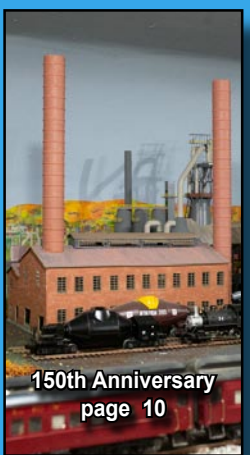


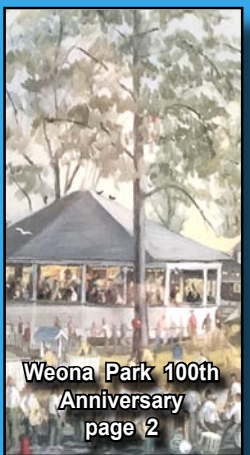
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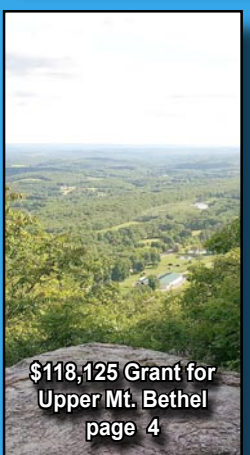
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By Michael Ortoski

PEN ARGYL - Everyone was blown away on 'Earth Day' at Waste Management Environmental Center Festival, literally! The winds gusted at 40 to 50 mph most of the day, but at least the sun was shining.

This year Adriane Fors (Waste Mgmt. Community Relations) had a stellar line up! They had free trees to first 50 kids who attended and Christine Ross Photography had a Selfi Station.

Two great presenters with live animals were Pocono Wildlife

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Hunter Zerman



Staci Zerman



Owner Pete Rushton from P.T. Reptiles and his assistants hold 'Peaches' his pey python



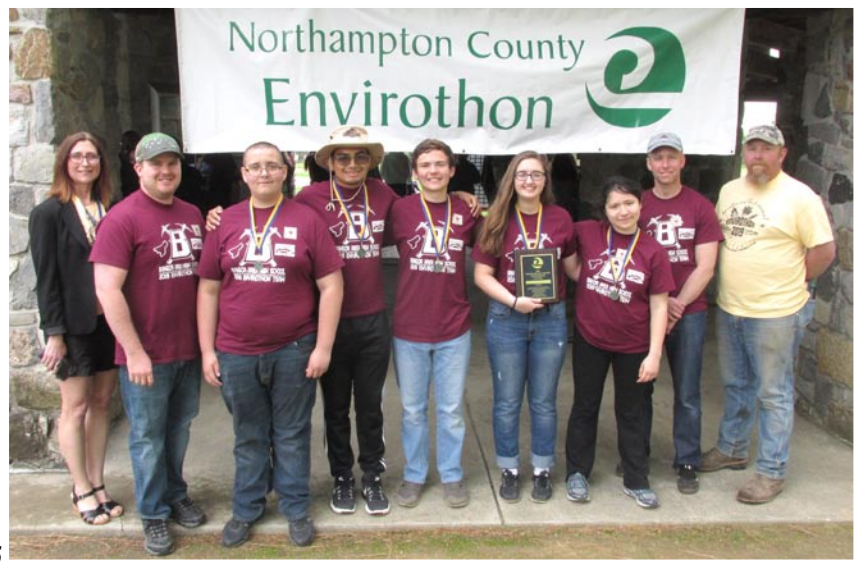
Bangor High School Takes 1st Place at 2019 Envirothon

By Michael Ortoski

EASTON - The Northampton County Conservation District (NCCD) held its 22nd annual Envirothon competition at Louise Moore Park in Bethlehem and Lower Nazareth Townships on, April 25, 2019. The Envirothon is an environmental competition for students in grades 9 through 12. A team consists of five students and an advisor. Each team was given materials and study objectives in advance to prepare. The students were tested in five areas: Wildlife, Forestry, Soils and Land Use, Aquatic Ecology and a current environmental issue (this year's topic was Agriculture & the Environment: Knowledge & Technology to Feed the World).

Bangor High School Maroon Team (Donald Burham Taryn Geiger, Jeff Steinert, Angel Torres, and Veronika Xiao) took first place and will advance to the State competition, to be held at University of Pittsburgh, Johnstown on May 21-22, 2019. Bangor won the

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Bangor High School Maroon Team took first place

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Pen Argyl Borough Prepares To Celebrate Weona Park 100th Anniversary

By Michael Ortoski

PEN ARGYL - Pen Argyl Borough is pleased to announce upcoming celebrations to mark the 100th Anniversary of Weona Park. A joint committee of borough officials and residents are planning a week-end of "Weona 100" festivities and activities on June 19-20, 2020.

The Weona 100 committee will be active through the year leading up to the centennial celebration weekend with events at the borough's Founder's Day, held at the Park in June 2019, and the Lookout Fire Company Labor Day parade in September 2019. A commemorative booklet and accompanying calendar will also be published detailing the history of the park.

The committee is seeking community volunteers to assist with and serve as actors on the float as well as to pen personal accounts of their times at Weona Park for the booklet. "The booklet and calendar will highlight the fun times of past and present at Weona. We want to involve as many community members as we can in this and honor the origins of Weona Park," said Borough Councilwoman and Weona 100 Chair Roberta Cowley. "Any community service organization, scout group, school group or other interested party is invited to be a part of Weona 100."

Photos and stories of Weona Park memories can be submitted to the by contacting the committee organizers or through the Weona 100 – Weona Park Centennial Celebration Facebook page.

Weona Park, founded in June 1920, was built through the collaborative efforts of many townspeople.

The approximately 19-acre park is located on Route 512 in Pen Argyl. Today, Weona Park features a historic Dentzel carousel in addition to a miniature golf course, basketball court, skate park, baseball field, band shell, pavilions and playground. Many community events are celebrated at the park, from Easter egg hunts to summer carnivals, concerts and school rallies among others. For more information about the Weona Park 100th Anniversary plans, contact Roberta Cowley at 484-695-2994 or email Weona100@gmail.com.

100 Year Game Pen Argyl VS Bangor Memorabilia Wanted

By Michael Ortoski

PEN ARGYL - As part of the celebration of the 100 th football game being played between Pen Argyl and Bangor High Schools this coming fall, Walter Cole, volunteer at the Slate Belt Heritage Center and retired history teacher from Pen Argyl High School, would like to put together a history of the games. Anyone who has scrapbooks of articles or newspaper clippings of games through the years and would be willing to let him borrow them, please contact him at 610-863-6472. All items will be returned to the owners as soon as possible. Thank you for your help in this project.

PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP ROAD DEPARTMENT SEASONAL EMPLOYEE- SUMMER OF 2019

Plainfield Township, Northampton County, is currently accepting applications for a Seasonal Employee to temporarily join the Road Department for the 2019 summer season. The duties of this hourly position consist mostly of Parks/Recreation, Highway Maintenance and other similar Physical Labor Work. This position will run from approximately May to September and is limited to no more than 30 hours per week. Possession of a PA-issued driver's license is a mandatory job requirement. Applications are being accepted until May 17, 2019. Return application to Plainfield Township, 6292 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth, PA 18064 ATTN: Township Manager or via email. Please call Township Manager Tom Petrucci for more information at 610-759-6944. Applications are available at the Plainfield Township Municipal Building between 8:00 A.M. and 4:30 P.M., M-F, as well as on the Plainfield Township website, which is <https://plainfieldtownship.org/>. Plainfield Township is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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