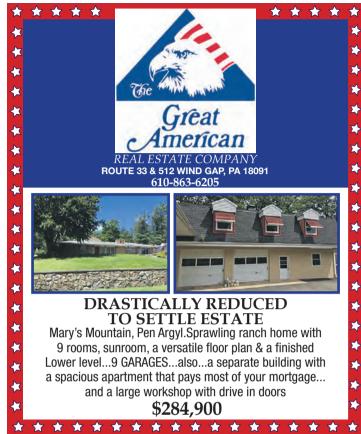
NCC VETERAN'S DAY EVENT FEATURING PHIL KLAY - On

Saturday, November 11th, Veterans Day, Northampton Community College will honor Veterans and service people at a college and community event. Veterans have been an important part of the NCC community since the College opened. This year's celebration honors NCC's 50th anniversary. The event will include a retreat ceremony. reception, dinner and lecture by Phil Klay, a United States marine officer who won the National Book Award for fiction in 2014 for Redeployment, a collection of short stories recounting the experiences of soldiers and veterans who served in Iraq.

The Retreat Ceremony that takes place in Veterans Plaza, Tribute Garden on the Bethlehem Campus will begin at 4:45 p.m. The presentation by Phil Klay will occur in Lipkin Theatre, Kopecek Hall on the Bethlehem Campus at 7:30pm.

VETERAN'S DAY DINNER AT FAITH CHURCH - On Saturday, November 11th from 4:00pm to 7:00pm, Faith United Presbyterian Church will hold a Veteran's Day dinner to benefit the missions of the church. Take outs are available. Please call the church office at 610-863-4447 for additional information about this event. For directions to Faith United Presbyterian Church: visit the church's website: www. FaithUnited.net.

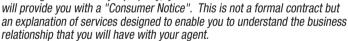
VETERAN'S DAY PARADE – Monroe County Veteran's Association Sunday, November 12th; Parade will leave from Stroudsburg High School (1100 W. Main St.,) at approximately 1:00pm and end at Dansbury Park. Grand Stand ceremony will be held at 1:15pm located on Main Street and 2:30pm will be an Honor Guard Ceremony at Dansbury Park. After-party and tricky tray to follow at Dansbury Park.



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Agent must not take any action that is adverse or detrimental to either party. A licensee must have written consent from both parties before acting as a Dual Agent.

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Another type of agency is the Designated Agent. This is too complicated to explain within the confines of this column. Feel free to stop out if you would like this explained.

In addition to Real Estate related representation, it is always prudent to have an Attorney, knowledgeable in real estate, to represent your legal interests.

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Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center Community Programs, November

Family Night: Owl Power - Friday, November 17, 6:30-8:00 PM

Owls are well known for their charismatic faces and eerie night time calls. How much do you really know about their amazing powers though? Bring your family along for a craft activity and screening of the PBS Nature Series film Owl Power. The film follows the lives of two Barn Owl chicks and will help us understand the adaptations that make owls the successful hunters that they are! Craft time starts at 6:30 PM and the movie starts promptly at 7:00 PM. Registration is required as supplies and seating are limited. You may preview the film online: http://www.pbs.org/wnet/nature/owl-power/11628/

Volunteer Day - Saturday, November 18, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

We hope you can join us for our last and biggest volunteer day of the season! We will be working on our riparian buffer restoration project in Henrys Woods! We need your help to plant shrubs and trees and repair the split rail fence protecting the buffer. Participants should dress for weather and bring work gloves if you have them. Bottled water and lunch will be provided. Participants should meet at the Visitor Center at 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth.

You can also view and register for community programs online at http://events.dcnr.pa.gov/. If you need an accommodation to participate in a program please contact the park office at 610-746-2801or jacobsburgsp@pa.gov. With at least three days notice, interpreters for people who are deaf or hard of hearing are available for educational programs.

Hope UCC 5th Annual Holiday Toy Bingo

Saturday, November 18th. Doors open at 11:00am Bingo starts at 1:00pm FMI – call Jen at (908) 727-0090 or

e-mail hopeucc@hotmail.com. Hope United Church of Christ, 2nd Street, Wind Gap, PA.

Hope UCC Christmas Bazaar

Hope UCC will host a Christmas Bazaar on **Saturday, December 2nd, 10:00am-4:00pm.** Crafters, Vendors, Food, and Tricky Tray. Proceeds to Partners for a New Beginning. Hope United Church of Christ, 2nd Street, Wind Gap, PA

Slate Belt Photography Club

Meetings are held **every 2nd Thursday of the Month at 7:00pm** at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 404 Broadway, Bangor, Pa. For more info contact: Ricky Mensch @ Sbpc216@gmail.com

West End Memorial American Legion Post 927 – Monthly Meetings

American Post 927 (646 Fairgrounds Rd., Gilbert, PA) holds monthly meetings **every first Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.** For more information visit www.ampost927.org.



FOLIC ACID VS. FOLATE

By Jackie Talero-Rueda, **The Crunchy Mom**

Let's begin with a little history lesson on Folic Acid. In the United States, mandatory fortification of enriched cereal grain products with Folic Acid was authorized

in 1996 and fully implemented in 1998. According to the FDA. The U.S. program adds 140 µg of Folic Acid per 100 g of enriched cereal grain product and has been estimated to provide 100-200 ug of Folic Acid per day to women of childbearing age. The relationship between apparent Folate deficiency and NTD (neural tube defect) occurrence was learned sometime after 1965 (ncbi.gov). NTDs occur when the neural tube fails to close early in embryonic development, resulting in damage to the exposed underlying neural tissue. Spina bifida is one of these defects. These birth defects can result in significant morbidity and mortality depending on the location and severity of the lesion. After a number of studies suggested that Folic Acid might reduce the risk of NTDs. This is why most doctors recommend up to 800mcg of Folic Acid supplementation to pregnant women. Did you know that Folic Acid is a synthetic B vitamin? That means that your body cannot readily use it and needs to convert it to Folate. Folate is bioavailable and not synthetic. It is what is found naturally in foods and can even be used in supplements. "Unlike natural Folates (which are directly metabolized by the small intestines). Folic Acid requires the assistance of a specific enzyme named 'dihydroFolate reductase'. which is relatively rare in the body. Subsequently, when people (particularly women of child bearing age) consume large amounts of Folic Acid through vitamins and other fortified foods, the body cannot break it down and elevated levels of un-metabolized Folic Acid ultimately enters the blood stream" - draxe.com. Those of us with genetic mutations like MTHFR (which I will write about in another issue) cannot metabolize Folic Acid and taking it can cause further issues. So here we are consuming Folic Acid in fortified breads and in vitamins while our body is not using it and at the same time becoming Folate deficient. Folate deficiency can lead to poor immune function, chronic low energy and chronic fatigue syndrome, digestion issues, developmental problems during pregnancy and infancy, anemia, canker sores and swollen tongue, mood disorders and irritability, pale skin, and premature hair graving (which can also be a b12 deficiency). It's hard to believe that Folic Acid could be bad but for many it is. That is why if it's important to consume foods with naturally occurring Folate. Also buy multivitamins that have "Folate" and NOT "folic acid." Or even better if they have "5-mthf" or "methyl-Folate" because you know that your body will be able to use it and not have to struggle to convert it or get rid of it. Read the label! Foods high in Folate are spinach, beef liver, black eyed peas, asparagus,

broccoli, brussel sprouts, kidney beans, romaine lettuce, avocados, and oranges.

Enjoy! Jackie

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Bangor Area School District Wellness Committee

The Bangor Area School District Wellness Committee wants to extend an invitation to the families in our school community to participate in the following healthy activities throughout the school year. These are programs that the faculty eagerly awaits and competes in each year.

Project Zero: November 20-January 2, 2018

The goal of this program is to maintain your weight throughout the holiday season from Thanksgiving to New Year's Day. Eat in moderation and exercise to break even! Weigh In and Weigh Out form also attached.

10,000 Steps: April 2, 2018- May 2, 2018

This is not a team walk rather it is an individual walking program where you find the average of your daily steps and set a personal goal to increase the steps each day. Strive to achieve 10,000 steps a day! To find the average; record your steps for any 3 days and divide the total by 3 and that will give you an average of steps walked per day)

I'm sure you can find a way to compete among family members, friend groups, or with neighbors. Be creative in the rewards or prizes!

Look for more information on the Bangor Area School District web page under the wellness link or email us at wellness@bangorsd.org.



Miller-Keystone Blood Center Announces **November Blood Drive Dates**

Miller-Keystone Blood Center – the not-for-profit 501(c)(3) community organization serving as the

only blood provider to Gnaden Huetten Memorial Hospital, Palmerton Hospital, Schuvlkill Health System, the Lehigh Valley Health Network (including LVHN-Hazleton), and the St. Luke's University Health Network (including St. Luke's Miners Memorial and St. Luke's Monroe Campus), has announced the upcoming blood drives:

Wed 11/1 7:30am-1:30pm Western Pocono Community Library 131 Pilgrim Way, Brodheadsville, Call 800.223.6667

Fri 11/3 11am-7pm Kinsley's Shop Rite, 108 Kinsley Drive, Brodheadsville, Call 570.402.2746

Sat 11/4 9am-2pm St Peter's Community Resource Center, 177 Main Street, Lehighton, Call 484.767.5680

Fri 11/10 7am-11am Hazle Township Commons, 103 W. 27th St. Hazle Township, Call 800.223.6667

Mon 11/13 8am-1pm Tamagua High School, 500 Penn Street, Tamagua Call 570.668.1901 x2060

Wed 11/15 12pm-6pm Western Pocono Community Library.

131 Pilgrim Way, Brodheadsville, Call 800.223.6667 For information on upcoming events and promotions at Miller-Keystone Blood Center, or to register for any MKBC blood drive, visit GIVEaPINT.org.

Bangor Park Octoberfest

The Bangor Park Board would like to thank everyone who assisted in making this year's Octoberfest a huge success. Thank you to our sponsors: Ceraul Law Offices, Hometown Brand Center, Recovery Revolution, Special Events Tent and Party Rentals, Gulick's Fruit Farm for the pumpkins and Virgil's Tree Service for new stumps. Thank you to all the volunteers, judges, vendors, pumpkin carvers and everyone else who helped to make this an enjoyable event. In addition, we would like to thank the following people: Bangor Borough, Bangor Public Works, Bangor Police Department, The Bangor Fire Department for the lights, Kevin Strawn for electrical, Todd Albert and Boy Scout Troop #38 for setting up and camping out to guard the pumpkins, Frontier Communications, Wind Gap Burger King, Napoli Pizza, Girl scout troop #887 for decorating the Train tunnel, Johnsonville Farm and Garden for the straw. Betty Jane and Raymond Hartzell for the corn stalks and Dally Amusements. A special thanks to McCollian Farms for running the hay ride and to the Bangor Elks for running the train.

The First Place winners of the Themed Pumpkin display was "Forest Friends" by The Fuchs Family. The Second Place winners for "Minions" by the Marino, Brewer and Boyer Families. Third Place winners for "Game of Thrones" by Sherry Haycock, Gail Rubel, Sheila Schwartz and Becky Handelong.

The winners of the Children's Costume Contest were as follows: Ages 0-23 months: Prettiest - Jenny Povenski, Funniest-Daniel Maacks, Scariest - Cal Newton and Most Original-Edison Hildabrant. Ages 2-4: Prettiest - Peyton Mullikin, Funniest-Lillyianna Loprest, Scariest - Ella Fay Kline, Most Original-Parker Roehl. Ages 5-10: Prettiest - Hayden Conklin, Funniest - Dane Kulak, Scariest - Victoria Parks and Most Original - Charlie Rotzell. Ages 11-15: Prettiest - Zoe Bruce, Funniest - Gage Heckman, Scariest - Marissa Clemente and Lily Falletta and Most Original- Shannon Louszko. The winners of the Best costumed family was: The Conrad Family..

This event would not have been possible without all the hard work and donations of the volunteers, businesses and organizations. If you would like to volunteer for this event next year or any other Bangor Park Board sponsored event please call Debbie at 610-751-7692 or email at bangorparkboard@gmail.com

Octoberfest at Bangor Park

Octoberfest at Bangor Park was held on Saturday, October 21st and Sunday October 22nd sponsored by the Bangor Park Board. The event included food, vendors, pumpkin carving and painting, scarecrow stuf ng, and a costume contest.

Photos by Larry Cory sbtt and Kris Ordinsky-Parks



Bangor Area High School's "Bandorama" Concert On Thursday, October 26th, at the M. Craig Paine Performing Arts Theater, the Bangor Area High School Marching Band presented their "Bandorama" concert. The indoor performance included the bands 2017 Halftime Show, school songs and pop tunes. Photos by Nick Pulsinelli









































Blue Mountain Antique Gas & Steam Engine Assoc. 38th Annual Fall Harvest and Sawmtill Show

The Blue Mountain Antique Gas & Steam Engine Assoc. held their 38th Annual Fall Harvest and Sawmill Show the weekend of October 20th and 21st, at the Jacktown Grove. The event included great food, train rides, kids pedal pull, antique tractor pull and garden tractor pull, entertainment was provided by The Keystone Troubadours and the Jessie Wade Gang. This year's featured tractor was the McCormick Deering.

Photos by Lynn Cistone













Johnsonville Farm and Garden Inc. Harvest Fest

Johnsoville Farm and Garden, Inc. welcomed the community to it's Harvest Fest on Saturday, October 28th. The Harvest Fest featured a Craft Show & Tack Swap, a black smithing demo, artisans, farm animals and equipment, delicious food and baked goods, games, giveaways, and raffles.

Photos by Kris Ordinsky-Parks





Aline Haddad, owner Johnsonville Farm and Garden



Allen Haddad (Aline's father) and Jesse Poliskiewicz, owner Johnsonville Farm and Garden



Jamie Gazzana, owner, Burning Daylight Greenhouse and Angela Cooper, assist customers at the market.



Sharon, Andrea and Scott Shook

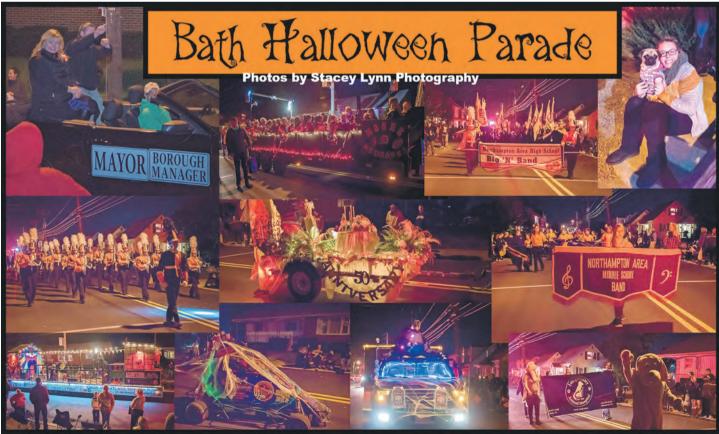


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Join us as we honor: John Auer, AWSOM Volunteer Photographer, Angelo Borzio, Owner, GAK Construction, Robyn Cohen and Linda DiSimone, Cat-Care Volunteers, Mary Golia and our generous friends at Weis Markets in East Stroudsburg, Stroudsburg and Tannersville.

For more information and tickets visit our website https://www.awsomanimals.org



Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group/Bangor Pup Park Posse Launches Shoe Collection Drive to Raise money for Dog Park and New Shelter Shoe donations will also support micro enterprises

Shoe donations will also support micro-enterprises in developing nations and reduce what goes into landfills

Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group/Bangor Pup Park Posse is conducting a shoe collection drive through **November 15th, 2017** to raise funds for a dog park and animal shelter. Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group/Bangor Pup Park Posse will earn funds based on the number of pairs collected as Funds2Orgs will purchase all of the donated goods. Those dollars will benefit establishment of a dog park and animal shelter. Anyone can help by donating gently worn, used or new.

They will be assisted by the Girl Scouts in this fundraiser. Please contact Kerri Miller at 610 390 3910 for drop off/pick up instructions.

All donated shoes will then be redistributed throughout the Funds20rgs network of microenterprise partners in developing nations. Funds20rgs helps impoverished people start, maintain and grow businesses in countries such as Haiti, Honduras and other nations in Central America and Africa. Proceeds from the shoe sales are used to feed, clothe and house their families. One budding entrepreneur in Haiti even earned enough to send her son to law school. By donating shoes to the Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group/Bangor Pup Park Posse, the shoes will be given a second chance and make a difference in people's lives.

Monroe Animal League Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Monroe Animal League will be on **Tuesday, November 28th at 7:00pm** at the Eastern Monroe County Library, Rt. 611/N. 9th Street, Stroudsburg, PA.

MAL promotes spay/neuter and humane education as a way to control pet overpopulation, and thus relieves cruelty and suffering among animals. We believe this to be the best way to achieve a future with no more homeless animals.

All Monroe County animal lovers are encouraged to attend. BRING A FRIEND! MAL needs your help to grow! The larger our membership, the easier for us to accomplish our mission. Please ask your friends and family to join you as a MAL member. Thanks!

For more information, visit www.monroeanimals.org, join us on Facebook at www.Facebook.com/MonroeAnimal League, email monroeanimalleague@gmail.com, or call 570-421-7775.

Pets in Need Fundraiser

A fundraiser for Pets in Need will be held on **Saturday, November 18th 7:00 pm -11:00 pm.** Riverside Bar and Grill, 5801 S. Delaware Drive, Easton, PA. Live Music by Whiskey Mansion, Door Prizes and 50/50. Come out and support a great cause!



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The AWSOM Animal Shelter is located at 3129 Godfrey Ridge Drive, Stroudsburg, PA 18360. Adoptions hours are 11AM to 4PM, 7 days a week. Volunteer opportunities are always available. Stop in or call 570-421-DOGS for more information.

The AWSOM Animal Wellness Center is open Monday thru Friday for all your basic veterinary needs. Check out our low-cost veterinary services, including spay and neutering, vaccinations, dental care and more. Call 570-424-1060 for more information or to make an appointment.

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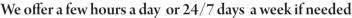
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Pocono Family YMCA -19th Annual Senior Prom

Sunday, December 3rd 1:00pm-4:00pm: Mark the date, grab your dance shoes, and dress to impress; and join us for our 19th Annual Senior Prom. This year's theme is "A Winter Masquerade Ball". The event will be held at the Pocono Family YMCA (809 Main Street, Stroudsburg, PA). The event is open to anyone 55 years of age or older, and those who enjoy the company of a fun mature crowd. Attire is in keeping with the theme, dress to impress! There will be dancing, door prizes, and light refreshments. For further information please contact Debbie Lang 570-421-2525 ext. 124 or dlang@poconovmca.org.

Salvation Army Pen Argyl - Community Lunch Program

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 12:00pm-1:00pm Community Lunch Program, Thursdays after lunch senior program. Food pantry first 4 Tuesdays of the month from 10am-12pm.

Keep these friends in YOUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Chip Turtzo, Meghan Vasko, Charles Vasko, Andy Syrcek, Martha Fonte, Lucas Fox & Tina Due, Pray For **Our Nation. Continued Prayers for Puerto Rico and all** those areas affected by the Hurricanes.

If you would like to add a name of a loved one, friend or neighbor to the prayer list please send their name to:

The Belt and Beyond P. O. Box 33 Bangor PA. 18013 Attn: Prayer list or email us at thebeltandbeyond@gmail.com **Subject: Prayer List**

Slate Belt Senior Center

Blue Valley Farm Show Complex, 707 American Bangor Road, Bangor Ph 610-588-1224, Hours: 8:00am-3:30pm, Meal Reservations please call by 10:00am, 1 day prior before the meal. Cancellations must be done as soon as possible. Lunch is served at 11:30am.

Every day: Cards. Billiards. computers. Internet. Library

TV & Walking Club

Porker, Tuesdays, November 14th, 21st, 28th - 9:00 AM

Zumba Gold, Tuesdays, 10:00am

Arthritis Exercise program, Tuesday November 7th, 21st, 28th and

Thursdays November 2nd. 9th. 30th. 12:15 PM

Brush Away with Senior Artists, Wednesdays, 8:00-11:00 AM

Exercise with Darla, Wednesdays, 10:00 AM

Chair Massage, Thursday, November 9th, 30th, 12:00-2:00 PM

NOVEMBER EVENTS

Baseball, November 3rd, 10:00 AM

Turkey/pick your own & Harvest Bingo, Friday, November 3rd, 12:15 PM

ELECTION DAY, Tuesday, November 7th

Events Meeting, Tuesday, November 7th, 1:00 PM **CLOSED VETERAN'S DAY.** Friday, November 10th AARP Meeting, Monday, November 13th, 1:00 PM

Dementia(Easton Home) Wednesday, November 15th, 10:00 AM

THANKSGIVING MEAL, Thursday, November 16th,

Turkey/pick your own & Harvest Bingo. Thursday, November 16th.

12:15 PM

GARY DEE, Friday, November 17th, 12:30-2:30 PM

Deia the Therapy Dog. Tuesday, November 21st, 9:00 AM

CLOSED. November 23rd-HAPPY THANKSGIVING CLOSED, November 24th-HAPPY BLACK FRIDAY

Council Meeting, Thursday, November 30th, 9:00 AM

Easton Area Lifestyle Campus

3201 Sullivan Trail, Easton, 610-829-3201, Director - Debbie Mertz Hours 8:00-4:00 Monday thru Friday. For meal reservation please call by 10:00am, 1 day prior before the meal.

Mondays: Fit w/Darla 10:00am Ceramics 12:00 noon

Bingo 12:30pm

Tuesdays: Games 10:00am Billiards 12:30pm

Crazy Bingo 12:30pm Wednesdays: Bible Study 10:00am

> Mexican Train /LCR 10:00am All Hands on Deck 12:30pm

Thursday: Wii Bowling Zingers & Ringers

Art /Pam

Friday: League Shuffleboard 10:00am

Bingo 12:30pm

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

11/7 Fall Tic-Tac-Toe 11/22 Churches of Easton w/

Half Way Bingo Len Buscemi

11/9 Art w/Pam

11/10 Closed 11/14 Snowman Hat Craft w/Sandv White Elephant Bingo

11/16 Thanksgiving Meal 11/21 Linda's Pumpkin Game Birthday Bingo

Warning: Playing Bingo may make you Ugly!

11/23 Happy Thanksgiving Center Closed

11/24 Center Closed 11/28 Turkey Trot Swedish Bingo

11/30 Art wPam

The Medicare Annual Enrollment Period (AEP)

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Slate Belt Senior Center Halloween Party



On October 27th eighty-four seniors participated in a Halloween party at the Slate Belt Senior Center. Prizes were awarded for the best decorated table and scariest costume. Polly Vargo, most original, Wanda Hoffman. The funniest prize went to football man, Lester Trapp (pictured), Lois Serfass tries to send him down the field. Musical entertainment by Bill Reese completed the day. Photo submitted by Marcia Schiavone

Nazareth Senior Center

15 South Wood Street, Nazareth, PA, 18064. Director: Stacy Walsh Call 610-759-8255 by 11 am day prior for meal reservations. We are looking for volunteers to help plan/set up for parties & special events. Card Games - Everyday 8:30am Morning Stretch - Mondays, 10:00am Bonus Bingo - Tuesdays, and Fridays, 10:00am Penny Bingo - Wednesday, 10:00am

Slate Belt AARP Chapter 4135

Slate Belt AARP Chapter 4135 will hold their next meeting on Monday. November 13th at 1:30pm at the Slate Belt Senior Center, 707 American Bangor Road, Bangor, PA, Everyone is welcome to attend.

AARP Palmer Township Chapter 2144

AARP Palmer Township Chapter 2144 will meet on Monday, November 6th, at 1:00pm. Wilson Borough Community Center, 2200 Liberty Street, Easton, PA. Topic: Elder Law - Skilled & Unskilled Facilities and the Law. Sign up for Christmas party on **December 14th**, Come early **11:30 am**. bring lunch, talk with friends. We invite you to come and join us.

Medicare Questions?

The Medicare Open Enrollment period runs through Saturday, December 2nd. Dolores Miller from the Pennsylvania Department of Aging will be at PA. State Representative Joe Emrick's Mt. Bethel district office from 1:00pm-3:00pm every Tuesday during open enrollment to answer your Medicare questions. The office is located at 2165 Mt Bethel Highway, Mt Bethel, PA.



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November 3 & 10

Wind Gap Fire Company

Doors open at 5:00 PM • Bingo starts 6:45 PM

November 4 & 11

Bangor VFW

Doors open at 3:30 PM • Bingo starts at 6:00 PM

November 5 & 12

Immaculate Conception

Doors open at 11:00 AM • Bingo starts at 1:00 PM

November 7 & 14

Portland Hook & Ladder Co. #1

State Street, Portland 7:00 PM Klecknersville Rangers Vol. Fire Co.

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Doors open at 5:00 PM • Bingo starts at 7:00 PM

November 8 & 15

Bushkill Vol Fire Company

Doors open at 5:00 PM • Bingo starts at 7:00 PM

New in the Bangor Public Library

ADULT FICTION - The Christmas Room by Catherine Anderson; The Other Einstein by Marie Benedict; What We Keep by Elizabeth Berg; Remember Mia by Alexandra Burt; The Woman who Couldn't Scream by Christina Dodd: Looking

who Couldn't Scream by Christina Dodd; Looking to the Future by Ginny Dye; The Rooster Bar by John Grisham; The It Girls by Karen Harper; The Rules of Magic by Alice Hoffman; Pretend You're Safe by Alexandra Ivy; Mind Game by Iris Johansen; To Fetch a Thief by Spencer Quinn; Christmas in Icicle Falls by Sheila Roberts; Two Lost Boys by L.F. Robertson; Deep Freeze by John Sandford; Little Secrets by Anna Snoekstra; Beneath a Scarlet Sky by Mark Sullivan:

Quick and Dirty by Stuart Woods.

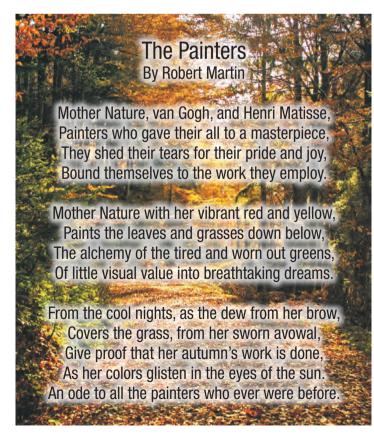
ADULT NON FICTION - Ella's Kitchen; Boone by Robert Morgan.

YOUNG ADULT FICTION - The Islands of the Blessed by Nancy Farmer;
The Emperor of Nihon Ja; The Lost Stories; The Royal Ranger by John
Flanagan; Lone Stars by Mike Lupica; The Ship of the Dead by Rick
Riordan.

JUNIOR FICTION - Mr. Lemoncellos Library Olympics by Chris Grabenstein; Ghost Attack; Vampire trouble by David Lubar.

EASY FICTION - The Bunny Rabbit Show by Sandra Boynton; Sneak a Peek Colors by Aimee Chapman; Krypto: the Origin of Superman's Dog by Michael Dahl; Bathtime by Courtney Dicmas; New York by Ashley Evanson; Ace: the Origin of Batman's Hound; Jumpa: the Origin of Wonder Woman's Kanga; Streaky: the Origin of Supergirl's Cat by Steven Korte; Emma's Pet by David Mcphail; That's Not My Cow, its Nose is Too Rough by Fiona Watt.

DVDS - Baby Driver; Beauty and the Beast; Big Stone Gap; Curious George: A Halloween Boo-fest; Edward Scissorhands; Fallen; Gifted; Marie Antoinette; Spiderman: Homecoming; Spookley the Square Pumpkin; Transformers: The Last Night.



Calendar of Events for the Friends of the Bangor Public Library

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library announce the following events:

November 3rd: Wine Tasting at Tolino's Vineyards 6-10 PM **November 11th**: Author Brunch w/Joe DeFranco at Trinity Lutheran Church

December 2nd: Breakfast w/ Santa at The Bee Hive Community Center The Friends meet the **3rd Thursday of each month at 7:00pm** at the Library. New members are always welcome. For additional information contact: Karen Brewer at 610-588-8615

Friends of the Bangor Library Meet the Author Featuring Joe DeFranco

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library will hold their Fall Meet the Author on **Saturday, November 11th, 2017 at 10:00am** at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 404 Broadway, Bangor. Pa.

Featured author will be local businessman Joe DeFranco. Mr. DeFranco will present his book: Growing Up in the Butcher Shop. Mr. DeFranco has always enjoyed telling stories to friends, reading articles about Italy, food magazines and cookbooks, along with being surrounded by his grandparents who had the greatest influence on him. All of this has inspired him to write vignettes for the Blue Valley Times, Slate Belt Magazine: The Belt and Beyond, and subsequently publishing his own book. Mr. DeFranco strived to keep the old customs alive so that the younger generation will have an idea as to his way of life growing up in the sixties, in a butcher shop and also for the older generations to reminisce days gone by. Tickets for the event can be purchased at the Bangor Library, 39 North Main Street, Bangor, PA. All proceeds benefit the Bangor Library. For additional information contact: Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.

Monroe County Historical Association Holiday Luncheon

The Monroe County Historical Association will host the annual Holiday Luncheon at the Stroud Mansion fundraiser on Friday, December 15th and Saturday, December 16th. There are two seatings each day. The Early Lunch seating will be held at 11:00 a.m. and guests may dine until 12:30 p.m. and the Late Lunch seating will be held at 1:00 pm and guests may dine until 2:30 pm.

The Holiday Luncheon will be held on the second floor of the 1795 Stroud Mansion, 900 Main Street, Stroudsburg. Please note this event will take place in the second floor meeting room of a historic structure, which is not handicap accessible. The Stroud Mansion will be decorated for the holidays and guests attending the luncheon are welcome to tour the museum.

The luncheon will be a hot buffet-style meal catered by Dave Cook of The Cook's Corner Restaurant, Henryville, Pa. Tickets must be purchased at the Stroud Mansion, 900 Main Street in downtown Stroudsburg. Please get your tickets early; seating is extremely limited for this popular event.

For more information, please contact MCHA at (570) 421-7703 or admin@monroehistorical.org

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Bangor and Pen Argyl High School Football Teams Meet for 98th Year



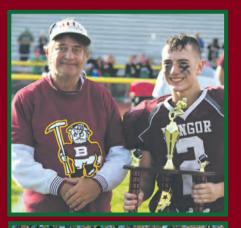
































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Bangor Slaters and Pen Argy Green Knights Pep Rallies and Bonfires Photos by Sabrina Schantzen & Jennifer Trinkley Photography



























Pen Argyl High School Football Senior Day

Pen Argyl Area High School recognized their senior football players, cheerleaders, marching band, and golf players on October 21st at their game on October 21st against Palisades.

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Pen Argy Football Seniors L-R (Kneeling) Vinny Koch, Chad Stofflet, Peter Tocket. (Standing) JR Gregory, Jonathan Horn, TJ Lilly, Zach Ceraul, Sawyer Beltz, and Logan Sterner.



Cheerleaders Madeline Conant, Ashley Coyle, Alyssa Hawksworth, Gabriella Leighton, Elizabeth Natasaka, and Bradley Kim.



Marching Band Alexis Beers, Lindsey Fournier, Lena Hamm, Shawn Hower, Steven Hower, Jessica Miller, Carl Nutaitis, and Nicholas Squires.



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98th Battle in the Slate Belt - Bangor vs Pen Argyl















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Tue. - 10:00 AM Open Arms; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts & Bible Study. Thur. - 10:00 AM Open Arms

Summer Worship Hours - One service at 9:30 AM on Sunday mornings. The Saturday communion service 6:00 PM Email: arndts.lutheranchurch@rcn. Website: www.arndtslutheran.org

Bangor Church of the Nazarene

150 Bunny Trail, Bangor 9:30 AM Sunday School, 10:40 AM Worship Powerhouse Praise Practice 5 PM Teen Straight Talk & Small Groups 6 PM Kenneth L. Bean, Pastor, (610) 588-6929

Belfast Bible

483 Belfast Road, Belfast 9:30 AM Sunday School (All Ages) 10:45 AM Worship, Evening Service 7 PM

Pastor Michael Yaworski

Belfast Wesley United Methodist

607 School Street, Belfast 9:00 AM Children & Adult Sunday School, 10 AM Worship. followed by coffee fellowship.

Pastor Paul Milligan, (610) 746-3652

Benders Mennonite Church

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Bethel Bible Church of Mt. Zion

7742 N. Delaware Dr. (Rt 611) Martins Creek 9 AM Sunday School, 10 AM Worship Pastor Rick Tunis. (610) 250-9809 www.bethelbiblechurchofmtzion.org

Christ Hamilton United Lutheran Church

419 Bossardsville Road, Stroudsburg, PA 18360 570-992-4085, www.christhamilton.org, email: chulc@ptd.net Worship Services @ 8:15am & 11:00 am Sunday school for 3 year olds thru adults @ 9:30am

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church

703 S. Delaware Dr (Rt 611) Stone Church/Mt. Bethel 610-588-7056 e: celcpaorg@yahoo.com Sunday School 9am (Sept-May) Worship 10am; communion 1st & 3rd Sunday www.celcpa.org

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1502 Bushkill Center Road, Wind Gap 10:30 AM Sunday School, 11:15 AM & 2 PM Worship 7 PM Thursday Prayer Meeting

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Mount Pocono Location -1050 Memorial Blvd., Tobyhanna, PA 18466 - SUNDAYS 9:30 am | 11:00 am | 12:30 pm The Burgs Location - 2000 Milford Road, Stroudsburg, PA 18301 SUNDAYS 11:00 am

Community Presbyterian

1755 S. Delaware Drive, Mount Bethel 9:15 AM Sunday School, 10:30 AM Worship Coffee hour on last Sunday of every month following service cpcmbp@peoplepc.com 2nd Wednesday - Community Eucharistic worship service beginning on Feb. 8th at 2:00PM (570) 897-6766, www.yourcpchurch.com

Cross Road Baptist Church

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Pastor David Goss (610) 588-4453 Dial-A-Message (610) 588-3896 www.ebumc.org

Faith Alive Community Church

10 Mechanic Street, Wind Gap 10 AM Worship.10:45 AM Children's Church and Next Level (Grades 7-12) Pastor Matthew Whistler. (610) 863-6911 www.faccpa.org

Faith United Presbyterian

218 W. Penna. Avenue, Pen Argyl Tues: Faith Ouilters-1PM Wed: Adult Bible Study-10AM Sun: Choir 9AM, Worship/Church School 10 AM Rev. Ruth Ann Christopher (610) 863-4447

Family Life Community Church

1115 Richmond Road, Bangor Wednesday: Kidz Night Out at The Hub 6:30-8:30 PM (Kids ages 6 thru 6th grade), Thursday: Teen Night Out at The Hub 6:30-8:30 PM (Grades 7th thru 9th) 10 AM Worship Service Pastor Mike Poppa, (610) 588-3736,

www.flccbangor.com Faith Lutheran Church, LCMS

2012 Sullivan Trail, Easton (Forks Township) Phone, 610-253-1625 email: faithlcms@outlook.com Sunday Worship 8am and 10:30am. Sunday School for all, 9:15am. Holy Communion celebrated, each service Rev. Christopher Crume

Christian Preschool (ages 2 1/2 to 4)

First United Evangelical

25 South 2nd Street, Bangor

Sun.: Summer Schedule No Sunday School until September. Morning Worship at 10:00 AM Wed. Eve.: Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7 PM

Pastor Ronald Shipman, (610)-588-3226

First United Methodist Church

55 N. 3rd St., Bangor Worship every Sunday at 11:00 am. Communion served the first Sunday of every month. Children's message and Sunday school during worship

Pastor Chris Hardy 610-588-4673 www.FirstUMCBangor.com

www.facebook.com/rstUnitedMethodistChurchBangor Come as you are. All are welcome!

Faith Family Fellowship

1002 Bushkill Center Road, Nazareth Sundays: 10 AM Worship Service with fellowship time to follow

Pastor Robert Hampton, 484-408-9624

Flicksville United Church of Christ

1337 Lower South Main Street, Bangor, PA 18013 610-588-4648 www.flicksvilleucc.org Sunday School 9:30a.m. Sunday Worship 10:45a.m. Service will include local musical talent

First United Methodist

19 West & Water Street, Wind Gap 9 AM Adult Sunday School 10 AM Worship/Communion 11 AM Fellowship on 1st Sunday of each month Pastor John Vidal (570) 426-0645

Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church

2904 Church Road, Martins Creek 9 AM Worship, Adult Bible, Study following worship Pastor Louise Williams

Grace Lutheran Church

5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth 9 AM Service, 10:15 AM Sunday School, 10:30 AM Adult Forum (610) 759-9080, www.gracebelfast.org

Grace United Methodist Church

404 Mountain Avenue, Pen Argyl 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship 10 AM Blended Service, Sunday School Rev. J. Timothy Fisher (610) 863-4811

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church 1501 Trinity Court, Stroudsburg 9:30 AM Divine Liturgy Sundays 6:30 PM Vespers Saturday

(570) 421-4455, www.holytrinitypoconos.org

Hopesprings Community of Faith

301 Market Street, Bangor Meeting time 10:00 AM

855-info-hope., www.hopespringscommunity.org

Hope Lutheran Church 240 S. 8th Street, Tatamy, PA

Pastor Herbert Dolich 9:00am Sunday School classes and Bible Study (Sept.-May) 10:30am Worship services(Sept.-June) **Hope UCC**

701 Cherry Street, Wind Gap Worship will begin at 10:30 and Sunday School will begin at 9:15 am. Communion is the first of the

AA Meetings - Sundays at 7:00 PM; Mon. & Tues. Mornings at 10:00 AM; Wed. at 7:00 PM (610) 863-4474

Living Waters Christian Church

396 Sterling Road Unit D, Tobyhanna Thursday: 6-7 PM Christian Education, Sunday: 9:15 AM Christian Education, 10:30 AM Worship Rev. Dr. Jacqueline R. Walters (570) 350-4710 or (570) 629-5581 livingwaterscc@aol.com

Arsha Vidya Pitham (Institute for Study of **Vedanta, Yoga and Meditation)**

651, Route 115, Saylorsburg www.arshavidya.org

Mount Bethel Church

1270 Belvidere Corner Road, Mt. Bethel Pastor Chris Priestaf, (570) 897-7142 Little Friends Preschool (570) 897-7797 email office@mountbethelchurch.org www.mountbethelchurch.org Sunday Service Schedule

8:30 & 11am Worship Services 9:45 Confirmation and Sunday School

Mount Eaton Church

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7277 Mt. Eaton Road, Saylorsburg Services: 6:30 PM Saturday, 8 AM Sunday Traditional, 10:30 AM Sunday Contemporary, 6 PM Sunday Youth Group, Wednesdays: 7 PM Family Night, 8:30 PM Young Adults' Group

Pastor Doug Hayes, (570) 992-7050

Nazareth Moravian Church

4 South Main Street, Nazareth, (610) 759-3163, nazarethmoravian.org

Sundays - 9:30am Worship;Fall Hours begin on September 10th - 8:15 Worship; 9:30 Sunday School; 10:45 Worship Installation of Board Members, Bible Presentation 5:30pm Confirmation Class 6:00pm Girl Scouts 9/10, 9/24

Wednesdays-6:00pm Weight Watchers: 7:00pm Bible Study Thursdays-6:30pm Bell Choir: 7:15pm Senior Choir Sept. 10th- 10:45 Worship Installation of Board Members, Bible Presentation

Sept. 17th - Fellowship-After Worship Sept. 24th - Moravian Music Sunday

Northampton God\'s Missionary Church

4965 Nor Bath Blvd, Northampton, PA Sundays: 10:00 AM, and 7:00 PM Wednesdays at 7:00 PM. (call for location) Rev. Rodney Keister, (610) 262-4412 www.gmc-n.com

Our Lady of Good Counsel

436 South 2nd Street, Bangor 4 PM Saturday, 8:30 AM Sunday Pastor Stephen L. Maco, (610) 588-5445

Portland Baptist Church

601 Delaware Avenue, Portland

9 AM Sunday School, 10 AM Fellowship, 10:20 AM Worship, 6-7:30 PM AWANA Youth Group/Prayer Meeting/Bible Study, Handicap accessible

(570) 897-6866, www.portlandbaptistchurch.com

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

2445 Lake Minsi Drive, Bangor

Every 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month at 5:30 PM Worship & Holy Communion

Sundays: 9:45 AM Worship & Communion Rev. Michael J. Scholtes, (610) 588-2355 www.popbangor.org

Presbyterian Parish of Bangor-Roseto

Sunday 10:45 AM Worship Service Rev. Albert Martin, (610) 588-4864 www.presbyparishbangorroseto.webs.com

Presbyterian Church of the Mountain

Church Lane, Delaware Water Gap (570) 476-0345 Sunday Worship Service: 10 AM in the Sanctuary Holy Communion: 1st Sunday of each month Praise Team: 2nd Sunday of each month Sunday School: during worship in the Fellowship House for ages 0-12 (childcare and class)

Choir Rehearsal: Thursday at 7:30 PM in the Fellowship House Choir Room, Deacons Meeting: Last Sunday of each month at 11 AM, Session: 2nd Thursday of each month at 7 PM, Bible Study: each Monday at 7 PM

Richmond United Methodist Church

8538 Delaware Drive (Route 611), Bangor One Sunday Service at 10:00 AM Adult Sunday School at 9:00 AM Children's Sunday School at 10:00 AM

(610) 588-7317 www.richmondumc.com

Refiner's Fire Ministry

100 Division Street, Portland Sundays: Prayer 9:15 am Worship 10:00 am Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:00 pm Friday Night Redemption (Christ-centered, 12 step meeting)

Pastors Phil and Jessica Karasiewicz 570-583-3101

refinersfireministry2006@gmail.com

Slate Belt - Nazareth Baptist Church

1620 Church Road, Pen Argyl

Every Tuesday: Mixed Martial Arts/Self Defense 7-8:15 PM, Sunday: 9:30 AM Sunday School, 10:30 AM Worship & Children's Church (nursery provided) Adult Bible study is at 5:30, AWANA is at 5:30

Pastor Dustin Ulrich, (610) 863-9274

The Roseto Independent Presbyterian Church

210 Garibaldi Avenue, Roseto 9:15 AM Greeting, 9:30 AM Service Rev. Barry Eng, (610) 599-9949 www.RIPC-OnlineToday.org

Salem UCC

2218 Community Drive Bath PA 18014
Worship 8:00 AM; Sunday School, Confirmation Class, Junior
Choir 9:00 AM; Worship 10:15 AM
Sundays Cub Pack 50 1:00 PM
First & Third Mon. of the month Pinochle Club 11 AM-2:30 PM
Third Monday of the month Consistory Meeting 7:00 PM
Tuesdays Boy Scout Troop 50 6:30-8:00 PM & Senior Choir 7:00 PM
Wednesdays Ladies Aid Quilting 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

www.salemuccbathpa.org

St. Brigid's Episcopal Church 301 Madison Avenue, Nazareth

9 AM Holy Eucharist Rev. William Martin,

Pastor Donald Brown, (610) 759-1652

(610) 746-3910, www.stbrigidspa.org

St. Elizabeth's Parish

300 West Babbitt, Pen Argyl Masses: 5 PM Saturday, 8 AM, 9:30 AM & 11 AM Sunday Rev. Msgr. Vincent P. York. (610) 863-4777

St. Luke's UCC

471 Belfast Road Belfast (Nazareth), PA Worship 9:30 am - 1st Sunday of month Holy Communion Pastor Frank Gassler, (610) 759-0244 www.stlukesuccbelfast.com

St. Mary's Episcopal

340 Lehigh Street, Wind Gap 9 AM Eucharist & Sunday School, Coffee hour follows service The Rev.Canon Joel Atkinson, priest in charge. (610) 863-8007 saintmarywindgap.webs.com

St. Matthew's UCC

102 Church Rd., Kunkletown, PA 18058 610-381-2442 www.stmattsucckunkletown.com
Traditional worship is 9 AM weekly, w/Communion on the 1st Sun. of the month.
Country Gospel worship 12 PM 2nd Sun. of each month

Sunday School meets 10:30-11:30 AM weekly.

The Nursery, for infants and children up to age 5, is available during 9 AM worship during the Family Table service

Oct. 28: Trunk-or-Treat from 2:30 to 4 PM Oct. 29: The annual Halloween 10:30-11:30 AM

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran

12 North Westbrook, Pen Argyl 8:45 AM Sunday School, 10 AM Worship (610) 863-4332

St. Joseph's Episcopal

1440 Verona Drive, Pen Argyl
11 AM Eucharist, Coffee hour after service
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The Rev. Canon Joel Atkinson, priest in charge.

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church

1422 Church Road, Pen Argyl

8 AM & 10:15 AM Services, 9 AM Sunday School, 7 PM Praise Band (610) 863-6859 www.stpetersplainfield.com

St. Peter's UCC

401 Broad Street, Tatamy 10:00 AM worship all year; 10:00 AM Sunday school Sept.-May. Interim Pastor, Darlene Blocker, (610) 252-6515

St. Vincent DePaul Catholic

Delaware Avenue, Portland 6 PM Saturday, 10:30 AM Sunday

Rev. Stephen L. Maco. (610) 588-5445

The Salvation Army

301 W. Main Street, Pen Argyl, PA 18072

610-863-6677

Sundays: 10 AM Sunday School, Sunday services every Sunday from 11:00am-12:00pm.

Tuesdays: Food Bank 10 AM-12 PM

Wednesdays: Knitting & Crocheting 10 AM-12 PM Thurs: 10:30-11:30 AM Home League Women's group. Free Lunch for Seniors: Tues.-Thurs. 12 PM

The Pentecostal Christian Church the Truth (Iglesia Pentecostal La Verdad)

4 Jory Avenue, Pen Argyl 12 PM Sunday School (Escuela Dominical) 1 PM Praise & Worship (Cuho Evanglistico) All invited to Bilingual Services Rev. Frank Pons, (570) 807-7794

Temple Israel of the Poconos

Egalitarian Conservative Synagogue 711 Wallace Street, Stroudsburg

Sabbath Services: Friday 8 PM followed by a Traditional Oneg Shabbat Saturday 9:30 AM followed by a traditional Kiddush. Services conducted in both Hebrew & English in a warm, welcoming, Jewish environment. Hebrew School for ages 4-13

Dr. Sandra Alfonsi. 570-223-7062

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran

404 Broadway, Bangor Sunday School 9am - Worship 10:15am Pastor Laine, 610-588-2023 www.tlcbangor.com

Trinity United Church of Christ

632 South Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel Sunday School 9:15 am & Worship 10:30 am . Rev. Rodney W. Wells, (610) 588-1989

Zion Presbyterian Church

Water Street, Wind Gap

9:30 AM Service, Children's Sunday School during service. Visitors are welcomed!

Rev. Sam Huffard

Zion United Lutheran Church

1919 Route 209 in Brodheadsville.

Worship: Saturdays 5:00 PM informal spoken service, Sundays 8:00 AM with recorded music and 10:30 AM with

choir. Sunday School for all ages @ 9:15 AM.

The Rev. E. Ann Melot~ ELCA

570-992-6988 www.zionulc.com

Bangor Fiks Halloween Parade

