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## SEPTEMBER



**SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL  
CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

### NATIONAL DAYS

SEPTEMBER 21 - NATIONAL POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY

SEPTEMBER 22 - AUTUMNAL EQUINOX - FIRST DAY OF FALL

SEPTEMBER 25 - NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY

SEPTEMBER 26 - NATIONAL WOMEN'S HEALTH & FITNESS DAY

SEPTEMBER 28 - NATIONAL GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY

SEPTEMBER 29 - NATIONAL COFFEE DAY

SEPTEMBER 30 - NATIONAL LOVE PEOPLE DAY

**Next issue will be printed  
October 4th**

**Deadline for all ad copy and news  
Friday, September 28th**

**Email your news and events to  
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## WEEKEND HAPPENINGS

### PA Trappers Assn District 10 2018 Fall Trapping Convention

Pennsylvania Trappers Association District 10 Trappers 2018 Fall Trapping Convention, **September 21st 12:00-6:00pm and September 22nd, 8:00am-6:00pm** at the Northampton County 4-H Center, 777 Bushkill Center Rd. Nazareth, PA 18064). Free Admission, Free Demos, Food on premises, Tailgaters welcome. Contact Bob Counterman 610-759-9203.

### St Joseph's Episcopal Church Bazaar & Rummage Sale

St Joseph's Episcopal Church will hold a Bazaar & Rummage Sale on **Friday, Sept. 21st, 8:00am-4:00pm & Saturday, Sept. 22nd, 8:00am-2:00pm** at the church 1440 Verona Ave. (West Bangor) Pen Argyl, PA. Sale held rain or shine. Refreshments and baked goods will be available for purchase. Donations gladly accepted until Sept. 13, contact Mildred 610-863-5021.

### Hope UCC Spaghetti Dinner

Hope United Church of Christ in Wind Gap, will host a Spaghetti Dinner on **Saturday, September 22nd, 4:00pm-7:00pm**. Hope United Church of Christ, 2nd Street, Wind Gap. For more info e-mail hopeucc@hotmail.com or call 908-727-0090.

### Green & White Youth Assoc. Community Night Fundraiser

The Green & White Youth Association will hold their 1st Annual Community Night Fundraiser on **Friday, September 21st, 5:00pm-8:00pm** at the fields 436 West Main Street, Pen Argyl, PA. Come for a night of family fun! Event will be held rain or shine. If you are interested in donating or have any questions contact Marsha Rohn at mrohn1313@gmail.com

### Tatamy Car Show Rescheduled

The Tatamy Car Show sponsored by the Tatamy Historical Society will be held **Sunday, September 23rd, 9:30 am-2:30 pm** on Broad Street. Participants Choice Trophies will be presented: Stock Classes 1903-1949, 1950-1959, 1960-1969, 1970-1979, 1980-1989, 1990-1999, 2000- Present, Truck, Motorcycle, Street, Rod through 1949, and custom 1950 to present. A Tatamy Historical Society Trophy will also be presented. Food and music will be provided.

The Tatamy Historical Society's archives in the municipal building will be open to the public during the event.

### 2nd Annual Ride with the Blue Part II

Bushkill Township Police Association (BTPA) will be hosting their 2nd annual motorcycle run on **September 23rd 10am-6pm** to support Law Enforcement and BTPA. The ride will be full Police escorted and end with a party at Evergreen Lake. Your donation will include an event t-shirt, after party including food, beverages and live band. All active and retired Law Enforcement are free with proper identification. There will also be a live K-9 demonstration and many other surprises. Save the date and support a great cause with a great ride event.

### First United Evangelical Congregational Church Fall Rally Day

Fall Rally Day will be celebrated on **Sunday, September 23rd, at the 10:30am** worship service at First United Evangelical Congregational Church, 25 S. Second Street, Bangor, The local vocal group, "Freely Given," will bring a very special time of music to the service. The public is cordially invited to join the First UEC church family for this service.

**Thomas Greenhouse & Country Store**  
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**Fall Open House and Succulent Workshop**  
**September 29th 10 am - 4pm**  
 Raindate October 6th

Mums \$6 each or 3/\$15  
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 Fall Decorations

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 Enjoy FREE Pumpkin Painting, Food Trucks, Vendors, and more!

**OPEN 7 DAYS Monday-Saturday 9-5 Sunday 10-4**  
**1602 Mt Bethel Hwy. (Rt 512) Mt Bethel, PA. 484-661-6553**

**6th Annual Masonic Motorama**  
 Show/Shine, RC Events and Truck/Tractor Pulls  
 Presented by Portland Lodge No.311 F&AM

**Saturday 22nd - Show/Shine & Truck Pulls, Awards @ 3:30 for Top 40, Vehicle light show in the Grove at dusk.**  
**Sunday 23rd - Breakfast Cruise In, and Tractor Pulls. Gates open at 8:00am both days**

Fun for the whole family. All vehicles welcome to attend. If it has an engine, we have a class for it!!  
 Show info: Bob 484-239-5294  
 Vendor info: Dawn 484-866-7233  
 Plainfield Farmers Grove, 1281 Bangor Rd., Nazareth PA  
 Visit facebook for more info at [www.facebook.com/sbmm311](http://www.facebook.com/sbmm311)  
**Proceeds Benefit P.U.M.P. and Mission of Love Food Pantry**

Monster Truck Rides & More!

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**September 29-30, Noon-5pm Walking Tour**  
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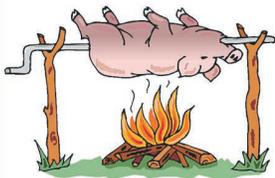
### Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce Specialty Bingo

The Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Specialty Bingo on **Sunday, September 23rd**. Bangor Elks Lodge, 120 Broadway, Bangor, PA. **Doors Open 12:00pm, Bingo starts at 1:00pm**, 20 Games Bingo, Refreshments, Silent Auction. Tickets available at the door.

**Bangor VFW Post 739 - Annual Pig Roast**

**Saturday, September 29, 2018**  
1pm – 5pm

**Tickets: \$20 advance / \$25 day of event**  
**Children 12 and under FREE**



**Live Band - Blackpearl Seven**  
**Free Food and Drink**  
**Bangor VFW Post 739**  
**202 Veterans Road Bangor, PA**  
**Questions please call 610-588-5555**

**Families First 16th Annual 5-K Race & 1 Mile Fun Walk**

Families First is celebrating its 16th Anniversary serving residents in the PenArgyl Area School District. The 16th Annual 5-K Race & 1 Mile Fun Walk on **Saturday, September 29th**, rain or shine. Registration for the race/walk will begin at the Wind Gap Borough Park at **7:45am** with the race starting at **9:00am** To Register contact race chairperson Phil Giaquinto at 610-746-4436 or via email to giaquinto.phil@penargylsd.org. For sponsorship information, contact the Families First Director, Frank Jones at 610-863-3688 or via email to jones.frank@penargylsd.org For more information about Families First checkout our website [www.familiesfirstpenargyl.org](http://www.familiesfirstpenargyl.org) and Like us Facebook.

**Grace UMC 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 begin on **Thursday, September 27th from 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 16th at 3:00pm** at the church. For more information or any questions call the church office at 610-863-4811.

**UMBT Park Committee to Host 2nd Annual Craft Show**

The Upper Mt Bethel Park Committee will host the 2nd Annual Craft Show on **Saturday, September 29th, 9:00am-3:00pm**. 2341 N. Delaware Drive, Mt Bethel, PA. Handmade Crafts only for space application email: [sharon\\_cerny@yahoo.com](mailto:sharon_cerny@yahoo.com)

**2nd Annual Grand Central Landfill Chili Cookoff & Open House**

Save the date! **Saturday, September 29th, 12:00pm-4:00pm** 2nd Annual Grand Central Landfill Chili Cookoff & Open House Event will feature 10 of the best chili recipes from around the Slate Belt as non-profits compete for your vote! Waste Management will be donating jackpots to the winners valued over \$2000.00.

**EBUMC Pastie Sale**

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church will hold a pastie sale. The selections include beef w/wo onions and broccoli-cheese w/wo onions. To order, call Lois at 610-588-1745 by **Sunday, September 30th**. Pasties must be picked up at the church on **Tuesday, October 2nd, at 3:30 p.m.** The church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA.

**Friends of the Bangor Public Library**

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library will hold a fundraiser on **Thursday, September 27th** at the Broadway Pub, Bangor Pa. The Pub will donate 10% of food sales to the Library for that day. Fundraiser runs from **11:00am until closing**. Please stop in this day, or order take out, enjoy lunch or dinner and support our wonderful historic library. For additional information contact Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.

Join the Friends of the Bangor Public Library on **Friday, October 19th, 6:00pm-9:00pm** for a Wine Tasting at Franklin Hill Vineyards. Enjoy wine tasting, light refreshments and take home your own wine glass.

Tickets are on sale now at the Bangor Public Library. Seating is limited, so please get your tickets early. You must be 21 years of age to attend.

**Marine Corps League**

Northampton County Detachment 298 Meeting **3 October/1900** 1621 Lehigh St. / Easton. All active duty and honorably discharged Marines welcome! [jimmineousmc@rcn.com](mailto:jimmineousmc@rcn.com) [www.norcomcl.org](http://www.norcomcl.org) Facebook: Marine Corps League Northampton County Detachment 298

**Roseto Chapter Ladies of Unico Fundraiser**

The Roseto chapter Ladies of Unico will hold a fundraiser at The Slate Pub in Pen Argyl on **Tuesday, October 9th 11:00am to 11:00pm**. A percentage of the proceeds from dine in and take out food will benefit the seven local charities the ladies support.

**Slate Belt Heritage Center Calendar of Events for 2018**

**Thursday, October 11th, 7:00pm** - Haunted Heritage Program.  
**Thursday, November 8th, 7:00pm** - World War I Veterans - presented by William Casamassima.

**Sunday, December 9th, 2:00pm** - The Great Slate Belt Trivia Contest - MC Marc Blau hosts the trivia game for teams of four. Make your own team or just show up and join in the fun. Prizes for the winners. Slate Belt Heritage Center is located at 30 N. 1st Street, Bangor, PA.

**Moore Township Democrats Meet the Candidates Night**

Moore Township Democrats will host Meet the Candidates Night! **October 11th, 6:30pm**, Blue Mountain Woodworking, 2413 Community, Bath. Meet candidates: Susan Wild, US House District 7; Tarah Probst, PA Senate District 40; Dean Donaher, PA House District 138; Jason Ruff, PA House District 183.

**Monroe County Habitat for Humanity Warehouse Sale**

Monroe County Habitat for Humanity Warehouse Sale **Saturday, October 13th, 9:00am-4:00pm**. 354 Memorial Blvd., Tobyhanna, PA.

**BHS Fall Band Concert**

Bangor Area High School's Fall Band Concert will be held on **Tuesday, October 16th, 7:30pm** at the M. Craig Paine Performing Arts Theater. Feature performances by both the Concert Band and Symphonic Band For more information visit: [www.bahsbands.weebly.com](http://www.bahsbands.weebly.com)

**Cub Scout Pushmobile Derby**

The 13th Annual Cub Scout Pushmobile Derby will be held on **Saturday, October 20th, 8:00am-12:30pm** at Washington Elementary School, 381 Washington Blvd., Bangor, PA. Hosted by Forks of the Delaware District - Minsi Trails Council **Registration and Cart Inspection: 8:00am-9:00am. Racing: 9:00am-12:00pm, Awards: 12:00pm-12:30pm**. Trophies for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd for each Cub Scout age (Tiger, Wolf, Bear, & Webelos (Webelos 1 & 2 race together) group). Youth Registration includes a patch. Adults may also purchase patches.



**Blue Mountain  
Community Library  
Library Night at  
Wendy's Fundraiser**

The Blue Mountain Community Library will once again hold a "Library Night at Wendy's" Fundraiser on **Wed. September 26th**. Wendy's Restaurant, Route 512 in Wind Gap, PA, will generously donate a portion of all sales from **5:00pm-8:00pm**, Dine-in, Take-out or Drive-through, to the library. Please come and enjoy dinner at Wendy's and help the library raise money to continue to serve the residents of the Slate Belt. Membership is free to all who live in the Pen Argyl Area School District and non-residents may join the library for a small yearly fee.

The Library will continue to collect non-perishable food items for the Salvation Army Food Bank in Pen Argyl during the month of September. Please drop off your donations at the library, located at 216 S. Robinson Ave., Pen Argyl. Call Lisa at 610-863-3029 for information or visit the website at [www.bmcl.org](http://www.bmcl.org). Find us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/penargyl](http://www.facebook.com/penargyl).

**Easton Class of '69 Raffle/Tricky Tray**

The Easton High School Class of 1969 is hosting a Raffle and Tricky Tray on **Saturday, October 20th 6:30pm-9:30pm** at the Pomfret Club in Easton. Drawing will be held at **8:00pm** All prizes donated by EAHS class of 1969. This event is to help raise money for the Class of '69 50th reunion next year October 5th, 2019. For more info contact Marianne DeFrancesco Schweitzer call 610-863-7158 or email to [duff@ptd.net](mailto:duff@ptd.net) for any other information.

**Presbyterian Chapel Holiday Market & Victorian Teatime**

Holiday Market **October 20th, 9:00am to 2:00pm**, and Victorian Teatime, **10:00am to 1:00pm**, at the Presbyterian Chapel, 291 Main St (across the street from the church) in Hackettstown. Many tables of Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas items for sale. Enjoy our bake sale goods lovingly produced by our parishioners. Something for everyone. Visit us at [fpchackettstown.org](http://fpchackettstown.org) or Facebook/FPCHackettstown.

**"Bandorama" Concert**

Bangor Area High School's "Bandorama" Concert is scheduled for **Thursday, October 25, 7:30pm** at the M. Craig Paine Performing Arts Theater. The concert will include an indoor performance by the BAHS Marching Band complete with their 2018 Halftime Show, school songs and pop tunes. For more information visit: [www.bahsbands.weebly.com](http://www.bahsbands.weebly.com)

**Forks Township Historical Society**

The Forks Township Historical Society meetings are held the **4th Monday of each month at 7:00 pm** at the Faith Lutheran Church. There is Show & Tell and a Speaker at each meeting.

**Orphan Outreach Ministry Tricky Tray**

The Orphan Outreach Ministry will hold a Tricky Tray at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, Rte. 209, Gilbert. On **November 10th, doors open at 9:00am drawing starts at 12:30pm..** Over 150 baskets. . Proceeds will go to make the life of disabled orphans in Ukraine a little bit better. Donations accepted! For more information contact Sandie Flannery at [Flannery@QOPchurch.org](mailto:Flannery@QOPchurch.org) or 570-350-9652.

**Mt. Bethel Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary  
30th FALL CRAFT SHOW  
Saturday, November 24, 2018 - 9:00 am-3:00 pm  
Crafters Of Handmade Items Only.**

**\$25.00** will reserve an 8 foot table or space and **\$15.00** for a second table on a first come, first serve, basis. Doors open at 7:00 a.m., We request that you stay for the time advertised for the show 9 AM-3PM

Physical address is: 2341 No. Delaware Drive, Mount Bethel PA 18343  
Please fill out the form below and return it with your check made payable to:

**Mt Bethel Fire Co. Auxiliary – NO LATER than Nov. 10, 2018**

Send to: **MT BETHEL FIRE CO. LADIES AUX.  
PO BOX 194, Mt Bethel PA 18343**

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**We look forward to seeing you**

NAME: -----

ADDRESS: -----

EMAIL: -----

PHONE: -----

CRAFT: -----

NUMBER OF TABLES: \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF CHAIRS: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:

ELECTRICITY: \_\_\_\_\_ WALL SPACE: \_\_\_\_\_ SPACE INSTEAD OF TABLE: \_\_\_\_\_

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FALL SHOW 2018



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**Miller's Egg Ranch**  
**Fall Harvest Open House**  
**and Grand Opening of our 2018 Corn Maze!**  
**Opening Weekend**  
**Saturday, Sept. 22 11:00- 6:00 pm &**  
**Sunday Sept. 23 11:00 am -5:00 pm**

**Pumpkin Patch, games, animals, mums, cornstalks, Indian corn and other decorations will be available!**  
**Food, local crafters and farmers market open!**  
**Come join us for a family fun day of festivities!**  
**Beginning Friday Sept. 28th through November 3rd**  
**Open Friday & Saturdays**  
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**Bangor Elks 2018 Halloween Parade**

Bangor Lodge #1106 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks 2018 edition of the Bangor Elks Halloween Parade in the Borough of Bangor will be held on **Thursday October 18, 2018 at 7:00pm** with no rain date. The parade theme for 2018 will be "A Sci-Fi Halloween".

Individuals and groups wishing to participate in the parade, can sign up online for free at <http://www.bangorelks1106.com/parade> or by visiting the lodge home page and clicking on the parade link. It will be necessary to include an email address for registration for further communications and on the parade. Registration will remain open until **October 11, 2018.**

The parade route is currently pending PennDot approval. Once the route is finalized and approved, the lodge will announce the route through a press release, the website, and through Facebook Social Media.

After the parade, the Bangor Lodge will once again host free hot dogs and soda at the lodge for the parade participants. Further information on the parade will be released in the coming weeks.

**Slate Belt Heritage Center to Present its 7th Annual Haunted Heritage Show "This Is Your Life"**

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will present its 7th Annual Haunted Heritage Show on **Thursday, October 11th, 7:00 pm.** Advance ticket purchase is highly recommended. Tickets are available at Heard's Meat Market, Bray's News Stand and the Slate Belt Heritage Center, Saturday and Sunday 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. and Monday 8:00 a.m.- Noon. Theme for this year's event is "This is Your Life" with host "Ralphaela" Edwards played by Kim Bray. The ghosts of the Slate Belt past return to tell their tales. Please see the attachment for the complete list of famous Slate Belt personalities. The Heritage Center is located at 30 North 1st Street, Bangor, PA. For additional information contact: Karen Brewer at 484-894-5661.



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**41st Annual Festival of Marching Bands**

Now a USBands Competition, the 41st Annual Festival of Marching Bands will be held at Bangor Memorial Park at 90 Eisenhart Blvd. Bangor, PA **Saturday, October 13th starting at 5:30 PM.** For more information visit: [www.bahsbands.weebly.com](http://www.bahsbands.weebly.com)

**St Luke's UCC Belfast to Host Trunk or Treat**

St Luke's UCC Belfast will host a Trunk or Treat on **Saturday, October 13th from 4:00pm-6:00pm,** St Luke's UCC, 471 Belfast Rd, Nazareth, PA.

**Send us your news and events**  
**[thebeltandbeyond@gmail.com](mailto:thebeltandbeyond@gmail.com)**

**Decorate for Fall with Corn Stalks, Pumpkins, & Straw Bales!**

**Pumpkin Decorating & Crafts**  
**Sunday October 7th**  
 1:00pm - 2:30pm for ages 3-9  
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**Lukie's Fall Festival**  
**15th Annual**  
**Cure SMA**  
 In Memory of Luke Anthony Joseph Maida

**Lukie's Fall Festival**

The 15th Annual Lukie's Fall Festival will be held on **Saturday, October 6th, 11:00am - 5:00pm** at Weona Park, Pen Argyl. Lukie's Fall Festival was founded in memory of Luke Anthony Joseph Maida who passed away from Spinal Muscular Atrophy at 6 months old. As a memorial to our beloved "Lukie" and to continue his fight, we decided to host "Lukie's Fall Festival."

Lukie's Fall Festival is a fun and entertaining day, where families can come and have a great time together, treasuring those sweet everyday moments, while helping to raise money for Cure SMA.

Come celebrate 15 Years of Food, Games, Fun, Raffles, Live Music, Pie Eating Contest, Face Painting, Hay Rides, Clowns, Balloons, Mini Golf, Historic Carousel, Pumpkins, Bake Sale, Sand Art, Family Fun for Everyone,

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Call today for more information and to reserve your space!

**610-554-9632**

**WMM WASTE MANAGEMENT**

**Creatures of the Night**  
 Creatures of the Night will be held on **Wednesday, October 24th 6:00pm-7:30pm**, Grand Central Education Center, 891 Grand Central Road, Pen Argyl, PA.

Join us for an "Owl-erific" time! The Wildlands Conservancy will be presenting live beautiful birds and other "spooky" creatures. You don't want to miss this!

The event is free for all ages! The event is RAIN or SHINE.

Space is limited. Please register with Community Relations Manager, Adrienne Fors [afors1@wm.com](mailto:afors1@wm.com) or leave a message on our community line 1-888-373-2917.

To learn more about the program, visit our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/wastemanagementsgrandcentrallenvironmentaleducationcenter](http://www.facebook.com/wastemanagementsgrandcentrallenvironmentaleducationcenter)

**The "Haunting" of Room 403**

Let's have a monster of a time and a ghostly amount of fun! Join us on **October 13th, 10:00am to 12:00pm** in the Cops & Kid Reading Room, Fowler Family Southside Center of Northampton Community College for a morning of haunting Halloween tales and help us Hunt for Dracula, avoid a Creepy Pair of Underwear, deal with a Gunnwolf and so much more. Dress in your best Halloween costume! Suggested for all ages.

**OCTOBERFEST**  
**FAMILY FUN AT**  
**BANGOR MEMORIAL PARK**  
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13TH 4:00PM-8:30PM**  
**& SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14TH 4:00PM-8:00PM**

**The Bangor Train Ride**  
 Ride the Bangor Train through a pastoral display of Jack-O-Lanterns Saturday and Sunday.  
 Train Rides begin at 4:30pm.  
 \$3 per ride Children 2 and under FREE

**Food, Craft and Gift Vendors, Scarecrow Stuffing \$4, Pumpkin Carving/Painting \$3 small pumpkins, \$4 large pumpkins, Hay Ride \$1.**

**NEW THIS YEAR:**  
**BOUNCE HOUSE \$1 and PONY RIDES \$3**

**Recovery Revolution**  
**Yeastapalooza**  
**Hometown Brand Center**

**Costume Contest:**  
**Sunday, October 14th at 5pm**  
 Prettiest, Scariest, funniest & most original.  
 Ages 0-23mos., 2-4, 5-10 and 11-15  
**PLUS Best Costumed Family Contest.**

**Enter the Carved Themed Pumpkin Contest for a chance to win \$100**

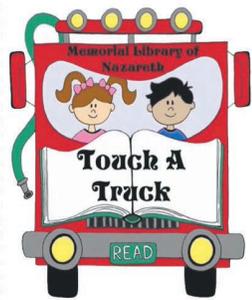
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For more information call Debbie at 610-751-7692 or [bangorparkboard@gmail.com](mailto:bangorparkboard@gmail.com)

**CLIMB, EXPLORE, DISCOVER!**

Little drivers sit behind the wheel at Nazareth Library's

**TOUCH a TRUCK**



9th Annual Event & Fundraiser  
**Saturday, October 6**

**10AM - 2PM** Rain or Shine

Tuskes Community Park  
Upper Nazareth

Tickets are on sale now at the library!  
\$5 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20.

All tickets are \$5 at the event. Ages 2 and up must have a ticket.

**2018 Blue Valley Farm Show  
Baby Photo Contest Winner**

The winner of the Blue Valley Farm Show Baby Photo Contest is:

Ellie Ann Louise Ayers. Her Parents are Tommy Ayers and Corrine Hess.

Proceeds from the Baby Photo Contest benefit the Prevention of Child Abuse, a cause focused on by The Bangor Exchange Club.



**VENDORS WANTED**

The Blue Ridge Hook & Fire Company Auxiliary in Saylorsburg is holding a Craft/Vendor Fair and Bake Sale on **Sunday, November 18, from 9:00am to 3:00pm**. Reserve your table now by calling Lucy Goss at (570) 629-2871

**Slate Belt Band**

The Slate Belt Band is looking for new members. The band will meet every **Wednesday from 7:00pm to 9:00pm** at the Roseto American Legion, 143 Garibaldi Ave. Roseto, PA. For more info. call 610-588-8881 or find the band on Facebook.

**BHS Class of 1968**

The Bangor High School Class of 1968 is trying to locate the following class members: Jonathan Catanzaro, Robert Wetzell, Michael Dapp, Craig Owens, Bert Wooten, Bruce Hummel, Dorothy LeFurge Ross, Debra Singer Savercool and Judy Encke Fentzlaff. If you know their address, please contact Donna Mensch Smith at 610-360-2505.

**Slate Belt Heritage Center Monthly Historic Presentation**

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 at 484-894-5661 if you are interested.

**Bangor Area School District Gearing up for Kindergarten**

The Bangor Area School District will be offering "Gearing Up for Kindergarten" beginning in October 2018. The program will be held at the Washington Elementary School on Tuesdays and the Five Points Elementary School on **Thursdays from October 9, 2018 to November 1, 2018 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm**.

The "Gearing Up for Kindergarten" program is intended for families with a child who will be entering kindergarten in August 2019. The classes run for an hour and a half.

The program offers parent/child activities, as well as separate child preparation and parent education classes. Parent topics include brain development, parenting styles, discipline, early literacy, developing responsibility and the importance of sleep. Preschool topics include math activities, science exploration, motor development, sensory development and reading/literacy.

The program is free of charge, with child care being offered for siblings. Registration forms are available on the Bangor Area School District's website or at both Washington and Five Points Elementary Schools.

**Annual Bangor Slater Band Festival**

The Annual Bangor Slater Band Festival will now also be a sanctioned USBands Competition. The Festival is scheduled for **October 13th at 5:30pm** at the stadium in Bangor Memorial Park. Bands performing include Easton Area, Southern Lehigh, Saucon Valley, Pocono Mountain East, Pleasant Valley, Bangor Area (Exhibition) and East Stroudsburg University (Exhibition)

USBands operates alongside The Cadets and Cadets2 Drum Corps under the banner of the Youth Education in the Arts (YEA!) non-profit organization. Since its first event in 1988, USBands has supported the development of scholastic performing ensembles through exceptional service, adjudication and venues. The guiding principle is to provide ensembles, regardless of style, size and experience, an opportunity to be successful, allowing students to benefit from their involvement with scholastic music.

**National Marine Corps League Awards**

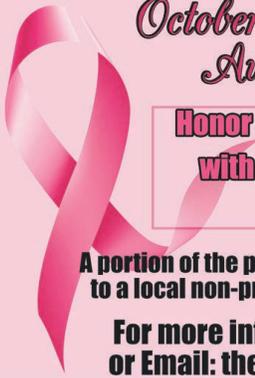
Northampton County Detachment #298 Marine Corps League placed third in the USA in the Americanism program at the League's national convention in Buffalo. Detachment Americanism chairman Joseph Pokojni spent countless hours photographing all the detachment events displayed in the photo albums.

The Detachment also received an attendance streamer for the detachment banner, and a certificate of appreciation for participating with the newsletter program.

National Junior Vice Commandant Johnny Baker presented Jim Mineo with a recruiting award.

The detachment is located at 1621 Lehigh Street Wilson Borough. Members include honorably discharged and active duty Marines, FMF Corpsmen, and FMF Chaplains. The detachment is the third largest in Pennsylvania.





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*Lois and Allen Miller Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary*



Lois and Allen Miller celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on August 24th. They were married in 1958 at Reverend Reagles House in Mt Bethel. They have four daughters Sherry Hebrock, Terree LaBar, Michelle Gold, and Kimberlee Gregory who passed away in 2012. They also have three grandchildren, Jennifer LaBar, Michael LaBar, Marissa Gold, and one great grandchild Landon LaBar. They celebrated with family at Prime Steakhouse in Bethlehem.



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**Mt Bethel Music Festival 2018**

Mt Bethel Music Festival 2018 to be held at the Chelsea Sun Inn 487 Stone Church Drive, Mt Bethel, PA. **Sunday, October 14th, 1:00pm-9:00pm.** A fall festival to benefit the Mt Bethel Community Park. The Ultimate Pink Floyd Experience. Advance Ticket Sales [www.mtbethelmusicfestival.com](http://www.mtbethelmusicfestival.com)



**Donald Jones Celebrates 96th Birthday!**

Celebrating a Very Special Birthday Donald Jones, a charter member of the BAHS Alumni Association, celebrated his 96th birthday on September 5, 2018. The members of the association join in celebrating Donald's life of service to his country and his hometown as well. We are proud to have him as a member of our organization. He has contributed so much to projects and endeavors that recognize and honor the students and graduates of Bangor High School.

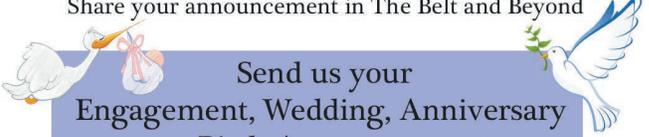




Members of the BAHS Alumni Association in attendance are Seated: Cindy Christman, Carole Hontz, Betty Lou Kratzer. Standing: Sherwood Jones, Mary Louise Toth, Nadine Hughes, June Jones, Donald Jones, Kay Nell, Pete Nell, Harold Kratzer, Charles Fe Picture taken by Joe Martocci

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**Abrielle Eberts Donates Hair**

Recently 7 year old Abrielle Eberts, had her hair cut at JMS Salon in Bangor by hair stylist, Amy Jo Tocket. She had 8 inches of her hair cut and is donating it to Pantene Beautiful Lengths.



**Pictured Abrielle before and after cutting her hair. Abrielle and hair stylist Amy Jo Tocket**



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**Waste Management Fan Gets Surprise**

Meeting a super hero is awesome, and every week, little Julian DiFelicie waits for his heroes as they turn the corner of his grandparent's street in Easton. As the

Waste Management truck rolls up to his house, Bill Walbert, a Waste Management employee of 31 years, runs up to Julian to shake his hand and thank him for cheering him on. From the cab of the truck, driver Wiliam Williams waves and beeps the horn for Julian.

Recently, his grandmother, Jill Barsony, wrote to Waste Management to thank the

Waste Management team members for their hard work, dedication and kindness.

“In a world full of sad news, it is heartwarming to see such sweet and caring employees working for Waste Management. They take the time out every week to make Julian’s day,” said Mrs. Barsony.

Waste Management representatives planned a meet-and-greet for Julian. The “super heroes” surprised Julian with a toy WM truck and other items. The crew members posed for a photo with Julian and his family.



**Jill Barsony, Kendahl DiFelicie, Julian DiFelicie, Bill Walbert, Willie Williams and WM’s David Lorenzo pose for a group photo for Julian.**



**Pictured: Bill Walbert (Helper for WM) and Willie Williams (Driver for WM) have spent the last year making Julian DiFelicie’s Monday mornings. The pair have been working for Waste Management for over 30 years.**



**Waste Management’s Bill Walbert surprises his littlest fan with a new WM Toy Truck**

### Nazareth Garden Club News

The Nazareth Area Garden Club celebrated its 16th Flower and Garden Show at the Schoeneck Moravian Church Fellowship Hall this month. The theme this year was "Enchanted Forest."

Members displayed more than 400 Houseplants and horticulture specimens, and 52 Floral Arrangements. All entries were judged by non-member experts in horticulture and floral arranging. In addition to individual categories, Best of Show was awarded to the entries deemed to be the best in their category, and Sweepstakes Awards, for the most first places by an individual member, in each category.

This year's winners were:

**Arrangements:** Best of Show, Debbie DeSousa with Forest Giants, a mass arrangement; runner up, Sandee Rinehart with a diagonal called "Mystical Light."

**Sweepstakes:** Jackie Cressman with 3 first places.

**Horticulture:** Best of Show, Millie Kovelonko; Debbie De Sousa, was runner up.

**Sweepstakes:** Debbie DeSousa

**Houseplants:** Best of Show, Donna Baylor; Best of Show Runner-up, Debbie DeSousa

**Sweepstakes:** Debbie DeSousa

Also, in the Floral Arrangement category, special trophies are awarded to Novice and Intermediate designers for one specific design. This year's awards went to Jackie Cressman and Evanne Maher for their entries in the "Dragon Slayer," a Right Angle Arrangement.

We also grew two Club Project plants, a Million Bells Calibrachoa and an Ornamental Kale. The winner of the Million Bells was Julie Anderson and Evanne Maher won the Kale category. Debbie De Sousa took second place for both.

Our Special Club Project this year was a Mandala, a circular pattern of live or dried elements arranged in a circle. The winner was Donna Caldwell, with Donna Baylor taking second place.

An additional Special Club Project was a composition of plants grown on a branch or tree trunk called "Wooded Respite". The Audience Choice Award went to Bambi Sampson.

The Nazareth Area Garden Club meets each month from March through November at the Drylands UCC Church at 4415 Newburg Rd., Nazareth at 7:00 p.m. Visitors are always welcome. Please call Sandee Rinehart at 610-360-8370 for more information.



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### NCC to Hold Peace and Justice Conference

**All-day event will examine hate and its elimination.**

Northampton Community College (NCC) will hold its Ninth Annual Peace and Social Justice Conference on **Tuesday, October 2, from 8:00am-8:30pm** at the Bethlehem Campus, 3835 Green Pond Road. The conference is free and open to the public.

The organization "Life after Hate," comprised of former members of hate groups who are now dedicated to "inspiring individuals to a place of compassion and forgiveness, for themselves and all people," will be featured in the Cohen Lecture at **11:00am** in the Lipkin Theatre.

The day will also include workshops and discussions as the college and larger community work together to co-create a hate-free world.

The schedule for the day includes:

**9:30-10:45am:** Local peace/social justice organizations (Lipkin Theatre, Kopecek Hall)

**11am-12:15pm:** Keynote/Cohen Lecture - "In The Face of Hate" (Lipkin Theatre/Live stream to the Monroe Campus Pocono Hall, Food Court)

**12:30-1:45pm:** Lunch/Workshop: "Journey from Hate" (College Center 220)

**2-3:15pm:** Workshop - "Learning to Listen to Each Other and Ourselves" (College Center 220)

**3:30-4:45pm:** A Group Discussion - "The More Beautiful World Our Hearts Know Is Possible" (College Center 220)

**7-8:30pm:** Panel Discussion: "Life after Hate: When Hate Visits" (Lipkin Theatre, Kopecek Hall)

The NCC ninth annual Peace and Social Justice Conference is sponsored by the Kopecek Endowment.

For more information, email [kburak@northampton.edu](mailto:kburak@northampton.edu).

View Online: <http://northampton.meritpages.com/news/ncc-to-hold-peace-and-justice-conference/5162>

### Cub Scouting Sign Ups at Prince of Peace Church

Come out **any Monday at 6:30 pm.** at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church 2445 Lake Minsi Drive, Johnsonville, Pa., to sign up your child to begin experiencing the world of scouting. Any child in 1st grade and older can sign up for cub scouts. Any questions, or confirm sign up, please contact Jackie Horn 570-897-6601



**Thank you**

The Columbia Fire Company No. 1 in Roseto, would like to extend a sincere Thank You to all those who contributed to this years Big Time Fireworks Fund. We appreciate all the generous donations received that helped defray the expense of this years display. The Saturday evening fireworks were a fitting end to this landmark 125th celebration. The early settlers of Roseto would surely be pleased that this festival which started over a century ago, continues today. Going forward, we hope to continue with this practice, so that the Fireworks tradition will continue as it has for so long.

**The Officers and Members of Columbia Fire Co. No. 1 Touchdowns Against Cancer 2018**

In support of Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, the Pen Argyl Green Knights will be passing, running, kicking and blocking to score touchdowns to help tackle Cancer. They are proud to join high school football teams throughout the Colonial League and across the country in Touchdowns Against Cancer 2018

Pledge for every touchdown they score this **September 7th - 30th** to benefit St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital and help the 16,000 children and adolescents that will be diagnosed with cancer this year. To make your donation visit <https://pledgeit.org/tac18-pen-argyl-pa-pen-argyl-green-knights>

**NCC to Hold Information Session on Micro-credentials in Manufacturing Program Lehigh Valley manufacturers seek skilled employees**

Northampton Community College (NCC) will hold free information and assessment sessions on its 9-week Micro-credentials in Manufacturing Program in September and October at both the college’s Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 E. Third Street, Bethlehem and the Easton Educational Outreach Center, 25 S. Third Street, Easton. Sessions at the Fowler Center will be held **Tuesdays through September 25 at 1:00 p.m.** Sessions at the Easton Educational Outreach Center will be held **Thursdays, September 6 through October 4 at 1:30 p.m.** Attendance at one information and assessment session is required for admission into the program, which starts in October. Participants will have their basic reading and math skills assessed.

Graduates of the Micro-credentials in Manufacturing Program will earn OSHA-10 certification and be prepared for entry-level, high-demand positions. Areas included are lean manufacturing, quality assurance and blueprint-reading. Students will tour local manufacturing facilities, explore careers and participate in Career Day activities.

**Quiet Valley’s 44th Annual Harvest Festival October 6th and 7th, 2018**

Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm celebrates their 44th Annual Harvest Festival on **October 6th and 7th, 2018 from 10am to 5pm** both days. This year’s theme is “Living off the Land”. We will explore what our ancestors would have found when they arrived on these shores, what natural resources would have been especially valuable as well as what were some of the first tasks they needed



to accomplish to survive here. This theme will give us a glimpse into what life was like for the first settlers to the region.

In addition to demonstrations and displays dealing with the theme, there will be plenty of traditional skills and heritage crafts demonstrated such as spinning, weaving, pottery, scrapple making, apple butter making, basket making and candle making. There will also be plenty of folk entertainment, good country food, a quilt raffle,

handmade crafts for sale, horse drawn wagon rides, outdoor brick bake oven and much more.

See the New Jersey Frontier Guard as they portray French and Indian War soldiers. Explore the Civil War Encampment where the 142nd Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Co. G Re-enactors will portray the drill and everyday life of soldiers during this important time for our nation. The U.S. Detachment of Engineers will be here this year showing map making practices that took place during the Civil War. Visitors will enjoy this special glimpse into local history.

Children will enjoy a variety of activities such as pumpkin decorating, old fashion games, the hands-on heritage craft/activity area, the one room school presentation and pony rides.

Harvest Festival offers visitors of all ages two days of old-fashion fun. All funds raised will help support the mission of our nonprofit, educational organization. Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm is located 3 miles south of Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania off of Business Route 209. This event is held rain or shine. Demonstrations are under tents. Admission is adults \$10.00 & ages 3 - 12 \$5.00. No pets and no smoking please. The Harvest Festival schedule is subject to change.

For more information: 570-992-6161 or [marketing@quietvalley.org](mailto:marketing@quietvalley.org) or [www.quietvalley.org](http://www.quietvalley.org)



**AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS POST 927 MEETING**

The American Legion Riders have their monthly meeting on **Sunday, October 14 at 10:30am** at the American Legion Post 927, Route 209 and Fairgrounds Road, Gilbert.

The American Legion Riders contribute to Veterans, the Community, and enjoy riding.

For more information, contact President Everett Shaver, 570-977-8208

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Sarah Janelle Loren

### Wisecrack's from Winston

by Sarah Janelle Loren

Fall is here and it's time to bring on all things pumpkin spice flavored! Not for me personally, thank you, but when I say "all things," I'm not joking. We have gone from enjoying pumpkin flavored coffee and pumpkin spice lattes on a chilly autumn afternoon to pumpkin spice obsession. Perhaps you haven't heard about the recipe for pumpkin-spice-encrusted salmon.

Salmon! Yes, I said Salmon; that's a type of fish, people! Sorry, but no. Pumpkin does not belong with, on, or anywhere near fish.

Let's be honest: there is nothing like a piece of pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream or a scoop of vanilla ice cream. Pumpkin cheesecake is downright delicious and pumpkin spice English muffins are surprisingly tasty. I'll admit that I'm a pumpkin spice fan, but I am also a huge fan of wine. That certainly does not mean that I want everything I consume to taste like fermented grapes.

So far this season, I have seen so many things pumpkin spice flavored, things that were just fine the way they were. Is it seriously someone's job to make sure every single thing on God's green earth is flavored with pumpkin spice when fall comes around, to see if we are courageous enough to actually taste it?

There are marshmallows, rum, cereal, cream cheese, bagels, almonds, chocolates, wine. And it only gets worse from there.

Pumpkin spice chicken sausage. Seriously? Just stop with the meats. Just. Stop.

Peeps, which you either love or hate to begin with, so why throw these on the pumpkin spice bandwagon? If we hated Peeps before, we're going to hate them even more now.

There's gum, kale chips, hummus... You're kidding me, right? I am perfectly fine with roasted red pepper hummus. My three-year-old and I have been known to finish a small container in one sitting. But pumpkin spice hummus? I don't even want it for free.

I know what you're thinking: "This crazy woman is off her rocker if she thinks we're actually going to fall for this prank." With my right hand on my pumpkin spice latte, I promise you, I am not pulling your leg. Everything mentioned actually exists and can be found online or in a grocery store near you. You will need to make your own salmon though. I refuse to partake in that, so no; I will not give you the recipe.

Now my question is, "Why?" Why flavor all things sweet, savory, and in between with the unofficial taste of autumn (some people will definitely argue for apple cinnamon)? Can someone please tell me why every company out there thinks this is the fad they need to be a part of? And why do we feel the need to taste test all that pumpkin spice nastiness? My booze was just fine before you decided to throw a gourd into the mix and top it with cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, and cloves. In case you've never heard the saying, "If it's not broken, don't fix it," well don't.

So far, I haven't been able to find any truth behind pumpkin spam, toothpaste or bleach. But, I will not be surprised if everything from canned meats to cleaning products is eventually destroyed by the once so simple flavor (or scent) of pumpkin spice.

Send your feedback to [WisecracksFromWinston@gmail.com](mailto:WisecracksFromWinston@gmail.com). For more about Sarah, visit [www.SarahJanelleLoren.weebly.com](http://www.SarahJanelleLoren.weebly.com).

### NCC to Hold Cops 'n' Kids Programs at Fowler Center From fur to fitness, these programs are educational, fun and free.

Where can children learn and have fun? At Cops 'n' Kids educational programs, every Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., at Northampton Community College's Southside Fowler Center, fourth floor, 511 E. Third Street, Bethlehem.

#### Programs include:

**September 29.** Wildlands Conservancy and Their Wild, Fuzzy and Feathered Friends. Participants will get up close to some lizards, snakes, opossums, and other wildlife. Then they will enjoy a nature-themed storybook and create a craft to take home. Recommended ages: 4-10.

**October 6.** How Fit Are You? How ready is your child for recreational fitness activities? Created by the City of Bethlehem Health Bureau, this program will include obstacle courses and other fun activities. Recommended ages: 4 and older.

**October 13.** The Haunting of Room 403. Boo! Children will look forward to Halloween by hearing chilling Halloween tales, helping to Hunt for Dracula, avoiding a Creepy Pair of Underwear, and dealing with a Gunnwolf, and more. Children are encouraged to come in Halloween costumes. Recommended ages: All.

**November 10.** Our Vets-Serving Our Country. Children will observe Veteran's Day by learning from combat veteran Jenny Pacanowski about the value of theatre and writing in helping returning veterans transition to home. Red, white and blue clothing is suggested. Recommended ages: 8 and older.

**November 17.** A Thanksgiving Surprise! What are you thankful for? Participants will celebrate Thanksgiving by reading author Jannie Pilgram's Prince Garrett and the Thanksgiving Box and making their own Thanksgiving box to take home. Children can bring their list of what and who they are grateful for to share with others. Recommended ages: All.

**December 1.** A Wee Bit of Scotland. Celebrate St. Andrew's Day with the Celtic Cultural Alliance. Participants will feel like they are in Scotland when they hear the adventures of Katie in Scotland and the antics of Hettie, the Highland Cattle. They will learn why St. Andrew's Day is celebrated in Scotland, and get a taste of this Celtic land by enjoying shortbread and tea. Children will also make a cultural craft to take home. Recommended ages: All

Cops 'n' Kids programs are free, but pre-registration is recommended. For more information and to register your child, call 610-861-5526 or visit [www.copsnkidslv.org](http://www.copsnkidslv.org).

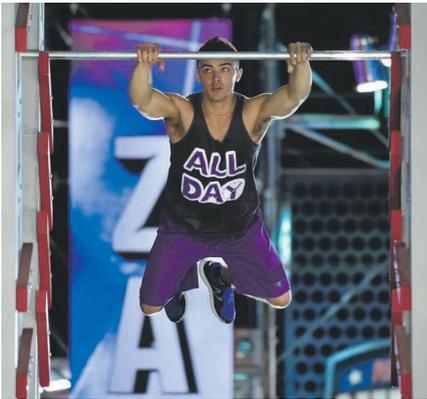
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**Zach Day on the Criss Cross Salmon Ladder, the second obstacle of National Finals Stage Two.** Photo by David Becker/NBC | 2018 NBCUniversal Media, LLC

**Local Ninja Zach Day Plans on National TV Reappearance**

Sarah Janelle Loren  
In case you missed Bangor's Zach Day, 19, on the season finale of American Ninja Warrior last week, unfortunately he didn't hit the buzzer on stage two. "All Day," as he's known on the NBC TV series, made it past the first four obstacles before hitting the water in "Wingnut Alley."

"I was screaming in my head to hold on," Day said. "I honestly didn't know what was going to happen. I wasn't sure if my grip would hold or not."

Disappointingly, it did not. Day was one of 11 competitors to be taken out by the Wingnuts. Only three ninjas surpassed this challenging obstacle.

"If I was just a little smarter on the course, I think I could have done it," Day said.

Day did reach more obstacles than 10 other competitors, all of whom fell short at the third, Déjà vu.

"During stage two, the number one thing on my mind was my dad," Day said. His father, Brian, passed away in April of this year, but in a way, he was always there with his son. During his runs, Zach wore a shirt with "4BD" on the back, to which he pointed in tribute after hitting the buzzer at the end of stage one.

As for stage two, Day said, "I was also thinking, 'Just go for it! This is what I do!'"

That certainly is true, not just on the small screen either. ANW isn't the only competition Day has taken part in.

"I compete all the time. I'll be competing in the National Ninja League very soon, which is the biggest thing outside of the show," Day said. "I've done really well in that. Hopefully I can qualify for the finals again and then I can see how I stack up."

Day also plans to return to ANW next year, as long as the show is renewed for an eleventh season.

"This is my dream!" Day said. "As long as my body lets me, I plan to be in contention for the title next year."

In the meantime, Day will continue training. In addition, he will take what he's learned during season 10 of ANW and apply it to his future endeavors.

"I learned a lot mentally; people don't realize how mentally strong you have to be," Day said. "Some of the [obstacles] actually don't look possible; then I have to [make my first attempt] on national TV. You have to be confident and just send it."

Those words are certainly something everyone can learn from, Ninja or not.

Follow "All Day" through his future competitions on YouTube at Zach Day (not to be confused with the singer), Instagram @zachday27, and Twitter @ZachDay27.



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**Friends of Minsi Lake and Northampton County Junior Conservation School Awarded Think Green Grant by Grand Central Landfill**

Grand Central Landfill has awarded a \$5,000 Think Green® grant to the Friends of Minsi Lake, a committee of the Northampton County Junior Conservation School.

The grant was announced today by Grand Central Landfill Manager Ron Myer and Community Relations Manager Adrienne Fors.

The Waste Management Think Green® grants are part of the company's effort to encourage organizations and work that improve the environment in the communities where Waste Management operates. Waste Management operates Grand Central Landfill and Grand Central Hauling Co. in Plainfield Twp.

In June of 2017, the Northampton County Junior Conservation School established the Friends of Minsi Lake, a grassroots organization that has been leading the charge for the Minsi Lake Habitat and Park Improvement Project over the past 14 months.

Friends of Minsi Lake has been working closely with the Northampton County Division of Parks and Recreation and the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission to develop the Minsi Lake Habitat Improvement Plan. The plan was completed in July.

"This plan calls for the construction of 641 large-scale fish habitat structures on the lakebed and 210 small-scale fish and turtle habitat structures, which will be built by volunteers outside the lakebed and later placed in the lake, after it is refilled, following the dam rehabilitation project," said Northampton County's Recreation Specialist James Wilson.

"Grand Central Landfill is pleased to support the Northampton County Junior Conservation School and the Friends of Minsi Lake. Their work is the kind of work our company believes in," Mr. Myer said.

"The Minsi Lake Habitat Improvement project is the first step in the comprehensive rehabilitation plan for the park. We are excited that a habitat project like this aligns with what we do at Grand Central. We look forward to seeing the results." Mrs. Fors said.

Grand Central and its community partners have developed an award-winning wildlife habitat that continues to enhance Northampton County's grassland initiative.

For more information about the Minsi Lake project or to get involved, please visit <https://www.facebook.com/FOML.org/>.





## 2nd Annual Wine and Music Festival

The 2nd Annual Wine and Music Festival hosted by the Historical Bangor Business Association was held on Saturday, September 8th, on Broadway, in downtown Bangor.

Photos by Jeffrey Cooper



## Ginder Greenhouse Fall Craft & Vendor Show

Ginder Greenhouse & Garden Center held their annual Fall Craft & Vendor Show on Saturday, September 15th. 20 vendors participated at this year's show along with the Slate Belt Chamber Santa's Elves who hosted coffee and donuts, J. DeFranco and Daughters Catering sold their food. Ginder Greenhouse is located at 558 Lake Minsi Drive, Bangor, PA.



## Bangor High School Girls Soccer Team Car Wash Fundraiser

The Bangor Girls Soccer team held a car wash fundraiser at Capitol Ace Hardware in Bangor on Sunday, September 16th.

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 1/2 cup all-purpose flour  
 1/2 cup quick cook or old-fashioned oats  
 1/3 cup butter or margarine, softened  
 3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
 3/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
 Whipped Cream or ice cream optional

Instructions: Heat the oven to 375 degrees, then using baking spray coat the bottom of an 8 x 8-inch pan.  
 1. Spread the apples along the pan, and then stir together the sugar, flour, oats, margarine, cinnamon and nutmeg. Spread all of it over the apples in the pan.  
 2. Place the pan in the oven for 30 minutes, until the top is browned to a golden color. Apples should be soft. Serve warm with whipped cream or ice cream (optional).  
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**Pokeno** - Thursdays, 10:00am  
**AUGUST EVENTS**  
**ENTERTAINER: Danielle Deluca** - Wednesday, September 5th 11:45am  
**Duck Races** - Thursday, September 20th 10:00am

**Slate Belt Young at Heart Club**  
 The Slate Belt Young at Heart Club will meet on **Thursday, September 20th at 1:00pm** at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church in Pen Argyl. Mr. Tom Rapasch, who is a former advisor to the U.S. A representative to the UN in New York will present the program. Mr. Rapasch is knowledgeable on many subjects. This is a senior citizens group that is open to all.  
 The club will be sponsoring a trip to Sight & Sound in Lancaster to see the production of Jesus on **Wednesday, October 24th**. For more information, please call Mary Lou DeRea-Lohman at 610-863-4846 or 610-844-4630. Call soon it's filling up fast!

**Senior Center Listings**

**Slate Belt Senior Center**  
 707 American Bangor Road, Bangor, PA  
 (Blue Valley Farm Show Building)  
 610-588-1224 • Hours: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**Easton Area Lifestyle Campus**  
 3201 Sullivan Trail, Easton, PA  
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**Slate Belt Senior Center**  
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**Exercise with Darla,** Wednesdays, 10:00 AM

**SEPTEMBER EVENTS**  
**Deja the Therapy Dog,** Tuesday, September 18, 10:00 AM  
**Ladder Ball,** Thursday, September 20, 9:30 AM  
**Event Committee Meeting,** Thursday, September 20, 12:15 PM  
**Nerf Darts,** Friday, September 21, 12:15 PM  
**Baseball,** Fridays, September 21, 10:00 AM  
**Craft Group,** Tuesday, September 25, 9:00 AM & Thursday, September 27, 10:00 AM  
**Poker,** Thursdays, September 27, 0:30 AM  
**Council Meeting,** Thursday, September 27, 9:00 AM  
**MUSIC BY CHUCK RISSMILLER,** Friday, September 28, 12:15 PM

**Slate Belt AARP Bus Trip**  
 Slate Belt AARP Chapter 4135 is planning a bus trip to Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick from **September 16th-24th**. Please call Deanna at 610-588-4623 for more information if you are interested in going on this trip. Trip is open to the public.

**PA State Rep. Joe Emrick to Host Senior Fair**  
 PA. State Rep. Joe Emrick will host a Senior Fair on **Friday, September 28th, 10:00am to 1:00pm** at Forks Township Community Center, 500 Zucksville Road, Easton, PA. Free flu shots will be provided to anyone 18 and above by Lehigh Valley Health Network. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served.

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### Taking Steps to Prevent Falls



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(Family Features) When you're young, an injury from a fall may sideline you for a few days or weeks, but a full recovery is usually quick. As you get older, the consequences of falls can become more serious, setting up a sequence of events that can have longstanding implications on independence and health.

It doesn't have to be that way, however. Although falls typically become more common and can be more serious as you age, falls are not a natural part of getting older. In fact, most falls are preventable. Knowing the factors that put you at greater risk of falling and taking proper steps can help prevent falls.

Risk factors for falls in older people include overall health (chronic diseases and physical conditions), environment (hazards and situations at home) and behaviors, such as rushing around or standing on a chair to reach something.

These steps from the experts at the National Council on Aging can help prevent falls:

- \* **Stay active:** Exercise helps increase or maintain coordination and muscle tone that can keep you steady on your feet and your reactions sharp. Walking, gardening or taking an exercise class are just a few ways to keep your heart healthy and your muscles toned.
- \* **Manage underlying chronic conditions:** The better your overall health, the lower your risk of falls. Chronic conditions like diabetes, depression, osteoarthritis, obesity and high blood pressure can increase your risk. Managing those conditions by seeing your health care provider regularly, taking medication as prescribed, eating a healthy diet and choosing appropriate exercise can help prevent falls.
- \* **Review medications:** Side effects from and interactions with some medications can cause dizziness that can increase the risk of falling. Types of medicine associated with an increased risk include sedatives and diuretics as well as those used to treat high blood pressure and anxiety. Talk to your doctor about all prescriptions and over-the-counter medicines you are taking.
- \* **Get your eyes checked:** Vision changes as you age, so it is important to get your eyes checked once a year to make sure your prescription is up to date and screen for any eye-related diseases like cataracts and glaucoma, which are usually treatable when caught at an early stage.
- \* **Assess your home:** Look around your home for potential hazards. Consider enlisting the help of a family member or neighbor who may be more likely to notice things you don't. Install grab bars in your bathrooms, get rid of slippery throw rugs (or add a rubber backing) and keep passageways inside and outside your home well-lit and free from clutter and debris.

For more tips and information, visit [acl.gov/fallsprevention](http://acl.gov/fallsprevention).

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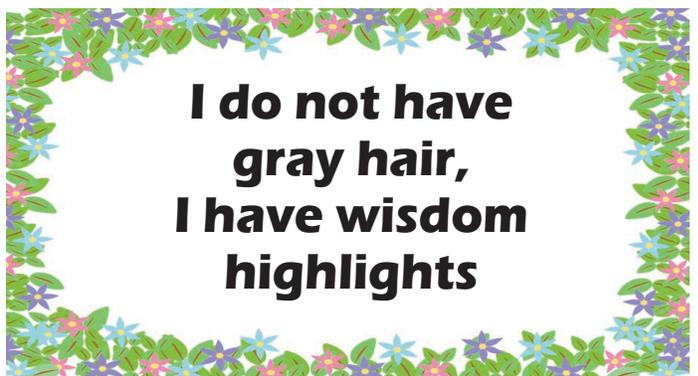
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**6th Annual Pet Expo**

Sponsored by the St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church. **Saturday, September 29th, 10:00am-2:00pm.** Rain Date: Saturday, October 6th. St John Lutheran Church parking lot 12 N. Westbrook Ave., Pen Argyl, PA. Pet Rescue/Adoptions, Pet Contests, Pet Blessing, 50/50 drawing. Demonstration of therapy dogs, 1:45 pm Pet Parade All animals must be leashed or in carriers. Please bring donations for the local shelters and rescues! All proceeds benefit the animals. For more information on this event call Clint at 610-863-7261.

**Blessing of the Animals Service**

There will be a Blessing of the Animals service on Sunday, **September 30th, 1:00 pm**, in the pavilion, at Arndt's Lutheran Church, 1851 Arndt Road, Easton, PA. Members and friends are invited to bring their pets (leashed, please), to receive a blessing at this casual service honoring St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of animals. Any donations received will be donated to the Center for Animal Welfare (formerly the Northampton County SPCA).

**Prince of Peace Church Blessing of the Animals**

Prince of Peace Evangelical Lutheran Church located at 2445 Lake Minsi Drive Bangor, PA. will be holding their annual Blessing of the Animals on **Saturday October 6th, at 10:00am.**

The Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group, INC will be handing out St. Francis pet medals to all having their pets blessed whether they are present or not (while supplies last). In preparation for this day, we will be collecting items as part of our third annual Fill the Bowl Project. Slate Belt Animal Advocacy Group, INC will again be the recipient. Items on their wish list include: adult disposable incontinence pads, wet and dry cat food and wet and dry dog food. Items will be collected at the church until October 6, 2018. Questions can be directed to Kerri Miller 610 390 3910.

**Pumpkin, Apple Peanut Butter Dog Cookies**

**Ingredients:**

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 21/2 cup canned pumpkin  | 2 Eggs                       |
| 2 1/2 Cup Canned pumpkin | 1/4 cup apple sauce          |
| 1/2 cup peanut butter    | 1/4 tablespoons dry milk     |
| 1/4 teaspoon sea salt    | 2 1/2 cups rice flour        |
| 1/2 cup oats             | extra rice flour for rolling |

**Instructions:**

Preheat your oven to 350 degrees and line 2 cookie sheets with parchment paper.

In a large bowl, whisk together the dry milk, sea salt and flour. Set aside.

In the bowl of your stand mixer, with the paddle attachment fixed, cream together the eggs, pumpkin, apple sauce and peanut butter until smooth. Begin adding the dry ingredients into the wet in 1/2 cup increments until all is combined. Do this until you get a nice solid dough. If you need to add a touch more flour, do so now.

Remove bowl from stand mixer and gently fold in the oats. Dump the dough out onto a well floured surface and roll out the dough to 3/4in - 1in thick with a liberally floured rolling pin. Taking the cookie cutter of your choice begin cutting out your cookies. Place the cookies on your parchment lined cookie sheets. Repeat this step for the rest of the dough. Be sure to use the scraps as well.

Bake the cookies at 350 degrees for 15 minutes, then turn each cookie over and bake for another 15 minutes. Remove from oven and let cool on the cookie sheet for two minutes then transfer to a wire rack to cool the rest of the way. Store in an air tight container. Should last about a month or so.

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**Mt Bethel Music Festival 2018**

Mt Bethel Music Festival 2018 to be held at the Chelsea Sun Inn 487 Stone Church Drive, Mt Bethel, PA. **Sunday, October 14th, 1:00pm-9:00pm.** A fall festival to benefit the Mt Bethel Community Park. The Ultimate Pink Floyd Experience. Advance Ticket Sales [www.mtbethelmusicfestival.com](http://www.mtbethelmusicfestival.com)

**Allentown Band in Concert**

The Allentown Band will perform in concert on **Sunday, October 21st, at 4:00pm** Prince of Peace Ev. Lutheran Church, 2445 Lake Minsi Dr., Bangor, PA 18013. This is a FREE concert and All are welcome! Questions: Call the church at 610-588-2355. This concert is made possible through a generous grant from the Anthony D. and Jeanne M. Turtzo perpetual fund.

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**Blue Mt. Community Library Story  
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Story Hour will resume at the Blue Mt. Community Library on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 10:30 am with Mrs. G and Thursday, Sept. 27 with Miss Suzanne. Any Pre-School age

child is welcome, accompanied by an adult. You do not need to be a member of the library to attend.

The Blue Mt. Community Library would like to take this opportunity to express our thanks to everyone who participated in and supported our many fundraisers so far this year. We had a very busy spring and summer. On April 26th we hosted an Author Luncheon with local author Kate Brandes, May 21st we had a fundraiser at Detzi's Tavern, June 15th we held a Wine Tasting Fundraiser at Blue Ridge Winery, July 11-14 was our semi-annual Book Nook Sale, and on August 21st we held a fundraiser at Emmy Lou's Café. We also provided Homemade Pie/Ice Cream at 2 Summer Sounds Concerts at Weona Park. We especially want to thank all the businesses who helped us to raise money for the library. Please consider attending our future fundraisers to support the Blue Mt. Community Library.

The library is free for all residents who live in the Pen Argyl Area School District. Non-residents may become a member for a small annual fee. The Library is located at 216 S. Robinson Ave., Pen Argyl, PA. Hours are M-Sa, 10 am-Noon and M-Th, 6-8 pm. Call 610-863-3029 for information or visit [www.bmcl.org](http://www.bmcl.org). Find us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/bmclpenargyl](http://www.facebook.com/bmclpenargyl).

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### Blind Choice

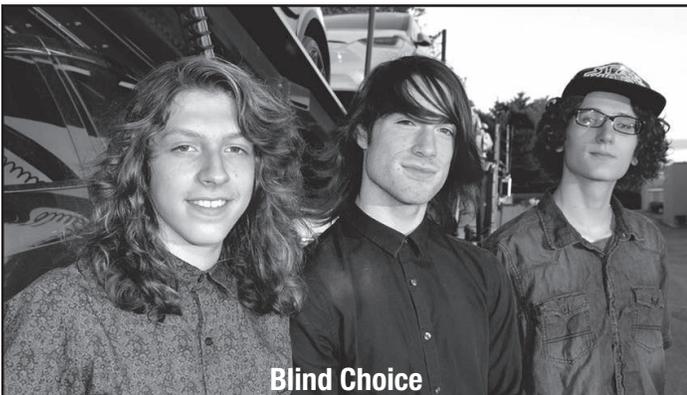
by Nick Pulsinelli

With an area filled with a lot of larger venues, some local talent is sometimes missed, but with Pen Argyl based band Blind Choice, this is not the case. With guitarist and vocalist Dylan Pysher and bassist Matt Habrial, both from Pen Argyl, and drummer Tanner Snyder from Moscow, Blind Choice

continues to impress fans wherever they go. The band originally formed back in 2014 with Tanner later joining in March 2017. Since then, the trio has been gaining momentum and an ever-increasing fan base wherever they play. When asked about their style of music, Blind Choice simply replied "We are really forming our sound and developing with every new original song, not only punk rock, but alternative and pop punk".

While this band is not only a local favorite, Blind Choice was invited down to Dollywood Tennessee for the Josie Music Awards for nominations in three categories, "Best Rock Band of 2018", "Best Album for 'Firing Squad'", and rock "Entertainer of the Year". Dylan represented the band at the largest independent music award show. Although Blind Choice did not win, they can't wait to see what will happen next year there. On August 25th, they competed against 40 other local bands in the Next2Rock competition, which is sponsored by cumulus radio station 97.9x, with their song "Balance on the Floor" which ended up being picked as one of the top 10 songs of NEPA. As a result, Blind Choice performed three of their songs in front of a panel of judges, including Mike Duffy of 97.9x, Joe Nardone Jr of Gallery of Sound and Chris Motionless of hard rock icons Motionless in White. Later that day, they were announced as winners of "Next2Rock NEPA 2018" with the highest overall score among the top 10 bands.

Blind Choice recently released a single from Saturation Acres entitled "Balance on the Floor" which is available on spotify, iTunes, Google Play, Amazon Music and CD Baby. Their EP "Firing Squad" can also be found on those same sites. Blind Choice would like to extend a big thank you to all of their supporters wherever they go. You can see Blind Choice perform on Saturday September 30th, 2:00 - 4 :00 pm at Cedar Beach Park in Allentown and Saturday October 13th, 2 :00 - 5:00 pm at Electric City Davis for Octoberfest with Another Day Dawns and The Holtzman Effect sponsored by 97.9X FM.



Blind Choice



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**Adult Fiction Large Print** - Tailspin by Sandra Brown, Paradox by Catherine Coulter, All We Ever Wanted by Emily Giffin, 311 Pelican Court by Debbie Macomber, Cottage by the Sea by Debbie Macomber, Texas Ranger by James Patterson, Shelter in Place by Nora Roberts, The Other Woman by Daniel Silva, Pieces of Her by Karin Slaughter

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**Junior Non Fiction** - The Random House Book of Fairy Tales by Amy Ehrlich, Women in Science Rachel Ignotofsky, Hidden Figures by Margo Lee Shetterly

**DVDS** - The Little Mermaid, Sons of Anarchy The Final Season

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## Bangor vs. Southern Lehigh Varsity Football

The Bangor Slaters traveled to Southern Lehigh on Friday, September 14th as the Spartans hosted the Slaters. The Bangor Slaters took the win with a score of 28-20!

Photos by Lou Freeman



## Bangor vs Pen Argyl High School Girls Field Hockey

The Bangor Area High School Varsity Field Hockey Team played rivals the Pen Argyl Green Knights on Friday, September 7th at home. The Slaters defeated the Green Knights 3-1.

Photos by Jenna Menhennitt sbtt



## Pen Argyl vs Notre Dame East Stroudsburg Boys Varsity Soccer

The Pen Argyl Area High School Boys Soccer Team played Notre Dame E. Stroudsburg at home on Wednesday, September 12th. The Green Knights lost by a score of 3-2.

Photos by Nick Pulsinelli



## Bangor High School Varsity Boys Soccer

Bangor Area High School Boys Soccer team played Northern Lehigh on September 8th. The Slaters took the win with a final score: Bangor 3 Northern Lehigh 0.

Photos by Lynn Cistone



# Pen Argyl vs. Bangor Girls Tennis

The Pen Argyl Area High School Girls Tennis Team played Bangor at Pen Argyl on September 5<sup>th</sup>.  
 Photos by Jeffrey Cooper



The Bangor High School Girls Tennis Team honored their senior players on Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>.  
 Photos by Jeffrey Cooper



# Bangor Area High School Cross Country Team Senior Recognition



Pictured Ingrid Hahn, Emily LaBar, Morgan O'Brien, Jacqueline Greene, Hannah Frankenfield,  
 with Coaches, Mike Vidumsky and Andy Hartzell



## Bangor Area High School Varsity Girls Soccer

On September 12th, the Bangor High School Varsity Soccer team played Catasauqua. The lady Slaters defeated Catasauqua 1-0.

Photos by Lynn Cistone



### SLATE BELT MEN'S QUOIT LEAGUE

#### SEPTEMBER 6, 2018

Columbia Fire Co. 34 Roseto Legion 22 – Brian Palmer 14-0, Todd E. Albert 12-2; Woody Ivins 9-5, George Wilgus 8-6  
 Bangor Jax 38 Liberty Fire Co. 18 – Mike Shafer 11-3, Jon Owens 11-3  
 Oxford Fire Co. 36 Rescue Fire Co. 20 – Jeff Lindsay 12-2; Rob George 11-3  
 Bangor Elks 34 East Bangor Fire Co. 22 – Chad Kreider 11-1, Dave Giaquinto 11-3; Scott Allen 9-5  
 Hillside Rod & Gun Club 42 Second Ward Fire Co. 14 – John Hartzell 12-2, Dave Flick, Jr. 12-2  
 O'Neill's Place 41 Roseto Rod & Gun Club 11 – Justin Wagner 12-2, Jack Bellis 12-2; Brian Mucklin 8-6  
 Pen Argyl Legion 31 Bangor VFW 25 – Kraig Kuster 10-4, Brookes Kromer 10-4; Anthony Comunale 9-5, Rod LaBar 9-5

#### 2018-2019 SBMQL FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Division 1 - Bangor Elks 1-0, Oxford Fire Co. 1-0, Pen Argyl Legion 1-0, Hillside Rod & Gun Club 1-0, Bangor Jax 1-0, O'Neill's Place 1-0, East Bangor Fire Co. 0-1  
 Division 2 – Columbia Fire Co. 1-0, Roseto Legion 0-1, Bangor VFW 0-1, Second Ward Fire Co. 0-1, Rescue Fire Co. 0-1, Liberty Fire Co. 0-1, Roseto Rod & Gun Club 0-1

#### SEPTEMBER 13, 2018

Oxford Fire Co. 45 Roseto Rod & Gun Club 11 – Jim Huff 13-1, John Garrison 13-1  
 O'Neill's Place 31 Rescue Fire Co. 25 – Leonard Thomas, Sr. 11-3, Ryan Hunt 11-3; Mike Vedral 10-4, Dan Fassl 9-5  
 Bangor Elks 41 Second Ward Fire Co. 15 – Jerry Bubba 10-4, Jody Zengulis 10-4, A.J. Gilliland 10-4  
 Bangor VFW 31 East Bangor Fire Co. 25 – Ryan Comunale 11-3, Nick LaBar 10-4, Rod LaBar 9-5  
 Hillside Rod & Gun Club 48 Columbia Fire Co. 8 – Pete Farenbach 12-2, Justin Ott 10-4  
 Liberty Fire Co. 30 Roseto Legion 26 – Evan Senay 12-2, Ryan Dentith 10-4; John Cuvo 10-4  
 Pen Argyl Legion 39 Bangor Jax 17 – Steve Pfeiffer 12-2, Bob Ponnett 11-3

#### 2018-2019 SBMQL FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Division 1 – Bangor Elks 2-0, Oxford Fire Co. 2-0, Pen Argyl Legion 2-0, Hillside Rod & Gun Club 2-0, O'Neill's Place 2-0, Bangor Jax 1-1, East Bangor Fire Co. 0-2  
 Division 2 – Bangor VFW 1-1, Liberty Fire Co. 1-1, Columbia Fire Co. 1-1, Roseto Legion 0-2, Second Ward Fire Co. 0-2, Rescue Fire Co. 0-2, Roseto Rod & Gun Club 0-2

**Bangor High School Class of 1968 50th Class Reunion**

**Row 1:** Ronald Smith, Yvonne Primrose Adams, Dawn Brewer Comunale, Sandra Moyer Harrison, Joanne Davanzo Mengel, Beth Roberts Friedman, Carol Fehr Alfred, Louise Lane LaBar, Cynthia Hume Horn, Patty Price Transue, Jean Lamson Gold, Susan Jones Policelli, Anna Marie Patti, Janice Fioretti, Linda Williams Castner, Beverly Finken McPeek

**Row 2:** Karen Ott Parry, Peggy Cruver Nagy, Brenda Miller McGlade, Charlie Carcione, Jackie LaBarre Brinker, Donna Mensch Smith, Tom Abruzzese, Nadine Weaver Moyer, Jeanne Scarfaro Williams, Cynthia Beegle Weiss, Allen Godshalk, Kay Hahn Nell, Ruth Impeciatti Calantoni, Sheila Rosato Reed

**Row 3:** Larry Williams, Debra Moser Nagy, Linda Williams Castner, Mary Ann Podboreski Morris, Ann Constable Miller, Gary Davies, Catherine McCabe Dean, Geraldine Miller Parry, Kathy Folk Ahart, Jim LaBar, Floyd Roberts, Rebecca Jones Parsons, Patty Campanaro Manento, Joan Perelli Frable, Grace Gardella, Susan Karner Roberts, Marsha Smith Bruen, Carla Cascario, Debbie Frutchey Finken, Pat Hughes Bach, Ted Williams

**Row 4:** Gerald LaBar, Vic Melnick, Bill Tinsley, Larry Comunale, Lee Mengel, Larry Heller, Walter Snik, Bill Carpenter, Sheila LaBar Williams, Tom Werner, John Hewett, Bill Fisher, Jeanette Primrose McGrath, Alice Weaver Brickler, Maureen Parry LaBarre, Sandy Slutter Frable, Gayle Holland Mack, Marsha Stiles

**Row 5:** Bill Pensyl, Wayne Dunbar, David Jones, Charlie Capozzolo, Leo Antonioli, Alan Lobb, Richard Trayes, Connie Williams Treskot, Enos Grubb, Wendy Wilhelm, Dave Comunale, Bob Teel, Bruce Derr

**Row 6:** Dennis DeEsch, Joe Antonioli, Bill Searfass, Brad Wagner, Randy Kocher, Mike Chaffier

**Pen Argyl Salvation Army Food Pantry**

The Pen Argyl Salvation Army Food Pantry is open on Tuesdays from **10:00am-12:00pm**. Doors open at 9:30am. A valid drivers license is needed to register. Families are permitted to visit the pantry one Tuesday per month. Emergency food is available on a one time basis, registration is then required. Those coming to the food pantry can bring their own bags to carry their food or bags will be provided if needed. Fresh vegetables, soups, dry goods, pastries, meats and breads are available at no cost.

The Pen Argyl Salvation Army is located at 301 W. Main Street, in Pen Argyl.

For more information please contact the Pen Argyl Salvation Army Corps at 610-863-6677

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**NCC to Hold Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Care Seminar**

It is projected that by 2050, 13.8 million people ages 65 and older will be diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.

Northampton Community College (NCC) will hold a seminar on dementia care on Tuesday, October 2nd, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the College's Fowler Family Southside Center, 511 East Third Street, Bethlehem.

Facilitated by Lori Dierolf, BA, PCHA, CPD, the training session will explore the disease process and related behaviors, success-oriented interventions, end-of-life issues, communication, providing care assistance, and fostering respect and sensitivity toward people with dementia.

The seminar is ideal for healthcare professionals, administrators and staff of nursing and assisted living facilities, social workers, home care and hospice agency staff, and anyone interested in learning about dementias and the care of people with these brain diseases.

The seminar has been approved for continuing education credits by the Pennsylvania State Nursing Association (7.0), the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services (8.0), the National Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners (7.0) and meets the criteria for those who qualify for and are pursuing certification as a CDP, (Certified Dementia Practitioner). Northampton Community College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Pennsylvania State Nurses Association an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

To enroll with a credit card, visit [Northampton.edu/HealthCareCourses](http://Northampton.edu/HealthCareCourses). For more information, call 610-332-6585 or email [healthcare@northampton.edu](mailto:healthcare@northampton.edu)



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Bell Ringers are needed for the Christmas Season. There are a lot of families in need within the Slate Belt Area. Our Bell Ringers are dedicated to raising as much funds as possible to help needy families going through difficult times in their lives. If you are interested in helping us ring in funds to help your local community this season please inquire or call the officer for more details. Volunteers must have the following:

1. A PA ID or valid Driver's license.
2. Independent transportation available.
3. A willingness to complete Background clearances.

For more information please contact the Pen Argyl Salvation Army at 610-863-6677.

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9 AM Sunday School, 10 AM Worship  
Rev. Sukja Bang, (610) 588-7818  
www.ackermanvilleumc.org

### **Arndt's Lutheran Church**

1851 Arndt Road, Easton, PA 18040, 610-253-3732  
Worship: Sat. 6:00 PM, Sun. at 8:15 AM Communion;  
9:00 AM Children's Sunday School; 9:30 AM. Confirmation;  
10:30 AM Worship. Holy Communion is celebrated on the 1st  
& 3rd Sundays of the month.  
Tue. - 10:00 AM Open Arms; 7:00 PM Boy Scouts & Bible Study.  
Thur. - 10:00 AM Open Arms  
Midweek Lenten Services - Wed., Feb. 21st thru Wed., Mar. 21st

### **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**

975 Benders Church Road, Pen Argyl  
10:10 AM Worship, Food Bank 3rd Saturday  
of the month 9 AM - 11 AM  
(610) 863-9114

### **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  
Summer Hours 9:00 am Worship  
www.celcpa.org

### **Community Baptist**

Weona Park Center, Pen Argyl  
7 PM Bible Study, Separate class for age 10 & under

### **Clearfield Bible Holiness Church**

1502 Bushkill Center Road, Wind Gap  
10:30 AM Sunday School, 11:15 AM & 2 PM Worship  
7 PM Thursday Prayer Meeting  
Pastor Mike Beck, (570) 369-6563

### **Community Church**

Mount Pocono - 1050 Memorial Blvd., Tobyhanna, PA 18466 -  
SUNDAYS 9:00 AM | 10:30AM | 12:00 PM

### **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.yourcpcchurch.com

### **Cross Road Baptist Church**

201 S Second Street, Bangor  
9:30 AM Sunday School, 10:45 AM Worship  
Wednesday 7 pm Prayer/Bible Study  
2nd Sunday of Month Free Meal  
4-5:30 pm Breaking Bread Soup Kitchen  
Rev. Jay VanHorn, Pastor, 610-588-3966  
www.crossroadbaptistbangor.com

### **East Bangor United Methodist Community Church**

136 West Central Avenue, East Bangor, PA  
**Sundays** - 8:30 AM Choir Rehearsal, 9:15 AM Worship Service w/Kids  
Church, 10:30 AM Adult Forum, After-Church Fellowship (Last Sunday),  
4:00-5:30 PM Free Dinner (1st Sunday)  
**2nd Wednesday** - 7:00 PM U.M.W. "Esther Circle"  
**Thursdays** - 6:30 PM Bazaar Workshop;  
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal  
**Saturdays** - 8:00 PM AA Meeting  
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  
**Sun:** Worship/Church School 10 AM  
**Tues:** Faith Quilters-1PM  
(610) 863-4447

### **Family Life Community Church**

1115 Richmond Road, Bangor  
Wednesday: Kidz Night Out at The Hub 6:30-8:00 PM  
(Kids ages 6 thru 6th grade), Thursday: Teen Night Out at  
The Hub 6:30-8:00 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  
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### **First United Evangelical**

25 South 2nd Street, Bangor  
**Sun.:** Sunday School at 9:30am, Morning Worship at 10:30am,  
**Wed., Eve.:** Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7 p.m.  
Pastor Ronald Shipman, (610)-588-3226

### **First United Methodist Church**

55 N. 3rd St., Bangor  
Sunday worship at 11:00 am  
Sunday school begins Sept. 9. Children and adult classes.  
Pastor Chris Hardy 610-588-4673  
www.FirstUMCBangor.com  
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### **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  
**Sept 2- 8:30am** Contemporary,  
8:30 AM Contemporary Worship  
10 AM Blended Service, Sunday School  
Nursery Care available at all services.  
Rev. J. Timothy Fisher (610) 863-4811  
www.worshipatgrace.org

### **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  
Summer hours June 3rd through August. service will  
be held at 9:30 am with Communion the first Sunday  
of the month.  
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, Saylorburg 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**

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  
mounteatonchurch.org

**Nazareth Moravian Church**

4 South Main Street, Nazareth, (610) 759-3163,  
nazarethmoravian.org  
Sundays - 9:30am Worship  
Wednesdays-6pm Weight Watchers  
Martin on Main 1 PM-7 PM 8/4  
Food Bank Sunday 8/5  
Joyful Noise Offering Sunday 8/19

**Northampton God's Missionary Church**

4965 Nor Bath Blvd, Northampton, PA  
Sundays: 10:00 AM, and 6:30 PM  
Wednesdays at 6:00 PM. (call for location)  
Daniel Richardson, pastor (610) 262-4412  
www.ngmc.church

**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  
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Rev. Michael J. Scholtes, (610) 588-2355  
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**Presbyterian Parish of Bangor-Roseto**

Sunday 10:30 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, Bangor. Pastor Ed Van Arsdale  
Sunday Service 10:00 AM ; Children's Sunday School 10:00 AM  
Apr 13th - 14h Rummage Sale  
(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) 8:00pm  
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  
Pastor Kaye Lentz, (610) 759-1652  
www.salemuccbathpa.org

**St. Brigid's Episcopal Church**

310 Madison Avenue, Nazareth  
9:30 AM Holy Eucharist  
Rev. William Martin,  
(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 10:30 am - 1st Sunday of month Holy Communion  
Rev. Cecilla and Rev. Jameson Baxter  
(610) 759-0244  
www.stlukesuccbelfast.com

**St. Mary's Episcopal**

340 Lehigh Street, Wind Gap  
9 AM Eucharist, 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.  
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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  
The Rev. Canon Joel Atkinson, priest in charge.

**St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church**

1422 Church Road, Pen Argyl  
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Pastor Chris Druckenmiller (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 Dale Sattizahn, (610) 252-6515

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

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**Tuesdays:** Food Bank 10 AM-12 PM

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Rabbi Baruch Melman, 570-421-8781

**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  
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Rev. Rodney W. Wells, (610) 588-1989

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