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## Immaculate Conception School Receives \$9000 from Merchants Bank

By Susan Kovacs

**BANGOR** - Immaculate Conception School received a \$9000 donation from Merchants Bank, supporting The Eastern Pennsylvania Scholarship Foundation (EPSF) and the Blue and White Scholarship Foundation both of which follow the guidelines of Pennsylvania's Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC).

Each foundation assists in providing scholarships and tuition assistance to deserving Catholic school students. Specifically, Blue and White Scholastic Foundation is a nonprofit focused on scholarships, student financial aid services, and awards.

"Merchants Bank has been a tremendous supporter of our school. We are honored to be among the awardees the bank has chosen, says Sister Maria Luz, O.P., Principal at Immaculate Conception School. The funds go to support the scholarship program enabling children of deserving families with an enriched experience in the Catholic school family, adds Sister Luz.

"We have had a long-standing relationship with Immaculate Conception. The school and its community are blessed to have Sister Maria's devotion. She gives unyielding support to the children, the school, and its program. We believe that the strength of our community rests in fostering its children, the foundation of the future, says Rocco Del Vecchio, CEO, Merchants Bank.



Left front Rocco Del Vecchio, CEO, Merchants Bank, right front Dave Cerual President of Blue and White Scholastic Foundation, center rear Sister Maria Luz, Principal Immaculate Conception School

## Waste Management Donates \$11,500 to Two Non-Profits

By Michael Ortoski

**PEN ARGYL** - The Blue and White Scholastic Foundation received an \$8,000 donation and the D&L Heritage Corridor received \$3,500 from Waste Management this past week. The company made the contributions as part of Pennsylvania's Educational Improvement Tax Credit program (EITC).

The Blue & White Scholastic Foundation is a non-profit organization that gives out annual scholarships through their scholarship program.

D&L Heritage Corridor is a non-profit group that preserves the historic pathway that carried coal and iron from Wilkes-Barre to Philadelphia. Today, the D&L Trail connects people to our industrial heritage, health & wellness,



The Blue and White Scholastic Foundation gave their donation to Immaculate Conception School in Pen Argyl for scholarships.



D&L Heritage Corridor received \$3,500 from Waste Management

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Spaghetti Dinner

**Knights of Columbus**

**Sunday, Nov. 10, 2019**

11am - 4:30 pm

At the Council Home on  
West Bangor Rd. Bangor

Adults \$10

Children under 8 FREE

**Tickets Available at the Door**



**Scouting for Food Program**

By Michael Ortoski

UPPER MT. BETHEL - Cub Scout Pack 14 was out bright and early on Saturday morning distributing flyers on doorknobs to promote the Scouting for Food Program. Next weekend, November 9 starting at 10:00 AM they will be picking up donations throughout the Evergreen Village Community. All food collected will be donated to Portland Pulp food pantry- the boys are looking to collect over 500 pounds for the community. Anyone looking to join a great pack is welcome to come out to the Richmond United Methodist on Thursday evenings at 6:30.

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Guest speaker Representative Joe Emrick.

**202 Veterans Road Bangor, Pa. 610-588-5555**

**Knights of Columbus  
to hold Spaghetti  
Dinner November 10th**

By Tony Barazzool

BANGOR - The Father DeNisco Council Knights of Columbus of the Slate Belt is holding their semi annual spaghetti dinner on November 10th at West Bangor rd. in Washington TWSP.

The all you can eat dinner is from 11:30am - 4:30 pm, tickets are \$10 children under 8 are FREE and sold at the door.

Take outs are available, bring your own container. Everyone is invited. Workers and members are asked to report for work for the dinner on Saturday at 8:00 am and Sunday at 10:00 am.

The next council meeting is Tuesday Nov. 12th at the council home starting at 7:30pm. All members are asked to attend to prepare for the membership drive.

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