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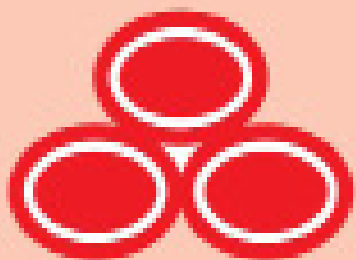
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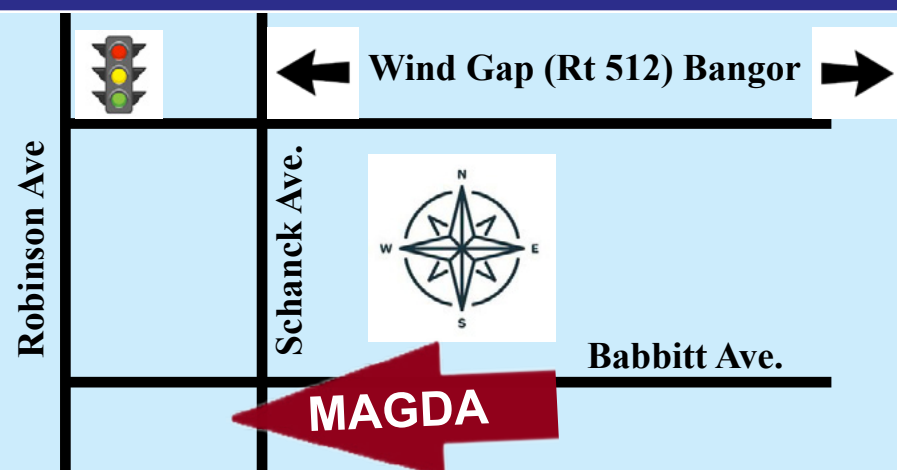
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Pen Argyl - Albright Connection

by Larry Cory

After graduation from the Pen Argyl High School. Eldred Miller spent many months in France as a U. S. Marine, before enrolling at Albright. Once there, he became the captain of the football team and (in 1924) was "conceded to be the best all-around athlete at Albright."

He also was "... a flashy guard in basketball, and far outscored opposing forwards." He was described as a "dependable" outfielder, with the baseball team, and like Hoffman a few years earlier, lettered in three sports.

Miller scored five touchdowns in a game versus Schuylkill Seminary in 1922. He also returned a kick-off for a touchdown, one of only 14 players in the country to accomplish the feat that year. "Deddy" as he was known, also dropkicked several extra points, which were called goals in the old days. (A dropkick is dropping the ball point down and kicking it when it touched the ground.)

"According to the Allentown Democrat, "... (with) Miller's triple threat he should have gone to a bigger school (and) he can pass with either hand."

Off the field his "pleasing tenor voice" was an asset to the school's Boys Glee Club. During and after college he was an outfielder for the Pen Argyl A.A. and Pen Argyl YMCA baseball teams for several years.

After graduation he took a job in Altoona and then moved several times finally landing in Norristown where he eventually married circa 1940.

Miller's co-captain at Albright was Harry "Gook" Saltern a 6-foot 200 pound fullback from Pen Argyl. Saltern, like Miller, didn't go to college until he was older at age 25. An Albright newsletter read, "When the line opened up at all, "Gook" went thru for substantial gains. When not carrying the ball, he was a whole team of interference," the newsletter read.

Saltern was playing football for Pen Argyl YMCA team as early as 1913 when he was just 17.

Saltern was vital to the Albright team on offense and defense, which was noteworthy to the media. One headline read, "Albright Wins Minus Captain Saltern." Another read, "Saltern Stars in PMC Victory." Saltern scored both touchdowns in a 13-6 win over PMC (Widener U.) and made several runs gaining substantial yardage.

In Saltern's rookie season of 1920, playing in only his third game, Saltern scored on a pass reception and later scored another receiving touchdown after a 50-yard run that put Albright in scoring position.

Saltern once scored three touchdowns during a 77-0 rout of Juniata and scored twice on several other occasions.

"Around this gridiron warrior, Coach Benfer expects to build a strong team next year," a statement read in the newsletter.

Dr. Herbert Jago, a prominent Pen Argyl dentist and Donald McFall of Bangor were two of the four players on the 1922 Albright team with connections to the Slate Belt.

Jago stood six-feet tall, and although he only weighed 158 pounds at the time, played left tackle. In the 1923 season he played every quarter of the season except one.

According to an Albright newsletter published in 1923, "..... he (Jago) is aggressive to the extent of mercilessness. In clean, hard, consistent fighting Jago ranks among the highest in the squad," according to the newsletter.

McFall was an end and running back during his freshman year in

1922. In 1923, he took a leave of absence to care for his ailing father.

After graduation he played in community football with the West Ends and Hogan A.C. of Allentown.

In 1928, McFall took a job in Bangor High School, teaching Social Studies and as an assistant football coach to Head Coach Douglas Brown. In addition to his work at Bangor High School, McFall became pastor of the United Evangelical Church in Freemansburg, Pa.

In 1929, McFall's career path took him to Pen Argyl High School where he became head football coach replacing Coach Blaine McCarty. In his first year, Pen Argyl began with wins over Northampton and Emmaus. After that, injuries hurt the team's progress, losing their final six games including a 6-0 loss to arch-rival Bangor. McFall was replaced one-year later by the legendary LeVan Smith (who coached Albright in 1947-48) however, McFall remained as a teacher in Pen Argyl.

In 1930, he was appointed pastor of a new United Evangelical Church in Allentown at Tilghman and 22nd Street. In 1934, he became president of the Brotherhood of the Presbyterian Church. Eventually, he became pastor of Bethel Evangelical United Brethren Church in Quakertown.

Shortly before McFall became head football coach at Pen Argyl in 1929, Ray Hoffman (Carl and Mabel's brother) became head football coach at Bangor in 1927. When Ray was a freshman at Albright and Carl a senior, the pair started games with Carl at Quarterback and Ray at halfback. In a 1916 game with Dickinson, Ray was slated to take Carl's spot at quarterback since Carl was injured.

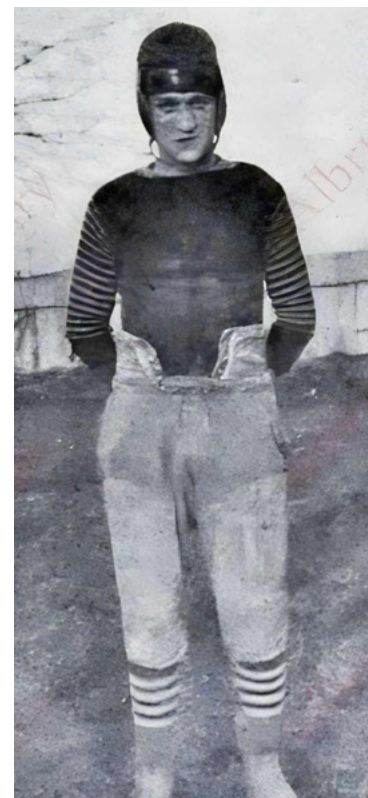
Another connection to Albright came from Andy Leh who was a promising freshman at Albright, but transferred to Muhlenberg in 1924. Leh is known as one of the Lehigh Valley's greatest football coaches when he was at Nazareth from 1927-1956. Bangor and Pen Argyl were regular opponents of Nazareth every year until 1995.



Miller



Saltern



Jago

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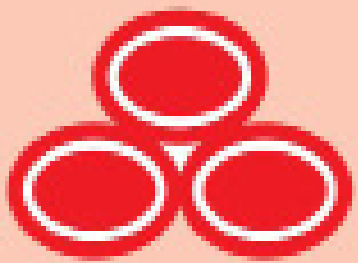
Rivalry Game 2015

Pen Argyl 6 Bangor 0



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Photos: Larry Cory

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Have a Hazard-Free Halloween



Tips on keeping your ghosts and goblins safe during trick-or-treat festivities from Lehigh Valley Reilly Children's Hospital.

By Jenn Fisher

When we think of Halloween, we picture laughing children in colorful costumes, their buckets and pillowcases brimming with candy and treats. However, experts warn that this fun-filled night can pose safety hazards. Below are tips compiled by the team at Lehigh Valley Reilly Children's Hospital and the Children's ER to help everyone have a safe and enjoyable Halloween.

Costumes

Purchase or make costumes that are light and bright enough to be clearly visible to motorists.

Tip: Add reflective tape so a costume will glow in the beam of a car's headlights. You can find reflective tape at hardware and sporting goods stores.

Costumes should be short enough to prevent kids from tripping and falling. Children should wear well-fitting, sturdy shoes. High heels are not a good idea for safe walking.

At home

Leave your front lights on so trick-or-treaters have a well-lit path to your door.

Place candle-lit jack-o'-lanterns far away from the door, so tiny goblins won't accidentally brush against them.

Make sure your kids eat a healthy meal before trick-or-treating, so they'll be less likely to overindulge on candy.

On the streets

Young children should trick-or-treat with an adult or a responsible older child. Instruct children to stay on the sidewalk and out of the roadway. Remind them to walk, not run, and to go to houses only where they know the people inside.

To easily see and be seen, children should carry flashlights.

While driving on Halloween, keep an eye out for youngsters walking between driveways and cars, or crossing in the middle of the block rather than at corners.

Church Street Garage Bangor

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church is excited to invite you to visit our weekly garage sale held every Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon at our "Church Street Garage". The garage is located on our church grounds on the corner of Church and Third Streets in Bangor.

We offer a wide selection of new and gently-used items. All items are in working condition and are appropriately priced to increase your purchasing power. New product arrives weekly.

Let us help you enhance your holiday table with our lovely china, platters, bowls, stemware, and silver serving pieces.

We can help solve your gift-giving decisions with hand-made crafts, knitted hats, scarves, gloves, mosaics, and holiday decorations. We have fun items, particularly a ping-pong, foosball, pool, and air hockey table. Many items are "make an offer".

Check us out on Facebook at "Church Street Garage Bangor".

Holiday Bingo

The Washington Township Volunteer Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary are having their annual "Holiday Cash Bingo Game" on November 12, 2023 @ the Washington 920 Washington Blvd. Bangor. Doors open at 11am & games start at 12:30pm, kitchen will be open & no outside food or drinks are allowed. For tickets or information call Donna @ 484-298-0192, or Jill @ 484-226-7591.

Armistice Day or Veterans Day

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will hold their monthly historic presentation on Sunday, November 12th @ 2:00 PM. Speaker for the afternoon will be Mr. Perry Morris, local historian and storyteller.

Mr. Morris will explain how Armistice Day transitioned into Veteran's Day. He will also be reading a letter, written about Patriotism, almost 89 years ago. The Heritage Center will be paying tribute to all veterans, therefore, Veterans and their families are invited to the free program. Refreshments will be served. For additional information please contact: Karen Brewer @ 484-894-5661.

Geek Fest

Join the Geek Fest June 22, 2024 at the South Mall.

It's okay to embrace the weird in the world! We're bringing a variety of unique and fun nerdy & geeky things to do throughout the day!

Come out and participate in our cosplay dress up contest for a chance to win something unique! Stop in at the mall arcade and play some classic video games or swing by one of the open space board game tables that will be set up throughout the mall.

Don't forget to shop with vendors and artisans who will be set up with unique and weird items!



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All Aspects Halloween Fun

Come to All Aspects At The Barn Saturday October 28 from 11am- 5pm for a family friendly day of Halloween fun! See details below.

COSTUME CONTEST & PRIZES: Bring your little ones for a Kids Costume Contest and a chance to win prizes. They have 50 TOY PRIZES. Join them anytime between 11am- 5pm for a chance to win. Categories include: Scariest, Funniest, Cutest and Most Creative. 10 Prizes will be given out every hour Noon- 5pm and you do not need to be there to win, total of 50 prizes!

KIDS CRAFTS: They will have Pumpkin Painting & a Ghost Family Portrait Craft from 11am- 5pm. Purchase a ticket in the store and bring it to the Craft Hostess. Pumpkin Painting is \$6 and our Ghost Family portrait craft is just \$5. All materials included.

SCAVENGER HUNT: Stop in the store to receive your Scavenger Hunt Sheet. Complete the Hunt and return your finished sheet to the box at the front of the store. Hunts with correct responses will be entered to win a \$25 gift certificate. This is perfect for adults to do too.

PHOTOS! Get your Spooktacular pictures taken by Photography by Lauren Kinsel. Our 1950's Ford truck will be decorated for your Fall photo mini session! Two edited digital photos will be ready for Halloween! Photos \$25, no appointment necessary. Stop in 11am- 4pm for photos.

FALL SALE: Fall Decor is 30% off 10/28. Shop their store for your seasonal decor at All Aspects at the Barn.

Grateful Dogs Food Truck will be with us 11am- 5pm serving up specialty hot dogs, sausage sandwiches and Brats + crispy fries, onion rings and wings.

TREATS! Enjoy the very popular homemade chocolate treats and coffee bombs with Treats By Ashley Taylor. Come out and sample homemade Johnstone's Jars jams and jellies.

WINE & BEER: Adults can enjoy beer and wine from Stone Lake Winery during our event by our new pavilion with plenty of seating. Sit by our outdoor fire pits and enjoy a beautiful fall day. Make sure to Trick or Treat with Stone Lake Winery too!

FAMILY FUN: Enjoy our Petting Barn, Playground, Bounce House, Pavilion and Candy Counter.

TRICK OR TREAT: Come inside All Aspects at the Barn for a Halloween treat! Complimentary candy treats bags for kids.

Trick or Treat at our Local Vendor Tents like Singer's Craft Boutique with their super cute crocheted plushie animals and beautiful holiday decor with Lori's Mason Creations and The Lonely Tree

Free Admission.

Put All Aspects at the Barn into your Google Maps to get you right here! We are located at 1584 S Delaware Drive in Upper Mount Bethel, PA 18343 on Route 611 by the Crane Insurance Group.

PARKING: They have a large parking lot BEHIND the Barn. Pull into their lot, drive straight through the gates and park in the back lot behind the store. Additional parking is available at Alkazone Water Warehouse (the old Pocono Foods Plant).

Fallmas Festival

Nothing could be better than enjoying a Fall festival and a Holiday festival all at the same time! Come and join us for the Fallmas Festival on November 18th!

We're looking for a variety of unique vendors & crafters, adult beverage vendors, and more to join us for a street festival you'll never forget! Below is the link to register for this wonderful well-advertised event located on S. Robinson Ave., Pen Argyl, PA 18072.

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For questions about the event text/call (272)-200-8163 or email blueflameevents@yahoo.com.

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Two people stand outdoors wearing gardening gloves and tending to a garden. Text: Conservation Tip

There's no need to rake up all the leaves in your yard! Leaving some on the ground is not only good for wildlife, but your yard and garden as well.

Check out these fall yard conservation tips:

Leave the leaves -- leaves provide food, shelter, and nesting materials to a variety of wildlife and insects, such as moth and butterfly pupae.

Build a brush shelter -- branches, sticks, and leaves can be used to make brush piles that shelter native wildlife.

Leave the seeds -- plants and grasses should be left standing over winter (seed-bearing perennials such as coneflower, Joe Pye weed, and sunflower provide food for songbirds).

Avoid chemical fertilizers -- grass clippings and mulched leaf litter can provide plant nutrition; chemical fertilizers can reduce beneficial insects.

Pen Argyl Halloween Spooktacular

Join a Halloween SPOOKtacular at Weona Park October 28 from 4-8pm. Enjoy a spooky ride on the Carousel which will be full of fa-boo-lous Halloween decorations! The golf course will be aglow with treats at each of the 18 holes for all the boys & ghouls who play! This celebration would not be complete without a tractor wagon ride through the ball field. There will also be food, vendors, tricky tray, music, costume contest, & more! It's going to be a fang-tastic time!!

Children: \$10.00 (includes the carousel, golf, wagon ride)

Adults: FREE!

All events are not too spooky and are child & family friendly.

This event is organized by & will benefit the Weona Park Pool Pals.

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Kichline Family Affair

by Larry Cory

Ronald Kichline's playing career at Ursinus was preceded by brothers Roy and Ellwood.

Roy graduated from Bangor High School in 1907 and began his career in football and baseball at Ursinus in 1908, graduating in 1912. Only an inch shorter and a few pounds lighter than Ron, Roy at 5-9,170 was also a stellar running back for the Bears.

In 1910, Kichline, running back George Gay and tackles Rob and Kerr Thompson were key players in the Bears 24-0 shutout of Haverford. They also defeated the Penn Quakers and bolstered the team's success over the next two seasons.

A quote from the Philadelphia Inquirer read, "Time and again Gay and Kichline were only stopped by the secondary."

Kichline who was a starting halfback since 1909 was also the team's punter.



CAPTAIN KICHLINE

In 1910, the Bears' only loss came at the hands of Lafayette in a 10-0 final. Among their wins was 53-0 shellacking of Temple helping them to a 6-1 season.

Roy and Elwood were teammates on the baseball team along with, Gay and the Thompsons. Roy played an outfield position or shortstop while Ellwood played third base.

In 1912, Roy batted .302 and hit five home runs during a 14-game schedule.

In September 1912, Roy was hired as head football coach and a teacher at Bridgeton High in New Jersey which was among the best high schools in the garden state. His teams in 1912 and 1913 played well and had a long winning streak.

In the fall of 1914, however, Kichline became ill and returned to his parents home in Bangor where he died at the age of 24 in late January of 1915 from complications related to pneumonia.

Tragically, Roy Kichline was the third member of the

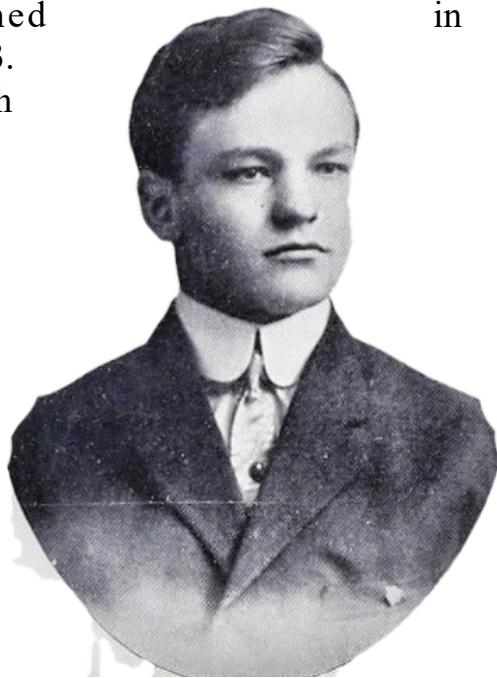
famous quartette that led Ursinus to several winning seasons through 1912. Robert Thompson, brother of Kerr, choked to death on a piece of meat in 1912. George Gay died of a broken neck he sustained in community league football game in 1913.

The Kichline family also suffered through the death of their only daughter, Marion Evelyn Kichline, who died at her home, 18 South Second street, Bangor, from unspecified complications at age 23 in 1925. She was Bangor High School graduate, class of 1922 and later took two terms at the East Stroudsburg Normal School. She had taught two years in Washington Township prior to her death.

Ellwood, who graduated from Ursinus in 1914 was Roy's team with the Ursinus baseball team from 1910 - 1912. Ellwood also played with the Bangor A.A. baseball team and a had a tryout with Columbus Ohio of the International League. He also spent 22 years in the military as a Master Sergeant with the distinction of serving in World I and World War II.

Prior to the Kichlines' achievements at Ursinus, two other Slate Belt residents were valedictorian and salutatorian at Ursinus in 1885.

On June 25 of that year, Samuel H. Phillips of Johnsonville was the valedictorian and delivered a speech entitled, "The Moral in the Beautiful." The salutary was presented by Silas Lockard Messinger of Flicksville. His address was entitled, "Adherence to Principle is the condition of the Success in Life."



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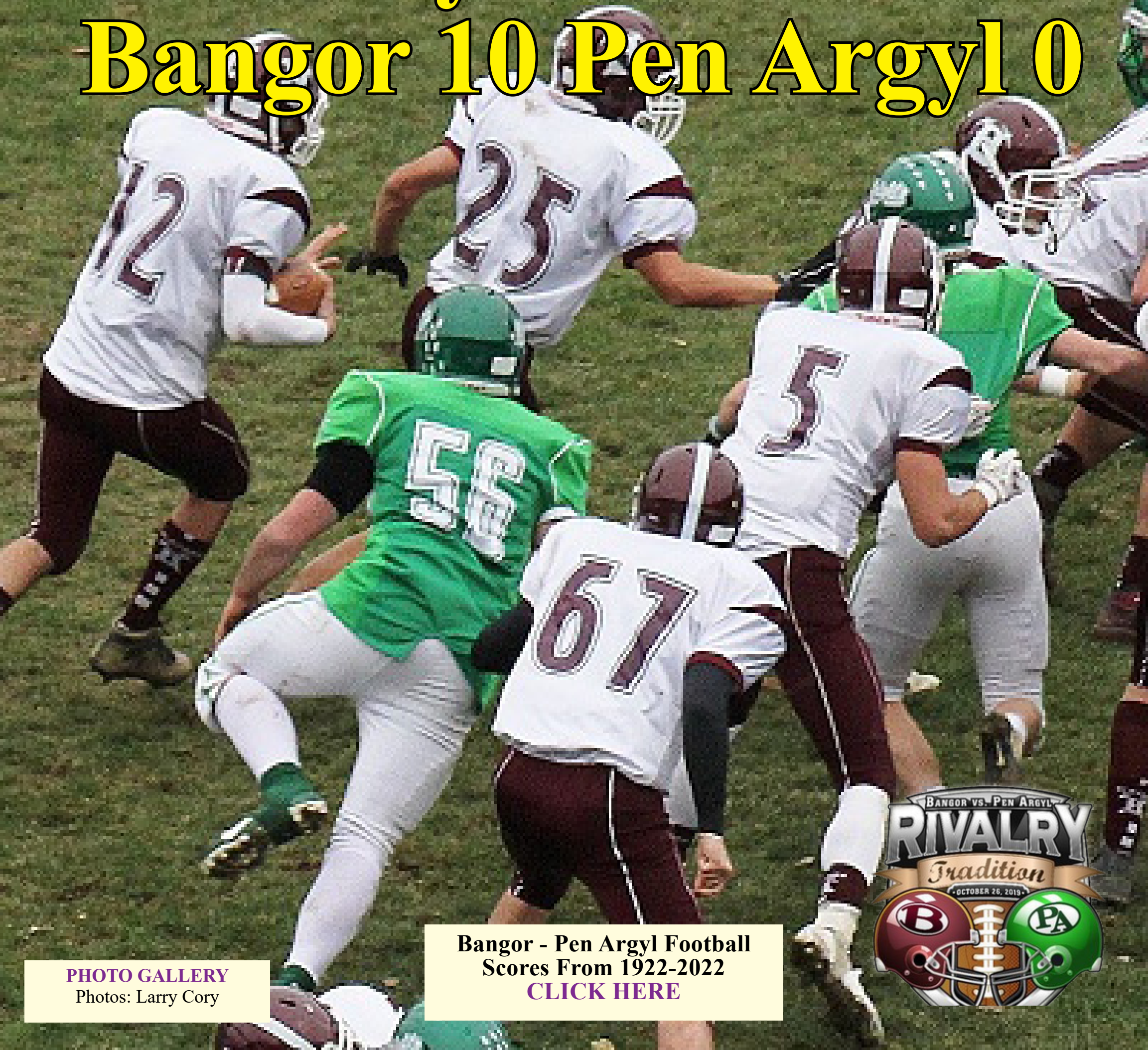


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Great Coach and Player

by Larry Cory

Ronald Kichline of Bangor was head football coach at Juniata when his team suffered a 41-0 loss to Benfer's Albright team in 1921 making still another connection in the Bangor-Albright web.

The Kichline family lived just two blocks from the Hoffman Family in Bangor. In addition to Ronald, the family had two other sons, Roy and Ellwood who also had distinguished athletic careers.

Ronald was a highly regarded fullback at Ursinus College in Collegeville, Pa. and was the team captain during his senior year. He played four years including a few starts in his freshman year of 1912, just three months after graduating from Bangor High School.

In 1915, Ursinus upset Navy 10-0 with Kichline playing a major role on both sides of the ball, including the Bears' only touchdown..

A story in the Baltimore Sun read," In Kichline, the captain and fullback, Ursinus delivered a player who showed greater ability of a line plunger than any other player who has come to Annapolis this season."

Later, Kichline scored a pair of touchdowns in a win over PMC.

In a 7-0 loss versus Villanova that same season, Kichline, despite injuries to both knees, carried the ball every time during a drive after the opening kickoff, reaching Villanova's 20-yard line before Ursinus was stopped.

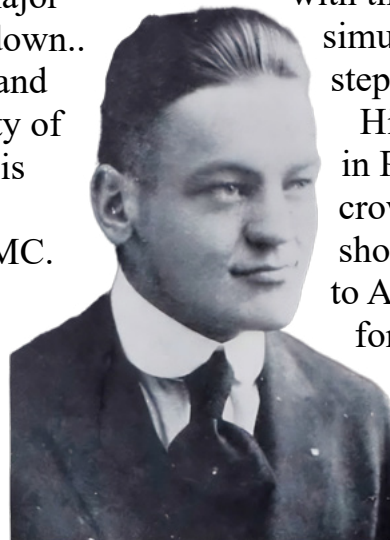
In the fall of 1916, he embarked on a coaching starting at Mansfield where he was head coach of football for five years and basketball for four years.



Neither team had a losing season under Kichline. His 5-year mark in football was 21-12-2 and his four-year record in basketball was 28-6.

His next stop, while only brief, was at Juniata in 1921 which was only the second year of football for the Eagles. The team finished 0-8. In 1922, he was succeeded by his childhood buddy from Bangor, Carl Hoffman. Kichline's basketball team completed a 8-7 season while his baseball team chalked up a 4-5 mark, but improved to 13-5 in 1922.

In the fall of 1922, Kichline left Juniata to coach sports and teach math at Vermont Academy in Saxons River, Vermont. The academy was a prep school that had just resumed their sports program and chose Kichline as their coach. The academy played other prep schools and freshman teams from nearby small colleges such Middlebury and Norwich. There is very little information about his coaching at the academy other than a 7-0 win over Middlebury in football and the recruitment of a player from Bangor with



the surname of Evans.

In 1925, he returned to his alma mater at Ursinus as the school's coach and math instructor. Like most coaches of that era, he coached all sports as he did at Mansfield.

Kichline's goal for the Bears was to upgrade their schedule to play teams of better quality.

In the college's 1926 "Ruby" yearbook Kichline wrote, "...at Ursinus during the past ten years (we) have been far beneath that which all supporters of Ursinus would have them be. With the new athletic system, it is expected that Ursinus can lift herself to a position which she at one time held among the colleges. The college itself is expanding and with this growth it is only natural that the athletic prowess proceed simultaneously and in proportion. Our schedules show that we have stepped considerably higher in the athletic realm....."

His first game in the 1925 football season was at Franklin Field in Philadelphia where Ursinus played the Penn Quakers before a crowd of 45,000 fans. Unfortunately, the Bears came out on the short end of a 32-0 game. They ended their season with a 44-0 loss to Army at West Point. Still the team won two games and tied one for 2-6-1 mark.

In 1926 with games versus Temple, Rutgers, Delaware and Army, Kichline's team finished a at 1-7 with their sole win over Franklin & Marshall.

The 1927 season featured wins over Delaware, and Swarthmore. They also lost some close games to Lehigh 6-0, George Washington 7-0 and Army 13-0. They also defeated Muhlenberg 15-0, atoning for a 41-0 loss to a Benfer-coached team at Albright team in 1921, for a final record of 5-4. The Mules were coached by "Haps" Benfer who was married to Mabel Hoffman, former Bangor resident who lived just two blocks away from Kichline when they were students at Bangor High School.

In 1928, Kichline's team again defeated Benfer's Muhlenberg team 6-0. In 1929 Kichline made the Muhlenberg rivalry versus Benfer a three-peat with a 9-7 win.

Kichline's final season in 1930 at Ursinus was his best, ending with a 6-3 mark.

His combined overall college mark over 15 years in all sports was 157-143-8.

After leaving Ursinus he went to work in the insurance industry and was a college and high school sports official. He also was highly sought, after-dinner speaker and was known for his interesting and hilarious presentations.

In December 1941, he returned to Bangor to give a talk to the 1941 Bangor High School football team at Ross Common Manor Barn.

In 1943, he became the interim head football coach at Reading High school when regular coach Andy Stopper was inducted into the Navy in World War II.

Kichline stayed at Reading for three uneventful years before returning to the insurance business.

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BHS Alum Carl Hoffman An All-Sport Great

by Larry Cory

Like other athletes of his age, BHS alum Carl Hoffman did not have the opportunity to play in the Slate Belt Rivalry. Although there was very little mention of Hoffman in the media of the early 20th century, much less his connection to the Slate Belt, he still had the wherewithal to be a three-sport standout in college, and had the good fortune to have caught Hall-of-Famer Lefty Grove during his minor league baseball career.

Hoffman was born in 1896 and was raised at 335 Market Street in Bangor with his parents, a sister Mabel and brother Raymond (1927 BHS Head football coach) just a few blocks from the Kichline family at 18 South Second St., which produced sons Roy, Ronald and Ellwood, all contemporaries of Hoffman.

Hoffman graduated from Bangor High School in 1913 and went to Albright College following in the footsteps of his sister Mabel. He was quarterback for the football team with Albright, a catcher for the baseball team, and as a guard, the leading scorer on the basketball team. He once made 19 free throws in a 1917 game versus Moravian when the rules allowed a team to choose a free throw shooter for all free throws, and who was usually the best free throw shooter on the team.

Player and team statistics were seldom reported in the media, if in fact, teams even kept statistics other than scoring, making it difficult to report more pertinent information.

In a 1915 football game, Albright was crushed 54-0 by Ursinus led by fullback Ronald Kichline who was Hoffman's neighbor and teammate at Bangor. Closer to home, Hoffman scored three touchdowns in a 27-0 win by the Bangor A.A. over Nazareth in 1921.

The November 12, 1921 edition of the Morning Call read, "Hoffman, a former Albright College star, was easily the feature of the game. Playing right halfback for Bangor, he time and again crashed through the line for long gains....."

Hoffman's career at Albright was cut short by World War I where he served as a candidate in Officers' Training School for the Infantry.

After he was discharged from the military in 1919, and even though he hadn't

completed his final year at Albright, he took a job as head football coach and math teacher at Latrobe High School in Western Pennsylvania, a member of the prestigious WPIAL.

Although Coach Hoffman didn't get the recognition of Latrobe native son Arnold Palmer or Rolling Rock Beer, he quickly caught the attention of Latrobe sports fans when his 1919 team compiled a 6-0-2 record. Latrobe opened the season with a 76-0 win over Windber. Scoreless ties with Johnstown and Greenburg were the only low spots of a season in which Hoffman's team outscored its opponents 187-6.

Despite the prospects of a successful coaching career, Hoffman left Latrobe in the spring of 1920 to play Class D baseball with the Martinsburg Mountaineers of the Blue Ridge League in West Virginia. There he played in 62 games, batting .225 with two home runs. He also had the honor of playing with and catching Lefty Grove, an eventual 300-game winner and Major League Baseball Hall of Famer.

After his time in minor league baseball, Hoffman's life took another turn in the fall of 1921 when he enrolled in Juniata College to finish his senior year in college and resume his athletic career, coached by friend and former teammate, Ronald Kichline.

Hoffman picked up his athletic career at Juniata where he left off at Albright. According to a story in the Harrisburg Telegraph from 1922, "Hoffman is one of the best-known college athletes in this section of the country. He played last season with the football team and had a brilliant record as a member of the basketball squad. As a member of the baseball squad (he) proved one of the best backstops in the history of Juniata baseball. For years to come they will talk about his long hits in the pinches, his deadly throws to second, and his splendid record at capturing foul balls and in preventing passed balls."

After graduating from Juniata, Hoffman was hired to coach football and basketball at Juniata, replacing Kichline who stayed on as head baseball coach. Hoffman was also hired as a mathematics instructor at Juniata's school academy.

In his Juniata football coaching debut in the fall of 1922, his team faced Albright coached by his former teammate at Albright, and now brother-in-law Harry "Haps" Benfer. Benfer, however, didn't show any mercy, handing Hoffman a 34-0 loss.

Juniata lost to Geneva the following week before his team defeated Ursinus 18-12 and Drexel 46-6. The team closed the with a 46-0 loss to Thiel for a final record of 3-4-0.

Hoffman's basketball team went 11-10. Those 11 wins were a seasonal high for the next 30 years.

Just prior to his stint at Juniata, Hoffman married Ruth Varner from Somerset, PA and a graduate of Albright College. At the end of his first year as a Juniata coach, Hoffman resigned from Juniata and moved to Somerset where he went into in the lumber, oil, and banking businesses from 1923 to 1946.

Following in his father's footsteps, he was later elected as a Republican to the U.S. House of Representatives Seventy-ninth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of J. Buell Snyder and served from May 21, 1946, to January 3, 1947.



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Rivalry Game 104 Set For Friday at Bangor

The Bangor -Pen Argyl football rivalry, which officially began in 1922, can actually be traced to a first-known encounter in 1910 won by Bangor, 12-0. It's also likely that other games were played before and after 1910, however, there is no known documentation to support that conclusion.

Very little is known about the 1910 game since newspaper stories of that era contain very little information about local high school games.

For now, the details of that game are unknown and will likely remain so for a long time.

We do, however, know the names of some players that could have participated in the that first game. It's also fair to say, based on some anecdotal accounts, that not all players were students. "Ringers" as they were known, most likely worked in the quarries and also played for the community and high school football teams.

Carl Hoffman and Ronald Kichline most likely played for Bangor and Harry 'Gook' Saltern for Pen Argyl.

No information is available about their exploits in high school, but their accomplishments in college suggests these men would have excelled in high School.

We will present stories about these men this week in the lead-up to the 104th rivalry game.

Hoffman was a star quarterback for three years at Albright and one year at Juniata. He also was a college coach and played minor league baseball.

Kichline excelled as a running back for Ursinus and also coached college football for 15 years. Read more this week.



Photo: Facebook

Bangor was accused of icing the field in 1930 to slow the Pen Argyl running backs. That piece of trivia was debunked in 1963 by LeVan Smith, coach of the 1930 Pen Argyl team, in a letter to a friend in Pen Argyl.

The arrow points to Nick Rosato who scored Bangor's first touchdown of the game. Photo was taken at Flory's Field on North Main Street in Bangor

Pen Argyl Pre-game Festivities

Pre-game festivities begin Thursday, October 26th with a Parade from the High School beginning at 6:30pm to our Community Pep Rally & Bonfire at Weona Park at 7pm. There is no parking this year at the Bonfire site, so all Green Knights attending should park at the High School and parade down. There will also be school buses shuttling people to and from the bonfire site from 6-9pm. Pick up and Drop off points will be Pen Argyl HS & Weonna Park on South Main Street (Look Out Fire Company).

Tickets for the 104th Bangor-Pen Argyl Football game on October 27th at 7pm can be purchased online at <https://slaterathletics.org/main/ticketing/>

Advanced General Admission Tickets can be purchased online and are \$7 for Adults and \$5 for Students/Sr. Citizens/Military.

There is only one cash gate for football which is located near Bangor Pool and All cash tickets are \$8.00.

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Overview: A storm system in the Great Lakes Thursday and Friday will move into the Northeast over the weekend and strengthen. This will bring some rain and gusty winds to our area over the weekend. The storm will then move farther away during Sunday and into early next week.

Thursday



60 - 70

Becoming
partly sunny.

Friday



59 - 69

Mainly
cloudy.
Rain
becoming
likely,
especially
PM.

Saturday



54 - 65

Mostly cloudy
with showers.
Turning
breezy.

Sunday



44 - 60

Partly to
mostly sunny
and windy.
Wind gusts 30
to 40 mph.

Monday



47 - 60

Mostly sunny.
Breezy
conditions
gradually
diminish.

Local forecasts: weather.gov/phi

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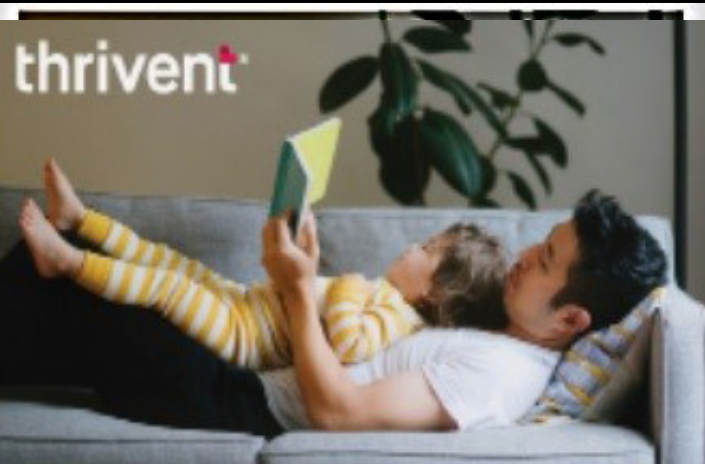
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Artist Blythe Kratzer, a 2023 graduate of Bangor High School, proudly displays the artwork she painted for the Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce office.

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Weona Park Rt. 512 Pen Argyl

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PAHS Stuff The Bus

Pen Argyl Area High School will be collecting food for Stuff the Bus, from Monday October 30th through Friday November 17th at 7:00-7:30 am and 2:30-2:45 pm. (On the last day non-perishable items will only be collected until 7:30 am.)

Students, families, and teachers throughout the district are invited to donate non-perishable items for people in need during the Thanksgiving season. Additionally, local businesses and community members are encouraged to donate items, and in the past five years have donated plentifully.

The school district works with Families First, meaning that all the food collected will be given to families in the Pen Argyl School District who need a little extra help to get through the holiday.

The Knight's Order, the Character Education program at the Pen Argyl High School that organized the event, is responsible for service projects throughout the school and community. The Knight's Order continually looks to give back to the community that has been so supportive of their other initiatives.

The Character Education students put in hours of their time organizing and running this event. We would like to thank Krise Transportation for donating the bus for the event, and the YMCA for donating a space to organize and distribute the food. We hope every local family in need will be able to enjoy their Thanksgiving with an amazing meal

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Family Prize Bingo

Trinity Lutheran Church in Bangor will be having a Family Prize Bingo. There will be lots of Prizes to choose from for both Kids & Adults

Cost is \$2 for 3 Boards per Bingo Packet

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Sunday, November 5th

Doors will open at 1pm

Bingo will begin at 1:30pm

Please call the church office, 610-588-2023, if you have any questions.

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Register before 10/4/23 | \$225/team

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October 26

Weekly Weeders

Thursday, October 5, 12, 19, 26 at 8:30am to

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Card Game/Party

The Bangor Womens Club GFWC is planning to host a card/game party on Thursday October 26 from 1 to 4 pm at Trinity United Church of Christ, 632 S. Delaware Dr, Mt Bethel, PA (Stone Church). Members will be serving desserts, snacks, and beverages

October 27

104th Rivalry Game.

The 104th meeting of the Bangor-Pen Argyl football teams will be played Friday, October 27th at 7:00pm at Paul Farnan Field at Bangor Memorial Park.

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October 28

Pen Argyl Halloween Spooktacular

Join a Halloween SPOOKtacular at Weona Park October 28 from 4-8pm. Enjoy a spooky ride on the Carousel which will be full of fa-boo-lous Halloween decorations! The golf course will be aglow with treats at each of the 18 holes for all the boys & ghouls who play! This celebration would not be complete without a tractor wagon ride through the ball field. There will also be food, vendors, tricky tray, music, costume contest, &

more! It's going to be a fang-tastic time!!

Children: \$10.00 (includes the carousel, golf, wagon ride)

Adults: FREE!

All events are not too spooky and are child & family friendly.

This event is organized by & will benefit the Weona Park Pool Pals.

All Aspects Halloween Fun

Come to All Aspects At The Barn Saturday October 28 from 11am- 5pm for a family friendly day of Halloween fun! See details below.

COSTUME CONTEST & PRIZES: Bring your little ones for a Kids Costume Contest and a chance to win prizes. They have 50 TOY PRIZES. Join them anytime between 11am- 5pm for a chance to win. Categories include: Scariest, Funniest, Cutest and Most Creative. 10 Prizes will be given out every hour Noon- 5pm and you do not need to be there to win, total of 50 prizes!

KIDS CRAFTS: They will have Pumpkin Painting & a Ghost Family Portrait Craft from 11am- 5pm. Purchase a ticket in the store and bring it to the Craft Hostess. Pumpkin Painting is \$6 and our Ghost Family portrait craft is just \$5. All materials included.

SCAVENGER HUNT: Stop in the store to receive your Scavenger Hunt Sheet. Complete the Hunt and return your finished sheet to the box at the front of the store. Hunts with correct responses will be entered to win a \$25 gift certificate. This is perfect for adults to do too.

PHOTOS! Get your Spooktacular pictures taken by Photography by Lauren Kinsel. Our 1950's Ford truck will be decorated for your Fall photo mini session! Two edited digital photos will be ready for Halloween! Photos \$25, no appointment necessary. Stop in 11am- 4pm for photos.

FALL SALE: Fall Decor is 30% off 10/28. Shop their store for your seasonal decor at All Aspects at the Barn.

Grateful Dogs Food Truck will be with us 11am- 5pm serving up specialty hot dogs, sausage sandwiches and Brats + crispy fries, onion rings and wings.

TREATS! Enjoy the very popular homemade chocolate treats and coffee bombs with Treats By Ashley Taylor. Come out and sample homemade Johnstone's Jars jams and jellies.

WINE & BEER: Adults can enjoy beer and wine from Stone Lake Winery during our event by our new pavilion with plenty of seating. Sit by our outdoor fire pits and enjoy a beautiful fall day. Make sure to Trick or Treat with Stone Lake Winery too!

FAMILY FUN: Enjoy our Petting Barn, Playground, Bounce House, Pavilion and Candy Counter.

TRICK OR TREAT: Come inside All Aspects at the Barn for a Halloween treat! Complimentary candy treats bags for kids.

Trick or Treat at our Local Vendor Tents like

Singer’s Craft Boutique with their super cute crocheted plushie animals and beautiful holiday decor with Lori’s Mason Creations and The Lonely Tree

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PARKING: They have a large parking lot BEHIND the Barn. Pull into their lot, drive straight through the gates and park in the back lot behind the store. Additional parking is available at Alkazone Water Warehouse (the old Pocono Foods Plant).

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October 31

Pen Argyl Trick or Treat

Trick or Treat in Pen Argyl will be held October 31 in Pen Argyl from 6-8pm.

Wind Gap Trick or Treat

Trick or Treat in Wind Gap will be held October 31 in Pen Argyl from 6-8pm.

November 4

Quiet Valley Farm Workshop

Looking for something to jump-start your holiday season? Get in the spirit 9:00am November 4 by joining a workshop where you will make a craft and enjoy a homemade lunch of soup, bread, and dessert! Check in and refreshments from 9:00-9:30, classes begin at 9:30.

Register online here or call the office at 570-992-6161. Quiet Valley Members, check your email for a 15% off discount code.

This year, we will be offering the following full-day workshop choices: Workshop 1: Pilgrim Gourd

Create one of a kind gourd pilgrim! Participants will turn a banana gourd into a pilgrim using epoxy and paint.

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Cost: \$65

Instructor: Ceal Yost

Workshop 3: Holiday Baking

Make traditional Star Bread and Pecan Tassie Tart! Each participant will leave with their baked goodies to take home and share.

Cost: \$61.00

Instructors: Maryellen Mross and Carole Geary

Workshop 4: Traditional Paper Holiday Ornaments

Participants will learn to make traditional sPA German Folded paper stars and Scherenschnitte Christmas designs. Scherenschnitte is a traditional art of PA German scissor cutting.

Cost: \$53 Instructor: Sue Oiler

November 5

Family Prize Bingo

Trinity Lutheran Church in Bangor will be having a Family Prize Bingo. There will be lots of Prizes to choose from for both Kids & Adults

Cost is \$2 for 3 Boards per Bingo Packet

Daubers are Available for Purchase

Hot Dogs, Chips, Candy, Soda, Water, Juice, Coffee, Tea and Hot Chocolate will be available for purchase.

Sunday, November 5th

Doors will open at 1pm

Bingo will begin at 1:30pm

Please call the church office, 610-588-2023, if you have any questions.

November 9

Project WILD Teacher Workshop

Thursday, November 9 at 9:00am to 2:00pm

Learn how to teach science, math, language arts, music and more with an environmental focus using Project WILD lesson plans! Project WILD provides wildlife-based conservation and environmental education activities that are hands-on, easy to use, and fun. We will introduce activities that focus on Pennsylvania-specific wildlife and habitat and each participant will receive a book and activity guide filled with many innovative and interdisciplinary ready-to-use classroom and outdoor activities. This workshop is open to all K-12 educators and four and a half (4.5) Act 48 hours will be available. Please bring a packed lunch and snack, wear comfortable walking shoes, and be prepared for the weather. Registration for this workshop is required by Friday, October 27, 2023 and is limited to 25 participants. A \$25 registration fee is required and is due the day of the workshop.

You can view and register for community programs online at <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/>

[search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg](https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg)

November 12

Roseto Helping Hands Bingo

The Roseto Helping Hands is hosting a bingo at the Roseto Legion at 143 Garibaldi Ave on November 12. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Doors open at Noon with games starting at 1pm. Text 484-779-1088 with questions and to get tickets.

Armistice Day to Veterans Day

The Slate Belt Heritage Center will hold their monthly historic presentation on Sunday, November 12th @ 2:00 PM. Speaker for the afternoon will be Mr. Perry Morris, local historian and storyteller.

Mr. Morris will explain how Armistice Day transitioned into Veteran’s Day. He will also be reading a letter, written about Patriotism, almost 89 years ago. The Heritage Center will be paying tribute to all veterans, therefore, Veterans and their families are invited to the free program. Refreshments will be served. For additional information please contact: Karen Brewer @ 484-894-5661.

Holiday Bingo

The Washington Township Volunteer Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary are having their annual “Holiday Cash Bingo Game” on November 12, 2023 @ the Washington 920 Washington Blvd. Bangor. Doors open at 11am & games start at 12:30pm, kitchen will be open & no outside food or drinks are allowed. For tickets or information call Donna @ 484-298-0192, or Jill @ 484-226-7591.

K of C Dinner

Dinner Sunday, November 12, 11 am – 4:30 pm, 1860 W. Bangor Rd. All tickets must be purchased in advance. Tickets will be sold after every Mass through Nov. 5 for \$12, children under 8 are free.

Dinner includes spaghetti w/meatballs, sauce, salad, bread, coffee/tea and dessert. Take out is available.

For tickets: Jim Rose 610-533-9974 or Joe DeFranco 610-751-2330

November 17-19

Aladdin

Bangor Area Middle School will present Aladdin Novemver 17-19.

December 1

Tree Lighting With Santa in Washington Twsp.

More Details to come on Facebook.

December 2

Bangor Tree Lighting

Bangor Borough Holiday Artisan Market & Tree Lighting 45 Broadway, Bangor Saturday, December 2, 2023 At 1 Pm – 6 Pm

Join us downtown Bangor for the 3rd annual Holiday Artisan Market! Shop with an wonderful and unique selection of artisans! Be sure to enjoy delicious food from a variety of food trucks. Stick around for the live music, a visit from Santa and the town tree lighting.

Holiday Craft Fair

Trinity Lutheran Church in Bangor will be hosting a Holiday Craft Fair December 2 fro 11-4.

Vendors are Needed!

The cost is \$30 per 8' x 2.6' table.

We have 8' tables available for rent, \$5 each

Doors for Vendors will open at 7 am for set up and 9 am for the Sale

We will have both breakfast and lunch items available for purchase along with beverages, hot and cold and of course, snacks!

Please contact Linda to reserve your space, 570-730-7259. Deadline for reservations is November 25th

MD Performance Horses Sale

A sale on Saturday, December 2 from 10-2 in MD Performance Horses in Bangor.

Please help spread the word as I would like to reach more local businesses this season. They do not have to be horse related.

Single spaces reserved by Nov 15th are only \$15. PM me for more information or to send payment as I am the only contact for the event.

Only 50 total spaces available, first come first serve.

\$20 for a single space \$35 for a double. Entry level thru high end hunter, western, dressage tack, home decor, apparel and much much more! Single spaces are 12x12, doubles are 12x24.

Vendor set up begins at 8:30am. All vendors bring their own tables, saddle racks, clothing bars etc. WE DO NOT PROVIDE TABLES. Held indoors rain or shine. Food vendor on site.

All reservations must be paid in advance no exceptions. We are hosting the sale in our main indoor to fill with vendors, spaces are first come first serve. We also heaters if it happens to be chilly.

Marissa Beers is the ONLY contact taking reservations and Payments via Venmo or Check

December 3

Painting with A Purpose Christmas Edition

Painting with a Twist (Bethlehem, PA) Event by Pink Heals Lehigh Valley Chapter Sunday, December 3, 2023 At 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Save the Date to join us on December 3rd for another fun afternoon as we get into the Christmas

Spirit by painting Galactic Christmas Eve. We will add the link to register as soon as it becomes available.

Don't think you can paint? Don't worry; the instructors break it down step-by-step for you to create your very own masterpiece.

This event is open to those 18 and older. Those 13-17 are welcome to attend, provided they are accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Arrive 30 minutes prior and join us for a "happy half-hour" to unwind, mix and mingle.

50% of all proceeds go towards their benevolent fun to help those in need in our community..

December 13

Bangor Bands Winter Concert

Bangor Area High School Bands Winter Concert will be held Wednesday December 13, 7:30 PM in the Performing Arts Theatre 187 Five Points Richmond Rd Bangor, PA

March 9

POP Fusion Expo

Finally, a unique pop culture event for everyone to enjoy March 9 , 11-4 at the Palmert Park Mall! Whether you're into anime, comics, cosplay, or horror this will be an event for you!

Come dressed as your favorite character! Take photos with friends! Check out up and coming artists. Find your favorite comic books and more!

Are you interested in being part of the entertainment? Text or call (272)-200-8163.

To request a vendor registration text (272)-200-8163 or email kstocker@blueflameevents.co.

Vendor Cost = \$45 per space

May 11

Flash Back to the 70s in April 2024

We're flashing back to the 1970's! Put on your best hippie attire and join us for Plantstock, inside the Palmer Park Mall! Enjoy those 70's sounds playing while you shop with a variety of vendors and crafters selling everything including houseplants, garden supplies, and more! There will also be some non-planty vendors and crafters joining us for those who just aren't plant people. While you're there, be sure to enter the best dressed hippie costume and be entered for a chance to win a prize! Also, before you leave, stop and get your photo taken and receive a free digital download to take home! Saturday, May 11, 2024 at 11 AM

February 24

Magical Mind & Spirit Expo

The Magical Mind & Spirit Expo are coming 11am February 24 to the South Mall in Allentown!

Find yourself surrounded by alternative healing, natural & holistic vendors, mystical & magical vendors, guest speakers, and much more! We hope that you will join us for this magical day!

We're accepting unique vendors! We're also looking for guest speakers and demonstrators. To register text/call (272)-200-8163 or email kstocker@blueflameevents.co.

Not able to attend? That's okay! We have some fantastic advertising packages available that will guarantee your noticed at the event! For more information text/call (272)-200-8163 or email kstocker@blueflameevents.co.

March 16

Kilts & Shamrock Fest

Grab your best tartan and your luck shamrock and join us for the Kilts & Shamrock Fest 11am - 4pm March 16 at the South Mall.

Come out and participate in the best dressed tartan wearing contest and shamrock scavenger hunt.

While you're there be sure to check out our selection of unique vendors & crafters!

We're looking for unique vendors & crafters to join us for this event. To register text (272)-200-8163 or email kstocker@blueflameevents.co.

Advertising opportunities are also available! To request more information simply text/call (272)-200-8163 or email kstocker@blueflameevents.co.

Regular Events Calendar		
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<p>Thursday October 26</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 10-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-4. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - 6:00am - 8:00pm</p> <p>Pen Argyl Council Workshop - 7pm</p> <p>Plainfield Supervisors - 7pm</p> <p>Plainfield Twp Fire Co. Bingo - 6:30pm</p> <p>UMBT Development - 7pm</p>	<p>Thursday November 2</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 10-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Bingo - Plainfield Fire Co., 6:30pm</p> <p>Plainfield Environmental Advisory Board - Municipal Building, 7:00pm</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm</p> <p>Wind Gap Planning - 7pm</p>	<p>Tuesday November 7</p> <p>Bingo - Portland Fire Co., 7pm.</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 10-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Mission of Love Food Pantry & Clothes Closet - N. Main St., Bangor, 10-12</p> <p>Pen Argyl Woman’s Club Meets 1:30 pm St. John’s Lutheran.</p> <p>Plainfield Parks & Rec - 7pm</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm</p> <p>Wind Gap Boro Council - 7pm (Monday Holiday meet Tuesday)</p>
<p>Friday October 27</p> <p>Bingo - Wind Gap Fire Co., 6:45.</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 5:00am - 9:00pm</p>	<p>Friday November 3</p> <p>Bingo - Wind Gap Fire Co., 6:45.</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 5:00am - 9:00pm</p>	<p>Wednesday November 8</p> <p>Bingo - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 6:45 pm.</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>LMBT Recreation Board - 7pm, Centerfield building</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm</p> <p>Wind Gap Zoning - 7pm</p>
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<p>Sunday October 29</p> <p>Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2</p>	<p>Sunday November 5</p> <p>Fellowship Dinner - East Bangor UMC, 4-6.</p> <p>Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2</p> <p>All-You-Can Eat Breakfast - Bangor Elks 8-12pm. Adults \$10. Kid 6-12 \$6. Under 6 - Free.</p>	<p>Friday November 10</p> <p>Bingo - Wind Gap Fire Co., 6:45.</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 5:00am - 9:00pm</p>
<p>Monday October 30</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-4. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm</p>	<p>Monday November 6</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12 & 6-8pm</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - Open 1-8</p> <p>Slate Belt Senior Center - Open 8-3:30. Blue Valley Farm Show</p> <p>Pen Argyl Sewer Committee - 4:30 P.M. Council Chambers</p> <p>Pen Argyl Municipal Authority - 5:00 P.M. Council Chambers</p> <p>Washington Township Zoning Board - Municipal Building, 6:30 pm.</p> <p>Roseto Borough Council - Municipal Building, 7:30pm</p> <p>Lower Mount Bethel Supervisors - Meets Centerfield Building, 7pm</p>	<p>Saturday November 11</p> <p>Blue Mountain Library - 10-12</p> <p>Bangor Public Library - 10-4</p> <p>Columcille Tours - Free. 9:30-11:30. Meet at Stone circle.</p> <p>Slate Belt YMCA -8-4</p> <p>Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3</p> <p>Hope, Faith & Recovery Group, every Saturday, at A Clean Slate, 118 S. 1st, St. Bangor. 11:30am - 12:30pm</p>
<p>Wednesday November 1</p> <p>Bingo - Bushkill Fire Co. Doors 5pm. Bingo 6:45 pm.</p>		

Regular Events

Sunday November 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 November 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 November 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 November 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 November 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 November 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 November 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 November 19

Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.
Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2

Monday November 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 November 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 November 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
UMBT Planning Commission - Township Building, 7:30pm
Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm

Thursday November 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 - 8:00pmm

Friday November 24

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 November 25

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 November 26

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 November 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
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 November 28

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 November 29

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 ...

SLATE BELT CHURCH INFORMATION



Trinity Lutheran Church

404 Broadway Bangor (610-588-20)

telcbangor@frontier.com

Sunday worship 10:30am

Holy Communion: First and Third Sundays

Masks optional.

East Bangor UMC

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

Oct 21 A.A Meeting 8pm

Oct 22- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

(Live & on Zoom) 10:45 Fellowship Hour

(For Zoom, go to ebumc.org to sign in)

Oct 25 - 10:30am & 7pm - Bible Study

Grace Lutheran Church

5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth Pa 18064

Oct 22- 21st Sunday After Pentacost

Service of the Word 9:00am

www.gracebelfastpa.org 610-759-9080

Email: gracebelfast@rcn.com

Flicksville UCC

1337 Lower South Main St., Bangor

Pastor Ken Hess 610-588-4648

www.flicksvilleucc.com

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Children & Adult Sunday School 9:30

Worship at 10:45 AM

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church

703 South Delaware Drive Mt. Bethel,
18343

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

Email: 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

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, 610-588-55

2445 Lake Minsi Dr, Bangor

popbangor.org

poplbangor@gmail.com

Sunday Worship 9:45 am (Weekly

Communion) Sunday School 8:30 am

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.



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Bangor Library - New Books

New in the Bangor Public Library
October 13 - October 20

Adult Fiction

Wreck the Halls: A Novel by Tessa Bailey
Blood Lines: A Novel by Nelson DeMille
Murder in the Family by Cara Hunter
Lilith by Nikki Marmery
Twas the Bite Before
Christmas by David Rosenfelt
Christmas at the Shelter Inn by ReaAnne Thayne
Obsession by Stuart Woods

Adult Non Fiction

To Rescue the Constitution: George Washington and the Fragile American Experiment by Bret Baier
The Mysterious Case of Rudolf Diesel: Genius, Power, and Deception on the Eve of World War I by Douglas Brunt
History of Pen Argyl in Pictures 1982-2022 by Walter Cole
Counting the Cost by Jill Duggar
Failure is Not Not an Option: How the Chubby Gay Son of a Jesus-Obsessed Lesbian Found Love, Family, and Podcast Success...And a Bunch of Other Stuff by Patrick Hinds
The Democrat Party Hates America by Mark R. Levin
Democracy Awakening: Notes on the State of American by Heather Cox Richardson
Thicker Than Water: A Memoir by Kerry Washington

Easy Fiction

How to Catch Santa Claus by Alice Walstead

Junior Fiction

The Puppets of Spelhorst by Kate DiCamillo

DVDs

Fast & Furious
Transformers, Rise of the Beasts
ReplyReply to AllForward
More

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 for information about the library



COVID-19 VACCINE UPDATE

Everyone ages 6 months and older
should get an updated COVID-19 vaccine.

- ✓ Protection from previous vaccination or infection weakens over time
- ✓ This vaccine is a better match to fight common variants circulating now



Find locations near you: www.vaccines.gov



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Do you need antibiotics?



Antibiotics **DO NOT WORK** against viruses that cause colds. Talk to your healthcare professional about what you can do to feel better.

Visit www.cdc.gov/antibiotic-use/colds.html to learn about common colds.

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For those with moderately or severely weakened immune systems:

- You may get an additional updated COVID-19 shot if it has been 2 months since your last recommended updated COVID-19 shot.
- Talk to your healthcare provider to learn if you are able to



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Pen Argyl High School Fall Sports Schedule



Pen Argyl Golf (9-6)

Thu 8/10/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	W
Mon 8/14/	Pen Argyl @ Moravian Academy	L
Tue 8/15/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	L
Thu 8/17/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	W
Mon 8/21/	Pen Argyl @ Southern Lehigh	L
Tue 8/22/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	W
Thu 8/24/	Saucon Valley @ Pen Argyl	W
Mon 8/28/	Pen Argyl @ Salisbury	W
Tue 8/29/	Notre Dame G.P. @ Pen Argyl	L
Tue 9/5/	Moravian Academy @ Pen Argyl	L
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Northwestern	L
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	W
Thu 9/14/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	W
Thu 9/14	Pleasant Valley	W
Thu 9/21	Stroudsburg	W

Pen Argyl Girls Soccer (4-10)

Fri 8/25	Pocono Mt. West @ Pen Argyl	W 9-0
Tue 8/29/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	W 5-0
Thu 8/31/	Pen Argyl @ Northwestern	L 8-0
Tue 9/5/	Catasauqua @ Pen Argyl	W 7-0
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	L 5-1
Wed 9/13/	Northern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	L 7-1
Sat 9/16/	Pen Argyl @ Palisades	L 2-0
Mon 9/18/	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	W 5-0
Wed 9/20/	Pen Argyl @ Moravian	L 3-0
Tue 9/26/	Southern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	L 6-0
Thu 9/28/	Pen Argyl @ Saucon Valley	L 8-4
Mon 10/2/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	L 7-3
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	L 10-2
Tue 10/10	Lehighton @ Pen Argyl	L 4-0
Senior Day 10/2		

Pen Argyl Boys Cross Country (0-18)

Fri 8/25	Lion Invitational @ Moravian	2:50pm
Wed 9/6/	Bangor, Notre Dame Palisades, Pen Argyl Saucon Valley, Wilson @ Moravian Academy	4:00pm
Tue 9/12/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Palmerton, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh @ Bangor	4:00pm
Tue 9/19/	S. Lehigh Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Wilson	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Wilson, Saucon Valley, Palisades, Notre Dame G.P., Moravian Academy, Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Tue 10/3/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh, Bangor @ Palmerton	4:00pm
Tue 10/10/	Wilson, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	4:30pm

Pen Argyl Girls Cross Country (5-13)

Fri 8/25	Lion Invitational @ Moravian	2:50pm
Wed 9/6/	Bangor, Notre Dame Palisades, Pen Argyl Saucon Valley, Wilson @ Moravian Academy	4:00pm
Tue 9/12/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Palmerton, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh @ Bangor	4:00pm
Tue 9/19/	S. Lehigh Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Wilson	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Wilson, Saucon Valley, Palisades, Notre Dame G.P., Moravian Academy, Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Tue 10/3/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh, Bangor @ Palmerton	4:00pm
Tue 10/10/	Wilson, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	4:30pm

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Pen Argyl Football (5-4)

8/26/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	W 49-20
9/2/	Mahanoy @ Pen Argyl	W 43-13
9/8/	Pen Argyl @ Northern Lehigh	L 16-12
9/16/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	L 41-7
9/22/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	W 36-14
9/29/	Pen Argyl @ Minersville	L 35-20
10/7/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	W 21-17
10/14/	Schuylkill Haven @ Pen Argyl	L 28-21
10/20/	Pen Argyl @ Panther Valley	W 13-0
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm

Pen Argyl Tennis (3-9)

Mon 8/21/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	L 5-0
Wed 8//	Pen Argyl @ Salisbury	W 4-0
Mon 8/28/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	L 3-2
Thu 8/31/	Pen Argyl @ Palisades	L 3-1
	Notrre Dame ES	W 3-2
Mon 9/12/	Moravian Academy @ Pen Argyl	L 5-0
Wed 9/13/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	L 4-1
Thu 9/14	Southern Lehigh	L 5-0
Mon 9/18/	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	W 4-0
Wed 9/20	Pen Argyl @ Jim Thorpe	L 4-1
Thu 9/21	Saucon Valley	L 5-0
Mon 9/26/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl (Sr. Day)	L 5-0

Pen Argyl Girls Volleyball (4-10)

Mon 8/28/	Notre Dame G.P. @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Wed 8/30/	Pen Argyl @ Northwestern	L 3-0
Tue 9/5/	Southern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	L 3-0
Sat 9/09	Pleasant Valley	L 3-0
Mon 9/11/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	W 3-0
Wed 9/13/	Saucon Valley @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Thu 9/21/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	L 3-0
Mon 9/25/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Wed 9/27/	Pen Argyl @ Southern Lehigh	L 3-0
Sat 9/30	ESN @ Pen Argyl	W 3-0
Mon 10/2/	Catasauqua @ Pen Argyl	W 3-0
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	W 3-0

Pen Argyl Field Hockey (6-9-3)

Sat 8/26/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	W 1-0
Mon 8/28	Pen Argyl @ Moravian	L 3-0
Wed 8/30/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	W 2-1
Thu 8/31	Pen Argyl @ Lehigh	L 5-1
Wed 9/6/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Sat 9/9/	Pen Argyl @ Saucon	T 1-1
Wed 9/13/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	L 4-1
Sat 9/16	ESS @ Pen Argyl	W 3-2
Tue 9/19/	Moravian @ Pen Argyl	W 1-0
Thu 9/21/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	L 3-0
Sat 9/25	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	T 0-0
Wed 9/27/	Pen Argyl @ Wilson	W 1-0
Sat 9/30/	Pen Argyl @ S. Lehigh	L 5-0
Tue 10/3/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	L 3-1
Thu 10/5/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	L 1-0
Mon 10/10/	Pen Argyl @ N, Lehigh	W 1-0
Thu 10/12	Pleasant V. @ Pen Argyl	T 0-0
Fri 10/13	Pen Argyl @ Whitehall	L 1-0
Youth Day 9/16		
Senior Day 9/25		

Pen Argyl Boys Soccer (2-14)

Sat 8/26	Pen Argyl @ Shenandoah	W 3-2
Sat 8/26	TBA @ Pine Grove	L 3-0
Tue 8/29/	Pen Argyl @ Wilson	L 1-0
Thu 8/31/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	L 11-0
Tue 9/5/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	L 2-0
Thu 9/7/	Notre Dame G.P. @ Pen Argyl	L 8-0
Thu 9/14/	Pen Argyl @ Northern Lehigh	L 1-0
Sat 9/16/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	W 3-0
Mon 9/18/	Pen Argyl @ Salisbury	L 3-2
Wed 9/20/	Moravian @ Pen Argyl	L 7-0
Tue 9/26/	Pen Argyl @ Southern Lehigh	L 8-1
Thu 9/28/	Saucon Valley @ Pen Argyl	L 2-1
Mon 10/2/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	L 2-1
Wed 10/4/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	L 2-0
Wed 10/6	NDES @ Pen Argyl	L 2-1
Sat 10/7	at Jim Thorpe	L 8-3



Bangor High School Fall Sports Schedule



Bangor Girls Soccer (6-10-2)

Mon 8/25	ESN @ Bangor	W 11-0
Tue 8/26	Bangor @ Libery	T 0-0
Tue 8/29/	Bangor @ Northern Lehigh	L 6-0
Thu 8/31/	Palisades @ Bangor	L 3-0
Tue 9/5/	Bangor @ Salisbury	W 5-0
Wed 9/6	Bangor @ Stroudsburg	L 1-0
Mon 9/11	Bangor @ Pleasant Valley	L 2-1
Tue 9/12/	Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	L 7-1
Thu 9/14/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	L 8-2
Sat 9/16/	Bangor @ Palmerton	L 5-0
Wed 9/20/	Wilson @ Bangor	W 4-0
Tue 9/26/	Bangor @ Northwestern	L 3-0
Thu 9/28/	Catasauqua @ Bangor	W 5-1
Mon 10/2/	Bangor @ Notre Dame G.P.	T 3-3
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	W 10-2
Thu 10/5	Moravian @ Bangor	L 3-1
Sat 10/7	Bangor @ Northampton	L 1-0
Tue 10/11	NDGP @ Bangor	W 3-2
Youth Night 9/28		
Senior Night 10/4		

Bangor Boys Soccer (10-7-2)

Mon 8/25	Bangor @ ESN	W 12-0
Tue 8/26	North Pocono @ Bangor	L 3-1
Tue 8/29/	Northern Lehigh @ Bangor	W 3-1
Thu 8/31/	Bangor @ Palisades	T 1-1
Tue 9/5/	Salisbury @ Bangor	W 4-0
Thu 9/7/	Bangor @ Moravian	L 7-0
Tue 9/12/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	L 1-0
Thu 9/14/	Bangor @ Saucon Valley	W 1-0
Sat 9/16/	Palmerton @ Bangor	W 1-0
Wed 9/20/	Bangor @ Wilson	W 1-0
Fri 9/22	NDES @ Bangor	W 3-0
Tue 9/26/	Northwestern @ Bangor	L 2-0
Fri 9/29	Bangor @ ESS	W 2-1
Thu 9/28/	Bangor @ Catasauqua	W 5-0
Mon 10/2/	Notre Dame G.P. @ Bangor	L 6-2
Wed 10/4/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	W 2-0
Sat 10/7	Northampton @ Bangor	L 7-0
Mon 10/9	Wallenpaupack @ Bangor	T 0-0
M10/15	Southern Lehigh	L1-0 (2ot)

Bangor Field Hockey (10-7-2)

Sat 8/26/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	W 2-1
Mon 8/28/	Bangor @ Wilson	W 1-0
Wed 8/30/	Bangor @ Palisades	W 5-1
Tue 9/5/	Bangor @ Moravian	L 3-2
Sat 9/9/	N. Lehigh @ Bangor	W 5-0
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Palmerton	L 4-1
Wed 9/13/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	W 2-0
Tue 9/19/	Wilson @ Bangor	T 1-1
Thu 9/21/	Bangor @ Salisbury	W 2-1
Fri 9/22/	S. Lehigh @ Bangor	L 1-0
Wed 9/27/	Moravian @ Bangor	L 5-0
Fri 9/29/	Catasauqua @ Bangor	W 2-1
Sat 9/30	Bangor @ ESS	W 2-1
Mon 10/2	Pleasant Valley @ Bangor	W 5-0
Tue 10/3/	Bangor @ Northwestern	L 4-0
Thu 10/5/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	W 1-0
Sat 10/7	Bangor @ Northampton	L 5-1
Mon/10/9	Lehigh @ Bangor	T 1-1
Mon 10/16	S. Lehigh	L 1-0

Bangor Football (5-4)

8/25/	Bangor @ Palisades	W 36-8
8/31	Bangor @ Jim Thorpe	W 39-14
9/8/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	L 47-6
9/15/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	W 15-7
9/23/	Bangor @ Wilson	W 41-0
9/29/	Pottsville @ Bangor	L 17-8
10/6/	Bangor @ Lehigh	W 49-20
10/13/	Northwestern @ Bangor	L 35-6
10/20/	Bangor @ Blue Mountain	L 12-7
10/27/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	7:00pm
Senior Night 9/15		
Youth Night 9/29		
Homecoming 10/13		

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Bangor Cross Girls Country (11-7)

Fri 8/25	Lion Invitational @ Moravian	2:50pm
Wed 9/6/	Bangor, Notre Dame G.P., Palisades, Pen Argyl, Saucon Valley, Wilson @ Moravian	4:00pm
Sat 9/02	Bangor @ Northampton	9:00am
Sat 9/9	Bangor @ Open (DeSales)	9:00am
Tue 9/12/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Palmerton, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh @ Bangor (Senior Day)	4:00pm
Tue 9/19/	S. Lehigh, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Wilson	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Wilson, Saucon Valley, Palisades, Notre Dame G.P., Moravian Academy, Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Tue 10/3/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh, Bangor @ Palmerton	4:00pm
Tue 10/10/	Wilson, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	4:30pm

Bangor Cross Boys Country (12-6)

Fri 8/25	Lion Invitational @ Moravian	2:50pm
Wed 9/6/	Bangor, Notre Dame G.P., Palisades, Pen Argyl, Saucon Valley, Wilson @ Moravian	4:00pm
Sat 9/02	Bangor @ Northampton	9:00am
Sat 9/9	Bangor @ Open (DeSales)	9:00am
Tue 9/12/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Palmerton, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh @ Bangor (Senior Day)	4:00pm
Tue 9/19/	S. Lehigh, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Wilson	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Wilson, Saucon Valley, Palisades, Notre Dame G.P., Moravian Academy, Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Tue 10/3/	Wilson, Pen Argyl, Northwestern, Northern Lehigh, Bangor @ Palmerton	4:00pm
Tue 10/10/	Wilson, Salisbury, Pen Argyl, Catasauqua, Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	4:30pm

Bangor Golf (4-14)

Thu 8/10/	Moravian Acad @ Bangor	L
Mon 8/14/	Bangor @ Northwestern	L
Tue 8/15/	Bangor @ Saucon Valley	W 522-510
Wed 8/16	Bangor @ ESS	W
Thu 8/17/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	L
Mon 8/21/	Bangor @ Palmerton	L
Tue 8/22/	Bangor @ Salisbury	L 441-460
Thu 8/24/	NDGP. @ Bangor	L 438-503
Mon 8/28/	Bangor @ So Lehigh	L 349-436
Tue 8/29/	Palmerton @ Bangor	L 236-502
Wed 8/30	Pocono Mt. West @ Bangor	W
Thu 8/31/	Bangor @ Moravian Acad	L
Tue 9/5/	Northwestern @ Bangor	L
Wed 9/6	Bangor @ Easton	L
Thu 9/7/	Wilson @ Bangor	W
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	L
Wed 9/13	Northampton @ Bangor	L

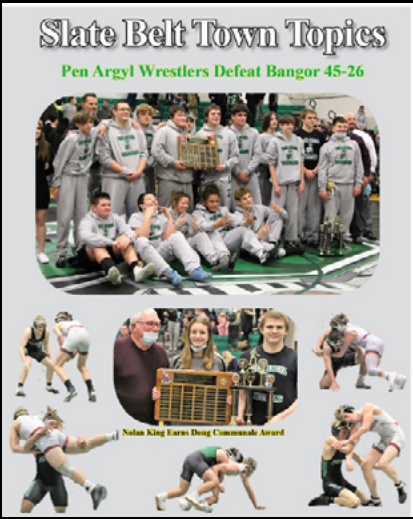
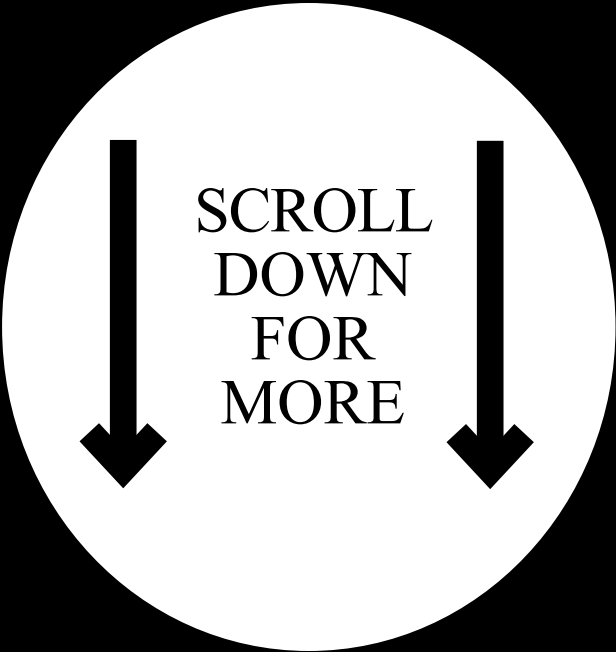
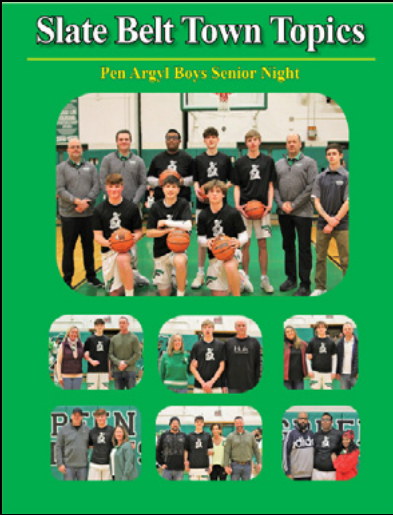
Bangor Tennis (9-9)

Mon 8/21/	Bangor @ Moravian Academy	L 5-0
Wed 8/23	Pleasant Valley	W 3-2
Fri 8/25	Notre Dame E.S. @ Bangor	W 5-0
Sat 8/26	Jim Thorpe @ Bangor	W 5-0
Mon 8/28/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	L 4-1
Wed 8/30	Pottsville @ Bangor	W 5-1
W 8/30	Liberty @ Bangor	L 5-0
Thu 8/31/	Wilson @ Bangor	W 3-2
Tue 9/5/	Bangor @ Salisbury	W 5-0
Thu 9/7/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	L 3-2
Wed 9/8	Stroudsburg # Bangor	L 5-0
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Notre Dame G.P.	W 5-0
Wed 9/13/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	W 4-1
Fri 9/15	Palisades @ Bangor	W 4-1
Sat 9/16	Bangor @ Easton	L 7-0
Mon 9/18/	Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	L 3-2
Wed 9/20/	Moravian Academy @ Bangor	L 5-0
Fri 9/22	Bangor @ Northampton	L 4-3

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