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L-R Dick Lane Pres. of the Washington TWSP Volunteer Fire Co., Craig (Gilly) Gillingham on his his grand prize of the event a 2021 Polaris 450 HO 4X4 ATV from H&H Power Sports (Horn's Outdoor)

Washington TWSP Volunteer Fire Co. Sportsman Bonanza

By Michael Ortoski

WASHINGTON TWSP. - You name it they were raffling it off at the Washington TWSP. Fire Co. this past Saturday during their 'Annual Sportsman Bonanza', from meats to guns and everything in between.

This is how my wife & I like to donate to our community and aseptically our Fire Co. by attending events like this. Every year you meet new people in the community, share lunch and a few beers while the MC 1st. Asst. Chief Tighe Lane calls out the ticket winners for the five hour event.

The business in the area have great support for this event donating a large portion of the more than 75 items that are auctioned off every year. And you can't beat the ticket price, \$10 per ticket or 3 for \$25. That gets you food, beer, soda all day and a chance to win 30 items with the grand prize being a 2021 Polaris 450 HO 4X4 ATV from H&H Power Sports (Horn's Outdoor).

Besides the 30 items on the ticket you can go to the 'silent auction tent' and buy tickets to fill the jars with your number for a chance at 20 items, top three items being riffles.

Throughout the day leading up to the ticket drawing there were about 25 auctions of meats, pull tabs, hand guns and riffles, that's ware it got interesting

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Working with the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce, McClure granted 25 million dollars to over 1,000 small local businesses helping them survive during the pandemic

"To say these past few months have been difficult has been an understatement. The financial support...has shined a very bright light to what was inevitably the worst year in our 60 year history!"

—Shelly Salak, Joe's Tavern, Bethlehem, PA

"I have been trying to find the words to express how appreciative I am after receiving the grant from Northampton County Council...From the bottom of my heart, I truly can not say thank you enough."

—Kimberly A. Green, Little Creek Bar-B-Cue Co., Bangor, PA

"As a woman and minority owned business, we are so grateful for the support to navigate the challenges of this pandemic."

—Natalie and Johnathan Asayag, Renew Wellness Psychotherapy, Easton, PA

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