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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

The Salvation Army Food Pantry Pen Argyl
 The pantry is open Tuesdays from 10am until noon or by appointment for emergency food if needed; closed the 5th Tuesday of the month. Evening opportunity: The third Tuesday of every month pantry will be open 6-7pm. Contact the office at 610-863-6677 with any questions Monday through Friday from 9am-2pm. 301 Main Street, Pen Argyl PA 18072

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.

Mission of Love - And Hope Food Bank Outreach Center
 Every Friday- 10am-12pm. All are invited. 5224 Milford Rd. East Stroudsburg Pa. 570-702-9958

Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center Community Programs, July 2021

dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg. If you need an accommodation to participate in a program please contact the park office at 610-746-2801 or jacobsburgsp@pa.gov. Interpreters for people who are deaf or hard of hearing are available for educational programs with at least five days notice.

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

Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce Presents
 9/13 Scholarship Golf Tournament @ Whitetail Golf Club
 Consider becoming a sponsor as this is the only fund raiser we do for scholarship to support our future leaders.

No increase in price: Golf \$55 per person, Tee/Hole sponsor \$80
 Goodie Bag Sponsor \$500, includes 2 free golfers, tee sign, flyer/business card in the goodie bags & listing in the program. Prize Sponsor- \$250 Includes 1 free golfer, tee sign and your listing in the program.

100% of proceeds benefit scholarship fund! Call Chambor at 610-588-1000

"DESIRE" is BACK!

The following is our current schedule that people have been asking for, but I wanted to wait til the GROUP saw it first. So far..here's what we got:
 SATURDAY OCTOBER 30th ~ HALLOWEEN DANCE in NORTHAMPTON 7 ~ 10.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 31. New Years Eve KIRKIAND VILLAGE (PRIVATE FOR THE RESIDENTS) 7 ~ 9

New Editions At The BMCL

New Items:

Adult Fiction:

The Cookbook Club, Beth Harbison
 The Social Graces, Renee Rosen
 Hadley & Grace, Suzanne Redfearn
 No One Ever Asked, Katie Ganshert
 The Good Sister, Sally Hepworth
 Win, Harlan Coben
 The Lost Manuscript, Cathy Bonidan
 The Memory Keeper, Jenny Hale
 The President's Daughter, Bill Clinton
 Adult Large Print:

No Way Out, Fern Michaels
 The Path to Sunshine Cove, RaeAnne Thayne

Family Reunion, Nancy Thayer
 A Gambling Man, David Baldacci
 Legacy, Nora Roberts
 Non-Fiction:
 The Hill We Climb, Amanda Gorma

TAMERICAN LEGION RIDERS PISTOL RAFFLE

The American Legion Riders Chapter 927 will raffle off a Smith & Wesson M&P Shield 380 pistol in association with Dunkelbergers Sports Outfitters of Brodheadsville. The package will include the weapon, an extra clip, a box of .380 ammo, a waterproof/lockable hard case and a concealable holster. Or the winner can choose a Dunkelbergers Gift Card of equal value. Only 250 tickets will be sold at \$10 each. Drawing will be Friday, October 1st at 8:30PM during the Riders October Bike Nite at American Legion Post 927, Gilbert PA. For tickets contact Everett Shaver (570) 977-8208, or Gary Spears (941) 400-2293.

Heritage Center to Participate in Passport to History Month

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will be participating in the Passport to History events during the weekend of August 21 and 22. Historical sites throughout the Lehigh Valley will be showing off their unique places during the entire month, and the Heritage Center will be joining the fun. The Center will be open from 12 - 4 on both days, and will have demonstrations happening during that time. Visitors on Saturday will be able

to view spinning and weaving, carved wooden Christmas ornaments, wheat-weaving, and see a powerpoint on the quarry restoration project. Sunday visitors will be able to see the restored quarry hoist running, in addition to the other demonstrations. Tours of the Center will also be available. A complete listing of the historical sites and location maps may be found at lvhistory.org/passport-to-history-month/. So, mark your calendars and please join us at the Heritage Center for a weekend of discovery. The Slate Belt Heritage Center is a 501(c)(3) organization devoted to the preservation and education of the culture of the area.

COVID-19 Drive-through vaccination and testing center

Lamont McClure and Lehigh Valley Hospital-Coordinated Health Allentown Hospital (LVH-CHA) remind Northampton County residents that the drive-through center at 3100 Emrick Blvd. in Bethlehem Township offers both testing for COVID-19 and vaccinations. Hours of operation are Monday/Wednesday/Friday from 10:00AM - 2:00PM and Tuesday/Thursday from 2:00PM - 6:00PM. Vaccinations are by appointment only and are only available for Northampton County residents ages twelve and over. Patients can choose from all three available vaccines: Pfizer, Moderna and Johnson & Johnson. Pfizer and Moderna require two shots administered three weeks apart, Johnson and Johnson requires only one dose.

"Recent infection data shows the pandemic isn't over yet," says Lamont McClure. "I encourage everyone to get vaccinated and, if you begin showing symptoms, to get tested for COVID-19. Vaccines and testing offer us the best chance of decreasing the risks from this virus."

To make an appointment for a vaccine at the COVID-19 testing site use one of the following options:

Schedule at the LVHN website at LVHN.org/appointments.

Schedule on the MyLVHN patient portal, at MyLVHN.org.

Call 833-584-6283 (833-LVHN-CVD). The COVID-19 Vaccine Hotline is open Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. and Saturday-Sunday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

A Physician's order is not required for a COVID-19 test. The drive-through site is open to everyone, but only residents of Northampton County will have the cost of testing covered by the County if they do not have health coverage. All testing will be through HNL Lab Medicine unless insurance requires an alternate laboratory. Participants should bring a photo ID and their insurance card, if they have one, with them to the testing site.

The 32nd Annual Palmerton Community Festival is scheduled for Friday September 10th from 5-11 PM, Saturday September 11th from 11:00AM to 11:00 PM, and Sunday September 12th from 12:00 Noon to 9:00 PM, in the Palmerton Borough Park. The event is

held rain or shine. There is no admission charge, plenty of free continuous entertainment, rides, Lunch Bag raffle, Bingo, games, lots of homemade foods and crafts and free parking. Fun for the entire family. Please, for everyone's safety, pets, bikes, skateboards, or roller skates etc. of any type are not allowed in the park the entire weekend. Handicapped parking available. We encourage those not immunized to wear masks and we ask everyone to be respectful of those around them by maintaining social distancing. We will have extra hand washing and hand sanitizing stations located throughout the event. Visit us at: www.palmerton-festival.com.

Fry's Run Watershed Association Program: Family Fun for Children and Adults

Saturday, September 18, 2021, 10 am to 1 pm, offers healthy outdoor activities for young and old, children and parents alike. Activities begin at Fry's Run County Park, corner of 611S. and Royal Manor Rd., in Williams Township.

Visitors will learn, first-hand, how to evaluate a stream's clarity by examining presence of fish and frogs, birds and trees on the streamside. Engaging in arts and crafts, they can express their impressions of the pollinators and macroinvertebrates they'll see, guided by artists Mary and Don, FRWA members.

Weekend Basket Raffle August 27, 28, 29 Friday to Sunday at Laurel Fire Company at 5114 Third ST, Cementon PA. Vendor Sale/ Yard sale August 28th PAM to 1 Pm At the Laurel Fire Company at 5774 Third St Cementon To rent a table contact Alicia at 484-515-8908 \$10.00 a table. Must have your own table and tent if you want one

FAMILIES FIRST 19th ANNUAL 5K RACE & 1 MILE FUN WALK

Please join Families First as we celebrate our 18th Anniversary serving residents in the Pen Argyl Area School District and participate in our 18th Annual 5K Race & 1 Mile Fun Walk on Saturday, September 25., 2021. The COVID-19 pandemic will not stop this great event - Sign-up to support this amazing organization!

This event is for the entire family. All proceeds will go to support the Adopt-A-Family Holiday programs and activities provided by Families First. "PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE" in the Pen Argyl Area School District. Register today! Then, during the weeks of September 25, 2021, pick your favorite spot, or somewhere new, alone or with others, and complete the run/walk. The official registration form can be downloaded at the Families First website. www.familiesfirstpenargyl.org.

43rd Annual Bangor Area High School Festival of Marching Bands
 90 Eisenhart Blvd. Bangor, PA
 Saturday, September 25, 2021 6:00 PM
 Six Marching Bands

including the Slater Band
 Adults \$10, Students and Seniors 65+ \$5. Children 3 and under are free

FALL BALL FUNDRAISING DINNER DANCE

Families First presents our Fall Ball Fundraising Dinner and Dance on Saturday, September 18, 2021 from 6:00 pm to 11:00 pm at the WEONA PARK RECREATION CENTER building in Pen Argyl, PA.

Come out and enjoy music provided by the DJ K-SE ENTERPRIZES and a dinner Catered by Little Creek BBQ. The food for the evening will be Pulled Pork and Pulled Chicken, Cole Slaw and Mac & Cheese, rolls, coffee, tea, soda and a large variety of home-baked desserts. There will be door prizes, a basket raffle and 50/50. This is a BYOB event and dress is casual - come out to dine and dance and support a worthy cause Admission is \$25.00 per person in advance and \$30.00 at the Door. For Tickets & additional information contact: Frank Jones, 610-863-9093 Ext. 1387 or jones.frank@penargylsd.org

Funds raised from this event will be used to help support the free programs that serve the children and families in the Pen Argyl Area School District (see www.familiesfirstpenargyl.org and like us on Facebook!)

25th Annual Community Aviation Day Fly-in-Drive-in Breakfast Moved to May 29th 2022 Pocono Mountains Municipal Airport

Mt Pocono Rotary has moved this year's Community Aviation Day Fly-In Drive-In Pancake Breakfast to Sunday, May 29, 2022 from 8 am to 2 pm with proceeds benefiting Mt Pocono Rotary and the East Stroudsburg Salvation Army. For the past 25 years, this popular community event has been held rain or shine at Pocono Mountains Municipal Airport.

The 35th Annual Book Sale in

Stroudsburg is almost here! Please mark your calendars for this event! We will have a large selection of paperbacks, hard cover books, rare editions, CDs, videos, DVDs, and children's books available for purchase. Many treasures may be \$1 or less! Thousands of books will be available, so come early and check back often to see a rotating selection of goodies.

This event is free and open to the public. We will have a Children's Sale to focus on books for tots to teens first on September 18-19, and then the Annual Book Sale runs from September 25-29 at the Hughes Library Community Room at the Stroudsburg Branch of the Eastern Monroe Public Library.

Saturday Hours: 12 noon -- 5 pm
 Sunday Hours: 11 am -- 5 pm
 Monday-Wednesday Hours: 9 am -8 pm
 Tuesday is 1/2 Price Day and Wednesday is \$7 Bag Day! Saturday morning on 9/25, from 9-12:00 noon, is Friends Members Only We hope to see you there!