

# Slate Belt Town Topics

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**Clever Girl Winery, "A unique urban winery" at 15 Broadway, Bangor, was represented at the Wind Wap Shop and Stroll Saturday by Owner/Winemaker Don Andreas and his daughter Chloe Andreas.**

Photo Larry Cory [PHOTO GALLERY](#)

## Clever Wine Making Hobby Morphs Into Something Bigger and Better

*The following story taken from [www.clevergirl.com](http://www.clevergirl.com) tells an interesting story about the birth of Clever Girl Winery in downtown Bangor.*

A wife suggesting that her husband finds a new hobby? That could be taken rather lightly. However, if your husband is Don Andreas, your suggestion could turn your home's basement into a fully licensed, commercial winery in just over a year.

As Don Andreas' daughter, Chloe, prepared to walk the stage at her high school graduation in the spring of 2018, his wife, Pamela, knew that he would need something to fill the absence of his daughter's time away at college.

Pamela had introduced Don to enjoying wine many years ago, and visiting wineries became something that they did frequently do together weekends to relax and put the work week behind them.

Andreas purchased a basic wine making equipment kit that summer of 2018 and began making wine from concentrate kits. He quickly searched for as much wine making information as he could get his hands and eyes on, leading to enrolling in Northampton Community College's Wine Specialist program.

Wine making from concentrate kits would lead to wine production from grape juice (a common method of wine making in commercial wineries).

Andreas would advance his winemaking skills by applying lessons from the classroom on wine blending, back sweetening, and sterile filtering, eventually creating seven crisp and unique wines from three juice varieties.



After receiving rave reviews from his fellow classmates, the seven wines would be entered into Winemaker Magazine's International Amateur Wine Making Competition. The 'lucky seven' held up well among the 2,300 entries with the judges, bringing Andreas not just his first, but his first four amateur medals (a Gold, Silver, and two Bronze). This, along with the completion of the Wine Specialist program in July 2019, provided the assurance he needed to take the necessary steps to convert Don and

Pamela's cellar into a licensed, commercial wine production facility.

With Don and Pamela's vision of Clever Girl Winery now fully on its way, Andreas now teaches one of the classes at Northampton Community College's Wine Specialist program as a way of giving back what was brought to him. Clever Girl's tasting room is now open Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays in downtown Bangor.

## Week Starting Rain Free

Showers yesterday produced a half inch (.54) of rain in Pen Argyl. The July rainfall total for the Slate Belt was 5.08 inches, just above the normal of 4.95. Some areas just to our east in New Jersey experienced rainfall amounts as high 9 inches, such as 9.25 in Columbia and 9.42 in Budd Lake. Some areas to our south like Bethlehem only had 3.68.

### *National Weather Service Forecast:*

**Today,** Mostly sunny, with a high near 76. North wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Tonight,** Mostly clear, with a low around 54. North wind around 5 mph.

**Tuesday,** Partly sunny, with a high near 77. Calm wind becoming east around 5 mph.

**Tuesday Night,** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 60. Calm wind becoming northeast around 5 mph.

**Wednesday,** A slight chance of showers. Partly sunny, with a high near 79. East wind around 5 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

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**Thursday,** A chance of showers, with thunderstorms also possible after 2pm.

**Air Quality: Good** (0-50) Current reading of 27 in Columbia, NJ.

**Pollen today: Medium** 6.6 rating on a scale of 12. Top pollen producers today will be grasses, plaitain, and nettle.

**UV Rays Today: Very High risk** of harm from unprotected sun exposure. Alert in effect for 7 hours between 10-5pm. High 7.8 on a

## Slate Belt Weather

Today is.....

## Ice Cream SandwichDay

National Ice Cream Sandwich Day is a time to enjoy a cold sandwich.....an ice cream sandwich.

In July and August, we find many special days for one kind of ice cream or another. The ice cream sandwich is so popular, and tastes so good, that it earns its own special day....today.

Ice cream sandwiches have been around since the early 1900s. Vanilla, chocolate and a combination of the two, are the most popular. You can make homemade sandwiches. Just put some ice cream between a couple wafers, and...Voila! Don't have wafers? That's okay. Put some ice cream between two of your favorite cookies.





**Richmond Farm and Brewery 1290 Five Points Richmond Road, Bangor was represented at the Wind Gap Shop and Stroll Saturday by (l-r) Tracy Finkbeiner, Margaret Setzer and Rob Owens. Photo Larry Cory [PHOTO GALLERY](#)**



**This display of home crafted bird houses and corn feeders was an interesting feature of the Wind Gap Shop and Stroll Saturday. Photo Larry Cory [PHOTO GALLERY](#)**

## Grand Central Road Resurfacing

Grand Central Road in Plainfield Township is projected to be milled (full-width) on Wednesday, August 4, 2021 and Thursday, August 5, 2021.

The resurfacing of the roadway surface is projected to occur on Monday, August 9, 2021 and Tuesday, August 10, 2021.

## AWARENESS 365 Crafter/Vendor Event

*Sunday, September 26, 9am - 4pm*

Awareness 365 is Breast Cancer Awareness every day not just October.

The Second Annual Let's Pinkout Breast Cancer Crafter/ Vendor Event. will be something for all ages.

A fun full day of Crafters, Vendors, Food, Food, Food, Wineries, Brewery, games, raffles, 50/50 ,Two Bands, and pecial entertainment.

Miller Blood Bank - Donate Blood by appointment only details to follow.

Lehigh Valley Mammogram Coach, and Pink Heals Firetrucks.

707 American Bangor Rd, Bangor, Crafters, vednors, etc. please email your info to

[Pinkoutwithignite@yahoo.com](mailto:Pinkoutwithignite@yahoo.com) or

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Come to The Slate Belt Y for new dance and gymnastics programs offered at the Y.

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**Monday August 2**

4pm-5pm Intro to Tap/Jazz Ages 3-6yrs

5pm-6pm Intro to Gymnastics Ages 3-6yrs

## Blue Valley Farm Show Entertainment

August 10 - Jesse Wade Gang

August 11 - The New Individuals

August 12 - The Large Flowerheads

August 13 - Steel Creek

August 14 - Bangor Slater Band 1pm

August 14 - Cody Templeton Band

*(Bands begin 7:30pm unless otherwise noted)*



## Event Calendar

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Thursday August 5

4pm-5pm Intro to Tap/Jazz Ages 3-6yrs

5pm-6pm Intro to Gymnastics Ages 3-6yrs

**August 7**

### Ice Cream Sale

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church will be holding a Take Out Homemade Ice Cream on Saturday, August 7th. This is a first come, first serve pick up between 2pm and 4pm. Available flavors are chocolate, vanilla, pineapple, butter pecan, peanut butter, strawberry and blueberry. Available in quarts only for \$10 each. Swing by the church on August 7th to pick up yours.

### Outdoor Movie

Outdoor Movie Night featuring *Wonder Park* will be held in front of the Bangor Memorial Park Swimming. August 6 at sundown.

Free for the public to attend. Bring a chair or blankets. Refreshment will be available for sale. Call Debbie at 610-751-7699 with questions. Rain date August 7.

**August 8**

### Comunale Reunion

The descendants of Antonio and Rosario Comunale will hold their reunion on Sunday, August 8th - 12:00 noon at Roseto Ball Park. Bring a covered dish to share, a cakewalk contribution and your gently used treasures for the auction. Hamburgers, Hot dogs, sweet corn and drinks

provided.

A family meeting and remembrance of those passed will be held at 3:00 PM. Family heads are asked to contact their families and encourage attendance. Come and reconnect after so long. It won't be the same without you.

### Retirement of the Colors

On Sunday, August 8th at 1pm, please join us at the American Legion on 186 Johnsonville Rd in Upper Mount Bethel Township for the "Retirement of the Colors" ceremony. There will be free hotdogs, hamburgers, drinks and other good food. Come show your support for our military and see how American flags should be properly retired.

If you have an American Flag that is no longer serviceable, please do not throw it in the trash. If you bring it down to the Upper Mount Bethel Township Building between the hours of 7am - 4pm, Monday through Friday, we will make sure it gets retired the proper way.

**August 12**

### Weekly Weeders

Thursday, August 12 at 8:30am to 10:30am

Interested in learning more about gardening with native plants? Volunteer to work alongside our education staff as they mulch, pull weeds, divide plants, and amend soil in the center's native plant garden. We provide instruction, tools, and weeding mats. Registration is required at <https://events>.

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### Summer Concerts Weona Park

**July 18 - Philadelphia Funk Authority**  
More than just funk! Dance & party music from the past 5 decades!

**August 1 - Desire**  
Playing oldies music of the 50's-70's

**August 15 Inch and the Echoes**  
Playing Oldies music of the 50's-70's

### Summer Concerts Wind Gap Park

**July 25 - Desire**  
Playing oldies music of the 50's-70's

**August 8 - Jesse Wade Gang**  
Hard-hitting, rockin', country blues tribute band

**August 22 - The Comfort Band**  
Country & Oldies Music

*All concerts are free, begin at 6 P.M.  
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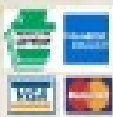
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**August 14**

## Slater Band Performance

August 14, 2021 1:00 PM

Bangor Slater Band will be performing at Blue Valley Farm Show

## Heritage Craft Day

Stroudsburg (PA) – Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm will feature the 15th annual Heritage Craft Day on Saturday, August 14 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Demonstrators will show traditional heritage craft skills of the 1800s throughout the day. There will be hands-on opportunities for visitors who wish to try out some of these crafts for themselves. A children's craft area is being planned.

**August 16**



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Thursday, August 26 at 8:30am to 10:30am

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**August 22**

## The West End Fair

The West End Fair is planned for August 22nd thru August 28th 3 to 9 PM at 570 Fairgrounds Rd, Gilbert, [www.thewestendfair.com](http://www.thewestendfair.com)

A fun filled family event. There is great food, live entertainment, rides, livestock, fireworks, and entrees from our local residents.

Cost is \$6.00 a person 11 yrs and up.

**August 21,22**

## Passport to History Weekend

PA Longfrie Museum and J. Joseph Henry House, Summer Kitchen & Grounds in Jacobsburg.

Open to the public 12 pm-4 pm, Saturday &

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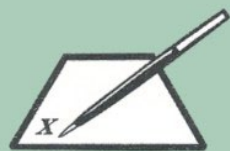


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Sunday, August 21 & 22, 2021

Annual Summer Community Picnic both days with  
free hot dogs!

## August 26 Weekly Weeders

Thursday, August 26 at 8:30am to 10:30am

Interested in learning more about gardening with  
native plants? Volunteer to work alongside our  
education staff as they mulch, pull weeds, divide  
plants, and amend soil in the center's native plant  
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## August 27-29 Vendor Fair/Flea Market

Roseto Helping Hands is hosting a Vendor Fair  
and Flea Market from August 27th through August  
29th at the Roseto Ball Park. For Vendor/Flea  
Market applications contact Darlene Dunbar at  
908-619-7643.

## August 27 Family Night: Night-time Noisemakers

Friday, August 27 at 8:00pm to 9:00pm

Who knew that night-time could be so noisy?  
Join us to learn about who is singing, the different  
sounds they make, and how and why they make  
them. This program is best for children ages five  
and up. Registration required at [https://events.  
dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search  
=jacobsburg](https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg)

## August 28 Free Ice Cream

Portland residents are invited to enjoy free ice  
cream at the Portland Park and Walk August 28 and  
September 25

## Scout Wonders of Water s

Ages 7-11 Saturday

August 28 at 1:00pm to 3:00pm

This program will touch on requirements for  
water conservation-related badges. We will discuss  
the water cycle, our local watershed, and learn  
what we can do as citizens to protect and conserve

this life-sustaining resource. We will then take  
immediate action by planting natives in the park  
to enhance habitat and water quality. \*Disclaimer-  
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## Scout Program- Soil and Water Conservation

Ages 12-16\

Saturday, August 28 at 9:00am to 11:30am

This program will touch on requirements for  
water and soil conservation-related badges. We will  
discuss soil formation, habitat degradation, and the  
hydrologic cycle. We will then tour our managed  
deer enclosure followed by an opportunity to plant  
native shrubs within. \*Disclaimer- This program  
is not led by an official merit badge counselor.  
Registration required. [https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/  
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## Delaware Riverfest Planned for Portland

Come out and enjoy the day along the Delaware  
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more August 28, 2021 from 10 am to 3pm 422  
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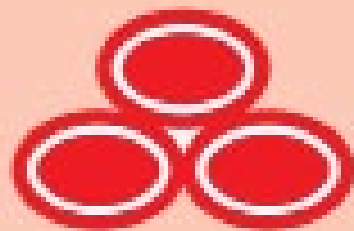
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com](mailto:blueflameevents@yahoo.com)

## August 29 NAMI Fundraiser

Welcome to the NAMI's 11th Annual Fundraising  
Race/Walk event August 29 in Northampton. Four  
in-person options include: 5K Race, 10K Race,  
Challenge (run both 5K & 10K) 5K Walk. For those  
who may still be uncomfortable meeting in person  
or who live far away, they have Virtual Choice. This  
virtual option includes doing the activity of your  
choice on the day of the event or earlier.

There are opportunities fundraising perfect for  
engaging your family, friends, and co-workers  
to get active, all while supporting the mission of  
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to register, volunteer, donate, or to learn more. If you  
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For more information please visit [www.nami-lv.org](http://www.nami-lv.org)

### September 4 Slate Y 5K

Kick-off your Labor Day celebrations with the Slate Belt Y's fourth Annual Slate Belt Sprint 5K.

This is a family event as well as an event for competitive runners. The challenging but achievable course is great for beginners or experienced runners alike. The event is walker friendly.

Register by August 8, 2020 to save! Registration is only \$25 and includes a race t-shirt.\* Children ages 8-11 can register for only \$10 with a participating adult and will receive the same awesome t-shirt.\*

Start Times: 7:00am Day of Registration Opens , 8:15am 5k Run/walk begins, 9:15am Kids Fun Run begins.

Awards: First Place Overall Male & Female, Top 3 Male & Female by Age Group: 11 & under, 12-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60 & up

\*T-shirts only guaranteed for those who register before August 8..

Register here: <https://runsignup.com/Race/PA/PenArgyl/SlateBeltSprint>

### September 17 Trappers Convention

Pennsylvania Trappers Association District 10 Trappers Convention: September 17, 2021 12-6pm, and September 18, 2021 8am-6pm. West End Fairgrounds 570 Fairgrounds Rd. Gilbert, PA. Free admission. There will be something for every sportsman at this convention. Tailgaters welcome. Contact Bob Counterman 610-759-9203.

### September 18,19 Jacobsburg Summer Museum Open House Weekend

PA Longrifle Museum, open to the public 12 pm-4 pm Saturday & Sunday, September 18 & 19, 2021 J. Joseph Henry House, Summer Kitchen & Grounds Sunday, September 18: Open to the public 12 pm-4 pm

### September 19 Car Show

The 24th Annual Moore Township Lions & Lioness-Lions Car Show at Moore Twsp. Rec. Center. Will be held September 19 from 9-3.

### September 24-26 Celtic Classic

### CALENDAR CONTINUED CLICK HERE Nazarene VBS

Join the Bangor Church of the Nazarene for Vacation Bible School each Wednesday during August from 6-8pm and Saturday August 28. Games, Snack, Crafts, Stories, and Music. Register at [bangornazch.org](http://bangornazch.org) or call 610-905-4948.

The church is located at 150 Bunny Trail,

## CHURCH



### East Bangor UMC

136 W. Central Ave. (Rt.512) East Bangor

Sat., July 31

-8:00 p.m. AA Meeting

Sun., Aug 1

-9:30 a.m. Worship Service (Live & on Zoom)

(For Zoom, go to [ebumc.org](http://ebumc.org) to sign in)

### Grace Lutheran Church

5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth Pa 18064

[www.gracebelfastpa.org](http://www.gracebelfastpa.org) 610-759-9080

Email: [gracebelfast@rcn.com](mailto:gracebelfast@rcn.com)

Aug.1 – Tenth Sunday of Pentecost

9:00am - Holy Communion

### Flicksville UCC

1337 Lower South Main St., Bangor 610-588-4648

Pastor Ken Hess 610-588-4648

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Summer Worship at 10 AM following social distancing guidelines

### Christ Presbyterian Church of The Slate Belt

332 Kennedy Drive, Bangor

More info 610-588-4864.

E-mail: [info@christpcs.org](mailto:info@christpcs.org).

Sunday Worship, 10:30am in-person/Zoom.

Contact us for more information at 610-588-4864. E-mail: [info@christpcs.org](mailto:info@christpcs.org).

### Trinity Lutheran Church

404 Broadway Bangor (610-588-2023)

Pastor: Larry Laine

[telcbangor@frontier.com](mailto:telcbangor@frontier.com)

Website: [www.tlcbangor.com](http://www.tlcbangor.com)

Sunday worship services July & August in Fellowship Hall at 10:30am. Refreshments immediately after. Masks are optional.

### Community VBS

Howdy, y'all! Are you ready to take a wild ride through God's Word?? Then join us July 26-29 for Avalanche Ranch, a Vacation Bible School program hosted by the East Bangor United Methodist Community Church and Prince of Peace Evangelical Lutheran Church. It will be held outdoors at the Blaine Reimel Memorial Park in East Bangor from 6:10 to 7:45 p.m. and is open to all children of the community, ages 4-11. To register, visit [ebumc.org](http://ebumc.org) or call (610) 588-2355.

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## Blood Donors Needed

Miller-Keystone Blood Center is seeking donors. Recent storms have cancelled blood drives and supplies are running low. Miller-Keystone has 6 donor centers located throughout the region with extended hours. Anyone interested in donating should call 1-800-B-A-DONOR or make an appointment at <https://www.giveapint.org/>

## Weona Park Pavilions

Weona Park Pavilions will be available for rent in the 2021 Summer Season. All CDC rules must be followed.

Please call 610-863-9249 for more rental information.

### 2021 rates are:

- Pavilion Rentals: Large pavilion \$150
- Kitchen: \$40.00
- Side A or B Large Pavilion :\$75.00
- Small pavilion: \$100.00

## Summer Meals

BASD will again provide summer meals, at no cost, to any child (18 years or younger). Meals will be distributed from Washington Elementary on Mondays and Thursday from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM, beginning June 21. Email [meals@bangorsd.org](mailto:meals@bangorsd.org) if you are interested in getting on the schedule.

## COVID Restrictions Lifted

Starting July 1, 2021 all library materials/books will be returned inside the library during operational hours. The book drop will be open only when the library is closed.

Starting Monday, June 28, 2021 masks will not be required, however, they have kindly requested that if you have not been vaccinated, that you wear a mask while in the library.

Patrons will only be allowed to browse for materials. No sitting and reading magazines, newspapers and working on laptops will be allowed.

All materials will no longer be quarantined.

## Northampton County Covid-19 Relief Small Business Grant Program

The Northampton County COVID-19 Relief Small Business Grant Program has re-opened and is now accepting applications! Northampton County Council has approved this Grant Program partnered with the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce that will distribute \$15 million dollars of ARP Funds to Northampton County small businesses with 100 or fewer employees.

Please visit <https://www.lehighvalleychamber.org/norcogrants.html> to view or download the eligibility guidelines and to apply for up to \$15,000 to mitigate the impact of COVID-19 related expenses.

Please Note: This grant is eligible to businesses that have NOT previously received the Northampton County COVID-19 Relief Small Business Grant.

Deadline to apply: Tuesday, August 31, 2021 For more information or any questions, please reach out to Jessica O'Donnell at 610-673-4010 / [jessicao@lehighvalleychamber.org](mailto:jessicao@lehighvalleychamber.org) or

Brittany Keal 610-295-9824 / [brittanyw@lehighvalleychamber.org](mailto:brittanyw@lehighvalleychamber.org)

## Blue Mountain Library Summer Hours

The library will be open on the following days: Monday through Saturday mornings 10:00 am – 12 noon

Monday AND Thursday evenings 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Please Note: They will be closed on Saturday, July 3 and Monday, July 5 in observance of the Independence Day Holiday.

Masks are required for all patrons 2 years and older. All returned materials are cleaned and sanitized.

Curbside services are available for each shift. Visit our website to view our online catalog listed as OPAC. You must call the library to request items. Provide your name, membership card number, contact number and title(s) of material(s). A library representative will contact you to schedule a day and time for pick-up.

Are you required to read a book for summer reading? Or looking for a gift?

Visit their Book Nook located on the second floor of the building. All items are in good condition and priced under \$10.00.

For more info – visit their facebook page or website [www.bmcl.org](http://www.bmcl.org)

## County Assistance

In light of Pennsylvania's eviction moratorium expiring on August 31st, Lamont McClure reminds residents that Northampton County has approximately \$3.6 million available for rental assistance, rapid rehousing and utility payments.

The Department of Human Services and the Department of Community and Economic Development worked together to develop the Community Mediation and Eviction Diversion Program (CMED). CMED offers experienced mediators, emergency financial assistance and rapid rehousing to prevent homelessness.

Contact: Third Street Alliance at 610-438-1763 or email Ziana Keith at [zkeith@thirdstreetalliance.org](mailto:zkeith@thirdstreetalliance.org)

## Bangor Park Yoga Thursdays 6-7pm

This active movement session cultivates awareness of the body, while utilizing the breath for grounding. We will flow with intention; consciously engaging the muscles to increase strength, & holding postures for several breaths to increase flexibility. The steady pace of this class balances effort & ease, making it suitable for all practitioners

Thursday's at 6pm - 7pm

\*\*\*Cash donations are accepted and always appreciated!\*\*\*

Please arrive 10 minutes early and park your car in the lot accessible from the Broadway street entrance. The class is located in the field between this parking lot and the circle.

(Remember to bring your own equipment such as a yoga mat, blanket, blocks, or a strap as they will not be provided.)

## DAY CAMP 2021

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Day Camp Counselors Needed - Apply today. [gv-ymca.org](http://gv-ymca.org)

Greater Valley Ymca Slate Belt Branch  
315 West Pennsylvania Ave Pen Argyl, PA 18072  
(T) 610-881-4470 (F) 610-881-4474 (W) [gv-ymca.org](http://gv-ymca.org)

## Filetown Road Closure

The Filetown Road (S.R. 1006) Bridge will be closed and have a detour plan in place from Monday, March 22, 2021 to Monday, August 16, 2021.

Please note that this is a Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) project, and it will not be managed by Plainfield Township officials.

## Slate Belt Y Child Care

The Greater Valley YMCA has announced the expansion of its child care offerings at its Slate Belt location. The Y now offers care for toddlers and preschool children ages 2 through 5 in its newly-constructed child care wing.

## Hotline for Human Services

Northampton County has a 24-hour Emergency hotline for all Human Services-related emergencies. Anyone struggling with a mental health crisis, abuse, neglect, suicidal thoughts, evictions, substance abuse, food insecurity, etc. can call 610-252-9060 for help and referrals.

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## Where To Eat

### Little Creek BBQ

Hours: Thurs, Fri & Sat 2-7. Sun. 12-5. Closed  
Mon, Tue, Wed. 610-588-3831. Info: [Click Here](#)

### Sal's Pizza

Sal's Pizza 487 E. Moorestown Road, Wind Gap.  
610-863-7665. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Doughboys

230 W. Moorestown Rd, Wind Gap. . 610-759-3776. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Pen Argyl Pizza

Pen Argyl Pizza 510 E. Main St, Pen Argyl. 610-863-6670. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### 512 Restaurant

512 Restaurant 2 East Pennsylvania Ave, Pen Argyl. 610-881-4540. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Detzi's Tavern

Detzi's Tavern 570 North Lehigh Ave., Wind Gap. 863-9882. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Slate Pub

Slate Pub 509 E. Main St., Pen Argyl. 610-881-4700. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Broadway Pub

Broadway Pub 62 Broadway, Bangor. 610-452-9226. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Five Points Grill & Pub

Five Points Grill & Pub 1001 Mt. Bethel Highway, Mt. Bethel. 610-588-1773. . More Info: [Click Here](#)

### M & M Vineyards

M & M Vineyards 18 Shepherds Hill Dr. Bangor.

See their website at. <http://mmvineyards.com>

### Dinky's

Dinky's Ice Cream Parlor Rte 191 and Broadway in Bangor. More info [Click Here](#)

### Clever Girl Winery

Clever Girl Winery's 15 Broadway in Bangor (484) 484-8907 [www.clevergirlwinery.com/](http://www.clevergirlwinery.com/)

### Napoli Pizza

Dine-In, pick up & delivery. 610-588-1455, 444 S 1st St, Bangor. [Click Here](#)

### Slate Belt Diner

610-452-9205, 370 Blue Valley Drive. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Daisy Family Restaurant

6589 Sullivan Trail Wind Gap, (610) 863-4044. More info: [Click Here](#)

### Three Brothers Pizza

Three Brothers Pizza at Plainfield Diner, Sullivan Trail. 610-863-4950 .More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Mt. Bethel Diner

570-897-6409, 2600 N. Delaware Drive, Mt. Bethel, Pa 18343. More Info: [Click Here](#)

### Family & Friends

610-759-7477. Rt 512 Wind Gap. More info: [Click Here](#)

### Gap Diner

Rt. 512 Wind Gap. More info: [Click Here](#)

### TK's Restaurant

570-897-6112. Rt 611, Mt. Bethel More info: [Click Here](#)

### Fuher's Tavern & Grill

104 Main St., Portland (570) 897-5590.

## Tolino's Family Food Truck Friday Lineup

\*July 30 Music by James Supra, Food by Flying V & Pizza

Family Food Truck Friday Lineup in Aug

\*August 6 Music by Moondogs, Food by Queen V & Pizza

\*August 13 Music by James Supra, Food by Little Creek & Pizza

\*August 20 Music by At The Apollo, Food by JT Grill & Pizza

\*August 27 Music by Steve McDaniel, Food by Flying V & Pizza

Family Food Truck Friday Lineup in Sept.

\*September 3 Music by Moondogs, Food by Blendlife & Pizza

\*September 10 Music by Lonesome Found, Food by Flying V & Pizza

\*September 17 Music by James Supra, Food by Little Creek & Pizza

\*September 24 Music by Steve McDaniel Food by Blendlife & Pizza

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## Summer Concerts Wind Gap Park

**August 8 - Jesse Wade Gang**

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**August 22 - The Comfort Band**

Country & Oldies Music

*All concerts are free, begin at 6 P.M  
COVID Guidelines in Effect*

## Summer Concerts Weona Park

**August 1 - Desire**

Playing oldies music of the 50's-70's

**August 15 Inch and the Echoes**

Playing Oldies music of the 50's-70's

*All concerts are free, begin at 6 P.M  
COVID Guidelines in Effect*

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The Celtic Cultural Alliance has announced its music line-up for the Celtic Classic Highland Games and Festival, which will take place on September 24-26, 2021, in downtown Bethlehem.

The Celtic Classic has 5 free stages of Celtic music throughout the festival grounds and in the Ice House. Celtic bands will perform over 100 hours of free Celtic music, ranging in styles from traditional to Celtic rock. Many of the Celtic tunes are the traditional Irish jigs, shanties, drinking songs and ballads combined with lyrical story-telling.

For full line-up and schedule, [www.celticfest.org](http://www.celticfest.org)

## **September 18** **Lehigh Valley Wine Auction**

Save the date, September 18, 2021 (September 25 rain date), for our auction event! Celebrate the wine, food, and culture of Argentina with us under the stars at Hugh Moore Park.

## **September 25** **Free Ice Cream**

Portland residents are invited to enjoy free ice cream at the Portland Park and Walk June 26, July 24, August 28 and September 25.

## **September To Remember** **Vendor Festival**

Enjoy the day shopping with over 50 unique small business vendors. Grab yourself a drink, some amazing food, and enjoy the day filled with entertainment, shopping, and more!

September 25, 2021 10am to 3pm at Bangor memorial park

90 Eisenhart blvd. Bangor, pa 18013 for more information on being a vendor call: 484-633-0185 or

Email: [blueflameevents@yahoo.com](mailto:blueflameevents@yahoo.com)

## **September 26** **Awareness 365**

AWARENESS 365 Crafter/Vendor Event

Sunday, September 26, 9am - 4pm

Awareness 365 is Breast Cancer Awareness every day not just October.

Second Annual Let's Pinkout Breast Cancer

Crafter/ Vendor Event. There's going to be something for all ages. A fun full day of Crafters, Vendors, Food, Food, Food, Wineries, Brewery, games, raffles, 50/50 Two Bands, Special entertainment.

Miller Blood Bank - Donate Blood by appointment only details to follow.

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707 American Bangor Rd, Bangor,

CRAFTER, VENDOR, etc. please email your info to

[Pinkoutwithignite@yahoo.com](mailto:Pinkoutwithignite@yahoo.com) or message page Awareness 365

## **September 28** **Families First 5K** **One-mile Fun Walk**

The Families First 5K One-mile Fun Walk will be held at Wind Gap Park Saturday, September 28, 2019 from 9-11:30 am.

The 5K/1 Mile Fun Walk will be held rain or shine. Registration will begin at 7:30 am on race day.

Registration Fees:

- \$20 per person BEFORE race day
- \$40 for a family of three or more BEFORE race day \*family entry must be submitted together\*
- \$25 per person on race day
- \$15 student entry

Entry includes t-shirt (guaranteed to the first 100 runners) and a raffle ticket for prizes. Awards will be given to the fastest overall male and female and to the top three finishers in each age category. The 1 Mile Fun Walk is noncompetitive.

This fundraiser supports the free programs of Families First: Families-In-Need, After-School Tutoring, College Scholarship Fund, Mentoring Programs, Adopt-A-Family, and many others.

## **October 2** **Chili Cookoff**

Grand Central Landfill will sponsor a Chili Cookoff, October 2 from 11-1 at 910 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Pen Argyl.

Slate Belt non-profits will compete for your vote. Donation of \$5.00 to benefit non-profits. Free event, Giveaways, Family Fun, Ice Cream, Tours.

Questions: email Adrienne Fors at [afors1@wm.com](mailto:afors1@wm.com)

## **Bethlehem Soup Trail**

The ever popular Bethlehem HarvestFest Soup Trail is back. Sample some of your favorite Soups from your favorite Downtown Bethlehem Restaurants!

Ticklets on sale September 1st on their website. On October 2nd, pick up your Soup Trail Passport and Map. You'll travel to each restaurant on your passport. All participants have from 12PM to 5PM to sample each soup.

## **October 3** **Library's 100th Anniversary**

All are welcome to join in a celebration 100 years in the making as the Bangor Public Library showcases its past, present, and future October 3 2021 from 2-4pm.

Visit their website at [www.bangorlibrary.org](http://www.bangorlibrary.org) for more information.

You can also donate gently used books, become a friend, volunteer, or library patron.

Door prizes, library tours, scavenger hunts and library memorabilia will be available in addition to light refreshments.

## **October 16** **Blue October**

Blue October - This Is What I Live For Tour will be held October 16 at the Sherman Theater, Stroudsburg.

Tickets: [www.etix.com/ticket/p/8298119/blue-october-this-is-what-i-live-for-tour-stroudsburg-sherman-theater](http://www.etix.com/ticket/p/8298119/blue-october-this-is-what-i-live-for-tour-stroudsburg-sherman-theater)

These songs should make you want to fall in love with somebody, or miss somebody, or want to do something outrageous with your life," says Justin Furstenfeld, vocalist and lyricist for the unstoppable

alt-rock band Blue October. He's talking about the tracks on the quintet's tenth studio album, This Is What I Live For, recently released on October 23rd, 2020.

## **October 24** **Vendor/Craft Show**

Washington Township Fire Co. will hold its Fall Vendor/Craft Fair on Sunday October 24th from 10am to 4pm.

Spaces are \$30 for (1) 10ft x 10ft space or \$50 for (2) 10ft x 10ft space. All spaces are outdoors, and this is a rain, shine, or snow event. If you are interested in a space, please email us at [bdjm987@gmail.com](mailto:bdjm987@gmail.com).

Please remember that we use paper applications only and that payments must be in the form of cash or check. No one should be contacting you to fill out an online application and pay with a credit card.

## **October 30,31** **Jacobsburg Market Faire & Rendezvous History Weekend**

Saturday, October 30, 2021: 10 am-4 pm

Sunday, October 31, 2021: 10 am-4 pm

Fur Trade Era encampment, 18th c. Market Faire, Early American Arts & Crafts exhibits with demonstrations

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## **November 5-7** **Pink Heals Tricky Tray**

Come to the Pink Heals third Annual Tricky Tray located at Nancy Run Fire Company 3564 Easton Ave, Bethlehem, PA 18020.

Fri, November 5th: 9am – 8pm, Sat, November 6th: 9am – 6pm, Sun, November 7th: Drawing of Prizes

Admission is free

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- 3 tiers of tickets & prizes
- 50/50 Raffle
- Lottery Apron
- Dan Campanelli Painting Raffle

This is a CASH only event.

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## **November 27** **Philly Keys at WGFC**

Philly Keys Dueling Pianos will return to Wind Gap Fire Co. 111 North Broadway, Wind Gap Fire Co. Social Hall November 27 from 7-10 pm.

Doors open 6:00pm. Cost is \$20.00 per person. Beer included, bring your own wine. Kitchen open.

Questions, call Ryan 484-325-0808.

All proceeds benefit WGFC truck fund.

## **December 11,12** **A Very Special**