

Donald Jones Honored By Bangor Borough Council



L-R Councilman Barry Schweitzer, Mayor Mary Ellen DeFranco, Councilwoman Joanna Paulson, Councilwoman Rosemarie Capone, Donald Jones, Council President James Kresge, Council Vice President Robert Goffredo Sr., Councilman James Augustine, Councilwoman Marissa Donnelly

By Michael Ortoski
BANGOR - On Monday night at the Bangor Borough Council meeting, the board members honored Donald Jones who just turned 100 yrs old this past September, and is one of the few W W II Veterans still alive and going strong.

Borough President James Kresge read aloud the citation the borough presented to Jones on his accomplishments.

Jones was well respected in Bangor for being a volunteer in Bangor on many projects. His biggest accomplishment was moving the statue of Robert M. Jones from 4th St. to downtown Bangor next to the Library. "I went to many council meetings back then until they agreed to let me do it" said Jones. Jones also crated the space where it was moved to calling it 'Founders Park' because Robert M. Jones founded Bangor and was the first Mayor. Some say Donald Jones is a distant relative of Robert Jones and one of those people is Donald.

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BW NICE™ Lehigh Valley Announces 2022 Business Woman of the Year

Elaine Pivinski, Franklin Hill Vineyards Owner & Philanthropist, to be Honored October 14th in Easton, Pa

By Tiffany Sondergaard
LEHIGH VALLEY - A local non-profit championing the fight against Domestic Violence, Lehigh Valley Business Women Networking Involving Charity & Education (BW NICE™) will honor a Business Woman of the Year at its' annual Red Shoe™ Luncheon and Fashion Show fundraiser. This year's recipient is Elaine Pivinski, owner of Franklin Hill Vineyards.

"I look forward to being a part of the BW NICE™ Luncheon," says Pivinski. "Knowing you're in a room in the company of fellow business owners, supporting each other and wanting success for all, is truly special. Successful women don't compete; they collaborate."

Since 1976, Elaine has brought creativity, innovation and growth to the Lehigh Valley. In 2015, Franklin Hill Vineyards became a certified National Women's Business Enterprise and today employs 33 women, making up 90% of company staff. "Elaine's sustained devotion to the community is something we are happy to celebrate." Stated Diane Simovich, BW NICE™ founder.

Proceeds from The Red Shoe™ Luncheon benefit Third Street Alliance for Women & Children, which provides a safe and healthy space for women, children, and families to live, learn, and thrive. Pivinski is no stranger to Easton's "Mansion with a Mission", as they are a recipient of the vineyard's charitable giving. "Knowing the stories of women who survive domestic violence has helped

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