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WEEKEND HAPPENINGS

Bushkill Township Vol. Fire Co. Carnival

Bushkill Township Vol Fire Co. will hold their annual carnival on Wednesday, April 30 thru Sunday, May 4, at the fire company grounds, 155 Firehouse Lane, Nazareth PA, 18064. Just off Route 512. See ad on page 16 for details

Bangor Public Library Spring Book Sale

6,7 The Bangor Public Library will hold their Spring Book Sale on Friday, May 2,10:00AM-5:00PM, Saturday, May 3, 10:00AM-4:00PM & Sunday, May 4, 1:00-4:00PM at the Bee Hive, 197 Pennsylvania Avenue, Bangor, PA. 18013

St. John Lutheran Church Rummage Sale

16 St. John Lutheran Church in Pen Argyl will hold a Rummage Sale, Friday, May 2, 8:00AM-4:00PM;, Saturday, May 3, 8:00AM-2:00PM Bag Day. 12 N. Westbrook Ave., Pen Argyl, PA. 18072.

Trinity Lutheran Church Free Clothing Closet

Trinity Lutheran Church in Bangor will host a free Clothing Closet on **Saturday, May 3 & May 16, 11:00AM-1:00PM.** The clothing closet will be open the first and third Saturday of every month. The church is located at 404 Broadway, Bangor, PA. 18013.

St. Peter's UMC Roast Beef Dinner

St. Peter's UMC, Saylorsburg, will host a Roast Beef Dinner **Saturday, May 3, 3:30PM-6:30PM.** Seated serving family style or take out available. Rt. 115 Saylorsburg. FMI 570-992-7311

Blue Valley Farmers Market Opening

The Blue Valley Farmers Market will open for the season on **Sunday, May 4, 9:00AM-1:00PM**. The market is open **Sundays, May-October.** 707 American Bangor Road, Bangor, PA. 18013

See ad on page 3 for details

EBUMCC Free Community Dinner

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church welcomes you to a FREE Barbecued Pork Dinner on **Sunday, May 4, 4:00PM-4:30PM** TAKE-OUT ONLY at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA.

Plainfield Township Vol. Fire Co. Purse Bingo

Plainfield Township Vol Fire Co. will hold a Purse Bingo on **Sunday, May 4**, at the fire company, 6480 Sullivan Trail Wind Gap, PA 18091. Tickets available Monday 6:30-9:00pm or Thursday at Bingo 4:00-9:00pm or call Elaine for tickets at 484-764-6041

See ad on page 3 for details



MAY IS
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AWARENESS
MONTH

LMBT Community Day/May Day Fire Fighter

Lower Mount Bethel Township Community Day on Saturday. May 10, 1:00PM-5:00PM, 7701 Martins Creek Belvidere Highway, Bangor, PA 18013. See ad on page 5 for details

Wind Gap Fire Co. Cruise to The Gap Car Show

The Wind Gap Fire Co. will host the Cruise to The Gap Car Show on Saturday, May 10 (rain date May 11) Registration begins 7:00AM at the Wind Gap Borough Park, Lehigh and E. Third Street, Wind Gap, PA. 18091.

See ad on page 8 for details

Cross Roads Baptist Church Free Meal

A free meal will be offered at Cross Roads Baptist Church, Breaking Bread Kitchen, on Sunday, May 11, 3:00PM until meals are gone. Free meal 2nd Sunday of every month. (Donations accepted). Crossroads Baptist Church located at 201 S. 2nd St., Bangor PA.

Washington Township Vol. Fire Co. Ladies Aux. Kid Mart

The Washington Township Vol. Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary will hold a Kid Mart on Saturday, May 17, 8:00AM to 4:00PM at the Washington, 920 Washington Blvd, Bangor, PA. FMI call Melissa 267-275-5417 or Jessica 484-895-9255.

St. Peter's UMC Saylorsburg Flea Market

St Peter's United Methodist Church will hold a Flea Market on Saturday, May 17, 8:00AM-3:00PM, Rain date Saturday, May 24. Interested vendors/FMI call 570-992-7311. St. Peter's UMC, Rt.115, Saylorsburg, PA.

39th Blue Mt. Antique Gas Engine & Steam Assoc. Swap Meet

The 39th annual Blue Mt. Antique Gas Engine & Steam Assoc. Swap Meet will be held on Saturday, May 17 & Sunday, May 18, Jacktown Grove, 1229 Richmond Rd. Bangor, Pa. FMI call Tom 610-588-7360, 610-588-6900 day of show www.jacktown.org See ad on page 8 for details

Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm - Farm Animal Frolic Weekends

Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm will host Farm Animal Frolic Weekends May 17 & 18 & May 24 & 25 10:00AM-4:00PM, 347 Quiet Valley Road, Stroudsburg, PA.18360 www.quietvalley.org See ad on page 5 for details

Ackermanville United Methodist Church Free Meal

Ackermanville United Methodist Church free community Drive-thru meal will be held on Sunday, May 18, at 3:00PM. The church hosts a free monthly community Drive-thru meal every 3rd Sunday of the month. The church is located at 1410 Ackermanville Rd., Ackermanville, PA.

Blue Valley Farm Show Monthly Breakfast

The Blue Valley Farm Show will hold their monthly breakfast on Sunday, May 18, 7:00AM-12:30PM at the Blue Valley Farm Show, 707 American Bangor Road, (RT 512) Between Bangor & Pen Argyl. See ad on page 11 for details

Roseto Chapter Ladies of UNICO Bingo & Basket Raffle

The Roseto Chapter Ladies of UNICO will host a Bingo & Basket Raffle on Sunday, May 18. Doors open 12:00PM, Bingo starts at 1:00PM. Mt Carmel School, 80 Ridge Street, Roseto, PA. Tickets call Josette 610-653-3153.

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Blue Valley Farmers Market

located at the Blue Valley Farm Show (707 American Bangor Rd., Bangor, PA)

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Sunday, May 4, 2025

Tickets available Monday 6:30-9:00pm or Thursday at Bingo 4:00-9:00pm Contact Elaine for tickets at 484-764-6041





(3 Live Bands, Family Fun Events, Food Trucks, Fireworks 9:15PM) Follow the Bangor 150th Anniversary on Facebook to stay update to date on announcements & events www.facebook.com/BangorBorough150

Rain Date Sunday, June 15

Community Day at Bangor Memorial Park

150th Merchandise Available

See page 9 for 150th Anniversary Parade Information

33rd Annual Kite Day in the Park at **Louise W. Moore County Park**

In partnership with the Lehigh Valley Kite Society and Pocono Kite Symphony, the Northampton County Parks & Recreation will sponsor the 33rd Annual Kite Day in the Park at Louise W. Moore County Park in Lower Nazareth Township from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM on Saturday, May

The event will be held at Pavilion #4 and adjacent open fields on the west side of the park at 151 Country Club Road, Easton, PA 18045 (Coordinates: 40.691836 and -75.292959).

Join us for a day full of beautiful displays of kites and join our volunteers from the region's two premier kiting organizations for free kite flying lessons, kids' kite building and kite coloring workshops, raffles, games, and more! Through generous sponsorships, this annual program is offered free of charge to the public. It is the perfect family fun activity to enjoy on the first Saturday of May.

Weona Park Pool Pals Meeting May Meeting

The next meeting of the Weona Park Pool Pals will be held on Monday, May 5, 2025 at the Pen Argyl Borough Hall, on Robinson Ave, Pen Argyl.

The public is invited and encouraged to attend. FMI please call 610-863-6472. Donations to the Weona Park Pool Pals can be made on their website https://weonapool.wixsite.com/website or checks can be made payable to: Pen Argyl Athletic Park Association and mail to: Weona Park Pool Pals, P.O. Box 42, Pen Argyl, PA 18072. All donations are tax deductible.

Slater Family Network Receives Check from Northampton County

Photo Lisa Newberry



Northampton County Executive Lamont McClure presented Patti Damour, Executive Director of Slater Family Network with a \$10,000 check on Monday, April 28, at the Slater Family Network office.

Nazareth Area Garden Club News

The Nazareth Area Garden Club will hold its May Meeting on May 20, at the Dryland UCC Church, 4415 Newburg Road, Upper Nazareth Township at 7:00 p.m. The program for the evening will be given by Sharon Carey. Her program will be about "Propagation." In May, Club members will display many plant specimens, including Clematis, Columbine, Violet, and Peony. They also have 3 floral arrangements to design; Basket of Love-Arrangement in a basket, May Day Pole-Vertical, Anything Goes with a sustainable twist.

On May 31st the club will hold a plant sale in the parking lot of the Schoeneck Moravian Pavilion at 316 Broad Street, Nazareth, Pa. 18064.

Refreshments will be served at the monthly meeting. We welcome visitors to all meetings. For more information please call Janet Farole at 484-221-0047.

AOAM Foundation Blue Collar Scholarship

The AOAM Foundation (Aonghus Oakley Ames Miller Foundation) is accepting applications for the Blue Collar Scholarship in loving memory of Aonghus Oakley Ames "Goose" Miller. The scholarship is open to high school juniors attending the Career Institute of Technology (CIT) enrolled in the CAD Design or Machining and Tooling. Applicants are asked to submit a video presentation, power point, or written essay, teacher reference and high school transcript or acceptance letter to Post Secondary Trade Program to: Aoam.foundation@gmail.com Deadline to apply is May 31, 2025. Winners will be announced at the Truck Show on **September 13**. For more information on the AOAM Foundation and the Blue Collar Scholarship please visit their website: www.aoamfoundation.org



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Broiled Scallops over rice w/2 vegetables	·
Broiled Salmon over Rice w/Dill Sauce	
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Smoked Pork Chops (2)	
Maryland Crab Cakes	
** Above Entrees include 2 vegetables, choice of soup or salad and cake unless otherwise noted.	+ . 0.00

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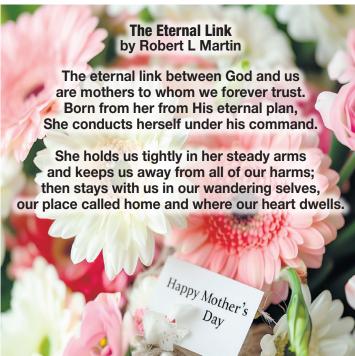
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families are welcome. Kids may play accompanied by adult.

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Questions & tickets contact Stephanie 610-216-6716



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Blue Valley Farm Show 4-H Scholarship Awards

The 2025-2026 BVFS 4-H scholarships have been announced. Each recipient will receive a \$1,000 scholarship in a ceremony at the annual Blue Valley Farm Show. This year's winners are Eliana Koehler of Bangor Pa., Daniel Eyre of Northampton Pa., and Aiden Sell of Walnutport Pa.

Eliana will be a Sophomore at Penn State University Berks Campus. Eliana has been a member of the Northampton

County 4-H Dairy Club for 10 years.

Daniel will be a Senior at Penn State University. Daniel has been a member of the Northampton County 4-H Dairy Club

Aiden will be a Sophomore at DeSales University. Aiden has been a member of the Northampton County 4-H Beef

and Dairy Clubs for 14 years.

Any student who is a past or present member of a Northampton County 4-H Club and will be attending an institute of higher education as an undergraduate and works in the 4-H milkshake stand at the Blue Valley Farm Show may apply for the scholarship.

Applications will be available **January 1, 2026**. For more information contact Audrey Koehler at 610-498-3389.



Bangor 150 Celebration Parade "Bangor Through The Years" Sunday, June 8, 2025 - 2:00 P.M.

Parade participant Information: The parade route will start on Lower South Main Street near Pennico Park

and continue up South Main Street onto Broadway and end at Fourth Street and Broadway. Parade line ups will start at 1:00 P.M. There will be parade volunteers to assist with line ups. You will be notified two days before the parade to inform you what division you have been assigned and who is in front and in back of your group, float, individuals or band. In-person registration will be at Bray's Newsstand, 36 Broadway, Bangor or Miller's Paint Store, 100 Erdman Avenue, Bangor. For online registration go to BangorBorough.org and click on 150th Anniversary celebration. Deadline for registration is Thursday, May 29 at 4:00 P.M. Registration is free. No late registrations please. There will no candy throwing permitted.

Division line ups are as follows:

Division 1: Line up at the PCI parking lot.

Division 2: Line up BioSpectra parking lot near the viaduct. Division 3 Line up South Main Street in front of the Bangor

Borough garage.

Participants registering online are asked to please make a sign measuring 6"x 8" with your assigned parade number. The judges will be seated in front of Jones monument on South Main Street, (by the Bangor Public Library) please place your sign on the right side of your float or group. Any questions can be directed to Keith Heard, Parade Co-Chair at 484-375-9824.

Slate Belt Band is Seeking New Members

The Slate Belt Band is looking for new members. especially trombones. Practices are every Wed. from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Roseto American Legion, 143 Garibaldi Ave., Roseto, PA. FMI, email: slatebeltband@gmail.com



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Weekly Weeders - Monday, May 5, 12, & 19 at 8:30am to 10:30am. Interested in learning more about gardening with native plants? Volunteer to mulch, pull weeds, divide plants, and amend soil in the center's native plant garden Monday mornings from 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM. We provide instruction, tools, and weeding mats. Registration is required.

Family Science Night: Creek Critters, Animalitos de Arroyo -Friday, May 9, 2025 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Join us to learn about the fascinating creatures living in Bushkill Creek. Equipment to study these animals will be provided. Wear close-toed shoes that can get wet and expect to be in the water up to your knees. This program is best for families with children ages 5 and up. This program will be presented in English and Spanish. Registration is required. Please register all members of your party including adults & children as space for this program is limited to 20 attendees total. Acompáñanos para aprender sobre los animalitos fascinantes que viven en el arroyo de Bushkill. Proveeremos el equipo para estudiar estos animales. Por favor vístanse los zapatos de punta cercana que pueden mojarse y prevea para el agua estar al nivel de las rodillas. Este programa es mejor para las familias con los niños de 5 años y mejor. Registro es requerido. Por favor registrese todos miembros de su grupo e incluya los adultos y niños. El espacio para este programa es limitado a 20 participantes.

Bird Walk for Adults - Wednesday, May 14, 2025 8am to 10am. Join volunteer Dan for a morning bird walk at Jacobsburg. Dan will teach you the basics of looking and listening for birds, how to identify them, and how to use a field guide. Binoculars are available to borrow if you don't have your own. Please wear sturdy shoes and dress for the weather. Registration is required.

Hike for Health - Wednesday, May 14 at 5:30pm to 7:00pm. Get moving after work with a brisk hike at Jacobsburg! These guided monthly hikes are 2 to 3 miles over uneven terrain. You must be able to maintain a hiking pace of two miles per hour to attend. Dogs are welcome to hike on a leash. Meet at the Visitor Center flagpole at 400 Belfast Road. Registration is not required. Join the email reminder list by contacting us at 610-746-2801 or jacobsburgsp@pa.gov.

Fishing Equipment Available - Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 2:30pm. Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth Borrow fly rods, spinning rods, fly boxes, and tackle to use in Jacobsburg's creeks! To borrow equipment, you must provide a driver's license or other form of state issued identification. Persons age 16 and older must possess a current fishing license to fish. Adults can help children under 16 fish without a license. Bait is not provided. For more information call 610-746-2801 or emailjacobsburgsp@pa.gov.

DiscoverE Adventure Backpacks Available - Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 2:30pm. Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth

Borrow a backpack full of kid-friendly tools to explore Jacobsburg! These backpacks are best for families with young children. Each backpack includes binoculars, notepad, colored pencils, magnifying lens, bug box, dip net, and five field guides for exploring the pond, insects, birds, trees, butterflies and moths. For more information call 610-746-2801 or emailjacobsburgsp@pa.gov.

You can view and register for community programs online at https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg. If you need an accommodation to participate in a program, please contact the park office at 610-746-2801 orjacobsburgsp@pa.gov. Interpreters for people who are deaf or hard of hearing are available for educational programs with at least seven days notice.

Slate Belt Heritage Center May Historic Parogram

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will hold their monthly historic presentation on Thursday, May 8, 7:00 PM. The program is entitled: "On the Edge of Empires: Forts, Raids, and the 1757 Keller Massacre in Frontier Plainfield Township"; Caught in the crossfire of the French and Indian War, Plainfields settlers endured captivity and massacre. Explore how Plainfield bore the scars of the conflict and why the memory of that fight matters today.

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The program is free and open to the public. The Heritage Center is located at 30 North 1st Street, Bangor, PA. For additional information please contact: Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.

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Sunday, June 8

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Roseto Borough Breaks Ground for New Pickleball Court

Photo by Lisa Newberry See more photos on our Facebook page
Roseto Borough held a groundbreaking event at the Roseto ball park for their new pickleball court. The



Pictured L-R Tony Zinno, Taylor Pfeffer, Roseto Mayor Ilene Tillman, Senator Lisa Boscola, PA. State Rep. Ann Flood, Tyler MacDonald, T. Mac Builders, Darlene Dunbar, Joe Angelini, Nick Martino, Dan Engle. Standing in back Ken Tillman

Easter Egg HUNTS

Photos by Lisa Newberry

Area Easter egg hunts were held on Saturday April 19. Children had fun collecting eggs and visiting with the Easter See more photos on our Facebook page Bunny.

Scooters at Miller's Egg Hunt



Washington Twsp. Vol. Fire Co, Easter Egg Hunt



Portland Borough Easter Egg Hunt



Bangor Time Capsule Opened *Photos by Cory Dailey*

On Sunday, April 27, the time capsule, that was buried 50 years ago in 1975 for Bangor's 100th Centennial celebration was opened. The capsule was a sealed burial vault filled with family histories, magazines, clothing, and other memorabilia. Bangor Borough will celebrate its Sesquicentennial (150th) Anniversary in June.

See more photos on our Facebook page



Bangor Public Library News

The Bangor Public Library will hold their Spring Book Sale on Fri., May 2,10:00AM-5:00PM, Sat., May 3, 10:00AM-4:00PM & Sun., May 4, 1:00-4:00PM at the Bee Hive, 197 Pennsylvania Avenue, Bangor, PA. 18013

New in the Bangor Public Library

Adult Fiction - The Ashfire King by Chelsea Abdullah; Strangers in Time by David Baldacci; The Book Club for Troublesome Women: A Novel by Marie Bostwick The River has Roots by Amal El-Mohtar 2 Sisters

Murder Investigations by James Patterson The Maid's Secret: A Maid Novel by Nita Prose; The Perfect Divorce by Jeneva Rose Summer Light on Nantucket: A Novel by Nancy Thayer.

Adult Non Fiction - Every Day With Babs: 101 Family-Friendly Dinners for Every Day of the Week by Barbara Costello; The Rebel Romanov: Julie of Saxe-Coburg, the Empress Russia Never Had by Helen Rappaport Autism Out Loud: Life with a Child on the Spectrum, From Diagnosis to Young Adulthood by Kate Swenson.

Easy Fiction: How the Finch Got His Colors by Annemarie Riley Guertin; I Don't Draw, I Color! By Adam Lehrhaupt; How

to Catch An Invisible Bad Guy by Alice Walstead.

Junior Non Fiction - Learn to Draw Disney Villains; Disney: How to Draw Princesses: With Steps For 12 Princesses and Their Friends! By Walt Disney Company Ltd.

DVDs - Flight Risk; Harbin; Paw Patrol Air Rescue; Sonic the

Hedgehog 3.

The Bangor Public Library is located at 39 S. Main Street, Bangor, PA. The phone number is 610-588 4136. Hours: Mon., 1-8pm; Tues., 10am-8pm; Wed., 1-8pm; Thurs., 10am-8pm; Fri., 1-5pm; Sat., 10am-4pm; Sun. Closed.

New Items at Blue Mountain Community Library

Adult Fiction - The Business Trip, Jessie Garcia; We All Live Here, Jojo Moyes; The Queens of Crime, Marie Benedict; A Season of Perfect Happiness, Maribeth Fischer; Three Days in

June, Anne Tyler; The Finders Keepers Library, Annie Rains;

Let Us March On, Shara Moon.

Adult Large Print – Beach Vibes, Susan Mallery; Fight or Flight, Fern Michaels; Land of Dreams, Lauraine Snelling. Juvenile Fiction – Worm Weather, Jean Taft; The Lady Who Swallowed a Rainbow, Lucille Colandro.

The Blue Mountain Community Library is located at 216 S. Robinson Ave. in Pen Argyl. Hours are 10-12, Monday thru Saturday mornings and 6-8, Monday and Thursday evenings. All information is available on our Facebook page and website @www.bmcl.org

First United Methodist Church (FUMC) Bangor Free Luncheon

The First United Methodist Church (FUMC) in Bangor is resuming their Free sit down luncheons every **4th Sunday of the month at 12:30PM Sunday, May 24**, Luncheons will be held in the Fellowship Hall. Please enter at the alley entrance off of North 3rd Street, Bangor, PA.

Christ Presbyterian Church of the Slate Belt Hospitality Luncheon Christ Presbyterian Church of the Slate Belt invites you to join them on Saturday, May 31, 11:30AM-1:30PM. Dine in or Take out. Luncheons are held on the last Saturday of the month. The church is located at 332 Kennedy Drive, Bangor, PA.

Area Food Pantries

Bethel Bible Church Food Pantry

Every Saturday 9:30AM - 11:00AM. 7742 N. Delaware Drive, (Rt 611), Martins Creek PA. FMI call (908) 483-8231.

Portland Upper Mt Bethel Food Bank P.U.M.P.

The Portland Upper Mt Bethel Food Pantry P.U.M.P. is open **Mondays 8:30AM to 11:30AM**. P.U.M.P. is located at 111 State Street in Portland. The phone number is 570-897-5847.

Mission of Love Food Bank

Every Tuesday 9:00AM to 12:00PM, 555 North Main Street, Bangor, PA. Questions contact Pastor Frank Pons (570) 807-7794.

Helping Hands Food Pantry at Stroudsburg Wesleyan Church

1st and 3rd Fridays of each month from 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM. Drive Thru Pick Up parking lot opens at 4:30 PM. 915 North 5th Street , Stroudsburg, PA. For more information contact the church 570-421-0750

St. Elizabeth/St.Joseph Food Ministry

Corner of Genoga St. and Rte. 512, Wind Gap. The second and fourth Saturdays of each month from 9:00AM-10:00AM. Contact Katherine Kerler for more information:610-863-7542.

John Wesley Covenant Church

19 West Street in Wind Gap. The church offers free meals to the community every third Thursday of the month.



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