

Slate Belt Town Topics

NEWS TODAY NOT NEXT WEEK

WEATHER

AND YOUR HEALTH

Arthritis (0-Good 10-Worst)

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Asthma (0-Good 10-Worst)

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Sinus (0-Good 10-Worst)

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UV Index (11am - 4pm)

Safe - Moderate - High - Extreme

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Air Quality

Good - Moderate - Unhealthy - Worst

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Pollen (0-Good 12-Worst)

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Slate Belt Weather Forecast & Current Conditions

Slate Belt Public Libraries

Slate Belt Church Information

Special Events Calendar

Regular Events Calendar

High School Sports Schedules

OBITUARIES

Ruggiero Funeral Home

(Pen Argyl)

Gaffney Parsons Funeral Homes

(Johnsonville)

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PATRIOT DAY

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CALENDAR

Patriot Day | September 11
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Patriot Day on September 11th honors the memory of the nearly 3,000 innocent victims who died in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. Each year Americans dedicate this day to remembering those who died and the first responders who risked their own lives to save others.

For many, September 11, 2001, began like any other weekday. We made our way to work. Children attended school. We shopped, had coffee, waited in line at a drive-thru. Those of us who weren't in New York City heard the first reports on the radio or television. A friend or neighbor alerted us to a plane flying into one of the Twin Towers. We felt disbelief. An accident, perhaps, a miscalculation. Then, a second plane flew into the second tower. Our disbelief turned into uncertainty and concern.

Those on the ground faced terror and obstacles they had never known. But, then, as a set of coordinated suicide attacks organized by the militant group Al Qaeda targeted the World Trade Center, the rest of the nation witnessed the unbelievable. And then a third plane crashed into The Pentagon. And yet another crashed into a field in Shanksville, PA.

Every year since that fateful day, the United States comes together to remember the fallen. We remember the first responders and those who made difficult decisions. Since that day, memorials have risen from the ashes.

Observe moments of silence:

8:46 AM EDT – American Airlines Flight #11 collides into the World Trade Center

9:03 AM EDT – United Airlines Flight #175 collides into

the World Trade Center South Tower

9:37 AM EDT – American Airlines Flight #77 crashes into the Pentagon

9:59 AM EDT – World Trade Center South Tower Collapses

10:03 AM EDT – United Airlines Flight #93 crashes in Shanksville, PA

10:28 AM EDT – World Trade Center North Tower Collapses

Patriot Day History

September 13, 2001 – In the immediate aftermath of the terrorist attacks, President George W. Bush proclaimed Friday, September 14, 2001, as a National Day of Prayer and Remembrance for the Victims of the Terrorist Attacks on September 11, 2001.

August 31, 2002 – President George W. Bush proclaimed Friday, September 6, through Sunday, September 8, 2002, as National Days of Prayer and Remembrance.

September 4, 2002 – President Bush proclaimed September 11, 2002, as the first Patriot Day.

September 9, 2016 – President Barack Obama proclaimed September 11th as Patriot Day and National Day of Service and Remembrance,

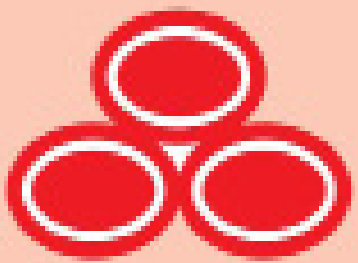
In 2017 and 2018, September 8–10 were declared as National Days of Prayer and Remembrance and proclaimed September 11 as Patriot Day. “During the National Days of Prayer and Remembrance, we pause to honor the memory of the nearly 3,000 innocent people who were murdered by radical Islamist terrorists.

Slaters Defeat Northern Lehigh 5-0 Record Improves to 4-1



PHOTO GALLERY

Photos: Lynn Cistone



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Voice of the Slaters Pete Nell Honored



The voice of the Slaters Pete Nell was honored recently for his 28 years of dedicated service to the Bangor Area School District school community, “Pete epitomizes the Slater Spirit.” Pictured above is Bangor Athletic Director Steve Panzcer presenting the award.

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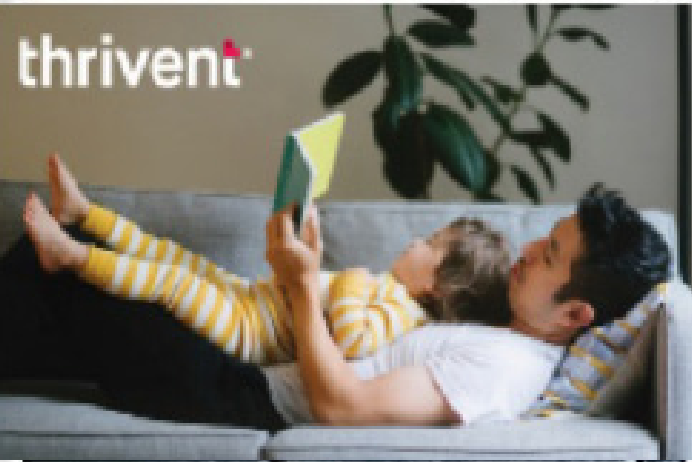
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First Place
Dr. Steve Blasi
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Second Place
Mikaela Olannic
Time: 20:27

PHOTO GALLERY

Photos: Larry Cory



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CHEVROLET

Bangor vs Southern Lehigh									Pen Argyl vs Northern Lehigh									
Passing									Passing									
Athlete Name	C	Att	Yds	C%	Avg	TD	Int	QB Rate	Athlete Name	C	Att	Yds	C%	Avg	TD	Int	Lng	QBR
Team Totals	6	14	76	.429	12.7	1	0	84.2	Team Totals	23	40	296	.575	12.9	2	1	70	87.1
Greg Campbell	6	14	76	.429	12.7	1		84.2	Brad Rissmiller	23	39	296	.590	12.9	2	1	70	89.3
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Rushing									Rushing									
Athlete Name	Car	Yds	Avg	Lng	100+	TD			#Athlete Name	Car	Yds	Avg	Lng	100+	TD			
Team Totals	27	130	4.8	23	0				Team Totals	15	6	0.4	6	0	0			
Jace Labar	1	18	18.0	18	0				Damian Tyminski	2	7	3.5	4	0	0			
Alex Farensbach	1	3	3.0	3	0				Alex Moser	1	0	0.0	0	0	0			
Jaxson Kreider	2	13	6.5	9	0				Brad Rissmiller	6	-9	-1.5	5	0	0			
Greg Campbell	13	73	5.6	23	0				Caiden Faust	6	8	1.3	6	0	0			
Riley Waldron	2	5	2.5	3	0													
Noah Hillis	8	18	2.3	6	0				Receiving									
									Athlete Name	Rec	Yds	Avg	Lng	TD				
									Team Totals	23	296	12.9	70	2				
									Damian Tyminski	10	167	16.7	70	2				
									Alex Moser	4	18	4.5	8	0				
									Mason Soos	5	44	8.8	14	0				
									Michael Thomas	2	43	21.5	33	0				
									Caiden Faust	2	24	12.0	13	0				
Receiving									Tackles									
Athlete Name	Rec	Yds	Avg	Lng	TD				Athlete Name	Solo	Asst	Tot Tckls	TFL					
Team Totals	6	76	12.7	30	1				Team Totals	25	32	57	5.0					
Gavin Nelson	1	9	9.0	9	1				Damian Tyminski	4	4	8	1.0					
Mj Siu (Sr)	2	37	18.5	30					Alex Moser (Sr)	2	0	2	.0					
Alex Farensbach	1	28	28.0	28					Mason Soos (So)	2	5	7	1.0					
Noah Hillis(2	2	1.0	2						Nuallan King (Jr)	3	4	7	1.0					
									Brad Rissmiller	5	5	10	.0					
									Michael Thomas (1	0	1	.0					
									Caiden Faust (So)	2	2	4	.0					
									Evan Keat (Sr)	2	2	4	1.0					
									G. Cunningham	2	6	8	.0					
									Kael Grim (Sr)	1	1	2	1.0					
									Ethan Holland	1	2	3	.0					
									Jacob Geary (Sr)	0	1	1	.0					
Tackles									<div>PUBLISH YOUR EVENT</div> <div>To publish info about your event, e-mail sbtopics@rcn.com Please send in text form. Do not send photos of text.</div>									
Athlete Name	Solo	Asst	Tot Tckls	TFL														
Team Totals	29	18	47	5.0														
Gavin Nelson		1	1															
Jace Labar	3		3															
Riley Stapp	1	1	2															
Alex Farensbach	1		1															
Jaxson Kreider		1	1															
Greg Campbell	7	2	9															
Jacob Hillis	1		1															
Kamal Crockett	2		2															
Anthony Pelucacci	1		1															
Tyler Scholato		1	1															
Riley Waldron	1	1	2	1.0														
Noah Hillis 3	1	4	1.0															
Jacob Weaver	1	2	3															
Dylan Krugh	2	2	4	1.0														
Michael Zheng		1	1															
Parker Sandt	1	1	2	1.0														
Aiden Bright		1	1															
Lowell Jones	1	1	2															
Tim Mclain	3	2	5	1.0														
Meysun Gray	1		1															



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Greg Campbell
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Gavin Nelson
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St. Luke's Employee Moonlights as Professional Wrestler

By day, he's Dan English, St. Luke's Manager of Inventory Control for the Anderson, Easton Warren and Monroe campuses, making sure all the different areas are stocked and ready to serve St. Luke's personnel and patients for the best experience possible.

But after work, the 39-year-old transforms into Dan Champion, a hulking 6-foot-5, 275-pound behemoth who recently won the Pennsylvania Premier Wrestling tag-team title with partner Havoc as Team B1G.

"We won in a no-rules match and we hit them with a chair," Dan said of the title-winning bout as Team B1G defeated Primal Fear in a Slatington Street Fight on June 17

.Big Dan has a big show coming up with SteelStacks Smackdown II in Bethlehem on

Saturday Sept. 16, featuring former WWE wrestlers The Godfather and D'Lo Brown. The show includes a fundraiser for new Bethany Ministries, which offers hope and support to local people who are experiencing poverty, hunger and homelessness.

"I try to do a lot of charity work by partnering with a local screen-printing company that promotes shows in the Lehigh Valley," Dan said. "During COVID we raised \$750 for the St. Luke's COVID-19 Response Fund. I am excited to help New Bethany on Sept. 16. They are one of my favorite charities," he said.

While Dan English is known to keep things light and in order with his team on the St. Luke's campuses, Big Dan Champion is an impressive athlete with size plus the agility of smaller, lighter pro wrestlers that make him a force to be reckoned with.

"At St. Luke's, my department is part of the supply chain, so we stock up all kinds of supplies for the different areas," Dan said. "We do have fun and try to keep it light, talking about sports or whatever to keep it loose."

Dan, who played high school soccer at Phillipsburg High School in New Jersey, loved watching pro wrestling on TV as a child. When he was in high school, he and several friends built a backyard ring and did their own wrestling shows. When he turned 18, he and some of his friends went to a now defunct wrestling school to learn the craft.

Weona Park Pool Pals

The Weona Park Pool Pals will meet on Monday, September 11th at the social room of the borough hall on North Robinson Avenue. The meeting will begin at 7:00. Upcoming fundraising events will be discussed. The public is invited to attend this meeting in our continued efforts to build a pool at Weona Park.



Moravian Museum Music & Lecture Series

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Dr. Andrea Lynn Smith, Professor of Anthropology at Lafayette College, will discuss her recent publication, *Memory Wars: Settlers and Natives Remember Washington's Sullivan Expedition of 1779*. Smith's research explores the public memory of the Sullivan Expedition (1779) of the Revolutionary War. This expedition, the brainchild of George Washington, led to the destruction of some forty Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) villages. Today it is the subject of over 60 historical markers in Pennsylvania and well over 200 in New York. In *Memory Wars*, Smith contrasts settler accounts with how the Sullivan story is expressed at Haudenosaunee cultural centers.

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Additional programs in the Museum Music & Lecture series can be found on the Moravian Historical Society's website: www.moravianhistory.org.

The Moravian Historical Society's Museum is open daily from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. and is located at 214 East Center Street, Nazareth, Pennsylvania.

Paint and Sip

Come for a fun-filled evening of creativity and relaxation 5:00pm October 21 at 299 Mill St, Belvidere, NJ, USA The Mill on Mill Street.

Grab your friends and unleash your inner artist as we guide you step-by-step in creating your own masterpiece. No experience necessary! Sip on your favorite beverage while you paint, laugh, and enjoy the company of fellow art enthusiasts.

Whether you're a beginner or an experienced painter, this event is perfect for everyone. Don't miss out on this opportunity to unwind, get inspired, and take home a personalized work of art. Book your spot now and let your creativity flow! This event is a BYOB. You can also venmo. <https://www.eventbrite.com/.../paint-sip-tickets...>

Solar Eclipse

On Oct. 14, 2023, an annular solar eclipse will cross North, Central, and South America and will be visible in parts of the United States. You'll be able to see a partial eclipse from the Nurture Nature Center at 518 Northampton St, Easton. An annular solar eclipse happens when the Moon passes between the Sun and Earth, but when it's at the farthest point from Earth. This is the last annular solar eclipse that will be visible from the United States until June 21, 2039.

Join us at NNC for special programming around the eclipse!

*During an annular eclipse, it is never safe to look directly at the Sun without specialized eye protection designed for solar viewing.

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September 12

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September 13

Monarch Tagging for Adults

Wednesday, September 13 at 10:00am to 12:00pm

During this program you will have the opportunity to participate as a citizen scientist for Monarch Watch, a conservation and research program based at the University of Kansas. Participants will learn to catch, handle, and tag monarch butterflies. We will also discuss current conservation efforts and ways that you can help the species to thrive throughout its life cycle. This program is for adults only. Registration is required. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>.

September 14

Weekly Weeders

Thursday, September 7, 14, 21, 28 at 8:30am to 10:30am

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September 15

Family Science Night: Monarch Madness

September 15 at 6:30pm to 8:00pm During this program you will have the opportunity to participate as a citizen scientist for Friday, Monarch Watch, a conservation and research program based at the University of Kansas. Participants will learn to catch, handle, and tag monarch butterflies. We will also discuss current conservation efforts and ways that you can help the species to thrive throughout its life cycle. This program is specifically for families with young children. Registration is required. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>.

September 16

Indoor Flea Market

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church will be holding an Indoor Flea Market/Crafts on Friday, September 15th, from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and on Saturday, September 16th, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Tables will be for rent: \$15 for one day or \$25 for both days. Lunch and a bake sale will be available. Contact Cheryl Hower (484-221-4197).

September 15-17

Pen Argyl Yard Sales

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

September 16

Library Yard and Bake Sale

The Friends of the Bangor Public Library will hold their annual "Yard & Bake Sale" on Saturday, September 16th from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, the lot on the corner of 4th & Market Streets.

Homemade baked goods as well as like new household items and books will be for sale. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Bangor Public Library. For additional information please contact:

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September 18

Learn About Water Safety

Interested in learning about water safety through hands-on experience?

Join rangers at Hidden Lake in the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area Sept 18, 11-2 to learn about water safety by getting properly fitted with a lifejacket, practicing paddling techniques, and learning the basics of hydrology!

Challenge yourself to a 'Throwbag Throwdown' by using water safety and rescue equipment.

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This event is subject to change at any time due to weather condition

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September 20

East Bangor Bible Study

The East Bangor United Methodist Community Church is having a Bible Study on Wednesdays beginning September 20 at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. The topics are the Pastoral Epistles of 1st and 2nd Timothy and Titus. The church is located at 136 W. Central Ave. (Rt. 512), East Bangor, PA. FMI, call 610-588-4453 or go to www.ebumc.org.

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September 23

Volunteer Event: Native Seed Dispersal

Saturday, September 23 at 9:00am to 11:00am

Fall is a great time to collect seeds from plants. We will learn about different native plants and their preferred habitats, collect the seeds from the native plant garden and disperse them around the park to enhance the wildlife value. Registration is Required. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>.

Beginner Archery

Saturday, September 23 at 1:00pm to 3:00pm

We're celebrating National Hunt and Fish Day! Learn the basics of archery at Jacobsburg! Join a park educator for two hours of learning and practicing field archery! Attendees must be at least 12 years old. No experience is required, and archery supplies will be provided. Registration is required. <https://events.dcnr.pa.gov/search/events?order=date&search=jacobsburg>.

September 26

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Author Luncheon

Pen Argyl graduate Ethan Joella will be the guest of the Blue Mountain Community Library Author Luncheon on Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2023 at Grace United Methodist Church, 404 E. Mountain Ave., Pen Argyl, PA. Doors open at 11:30 am and lunch begins at 12:00 pm.

Tickets are \$15.00 and includes a soup, a sandwich (both catered by Café on Broadway) desserts and beverage. All tickets MUST be purchased at the library through September 15, 2023 and will not be available at the door.

September 27

Cat Neutering

Sept 27 Cat Neutering Transport Pick Up Pen Argyl Municipal Parking Lot

You do not have to live in Pen Argy to schedule. This is a drop off /return location.

Communities within 25 minutes of Pen Argyl: Nazareth, Bath, Easton, Forks, Palmer, Plainfield and Bushkill Townships, Wind Gap, Bangor, Mt Bethel, Roseto, Saylorsburg, Kunkeltown, Portland, Brodheadsville, Stroudsburg/East Stroudsburg/Tannersville

It's less than a month away and the van is not close to half filled- we need 8 more PET cats and 3 feral cats to fill the van. To schedule go to www.nnnlv.org and click on Cat Transport 2023. This is an email application.

All healthy cats 3 months/3lbs and older qualify. Cats 6+ need bloodwork so they do not qualify for a transport.

FEMALE PET cat: \$90 includes rabies & distemper vaccines

MALE PET CAT: \$85 includes rabies & distemper vaccines

\$40 feral cat, male or female: \$40 includes a rabies vaccine, parasite treatments. A left eartip is required.

Lets fill this van! Its the last one this year.

September 28

Weekly Weeders

Thursday, September 7, 14, 21, 28 at 8:30am to 10:30am

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

September 30

No Pumpkin Way

Enjoy a family fun filled day September 30 in the Roseto Ball Park from 10-3.! Shop with unique vendors & crafters, purchase some Tricky Tray tickets for a chance to win some amazing baskets filled with goodies! While you're there, grab some delicious food! If you're feeling ambitious you can participate in the pumpkin throwing contest. Before you leave, be sure to get your FREE Fall digital photo! This event is FREE to attend and open to the public.

We're looking for vendors and crafters to participate in this event. To request a registration please text (272)-200-8163.

Sponsorship and advertising packages are also available for this event! For more information call (272)-200-8163 or [email blueflameevents@yahoo.com](mailto:blueflameevents@yahoo.com).

Bangor Marching Band Festival

The 45th Annual Bangor Area High School Festival of Marching Bands will be held 2:00pm Saturday September 30 at Bangor Memorial Park 90 Eisenhart Blvd, Bangor.

The festival will feature seven marching bands including Bangor and Pen Argyl.

For more information about the Bangor Band program see: bangorareabands.weebly.com

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 3

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October 7

Lukies Fall Festival

Lukie's Fall festival will be held from 11-5 at Weona Park October 7.

October 10

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October 14

Designer Purse Bingo

It's time for the second annual Designer Purse Bingo Wind Gap Fire Social Hall Octobre 14 at 5pm .Tickets are \$35 in advance and \$45 at the door. Beer and Wine Slushes will be included with your ticket. Tables are available to reserve on a first come first serve basis. We will have a tricky-tray and door prize! Doors will open at 4:00 and bingo will start at 5:00. We had so much fun last year and are looking forward to another fun night.

For further questions contact Kailey at (484) 626-3132

Interested In Joining 4-H?

Please come and join our meet and greet informational session to learn more about our club and the Northampton County 4-H Livestock Club **Opportunities available for the upcoming year!**

- Livestock not required for membership.
- Clover buds - ages 5-7 & 4-H members age 8-18
- Friendly and inviting session for anyone interested in learning more.
- Light refreshments will be provided. Live animals to meet.
- October 14th @ 2:00pm

DelBrook Fam, 5503 Berry Hollow Road, Bangor PA. 18013

For any other questions reach out to club leaders Julie Farrell - 908-343-5595 & Elena Poliskiewicz - 570-872-4470 .

Solar Eclipse

On Oct. 14, 2023, an annular solar eclipse will cross North, Central, and South America and will be visible in parts of the United States. You'll be able to see a partial eclipse from the Nurture Nature Center at 518 Northampton St, Easton. An annular solar eclipse happens when the Moon passes between the Sun and Earth, but when it's at the farthest point from Earth. This is the last annular solar eclipse that will be visible from the United States until June 21, 2039.

Join us at NNC for special programming around the eclipse!

*During an annular eclipse, it is never safe to look directly at the Sun without specialized eye protection designed for solar viewing.

October 15

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 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.

October 17

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October 19-21

Trinity Rummage Sale

A rummage sale will be held at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church at 404 Broadway, Bangor, October 19-21 from 8am to 2pm.

October 21

Paint and Sip

Come for a fun-filled evening of creativity and relaxation 5:00pm October 21 at 299 Mill St, Belvidere, NJ, USA The Mill on Mill Street.

Grab your friends and unleash your inner artist as we guide you step-by-step in creating your own masterpiece. No experience necessary! Sip on your favorite beverage while you paint, laugh, and enjoy the company of fellow art enthusiasts.

Whether you're a beginner or an experienced painter, this event is perfect for everyone. Don't miss out on this opportunity to unwind, get inspired, and take home a personalized work of art. Book your spot now and let your creativity flow! This event is a BYOB. You can also venmo.

[.https://www.eventbrite.com/.../paint-sip-tickets...](https://www.eventbrite.com/.../paint-sip-tickets...)

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

October 31

Pen Argyl Trick or Treat

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

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.

November 17-19

Aladdin

Bangopr 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.

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.





Veteran's Weekend Bingo

All Veterans Get an Additional 10 Free Games



Roseto Helping Hands

American Legion
143 Garibaldi Ave., Roseto, PA

November 12, 2023

Doors open at 12:00
Games begin at 1:00



PreSale Tickets
\$20 for 10 Games
\$5 additional 10 Games

At the Door
\$25 for 10 Games
\$5 additional 10 Games



Roseto Community Events

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

Yoga

LIMITED SPOTS
AVAILABLE
JOIN NOW

FOR STUDENTS OF
ALL LEVELS

CHAIR YOGA
ALSO AVAILABLE
FOR THOSE WITH LIMITED MOBILITY

*Classes begin September 6,
continuing each Wednesday
from 6-7p.m. for 6 weeks.*

*Lead by Becky Gillen - 200
hour Registered Yoga Instructor*

\$30.00 - 6 WEEK COURSE



CALL GREG AT 610-452-9348 TO REGISTER.

A Clean Slate will be hosting a six week yoga course beginning Wednesday, September 6, instructed by Becky Gillen, 200 hour registered yoga instructor. This class will explore the fundamentals of yoga while introducing the wellness benefits of aroma therapy and focus on mindfulness. Sign-up today and help bring balance to your self care!

How Litter IMPACTS WILDLIFE



- Wildlife can get their heads stuck in food containers, cups causing them to suffocate or starve to death
- Wildlife can get caught in plastic bags causing them to suffocate
- Cans and broken glass can cut wildlife, leading to infection and death
- Eating food wrappers can make wildlife sick or damage their digestive tracts, causing starvation
- Gum can get matted in feathers or fur, as well as string and netting, making it difficult to move
- Roadside litter can cause wildlife to be hit by cars
- Cigarette butts contain nicotine which is toxic to wildlife if consumed



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Regular Events Calendar

Monday September 11
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 September 12
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 September 13
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 September 14
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 September 15
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 September 16
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 September 17
Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3.
Slate Belt YMCA - 10-2

Monday September 18
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 September 19
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 September 20
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 September 21
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 September 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 - 8:00pm

Saturday September 23.
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 September 24
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 September 25
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 September 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
Washington Twp. Recreation - 7pm
Roseto Zoning - 7pm
Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm
UMBT Zoning - 7pm Room, 7pm

Wednesday September 27
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 -

Regular Events

Municipal Building, 3:30pm.
Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm
Plainfield Zoning - 6:30pm
UMBT Open Space Advisory 7pm

Thursday September 28

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
UMBT Development - 7pm

Friday September 29

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 September 30

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 October 1

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 October 2

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 October 3

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
Pen Argyl Woman's Club Meets 1:30 pm St. John's Lutheran.
Plainfield Parks & Rec - 7pm
Slate Belt YMCA - Open 6:00am - 8:00pm
Wind Gap Boro Council - 7pm (Monday Holiday meet Tuesday)

Wednesday October 4

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 October 5

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 October 6

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 October 7

Blue Mountain Library - 10-12
Bangor Public Library - 10-4
Columcille Tours - Free. 9:30-11:30. Meet at Stone circle.
Slate Belt YMCA -8-4
Slate Belt Heritage Center - Open 12-3
Hope, Faith & Recovery Group, every Saturday, at A Clean Slate, 118 S. 1st, St. Bangor. 11:30am - 12:30pm

Sunday October 8

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 October 9

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 October 10

Bingo - Portland Fire Co., 7pm.
Blue Mountain Library - Open 10-12
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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 Messenger St., East Bangor, 7:00pm

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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

Sept 2 A.A Meeting 8pm

Sept 3- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Sept 3 -Adult Sunday School

(Live & on Zoom) 10:45 Fellowship Hour

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

Grace Lutheran Church

5907 Sullivan Trail, Nazareth Pa 18064

Sept 3 - 14th Sunday After Pentacost

Holy Communion 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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The Breakaway: A Novel by Jennifer Weiner

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The Bo Crew Needs You! by Vicky Fang
Why We Need Teachers by Gregory E. Lang
It's Mine! By Leo Lionni

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Junior Non Fiction

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Ethan Joella Author Luncheon

Pen Argyl graduate Ethan Joella will be the guest of the Blue Mountain Community Library Author Luncheon on Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2023 at Grace United Methodist Church, 404 E. Mountain Ave., Pen Argyl, PA. Doors open at 11:30 am and lunch begins at 12:00 pm.

Tickets are \$15.00 and includes a soup, a sandwich (both catered by Café on Broadway) desserts and beverage. All tickets MUST be purchased at the library through September 15, 2023 and will not be available at the door.

Featured this year is Local author, Ethan Joella who will discuss his novels, "A Little Hope" and "A Quiet Life." Ethan's first novel, "A Little Hope" is a sweet and tender take on small-town life, community, family, and friendship. The author has crafted a story of ordinary moments that connect the characters in extraordinary ways with eventual forgiveness and redemption.

A graduate of Pen Argyl High School, Joella now resides in Rehoboth Beach, Delaware with his wife and two daughters where he teaches English and Psychology at the University of Delaware. Both books are available to borrow at the library and signed copies of Joella's books may be purchased at this event.

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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

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- 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 (5-5)

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
Thu 8/31/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	2:45pm
Tue 9/5/	Moravian Academy @ Pen Argyl	L
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Northwestern	2:45pm
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	2:45pm
Thu 9/14	Notre Dame E.S.	2:45pm
Thu 9/21	Mutiple Opponents	2:00pm

Pen Argyl Girls Soccer (2-1)

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	4:00pm
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	4:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Northern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Sat 9/16/	Pen Argyl @ Palisades	10:00am
Mon 9/18/	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Wed 9/20/	Pen Argyl @ Moravian	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Southern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Thu 9/28/	Pen Argyl @ Saucon Valley	4:00pm
Mon 10/2/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 10/7	Pen Argyl @ Lehigh	10:00am
Senior Day 10/2		

Pen Argyl Boys Cross Country (0-0)

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 (0-0)

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 High School Fall Sports Schedule



Pen Argyl Football (2-1)

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	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

Green & White Day 8/26

Shirt Off Back Day 9/2

Hall of Fame 9/16

Homecoming 10/7

Senior Day 10/14

Pen Argyl Tennis (2-3)

Mon 8/21/	Wilson @ Pen Argyl	L 6-0
Wed 8//	Pen Argyl @ Salisbury	W 4-0
Thu 8/24/	Southern Lehigh @ Pen Argyl	
Mon 8/28/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	L 3-2
Thu 8/31/	Pen Argyl @ Palisades	L 3-1
	Notre Dame ES	W 3-2
Thu 9/7/	Pen Argyl @ Saucon Valley	4:00pm
Mon 9/11/	Moravian Academy @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Mon 9/18/	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Wed 9/20	Pen Argyl @ Jim Thorpe	4:00pm
Mon 9/25/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl (Sr. Day)	4:00pm

Pen Argyl Girls Volleyball (0-4)

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
Mon 9/11/	Palmerton @ Pen Argyl	6:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Saucon Valley @ Pen Argyl	6:00pm
Thu 9/21/	Pen Argyl @ Notre Dame G.P.	7:00pm
Mon 9/25/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	6:00pm
Wed 9/27/	Pen Argyl @ Southern Lehigh	6:00pm
Mon 10/2/	Catasauqua @ Pen Argyl	6:00pm
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	6:00pm
Mon 10/9/	Pen Argyl @ Saucon Valley	6:00pm

Pen Argyl Field Hockey (2-1-3)

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
Mon 9/11/	Pen Argyl @ N, Lehigh	4:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 9/16	ESS @ Pen Argyl	10:00am
Tue 9/19/	Moravian @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Thu 9/21/	Northwestern @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Sat 9/23	Salisbury @ Pen Argyl	10:00am
Wed 9/27/	Pen Argyl @ Wilson	4:00pm
Sat 9/30/	Pen Argyl @ S. Lehigh	10:00am
Tue 10/3/	Pen Argyl @ Catasauqua	4:00pm
Thu 10/5/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Thu 10/12	Pleasant V. @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Fri 10/13	Pen Argyl @ Whitehall	3:30pm

Youth Day 9/16

Senior Day 9/23

Pen Argyl Boys Soccer (1-4)

Sat 8/26	Pen Argyl @ Shenandoah	W3-2
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	4:00pm
Thu 9/14/	Pen Argyl @ Northern Lehigh	4:00pm
Sat 9/16/	Palisades @ Pen Argyl	10:00am
Mon 9/18/	Pen Argyl @ Salisbury	4:00pm
Wed 9/20/	Moravian @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Sat 9/23	Jim Thorpe @ Pen Argyl	10:00am
Tue 9/26/	Pen Argyl @ Southern Lehigh	6:30pm
Thu 9/28/	Saucon Valley @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Mon 10/2/	Pen Argyl @ Palmerton	4:00pm

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Bangor High School Fall Sports Schedule



Bangor Girls Soccer (2-2-2)

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
Thu 9/7/	Moravian @ Bangor	4:00pm
Mon 9/11	Bangor @ Pleasant Valley	4:00pm
Tue 9/12/	Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	6:30pm
Thu 9/14/	Saucon Valley @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 9/16/	Bangor @ Palmerton	10:00am
Wed 9/20/	Wilson @ Bangor	4:00pm
Fri 9/22	Bangor @ NDES	4:00pm
Tue 9/26/	Bangor @ Northwestern	6:30pm
Thu 9/28/	Catasauqua @ Bangor	6:00pm
Mon 10/2/	Bangor @ Notre Dame G.P.	4:00pm
Wed 10/4/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 10/7	Bangor @ Northampton	10:00am
Youth Night 9/28		
Senior Night 10/4		

Bangor Boys Soccer (3-0-1)

Mon 8/25	Bangor @ ESN	W 12-0
Tue 8/26	North Pocono @ Bangor	12:00pm
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	4:00pm
Tue 9/12/	Southern Lehigh @ Bangor	4:00pm
Thu 9/14/	Bangor @ Saucon Valley	4:00pm
Sat 9/16/	Palmerton @ Bangor	10:00am
Wed 9/20/	Bangor @ Wilson	4:00pm
Fri 9/22	NDES @ Bangor	7:00pm
Sat 9/23	Wallenpaupack @ Bangor	11:00am
Tue 9/26/	Northwestern @ Bangor	4:00pm
Fri 9/29	Bangor @ ESS	3:30pm
Thu 9/28/	Bangor @ Catasauqua	4:00pm
Mon 10/2/	Notre Dame G.P. @ Bangor	4:00pm
Wed 10/4/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Sat 10/7	Northampton @ Bangor	10:00am
Youth Night 9/22		
Senior Night 10/2		

Bangor Field Hockey (4-1)

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	4:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Pen Argyl @ Bangor	4:00pm
Tue 9/19/	Wilson @ Bangor	4:00pm
Thu 9/21/	Bangor @ Salisbury	4:15pm
Fri 9/22/	S. Lehigh @ Bangor	4:00pm
Mon/9/25	Lehigh @ Bangor	4:00pm
Wed 9/27/	Moravian @ Bangor	4:00pm
Fri 9/29/	Catasauqua @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 9/30	Bangor @ ESS	11:00am
Mon 10/2	Pleasant Valley @ Bangor	4:00pm
Tue 10/3/	Bangor @ Northwestern	6:15pm
Thu 10/5/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Sat 10/7	Bangor @ Northampton	1:00pm
Youth Day 9/9		
Senior Day 9/13		

Bangor Football (2-1)

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	7:00pm
9/22/	Bangor @ Wilson	1:30pm
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
Senior Night 9/15		
Youth Night 9/29		
Homecoming 10/13		

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Bangor High School Fall Sports Schedule



Bangor Cross Girls Country (0-0)

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 (0-0)

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 (1-11)

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	12:00
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	3:00pm
Thu 8/31/	Bangor @ Moravian Acad	L
Tue 9/5/	Northwestern @ Bangor	L
Wed 9/6	Bangor @ Easton	L
Thu 9/7/	Wilson @ Bangor	2:45pm
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	2:45pm
Wed 9/13	Northampton @ Bangor	1:40pm

Bangor Tennis (3-3)

Mon 8/21/	Bangor @ Moravian Academy	L 5-0
Fri 8/25	Notre Dame E.S. @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 8/26	Jim Thorpe @ Bangor	11:00am
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	4:00pm
Wed 9/8	Stroudsburg # Bangor	3:30pm
Mon 9/11/	Bangor @ Notre Dame G.P.	4:00pm
Wed 9/13/	Bangor @ Pen Argyl	4:00pm
Fri 9/15	Palisades @ Bangor	4:00pm
Sat 9/16	Bangor @ Easton	10:00am
Mon 9/18/	Bangor @ Southern Lehigh	4:00pm
Wed 9/20/	Moravian Academy @ Bangor	4:00pm
Fri 9/22	Bangor @ Northampton	3:30pm

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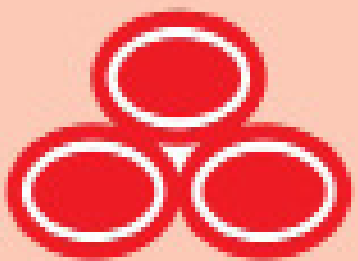
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Join rangers at Hidden Lake in the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area Sept 18, 11-2 to learn about water safety by getting properly fitted with a lifejacket, practicing paddling techniques, and learning the basics of hydrology!

Challenge yourself to a ‘Throwbag Throwdown’ by using water safety and rescue equipment.

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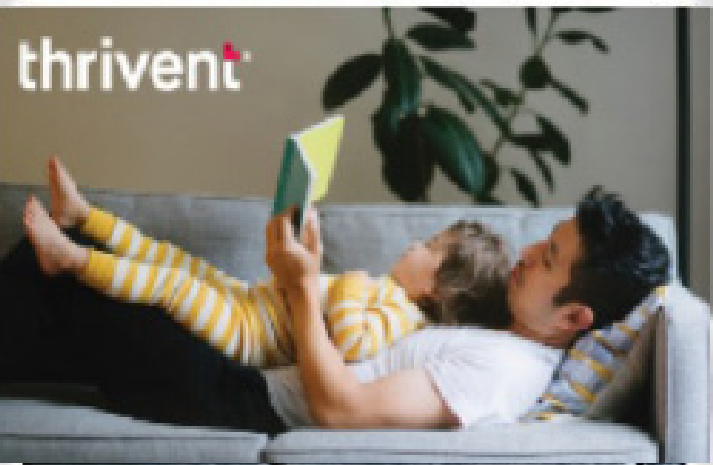
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Which Wedding Traditions Do Couples Want To Leave Behind?

The Bride Wearing A White Dress Is One Of The Traditions Considered Outdated (36%).

Talker Research

Forget walking down the aisle to “The Wedding March” — a new survey suggests couples are looking to make their wedding as unique as they are themselves.

A poll of 2,000 adults in serious relationships, engaged or married, split evenly by generation, revealed 68% feel it is important that their wedding is customized to be unique to them rather than follow tradition.

For 45%, that means hosting the ceremony in a place with personal significance.

Meanwhile, others agreed that it means ditching the same old tunes and choosing a different song to walk down the aisle (36%), leaving dress code norms behind (29%) and choosing an unconventional theme (18%).

One in five millennials would even take it a step further and incorporate a surprise performance by the couple, guests or a professional performer.

In fact, more than three-quarters (78%) of respondents feel weddings are more memorable when they reflect the couple’s lives.

Conducted by OnePoll on behalf of Minted Weddings, the survey revealed that regardless of how the couple chooses to customize their day, some traditions are best left in the past.

Customs like not seeing each other before the ceremony (36%) and wearing a white dress (36%) are considered outdated.

But that doesn’t mean guests should come in their all-white attire. Almost one in five (19%) Gen-Zers say wearing white is the rudest thing you can do as a guest, whereas only 2% of baby boomers would also take offense.



Top Locations For A Wedding Ceremony

- Beach - 24%
- House of worship - 23%
- Garden - 23%
- Backyard - 17%
- Banquet hall - 14%
- Hotel or resort - 12%
- National park - 9%



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Tomato Fight Leave Streets Awash In Red Pulp In Spanish Town's Tomatina Party

BUÑOL, Spain (AP) — Some 15,000 people, including many tourists, pasted each other with tomatoes Wednesday as Spain's annual "Tomatina" street battle took place in the eastern town of Buñol. Workers on trucks tipped 120 tons of overripe tomatoes into the main street of the town for participants to throw. The street fight leaves both the street, its houses and participants drenched in red pulp. Tickets for the festival start at 12 euros (\$13).



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Early Slate Belt Labor Day Celebrations Began in 1908

Bangor

The first recorded evidence of a Labor Day Celebration in the Slate Belt occurred in 1908 in Bangor, featuring many union men at the head of a Labor Day Parade.

The art on Main Street in Bangor decorated the street for the occasion, and Fitzgerald-Speer Company of Pen Argyl entered a float in the parade.

Two baseball games were scheduled for the day featuring Pen Argyl and the “All-Bangor Team” to be played at Flory’s Field on North Main Street.

There were plenty of speeches, and a picnic was held in the Lutheran Grove on Broadway.

In 1912, the main speaker was James Maurer, president of the State Federation of Labor and others “well known to the public were also on hand.”

It was decided that “no band would be employed for the parade unless its members belonged to the musicians’ Union.”

Pen Argyl

Labor Day celebrations in the Slate Belt reached a new peak in 1921 in Pen Argyl where Northampton County held its second celebration which would “far exceed any of its kind that was ever held in the county.”

Speeches by P.F. Duffy from the American Federation of Labor and others highlighted the day. Baseball games were played at Pen Argyl’s new “athletic diamond” at the recently constructed Weona Park.

The East Bangor Band held a concert throughout the afternoon, but the main event, however, was a “mammoth parade” with YMCA bands from Nazareth, Quakertown and Roseto. Nearly every labor organization in the county participated with over 2,000 union men.

Observed the first Monday in September, Labor Day is an annual celebration of the social and economic achievements of American workers. The holiday is rooted in the late nineteenth century, when labor activists pushed for a federal holiday to recognize the many contributions workers have made to America’s strength, prosperity, and well-being.

Before it was a federal holiday, Labor Day was recognized by labor activists and individual states. After municipal ordinances were passed in 1885 and 1886, a movement developed to secure state legislation. New York was the first state to introduce a bill, but Oregon was the first to pass a law recognizing Labor Day, on February 21, 1887. During 1887, four more states – Colorado, Massachusetts, New Jersey and New York – passed laws creating a Labor Day.



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Average American Employee Hasn't Had A Raise In 3 Years

Almost Six In 10 Men Believe Salary Is Influenced By Their Gender Compared To 54% Of Females

Talker Research

The average American employee hasn't received a raise at their current job in the last three years.

That's according to a recent OnePoll survey of 2,000 American adults ahead of Labor Day.

Although Labor Day's core mission is to celebrate workers' contributions to America, 46% out of the 1,859 employees polled said they feel "somewhat recognized" at work, while 8% said they don't feel recognized at all.

Respondents also laid out their top concerns about the current workforce, with Gen Z saying they're more concerned about the nationwide worker strikes than the lack of job security (69% vs. 49%).

Meanwhile, half of millennials surveyed were more worried about salary cuts (53%) than wage gaps (49%) and worker strikes (45%).

The Gen X and boomer generations, however, had similar worries when it came to lack of job security (45% and 49%) and wage gaps (44% and 46%).

Regarding pay disparities, 73% of all adults agree the gender wage gap is still very real.

In fact, almost six in 10 working men believe their current salary is influenced by their gender (58%), compared to 54% of female employees.

When it comes to making a difference in the workplace, half believe speaking directly to management is the most effective way to pressure companies and bosses to improve work conditions and pay (51%).

Many also think labor/union strikes (49%), filing an HR complaint (40%) or posting on social media (36%) could positively change workplace conditions.

As worker strikes continue to dominate headlines, 41% of respondents said they previously participated in a labor strike, while 47% had never done so.

Of those who have participated in a strike, most protested for better work schedules (68%), higher pay (58%), better health insurance (56%) and to negotiate for better benefits (48%).

When asked if they currently belong to a union, 43% of workers said yes, while 43% said no.

Most union members said joining one was the best work-related decision they've ever made (93%).



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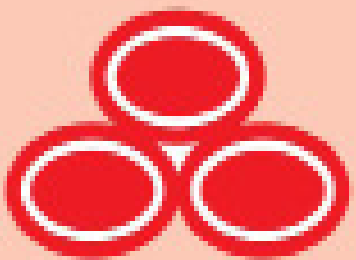
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Playing Newborn Babies Mozart Relieved Their Pain

Researchers Measured The Pain Levels Of 100 Newborns Blood Test

By Stephen Beech via SWNS

Playing newborn babies a Mozart lullaby relieved their pain during a blood test, suggests a new study. American researchers measured the pain levels of 100 newborns undergoing a heel prick blood test in New York as part of routine screening for conditions such as jaundice.

Half the babies listened to an instrumental Mozart lullaby for 20 minutes before and during the heel prick and for five minutes afterward, while the other half did not listen to any music.

Regarded as one of the greatest composers in history, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart composed more than 800 works before his death at the age of 35 in 1791.

The babies were, on average, two days old and born at 39 weeks, while just over half were boys.

As part of standard care, all the babies were given 0.5 milliliters of sugar solution two minutes before the heel prick was performed.

A researcher wearing noise-canceling headphones assessed the babies' pain levels before, during, and after the heel prick.

Pain levels were determined according to the babies' facial expressions, degree of crying, breathing patterns, limb movements, and levels of alertness.

The researchers accounted for the potential influence of other sensory inputs on pain levels by consistently performing the procedure in a quiet, dimly lit room at an ambient temperature and by not providing the babies with pacifiers or physical comfort.

The team observed similar pain levels in both groups of babies before the heel prick, with both groups having average pain scores of zero, out of a maximum possible score of seven.

But the pain score of babies who listened to the lullaby was "significantly lower" during and immediately after the heel prick, compared to those who did not listen to music.



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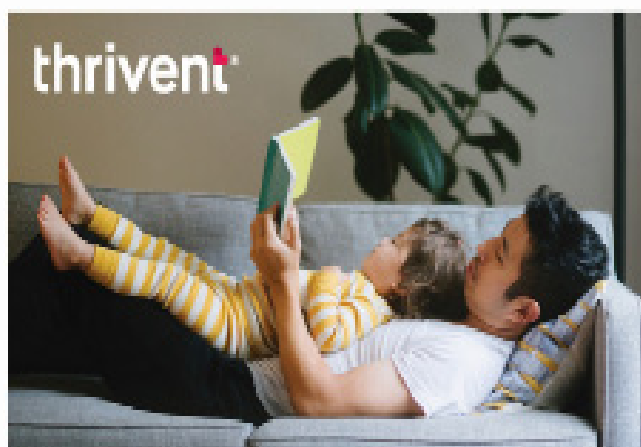
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