



## Conversation With Appalachian Trail Thru-hiker Glenn Justis

By Michael Ortoski

SHAWNEE - Conversation with Appalachian Trail thru-hiker Glenn Justis, July 25, 6:30 pm, Shawnee Inn and Golf Resort. Presented by the Friends of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area. New Jersey resident Glenn Justis stepped on the Trail at Springer Mountain, GA on January 30, 2018. 145 days, 14 states and 2,190.9 miles later he stepped off the trail at Mt Katahdin, ME, on June, 23, 2018. He will share his experiences of this journey of a lifetime. For more information go to 'The Friends of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area' website.

## Historic preservation grant provided to D&L National Heritage Corridor

By Tom Andrews

HARRISBURG, June 5 – The Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor today was awarded a \$25,000 state grant, announced Rep. Robert Freeman.

"It is vitally important that we preserve our historic structures so future generations of Pennsylvanians can learn from our past. I am proud to help direct state dollars toward our area to accomplish this task and others like it," said Freeman, D-Northampton.

Over the last 30 years, the corridor has created historic contexts and conducted inventories of the Lehigh Navigation Canal but has not planned comprehensively for how to manage the physical structures of the Lehigh Canal so that this engineering system is not lost through deterioration.

The Keystone Historic Preservation Grant will allow the corridor to develop a plan for the entire 47 miles of Lehigh Canal in Carbon, Lehigh and Northampton counties.

Freeman said the funds were awarded by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission.

## Bangor Womens Club GFWC Holds Annual Spring Luncheon

By Marilyn Mehas

BANGOR - Carol Akam, President, Bangor Womens Club GFWC hosted the club's Annual Spring Luncheon at the Sycamore Grill, Delaware Water Gap PA on June 11th. June Jones, First Vice President, engaged Lydia Chiappini, Secret Victorian Lady, who demonstrated and explained the many and various layers of clothing women wore in the early and late Victorian era. Her talk was entertaining and informative.

Lois Stopp, Treasurer, presented awards to Bridge Marathon winners First, Marge DeNardo, Second, Millie Kmetz, and Third, June Jones; and Pinochle Marathon winners First, Judy Piper, Second, Joyce Barilla, and Third, Barbara Frutchey.

Judy Piper was recognized as the club's Volunteer of the Year. Judy is extremely active in volunteering in the club's activities as well as the surrounding community.

Heidi Bates, Second Vice President, recognized long service members. Ruth Saltern 45 years and Pauline Fox 40 years.

The club participates in many Community Service Projects. Currently Heidi Bates and Carolyn Smith are in charge of the initiative "I Support the Girls" a collection drive to provide support for domestic abuse victims, women forced into sex trafficking, and homeless living in woman shelters. 75 new and used bras were collected. Ellen Prudenti and Peg Golden are in charge of collecting "Back To School Supplies" up to July 28, to donate to the Bangor Slater Family Network who will distribute the supplies to district children in August prior to their return to school.

Carol thanked all the members for their support and contributions to the club during her first year as President. Our goal is to encourage more ladies to be a part of our club. We don't meet during the summer, but we look forward to gathering the third Tuesday in September.

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Faith Barbara Stewart  
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## Faith Christian School

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Faith Stewart, daughter of Bruce and Margaret Stewart, has been attending Faith Christian School for the past four years, where she has pursued excellence in academics, athletics and music through her many activities. Faith is this year's Valedictorian. She has served as president of the National Honor Society for the past two years, she will attend Virginia Tech in the fall with a focus on Animal and Poultry Sciences with the eventual goal of becoming a veterinarian.

Aaron Smith, the son of Joseph and Lisa Smith, began his years at Faith Christian School in 9th grade and is this year's Salutatorian. In his sophomore year, Aaron was selected by FCS to attend the Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Leadership Seminar at Villanova University. Aaron plans to attend Clarks Summit University in the fall of 2019, where he seeks to further please God in all that he does.

Faith Christian School, K-12 grades, has been serving the Christian communities of the Pocono Mountains, Slate Belt, eastern New Jersey, and the Lehigh Valley areas for over 38 years. Children from ten school districts and over 40 churches comprise the diverse and outstanding student body. Most public school districts provide transportation to our school facility located one mile north of Bangor and eight miles south of Stroudsburg, off Route 191 in Roseto, Pa. Please call our office, 610-588-3414, to set up a time to visit. We look forward to meeting you soon at the corner of Dante Street and Liberty Avenue in Roseto, Pa.



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