

**NOTICE**  
**ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE**  
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**BVTIMES@RCN.COM**  
**BY FRIDAYS NOON**

**Mission of Love Food Bank**  
 Every Tuesday- Food Bank Program 555 North Main St., Bangor, 10am-12pm. All are invited Bilingual Services. Pastor Frank Pons. (570) 807-7794

**Explore Warren County Tourism at:**  
**ExploreWarren.org**  
 Located at 165 County Route 519 South - Belvidere, NJ 07823  
 908-475-6580 / 800-554-8540

**Portland Upper Mt. Bethel Food Bank**  
 Located at 111 State St. Portland Pa. and until further notice the PUMP will be open every Monday as normal, AM AND PM: 10 to 11:30 am & 6:00 to 7:30 pm but will deliver food to your car as your number is called in the parking lot. No one but workers will be allowed to go inside. There will be no access to restrooms. Your cooperation during this difficult time is greatly appreciated.

#### Biking

Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area - River Road Bushkill, PA (570) 426-2452 Levee Loop Trail - Biking East Stroudsburg, PA (570) 426-1512 info@srosr.org

#### BIKE TRAIN

ALL ABOARD THE SCENIC BIKE TRAIN!

Hop on the Bike Train and step back in time. Enjoy a relaxing 25 mile train ride through the Lehigh Gorge. Then, pedal your bike back down to Jim Thorpe at your own pace along the Lehigh Gorge Rail Trail.

Advance Tickets/reservations Are Required For The Bike Train And Can Be Made By Calling The Blue Mountain & Northern Railroad (Aka Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway) Directly At

the student's successful completion of the week of school. Registration is open now at [www.ncjcs.org](https://ncjcs.org/preapp/). Please fill out the online application at <https://ncjcs.org/preapp/> to register for the 2024 session.

#### The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church

Tables are available for the Indoor Flea Market sponsored by The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church. The dates are Fri., Sept. 13th and Sat., Sept. 14th. If interested, call Cheryl Hower @ 484-221-4197.

#### New Items at Blue Mountain Community Library

##### Adult Fiction –

The Frozen River, Ariel Lawhon  
 A Calamity of Souls, David Baldacci  
 After Annie, Anna Quindlen  
 I Will Ruin You, Linwood Barclay  
 Just For The Summer, Abby Jimenez  
 This Summer Will Be Different, Carly Fortune

##### Adult Large Print –

Love, Unscripted, Denise Hunter  
 The Summer We Started Over, Nancy Thayer

The Wild Lavender Bookshop, Jodi Thomas

##### Adult Non-fiction –

Character Matters, Jean Becker  
 An Unfinished Love Story, Doris K. Goodwin

The Vice President's Black Wife, Amrita Myers  
 Raising Mentally Strong Kids, Daniel Amen

Simple Ways to Unwind Without Alcohol, Rebecca Williams

Strong Girls, Strong World, Dale Bourke

Test The Mediterranean, Alexa Amalfi  
 Niagara, Ron Brown

The First Kentucky Derby, Mark Shrager

The Seven Seat, Daniel Boyne  
 The Demon of Unrest, Erik Larson

##### Young Adult fiction-

Boy21, Matthew Quick  
 Red, White and Whole, Rajani LaRocca

Everything We Never Said, Sloan Harlow

Our Fault, Ron Mercedes

Your Fault, Ron Mercedes

My Fault, Ron Mercedes

A Thousand Heartbeats, Kiera Cass

##### Juvenile fiction-

Mr. Lemoncello's Library Olympics, Chris Grabenstein

Escape From Mr. Lemoncello's Library, Chris Grabenstein

#### Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center Community Programs, August 2024

Fishing Equipment Available

When: Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 2:30pm

Where: Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth

Borrow fly rods, spinning rods, fly boxes, and tackle to use in Jacobsburg's creeks! To borrow equipment, you must provide a driver's license or other form of state issued identification. Persons age 16 and older must possess a current fishing license to fish. Adults can help children under 16 fish without a license. Bait is not provided. For more information call 610-746-2801 or email [jacobsburgsp@pa.gov](mailto:jacobsburgsp@pa.gov).

DiscoverE Adventure Backpacks Available When: Monday thru Friday, 8:00am to 2:30pm

Where: Jacobsburg Visitor Center, 400 Belfast Road, Nazareth

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

Weekly Weeders

Thursdays, August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 8:30am to 10:30am

Interested in learning more about gardening with native plants? Volunteer to mulch, pull weeds, divide plants, and amend soil in the center's native plant garden every Thursday morning from 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM. We provide instruction, tools, and weeding mats. Registration is required.

Family Field Archery (Ages 12 and up)  
 Saturday, August 24 at 4:00pm to 6:00pm

Join us for an evening on the range!

You will learn the basics of field archery and then use your new skills to play target games and best of all, learn a new skill together. Registration required.

Water's Edge Night Hike

Saturday, August 24 at 8:00pm to 9:30pm

Discover aquatic wildlife at night! We will carefully walk along the banks of the Bushkill Creek and use flashlights to observe the nocturnal behaviors of insects, fish, amphibians, and other creek-dwelling critters. For ages 8 and up. Registration and flashlights are required.

#### Revival 2024 You Are Chosen

8/17 12pm - 7pm

Downtown Portland

Worship Band, Powerful Messages, Free Food and Face painting.

#### Join us for the 35th Annual Palmerston Community Festival

located in Palmerton's beautiful Borough Park on Friday Sept 6th 5pm-11pm, Saturday Sept 7th 11am-11pm, and Sunday Sept 8th 12pm-9pm. Expect a lively atmosphere

filled with top-quality entertainment, featuring various genres including country, rock, polka, 80's, and more. In addition to our free entertainment, there are various activities providing fun for the entire family. Families can enjoy rides, games, Bingo, raffles, and more. Food lovers will be in for a treat with a vast selection of delicious homemade dishes, from savory snacks to sweet treats, there's something to satisfy every palate. Help support our local churches, fire companies, youth groups, and others that support our local community. Craft enthusiasts can explore our craft tent filled with unique handmade items, perfect for your holiday shopping. This event will take place regardless of the weather and offers free admission along with free parking. For everyone's safety, please refrain from bringing pets, bikes, skateboards, or roller skates into the park over the weekend. When entering or exiting, use the macadam walkways and crosswalks. Handicap parking is available. Whether you're looking to enjoy the music, savor great food, play games, enjoy rides, or shop for crafts, there's fun for the entire family. For more information, visit [www.palmerton-festival.com](http://www.palmerton-festival.com)

**Golf tourney set for Sept. 11**

**TANNERSVILLE, Pa.** (August 13, 2024) -- Our Lady of Victory Church in Tannersville will host its 24rd annual golf tournament on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at the scenic Hideaway Hills Golf Club in Kunkletown, a premier 18-hole, par 72, 6,933-yard golf course. Two "hole-in-one" contests give players opportunities to win a 2024 Chevy Trax sponsored by Nazareth Brown Daub and \$10,000 sponsored by DUNKIN' Baskin Robbins of Honesdale. There's also a Putting contest with a \$50,000 prize sponsored by Beth Moloughney State Farm Agency

Cost per player is \$95, which includes 18 holes, cart, boxed lunch, and buffet dinner. Registration begins at 10 a.m. with a shotgun start at noon. Dinner and the announcement of awards and prizes will begin at 5 p.m.

Hole sponsors are still needed. Cost is \$100. The golf tournament benefits Our Lady of Victory Church and its parish and community activities. To reserve your spot or for information, contact Maureen Shindle at [mpshindle54@gmail.com](mailto:mpshindle54@gmail.com) or 570-242-1681. Our Lady of Victory is a welcoming Catholic community dedicated to the mission to Know, Love and Serve God by living the Eucharist.

# SPOTTED LANTERNFLY

ACTUAL SIZE: 1"



Adult (with wings closed) can be found July–December

PA Department of Agriculture

ACTUAL SIZE: 1/4"



Nymph (early stage) can be found late April–July

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Egg mass (fresh) can be found October–December

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Adult (with wings open) can be found July–December

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Nymph (late stage) can be found July–September

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Egg mass (older) can be found January–June

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