

3rd Annual

Holly Jolly Holiday Festival
and Tricky Tray

Professional photos w/ Santa!

Celebrate holiday magic with us!
Santa is coming to town!

We're hosting a celebration you won't want to miss!

- ~Holiday Shopping
- ~Food
- ~Holiday Music
- ~Santa Photos
- ~and More!

Ugly Sweater Contest!

Crafts for the kiddos!

December 9, 2023
10AM to 3PM

Slate Belt YMCA
315 W. Penna. Ave., Pen Argyl, PA 18072

We're accepting vendors, crafters, and food people.
To register text (272)-200-8163.
\$40.00 per space (vendor/crafter) / \$50.00 per food vendor

SAMS
STROUDSBURG AREA MUSIC SUPPORTERS
46TH ANNUAL

Holiday CRAFTFEST & MUSICFEST

Fundraiser at Stroudsburg High School
Showcasing the Instrumental and Choral Talents of
Our Students in 6th – 12th Grades

December 2, 2023
10am – 3pm: Craftfest and Bake Sale
Handmade Crafts, Food, and Art For Sale
1pm - evening: Musicfest

Suggested Donations: Craftfest: \$2.00
Musicfest: \$3.00, Students & Seniors: \$1.00

All Proceeds Benefit the
Stroudsburg Area Music Department

Questions? Email Us At
samsboardmembers@gmail.com



Totts Gap Arts Institute (TGAI) is now accepting grant proposals from organizations presenting arts programming in the 10 municipalities of the Slate Belt region.

Founded in 2006, the mission of TGAI is to nurture artists of all ages, and to awaken the excitement, passion, and possibility of the fine and performing arts by supporting classes, helping to showcase talent, and supporting events that will infuse our community and the region with a love and respect for the creative process.

Grants will be awarded to qualifying organizations for programs that provide educational opportunities, or support cultural events, such as performances.

Granted programs can be for any age group, and are open to any federally-designated (501)(c)(3) non-profit organization that agrees to follow the grant requirements and stipulations.

Individuals seeking to present programs are advised to seek a partner organization to host the event.

Program requirements:

- i) Program must be open to any resident of the Slate Belt.
- ii) Program must comply with TGAI's mission and values of inclusiveness and accessibility.
- iii) Program must be hosted in an ADA complaint facility.
- iv) Classes will have no fee.
- v) Performances will have reduced rates available for students and seniors.
- vi) Preference will be given to group activities over serving individuals.
- vii) Programs will not promote any religious or political agenda.
- viii) Program staff, performers, etc. do not need to be residents of the Slate Belt, but the event must take place in the community.

Grant value: up to \$5,000. To apply, follow the link below, and email the completed application to arts@tottsgap.org.

<http://tottsgap.com/apply-for-funding>

The Bel Canto Youth Chorus of The Bach Choir of Bethlehem

is proud to announce its Winter Concert on Sunday, December 3, 2023, at 4 PM at the Cathedral Church of the Nativity, located at 321 Wyandotte St, Bethlehem, PA. This marks the inaugural concert under the direction of Kelly Rocchi and Alaina Swartz. The concert will feature the artistry and excellence of young musicians performing masterworks such as Mendelssohn's He Watching Over Israel and selections from BWV 61, Nun komm der Heiden Heiland, with featured guests from the Bach Festival Orchestra. The Youth Chorale and Concert Choir, comprising over 50 voices, will enchant the audience with a diverse program, including a Zimbabwean song of welcome and concluding with beloved and a newly commissioned carol. Additionally, Bel Canto welcomes young singers in grades 4 –8 to audition on Wednesday, December 6 from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm at Heckewelder House, 440 Heckwelder Pl, Bethlehem, PA.

Audition Form: <https://forms.gle/ECyigq4jkhH5HVsb8>

COOKIES, Carols, and Claus

Please join us for a night filled with sweet treats, holiday music, and a visit from that jolly old elf, Santa, as we usher in the holiday season.

Pen Argyl Borough Tree Lighting Ceremony
Friday, December 1, 2023 from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Weona Park (North side - Arch Street entrance)
201 S. Main Street, Pen Argyl, PA 18072
Vocal performances by Mackenzie Hughes