

Bird and Butterfly Walk

By Michael Ortoski

PEN ARGYL - "I want to thank you all for joining us on Saturday for the Bird and Butterfly Walk" said Adrienne Fors form Waste Mgmt. to the over two dozen people who attended the event.

The tour was led by Doug Burton, Rick Wiltraut and Bill Grant. They saw a lot of great species of butterflies and birds at the Waste Mgmt. Environmental Center.

Listed below are a few that they spotted.

Additional photos are on the Waste Management Environmental Education Center Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/grandcentralenvironmentaleducationcenter/>

Species:	Common Buckeye	Summer Azure
Painted Lady	Horey Edge	Blue Grosbeak
American Lady	Monarchs	Raven
Cabbage White	Black Swallowtail	Indigo Buntings
Wild Indigo Dusty	Clouded Sulphur	Kingbird
Cloudless Sulphur	Orange Sulphur	Bald Eagle
Pearl Crescent	Sleepy Orange	Cooper Hawk
Eastern Tail Blue	Tiger Swallowtail	Black and Turkey Vultures
Spicebush Swallowtail	Great Spangled Fritillary	Orchid Oriole



The Salvation Army Prepares For Christmas. In July!

You may see a **red kettle** or two soon around town in celebration of Christmas in July and in preparation of the holiday season.

Bell Ringers are needed for the 2019 Christmas Season! If interested in helping, please contact the **Office at 610-863-6677**

 **Christmas Assistance**

The Salvation Army offers a Christmas meal and gift assistance to Slate Belt families in need upon completion of an application. Gifts are offered for Infant through School-Age children. Allowance based on a child's diagnosed disabilities may apply.

Walk-In interviews to complete assistance applications will be held on the following dates from 10am -1pm:

October 23rd, 24th, and 30th
November 6th, 13th, and 14th
November 6th- evening interviews available from 5-7pm by appointment only!
After November 13th- Interviews by appointment only if available

No applications accepted after December 6, 2019
 Please contact the office with questions at 610-863-6677




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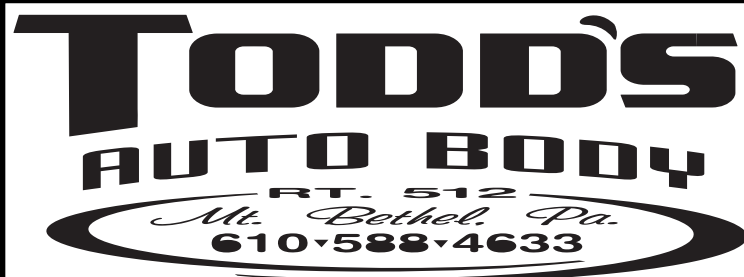
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Archeological Dig Stroud Mansion

By Michael Ortoski

STROUDSBURG - Senator Scavello had the opportunity to stop by the Monroe County Historical Association to check out an archeological dig site on the site of Stroud Mansion. The Historical Association was awarded a \$23,358 Keystone Historic Preservation Grant to host a dig to uncover artifacts critical to the history of the Stroud family and the property's past use.

Dr. Jonathan Burns of Juniata College coordinated the dig site and a number of exceptional undergraduate and graduate students who helped uncover over 30,000 new artifacts. Now that the three-week dig has concluded, the team members will now clean and document the artifacts before returning them to the Historical Association's collection.

"I want to thank Dr. Burns and the following students who participated in recovering valuable pieces of our Monroe County history: Haley Hoffman, William and Mary; Sam Edwards, Indiana University of PA; Philip Harney, Juniata College; Roland Hunter, Juniata College; Dakota Kalavoda, Lycoming College; Thomas Knezevich, Juniata College; Evan Lobodzinski, Bloomsburg University; Autumn McDivitt, Juniata College; Rachel Mignona, Juniata College; Mary Owen, Penn State University; and Amelia Potetz, University of Pittsburgh" said Scavello.



Pictured from left to right: Major Gilbert Parkhurst (Commanding Officer), JoAnne MacGregor (PenFed), Misty Willie (PenFed) and Stephanie Lesh (Soup Kitchen Coordinator).

East Stroudsburg Salvation Army Receives Donation

By Cari Friend / Executive Secretary East Stroudsburg Salvation Army

EAST STROUDSBURG - Our friends at PenFed (East Stroudsburg, PA) presented us with a very generous and much needed donation to help us feed our hungry friends in the Soup Kitchen. But their giving doesn't stop there. The employees at PenFed also volunteer to serve breakfast! Their support means everything to our community. Together, we are fulfilling our mission of "Doing the Most Good" in Monroe County!