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Grant to renovate White Haven municipal building

White Haven Borough is one of 12 communities in the legislative district served by State Rep. Gerald Mullery to receive part of nearly \$3.5 million in grants announced by the Commonwealth Financing Authority.

“Today’s investments approved by the CFA will prove to be beneficial to Luzerne County,” Mullery said. “The scope of the projects is vast, but they help to enhance the quality of life for our residents and visitors.”

White Haven’s grant of \$184,000 will be used to complete renovations to the White Haven Municipal Building, including a new roof for the structure.

Other grants in the district include:

- \$40,073 for improvements to the Newport Township Community Park walking trail;

- \$75,000 for improvements at Plymouth’s John Mergo Community Park;

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The Reverend Donald J. Stump, center, Pastor Emeritus of Salem United Church of Christ in Weatherly was honored on Sunday in observance of the 55th Anniversary of his Ordination. Rev. Stump was ordained on June 25, 1961 at St. Paul’s UCC in Taylor, Pennsylvania. Participating in the celebration were Salem UCC Pastor Sharon Frye, left and Consistory President Linda Garber, right.

JH: Donnell Stump



Grant means new roof for the White Haven Municipal Building. JH: Ruth Isenberg



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From the Archives

From *The Weatherly Herald*, July 7, 1977

On the front page of the newspaper is a photo of the undefeated Weatherly Little League champs, Hazleton National Bank. The team won all 12 of their games, winning both the first and second half of the season. The team played in jerseys that say “Hazleton” in big letters, with National Bank (spelled correctly) underneath.

The front page also features a Letter to the Editor complaining about the 7.5 mill tax increase from the Weatherly Area School Board. On the back page is a story of the meeting that raised the taxes on a vote of 4 to 2, with three members absent. The board blamed the tax hike on a reduction of state subsidies, rising salaries, increased enrollment, and inflation. Residents at the meeting asked for reductions in the athletic program, particularly the football program “which could save a lot of money.” Citizens were invited to make specific suggestions on where to cut programs and expenses. The board did cut utility expenses, and a janitor position. It was also noted that contract negotiations with the district’s teachers were underway.

A photo on page 2 shows Robin L. Richardson of White Haven, who has become engaged to David Novitsky of Weatherly. Richardson is employed as a secretary for Wilmot Engineering Co. in White Haven. Novitsky is to graduate from East Stroudsburg State College, where he is majoring in health and physical education. No date has been set for the wedding.

Last week, a six-month project to demolish all of the existing buildings at the former Carbon County Home at Laurytown was started by the John Gentile firm. The three-story administration building is already down, and the chapel has been leveled. Next down was the “Mystery Building” as it had come to be known – the facility’s utility building.

Weatherwood had a visit from seven executives of the Honeywell Corporation to examine the new Delta 1000 Energy Management System installed there. Andrew Tuzinski, County Home administrator, told Carbon County Commissioners that the system has “excellent performance” and that the executives flew in to this area for the visit via private jet. It is estimated that the system has so

far saved the county \$40,000 in the past six months. The system itself cost \$64,000.

The Weatherly 4-H Horse and Pony Club sponsors an open horse show at the Double H in Packer Township on July 10.

Weatherly Police report arresting three local men on fireworks law violations.

A new singles category for men 60 years and older has been added to the Carbon County Tennis Tournament, to be held from this Saturday through August 4 at county playgrounds. The finals are scheduled for August 6 at the Maple Tree Inn Tennis Club near Lehighon.

A public notice is advertised in *The Herald* that the Weatherly Area School Board is seeking sealed bids for the repair of the chimney of the High School Building on Spring Street in Weatherly, with bids due July 13.

Advertised – Peasant Clothing, Ideal for the Polka Dancer! At Womer’s Western Shop, Route 209, New Philadelphia.

Editorial

Barriers make I-80 safer

by Seth Isenberg

Another deadly crash on Interstate 80 reminds us that the road could be a LOT safer for regular users.

What we know is that at about 6 a.m. on June 28, a driver of a car with New Jersey plates heading west lost control and drove his car off the road. The car went through the median and ended up going westbound in the eastbound lanes, facing heavy traffic. His car hit/was hit by a tractor-trailer, and he was thrown from the car and died.

That the driver could drive through the median and onto the oncoming lanes is a HUGE concern. This could have been much worse.

We urge PennDOT to put barriers in place in these medians to give out-of-control vehicles a life-saving stop, and to keep opposing traffic from the chance this will happen again.

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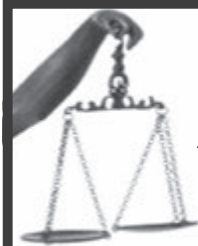
Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Letters Testamentary have been issued by the Register of Wills of Carbon County in the **Estate of Leslie Diane Gutosky a/k/a Leslie Gutosky**, late of 230 First Street, Weatherly, Carbon County, Pennsylvania who passed away on June 16, 2016 to the Executrix, Anna August, 230 First Street, Weatherly, PA 18255. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to:

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picked up on
Friday mornings.

Calling all cakes!

The White Haven Fire Company will hold a **CAKE WALK** at this year's Bazaar at Lehigh Park. It will take place on the final day of the Bazaar, Sunday, July 24 at 12:30 p.m. Cakes, pies and water-

melons are needed to make this event a success, and we need your donation of them. This is the Fire Company's 100th birthday so we would be happy to see any birthday cakes or pies!

PLEASE NOTE: Cakes (or pies) made with coconut, peanuts or peanut by-products should be labeled as such. And because of the mid-day time of the Cake Walk, please try to keep your baked goods

cool! Please bring them to the park around noon.

As always, thanks for your support—past, present and future. Questions about the Cake Walk? Call Dave Searfoss at 570-328-6565.

Rep. Mullery supports PA budget

State Rep. Gerald Mullery, D-Luzerne, supported passage of a state budget plan that increases education funding and expands efforts to fight our commonwealth's growing opioid addiction crisis.

"This plan isn't perfect, but it provides much needed education funding, something our school districts have been anticipating for years," Mullery said. "The budget is on-time and doesn't increase broad-based taxes."

Senate Bill 1073 includes a \$250 million increase for pre-K through 12 education funding, including \$200 million for K-12, \$30 million for pre-K and Head Start, and a \$20 million increase for special education. According to

information provided by the House Appropriations Committee Democratic staff, Mullery said school districts in his 119th Legislative District are slated to receive substantial increases.

Mullery said the bill also provides funding for three additional Pennsylvania State Police cadet classes; transfers millions from the Oil and Gas Fund to the General Fund to give money to conservation programs and dedicates \$15 million to combat

heroin and opioid addiction, including funds for emergency addiction treatment and behavioral health services.

"This funding would help my district put more patrols in municipalities that don't have local police," Mullery said. "The \$15 million allocated to combat the heroin and opioid epidemic is crucial for so many families that have loved ones dealing with this overwhelming problem."

The bill is now headed to Gov. Tom Wolf's desk.

WHITE HAVEN RESIDENTS

Representatives from White Haven Borough will be conducting surveys by mail and door to door to residents of Susquehanna and Elmira Streets during the following weeks:

July 11 to July 15

July 18 to July 22

The purpose of the survey is to gather information essential for an application for federal Community Development Block Grant funding through Luzerne County for street improvements in the surveyed neighborhoods.

The Borough Council appreciates the cooperation of residents. All information will be kept confidential.

Shelter seeks helpers

The Weatherly Animal Shelter is in need of volunteers to help clean at the shelter and help care for the animals, even if it is only for one day a week.

To volunteer, call Lori at 570-427-8434.

Death Roll

MILLARD GLASSER

Millard E. Glasser, Jr., 73, of Weatherly died Wednesday, June 29, 2016 in Heritage Hills Senior Community, Weatherly.

A son of the late Millard and Dorothy Schaeffer Glasser, he was born in Pottsville, and was a graduate of Pottsville High School.

He was Lutheran by faith, and an auto mechanic by trade.

Preceding him in death was brother Jan Glasser.

Surviving are daughters and son-in-law Lori Faust and Bob Richeson of Weatherly, Lisa Glasser-Bonner of New-

town, Wendy Greenawalt of West Chester; five grandchildren; brother and sister-in-law Dean and Carol Glasser of White Haven; sister-in-law Nancy Glasser of Concordville, life-long friends Mary Joan Glasser of Levittown.

Graveside memorial services will be held Saturday at 11:00 a.m. in Union Cemetery, Weatherly.

Memorial donations may be made to Weatherly Pound, c/o Lori Knepper, 10 Wilbur Street, Weatherly, PA 18255.

Arrangements are by the Philip J. Jeffries Funeral Home of Weatherly.

Thank You to all who offered cards, prayers, contributions and comfort following the death of Lois Holman.

Special thanks to her Heritage Hill family, Dr. Emilia Secheresiu, and the Rev. Glen Hueholt. Everything is very much appreciated.

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Weatherly Area High School underclassmen were honored for attaining the highest cumulative academic average in their class during the end of year academic, athletic and activity awards assembly. From left are Katie Graham and Nikki Polivka, tied for highest average in the Class of 2019; Samantha Knepper, highest average in the Class of 2018; and Morgan Gower, highest average in the Class of 2017.

Lehighon Band Concert at Eurana Park

The Lehighon Band, under the direction of Brad Cressley, will kick off the 2016 concert series at Eurana Park, Weatherly on Sunday July 10 at 7 p.m. This season's concerts in Weatherly and Lehighon are dedicated to the memory of Paul R. Smith, the band's director for over 50 years, who passed away this past spring.

The concert will have a patriotic tone with predominantly American music in the program. The concert will start with the Henry Fillmore arrangement of *The Star Spangled Banner* followed by the first Sousa march of the evening, *The Liberty Bell March*. A salute to American composer George M. Cohan continues the program with a *Star Spangled Spectacular*. Next in line is one of the Sousa Band's favorite overtures, *The Light Calvary Overture* by Franz von Suppe.

Alto Saxophone soloist Ty Sharrow takes center stage to play *Over the Rainbow* from the 1939 Judy Garland movie *The Wizard of Oz*.

The band's long tradition of honoring those who have served in the military continues with *Armed Forces Salute*. Members of the audience who are veterans or currently serving will be asked to stand when their service song is played.

A distinctly American musical form, the cake walk, will be heard in *Cake-walk*

for Band, followed by a suite of three songs in *American Folk Fantasy*, and music composed by Henry Mancini for the NBC news coverage of the presidential elections of 1976 with his *Decision 76*.

The next part of the concert will start with another Sousa march dating from 1926, *Sesquicentennial March*.

The band takes a slight detour to the pop music scene of the 1970s with *Billy Joel in Concert*.

Returning to the patriotic theme the band goes on a musical journey through American history in *An American Spectacular*. A rousing rendition of the hymn *Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken* brings the concert to its finale, with John Phillip Sousa's *The Stars and Stripes Forever March*.

In the event of rain the concert will be canceled. The next concert in Weatherly is Sunday, August 14, at 7 p.m. Call 484-560-4073 for information about the Lehighon Band and the concerts.



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Website about White Haven to highlight local events

Michelle Evans of Amazing Spaces has launched a free website to highlight happenings around her hometown—www.whitehavenrocks.com

Her goal is to establish a local, central website for area info and event listings. As a local advertising business owner & web designer for 20+ years, she's donated a website to White Haven to

solve these problems for both local residents and town visitors. "Not to mention help myself, family and friends keep abreast of what's going on nearby," she adds.

As she explains, many small businesses, artists and bands, either can't afford a website or only have a Facebook page, so this website will give them more reach.

Evans has also launched an art studio in Allentown recently, and wanted a site to promote herself and other local talent.

The website reflects life in White Haven and helps to improve its identity as a fun, activity-filled Pocono community. The homepage blog covers area events and hot spots. People can check the

Entertainments page monthly for an updated calendar of local festivals, band gigs and other events.

Local residents can take photos of town, landmarks etc. to submit for use on the website, and they will get credit for them if they submit their full name. All local businesses, artists, crafters, activities, restaurants and

hotels, area vacation rentals, etc. may submit their free listing info to WhiteHaven@AmazingSpaces.com



Veterans Corner by John Kearns

THE FINEST HOURS: Of those who serve of our military services, the US Coast Guard grants more authority and trust to its younger members than all others. On a typical rescue station the Officer of the Day is an E-4 or E-5 most likely 20 to 24 years old, who has enlisted for four years and has already qualified in boat rescue expertise, firearms, law enforcement training, first aid, CPR and to act in the Position of OOD, making life and death decisions. The station is commanded by an E-7-8 or E-9 Chief Boatswains Mate.

If you ask a fireman, police officer or rescue squad member what RESCUE means, I am sure all will agree that rescue of another human in a life threatening situation is the word that scrubs common sense, abolishes reason,

wipes out calculation and leaves nothing but courage and a refusal to quit.

The film *The Finest Hours*, now available on DVD, brings back a few memories. You have to think a moment that a steel ship, 1,000 or more feet long, is in trouble in a storm. The wind is howling, waves are coming over the top of the outer break wall and even the lighthouse is submerged by each passing wave. You look at your 36' or 44' boat and understand you have to take it out there to rescue those souls before the wind and waves kill all on-board. You look at your crew whose motto is: We have to go out, but we don't have to come back! You have to try your best.

Hundreds of young Coasties have faced that decision, including myself. Simple, sen-

sible seamanship would have dictated a prompt return to the station. A tiny craft versus the vast and rampaging sea. But you push the throttles ahead and go in harm's way, knowing it may your last night on earth.

The movie illuminates the dangers of these rescues that occur all around our coasts and in the Great Lakes annually. Rescue! No other word so illuminates the courage and selflessness of men and women to risk all that others may live.

On the night of February 18, 1952, a violent Nor'easter slammed 70' waves into two tankers at sea. One, The Pendleton, sent out a distress call before she broke up with 33 men freezing and clinging to the sinking stern section, now drifting helplessly at sea. The Coast Guard station

had picked up The Pendleton on radar and was watching the two sections of the ship. Larger cutters and tugs better able to cope with the merciless sea were fighting their way there, but with no hope of arriving in time.

Against orders and wisdom, Bernard Webber, Boatswain's mate, and a crew of three decided to respond using their rescue craft, the motor lifeboat CG 36500. They decided to go not expecting to get to the shipwreck in time, not expecting to rescue anyone. If they did, they would not make it back over the perilous bar and towering breaking waves ... They did not expect to survive. Crossing the bar, the little boat was pounded by a huge waves tearing away rescue equipment and their compass ... the one piece of equipment needed to find

the tanker then find their way back. By chance they found the stricken ship. Of 33 men, 32 were saved. This left four Coast Guardsmen and 32 safe tanker crewmen on a valiant 36' boat designed to hold 12, with no compass to lead them home. The Coxswain said: Our Lord had a hand on the tiller that night as they found the entrance to the harbor itself, made it over the bar, made it safe to the pier.

This is why our soldiers and Marines risk themselves to rescue a wounded comrade and why our first responders and police do not hesitate. When faced with the challenge of saving a life, you have to go out, but you don't have to come back. The movie honors all who risk all for those they serve.

VBS at Salem UCC

Salem United Church of Christ, 330 First St., Weatherly, will hold vacation Bible school from Monday, July 18 to Friday, July 22 at the church.

The program is open to children and youth from the area and will include classes from pre-school to sixth grade. Registration is free, but children should be pre-registered to ensure sufficient supplies are available for all participants. Pre-registration has

been extended to Sunday, July 10. There are still a few spots open.

The theme this year is "Cave Quest — Following Jesus: The Light of the World."

The daily schedule will include Bible stories and songs, recreation, arts and crafts and snack.

It will be held at Salem UCC, First and Fell streets, Weatherly.

Students who are entering seventh grade or older in the fall are welcome to volunteer as helpers.

Call or text Donnell Stump at 570-579-8801 to register a child.

Archives...

From *The Journal-Herald*, July 3, 1985

Pennsylvania State Police Captain John K. Shafer, a Weatherly native, has been promoted from his command of Troop D in Butler to a new post of Office of Professional Responsibility. Among his first task is to develop changes in internal disciplinary procedures.

Dance tonight

As part of the Weatherly borough's recreation program, a dance will be held today, Thursday, July 7 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Eurana Park.

On the front page is a photo of the new outlet bridge at Penn Lake Park.

The Crestwood School Board dropped a proposed three-mill property tax increase from its final 1985 budget. The millage will remain the lowest of all the Luzerne County school districts. The total budget for '85-'86 is \$9,038,828. A list of 200 graduates of the Class of 1985 was approved. The board authorized taking a tax anticipation loan from First Eastern Bank of \$2 million.

The Weatherly Area School Board approved a budget of \$3,029,897 for the '85-'86 school year, with no increase in taxes. The board exempted property at 106 Carbon St. in Weatherly from taxes for the years 1981 to 1984. This is the former A&P Market building, now scheduled for demolition.

The White Haven Fire Co. #1 will not hold its monthly breakfast due to the Fireman's Carnival.

Grant...

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- \$1 million for the extension of Hazle Township Boulevard;
- \$673,000 for the acquisition and demolition of properties in Nanticoke City's downtown corridor;
- \$85,000 for upgrades of the Askam Borehole Mine Drainage Treatment System;
- \$505,000 for the Lower South Valley COG to purchase road restoration and construction equipment;
- \$241,351 to excavate and resurface borough streets in Plymouth;
- \$500,000 to construct a new municipal complex in Freeland;
- \$200,000 to excavate and

resurface township roads in Rice Township;

- \$250,000 to construct a pole barn in Newport Township to store township and COG equipment; and
- \$35,000 for improvements at the West Hazleton Little League complex.

The CFA was established in 2004 as an independent agency of the Department of Community and Economic Development to administer Pennsylvania's economic stimulus packages. The CFA holds fiduciary responsibility over the funding of programs and investments in Pennsylvania's economic growth. The CFA consists of seven board members: four legislative appointees and the secretaries of DCED, the Office of the Budget and Department of Banking.



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Thursday, July 7

W.H. Area Senior Citizens Meeting
— 1:00 p.m. — V.F.W. Post 6615
East Side Borough Council Meeting
— 7:00 p.m. — Borough Building

Friday, July 8

Summer Festival — 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.
— St. Patrick's Parish Center

Saturday, July 9

Summer Festival — 1:00 to 9:00 p.m.
— St. Patrick's Parish Center

Sunday, July 10

Summer Festival — 9:00 a.m. to 1:00
p.m. — St. Patrick's Parish Center
V.F.W. Post 6615 & Home Association Meeting — 2:00 p.m. — Post Home

Monday, July 11

W.H. Chamber of Commerce Meeting — 7:00 p.m. — LK HairShop

Tuesday, July 12

W.H. Lions Cub Meeting — 7:00 p.m.
— Jack's Grille
Dennison Township Volunteer Fire Company & Auxiliary Meetings — 7:30 p.m. — Fire House

Wednesday, July 13

Foster Township Board of Supervisors Meeting — 6:00 p.m. — Township Municipal Building
Bingo — 6:00 p.m. (Doors open at 5:00 p.m.) — St. Patrick's Parish Center

Thursday, July 14

Penn Lake Park Borough Council Work Session — 6:30 p.m., Meeting — 7:00 p.m. — Community House

Foster Township Planning Commission Meeting — 7:00 p.m. — Township Municipal Building

Every Thursday & Monday Except Holidays

Joy Through Movement — 10:00 a.m. — W.H. United Methodist Church

Every First & Third Thursday Except Holidays

Scrabble Club — 6:30 p.m. — White Haven Area Community Library

Every First & Third Tuesday Except Holidays

Yarn Club — 10:00 a.m. to Noon — White Haven Area Community Library

Every First & Third Wednesday Except Holidays

Rep. Gerald Mullery Office Hours — White Haven Municipal Building

Every Friday Except Fifth Friday & Holidays

W.H. Food Pantry — 10:00 a.m. to Noon — Rear, Hickory Hall, White Haven Center

Every Friday, Monday & Wednesday Except Holidays

Free Community Lunch — Serving 11:30 a.m. to Noon — St. Paul's Lutheran Parish Hall

Every Saturday

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting — 7:00 p.m. — St. Patrick's Parish Center

Every Sunday

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting — 7:00 p.m. — Mountainview Community Church

Every Tuesday

Al-Anon Meeting — 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Presbyterian Church of W.H.

Every Third Tuesday Except Holidays

Book Club — 7:00 p.m. — White Haven Area Community Library

Every Wednesday Except Holidays

Stretch & More — 10:00 a.m. — St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Gettysburg as lived by civilians

The Wyoming Valley Civil War Round Table will meet on Thursday, July 14, at 7 p.m. in the lower level of the Daddow-Isaacs American Legion, 730 Memorial Highway, Dallas.

The program for the evening will be presented by James Faber, author and civil war enthusiast, from Mission Viejo, California. Faber will be discussing his book *"Invaders in Our Town: The Battle of Gettysburg Through The Eyes of Some Who Lived It."* Many books study the

events and strategies of the Battle of Gettysburg, while few touch on the human element of this tragic event. Faber will describe what it was like for those who were forced to endure the horror right outside their front doors.

The program is open to the public. A \$3 donation will be accepted for non-members. New members are always welcome.

For information contact John at (570) 675-8936.

Steam train ride from Mountain Top

The Rotary Club of Mountain Top is hosting a steam train ride to Jim Thorpe on Saturday, July 23. The train boards in Mountain Top at 8:30 a.m. and departs at 9:30 and arrives in Jim Thorpe by 11:30. Riders will have four hours to enjoy Jim Thorpe before the return trip leaves at 3:30 p.m. and is back at Mountain Top by

5:45 p.m.

Parking is at the Mountain Top Hose Company No. 1 with a shuttle bus to the train.

Tickets are \$70 each, and available at the Triangle Pharmacy in Mountain Top.

For more information, call 570-715-7752 or 570-715-7748.

Food Safety Certification - ServSafe® to be offered

The ServSafe® course, conducted by Penn State Extension is being held at the Emergency Management Building, 1264 Emergency Lane, Nesquehoning, on August 15, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and August 22, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The exam will be held at 11 a.m. on August 22. After attending the class sessions and passing the multiple choice exam, participants will receive a ServSafe® certificate which meets the PA Department of Agriculture's requirement for food safety certification.

The course covers information related to preventing cross contamination, safe handling of food, temperature control, cleaning and sanitization, proper storage, and pest control in addition to other relevant topics.

The cost of the class is \$185 and the registration deadline is August 10. Register online at www.foodsafety.psu.edu (choose ServSafe® under "Courses and Workshops"). Contact Nicole McGeehan at 570-421-6430 or nmd5140@psu.edu with any questions.

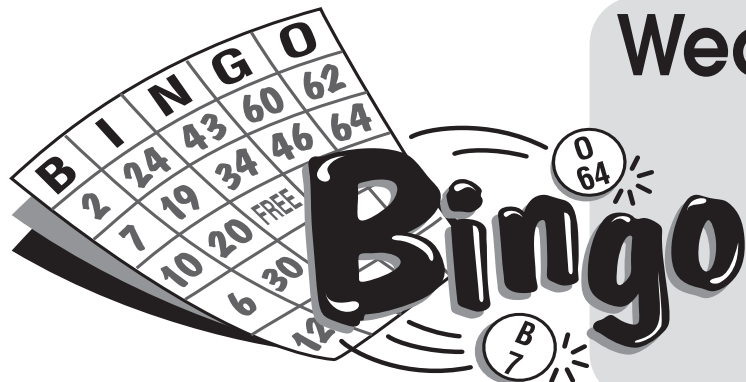
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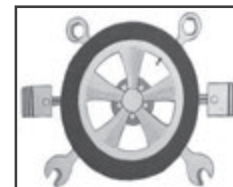
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 Weatherly Rotary Club Dinner Meeting – 6:30 p.m. – Jack's Grille, East Side

Friday, July 8
 Unbaked Pizza Sale – 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. & 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. - Centenary United Methodist Church

Sunday, July 10
 Breakfast – 7:00 a.m. to Noon– Silver Ridge Hunting Club
 Concert by Leighton Band – 7:00 p.m.- Eurana Park

Monday, July 11
 American Legion Post 360 Meeting – 6:00 p.m. – Post Home
 Lausanne Township Board of Supervisors Meeting – 7:00 p.m. – Agnes Klynowsky Residence

Tuesday, July 12
 Shepherd House Food Pantry – 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. – Zions Lutheran Church Annex
 Citizens' Volunteer Fire Company Meeting – 7:30 p.m. – Fire House

Thursday, July 14
 Senior Citizens Friendship Club Meeting – 1:30 p.m. – Salem U.C.C.
 Bingo Night –7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.) – Tweedle Park
 Greater Weatherly Area Ambulance Association Meeting – 7:30 p.m. – Ambulance Building

Every Thursday
 State Representative Doyle Heffley Outreach Office – 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. – Weatherly Borough Building
 Summer Dance – 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. – Eurana Park Pavilion

Weatherly Museum Hours
 Thursday 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.
 Saturday 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
 Sunday 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
 & by Appointment

Senior Menu

Week of July 11:
 Monday: Egg salad sandwich, roll, beet salad, Mandarin oranges.
 Tuesday: Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, carrots, roll, Rice Krispie treat.
 Wednesday: Roast beef & cheese sandwich, bread, tomato salad, apple slices.
 Thursday: Baked fish, macaroni & cheese, stewed tomatoes, broccoli, rocky road pudding.
 Friday: Cheeseburger, bun, potato salad, broccoli salad, apple slices.

Kohler now Weatherly TC

Effective July 1, Deborah A. Kohler is the new tax collector in the Weatherly borough. Real estate and per capita taxes will be collected by her at 794 North Street, Weatherly.

Beginning July 28, her hours will be on Thursdays, from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. or by appointment on Thursdays after the rebate period

Any questions call 570-427-4765.

Connie Biederman celebrates 92nd Birthday



Connie L. Biederman, a resident of Heritage Hill Senior Community in Weatherly, celebrated her 92nd birthday this week. Born in Philadelphia on July 1, 1924, she is the daughter of the late Charles and Leona Oettle.

Connie graduated from the Philadelphia High School for Girls in 1942. Following graduation she went to work at the Federal

Reserve Bank in Philadelphia where she worked for 37 years. She started as a file clerk and later became assistant coordinator.

She married the love of her life Fred Biederman in 1948. She and Fred were avid campers and enjoyed camping at Hickory Run State Park from 1949 to 1959. In 1959 they purchased a trailer for their weekend getaways. As a hobby they traveled to various points of interest all over the U.S.

Soon after Connie retired in 1979 she and Fred moved to Albrightsville. They were married for 54 years until his death in 2002.

Connie has a real appreciation for music and played the mandolin when she was younger. She is an avid reader and enjoys crocheting. She is past worthy matron of her chapter in the Order of the Eastern Star and belonged to Daughters of the Nile. She was the Secretary and Treasurer of the Jim Thorpe Senior Citizens, member of the Weatherly Senior Citizens and former member of the American Legion.

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PennDOT Opens New Baddick Memorial Bridge in Jim Thorpe

The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation last Friday opened the PA 903

Sgt. Andrew J. "AJ" Baddick Bridge over the Lehigh River, Lehigh Canal, Reading Blue

Mountain Northern Railroad and Norfolk Southern Railroad in Jim Thorpe Borough.

PennDOT District Executive Michael W. Rebert was joined by elected officials to officially cut the ribbon to open the new bridge. Officials from Jim Thorpe Borough and the business community also participated in the event.

"We are excited to cut the ribbon on perhaps the most significant transportation project in Carbon County in decades," Rebert said. "We appreciate the patience of the legislators, local officials and business owners during this project. It is an honor to open this magnificent struc-

ture with them here today."

Work began in March 2014 to replace the structurally deficient PA 903 Bridge. The project involves replacing the existing structurally deficient five-span steel girder bridge with a four-span continuous steel plate girder bridge.

The new bridge is on a new alignment approximately 940 feet upstream from the existing bridge and includes a new signalized intersection at the relocated intersection of PA 903 and US 209.

Also during construction crews reconstructed and widened US 209 between Liberty and Packer Hill roads, built retaining walls, removed

the existing PA 903 Bridge and performed other miscellaneous construction.

Ongoing work will include demolishing the old PA 903 Bridge, establishing vegetation and other miscellaneous work.

Allan A. Myers, LP of Worcester, Pa. is the general contractor on the \$28,183,312 project.

The old PA 903 Bridge was constructed in 1953 and rehabilitated in 1976. It is 613 feet long and 27 feet wide. The new bridge is 961 feet long and 57 feet 8 inches wide. This section of PA 903 has an average daily traffic volume of 9,681 vehicles.



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Seth's Sightings by Seth Isenberg

The week before the Fourth of July is our busiest of the year. Our small team completed seven newspapers. Friday was our busiest, getting the *Journal of the Pocono Plateau* delivered, picking up a print job in the morning, mailing and distributing both, and then as the day wrapped up, going to back pick up *another* print job and delivering that as night fell. When we did make it home, we had barely the energy to crawl into bed.

On Saturday I got some newspaper work out of the way early so that I could take Clara and Ruth to a play at the PA Shakespeare Festival. This time we were seeing *Julius Caesar* in the more intimate Schubert theater. Our seats were almost within arm's reach of the performance stage, and we could see right into the eyes of the actors. The play, while a tragedy, is a good strong one featuring many familiar and still quoted Shakespeare lines. It is well acted. There are some tickets to be had by calling ahead. Next door, West Side Story was wrapping up its run to standing room only crowds (after a week off, *The Taming of the Shrew* begins its three-week

Copies of *The Journal-Herald* are for sale at: The White Haven Market, Fuel-One store, White Haven Exxon and Journal-Herald office in White Haven; Weatherly Area Community Pharmacy and TJ's Quick Stop in Weatherly; Weasel's in Dennison; Hickory Run Travel Plaza in East Side; and Wawa in Kidder.

run).

Sunday we planned a New Jersey run to enjoy the company of my Uncle Slater. On our way in on Route 46, we checked out New Jersey produce, seeing it's too soon for most anything but blueberries. We then stopped to buy hot dogs at Hot Dog Johnny's — a roadside landmark, which was busy with a mix of regulars, hot-rodders, motorcyclists, families with kids to senior citizens. After that, we tanked up on gasoline at \$1.95.9 before joining Slater for some shopping. We went out to dinner on Independence Day at a halal Turkish restaurant - which was quite wonderful.

On our way home that evening, we passed by a number of fireworks displays while driving Interstate 80 including one off Route 115 in Blakeslee that was small but very nice. The Bada Boom store was busy keeping up with everyone wanting fire-

works for the 4th — staying open late.

We treated the 4th of July Monday as a holiday, spending the afternoon at Knoebels. While driving there, we saw that the in some fields, the planted corn looked weeks behind previous years. At a stop at a farm stand along the way, we bought fresh-picked raspberries and some fava beans. The stand's matriarch assured us that there should be local corn soon. As we got closer to the park, the corn was knee high. We also sighted a wheat harvest underway in a field beside the

back road that we take to the Knoebels parking lot. It was their official 90th anniversary parade and celebration day. We stayed three hours to enjoy a few rides, see the parade and have lunch.

No sightings of note — except a few bucks getting ready to shed the fuzz from already impressive antlers.

Coming up this weekend is the locally-famous St. Patrick's Parish Festival in White Haven. Also all this weekend is the Briggs Farm Blues Festival further west. Ruth and I will be attending both. Our Briggs plans will

have us enjoying the evenings and the great music. During the day on Saturday is Tobyhanna Township Community Day featuring another chance to enjoy a professional fireworks display.



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Coming Events

JULY 8, Friday – Unbaked Pizza Sale, sponsored by Centenary United Methodist Church, Weatherly

JULY 8-10, Friday-Sunday – Briggs Farm Blues Festival, Nescopeck

JULY 8-10, Friday-Sunday – St. Patrick's Church Festival, White Haven

JULY 10 Sunday – Breakfast, sponsored by Silver Ridge Hunting Club, Weatherly

JULY 10 Sunday – Concert by Leighton Band at Eurana Park, Weatherly

JULY 13, Wednesday – Bingo, sponsored by St. Patrick's R.C. Church, White Haven

JULY 15 & 16, Friday & Saturday – L & L Homecoming, Laurytown

JULY 15-17, Friday-Sunday – Bazaar, sponsored by Mountaintop Hose Company, Mountain Top

JULY 16 & 17, Saturday & Sunday – Inter-Tribal Native American Pow-Wow, Camp Rotawanis, Drums

JULY 22-24, Friday-Sunday – Bazaar, sponsored by White Haven Fire Company

JULY 23, Saturday – Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by Weatherly Lions Club

JULY 24, Sunday – Free Summer Concert, sponsored by Faith Lutheran Church, Blakeslee

JULY 24-28, Sunday-Thursday – White Haven Area Vacation Bible School

JULY 29 & 30, Friday & Saturday – Flea Market, sponsored by White Haven United Methodist Church

AUGUST 1, Monday – Golf Tournament, sponsored by White Haven Lions Club

AUGUST 5, Friday – Clothing Give-away, sponsored by Freeland Presbyterian Church

AUGUST 7, Sunday – Breakfast, sponsored by Marine Corps League Det.1039 at St. Patrick's Parish Center, White Haven

AUGUST 7, Sunday – Breakfast, sponsored by Albrightsville Fire Company

AUGUST 13, Saturday – Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by Laurel Lodge 467 F.&A.M., at St. Patrick's Parish Center, White Haven

AUGUST 20, Saturday – Weatherly Festival Kickoff Event & Fireworks Display

AUGUST 26 & 27, Friday & Saturday – Weatherly Festival

SEPTEMBER 3, Saturday – Communitywide Yard Sales, White Haven

SEPTEMBER 18, Sunday – Clay Bird & Block Shoot, sponsored by Dennison Township Volunteer Fire Company at L.O.W.L.P.A. Grounds

SEPTEMBER 24, Saturday – Chili Cook-Off, sponsored by Weatherly Lions Club

SEPTEMBER 25, Sunday – Clay Bird & Block Shoot, sponsored by L.O.W.L.P.A., Dennison Township

Lions plan annual BBQ

The Weatherly Lions Club will hold its annual chicken barbecue on Saturday, July 23 from noon to 3 p.m. at Tweedle Park.

The meal will be available to eat in or take out and includes one-half of a chicken, baked potato, vegetable, cole slaw, roll and dessert for \$10. Beverages will be available for purchase.

chase.

Tickets can be purchased from any Weatherly Lions Club member or by calling Teresa at 570-427-4321, Chris at 570-427-4028 or Joan at 570-427-8222.

A limited amount of walk-ins will be available.

Mandala Exhibit and Painting Class at the M.S. Kirby Library

The public is invited to visit the Marian Sutherland Kirby Library, located at 35 Kirby Ave., Mountaintop to view a mandala exhibit by local artist Lisa Rosser. The exhibit will be on display in Community Room 1 during regular library hours through July 22.

A mandala painting class will be held at the library on Saturday, July 16 from 12:30 to 3:30 which will be instructed step by step by Lisa. Teens age 12 and older as well as adults are welcome to register.

A \$35 materials fee includes the mandala design of your choice imprinted on a 12" by 12" block of naturally aged pine and the paints. There is a choice of two designs, Floral or Geometric, which can be viewed on the library website at www.kirbylib.org.

Payment is due upon registration as well as your design choice. Registration for this class ends on Friday, July 8 to allow time to prepare the designs. To register for the class either visit the library or call 570-474-9313 with a credit card.

A mandala is an abstract design that is usually circular in form. The word "mandala" is from the classical Indian language of Sanskrit which means circle. There is usually one identifiable center point from which radiates an array of symbols, shapes, and forms.

Mandalas are often used as objects of devotion or meditation especially in Hinduism and Buddhism. However, examples can be found in all religions as well as nature. Depicting material and non-material realities, the mandala appears in all aspects of life: the celestial circles we call earth, sun, and moon, as well as conceptual circles of friends, family, and community.

Lisa was inspired to try to design her own mandalas after recently picking up a mandala coloring book. She began drawing and painting on canvas until a friend gave her poplar unpainted game boards to use. This led Lisa to paint mandalas on a variety of surfaces including reclaimed furniture and wooden slabs in addition to the canvas.

Lisa hosts and teaches mandala painting parties for small groups or businesses. Her way of giving back to the community she has called home her whole life is to donate a portion of the sales to a charity or nonprofit of the party host's choice. If a charity or nonprofit holds a paint party a portion of the sales is given to them.

Lisa, a lifelong resident of Mountaintop, graduated from Crestwood High School and continued her education to obtain an Associate's Degree in Nursing. She is employed at Butler Valley Manor as Registered Nurse Assessment Coordinator. She and her husband Edward have three daughters, Jillian, Elizabeth, and Kathryn.

Lisa can be reached for commissioned work of unique, original hand painted mandala art or for mandala painting parties through Instagram: @rayoflightmandala or via email: rayoflightmandala@yahoo.com. Lisa and a friend started a pop-up shop called The Gypsy Cottage where they sell a variety of hand painted mandala art, embroidery pieces and shabby chic home décor. Look for them at Arts on them Square in Scranton on Saturday, July 30.



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13. Fruit-peeling device
14. Part of circle
15. Type of duck
16. *James Bond's James St. John Smythe, e.g.
17. *Type of race in Cusack's "Better Off Dead"
18. Closes in on
19. *Daniel LaRusso's martial art
21. *Marty McFly's destination
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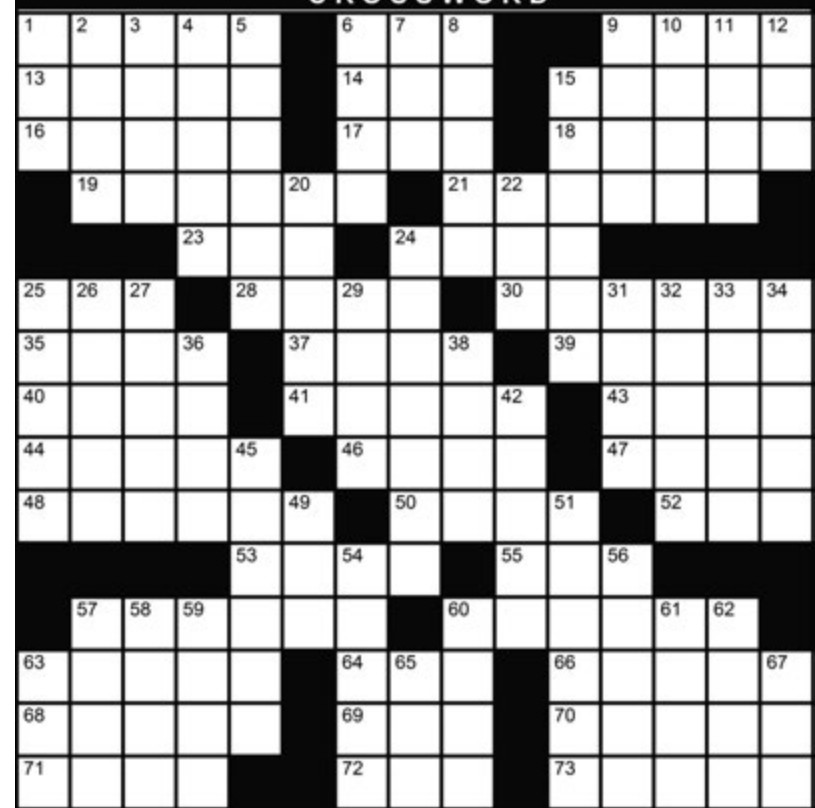
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28. Domesticated ox
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35. Like dental surgery
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39. Phil Collins' "____ Be in My Heart"
40. Alliance acronym
41. Misbehave
43. Guilty, e.g.
44. Consumed
46. Spiral-horned antelope
47. Bit of slander
48. **Missing in Action" star Chuck
50. Count on
52. Query
53. Departed
55. Tree fluid
57. *Prince's "____ Rain"
60. *He had an epic day off
63. Cone shaped dwelling
64. Time period
66. *Johnny 5 of "Short Circuit"
68. Like yesterday's meal?
69. Opposite of don'ts
70. Sheep-like
71. Get the picture
72. Thus far
73. Chunk of ice-berg?

24. Take under one's wing
25. *Vengeful barbarian
26. Inspiration for poets and musicians
27. ____ familias
29. *John Candy's slacker uncle character
31. "My bad!"
32. Head of mosque
33. Intestinal obstruction
34. *Head of the Griswolds
36. Displeasure on one's face
38. Titian's Venus of Urbino
42. Sign of life
45. "Peanuts" character
49. Sun in Mexico
51. Peter of Peter, Paul and Mary
54. Clingy one
56. Establish validity
57. Christmas par-

- tridge's perch
58. "____ no good"
59. Smell badly
60. *Like the times at "Ridgmont High"
61. What do you do on eBay?
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Mengle Coal & Oil still unbeaten in WBSL

Weatherly Basketball League

Mengle Coal & Oil emerged from Tweedle Park Day two Saturdays ago as the lone unbeaten team in the Weatherly Basketball Summer League's adult league. In a battle of the final two undefeated teams, Mengle's rode the hot hand of Danny Fogarty to a 67-57 win over Figas Contracting. Fogarty scored a game-high 34 points, and teammate Tony Shortway added 12 more as Mengle's improved to 3-0 on the season. Luke Figas topped Figas Contracting (2-1) with 18 points and team captain Keith Barna followed with 17.

David Feaster Excavating 69, Weatherly Citizens Fire Co. 43 - David Feaster Excavating pulled away after halftime to defeat the Firemen and improve to 2-1 on the season. Jon Fogarty dropped in 26 points and Chris Condrick tallied 20 for the winners. Scott Corbett paced Citizens Fire Co. (0-3) with 21 points and Dave Durange hit for 15.

TJs One Stop 65, Luke Medico Real Estate & Associates 56 - In

a back-and-forth game, TJs was able to hold off a late surge to defeat Luke Medico Real Estate. Dennis Odom showed the way for TJs (2-1) with 20 points and Josh Miller chipped in 13. Steve Baade scored 20 points for the Realtors (0-3) and Kevin Bailey contributed nine.

Zaremba's Cleaning 72, Carbon Beverage 64 - Zaremba's (2-1) got a season-high 36 points from Ryan Gimbi and another 18 from Brian O'Donnell to get past Carbon Beverage. Brett Kelly (23) and Donny Hoffman III (14) were on fire from long range, combining for six 3-pointers for Carbon Beverage (1-2).

The league was off for the July 4 weekend, and will return to action this Sunday at Eurana Park with the following schedule: 5 p.m. - David Feaster Excavating vs. Zaremba's Cleaning, 6 p.m. - Carbon Beverage vs. Mengle Coal & Oil, 7 p.m. - Citizens Fire Co. vs. TJs One Stop, 8 p.m. - Figas Contracting vs. Luke Medico Real Estate

Journal-Herald Sports

Locals fall in D-18 LL 9-10 tournament

The Hazle Township-Weatherly-White Haven entry in the District 18 Little League 9-10 Tournament saw their title hopes end in the elimination bracket final of the North Division tourney. On Saturday, Freeland edged the locals 5-4 in the elimination bracket final, sending Freeland on to the championship round against unbeaten Hazleton. Those two were to play on Tuesday for the title.

Hazle Township-Weatherly-White

American Legion wins two in Seniors play

Freeland American Legion won a pair of games last week in Valley Senior Babe Ruth play. The team includes players from both Weatherly and White Haven areas.

Freeland American Legion 8, Drums Vesuvio's 6 - Winning pitcher Al Kalinoski hurled an 8-hit complete game, and helped his cause with a single to lead American Legion past Vesuvio's. The Legion erased a 5-0 deficit after three innings, scoring in each of the remaining four frames to pull out the win. A.J. Knepper and

Little League Tournament

Haven defeated West Hazleton 15-7 on Sunday in a consolation game.

In the South Division at Weatherly, Anthracite and Tamaqua Blue reached the championship round, and were to play this week for that title.

The North and South winners will

meet in a best-of-three series starting Saturday at Valley East. The second game is Sunday (and the "if" game is next Tuesday). The winner of that series moves on to sectional play.

In the District 18 11-12 Tournament, Valley West, Valley East, Franklin Township and Tamaqua were the final four teams entering play this week. That championship game is scheduled for Saturday ("if" game is Monday), with the winner moving on to sectionals.

Senior Babe Ruth

Brendan Drusda each contributed three singles to the Legion cause. Marc Lobitz, Kyle Osifat, Steph Yurchak and George Palermo also checked in with base hits.

For Vesuvio's, Bobby Giranda doubled and singled.

Freeland American Legion 14, Conyngham Booty's Place 2 - American Legion scored 10 runs in the second inning, and cruised to

the five-inning victory over Booty's Place. Winning pitcher Kalinoski struck out three, and blasted a grand slam to highlight the second inning for the Legion. Ethan Warner added a solo home run, Gary Buck and Yurchak each doubled, and Osifat, Nick Young, Brian Walsh, Tanner Pittman and Keith Cullen all singled for the winners.

Brian Harry had a solo home run and Jarod Paisley doubled for Booty's Place. Nebraska Maylath singled.

Testa returns as head of Crestwood mat program

For the third time in six years, there's been a coaching change atop the Crestwood High School wrestling program. But the Comets' newest leader is certainly not a newcomer to the program. He is none other than Darren Testa, who was hired as the Comets' head coach at last month's most recent board meeting.

Testa replaces Gary Siegel, but is no stranger to the Comets. He was their head coach from 1998-2010, and has been an assistant under both Siegel (2014-15) and J.J. Konigius (2011-13). He was a state qualifier during his wrestling days as a Comet, and was also an assistant coach starting in 1995 before taking over as head coach in 1998.

Testa said he is re-energized and recharged, and ready to take over the head coaching duties once again. He also said his experience as an assistant to both Siegel and Konigius will help him moving forward. "I got some pointers from the guys. It was a good experience for me," he said of his time as an assis-

tant. "Gary was getting out ... I think it was the right time to get back in."

Siegel resigned after two seasons with the Comets, noting his drive from Tunkhannock each day helped play into the decision to step down.

He also said having Testa in the fold was key to the decision. "The kids obviously look up to him and respect him a lot. Getting Darren back as a head coach is awesome. If I was a parent of a Crestwood wrestler, I'd

be extremely excited," Siegel said.

Siegel, Crestwood's first state wrestling champion in 1978, said he may remain with the team as a volunteer.

The Comets went 2-5 in the Wyoming Valley Conference Division I ranks in each of the past two seasons. But the Comets return 11 of 13 starters this season, and have a number of talented junior high wrestlers moving up.

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Girls' sports physicals set

Fall sport physicals for Weatherly Area School District girls entering seventh, eighth and ninth grades will be held on Wednesday, July 13.

Students with last names starting with A to L should arrive at 8:15 a.m. Girls

with last names from M to Z should arrive at 10 a.m.

All physicals will be performed in the elementary/middle school health office this year.

Students should pick up their PIAA form in the middle or high school office before

coming for their physical. It must be completed by a parent and returned at the time of the physical.

IMPACT concussion testing will be conducted as part of the physical exam, so students should allow for extra time.

NE Game Commission Office Open Saturday

Pennsylvania Game Commission Northeast Region Director Daniel Figured announces the Northeast Region Office will be open from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 9, to accommodate persons wishing to purchase a hunting license.

"There is an annual rush to purchase general hunting licenses just prior to the initial sale of antlerless deer licenses," Figured said. "We try to accommodate the increase in demand by offering additional office hours for license sales."

On Monday, July 11, county treasurers will begin accepting antlerless license applications by mail from residents only, one per person, statewide.

Normal business hours of the Game Commission Northeast Region Office are from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The office is located at 3917 Memorial Highway in Dallas. The office phone number is (570) 675-1143.

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Lions Club golf tourney August 1

The 27th annual golf tournament benefiting the White Haven Lions Club is Monday, August 1 at the Mountain Laurel Golf Club. Registration for the four-person scramble will begin at noon, followed by a 1 p.m. shotgun start. There will be individual door prizes and prizes for flights and contests,

including longest drive (men and women), closest to the pin, and most accurate drive. There will also be hole-in-one prizes on all par-3 holes. A steak dinner with beer will follow the tournament at the course.

Entry fee is \$80 per golfer. Hole sponsorship is \$25, and

larger donations and/or prizes for the tournament raffle drawing are being accepted at this time.

This past year, the Lions Club awarded \$3,000 in scholastic scholarships to White Haven area students, has provided holiday food and funds for the community food pantry, and given donations to area fire companies, the ambulance association, and the White Haven Police Benevolent Association. The Lions also sponsored youth sporting teams.

For more information or to receive an entry form for the tournament, contact Ed Gower at 570-401-9814, or mail him at 500 Berwick Street, White Haven, PA 18661.

Golf Tournament raises funds for LVH-Hazleton Programs



Throughout the year, residents of the Greater Hazleton Area have access to many health related programs presented by Lehigh Valley Hospital-Hazleton. To provide these vital community programs, LVH-Hazleton holds an annual invitational golf tournament to raise the monies necessary to help offset the cost. At the recent LVH-Hazleton annual golf tournament, generous donations made by numerous community organizations successfully raised \$35,000. Major sponsors of this year's Lehigh Valley Hospital-Hazleton Invitational Golf Tournament, held at the Valley Country Club are, from left, Kurt Hutter, Anchor Properties executive vice president; Denise Ressler, BB&T senior vice president; Pat Munley, Pinnacle Cleaning Service president and his son, Declan Munley; John Fletcher, LVH-Hazleton president; Jon Morell, tournament co-chair; Kevin Brennan, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield vice president of operations; Joseph Candio, Jr., Lehigh Valley Physician Hospital Organization physician advocacy liaison.

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