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### Fake Is Real

Fake is Real is an fentanyl awareness campaign in Northampton County, Pennsylvania. Fentanyl is a powerful synthetic opioid analgesic that is similar to morphine but is 50 to 100 times more potent and killing teens at an alarming rate. We're here with one mission: to spread awareness of fentanyl poisoning and save lives. Learn more at **FakeisReal.org** 

In a typical 30 mg pill—it only takes 2 mg of fentanyl for a lethal dose. That's about the size of a few grains of sand.

Fentanyl is commonly made into pills that look like real prescription opioids.

Fentanyl Poison Is Not An Overdose

Fake drugs bought on social media are poisonous. The antidote is knowledge and preparation against the secret ingredient in many illicit drugs.

Reduce the harm. End the use. Grow a community of survivors. Being a community advocate for fentanyl awareness can save lives. It's easy and anyone can do it. Learn how to help your community here.

Act 139 Good Samaritan Law & Standing Order for naloxone made it possible for anyone to get NARCAN with no prescription needed.

If You're High and Someone Overdoses

You will be granted certain criminal and civil protections under Act 139 even if you're using drugs. If you're with someone who is experiencing an overdose call for help and save their life.

#### **Community Grants**

The GKEDC wants to make you aware that the GKEDC is initiating their 2023 community grant program.

The program is accepting applications from February 1 to April 30, and are available on their website at www. **GKEDC.org.** Please share this information with the residents and organizations within Pen Argyl.



### Friday, March 3rd

**7pm** (doors open 6pm)

#### **Bangor Area High School Gym**

All proceeds benefit the BangorArea Middle School PTSO (Parent, Teacher, Student Organization)

#### To buy tickets online:

https://pretix.eu/harlemwizards/bangor/?fbclid=lwAR0lKPskWfsNWa2GclHSTJHXva\_v3NCHCVV7a12ouPiKjlcXTPO9okhs6o

Benchwarmer tickets \$95 Courtside plus tickets \$50 Reserved seats \$30 General admission \$20 Students \$15

Children 3 and under sitting on parents lap are free

Come and experience a magical display of tricks, coordinated ball handling, fancy passing and aerodynamic athletics combined with high-energy comedy & audience interaction

It's the Harlem Wizards vs Slater All-Stars (school district staff & teachers)

For more info: Kim @ 484-241-0441 or Debbie @ 610-751-7692 bamsptso@gmail.com





# Paws & Kisses Valentine's Day Pet Expo



(Well-behaved leashed pups are welcome.)



Visit with pet rescues and meet adoptable pups

Dress your pups for the doggie costume contest

Don't forget to visit with the resident stores in the mall for Valentine's Day



February 11, 2023
11:00AM to 4:00PM





Palmer Park Mall 123 Palmer Park Mall, Easton PA 18045

To register as a vendor or crafter text (272)-200-8163 or email blueflameevents@yahoo.com Cost = \$40 per space















# Huge Slater Rally Stops Knights 56-39 Pen Argyl Led 28-17 at Half



# Morro, Knights Overwhelm Bangor 65-40 Pen Argyl led 22-21 at Half



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www.sbtopics.com sbtopics@rcn.com **February 8, 2023** 

#### **Slate Belt 7-Day Weather Forecast**

#### Sunny 49 Today ... Rain 48 Thursday

**National Weather Service Forecast - 6am Today** 

**Today,** Sunny, with a high near 49. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Tonight,** Mostly clear, with a low around 30. West wind around 5 mph becoming calm in the evening.

Thursday, A chance of rain, mainly after 9am. Cloudy, with a high near 48. Light southeast wind increasing to 5 to 10 mph in the morning. Chance of precipitation is 50%. New precipitation amounts of less than a tenth of an inch possible.

Thursday Night. A chance of rain before 1am. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 44. Breezy, with a south wind 15 to 20 mph becoming west after midnight. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 30%. New precipitation amounts of less than a tenth of an inch possible.

Friday, Partly sunny, with a high near 52. Breezy, with a west wind 15 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

Friday Night, Mostly cloudy, with a low around 32.

**Saturday,** Mostly sunny, with a high near 43.

Saturday Night, Partly cloudy, with a low around 26.

**Sunday**, Mostly sunny, with a high near 43.

Sunday Night, Partly cloudy, with a low around 28.

**Monday,** Sunny, with a high near 48.

**Monday Night**, Partly cloudy, with a low around 32.

**Tuesday,** Partly sunny, with a high near 51.



# Area Roadwork February 6 - 10

**ROUTE 611 FROM SLATEFORD ROAD TO** DELAWARE WATER GAP CLOSED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 1.

Interstate 78 Between: Exit 75 (To PA 611) and Exit 60 (PA 309) No restriction for shoulder work. Start date: 2/6/23 Est completion date: 2/9/23

Mountain Road Between: Moorestown Road and E. Moorestown Road Daytime Restriction 09:00 AM To 02:00 PM Lane restriction with flagging. Start date: 2/9/23 Est completion date: 2/10/23

PA 33 Between: US 22 and Monroe County Line. No restriction. Start date: 2/6/23 Est completion

date: 2/10/23

Bushkill / Plainfield twps. Road name: Jacobsburg Road Between: Bushkill Center Road and Pa 512 Daytime Lane restriction 09:00 AM To 02:00 PM with fStart date: 2/6/23 Est completion date: 2/10/23 US 22 Between: PA 512 and PA 33. Nighttime Lane restriction 09:00 AM To 02:00 PM both directions for construction work. Start date: 2/5/23 Est completion date: 2/9/23

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#### **Happening Soon**

#### **Local Woman Runs For** Rebekah's Angels

Lisa Dente, a lifelong Lehigh Valley resident, teacher in Bangor for 20 years, and fitness instructor at the Slate Belt YMCA hopes that you will be inspired by her goal and mission.

She is looking for businesses who are inspired by the mission of Rebekah's Angels (rebekahsangels.org), which provides mental health services to families suffering from PTSD and was founded by Boston Marathon bombing survivor, Rebekah Gregory. Lisa is running for this amazing charity on their Boston Marathon team this April and have a goal of raising \$7,000.

Rebekah was one of thousands of strangers cheering her on in 2013 at the Boston Marathon in which many lost their loved ones or suffered greatly physically and emotionally.

#### Harlem Wizards at **BAHS** in March

See the Harlem Wizards at Bangor Area High School March 3, located at 187 Five Points Richmond. The game begins at 7:00 pm and the doors will open at 6:00 pm. Be sure to purchase your tickets in advance. An online processing fee of \$1.50 per ticket will be added to your final total. The Online Box Office For This Event Closes 3 Hours Prior To The Game. Tickets purchased online will be sent via email. Please type your email address carefully! You must print the ticket(s) and bring them to the event. Your ticket will be scanned for entry. Tickets: https://pretix.eu/harlemwizards/ bangor/

Len Mooney

Len Money is thrilled to be back at The Walpack Inn Tuesday February 14 for a night of LOVE come on out and help them "Spread the Groove" 7 National Park Service Rd 615, Wallpack Center, NJ, U



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**Bangor - Saucon Boys** 





**Bangor - Palisades Girls** 



Jill Morro



**Bangor - Pen Argyl Wrestling** 



**Bangor Palmerton Girls** 





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610 - 863 - 6100



#### **Daily Schedule**

#### **Wednesday February 8**

**Bingo** - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 6:45 pm.

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 1-8 **LMBT Recreation Board** - 7pm, Centerfield building

Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am -8:00pm

Wind Gap Zoning - 7pm

#### **Thursday February 9**

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 10-8

Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show Bingo - Plainfield Fire Co., 6:30pm Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am -8:00pm

#### Friday February 10

**Bingo** - Wind Gap Fire Co., 6:45. **Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 1-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Slate Belt YMCA - Open 5:00am - 9:00pm

#### **Saturday February 11**

Blue Mountain Library - 10-12 Bangor Public Library - 10-4 Columcille Tours - Free. 9:30-11:30. Meet at Stone circle.

Slate Belt YMCA -8-4 Slate Belt Heritage Center -

Open 12-3

Hope, Faith & Recovery Group, every Saturday, at A Clean Slate, 118 S. 1st, St. Bangor. 11:30am - 12:30pm

**Sunday February 12** 

**Breakfast** - Bushkill Volunteer Fire C. 7:30-12:30.

**Fellowship Dinner** - Breaking Bread soup kitchen, 4:00pm. Cross Road Baptist, Bangor.

**Slate Belt Heritage Center -** Open 12-3.

Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2

#### **Monday February 13**

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8 Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

**Pen Argyl Sewer Auth.** - 4:30pm (If needed)

**Pen Argyl Municipal Auth.** - 5pm (If needed)

**Bangor Borough Council** - Meets Bee Hive Community Center, 7pm

Portland Council - 7pm Pump - 8:30-11:30

**Upper Mount Bethel Supervisors** 

- Meets 7:00pm

**Roseto Borough Council -**Municipal Building, 7:30pm

Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm

#### **Tuesday February 14**

**Bingo** - Portland Fire Co., 7pm. **Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 10-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Mission of Love Food Pantry & Clothes Closet - N. Main St., Bangor, 10-12

Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm

#### Wednesday February 15

**Bingo** - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 6:45 pm.

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

Bangor Public Library - Open

1-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Washington Township Supervisors Meet - Municipal

Building, 7pm

Pen Argyl Park Board - 7pm Plainfield Township Supervisors

- Meets 7:00pm Municipal Building. **Slate Belt YMCA** - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm

East Bangor Municipal Authority

- Municipal Authority Hall, 555 Messinger St., East Bangor, 7:00pm

#### **Thursday February 16**

Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 10-8

Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show Bingo - Plainfield Fire Co., 6:30pm Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am -8:00pm

#### Friday February 17

**Bingo** - Wind Gap Fire Co., 6:45. **Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 1-8

Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show Slate Belt YMCA - Open 5:00am - 9:00pm

#### **Saturday February 18**

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 10-4

Slate Belt YMCA - 8-4 Slate Belt Heritage Center -Open 12-3

Hope, Faith & Recovery Group, every Saturday, at A Clean Slate, 118 S. 1st, St. Bangor. 11:30am - 12:30pm

#### **Sunday February 19**

Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.

Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2

#### **Monday February 20**

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 1-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Plainfield Township Planning Commission - Municipal Building, 7:00 pm.

Lower Mount Bethel Supervisors

- Meets Centerfield Building - 7pm **Pump - 8:30-11:30** 

Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm

#### Tuesday February 21 Bingo - Portland Fire Co., 7pm.

Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 10-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Mission of Love Food Pantry & Clothes Closet - N. Main St.,

Bangor, 10-2

Roseto Planning Commission -

7:00pm Borough Hall

Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am -

8:00pm
Washing Twsp. Planning -

7pm

Wind Gap Boro - Council 7pm

#### Wednesday February 22

**Bingo** - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 6:45 pm.

**Blue Mountain Library** - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm

**Bangor Public Library** - Open 1-8

**Slate Belt Senior Center** - Open 8-4. Blue Valley Farm Show







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### SLATE BELT TODAY BY THE NUMBERS

#### **Temperature**

(Yesterday)

<u>High</u>

Low

40

23

(Today's Forecast

High

Low

49

**30** 

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Combination of weather factors that can make one less or more likely to develop a migraine. Lower numbers are less while higher numbers increase the chance.

**Arthritis Index** 

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Scale of 0-10 with 0 indicating a very

low risk of weather-related arthritis

pain, and 10 indicating the highest

#### **COPD**

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Combination of weather factors that can make one less or more likely to develop a pulmonary attack. Lower numbers are less while higher numbers increase the chance.

#### **Asthma Index**

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Combination of weather factors that can trigger asthma. A higher index mean more people w/asthma could be affected by temperature and allergens.

#### Sinus Headache

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



Combination of weather factors that can make one less or more likely to develop a migraine. Lower numbers are less while higher numbers increase the chance.

#### Migraine Headache



#### **Common Cold**

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



Combination of weather factors that can make one less or more likely to catch a cold.. Lower numbers are less while higher numbers increase the chance.

#### **Air Quality**

**AM Reading** 

**Good 0-50** 

Columbia N.J - 76 Moderate

(51-100)

Bethlehem - 74

**Bad for Some** 

Monroe - ND

Allentown - 75

(101-150)

Very Bad 150+

#### **Cooling Degree Days**

**Yesterday** 

Season

Used to track energy use. Add the daily high and low temperatures, divide by 2 and add 65 to calculate heating degree days.

#### Rainfall/Snowfall

Rain

**Snow** 

Recent - 0.00

Recent - 0.0

Month - 0.00

Month - 1.5

Year - 5.21 (+2.8)

Season - 4.00

#### **UV** Index

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12



chance of pain.

(Ultra Violet Rays) Lowest number indicates a low risk of harm from unprotected sun exposure, higher numbers indicate greater risk No alert in effect for today.

#### **Heating Degree Days**

**Yesterday** 

Season

33

3194

Used to track energy use. Add the daily high and low temperatures, divide by 2 and subtract 65 to calculate heating degree days.

#### Sun

**Sunrise** 7:04 AM

**Sunset** 5:27 PM

#### **Pollen Count**

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12



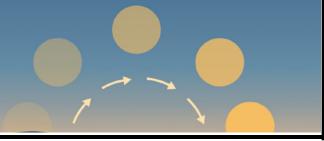
Scale of 0-12 with zero indicating the least potential allergy and 12 the most. Most prevalent allergen is Ragweed

#### Flu Index

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



Flu index: (0-10) Combo of historical data and temperature. A high flu index means the spread of a flu is very favorable, assuming the disease is present









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#### **PUBLISH YOUR EVENT**

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#### February 9

Intro to Fly Fishing

Thursday, February 9 at 6:00pm to 8:00pm Interested in learning to fly fish? Trout Unlimited, Forks of the Delaware Chapter will offer a program on how to best start out fly fishing. They will discuss what equipment is necessary and offer demonstrations. You can also practice your best rollcast using Jacobsburg's loaner flyrod kits. This will take place indoors. Registration is Required. https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?ord er=date&search=jacobsburg.

#### February 11

Valentine's Day Special - Archery for Couples

Saturday, February 11 at 10:00am to 12:00pm Have you been hit by Cupid's arrow? Join us for a two-hour intro-to-archery program where you will learn to accurately shoot a bow and spend quality time with your partner. Warm fire will be provided to keep the relationship from getting cold. Please dress for the weather and plan on spending the entire time outdoors. Registration for a minimum of two is required.

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the class begins.

hEither way, it will be a fun time. Please dress for the weather and plan on spending the entire time outdoors. Registration is required.

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#### **Zumba Classes**

Join Clean Sltate in February for Zumba Classes on Saturdays at 118 S 1st, Bangor, PA. Call for more info 610-452-9348. They will start with 30-minute Zumba dance and keep it moving every Saturday! Connect with others for heart healthy movement and fun. EveryBODY can

Liztech Bingo,

Liztech Bingo, Feb. 11, 2023. Doors open at 11am, Bingo starts at 1pm. Advance tickets are \$25, day of \$30. Your ticket includes bingo boards to play all bingo games for the event. Extra boards and tricky tray tickets may be purchased at event. Contact Stephanie at 610-216-6716 or email phl33ladies@gmail.com for tickets. Or new this

year purchase tickets online via our square sitehttps://portlandhookandladder.square.site/

#### Cavatelli Dinner

Cavatelli Dinner is planned Roseto Legion February 11th 2023.from 5pm-8pm. Get your tickets now. Message Tony Russo for tickets or stop at legion after 1pm any day.

#### February 12

**Lenape Program** 

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will hold their monthly historic program on Sunday, February 12, 2023 @ 2:00 PM. Speaker, for the afternoon, will be Adam DePaul, Chief of Education and Tribal Story Keeper for the Lenape Nation of Pennsylvania. Mr. DePaul will discuss the past and present of the Lenape in Pennsylvania, including their relationship with both William Penn and His sons, the Walking Purchase, the Lenape's survival throughout colonialism, their diaspora and those who remain in their homeland. Additionally, he will discuss current initiatives to revitalize Lenape Culture, such as their Language Revitalization Project and the Rising Nation River Journey. The event is free and open to the public. The Heritage Center is located at 30 North 1st Street, Bangor, PA. For additional information contact: Karen Brewer @ 484-894-5661

#### February 14

Valentine's Day will be extra special next year at the Palmer Park Mall with the Paws & Kisses Valentine's Day Pet Expo! We're looking for extra special vendors & crafters (pet & non-pet related) to join us! We're also looking for pet rescues to join us as well! To register simply text (272)-200-8163.

Cost for vendors/crafters is \$40 per space. https://facebook.com/events/s/paws-kisses-valentines-day-pet/451248340402251/

#### Len Mooney

Len Money is thrilled to be back at The Walpack Inn Tuesday February 14 for a night of LOVE come on out and help them "Spread the Groove"

7 National Park Service Rd 615, Wallpack Center, NJ, United States, New Jersey

#### **February 16**

#### **BAHS Pops Concert**

The Bangor Area High School Bands Pops Concert Thursday February 16, 7:30 PM at Performing Arts Theatre 187 Five Points Richmond Rd Bangor,

#### February 17

# Family Science Night – Wings and Things

Friday, February 17 at 6:00pm to 7:30pm

Wings are found on many different types of animals! We will look at why certain animals are able to live in the sky while others remain on the ground. Families will then craft their own flighty friends to complete in various aeronautical challenges. Registration is required.

#### SPECIAL EVENTS CONTINUED

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#### February 18

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#### February 19

#### **Plainfield Bingo**

The Plainfield Twp. Vol. Fire Co. will be hosting a Jackpot Bingo on Sunday, February 19, 2023. Doors open at 11am Games start at 1pm. Event will be held at our Banquet Facility located at 6480 Sullivan Trail, Wind Gap PA 18091. We will be having Regular bingo Games, Specials, Pull Tab tickets, 50/50, Tricky Tray, and many other games of chance to play. Presale tickets will be \$30.(please click on link for presale tickets) Tickets at the door will be \$35. Our Concession stand will be open. (No outside food or beverage allowed.)

Stop on out and help support your local fire co! Here is some insight what will be at the Bingo on Sunday. With your door admission you will receive a 9 board top bingo package for the regular bingo games. You will also receive your specials package.

#### February 21

# Fastnacht Donut Sale at Christ Lutheran Church

A Donut Sale will be held at Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, 703 S. Delaware Dr. (Route 611), Mt. Bethel (Stone Church) on Tuesday, February 21st. Donuts are available powdered or plain and picked up by 1pm. The cost is \$10.00 per dozen. Orders are recommended and can be placed until February 18th. To place your order or for additional information call Chrissy at 610-588-0809.

#### February 23,24

# **Project Feeder Watch Monitoring**

Thursday, February 23 & Friday, February 24 at 8:30am to 3:30pm

You must have already participated in Birds and Bagels - Citizen Science and Monitor Training to register for this volunteer opportunity. Volunteer as a citizen scientist to observe and record bird observations at Jacobsburg's feeders. You can choose what times you would like to monitor between the hours of 8:30AM- 3:30PM, all day commitment is not required. Register to let us know what hours you are available to monitor.

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#### February 25

# **Exploring Jacobsburg's Foundations**

Saturday, February 25 at 10:00am to 11:30am

Historically, the Bushkill Creek was dammed and diverted for many industrious activities. On this exploratory walk, we will piece together the clues of the past to imagine the village which would eventually become our namesake. Registration is required.

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# Cavity Nesting Boxes Install and Upkeep

Saturday, February 25 at 1:00pm to 3:30pm

Join us in preparing our nesting boxes for the upcoming season. We will be installing wood duck boxes and numbering the current nesting boxes on the homestead trail. Waders and equipment will be provided. Registration is required.

#### February 25,28

#### **Boy Scout Fundraiser**

Boy Scout Troop 102 of Saylorsburg is raising funds to purchase a new equipment trailer used to haul gear for the scouts' monthly campouts. You can support the Boy Scouts and enjoy a meal out by participating in our Dine and Donate at Texas Roadhouse in Stroudsburg on 2/25 and/or 2/28. Bring along this flyer or take a picture of it on your phone.

#### March 1

#### **Lenten Study**

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church will be offering a Lenten Study "Seven Words: Listening to Christ from the Cross." The sessions will be held at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays from March 1 through April 5. If you would like to participate, please let Pastor Dave know by February 5 so that materials can be ordered. The cost for the study guide is \$10.00. Call 610-588-4453 to sign up.

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#### March 18

#### St. Patrick's Day & 3rd Annual Wineaversary Celebration

You won't want to miss this celebration Saturday March 18 2023 at noon.! Participate in a pieeating contest, or a hook-and-ring competition. We will also have a Leprechaun Token Toss and as part of your admission you will receive 10 free tokens and a spin on the prize wheel giving you the chance to win prizes! You won't want to miss this fantastic event! Be sure to get your tickets on Eventbrite and save \$5 on the cost of admission.

#### March 22

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#### March 25

# Camp Papillon Animal Shelter Fund Raiser

Camp Papillon Animal Shelter presents a Wise Crackers comedy fundraiser located at Mountain View Vineyard in Stroudsburg, PA on Saturday, March 25, 2023 at 7:30 PM!

Doors will open at 6:30 PM. There will be a cash bar, food and a tricky tray. Tickets are \$30 each. Seating is limited so make sure to snag your chance to see three comedians fast!

You must be 18 years or older to attend.

To purchase tickets go to www.camppapillon. org or contact Sami Ely at 570-730-9226

#### March 29

#### **Cat Neutering**

No Nonsense Neutering will be offering a cat transport (pets and ferals) down to the Allentown clinic for neutering/vaccinations.March 29

Location for pick up: Pen Argyl Municipal building parking lot Pick up 7am-730am. Drop off 5pm-530 pm Same day.

#### SLATTE BELT CHURCH INFORMATION











# **Christ Presbyterian Church** of The Slate Belt

332 Kennedy Drive, Bangor www.christpcsb.org
More info 610-588-4864.
E-mail: info@christpcsb.org.
Sunday Worship, 10:00 a.m.
in-person/Zoom/Facebook Live.
For more info: 610-588-4864.

#### Flicksville UCC

1337 Lower South Main St., Bangor Pastor Ken Hess 610-588-4648 www.flicksvilleucc.com

> Worship at 10:45am Sunday School - 9:30am

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#### **Trinity Lutheran Church**

404 Broadway Bangor (610-588-2023)

telcbangor@frontier.com Sunday worship 10:30am

**Sunday School:10:15 - 11:30 Holy Communion:** First and Third Sundays

Refreshments after. Masks optional.

#### **East Bangor UMC**

136 W. Central Ave. (Rt.512) East Bangor February 9- A.A Meeting 8pm
Fenruary 12- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service Adult Sunday School 10::30
February 9- Choir Rehearsal
(Live & on Zoom) 10:45 Fellowship Hour (For Zoom, go to ebumc.org to sign in)

#### **Grace Lutheran Church**

5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth Pa 18064 www.gracebelfastpa.org 610-759-9080 Email:gracebelfast@rcn.com

February 12 9:00 am Holy Communion, 10am Sunday Morning Adventures

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# **Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church**

703 South Delaware Drive Mt. Bethel, 18343

http://www.celcpa.org/ Email: celcpaorg@yahoo.com 610-588-7056

Worship: Sundays 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion: First and Third Sunday Toddler Sunday School: Sept-May 10:15

# **Richmond United Methodist Church**

Rev. Peter Jamieson, Pastor http://richmondumc.com/ 8538 Delaware Dr, Bangor, PA 18013 610.588.7317 | richmondumc@epix.net Sunday Worship - Weekly at 10:00 a.m.

#### First United Methodist Church of Bangor

Pastor Elisandra Garcia - 610-588-4673 55 North Third Street, Bangor PA 11:00am service (Communion First Sunday)

#### Prince of Peace Ev. Lutheran Church

Rev. Michael J. Scholtes, 610-588-2355 2445 Lake Minsi Dr, Bangor popbangor.org poplcbangor@gmail.com

Sunday Worship 9:45 am (Weekly Communion) Sunday School 8:30 am

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# Slate Belt Town Topics Sports



### 2022 -23 Sports Schedule

Pen Argyl Girls	(18-4)	Pe	n Argyl Boys (8	<b>8-13</b> )	Per	Argyl Wrestlin	g (10-4)
12/2 NDES W 64-12	2:30pm	12/2	NDES L-55-44	4:00pm	12/2/	NDGP L 69-3.	7:00pm
12/3 Moravian W 45-34	1:00pm	12/3	Moravian L 51-36	2:45pm	12/3/	@Rough Rider	9:00am
12/6/ Saucon W 60-31	6:45pm	12/6/	Saucon L 46-32	6:45pm	2/7/	Saucon Valley L 43-24	7:00pm
12/8/ Palmerton L 49-46	6:45pm	12/8/	Palmerton L 57-30	6:45pm	12/16	Lehighton L 33-28	7:00pm
12/12/ Wilson W 62-24	6:45pm	12/12/	Wilson W 58-41	6:45pm	12/22	/@ Palmerton W54-	14 7:00pm
12/19/@ NDGP L49-37	6:45pm	12/19/	NDGP L 60-35	6:45pm	1/4/	@ Salisbury W 49-2	247:00pm
12/22 Lehighton W 46-37	6:45pm	12/21/	@ BangorW 45-40	6:45pm	1/6/	@ Wilson W 35-27	7:00pm
12/21/Bangor L 45-37	6:45pm	12/22	@ Lehighton L 45-4	27:00pm	1/7/	Upper Moreland W33-3	0 9:00am
12/27 PME - W 47-38	6:00pm	12/27	@ N.Warren W 50-3	61:30pm	1/7	NorristownW 56-12	,
1/5/ Palisades W 51-24	6:45pm	12/28	@ Sussex W 57-37	TBA	1/7	Epicopal Acad. W 5	0-18
1/7/ Northwestern L51-36	12:45pm	1/5/	Palisades W 52-46	6:45pm	1/7	Methacton L42-28	
1/9/ Salisbury W 70-29	6:45pm	1/7/	Northwestern L 52-40	12:45pm	1/7	Penn Wood W 59-12	2
1/12/ Whitehall W 54-34	7:00pm	1/9/	Salisbury L 43 - 33	6:45pm	1/11/	N. Lehigh W 63-9	7:00pm
1/14/ S. Lehigh W 58-27	12:45pm	1/14/	S. Lehigh L41-33	12:45pm		Palisades W43-23	7:00pm
1/17/ Palisades W 55-24	6:45pm	1/17/	Palisades W 51-41	6:45pm	1/20	@Coal Cracker	4:00pm
1/19/ Catasauqua W 49-28	8 6:45pm	1/19/	Catasauqua W 35-29	_	1/21	@Coal Cracker	11:00am
1/24/ Saucon W 52-35	6:45pm	1/24/	Saucon L 36-22	-		@Ultimate Warrior	11:00am
1/26/ N. Lehigh W 61-33	6:45pm	1/26/	N. Lehigh W 65-30	6:45pm	1/31/	@Bangor W 45-24	7:00pm
1/28/ Wilson W 48-14)	12:45pm	1/28/	@ Wilson L 55-43	12:45pm			
2/1/ Moravian W 58-32	6:45pm	2/1/	Moravian L 41-33	6:45pm			
2/4/ NDGP W 37-28	12:45pm	2/4/		.12:45pm			
2/7/ @ Bangor w 65-40	6:45pm	2/7/	Bangor L 56-39	6:45pm			

12/6/	Moravian W 46 - 2/ 6:45pm
12/8/	NDGP W 43-37 6:45pm
12/10	Northampton L47-46 12:45pm
12/12	Catasauqua W 47-29 6:45pm
12/15	@ Palisades W 36-16 6:45pm
12/17	E'burg North W 1:00pm
12/19/	Saucon ValleyW 41-27 6:45pm
12/21/	@ Pen Argyl W 45-376:45pm
12/27	@ Wm. Allen W 48-30. 2:30pm

**Bangor Girls (17-5)** 

12/28 @ NDES W 38-9 2:30pm Wilson W 52 - 32 6:45pm 1/5/ N. Lehigh W 47-37 1/7/12:45pm 1/9/ Northwestern L 61-25 6:45pm

@ Salisbury W 42-22 6:45pm 1/12/ 1/17/ 6:45pm @ Wilson W 49-22 @ S. Lehigh W 49-37 6:45pm 1/19/ Moravian W 38-32 1/24/ 6:45pm 6:45pm

1/26/ NDGP. L 37-28 1/28/ Palmerton L 46-25 2/1/ Palisades W 54-34

2/4/ Saucon Valley W 41-40

2/7/ Pen Argyl L 65-40 Bangor Boys (13-9)

12/6/ Moravian W 58-47 6:45pm @ NDGP L 56-22. 6:45pm 12/8/ 12/10 Northampton W 46-39 1:00pm 6:45pm 12/12/ Catasauqua W 58-30 6:45pm 12/15/ Palisades W 36-16 12/17 (a) Pleasant Valley L 7:00pm 12/19/ Saucon Valley L 38-246:45pm 12/21/ Pen Argyl L 45-40 6:45pm 12/27 @ Easton L 47-39 7:30pm 12/27 @ Hatboro L 66-67 1/5/ (a) Wilson W 51-48 1/7/ N. Lehigh W 70-33 1/9/ Northwestern W 60-57 Salisbury W 58-28 1/12/ 1/17/ Wilson L 56-52 S. Lehigh W 50-40 1/19/ 1/24/

TBA 6:45pm 12:45pm 6:45pm 6:45pm 6:45pm 6:45pm 1/20 @ Moravian W 65-56 6:45pm 1/21 6:45pm 1/26/ NDGP L 68-60 12:45pm 1/28/ Palmerton W 56-52 6:45pm Palisades W 65-42 12:45pm Saucon L 47-41

2/1/ 2/4/ 2/7/ Pen Argyl W 56-39 6:45pm **Bangor Wrestling (5-9)** 

L 46-22

North Penn

12/3

L57-15 12/3Abington Pleasant Val. W 45-23 12/312/3 Mariana Acad. W 60-12 12/3 L 58-18 Honesdale 12/7/ Catasauqua L 43-24 7:00pm 12/9/ Palisades L 34-33 7:00pm 12/14/ Saucon Valley L 61-6 7:00pm 12/16/ @Belvidere W 54-247:00pm 12/20/ Wilson W 25-24 7:00pm **TBA** 12/29 @ Trojan Wars **TBA** 12/30/ (a) Trojan Wars 7:00pm 1/4/ Northwestern L 37-30 1/11/ NDGP L 68-0 7:00pm 1/18/

S. Lehigh W 43-19 7:00pm @Coal Cracker 1:45pm @Coal Cracker 9:00am @ Del Val 7:00pm 1/26/ PenArgylL45-29 7:00pm 1/31

#### **High School Varsity Rosters 2022 - 23**

#### **Bangor Boys**

- 5 Marquise Acree
- 14 Nickolas Castelletti
- Alex Farensbach
- 12 Joshua Giaquinto
- 30 Quin Karner
- Ashton Kluska
- Bryan Marmol
- Hunter McShane
- 11 Gavin Nelson
- 54 Cody Quagliato
- 20 Jeremiah Singer
- 23 Ryan Wildrick

#### **Bangor Girls**

- Madyson Escuadro
- Jayleigh Figurski
- 12 Kaylynn Figurski
- Kyleena Gonzalez
- 14 Linzey Hann
- 21 Jade Hendricks
- Caydence McLain
- 10 Jackelin Miller
- 25 Avery Nelson
- 3 Julia Pinter
- 43 Jace Polowy
- Madeline Stout

#### Pen Argyl Wrestling

I CHAIgyl WI	Country				
Ethan Alvarado	215				
Riley Alvarado	172				
Yakup Aybaz	285				
Jonathon D'Alessandro 121					
Luke Dalton	114				
Michael Fuller	133				
Bo Hatesaul	160				
Noah Hillis	160				
Arman Khan	215				
Jace LaBar	121				
Timothy McLain	189				
Aidan McNulty	133				
Parker Reimel	145				
Tyler Scholato	152				
David Sipley	145				
Carter Smith	107				
Landen Smith	152				
Benjamin 2025	114				
Riley Stapp	189				
Riley Waldron	145				
Kody Ward	160				

#### **Pen Argyl Boys**

- 12 Blake Boyer
- 50 Dominic Dauley
- Christian Hershey 21
- Ethan Holland
- 0 Trowne Irwin-Hill
- 10 Chase Kennedy
- 5 Lincoln Kuster
- 33 Jacob Martini
- 32 Jack McLaughlin
- 35 Thomas Mulroy
- 23 Bradley Rissmiller
- 24 Mason Soos
- Damian Tyminski
- Cayden Vishnesky

#### **Pen Argyl Girls**

- Emma Albanese
- 3 Julia Antonioli
- 2 Mckenna Cunningham
- 44 Hailey Frey
- 1 Jasmine Holland
- 22 Macy Kotulka
- Kayla Maggipinto
- Alexandra Marshall 35
- 20 Natosha Morrison
- 21 Jillian Morro
- Kristen O'Brien 10
- 33 Ashlyn Oessenick
- 4 Kylee Uhler
- 12 Julia Vargo
- Ellianna Wallbillich 5
- 32 Grace Weaver
- Callia Wilgus 11
- 42 Katie Wilgus

#### **Pen Argyl Wrestling**

Isaiah Adams

Luca Albanese

Adam Bartholomew Connor Bartholomew

**Hunter Beers** 

Michael Culver

Michael Culver

Rocco DeCesare

Gian Greggo

Kael Grim

Evan Johnson

Kristoffer Kessler

Nuallan King

Aidan Knorr

Brayden Krasnopera

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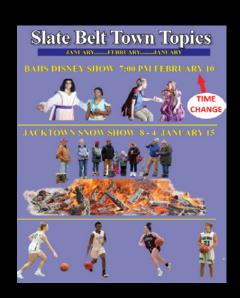
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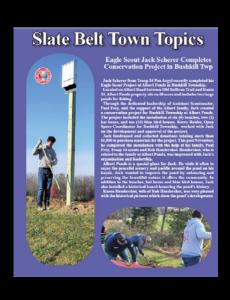
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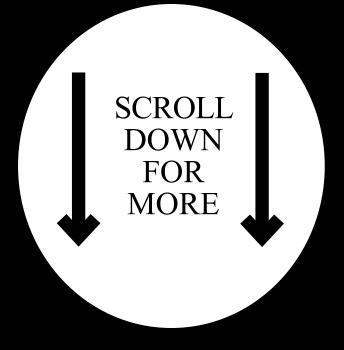
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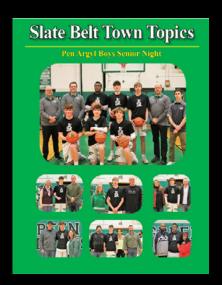


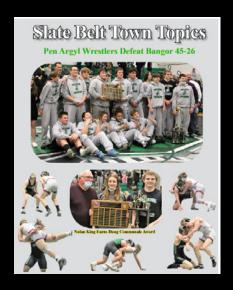












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# TALLER PANTHERS OVERCOME BANGOR SLATERS 47-41



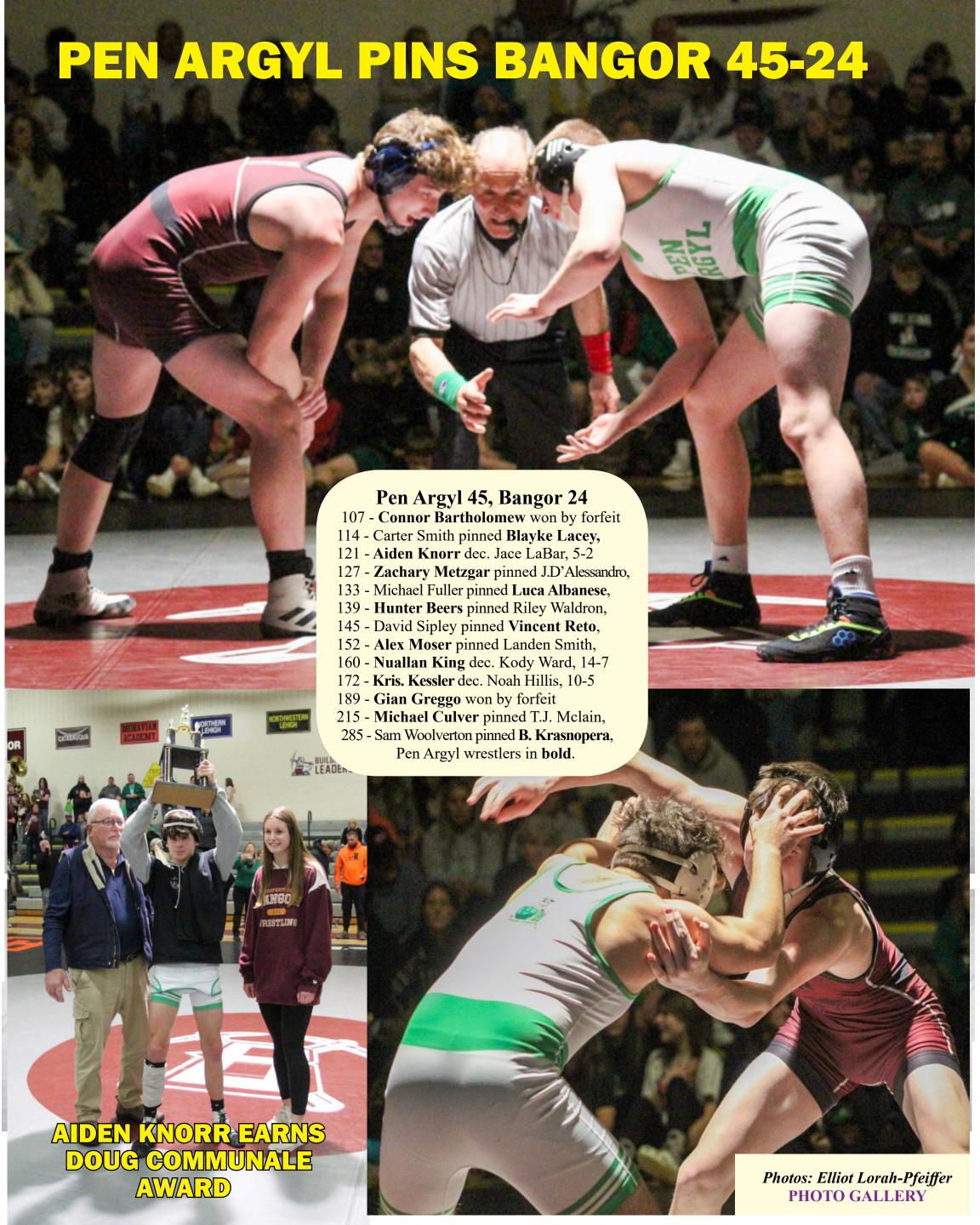


TOP: (L-R) Mike Morris Head Coach, Thomas Mulroy, Chase Hershey, Trowne Irwin-Hill, John Stecz, Assistant Coach BELOW: Emily Stopfer, Haley Lacy, Kalista Weaast, Adrianna Moore, Alivia Flad.

### NELSON'S RECORD SETTING 32 POINTS LEADS BANGOR TO 54-34 WIN











### Pen Argyl (14-4) Scores 61-33 Win over Northern Lehigh on Senior Night and Raises Record to 14-4



The Pen Argyl Girls Basketball team celebrated Senior Night Thursday prior to their game with Northern Lehigh. Pictured: 91-r) Emma Albanese, Andrea Black (Mgr) Hailey Frey, Jill Morro and Kayla Maggipinto. *Photo: Katrina Valente* PHOTO GALLERY







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NEWS TODAY NOT NEXT WEEK



Winners of the Free Throw Competition held Friday night at Immaculate Conception School in Pen Argyl were: Age nine division: Stephen Tvuszowski, Age ten: Conner Beam and Mariah Anema, Age eleven division: Khole Karanikolaou, Age twelve: Jackson Hughes, Age thirteen: Frankie Rowley. *Photo Elliot Lorah-Pfeiffer*.





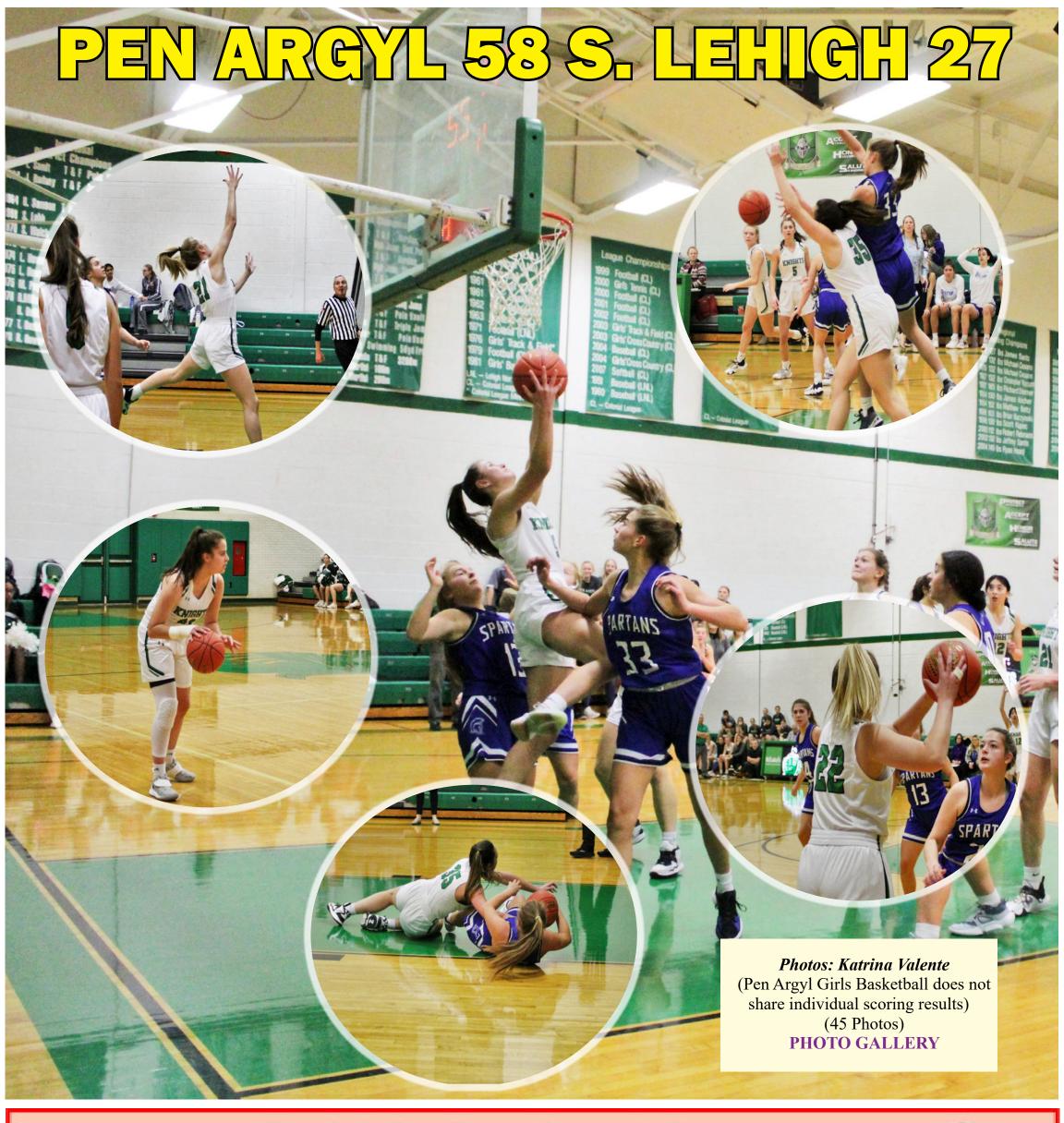






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