

# Slate Belt Town Topics

NEWS TODAY NOT NEXT WEEK

## Summer Fun

### Bangor Pool

Hours: 12-7 Monday - Friday

11-7 Saturday and Sunday

### Weona Park Carousel and Golf

Fridays 3-9

Saturdays, Sundays & July 4 - 1-9

From 9/9 to 10/1 - Saturdays & Sundays 1-8.

### Summer Sounds

Wind Gap 6:00pm July 2

Weona Park 6:00pm June 25

### St. John's Cemetery Appeal

Donations provide revenue for lawn and tree maintenance and snow removal. Please send

Donations to:

St. John's Cemetery  
c/o Carol A. Hummel  
PO Box 9  
Bangor, PA 18013

**Free Firewood  
(Beech & Birch)  
Marsh Lane, Wind Gap  
Call: 610-674-5537**

**June 22, 2023**

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On Wednesday, June 14 Chief Hoadley and Officer Lowe of the Slate Belt Regional Police introduced Zorro to the participants of the Blue Mountain Community Library’s Summer Fun.

# Bangor GFWC Womens Club End-Of-Year Luncheon

The Bangor Womens Club GFWC held the end of year luncheon at TK’s on June 13. Carolyn Smith, President introduced Marie Balson, Chair Veterans Committee. Marie, Betty Josephson and Carolyn Smith are working on a two-year project to make and donate 25 lap robes to area veterans at the Slate Belt Nursing Home. To date they have made 14 sewn and knitted lap robes. In addition, June Hess’s neighbor made and donated 11 crocheted lap robes. GFWC PA Bangor club was organized in 1913 and Federated in 1916. The club will not hold any meetings over the summer, but we’ll be back in September. For information contact Bonnie Due , Membership chair at [dobdue@ptd.net](mailto:dobdue@ptd.net).



(Pictured L-R) Betty Josephson and Marie Balson; June Hess and Marie Balson



FOOD | BEER | WINE & SPIRITS | MUSIC

45 BROADWAY, BANGOR, PA 18013 | THURSDAYS 5 PM - 9 PM



# Preliminary Football Schedules

## Bangor

8/25/	Bangor @ Palisades	7:00pm
9/1/	Bangor @ Jim Thorpe	7:00pm
9/8/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	7:00pm
9/15/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	7:00pm
9/22/	Bangor @ Wilson	7:00pm
9/29/	Pottsville @ Bangor	7:00pm
10/6/	Bangor @ Lehigh	7:00pm
10/13/	Northwestern @ Bangor	7:00pm
10/20/	Bangor @ Blue Mountain	7:00pm
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm



## Pen Argyl

8/26/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/2/	Mahanoy @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/8/	Pen Argyl @ Northern Lehigh	7:00pm
9/16/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/22/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	7:00pm
9/29/	Pen Argyl @ Minersville	7:00pm
10/7/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
10/14/	Schuylkill Haven @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
10/20/	Pen Argyl @ Panther Valley	7:00pm
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm



## Sixth Annual Slate Belt Sprint 5k

The Slate Belt Y 6th Annual Sprint 5K will be held Saturday August 19 starting 8:15 am at 315 W Pennsylvania Ave, Pen Argyl, PA 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.

Register by July 23, 2023 to save! Registration is only \$25 and includes a race t-shirt. Children ages 8-11 can register for the 5k for only \$15 with a participating adult and will receive the same awesome t-shirt. Prices increase on 7/24 and 8/14, sign up early to save!

Children ages 7 and under can participate in the short Kids Fun Run for free. Start times: 7:00 a.m. Day of Registration Opens 8:15 a.m. 5k Run/Walk begins 9:15 a.m. 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



## Food Trucks at Twilight



## JUNE 26: PAT'S PIZZA TRAILER

COME BY THE FLOWERING FOX TO ENJOY DINNER TO GO OR DINE HERE OPEN AIRE STYLE. BRING THE KIDS AND YOUR PUP AND LEAVE THE COOKING TO US

101 S ROBINSON AVE, PARKING LOT BEHIND BUILDING

# Roseto Community Events

## Summer Reading at the Park

June 21, 26  
July 5, 12, 26  
August 2, 9

10:00-11:30

Roseto Ballpark

## Big Time Celebration

July 25-30

## National Night Out

Tuesday, August 1  
5:00-8:00

Roseto Ballpark

## Roseto Community Yard Sale

August 4, 5, 6

## Roseto Helping Hands Bake Sale

Saturday, September 10  
ACE Hardware Capital Plaza

## No Pumpkin Way! It's a Fall Festival! & Tricky Tray

Saturday, September 30  
10:00-3:00

Roseto Ballpark

## Roseto Fall Festival

Saturday, October 14  
6:00-8:00

Roseto Ballpark

## Veterans Day Service

Saturday, November 11  
9:30

Mount Carmel Cemetery  
711 Liberty Ave. Roseto

## Roseto Helping Hands Bingo

Sunday, November 12  
Doors open at 12 and Games begin at 1:00  
American Legion  
143 Garibaldi Ave. Roseto

## Christmas Tree Lighting

Sunday, November 26  
6:00



## Blue Flame Holistic Fair

Blue Flame Events is hosting our first annual Holistic Fair inside the Palmer Park Mall on August 5th from 11AM to 4PM!

We're looking for vendors (holistic & non-holistic) to join us for this unique event. We're also looking for event contributors to participate in mini lectures and demonstrations. They're also looking for sponsors Vendor Cost = \$40 per space.

To request a registration link or sponsorship packages for text Blue Flame Events at (272)-200-8163 or email [blueflameevents@yahoo.com](mailto:blueflameevents@yahoo.com).

<https://facebook.com/events/s/holistic-fair-explore-the-alte/1405325460242023/>

For more unique opportunities by Blue Flame Events check out our website at [www.blueflameevents@yahoo.com](http://www.blueflameevents@yahoo.com)

## Creative Summer Camp

Creative Summer Camp at The Art Den Tuesday, June 20, 2023 At 10 AM Weekly Art Club- Tuesday-Friday 10-1pm (Ages 7-11)

Bring lunch or snack (water provided) for 11:30 PM Each lesson begins with art history, artistic techniques & methods that we will incorporate each in that day's project using different supplies and techniques each week. These lessons are instructor led and designed to develop core skills and techniques to drive your child's passion for the ART! During each week's class your budding artist will make some incredible artwork that they will be proud to hang on the walls!

NO experience necessary. All supplies and instruction included. Registration is required at least 5 days prior to camp!

Please call the studio for information on availability. 610-340-0314

## Red, White & Brewfest

The Red & White Brewfest will be held Riverside Barr Saturday, July 1, 2023 At 6 PM by The Boys of Psych and Chris Moser

Brace yourself for an awe-inspiring fireworks display by the renowned Pyro Joe. Watch as the night sky lights up with a dazzling array of colors, creating a magical atmosphere that will leave you breathless. HUGE bonfire following Fireworks display!

Get ready to rock out! We've lined up an incredible lineup featuring the high-energy performance of PSYCH, joined by the talented special guests, The Buzz, and One Way Back. This incredible lineup of live music will have you on your feet and singing along to your favorite tunes.

Prepare to be blown away by the stage, sound, and lightshow provided by Mystic Mountaintop Productions. Their cutting-edge technology, including a captivating video wall, will elevate the entire experience, immersing you in a visual feast that complements the music perfectly.

Food! Drink Specials - take advantage of our fantastic drink specials throughout the evening. Treat yourself to mouthwatering bites and refreshing beverages, ensuring your energy stays high as you celebrate with friends and loved ones.

Admission: \$10 Discount for Veterans.

## Tracing the Roots of Conflict: the Creation of Israel

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will host their monthly historic presentation on Thursday, July 13, 2023 @ 7:00 PM. Speaker for the evening will be Mr. Marc Blau whose topic will be: 'Tracing the Roots of Conflict: The Creation of Israel'.

Mr. Blau, a former Social Studies teacher at Bangor Area High School, will discuss the events that have created the long-standing volatile conflict that the world has not been able to peacefully untangle. He will take you back to biblical days and follow the problems to the present.

You will leave the talk with a new perspective on the issues occurring in that area. With this program, the Heritage Center is expanding its monthly presentation to include topics of interest outside, as well as inside the Slate Belt. The program 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

BLUE FLAME EVENTS & SLATE BELT RISING PRESENTS

3rd annual

## SHOP-N-STROLL W/ YOUR PUP AT WIND GAP PARK

Join us for a day in the park with  
(or without) your pups!

~Vendors/Crafters (pet and non-pet related)  
Adoptable Dogs ~ Pet Rescues ~ Food Trucks ~  
Music ~ and MORE!

July 8, 2023  
10AM - 3PM

Wind Gap Park  
Located at Corner of  
S. Lehigh Ave. & E. 3rd St.  
Wind Gap, PA

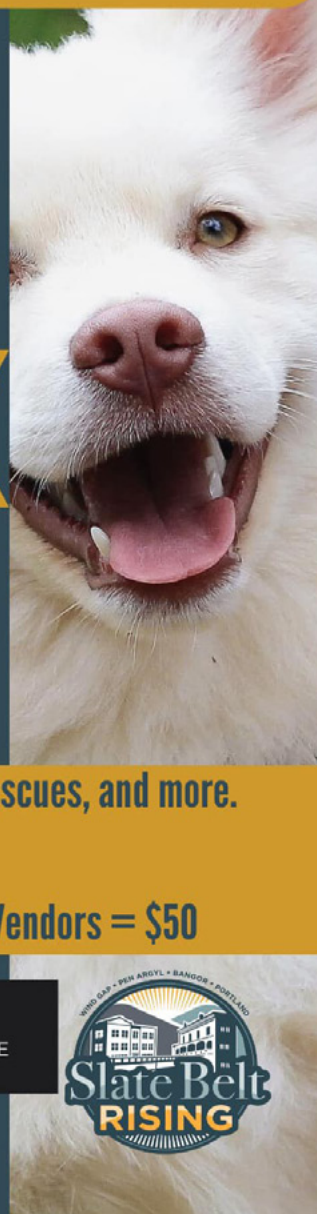
We're looking for vendors/crafters, food vendors, rescues, and more.

To register text (272)-200-8163

Vendors/Crafters = \$40 per 10x10 space - Food Vendors = \$50



SLATE BELT  
PENNSYLVANIA



Nazareth Center for the Arts Presents:

## Creative Writing Club

FOR TEENS  
Ages 13-18

Register at  
[www.nazaretharts.org](http://www.nazaretharts.org)

Four Sessions:  
April 13, May 11,  
June 8, July 13  
6-8 PM

Flash fiction writing with prompt,  
workshop your work in progress,  
and share your work! Learn  
storytelling concepts from  
New York Times Bestselling  
author Kate Moretti





# Summer Sounds 2023 Concerts

## Weona Park

**June 25**

Joyous ...R&B, Soul, Pop, Punk

**July 9**

Riverside Rhythm ... 15+ Big Band instrumental and vocal hits from the 20s - big band era.

**July**

Lost Ramblers .. String Band playing Bluegrass, old time music & more.

**August 6**

Large Flowerheads ...Musical sights and sounds of the groovy 60s

**August 20**

Philadelphia Funk Authority ... More than funk . Party music from the past five decades

All concerts are free, begin at 6 P.M at Wind Gap or Weona Park Band shells, as noted. For Pen Argyl, please watch for notifications (Pen Argyl Borough WEB, Facebook, Nixel, etc.) on any weather-related change of venue or rescheduling of the event.

## Wind Gap

**July 2**

TimeWhys ... Great music of the 60s

**July 16**

Steel Creek ...modern county, some classics and rock n' roll

**July 30**

Joey and the T-Birds ... 50s, 60s Doo Wop

**August 13**

New Individuals ..Oldies 60s and 70s

**August 27**

Last One Standing ... County, Classic Rock and oldies mix.

# De-Stress & Ease Anxiety

*Come out to  
A Clean Slate to  
learn about herbs  
that help ease  
anxiety and stress  
while making your  
very own flavorful  
tea blend.*



## Saturday, July 1

### 2 p.m.

*Class provided by Herbalist  
Nesha Parker*



**\$10 Fee**

*Enjoy a cooling  
and soothing iced  
lavender lemonade or tea.*

*Light snacks provided.*

### A Clean Slate

118 South First St. - Bangor  
Call Greg at 610-452-9348 with  
any questions.



## THURSDAY



30%→60%

### 63-75°

### Cloudy with showers

Another cloudy and cool day with scattered showers. Chances for rain increase after midnight.

Northeast wind around 15 mph.

### FRIDAY



90%

### 71-80°

### SATURDAY



80%

### 75-83°

### SUNDAY



70%

### 76-86°

Rounds of heavy rain and possibly a few thunderstorms Friday and Saturday. Warmer with afternoon highs in the 70s and 80s.

Another round of showers and possibly a few thunderstorms Sunday. Storm system will depart late Sunday, but more wet weather is expected early next week.



NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE  
OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION  
Philadelphia Mount Holly



## Sangria Around the World

The 3rd annual Sangria Around the World Festival is coming on July 15th & July 16th and Blue Flame Events is looking for food vendors that represent food from all around the world! Here are some countries we're still looking for food trucks for, but we're open to others as well!

For this event, Stone Lake Winery will be making homemade sangrias that will be paired with the different foods from around the globe! Spaces are filling up fast so be sure to register today!

They are also looking for unique vendors & crafters to join them. This is an outdoor event and spaces are 10x10. Spaces for vendors & crafters are VERY limited! To register text (272)-200-8163.

**BLUE VALLEY FARM SHOW YOUTH ADVISORY**

# ALL MOTOR SHOW!

**Cow Chip Bingo** **Tricky Tray**

## BLUE VALLEY FARM SHOW GROUNDS

JUNE 25TH 12PM-4PM


# YOGA CLASS

With  
*Registered Yoga Teacher  
Becky Gillen* **200 Hour RYT!**

## Tuesdays

### 8 - 8:45 PM

**\$8 Suggested  
Donation Per Class**



**118 South First Street - Bangor - 610-452-9348**  
**greg@cleanslatebangor.org**

## Come to Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup

Come to Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup at Wind Gap Park Saturday, July 8, 2017  
At 10 Am - 3 Pm

Join them for the 3rd annual Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup at Wind Gap Park! Bring the pup out for a day of fun! No pup? That's okay! We will have pet rescues joining us with their adoptable pups!

There will be vendors/crafters (pet and non-pet related) to shop with, adoptable dogs, pet rescues, food trucks, music, and more!

Pup cooling stations will be set up throughout the event. There are also shaded areas for you and your pup to get out of the sun

## Pen Argyl Yard Sales

Pen Argyl Community Yard Sales - No permit needed. June 9th - 11th & September 15th - 17th.

## LMBT Seeks Car Show Vendors

Lower Mt Bethel Sandt's Eddy Fire Company is hosting their annual Car, Truck & Tractor Show on October 22nd from 10AM to 3PM.

Blue Flame Events is now looking for vendors and crafters to join us for this fantastic event! To request a registration simply text (272)-200-8163 or email blueflameevents@yahoo.com! Cost is \$40 per outdoor 10x10 space.

**Text Scores of Your Games to  
570-688-3724**

# BANGOR FARMERS' MARKET



**WEDNESDAY EVENINGS 4PM-8PM**

**BEGINNING JULY 12TH AND CONTINUING  
THROUGH OCTOBER (WEATHER PERMITTING)**

**FRESH MEATS, PRODUCE, SOAPS, BAKED GOODS AND MORE!**  
**LOCATED ON BROADWAY IN BANGOR, PA. 18013**

**SHOP THE MARKET AND OUR MANY DOWNTOWN BANGOR  
STORES. GRAB A BITE TO EAT AT ONE OF OUR  
RESTAURANTS, PUBS, OR WINERIES**



**FOR VENDOR FORMS**

**EMAIL BANGORMARKETING@JANELLCONNOLLY.COM**



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[sbtopics@rcn.com](mailto:sbtopics@rcn.com)

June 22 2023

[www.sbtopics.com](http://www.sbtopics.com)

## Slate Belt 7-Day Weather Forecast

**Mostly Cloudy, Showers 64 Today**

**Cloudy Showers 76 Friday**

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

**Today,** Showers, mainly before 1pm. High near 64. Northeast wind 10 to 15 mph. Chance of precipitation is 80%. New precipitation less than a tenth of an inch possible.

**Tonight,** Showers likely, mainly after 3am. Cloudy, with a low around 60. Northeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60%. New precipitation amounts between a tenth and quarter of an inch possible.

**Friday,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm. High near 76. East wind 5 to 10 mph becoming southeast in the afternoon. Chance of precipitation is 90%. New rainfall amounts between a half and three quarters of an inch possible.

**Friday Night,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm. Low around 66. South wind around 5 mph. Chance of precipitation is 80%. New rainfall amounts between a quarter and half of an inch possible.

**Saturday,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm. High near 78. South wind around 5 mph. Chance of precipitation is 90%. New rainfall amounts between a quarter and half of an inch possible.

**Saturday Night,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm before 8pm, then a chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly between 8pm and 2am. Low around 64. Chance of precipitation is 80%. New rainfall amounts between a tenth and quarter of an inch, except higher amounts possible in thunderstorms.

**Sunday,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm, mainly after 2pm. High near 82. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Sunday Night,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm before 8pm, then a chance of showers between 8pm and 2am. Low around 65. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Monday,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm, mainly after 2pm. High near 83. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Monday Night,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm before 8pm, then showers likely. Low around 64. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Tuesday,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm. High near 77. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Tuesday Night,** Showers and possibly a thunderstorm. Low around 60. Chance of precipitation is 80%.

**Wednesday,** Showers likely.

**CURRENT WEATHER**  
Updated  
Every 2 Minutes  
Temperature  
Wind, Rain  
MORE  
[CLICK HERE](#)

## Special Events

### **PUBLISH YOUR EVENT**

To publish info about your event, e-mail [sbtopics@rcn.com](mailto:sbtopics@rcn.com) Please send in text form. Do not send photos of text.

**June 22**

### **Jacobsburg Weekly Weeders**

Thursday, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 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. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>

**June 24**

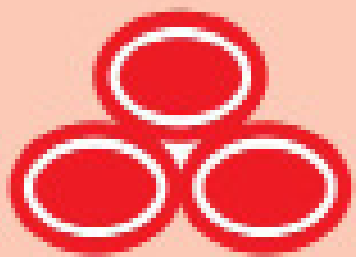
### **Swing at the Stand**

Swing at the Stand will be held on Saturday, June 24th, 2:00-?? at Weona Park, Rt. 512, Pen Argyl. Listen and dance to the Oldies, and share time and memories with friends. (Please bring your own beverage, a finger food to share, and lawn chair.). Everyone is welcome...RAIN OR SHINE!

### **WWII Living History & Salute To All Veterans**

Saturday & Sunday June 24 & 25, 2023  
10 am-4pm Tour Allied and German Camps, Period Military Displays and Vehicles, a Weapons Demonstrations. WWII Vendors, Food Truck. Historic Buildings and Museums open for tours

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**State Farm**

**Debbie Pettinari Agency**  
106 S. Broadway, Wind Gap, PA  
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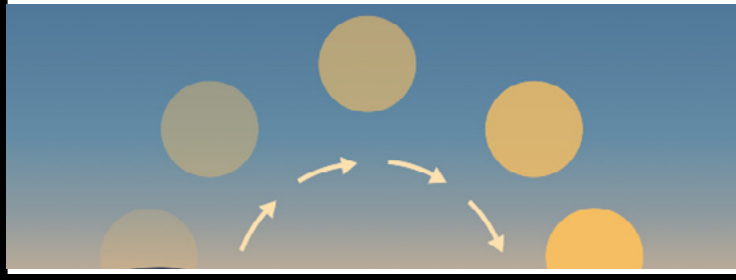
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# SLATE BELT WEATHER AND YOU

<div>Temperature</div> <div>(Today's Forecast</div> <div>HighLow</div> <div>6460</div> <div>Daily Average Temps</div> <div>8260</div>	<div>COPD</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>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.</div>	<div>Asthma Index</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>Combination of weather factors that can trigger asthma. A higher index mean more people w/asthma could be affected by temperature and allergens.</div>
<div>Sinus Headache</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>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.</div>	<div>Migraine Headache</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>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.</div>	<div>Common Cold</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>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.</div>
<div>Air Quality</div> <div>AM Reading→</div> <div>Columbia N.J -11</div> <div>Bethlehem - 26</div> <div>Allentown - 23</div> <div>Monroe - 25</div> <div>Good 0-50</div> <div>Moderate (51-100)</div> <div>Bad for Some (101-150)</div> <div>Very Bad 150+</div>	<div>Arthritis Index</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>Scale of 0-10 with 0 indicating a very low risk of weather-related arthritis pain, and 10 indicating the highest chance of pain.</div>	<div>Cooling Degree Days</div> <div>YesterdaySeason</div> <div>0180</div> <div>Used to track energy use. Add the daily high and low temperatures, divide by 2 and add 65 to calculate heating degree days.</div>
<div>Rainfall/Snowfall</div> <div>RainSnow</div> <div>Recent - .00Recent - 0.0</div> <div>Month - 1.71Month - 0.0</div> <div>Year - 19.00Season - 10.50</div>	<div>UV Index</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12</div> <div>↑</div> <div>No Risk - Today</div> <div>(Ultra Violet Rays) Lower number indicates low risk of harm from unprotected sun exposure, higher numbers indicate greater risk</div>	<div>Heating Degree Days</div> <div>YesterdaySeason</div> <div>35165</div> <div>Used to track energy use. Add the daily high and low temperatures, divide by 2 and subtract 65 to calculate heating degree days.</div>
<div>Sun</div> <div>SunriseSunset</div> <div>5:29 AM8:36 PM</div> <div></div>	<div>Pollen-Allergy Forecast</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12</div> <div>↑</div> <div>Top Allergens - Grasses, Dock, Plantain</div> <div>Scale of 0-12 with zero indicating the least potential allergy and 12 the most. Most prevalent allergen is Ragweed</div>	<div>Flu Index</div> <div>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10</div> <div>↑</div> <div>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</div>



# Bangor Library - New Books

## Adult Fiction

The Wind Knows My Name: A Novel by Isabel Allende  
The Whispers by Ashley Audrain  
Unfortunately Yours: A Novel by Tessa Bailey  
Clive Cussler Fire Strike: A Novel of the Oregon Files by Mike Maden  
The Paris Daughter by Kristin Harmel  
The Survivor by Iris Johansen  
Cross Down by James Patterson  
Lady Tan's Circle of Women: A Novel by Lisa See  
Cassandra in Reverse by Holly Smale  
Near Miss by Stuart Woods

## Adult Nonfiction

Pageboy: A Memoir by Elliot Page

## Easy Fiction

We are Going to be Pals! by Mark Teague  
Bitsy Bat, School Star by Kaz Windness

## Junior Fiction

Greenwild: The World Behind the Door by Pari Thomson

## Young Adult Fiction

Lore Olympus Volume Four by Rachel Smythe

## DVDs

The Handmaid's Tale Season Five

# Blue Mountain Library - New Books

## Adult Fiction:

A Chance Inheritance, Carolyn Brown  
An Amish Forever Home, Amy Grochowski  
The Book Club on Waverly Lane, Rachel Hanna  
Code Name Sapphire, Pam Jenoff  
The Greedy Three, Karen Katchur  
The Mitford Affair, Marie Benedict  
The Villa, Rachel Hawkins  
The Sunshine Girls, Molly Fader  
Unnatural History, Jonathan Kellerman  
Someone Else's Shoes, Jojo Moyes  
The Little Wartime Library, Kate Thompson  
The Personal Assistant, Kimberly Belle  
Just The Nicest Couple, Mary Kubica  
The Amish Mother's Secret, Diane Craver

## Large Print:

Tick Tock, Fern Michaels

## Adult Non-fiction:

Head On, Larry Csonka  
Running in Trauma Stilettos, Whitney Lyn Allen  
Spare, Prince Harry, Duke of Sussex  
Walk The Blue Line, James Patterson

## Fundraiser

The Blue Mountain Community Library will hold a Fundraiser at The Scorecard, 130 N. Broadway, Wind Gap, PA on Tuesday, July 27 from 11:30 am to closing. The Scorecard will generously donate a portion of all food sales that day to the Library in Pen Argyl. The Fundraiser will include Dine-In or Take-Out orders. Please consider supporting YOUR library by enjoying good food from The Scorecard that day. The money will be used to purchase new books, meet the many expenses associated with maintaining the library and for programs offered to the public. Membership is free to all residents in the Pen Argyl School District and non-residents may join for a small yearly fee. For information, call 610-863-3029 or visit [www.bmcl.org](http://www.bmcl.org). Find us on Facebook and Instagram.

## Summer Program

The Blue Mountain Community Library Summer Program will be held at the Plainfield Municipal Building on Wednesday, June 14 and Wednesday, June 28. On June 14, the children will tour the headquarters of the Slate Belt Regional Police and meet their new police dog. On June 28, the children will participate in a rock painting activity. Children will also listen to stories along with the activity. The programs are free and designed for children ages 4 through 9. They will begin at 10:30 am. Membership in the BMCL is not needed to participate, however, registration is required for all. Please call the library at 610-863-3029 during operating hours


## Cookbooks in the Book Nook

Do you like to cook or collect cookbooks? If so, stop into the Blue Mt. Community Library, located at 216 S. Robinson Ave. Pen Argyl and browse through the Book Nook.

Along with many adult and children's gently used books and puzzles, there is a large collection of cookbooks available to purchase. The library is open M-Sa, 10:00 am to Noon, and M & Th 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

Membership is not needed to purchase items in the Book Nook, but is free to all residents of the Pen Argyl Area School District. Nonresidents may join for a small yearly fee.

The library also has Pen Argyl yearbooks available to buy. Call 610-863-3029 or visit our Facebook page or website at [www.bmcl.org](http://www.bmcl.org) for information about the library



Adults need 7 or  
more hours of  
sleep each night!



In 2021,  
**29%** of students  
experienced poor  
mental health and

**42%** felt persistently  
sad or hopeless.





# KLINE'S AUTO REPAIR

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# Daily Schedule

## Thursday June 22

Bingo - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 7pm.

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

UMBT Planning Commission - Township Building, 7:30pm

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

## Friday June 23

Bingo - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 7pm.

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

UMBT Planning Commission - Township Building, 7:30pm

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

## Saturday June 24

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 June 25

Fellowship Dinner - First UMC Bangor, 12:30-1:30.

Portland Sunday Sundaes - 6:30 - 8:00pm (Summer only)

Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.

Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2

## Monday June 26

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

Bangor Borough Council - Workshop, Bee Hive, 7:00pm

Pump - 8:30-11:30

UMBT Supervisors - 7pm

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

## Tuesday June 27

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

Washington Twp. Recreation - 7pm

Roseto Zoning - 7pm

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

UMBT Zoning - 7pm Room, 7pm

## Wednesday June 28

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 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show

Washington Township Supervisors Meet - Municipal Building, 3:30pm.

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

Plainfield Zoning - 6:30pm

UMBT Open Space Advisory .... 7pm

## Thursday June 29

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

Bangor Public Library - Open 10-8

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

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

Pen Argyl Council Workshop - 7pm

Plainfield Supervisors - 7pm

Plainfield Twp Fire Co. Bingo - 6:30pm

## Friday June 30

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 June 31

Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12

Bangor Public Library - Open 10-4

Slate Belt YMCA - 8-4

Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3



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# Daily Schedule

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

## Saturday July 1

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

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

**Mission of Love Soup Kitchen** -  
N. Main St., Bangor. 11-2

**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 July 2

**Fellowship Dinner** - East Bangor  
UMC, 4-6.

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

**Slate Belt YMCA** - 10-2

**All-You-Can Eat Breakfast** -  
Bangor Elks 8-12pm. Adults \$10.  
Kid 6-12 \$6. Under 6 - Free.

## Monday July 3

**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 Committee** -  
4:30 P.M. Council Chambers

**Pen Argyl Municipal Authority** -  
5:00 P.M. Council Chambers

**Washington Township Zoning  
Board** - Municipal Building, 6:30  
pm.

**Roseto Borough Council** -  
Municipal Building, 7:30pm **Lower  
Mount Bethel Supervisors** - Meets  
Centerfield Building, 7pm

**Portland Borough Council** -  
Borough Hall, 7:00pm

**Pen Argyl Council** - 7pm  
**Pen Argyl GFWC** - St. John ,  
Pen Argyl, 7pm  
**Slate Belt YMCA** - Open 6:00am  
- 8:00pm  
**Pump** - 8:30-11:30  
**Weona Park Pals** - 7pm  
**Wind Gap Boro Council** - 7pm

## Tuesday July 4

### INDEPENDENCE DAY

## Wednesday July 5

**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 July 6

**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  
**Plainfield Environmental Advisory  
Board** - Municipal Building,

7:00pm

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

**Wind Gap Planning** - 7pm

## Friday July 7

**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 July 8

**Blue Mountain Library** - 10-12

**Bangor Public Library** - 10-4

**Columille 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 July 9

**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 July 10

**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 July 11

**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 July 12

**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 July 13

**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

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# **SPECIAL EVENTS CONTINUED**

## **County Garden Club**

The Monroe County Garden Club will present it's popular Garden Tour of local beautiful gardens on Saturday, June 24 from 10-4.

Tickets may be purchased in advance at Stonewall Garden Center, Rt 447 Canadensis; Ross & Ross Nursery, 5801 Paradise Valley Rd, Cresco; and The Potting Shed, 931 Ann St., Stroudsburg.

Tickets may be purchased the day of the tour at Bryant Park, Stroudsburg. Tickets cost \$5 for Club members, \$10 for the general public. You will receive your list of gardens and addresses at Bryant Street Park, Stroudsburg.

For more info, please contact Ellen Phraner, 570-352-2472 or [ellen.phraner@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.phraner@gmail.com),

The Monroe County Garden Club is a member of District II/III of the Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania, and the profits will be used to fund scholarships for high school students who wish to pursue continuing education in the field of gardening and conservation

**June 25**

## **Free Ice Cream**

The Portland Community Events Committee invites the community our for FREE ice cream. You'll find the ice cream cart and committee members at the Portland Park and Walk in downtown Portland..

**June 28**

## **Watershed Educator Workshop – Field Day**

Wednesday, June 28 at 8:00am to 5:00pm

Educators with any certification for grades 6-12 are invited to join us for an introduction to the Bureau of State Parks' Watershed Education Curriculum to discover lessons and resources that can be used to teach cross-curricular, inquiry-based lessons in the classroom that will prepare students for an optional field experience at a stream. A fee of \$15.00 may be paid in advance or at the beginning of the in-person portion of the workshop. Exact cash, checks made out to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and credit cards are accepted. The in-person field day, held at Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center, will provide the opportunity to practice inquiry-based teaching techniques while using State Parks' Watershed Education Curriculum and lessons as a guide. Teachers will receive the curriculum and supplemental materials to ensure confidence while teaching Watershed Education with an emphasis on PA STEELS! You MUST attend one virtual meeting AND the field day to be awarded 14 Act 48 Hours. Register for both the virtual meeting and field day separately on DCNR's calendar of events.

**June 29**

## **Jacobsburg Weekly Weeders**

Thursday, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 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. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>

**July 1**

## **Red, White & Brewfest**

The Red & White Brewfest will be held at Riverside Barr Saturday, July 1, 2023 At 6 Pm by The Boys of Psych and Chris Moser

Brace yourself for an awe-inspiring fireworks display by the renowned Pyro Joe. Watch as the night sky lights up with a dazzling array of colors, creating a magical atmosphere that will leave you breathless. HUGE bonfire following Fireworks display!

Get ready to rock out! We've lined up an incredible lineup featuring the high-energy performance of PSYCH, joined by the talented special guests, The Buzz, and One Way Back. this incredible lineup of live music will have you on your feet and singing along to your favorite tunes.

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Food! Drink Specials - take advantage of our fantastic drink specials throughout the evening. Treat yourself to mouthwatering bites and refreshing beverages, ensuring your energy stays high as you celebrate with friends and loved ones.

**July 2**

## **Free Dinner**

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church welcomes you to a FREE "Beef BBQ Picnic" Dinner on Sunday, July 2nd from 4:00-4:30 p.m. This is TAKE-OUT ONLY. The church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA Questions? call 610-588-4453 or visit [www.ebumc.org](http://www.ebumc.org).

**July 8**

## **Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup**

Come to Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup at Wind Gap Park Saturday, July 8, 20 At 10 Am – 3 Pm

Join them for the 3rd annual Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup at Wind Gap Park! Bring the pup out for a day of fun! No pup? That's okay! We will have pet rescues joining us with their adoptable pups!

There will be vendors/crafters (pet and non-pet related) to shop with, adoptable dogs, pet rescues, food trucks, music, and more!

Pup cooling stations will be set up throughout the event. There are also shaded areas for you and



your pup to get out of the sun

## Car Show

Washington Twp. 2nd annual Auto Show is set for 9-2 July 8. New this year is a flea market s.

**July 13**

## Tracing the Roots of Conflict: the Creation of Israel

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will host their monthly historic presentation on Thursday, July 13, 2023 @ 7:00 PM. Speaker for the evening will be Mr. Marc Blau whose topic will be: ‘Tracing the Roots of Conflict: The Creation of Israel’.

Mr. Blau, a former Social Studies teacher at Bangor Area High School, will discuss the events that has created the long-standing volatile conflict that the world has not been able to peacefully untangle. He will take you back to biblical days and follow the problems to the present.

You will leave the talk with a new perspective on the issues occurring in that area. With this program, the Heritage Center is expanding its monthly presentation to include topics of interest outside, as well as inside the Slate Belt. The program is free and open to the public. The Heritage Center is located at 30 North 1st Street, Bangor, PA.

For additional information please contact: Karen Brewer @ 484-894-5661

**July 15**

## BAHS Class of 1963

Bangor High School Class of 1963 is going to hold their 60th reunion at the ScoreCard in Wind Gap on Saturday, July 15, 2023. They don’t have all the details ironed out yet, but I will follow up with that at a later date.

**July 15-16**

## Sangria Festival

Blue Flame Events is looking for unique food trucks as well as vendors and crafters to join them for the 3rd annual Sangria Around the World Festival at Stone Lake Inn, located in Saylorsburg July 15 & 16..

To register, text (272)-200-8163. Spaces are \$40 for an outdoor 10x10 space. Food vendors are \$75 per space.

<https://fb.me/e/0E93K77?mibextid=RQdjQZ>

For more upcoming events check out our website at [www.blueflameevents.co!](http://www.blueflameevents.co!)

**July 8**

## Shop-N-Stroll w/ Your Pup

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**July 22**

## Summer of Pride

Please join us on July 22, 2023 from 12-6pm to celebrate “Summer of Pride” we are joining in with Pocono Pride and Lehigh Valley Pride this year for the first annual Slate Belt Pride Fest. They are doing this to bring awareness, to educate and to build a better and stronger community. Please see our flyer below.

They are also looking for sponsorships, vendors and entertainment. So if you would like to join in all the fun that we are bringing please reach out to Marc Royal personally.

**August 19**

## Sixth Annual Slate Belt Sprint 5k

The Slate Belt Y 6th Annual Sprint 5K will be held Saturday August 19 starting 8:15 am at 315 W Pennsylvania Ave, Pen Argyl, PA 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.

Register by July 23, 2023 to save! Registration is only \$25 and includes a race t-shirt. Children ages 8-11 can register for the 5k for only \$15 with a participating adult and will receive the same awesome t-shirt. Prices increase on 7/24 and 8/14, sign up early to save!

Children ages 7 and under can participate in the short Kids Fun Run for free. Start times: 7:00 a.m. Day of Registration Opens 8:15 a.m. 5k Run/Walk begins 9:15 a.m. 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

**August 5**

## Holistic Fair

Blue Flame Events is hosting our first annual Holistic Fair inside the Palmer Park Mall on August 5th from 11AM to 4PM!

We’re looking for vendors (holistic & non-holistic) to join us for this unique event. We’re also looking for event contributors to participate in mini lectures and demonstrations. We’re also looking for sponsors for this fantastic event!

Vendor Cost = \$40 per space.

To request a registration link or sponsorship packages for this event text Blue Flame Events at (272)-200-8163 or email [blueflameevents@yahoo.com](mailto:blueflameevents@yahoo.com).

<https://facebook.com/events/s/holistic-fair-explore-the-alte/1405325460242023/>

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**August 26**

## Delaware Riverfest

Delaware Riverfest 422 Delaware Avenue, Portland, Saturday, August 26, 2023 at 10 am by Blue Flame Events

Enjoy the day along the Delaware River shopping w/ vendors, food trucks, drinks, music, and more!

**September 15-17**

## Pen Argyl Yard Sales

Pen Argyl Community Yard Sales - No permit needed. September 15th – 17th.

**Sept 30 - Oct 1**

## Revolutionary War Weekend

Saturday & Sunday September 30, 2023 October 1, 2023 Revolutionary War Encampment, Marching Drills, Life, Makers, Merchants. Blt-ish Encampment, Skirmishes. Food Truck, Historic Buildings and Museums open for tours Saturday 10-am 4pm and Sunday 12pm - 4pm

**October 15**

## Craft Fair

The Washington Twp. Fire Co. Fall Craft Fair is on October 15th, 2023 from 10am to 4pm.

Spaces are \$30 for (1) 10ft x 10ft space or \$50 for (2) 10ft x 10ft spaces. Please note that all spaces are outdoors and that this is a rain or shine event. Vendors are also required to bring their own tables, chairs, and coverings. All of this plus other information is listed on the application. Also, previous Vendors/Crafters will not be able to request their spot locations from last year’s events.

Please email us at [craft.wtvfc@gmail.com](mailto:craft.wtvfc@gmail.com) or call Aundrea at 610-984-7101 to request an application.

Please also remember that we only accept paper applications with cash or check. No one should be asking you to pay online with a credit card.

**Oct 29,30**

## Market Faire Rendezvous Living History Weekend

Saturday & Sunday, October 29 & 30, 2023

Fur Trade Era Encampment and 18th c. Market Faire. Early American Arts & Crafts, exhibits and demonstrations. Open Hearth Cooking.. Food truck. Historic Buildings and Museums open for tours. Saturday 10-4 pm and Sunday 12pm - 4pm



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404 Broadway Bangor (610-588-20)

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

Sunday worship 10:30am

Sunday School: 10:15 - 11:30

Holy Communion: First and Third Sundays

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## East Bangor UMC

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

June 17- A.A Meeting 8pm

June 18- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

June 18- Adult Sunday School

(Live & on Zoom) 10:45 Fellowship Hour

(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)

June 18

9:00 am Holy Communion,

## Flicksville UCC

1337 Lower South Main St., Bangor

Pastor Ken Hess 610-588-4648

[www.flicksvilleucc.com](http://www.flicksvilleucc.com)

Worship at 10:00am

## Christ Presbyterian Church of The Slate Belt

332 Kennedy Drive, Bangor

[www.christpsb.org](http://www.christpsb.org)

More info 610-588-4864.

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

Sunday Worship, 10:00 a.m.

in-person/Zoom/Facebook Live.

For more info: 610-588-4864.

## Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church

703 South Delaware Drive Mt. Bethel,  
18343

<http://www.celepa.org/>

Email: [celepaorg@yahoo.com](mailto:celepaorg@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](mailto:richmondumc@epix.net)

Sunday Worship - Weekly at 10:00 a.m.

## First United Methodist Church of Bangor

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55 North Third Street, Bangor PA

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[popbangor.org](http://popbangor.org)

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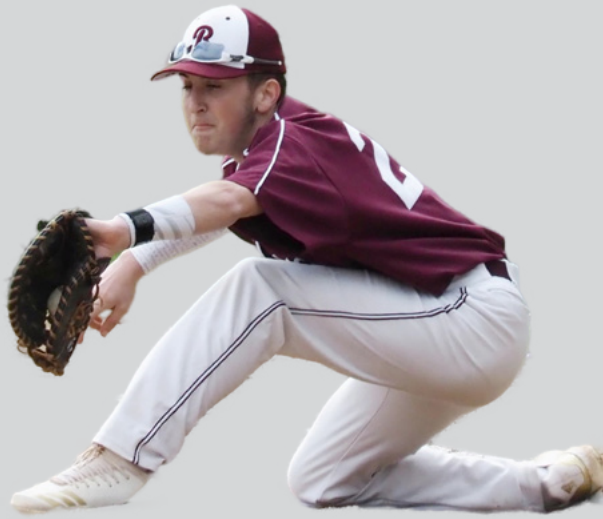
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# Slate Belt Town Topics Sports





# 20 Sports Schedule

## Bangor Baseball (20-2)

(H) 03/17/ 4:00 PM vs East Stroudsburg S. W 4-0  
(H) 03/22/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades W 9-7  
(A) 03/24/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area W 8-6  
(A) 03/28/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame GP W 14-1  
(H) 03/30/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley W 4-3  
(A) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Northwestern W 19-1  
(H) 04/04/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian Academy W 11-0  
(A) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury W 12-10  
(H) 04/14/ 4:00 PM vs Catasauqua W 12-2  
(A) 04/15/ 11:00 AM vs Nazareth Area L 4-3  
(A) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Pen Argyl Area W 10-0  
(A) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Northern Lehigh W 14-3  
(H) 04/20/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton Area W 4-3  
(A) 04/22/ 11:00 AM vs Southern Lehigh W 10-2  
(A) 04/24/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades W 10-0  
(H) 04/25/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area W 11-4  
(A) 04/28/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian Academy W 10-4  
(H) 05/03/ 7:00 PM vs NDGP W 2-0  
(A) 05/04/ 4:15 PM vs Saucon Valley L 2-0  
(H) 05/08/ 7:00 PM vs Pen Argyl Area W 10-0  
(A) 05/15/ 4:00 PM vs Northwestern W 7-6  
(A) 05/18/ 3:35 PM Saucon Valley W 7-5

## Bangor Boys (3-4) Girls Track (3-4)

H) 03/21/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades  
Boys L 71-70 Girls L 92-53  
(A) 03/28/ 3:30 PM vs Catasauqua HS  
Boys W 83-58 Girls W 75-71  
(H) 04/04/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame G.P.  
Girls L 110-40 Boys L 82-67  
(A) 04/11/ 3:30 PM vs Pen Argyl  
Boys W 93-57 Girls W 104-43  
(A) 04/11/ 3:30 PM vs Palmerton  
Boys W 105-45 Girls L 103-46  
(H) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Southern Lehigh  
(H) 04/25/ 4:00 PM vs Multiple Opponents  
Boys 1-1 Girls 1-1  
(H) 05/02/ 4:00 PM vs Multiple Opponents

## Bangor Softball (11-10)

(A) 03/17/ 4:00 PM vs Freedom L 5-2  
(H) 03/22/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades L 4-1  
(A) 03/24/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area W 9-7  
(A) 03/28/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame G.P. W 9-3  
(H) 03/30/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley W 14-3  
(A) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Northwestern Lehigh L 9-5  
(A) 04/06/ 4:00 PM vs Easton Area L  
(A) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury W 22-10  
(H) 04/14/ 4:00 PM vs Catasauqua W 6-1  
(A) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Pen Argyl Area L 2-1  
(A) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Northern Lehigh W 11-10  
(H) 04/20/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton Area W 3-1  
(A) 04/22/ 5:00 PM vs S. Lehigh W 20-10  
(A) 04/24/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades L 5-3  
(H) 04/25/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area W 19-17  
(A) 04/28/ 4:00 PM vs Northampton Area L 9-0  
(H) 05/02/ 4:00 PM vs NDGP W 15-3  
(A) 05/04/ 4:15 PM vs Saucon Valley W  
(A) 05/06/ 12:30 PM vs Nazareth Area L 6-0  
(H) 05/08/ 4:00 PM vs Pen Argyl Area L 6-2  
Palmerton L 9-1)  
Pocono Mt. East

## Bangor Tennis (9-7)

(A) 03/18/ 10:00 AM vs Northampton Area 3 - 4 L  
(H) 03/20/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area 5 - 0 W  
(H) 03/21/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame - 4 - 1 W  
(H) 03/24/ 4:00 PM vs Jim Thorpe Area W 5-0  
(A) 03/28/ 3:30 PM vs Whitehall W 3-2  
(A) 03/29/ 4:00 PM vs Southern Lehigh L 4-1  
(A) 03/30/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury W 4-1  
(H) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame G.P. W 5-0  
(A) 04/04/ 3:30 PM vs Stroudsburg L 4-2  
(H) 04/05/ 3:30 PM vs Easton Area L 5-2  
(H) 04/10/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley L 5-0  
(A) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian Academy W 5-0  
(H) 04/13/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton W 3-2  
(H) 04/14/ 3:30 PM vs Nazareth Area L 7-0  
(A) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Pen Argyl Area W 5-0  
(H) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades W 3-2



## **Pen Argyl Baseball (7-12)**

(H) 03/22/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area L 4-3  
(A) 03/24/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian W 12-2  
(H) 03/27/ 11:00 AM vs Notre Dame W 12-11.  
(A) 03/28/ 4:15 PM vs Saucon Valley L 12-0  
(H) 03/30/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame E.S. W 14-5  
(A) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades W 6-0  
(A) 04/05/ 4:15 PM vs Northwestern L 12-2  
(A) 04/06/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian W 12-2  
(H) 04/10/ 4:00 PM vs Catasauqua W 14-13  
(A) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Northern Lehigh L 22-16  
(H) 04/14/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton Area L 8-3  
(H) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Bangor Area L 10-0  
(H) 04/20/ 4:00 PM vs Southern Lehigh L 11-8  
(H) 04/22/ 11:00 AM vs Palisades W 11-4  
(A) 04/24/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area L 7-3  
(H) 04/26/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian Academy L 11-0  
(A) 04/27/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame G.P. L 9-8  
(A) 04/29/ 2:00 PM vs Lehigh Area  
(H) 05/06/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley L 14-5  
(A) 05/04/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury W 7-4  
(A) 05/08/ 7:00 PM vs Bangor Area L 10-0

## **Pen Argyl Softball(16-4)**

(H) 03/18/ 11:00 AM vs ESS W 5-3  
(H) 03/22/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area L 3-2  
(A) 03/28/ 4:15 PM vs Saucon Valley HS W 3-0  
(A) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades HS W 3-1  
(A) Notre Dame W 6-5  
(H) 04/10/ 4:00 PM vs Catasauqua HS W 9-3  
(A) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Northern Lehigh W 7-1  
(H) 04/14/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton Area L 13-0  
(H) 04/15/ 11:00 AM vs Pocono Mt East W 7-5  
(H) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Bangor Area W 2-1  
(A) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Northwestern Lehigh W 8-6  
(H) 04/20/ 4:00 PM vs Southern Lehigh W 4-2  
(H) 04/22/ 3:00 PM vs Palisades L 8-0  
A) 04/24/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area HS W 12-2  
(A) 04/27/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame G.P. W 5-1  
(A) 04/29/ 2:00 PM vs Lehigh ???  
(H) 05/02/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley W 10-2  
(A) 05/04/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury W 9-1  
(A) 05/08/ 4:00 PM vs Bangor Area W 6-2  
Stroudsburg W 7-1  
Northern Lehigh (L) 4-3.

## **Pen Argyl Boys (1-3) Girls (0-4) Track**

(H) Northern Lehigh  
Boys W 82-50 Girls L 101 - 47  
(A) 03/28/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley  
Boys L Girls L  
(H) 04/04/ 3:30 PM vs Southern Lehigh  
Girls L 127- Boys L 191-49  
(H) 04/11/ 3:30 PM vs Bangor  
Boys L Girls L  
(H) 04/11/ 3:30 PM vs Palmerton  
Boys L 99-51 Girls L 115-35  
(H) 04/18/ 3:30 PM vs Multiple Opponents  
(A) 04/25/ 4:00 PM Salisbury Home Meet Palisades  
(A) 05/02/ 3:30 PM vs Multiple Opponents  
Northwestern

## **Pen Argyl Tennis (3-9)**

(H) 03/17/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades L 3-2  
(A) 03/28/ 4:00 PM vs Moravian Academy L 5-0  
(A) 03/30/ 4:00 PM vs Wilson Area W 5-0  
(A) 03/31/ 4:00 PM vs Notre Dame W 4-1  
(H) 04/03/ 4:00 PM vs Southern Lehigh L 5-0  
(H) 04/04/ 4:00 PM vs Lehigh Area L 5-0  
(A) 04/06/ 3:30 PM vs Jim Thorpe W 5-0  
(A) 04/10/ 4:00 PM vs Palisades L 3-2  
(H) 04/12/ 4:00 PM vs Salisbury L 5-0  
(H) 04/14/ 4:00 PM vs Palmerton Area L 3-2  
(A) 04/15/ 4:00 PM vs Saucon Valley  
(H) 04/17/ 4:00 PM vs Bangor Area L 5-0  
(A) 04/18/ 4:00 PM vs Whitehall



Team Rosters

Bangor Tennis

Caleb Atkinson 2025  
Hayden Burns 20  
Max Culbertson 20  
Kaden Dowd 20  
Jonathan Frank 2024  
Joshua Gallagher 2024  
Reed Guerin 20  
Olivia Hall Manager 2025  
Karla Hampton Mgr 2024  
Justin McNeely 20  
Evan Refvik 20  
David Saunders 2025  
Chayse Strohe 2026  
Piotr Sulewski 20

Pen Argyl Tennis

Hunter Beers Soph  
Mason Beers Senior  
Blake Boyer Soph  
Lucas Doney Junior  
Evan Frable Sophomore  
Justin Garrity Freshman  
Jonathan Hauspurg Junior  
Jacob Hockman Freshman  
Andrew Kondisko Junior  
Cole Lobb Freshman  
Fletcher Marsh Freshman  
Matthew Oakley Senior  
Jacob Oyer Sophomore  
Collin Ramsay Freshman  
Vincent Reto Junior  
Mason Soos Freshman

Bangor Softball

1 Kyleena Gonzalez 2024  
2 Kelli Snow 2026  
4 Emma Schwartz 20  
7 Mikaela Caprood 20  
8 Cameron Howarth 2026  
9 Brook Hermanski 2025  
10 Abby Orlemann 2026  
11 Jade Hendricks 2024  
12 Caliana Huratiak 2026  
15 Kristina Langdon 20  
16 Emma Etzkorn 20  
19 Grace Hartzell 2026  
21 Jaelyn Silfies 2024  
20 Marissa Siu 2025  
Jayleigh Figurski 20  
22 Kaylynn Figurski 2026  
24 Jackelin Miller 2026

Bangor Baseball

1 Dylan Keith 2025  
2 Hunter Rydell 20  
4 Max Siu 2024  
6 Braiden Pysher 20  
5 Jacob LaBarre 2025  
7 Ashdon Buist 2024  
8 Kurtis Snyder 2025  
9 Thomas Buck 20  
10 Riley Stapp 2024  
11 Blake Kornafel 2024  
13 Gregory Campbell 2024  
15 Tyler Balok 2025  
21 Ryan Orellana 20  
22 Dylan Miller 20  
22 Andrew Bosco 2024  
24 Thomas Aulisi 20  
25 Nolan Koza 2025  
27 Cody Quagliato 2024  
45 Gavin Nelson 2024

Pen Argyl Baseball

# Kalista Weeast Manager  
# Bethany Kuster Manager  
1 Dylan Corsetti OF 2024  
2 Lance Albanese OF 2024  
3 Riley Badua C-P 2024  
4 Jacob Guthrie OF-P 20  
5 Luke Hackman IF 2024  
7 Kristoffer Kessler IF 20  
8 Nicholas Haros C-P 2026  
10 Brad Rissmiller IF-P 2024  
11 Jacob Dieter IF-P 20  
14 Logan Dehart IF-P 2024  
15 Lucas Lerch IF-P 2025  
18 Gavin Cunningham IF-C 2024  
20 Colin McMahon IF-P 2025  
21 Cayden Vishnesky 2026  
24 Alex Moser OF 2024

Bangor Girls Track & Field

Vera Cooper 20  
Kylie DallaPalu 2026  
Abigail Damiecki 2024  
Hannah Flyte 2026  
Sydney Flyte 2025  
Jenna Freeman 20  
Ariana Hartzell 2026  
Grace Hartzell 2026  
Hannah Hartzell 2026  
Sarah Hartzell 2024  
Madison Heckman 2026  
Hailey Howell 2026  
Ana Jones 2024  
Addison Karasek 2024  
Sophia Lanier 2026  
Jacklyn Law 2026  
Saiyuri Lopez 2025  
Abigail Maguire 20  
Kirsten Murphy 20  
Cecilia O'Brien 20  
Julia Pinter 2024  
Addison Priestaf 2025  
Chloe Proko 2024  
Kaylee Simmons 2024  
Brynn Stackhouse 2026  
Nia Suarez 2024  
Emma Szabo 20

Pen Argyl Softball

2 Madacyn Rivera IF-OF 2025  
4 Addison Mack C-OF 2025  
7 Callie Schneck 2B 20  
9 Delaney Brinker 3B-OF-P 2025  
10 Miyah Rivera P 2024  
11 Jillian Bradley OF-1B-P 2025  
12 Grace Weaver SS-P 2025  
13 Kristen O'Brien OF-1B 2024  
21 Ashlyn Oessenick OF 2026  
Shea Black OF 2025  
24 Isabella Groves OF 2024  
27 Katie Knecht 1B 20  
28 Andrea Black C-3B 20  
33 Madison Abbott CF 20  
34 Hailey Frey 3B 20

Pen Argyl Boys Track & Field

Diego Arce 11  
Evan Keat 11  
Jack Binder 9  
Colton Keat 12  
Gavin Casey 10  
John Keller 10  
Dominic Dauley 11  
Brayden Krasnopera 10  
Ryan DeBellis 12  
Taylor LaBarre 12  
Keegan Deremer 11  
Blayke Lacey 9  
Amadio Eisenhower 11  
Scott Lamoreaux 11  
Terrell Estes 9  
Zachary Metzgar 9  
Kelton Giamoni 9

Pen Argyl Girls Track & Field

Emma Albanese 10  
Natosha Morrison 9  
Carlena Alfred 9  
Madilynn Moyer 9  
Julia Antonioli 11  
Finley Schneck 10  
Julia Apostol 11  
Grace Shenk 9  
Olivia Apostol 10  
Rylee Straub-Keiper 11  
Danielle DeBellis 10  
Sophia Turtzo 11  
Brooke Engler 10  
Ella Wagner 12  
Lilly Falletta 11  
Ellianna Wallbillich 11  
Hannah Fitch 10  
Katrina Webber 12  
Kaylie Hettel 10  
Kayla Weeast 10  
Ella Mamana 9  
Callia Wilgus 10

Bangor Boys Track & Field

Alex Alvarado 2026  
Riley Alvarado 2024  
Tyler Campbell 2026  
Tyler Carlson 2026  
Jack Coleman 2025  
Kamal Crockett 2026  
Kaden Dowd 20  
Kaden Graziano 2024  
Jacob Hartzell 20  
Eric Hays 2026  
Eric Hays 2026  
Jacob Hillis 2026  
Noah Hillis 2024  
Markus Kiernan 2024  
Dylan Krugh 2024  
Aiden Lilly 2026  
Brody Martin 2025  
Isaac Martin 2025  
Justin McNeely 20  
Tyler Naysmith 2025  
Ivan O'Rourke 2025  
Steven Paolillo 2026  
Anthony Pelucacci 2026  
Anthony Regalado-Baez 20  
Joseph Roldan 2025  
Makhias Romain 2024  
Landon Sandt 2025  
Parker Sandt 2024  
Tyler Scholato 2026  
Mason Siple 2026  
Landen Smith 2024  
Maddox Spinelli 2026  
Noah Stacknick 2025  
Brian Stetz 2026  
Isaac Stevens 2024  
Brody Stone 20  
Cameron Stout 2024  
Brandon Striba 2025  
Owen Sylvester 2024  
Alden Twist 2025  
Jaydon Vilmenay 20





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# Father's Day Car Show



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# Learn New Director of On Campus Recruiting at Michigan State



Bangor graduate Jenna Learn has been hired as Michigan State’s new director of on-campus recruiting, according to SpartanMag.com. She is the second major hire for Michigan State’s new executive director of player personnel and recruiting, Mark Diethorn. Learn is a former recruiting staffer at South Florida.

## Preliminary Football Schedules

Bangor		
8/25/	Bangor @ Palisades	7:00pm
9/1/	Bangor @ Jim Thorpe	7:00pm
9/8/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	7:00pm
9/15/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	7:00pm
9/22/	Bangor @ Wilson	7:00pm
9/29/	Pottsville @ Bangor	7:00pm
10/6/	Bangor @ Lehigh	7:00pm
10/13/	Northwestern @ Bangor	7:00pm
10/20/	Bangor @ Blue Mountain	7:00pm
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm



Pen Argyl		
8/26/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/2/	Mahanoy @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/8/	Pen Argyl @ Northern Lehigh	7:00pm
9/16/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
9/22/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	7:00pm
9/29/	Pen Argyl @ Minersville	7:00pm
10/7/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
10/14/	Schuylkill Haven @ Pen Argyl	1:30pm
10/20/	Pen Argyl @ Panther Valley	7:00pm
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm



## Sixth Annual Slate Belt Sprint 5k

The Slate Belt Y 6th Annual Sprint 5K will be held Saturday August 19 starting 8:15 am at 315 W Pennsylvania Ave, Pen Argyl, PA 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. Register by July 23, 2023 to save! Registration is only \$25 and includes a race t-shirt. Children ages 8-11 can register for the 5k for only \$15 with a participating adult and will receive the same awesome t-shirt. Prices increase on 7/24 and 8/14, sign up early to save!

Children ages 7 and under can participate in the short Kids Fun Run for free. Start times: 7:00 a.m. Day of Registration Opens 8:15 a.m. 5k Run/Walk begins 9:15 a.m. 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

# Former Slater Tony Jones Earns Fourth Place in NCAA Track



Former Bangor High School track and basketball star Tony Jones took fourth place in the NCAA track championship high jump with a leap of 7'1". Jones completed his career at Mississippi State after three years at Wake Forest.



# Recognizing the Legacy of Juneteenth Monday

## Official Holiday

Juneteenth (officially Juneteenth National Independence Day) is a federal holiday in the United States commemorating the emancipation of enslaved African Americans.

Deriving its name from combining June and nineteenth, it is celebrated on the anniversary of the order, issued by Major General Gordon Granger on June 19, 1865, proclaiming freedom for slaves in Texas.[

Originating in Galveston, Juneteenth has since been observed annually in various parts of the United States, often broadly celebrating African-American culture. The day was first recognized as a federal holiday in 2021, when President Joe Biden signed the Juneteenth National Independence Day Act into law after the efforts of Lula Briggs Galloway, Opal Lee, and others

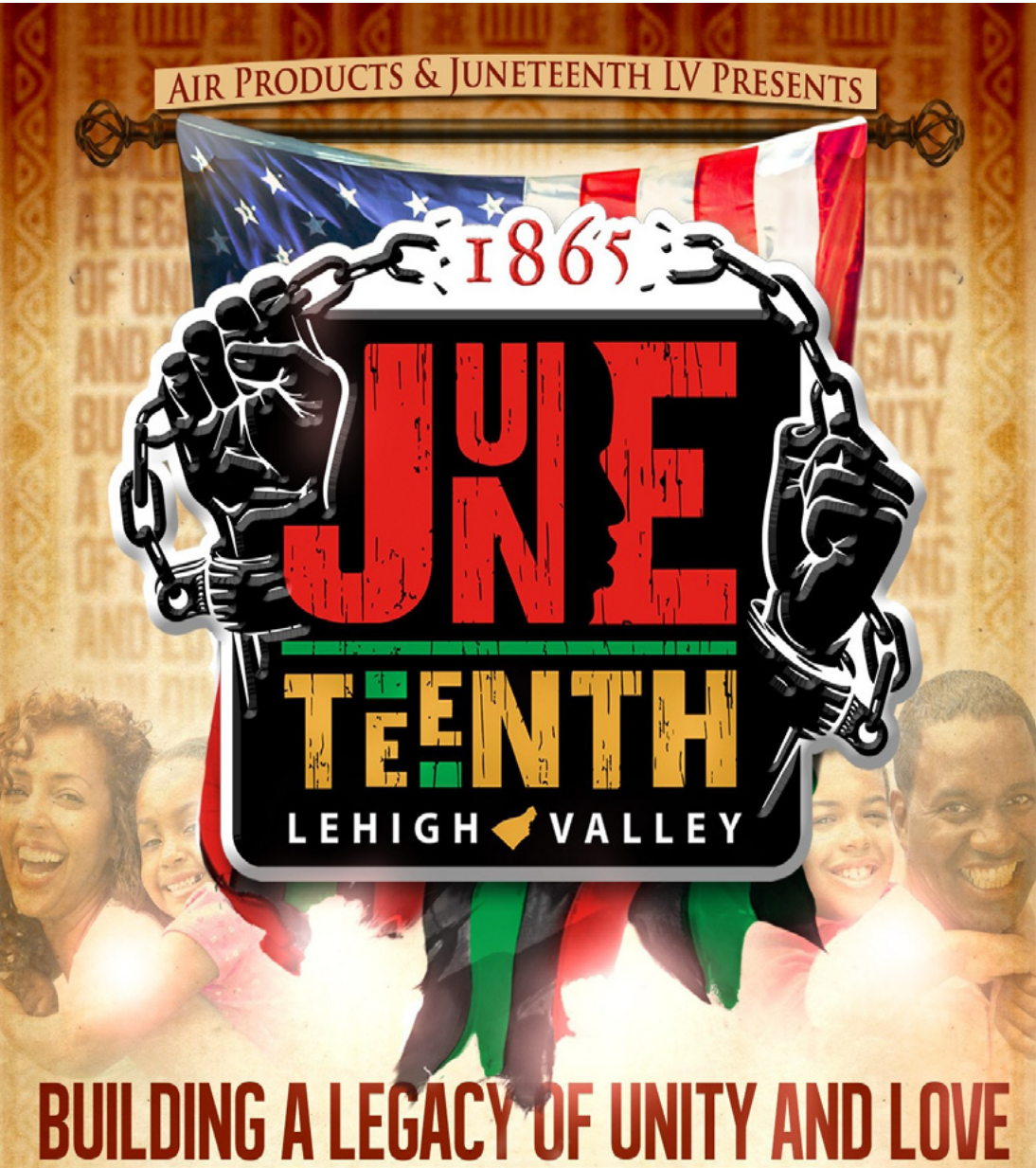
## Delaware Water Gap Area Evidence of Slavery in PA

As Juneteenth is inaugurated as a federal holiday, it is important to note that slavery was not exclusively a southern regional issue. Slavery existed within the park.

The Callahan House is believed to have been a stop on the underground railroad for freedom seekers. The Van Campen Inn, located on Old Mine Road, was the site of a working farm that enslaved people.

In New Jersey, it wasn't until 1846 that the state banned slavery and even then made exemptions for enslaved people to become "apprentices" and "to continue until such person is discharged." An 1850 Federal Census counted 236 enslaved people in the state including Caesar Soult, who was the last enslaved person to be counted in Sussex County. He was freed prior to his death on March 11, 1860. His age was unknown but "in the neighborhood of one hundred." The 1860 Federal Census lists it at 107.

As we observe Juneteenth, we acknowledge our past as we continue to work towards a more inclusive future.



## Juneteenth Parade In Easton

Juneteenth Lehigh Valley will present the first Juneteenth Parade in the Lehigh Valley that brings together agencies from Allentown, Bethlehem, and Easton on Northampton St. in Easton, PA on Monday, June 19th from 12:00-3:00 p.m.

The procession will feature area leaders from the African American community, drumlines and steppers, fraternities and sororities, children's



The Callahan House, also known as the Jacob Helm House, is a historic home located in the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area south of Milford, in Dingman Township, Pike County, Pennsylvania. It was built in two sections, with the older dated to about 1800 and the later to about 1820. It is a long, 1+1/2-story, clapboard-clad frame dwelling with a steep gable roof. It features exposed chimney backs at the first floor exterior in the Dutch style, and a porch along the newer wing.

It served as an inn, and is believed to have been a station on the Underground Railroad.

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		Lambo	34	male	Oct 12.1780

A slave register of 1780 for Northampton County includes the names of slave and slaveowners, **including two from Mt Bethel**. Professor Scott Gordon found the document while combing through records of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.



# Bangor Women's Club Donates To Library, Introduces 2023 HOBY Winner

Carolyn Smith President Bangor Womens Club GFWC introduced Deanna Keyser Education Chair to present \$1000 donation check to Kathleen Lynch, Bangor Public Library. The Bangor club has been a supporter of the public library since it was founded in 1921.

Deanna introduced 2023 HOBY winner Gianni Goodrich and his mother Alicia Zito and 2022 HOBY winner Megan Engle with her mother Lindsay Engle. Both HOBY winners spoke about the experiences they have had with the HOBY Organization.

The Bangor Club holds various events throughout the year to raise monies for their community projects. Some of the events are Fall and Spring Bake Sale, Wreath decorating and sale, and card/game party. The club appreciates all the support for our events.

Carolyn Smith attended the Pennsylvania Clubwoman Convention in Pittsburg in May. She was pleased to accept two awards on behalf of the Bangor Club.

The first was a Communication award for partnering with local newspapers and establishing a regular article series on a variety of topics. Articles were published over 8 months. Topics included the club's 105-year anniversary as a federated club, a member's 50-year anniversary in GFWC, HOBY winners, new officers' installation, projects in the community, bake sales, PA State Executive Board members visitations, fundraising events, and donation awards.

The second was an Arts and Culture award for the presentation by Carolyn Smith who spoke about the Cultural Holidays celebrated around the globe. The begin with The Lunar New Year and went on with Ukrainian Eggs, Oceanic Art, supporting Heifer International and Ukrainian's bombing of wheat fields. India's Diwali, the Festival of Light, a time to celebrate light over darkness.

Besides the club awards The winners of the student literature, photography and art were announced. A huge thank you to Heidi Bates for spearheading the local 2023 GFWC Festival of Arts and the local schools who encouraged their students to participate. In the fall the 2024 program will begin. Looking forward to a lot of great submissions.

## Literature Short Story

Category 1 Grades K-2 \* 3rd place Jessie Henninger

Category 4 Grades 9-12 \* 3rd place Connor Roddy

## High School Photography

Color Living Things \* 1st place Jessica Reinhart

Black and White Living Things \* 1st place Sophia Lanier

Color Still Life \* 2nd place Sophia Lanier

## Student Art

Division 2 Grades 3,4,5 \* 1st place Lacy Strouse

Division 3 Grades 6,7,8 \* 2nd place Vivianne Ruch



(l-r) Alicia Zito mother of 2023 HOBY winner Gianni Goodrich, Deanna Keyser Education Chair Bangor Womens Club, Megan Engle 2022 HOBY winner with mother Lindsay Engle



Deanna Keyser (l) presenting check to Kathleen Lynch Bangor Public Library



In 2021, **14.9%** of **children** ages 5–17 had received **mental health treatment** in the past 12 months

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# Pen Argy BBQ & Brew Event







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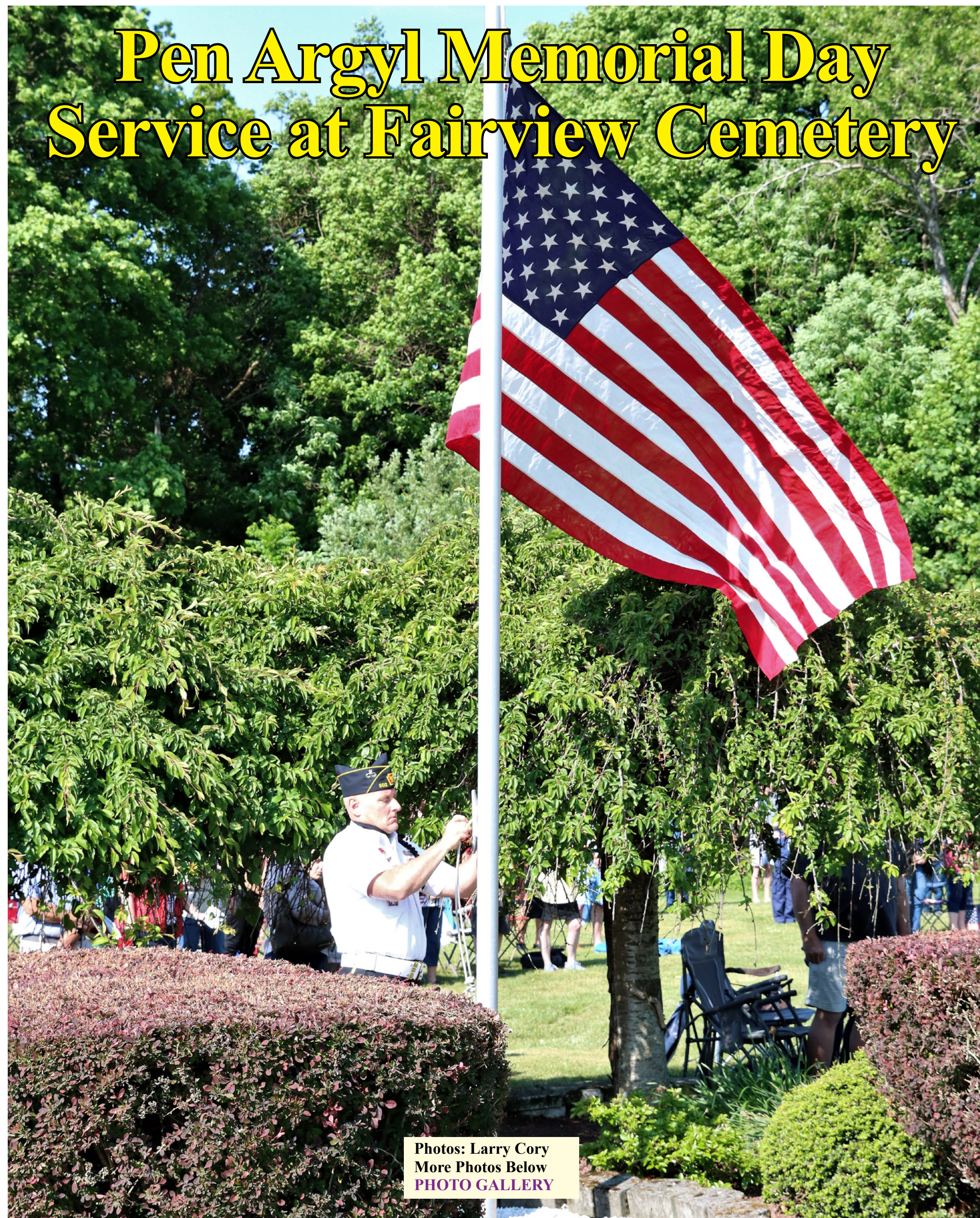


# Jumping Into June Summer Festival





# Pen Argyl Memorial Day Service at Fairview Cemetery



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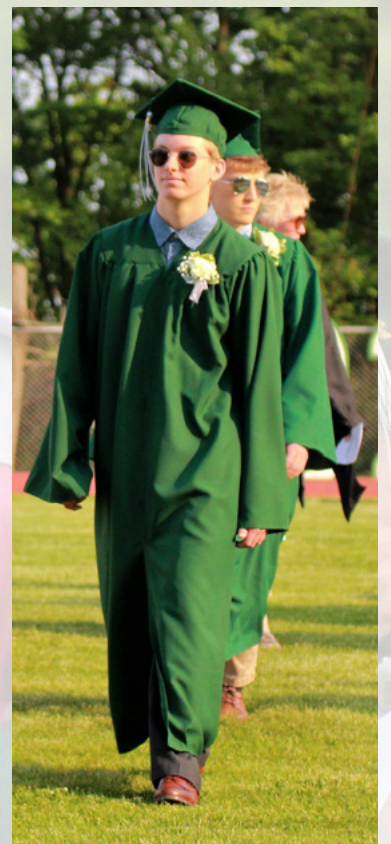
# Memorial Day Ceremony at PAHS



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# PAHS CLASS OF 20



Photos: Katrina Valente  
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**PHOTO GALLERY**





**Bangor High School athletes announced their plans for playing sports in college yesterday during a program presented in Bill Pensyl gym. Seated: Tommy Aulisi and Dylan Miller. Standing: Hunter Rydell, Jacob Hartzell, Eric Striba and Emma Toth.**

## Tommy Aulisi

- Baseball
- Albright College
- 4 year letter winner in baseball
- 1 year letter winner in football
- 1 year letter winner in golf
- Lehigh Valley Live athlete of the year nominee
- Member of the 20 Colonial League Champion
- Baseball team
- Planned Major: Secondary Education

## Dylan Miller

- Football
- King's College
- 4 year letter winner in football
- 2 year letter winner in baseball
- Football Captain 2 years
- McDonald's All-Star Football Game
- Colonial/Schuylkill All-Star Football game
- Richard Forster Award Winner
- Member of the 20 Colonial League Champion
- Baseball Team
- Planned Major: Business Administration, Sport Management

## Hunter Rydell

- Baseball
- Misericordia University
- 4 year letter winner in Baseball
- Baseball Captain 1 year
- Colonial League Player of the week
- Lehigh Valley Live Player of the week
- Member of the 20 Colonial League Champion
- Baseball Team
- Planned Major: Exercise Science

## Eric Striba

- Football
- Bloomsburg University
- 4 year letter winner in football
- Football Captain 2 years
- Mini Maxwell Award nominee
- McDonald's All-Star Game
- Colonial/Schuylkill All-Star Football game
- 2 x Morning Call Player of the game
- MVP Bangor vs Pen Argyl Game
- Team offensive player of the year
- Planned Major: Business and Finance

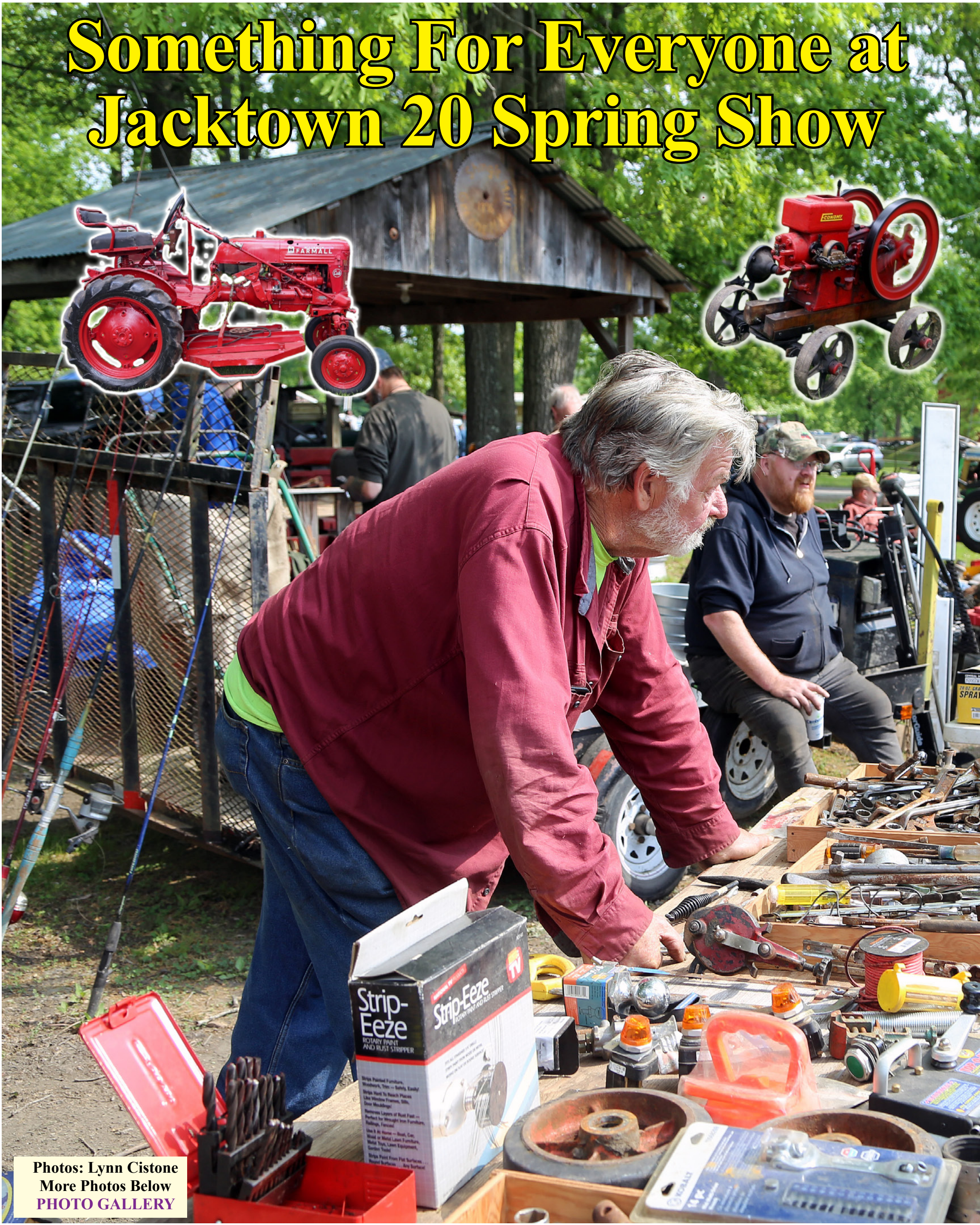
## Jacob Hartzell

- Cross Country and Track & Field
- York College of Pennsylvania
- 4 year letter winner in cross country
- 4 year letter winner in track & field
- Cross Country Captain 1 year
- Track & Field Captain 1 year
- Cross Country Awards: Colonial League All-
- League, Team MVP
- Track & Field Awards: Colonial League 3rd Place
- Javelin, member of the Colonial League 4th place
- 4 x 800 relay team, District XI qualifier in the Javelin, Discus, and 4 x 800 Relay
- Team MVP





# Something For Everyone at Jacktown 20 Spring Show



Photos: Lynn Cistone  
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# Slate Belt Heritage Center Announces Winners For 20 Annual Preservation Awards

## Special Focus Award Hope Horn

The Special Focus Award goes to an individual who has shown exemplary actions in saving or conserving traditions or a body of knowledge and contributes to educational information. This award is to acknowledge individuals who have performed acts that promote and preserve the culture and heritage of the Slate Belt. This year's winner is Ms. Hope Horn. Ms. Horn was nominated back in February 2020 due to her continuous teachings of the 'Wool School' out of the former Oughoughton one-room schoolhouse in Richmond, PA.

Ms. Horn has spent countless hours in her school teaching classes on dying, spinning and weaving products from wool, while using her own sheep and goats, and doing all the sheering herself along with dying the wool with natural produces like goldenrod. She also sells products at the adjacent restored general store located next to the school. Ms. Horn has a passion for passing on educational information and conserving a traditional body of knowledge. For this, she has been nominated for the Special Focus Award for 20.

## Architectural Award Raymond DiFebo

The Architectural Award goes to an individual who has shown an exemplary act in saving or conserving a historic building, place or artifact where restoration is authentic to preservation. The award is to acknowledge individuals who have performed acts that promote and preserve the culture and heritage of the Slate Belt. This year's winner is Mr. Raymond DiFebo. Mr. DiFebo was also nominated back in February 2020 for his work taking the former pre-1900s Fosbinder Butcher Shop located in Martin's Creek and restoring it as a place of residence. The original store counter now rests in the kitchen. Additionally, the original posts and beams, block and tackle for moving carcasses, meat hooks, wainscoting and tin ceiling have also been retained, along with the storeroom for animal hides and the concrete smokehouse. Mr. DiFebo has preserved a historic building, as well as authentic and original artifacts. For this he has been nominated for the Architectural Award for 20.



**Hope Horn With Her Spinning Wheel**

acquiring knowledge in agriculture, animal husbandry and organic farming. Overall, she believed that Upper Mount Bethel, the Bangor Area, and the Slate Belt needed such a vital resource to nurture and compliment the rural nature of the surrounding region by fostering farm and garden practices and supplying the basic resources needed to promote such a lifestyle in the community. For this, her business has been nominated for the Architectural Award/Business Category for 20

## Architectural Business Award Aline Haddad and Jesse Poliskiewicz

Additionally within the Architectural Award, SBHC also recognizes businesses who have shown an exemplary act in saving or conserving a historic building, place or artifact where restoration is authentic to preservation. The award is to acknowledge businesses who have performed acts that promote and preserve the culture and heritage of the Slate Belt. This year's winner is Johnsonville Farm & Garden. Owners, Aline Haddad and Jesse Poliskiewicz operate a community-based general store stocked with agricultural necessities and local products. In general, Ms. Haddad came up with the concept of restoring and reopening the former store when she returned home from college in 2012 after

## West Bangor Memorial Day

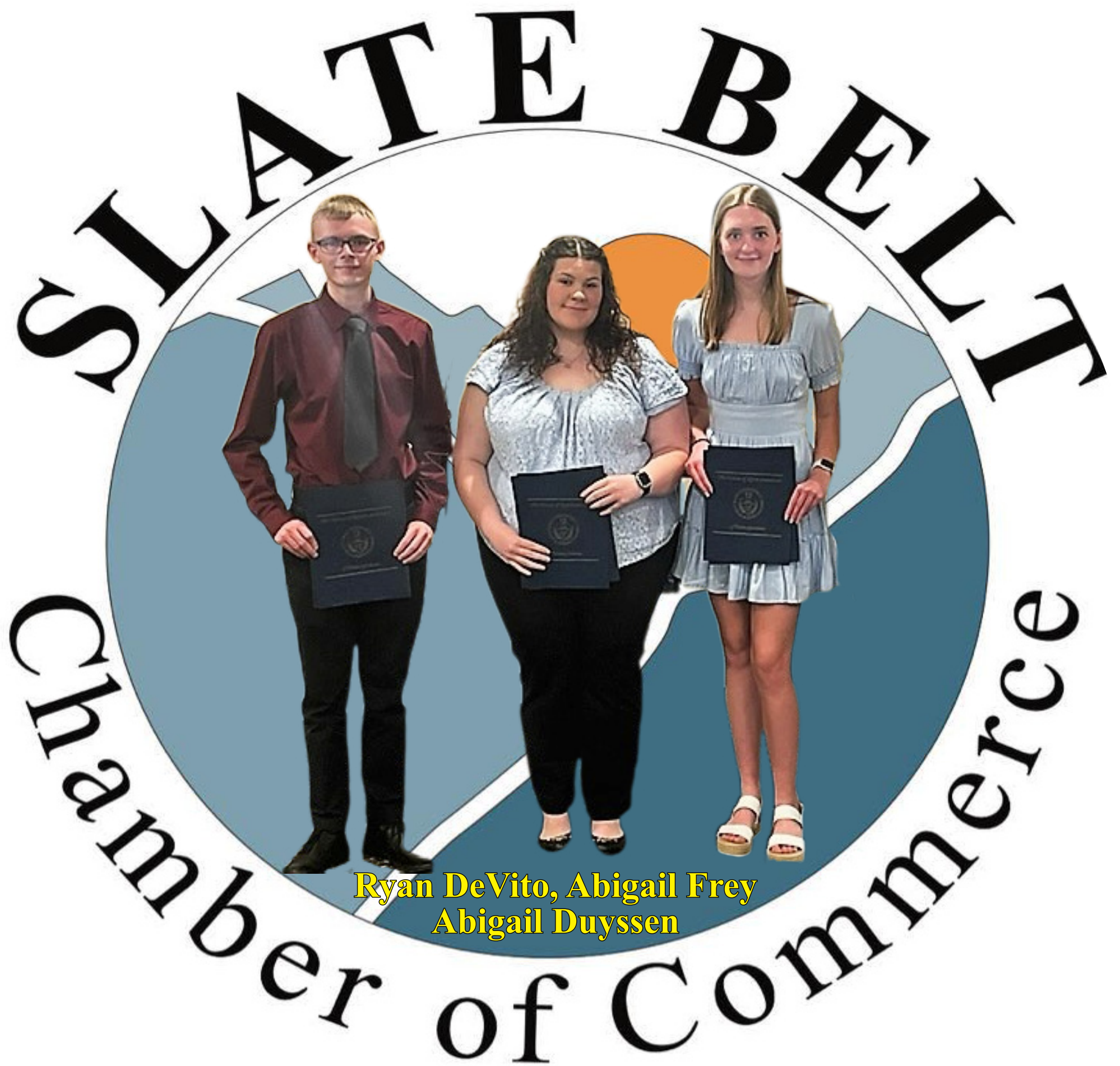
West Bangor Memorial Day Services: will be held May 29, 11:00AM at the Memorial Site, Second Street, West Bangor, PA.

The speaker will be SGM Mark D. Baylis.

In case of inclement weather, services will be held at the St. Joseph's Episcopal Church Social Hall, Verona Avenue, West Bangor. The public is invited to attend



# Scholarship Winners



**Ryan DeVito, Abigail Frey  
Abigail Duyssen**

**Ryan DeBellis - Pen Argyl ASD**  
Misericordia University  
Undergraduate: Healthcare Management  
Graduate: Physical Therapy  
(Missing from photo)

**Abigail Duyssen - Bangor ASD**  
US Military Academy at West Point  
Undergraduate: Life Science  
Graduate: Veterinary School

**Abigail Frey - CIT**  
St Lukes Nursing Program  
Registered Nurse

**The Frederick R. Curcio Jr. Scholarship Award:**  
Ryan DeVito - CIT  
Northampton Community College  
Information Science



# Pen Argyl High School Honor Graduates

**Alaina Hall - Valedictorian,  
Pen Argyl High School 20**

**PARENTS:** Andrew and Penny Hall

**ACADEMIC AWARDS/HONORS RECEIVED**

- AP Literature - AP & WE Service Learning Project (2022-20)
- Alumni Award - Top Junior
- ASVAB Award - 11
- Academic Award in English - 11
- Academic Award in Science - 11
- Academic Award in Mathematics - 10, 11
- First Honor Roll - 9, 10, 11, 12
- Top Five in Class Award - 9, 10
- Top Ten in Class of 20 - 11

**ORGANIZATIONS/CLUBS/ACTIVITIES**

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- Leo Club 9, 10, 11, 12
- Do Something Club 11, 12; Secretary 12
- Envirothon 12
- Reading Olympics 12

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:**

- Leo Club
- Do Something Club

**COLLEGE PLANS**

Muhlenberg College to major in Neuroscience.



**PAHS Graduation  
6:00pm May**

**Elaina Eibeck, Salutatorian, Pen Argyl  
High School 20**

**PARENTS:** Jennifer and Peter Eibeck  
**ACADEMIC AWARDS/HONORS RECEIVED**

- First Honor Roll 9, 10, 11, 12
- National Honor Society 11, 12, President 11, 12
- Hugh O’Brian Youth Leadership Conference 10
- Academic Award in English 9, 10
- Academic Award in Mathematics 9
- Academic Award in Science 9
- Academic Award in Social Studies 9, 10
- Top Five in Class Award 9, 10
- Top Ten in Class of 20 11
- George Eastman Young Leaders Award 11
- Rensselaer Medal 11

**ORGANIZATIONS/CLUBS/ACTIVITIES**

- AP Literature - AP & WE Service Learning Project (2022-20)
- Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12
- Mini-Thon Leadership - 11, 12; Fundraising Head 12
- Character Education, Secretary
- National Honor Society, President
- Mock Trial, Co-Captain
- TV Studio, 9, 10, 11, 12
- Yearbook 12; Assistant Managing Editor and Copy Editor 12
- Aavidum 9
- District-wide Advisory Council Board 9, 10, 11
- District-wide Technology Assistant 11, 12
- Mock Trial (Lawyer) 9, 10, 11, 12; Captain 12; District Playoffs 9, 10, 11, 12
- Knights Order (Character Education) 9, 10, 11, 12; Secretary 11, 12
- Class President 9, 10

**ATHLETICS**

- Girl’s Volleyball, Varsity Girls’ Soccer, 9

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:**

- Easton Public Library Volunteer
- Bridge Beyond Addiction Volunteer
- Co-Ed Soccer Coach Volunteer
- Chandler Nursing Home Volunteer

**COLLEGE PLANS:**

Messiah University double major: International Relations & Chinese Studies.





# Slaters 18-2, Top CL Seed Get 10-0 Sr. Day win over P.A.



**Slater Seniors: (L-R) Ryan Orellana, Braiden Pysher, Thomas Buck, Hunter Rydell, Thomas Aulisi, Dylan Miller**