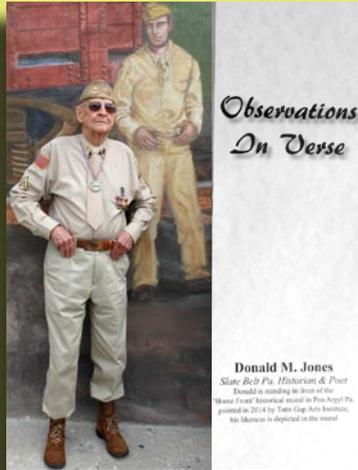


A Poem from the Archives of Donald Jones

Exclusively in the Blue Valley Times



SPRING COLORS

As the days of Spring draw near
 Mother Nature's colors start to appear.
 There's yellow in the willow trees
 And the buds are turning red.
 There's green in the tips of leaves
 And in grass once brown and dead.
 As the golden sunshine warms the earth
 Creating these colors anew
 Let's welcome this new season
 With good riddance to winter blues.



The Blue Valley Times

Our two grand daughters surprised us on Easter Sunday with a special easter card they made.

It's been tough not seeing them in person. We all stayed the 6 ft. apart and for only a short time but it was nice to see them in this strange time we live in.

With all the bad news out there we thought this may brighten your day.

Everybody stay safe, and we will all get thru this together.

Mike & Michele, owners of the Blue Valley Times.

Slate Belt Floor & Wall Covering

509 William St., Pen Argyl 610-863-5741

Carpet • Braided Rugs • Linoleum
 Vinyl Tile • Ceramic Tile
 Slate & Quarry Tile • Hardwood Floors
 Laminate Flooring • Wallpaper
 Custom Window Shades & Blinds



FREE ESTIMATES & CUSTOM INSTALLATIONS

Hours: Mon-Wed 9-5; Thurs 9-8; Fri 9-5; Sat 9-2
 Lowell & Cheryl Grubb, Proprietors



Debbie Pettinari
 Agent

**Hello,
 neighbor!**

Please stop by and say, "Hi!"
 I'm looking forward to serving your needs for insurance and financial services.
**Like a good neighbor
 State Farm is there.®**
CALL ME TODAY.

106 S. Broadway, Wind Gap, PA. 18019
 Business: 610-881-4433 Fax: 610-881-4432
 Debbie.pettinari.wz73@statefarm.com



State Farm, Home Office, Bloomington, IL

WITH US, IT'S PERSONAL

Helping you reach your real estate goals throughout the Slate Belt, Lehigh Valley and the Poconos Mountains in Northeastern Pennsylvania

First-Time Homebuyers

We know that the whole process can be intimidating- but not to worry, we have worked with hundreds of first-timers. We have the skills and materials to make the process simple and straight-forward

Commercial

Whether you are just starting out or expanding your company, we are here to help you find the perfect space. Not sure where to start? Let us know what is important to you, and we will take it from there.

Residential

Upgrading, down-sizing, or simply ready for a change, we have access to every house listed by a Realtor throughout both the Lehigh Valley and the Pocono Mountains.

Selling made easy.

Here at Teel Realty we do the work so you don't have to. We take pride in our two decades of helping the public buy and sell their homes. With the ability market your home, professionally negotiate on your behalf, and guide your through the transition of selling your home, we are confident in our ability to provide you with the best service in the business.



Your Hometown Real Estate Team

2418 N. Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel PA 18343
 Phone: 570-897-7325 Fax: 570-897-7303

Slate Belt Energy Services

SBE

610-599-8832

**We service and install
 all brands and types
 of heating systems.**

24 hour emergency service

Low Interest financing. Credit cards accepted.
 Certified in all aspects of energy conservation.

www.SlateBeltEnergy.com

St. Luke's Warren Participates Successfully in Experimental COVID-19 Plasma Trial, Seeking Plasma Donors

By Sam Kennedy, Corporate Communications Director

A COVID-19 patient who was on a ventilator at St. Luke's Warren Campus is on the road to recovery after successful extubation that followed an experimental blood plasma treatment.

The patient's treatment was part of a nationwide expanded access treatment protocol overseen by the Mayo Clinic. Convalescent plasma (the liquid part of blood) from a person who recovered from COVID-19 contains antibodies that may provide a powerful boost to someone else fighting the viral infection.

"Our Warren Campus is proud to be part of St. Luke's University Health Network's participation in this national effort to develop a COVID-19 treatment," said St. Luke's Warren Campus President Scott R. Wolfe. "It exemplifies the importance of ingenuity and perseverance to support the heroic, life-saving work of our physicians, nurses and other caregivers."

Convalescent plasma has a long track record, having been used as a treatment during the Spanish Flu, SARS, an Ebola outbreaks. More recently, it appeared to be helpful in a small study of COVID-19 patients from China.

"St. Luke's participation in this blood plasma trial will help advance the medical community's understanding of how best to treat COVID-19 patients," St. Luke's Infectious Disease Section Chief Dr. Peter Ender said. "Because of the lack of proven treatments for this life-threatening infection, novel approaches are needed."

Have you or your loved one contracted COVID-19? YOU CAN HELP!

"In order for the convalescent plasma program to be successful and allow us to help the greatest number of patients, we really need the help of all of our recovered patients," St. Luke's Anesthesiologist Eric Tesoriero, DO, said.

Every day is a good day to donate blood and help save a life, but if you are a COVID-19 recoveree, your community has never needed you more! If you think you may be a candidate for donation, please contact Liz Nivar at St. Luke's Pulmonary and Critical Care Associates (484-503-0350). One of our providers will complete the paperwork necessary for Miller-Keystone Blood Center to proceed.

For more information about plasma, please visit <https://covidplasma.org/>



Answer

No. For curbside recycling, keep these items out.



Blue Valley Times

SERVING THE SLATE BELT, LOWER POCONOS AND NORTHERN N.J.
DAILY ONLINE WEEKLY IN PRINT

Visit us at www.bluevalleytimes.com

COMPUTER
NETWORKING &
REPAIR

MICROSOFT WINDOWS 10 UPGRADE

"OVER 25
YEARS OF
EXPERIENCE"
James Albanese

HOME - BUSINESS - GOV'T - EDUCATION
NON-PROFIT - SENIOR CITIZEN
SALES * SERVICE * SUPPORT



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
SPECIALIST

* Microsoft Windows 7 Support/
Updates **ENDS** January 14th, 2020
* Upgrade your existing Windows 7
or 8 Computer For **UNDER \$200**

Call to Schedule your Windows 10 Upgrade
Today!

WINDOWS COMPUTER SALES, SETUP,
INSTALLATION, DATA TRANSFER & TRAINING

www.compnr.com/service@compnr.com

368 Blue Valley Drive Bangor **610-588-8700**



All Your Home Solutions
Is Happy To Offer:

- Junk Removal
- Estate Clean Outs
- Demolition
- Construction Debris Removal

No Job Too Large Or Small
Give Us A Call And We Can Help You Out!

PROPERTY PRESERVATION • CLEAN OUTS • JUNK REMOVAL
484.225.8578