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Henry Arcangeli, 5, is getting the hang of hockey on the Madry-Kahlau Memorial Rink at the Wright Township Park.



Dayne Wadas, 8, takes a shot at the goal.



Mountain Peaks/Claudia Strycharz photos

Kenadee Wadas, 6, is learning to skate.

Freezing temperatures bring kids to newly renovated ice rink

The tragic death of a popular Mountain Top man on January 12 brought together the community, determined to restore, and revitalize the Wright Township ice rink in his memory. Tanner Kahlau died in a skiing accident at White-face Mountain Ski Center located in upstate New York, a short distance from Lake Placid.

Three days after learning of his death, friends, teammates, classmates, and community members

showed up at Wright Township park to volunteer their help to restore the ice rink where Kahlau spent many hours as a teenager. Jared McCune, a friend, and Crestwood ice hockey teammate of Kahlau, was the driving force behind the effort. McCune, hoped the rink could be named the Madry-Kahlau Memorial Rink in memory of Kahlau and the late Brian Madry, another former Crestwood ice hockey player who was killed in a 2011 car crash in Glen Summit.

McCune said he was determined to make restoration of the rink happen. "At first, I went into it planning to do it on my own time, with my own money," the 2018 Crestwood High School graduate related. But once word got out, the response to the GoFundMe site soared, as did the number of volunteers wanting to help. His ultimate goal is to completely refurbish the rink, installing a refrigeration unit under the concrete.



Seven-year-old Harrison George looks like a pro on the ice.



Kids enjoy some ice hockey practice at the rink.

Places To Go ... Things To Do ...

CANCELLED

MT. TOP SOCIAL CLUB

All regular meetings of the Mountain Top Social Club are cancelled until further notice. For information about the club call Rich at 570-751-6249.

UNTIL FEBRUARY 6 MYSA REGISTRATION

The Mountain Top Youth Soccer Association's spring soccer registration is now open. Registration is online, now through February 6, for ages U5 through U14. The spring age groups follow the same guidelines as fall/2020 age groups: for example, U5 will include players born during the year 2016, which means they will be turning age 5 during the 2021 calendar year.

The Mountain Top spring soccer season will run from April through mid-June. To register, please go to <https://system.gotsport.com> programs/77R268000?req_role = player.

Coaches and assistant

coaches can register at: https://system.gotsport.com/programs/507E25591?reg_role = coach.

More information is available at MYSA's website: <https://sites.google.com/view/mountaintopyouthsoccer/home>.

Additional updates are available on MYSA's Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1155202484502927//>

A hearty thanks to all who worked so hard to make the Fall/2020 soccer season a resounding success.

For any questions, please visit the MYSA Facebook page and send a message or visit the MYSA website.

UNTIL FEBRUARY 28 MT. TOP LITTLE LEAGUE REGISTRATION

The Mountain Top Area Little League is accepting registrations until February 28 at midnight. Registrations are online only. No late registrations will be accepted.

You will need to register your

child(ren) using their website, www.mountaintoparealittleleague.com. Once you are on the website, please log in to register your player(s). This site was used briefly in 2019 and you may have a login from 2019. If so, use that username and password to locate your account. If you have never registered your child(ren) using this website you will have to create an account.

Once logged in click, Register Now and follow the instructions. Please make sure all information is accurate as the site will use your child's birthday and address to verify division and eligibility.

Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 only the fundraising buy-out of \$35 is available for the 2021 season.

Any questions or concerns please contact mountaintoparealittleleague@gmail.com or call 570-262-4032.

FEBRUARY 13 VALENTINE'S DAY GOODY BAGS FOR CHILDREN

Mountaintop Family Church will have a Valentine's Day

Goody Bag drive through pick up on Saturday, February 13 from 9:30-11 a.m. for children in 6th grade and younger. Bags will include a craft and some Valentine's Day activities. Please register for bags by emailing katie@mfcchurch.com by February 8 with your name and number of children who would like bags.

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Local girls make holiday cards for nursing home residents

A group of young adults from St. Patrick's Church, White Haven and St. Jude's Church, Mountain Top, got together to make 90 holi-

day greeting cards and cookies for the residents and staff of Smith Health Care just in time for the Christmas and New Year holidays.



From left, Izzy Carlin, Katie Gallagher, Jackie Gallagher, Gabby Carlin and Giada Alberti hard at work on the holiday cards. Missing from photo is Shannon Jameson from St. Patrick's.

News in Brief ...



Mountain Peaks/Claudia Strycharz photo

One of the Ice Lakes has been dewatered in preparation for dam repair.

Work on Ice Lakes dam repair begins

Despite wintry weather conditions, the Ice Lakes dam outlet repair project in Rice Township is underway and on schedule, according to the project engineer.

At their November 4, 2020 meeting, township supervisors

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awarded a \$427,695 contract to Fabcor Corp. of Jessup to make repairs to the dam.

Township engineer Andrew Pasonick of Penn Eastern Engineering said Fabcor has begun the first step of the project, dewatering the lake. He explained the process will

lower the water level around the spillway by about six feet. Once that is done, a coffer dam made of large rocks covered by a waterproof membrane will be constructed around the spillway.

The coffer dam will allow engineers and the contractor to inspect the dam and determine exactly where they will drill

the for a new drainpipe. Before the drilling can begin, the state Department of Environmental Protection must give final approval of the plans, Pasonick noted.

Because the water level throughout the lakes has been lowered for the project, Pasonick said the lakes have been closed to the public for

safety reasons.

Township officials have been dealing with the Ice Lake dam issue for more than five years. In late summer of 2015, property owners around the lake notified the township, which owns the lake, that the water level was dropping. At the time, engineers determined the problem was a valve in a

14-inch drainpipe in the dam.

In mid-August of 2020, state Rep. Gerald Mullery (D-119) announced that the municipality was awarded a \$508,833 grant funded by the H20 PA and the Pennsylvania Small Water and Sewer Program for the dam project.

Hearing Board to consider two applications

The Fairview Township zoning hearing board will tackle the issue of whether to allow chickens to be raised in a residential area when it meets next week.

That issue will be one of two the board will consider when it meets February 10 at 6:30 p.m. at the municipal building.

Remona Mansilla-Perry filed an application with the board for a variance to keep chickens as an accessory use at 43 Farmhouse Road. The variance is required because the property is less than the required one acre.

The board also will consider an application submitted by Lanahu Ales, 12 Kirby Avenue, to amend the previously granted special exception granted by the board regarding hours of operation.

When the board granted the special exception for the micro-brewery back in 2019, the hours of operation were limited to Tuesday through Friday from 4 to 9 p.m. and Saturdays noon to 9 p.m. The owner of the brewery, George Menerich, has asked the board to amend the approval to allow him to operate seven days a week from noon to 10 p.m. The micro-brewery opened last November and was in

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The menu is the same for all buildings and locations for both virtual or in person. A breakfast menu will be provided once the school returns to hybrid/in person learning.

Week of February 8

Monday: Ham and American cheese on a roll or cheeseburger on a roll, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Tuesday: Turkey bacon club sandwich with cheese or buffalo chicken and cheese on a soft shell tortilla, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Wednesday: Tuna salad sandwich on a hamburger roll or sausage, egg and cheese on a croissant, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Thursday: Italian hoagie with cheese of beef and cheese burrito on a soft shell tortilla, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Friday: No school, Act 80 Day

Week of February 15

Monday: No School, Presidents' Day

Tuesday: Tuna salad over greens with dinner roll or breadstick or pulled pork barbecue on a roll, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

chicken fajita with cheese on a soft shell tortilla, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Wednesday: Ham and American cheese on a club roll or cheeseburger on a roll, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Thursday: Turkey bacon club sandwich with cheese or

chicken fajita with cheese on a soft shell tortilla, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

Friday: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich or chicken patty on a roll, assorted vegetables, assorted fruit, 100% fruit juice, low fat milk

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Fifth grade studies physics with Elf on the Shelf at St. Jude School

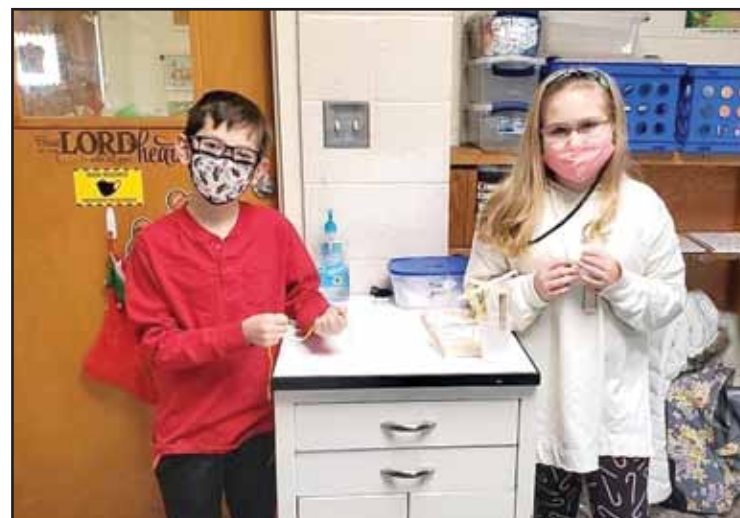
Anyone who has had an encounter with an Elf on the Shelf knows they can be pesky little beings. Let's not even talk about trying to catch one!

Recently the Saint Jude School fifth grade class was given the task of designing a trap to catch Santa's helpers in the act. Students were given a number of building materials and, with their partners, needed to build a device strong enough and tricky enough to outsmart the Elf on the Shelf.

At press time no elves had been seen, but the fifth grade class hasn't given up hope just yet!



Sam Amandola and Luke Gordon think their trap has the stuff to catch that elf.



Pull the string and you catch Santa's helper according to Collin Brenner and Zoe Pray.

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We've Got Mail ...

Resident frustrated with school district's response to request for information

Dear Editor,

Back in June 2020, after a local newspaper publication regarding a discussion of collaboration between the Crestwood School District (CSD) and Rinehimer Bus Co., to erect a 3 stall service garage and parking of buses on the secondary campus, Rt. 309, I sent an email to the CSD Superintendent, School Board, and Wright Township Supervisors. As of 28 January 2021, I submitted a total of 2 emails, A Right to Know (RTK) form, and 2 Appeals.

My emails went unanswered, other than the township advising they knew nothing about this matter. When CSD received my RTK form, they responded with an Attestation of Nonexistence of Records. In this aforementioned document, the district's Open Records Officer, advised that any appeal should be forwarded to "their" office. I sent them an appeal. No response. Still no fulfillment of original request for information.

I contacted Representative Gerald Mullery's office for assistance. I spoke to Chief of Staff, Mr. Cody Forgach. Mr. Forgach was extremely helpful in explaining my rights under the PA Right to Know Law (PA RTKL). More importantly, he advised that under this law, all appeals to any RTK requests, to any agency, are to be sent to the Office of Open Records (OOR), Harrisburg, PA. So, I send the 2nd appeal to the OOR. (Thank You Mr. Forgach for the assistance).

The OOR's Final Determination, 19 November 2020, was "The District has not proven that responsive records do not exist". Everything regarding the PA RTKL is time line driven. At the 11th hour, the District produced 3 emails, dated 8, 10, and 11

December 2020. 2 emails from District employees, 1 from Rinehimer. The District emails carried the familiar phrase, "There was only a discussion", while Rinehimer's said discussion.

So in the end, the District is sticking with there were no phone records, no meeting agendas, no meeting minutes, no inter board emails, no solicitor billings, regarding this matter. They didn't even admit to or provide a copy of the email interview they did with this paper. So when, where, and who participated in these discussion(s)? If this doesn't concern you, it should.

In the past 10 years, the CSD has spent a minimum of 3 million dollars on non-educational expenditures. Expenditures ranging from residential property purchases to building a field house. School taxes con-

tinue to be raised. And with their latest residential purchase, how many HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS will be spent on renovations to the house and/or school. Or will it be demolished like the other properties? There's been no significant increase in enrollment that justifies these expenditures. By their own reporting, enrollment was at 2803 in 2019, down from 2848 in 2016.

Whether you own a house, rent, lease, or have a business, taxes affect all of us. Just being a consumer of goods and services, we're affected by taxes. Local, county, and state taxes, determine where we live, and how we live. These are the areas where we have the most control. Everyone has A RIGHT TO KNOW. Those making decisions that daily,

directly, impact our way of life, need to be held accountable.

I found this 7 month quest for information quite revealing. It is my impression that the District lacks accountability and has no concern for the same. The arrogance was

obvious. The OOR does not cite or fine an agency when they intentionally mis-direct an appeal as happened in my case. The court makes that decision.

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operation just over a month when the governor announced another shutdown of bars and restaurants. That shutdown has since been lifted.

Gaming grant approvals will have to wait a little longer

Mountain Top municipalities, like those throughout the rest of Luzerne County, will have to wait a bit longer to find out if their gaming grant applications will be approved. The Commonwealth Financing Authority (CFA), which is tasked to the job of reviewing and awarding Local Shares Account (gaming) grants, was

scheduled to meet January 19. That session was postponed without any reason given. An authority spokesperson said when the meeting is re-scheduled, it will be announced on its website.

Just over a year ago, several Mountain Top municipalities submitted applications to the CFA for Local Share Account (gaming) grants totaling approximately \$1.6 million. Those applications, submitted to the CFA between October 1 and December 31, 2019, included requests for money to purchase equipment, pave roads and improve stormwater management. The CFA did not act on those grant applications last year and municipalities were invited to re-submit

applications by November 30, 2020. It was expected the CFA would consider those applications at its January 19 meeting.

Salt shed to be built in Slocum Township

Slocum Township supervisors plan to open bids for construction of a salt shed soon. Supervisors plan to construct a pole barn building for salt storage using Liquid Fuels funds.

In other news ...

Last month, the township donated \$400 to the Slocum Township Fire and Ambulance Co. to be used for purchase of a thermal imaging device. Last year, the ambulance company responded to more than 300 calls. Supervisor Charles Her-

ring said most of those calls were responses outside the township. Herring also said the fire and ambulance company will not hold its super bowl party this year due to Covid-19.

Tax sources produce higher revenue

Despite the Covid-19 global pandemic, revenues from two tax sources were higher than expected last year in Rice Township.

Township secretary/treasurer Jeffrey Beck told supervisors at their reorganization meeting that earned income tax and real estate transfer tax receipts were unexpectedly high in 2020.

Beck reported the real estate

transfer tax was \$18,798 over budget while earned income tax receipts were \$37,217 over budget. Those same categories were \$9,570 and \$32,470 respectively over anticipated budget receipts in 2019. Beck noted property tax revenue is volatile and difficult to predict.

As a result, Beck noted that the township recorded a surplus of about \$9,000, compared to an expected \$1,000 surplus.

In other news ...

Rice Township supervisors indicated they will be moving forward with plans to appoint a committee to address use of the Ice Lakes as a township recreation area. That commit-

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tee, however, will not just deal with the Ice Lakes, but rather recreation for the entire community.

Last August, when the supervisors announced the receipt of a \$508,833 grant funded by the H2O PA and Pennsylvania Small Water and Sewer Program to repair the Ice Lakes dam, some residents asked supervisors to also address sediment which has built up near the lakes' inlet, reducing its depth by several feet.

They suggested a committee be formed to look into that and other issues.

At the supervisors January 4 meeting, Tom Romanyshyn, member of the township planning commission, asked about the process of forming a committee for the Ice Lakes. Supervisors said they plan to appoint a township recreation committee that will address all aspects of recreation in the township, including the Ice Lakes.

"Rice Township recreation encompasses more than just the Ice Lakes," supervisor Rick

Arnold stated. He said the board feels it is important the committee address all aspects of recreation.

Supervisors said solicitor Jack Dean is working on a draft bylaws and committee composition. Supervisors assured the Ice Lakes residents that they will be represented on the recreation committee. They expect the draft by-laws will be ready for review in four to six weeks. Nanci Romanyshyn volunteered to be a member of the committee.

Supervisors approved a lease of a portion of the former Rice Township Volunteer Fire Company property to First Light Cable Co., subject to approval of the township solicitor. The firm will pay the township \$2,250 per month to lease the property through January 31, 2022.

They also approved a motion to award a net bonus of \$5,000 to secretary/treasurer Jeffrey Beck for his work associated with grant management.

Snow removal addresses in two townships

Fairview Township supervisors appointed Eric Aigeldinger and Marc Aigeldinger as extra snowplow drivers at a rate of \$15 an hour.

Wright Township supervisors are not happy with the way Luzerne County is maintaining its roads located in the township. At the recommendation of Howton, the township's road foreman, supervisors voted to send a letter to County Manager David Pedri expressing their dissatisfaction with road maintenance.

Howton said he has received



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numerous complaints from residents concerning snow removal, icy conditions, drainage problems and general road maintenance issues with county-owned roads. The supervisor said he has left numerous voice mails with the county road and bridge department and has not gotten a response.

He noted he made numerous calls over the last two years about conditions of Church Road, a heavily traveled roadway. He added that he made several calls to the county during two most recent snowstorms to get the county to plow its roads, all of which went unanswered.

In other news ...

They also acknowledged

receipt of a letter from Fairview Township formally notifying the township of its intent to withdraw from the Mountain Top Council of Governments compost facility at the end of 2021, as required by the organization's articles of agreement.

Howton reported the township also received a facility use request from Mountain

Top on the Move regarding its planned 2021 July 4 parade. Howton noted the request did not include a Covid-19 plan. Dianne Hoppersberger, president of Mountain Top on the Move, told Howton she would provide that information immediately and asked him to acknowledge receipt of the request, which he did.

Supervisors appointed Stan-

ley Gutkowski EMA coordinator and Hoppersberger as alternate.

Misericordia announces dean's list

Students at Misericordia University qualify for the dean's list with a 3.55 grade point average or higher. The following students were named to the dean's list for the Fall 2020 semester: Anna Carellas, White Haven; Marina Carellas, White Haven; Gene Daisey, Wapwallopen; Jade Fallbright, Mountain Top; Maxamiliano Gariano, Mountain Top; Abigail Harrison, Mountain Top; Colleen Hauck, Drums; Jonah Heiser, Drums; Arielle Jones, Mountain Top; Alexander Kubishin, Drums; Aoife McTavish, Mountain Top; Regan Mishanski, Mountain Top; Alaina Page, Mountain Top; Nicholas Toronzi, White Haven; Carlos Torres-Teran, Mountain Top; Katelyn Vols, Mountain Top.

Misericordia confers degrees to local students

The following are local Misericordia University students who received degrees on Sunday, December 20, 2020.

Rachel Bohn, Mountain Top, Physician Assistant Studies, MS; Kelly Gruber, Wapwallopen, Government, Law and National Security, BA; Joseph Grzech, Mountain Top, Doctor of Physical Therapy, DPT; Tricia Harenza, Mountain Top, Physician Assistant Studies, MS; Rebecca Norton, Mountain Top, Professional Studies, BS; Tami Pease, Drums, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, BSN; Kayla Michelle Roman, Mountain Top, Medical Imaging, BS; Karla Swartwood, Mountain Top, Business Administration, BS.

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Crestwood girls basketball recognizes senior players



#14 Julia Johnson

Julia Johnson is the daughter of Eric and Jackie Johnson. Outside of playing basketball, Julia is a member of the National Honor Society, French Honor Society, Interact Club, and French Club. She also plays lacrosse and runs cross country. After high school, Julia plans to attend college on the path of becoming a Physicians Assistant.



#15 Jaden Weiss

Jaden Weiss is the daughter of Joseph and Jennifer Weiss. Outside of basketball, she is a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Key Club, and Interact Club. She also participates in cross country and track. After high school, she plans to attend college on a career path focused on Health Administration.



#22 Helena Jardin

Helena Jardine is the daughter of Tony and Ann Jardine. Outside of basketball, Helena is a member of the National Honor Society, FBLA, Key Club, and the Lacrosse team. After high school, Helena plans to attend college and pursue a Physician Assistant degree.



#35 Breanna Kijek

Breanna Kijek is the daughter of Mark and Tammi Kijek. Outside of basketball, Bre is a member of the National Honor Society. After high school, Bre plans to attend college and pursue a degree in Early Childhood Education.



#44 Brianna Wickiser

Brianna Wickiser is the daughter of Dave and Juleann Wickiser. Outside of playing basketball, she is a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Key Club, Interact Club, and Prom Committee. Brianna intends to become a Physical Therapist.

Bloomsburg announces dean's list

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania congratulates the more than 2,200 students who were named to the fall 2020 Dean's list.

A full-time student whose semester GPA is 3.5 or higher

in 12 or more semester hours of course work for which a grade or grades are received are named to the dean's list.

Local students named to the dean's list are:


Mountain Top: Guilianna

Alberti, Nursing major; Chris Argenziano, Business Administration-Marketing major; Chloe Desanto, Undeclared major; Dianna Higgins, Pre Teacher Education-Early Childhood (PK4) major; Matthew Kelly, Business Administration-Management major; Schyler Kelsch,


Computer Science major; Matthieu Lacoste Professional Sales and Marketing major; Audralaine Mentrikoski, Speech Pathology/

Audiology major; Emily Munsdorf, Criminal Justice, Language-

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es and Cultures major; Michael Pinto, a Business Administration-Management major; Tyler Snipas, Mass Communication major; Nicholas Sorkine, Philosophy, Psychology major; and Emily Supko, Social Work major.

Wapwallopen: Kyleigh Kline, Business Administration-Finance major; Faith Moyer, Pre Teacher Education-Early Childhood (PK-4) major; Cameron O'Neill, Languages and Cultures, Philosophy BA major; Veronica Shreckengast, Pre Teacher Education-Secondary Education English major; and Taylor Stemrich, Early Childhood Education (PK-4) major.

White Haven: Alexa Hady, Business Administration-Management major; and Connor R. Kaminski, a Business Administration-Management major.

East Stroudsburg announces dean's list

A total of 1,543 students have been named to the Dean's List at East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania (ESU) for the Fall 2020 semester of the 2020-2021 academic year, according to Joanne Bruno, J.D., provost and vice president for academic affairs.

Students eligible for the Dean's List are those who have attained a 3.50 quality point average or better and are enrolled full-time. The letter grade "B" earns 3 quality points per credit, and the grade "A" earns 4 quality points per credit.

The following local students were among those named to East Stroudsburg University's Dean's List for the Fall 2020 semester:

Mountain Top: Catherine Koston, Hubert Herrera, Mackenzie Koslop, and Devin Sweigert.

White Haven: William Green.



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Saint Jude students take part in art contest

Saint Jude students recently took part in the Knights of Columbus *Keep Christ in Christmas* art contest. Students were asked to design a poster demonstrating the cen-

tral focus of Christ in Christmas. In the 5-7 age category winners were: Connor Cinoski, 1st place, Natalie Schlude, runner-up and Isabella Remak, 3rd place. In the 8-10 age category winners were: Kira

Millard, 1st place, Rhea Mascarenhas, runner-up and Mia Correll, 3rd place. In the 11-14 age category winners were: Eva Martin, 1st place, Kaitlyn Sweich, runner-up and Jessica Powis, 3rd place.



Isabella Remak takes 3rd place in the Knights of Columbus *Keep Christ in Christmas* art contest.



Bob Murphy and art teacher Mrs. Correll celebrate with art contest winners, from left, Kira Millard, Mia Correll and Rhea Mascarenhas.



Kaitlyn Sweich, Eva Martin and Jessica Powis are all smiles (behind those masks) after winning top prizes in the Knights of Columbus Art Contest.



Knights of Columbus representative Bob Murphy and art teacher Mrs. Correll congratulate Natalie Schlude and Connor Cinoski on their art award.



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The scholarship program is open to both new students and those already working towards their degree requirements. In past years, scholarships have been awarded to freshmen and upperclassmen, and previous winners have included a number of students from area high schools as well as local students attending colleges nationwide. Eligible applicants from previous years are encouraged to participate in this year's program.

Applications must be received by April 12, 2021. To obtain an application form, please text or call Elizabeth Jones at 570-239-6010 or contact any other member of the White Haven Lions Club.

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Hislops announce engagement of daughter

Don and Judy Hislop of Mountain Top are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Carly Ann Hislop, to David Anthony Levandoski, Jr., son of David and Annette Levandoski of Swoyersville.

Carly is a 2012 graduate of Crestwood High School, a 2016 graduate of Rosemont College with a Bachelor of Science degree in business management, a 2018 graduate of the Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law with a Juris Doctor degree and is an attorney with the Luzerne County Public Defender's Office.

David is a 2010 graduate of Holy Redeemer High School, 2015 graduate of the Pennsylvania State Univer-



Carly Ann Hislop and David Anthony Levandoski, Jr.

sity with a Bachelor of Science degree in surveying engineering and is currently employed in the Land Planning and Utilities sector of Quad Three Group, Inc. in Wilkes-Barre.

The couple was engaged on September 25, 2020 at an ele-

gant surprise backyard gathering with close family and friends arranged by David.

A May 2022 wedding is planned with Father Jack Lambert officiating the ceremony with a reception to follow.

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 Services: Sunday 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
 Saturday 6 p.m.
 JP Bohanan, Pastor
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Each Sunday, at 10:45 a.m. the church offers an online only worship service shared live from Pastor JP's study. They strive to make the service highly interactive by integrating new elements prerecorded by different persons in the congregation each week and by offering a chat feature for those who are able to participate live. These services remain available on demand on the church website. Sanctuary worship has been suspended in response

to the rising Covid cases in the area. When it returns, it will be on Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. in the sanctuary. Wear your mask and keep physically distanced. You can pre-register and be pre-screened via a weekly registration form.

For more information contact the church office at 570-474-6060, church email: ChristUMChurchOffice@gmail.com.

CONYNGHAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Services: Sunday 10:30 a.m.
 Graham Truscott, Pastor
 411 Main Street, Conyngham
 570-788-3960

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Pastor Collins is available at all times for pastoral care and concerns and may be reached at 443-521-3265.

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EMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services: Sunday 10:30 a.m.
 Louis Aita, Pastor
 7768 Blue Ridge Trail, Dorrance
 570-868-5675

Regular church services have resumed and they are following the CDC guidelines. They welcome visitors and friends to join them for worship every Sunday.

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Some upcoming events include: Friday, February 12: Youth and kid bowling event. Join them for a night of bowling and fun! Meet at the church at 6:15 and return at 8:30 p.m. The cost is \$10 per person. For more information, please contact Pastor Ben at 724-705-3986.

Also on Friday, February 12 from 6-8 p.m.: *Stay Married for Life* seminar. Join them as Pastor Keith teaches insightful strategies on having a successful marriage. The cost is \$20 per couple. There will be food, worship and fun!

Sunday, February 14: Faith Church Drums Super Bowl Outreach: Join them for an all day event. Guest speaker Pastor Taylor who has traveled the world preaching The Word of God will be with them. There will be artists, comedy, drama, dance, food, and more. For more information, please contact Pastor Ben at 724-705-

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tive that people wear masks, sanitize as they come in, and practice social distancing.

Good Shepherd will now be using a new camera system. The new system will allow you to watch all masses each weekend and also the daily mass. The quality of the video is outstanding. The link for these masses is: YouTube.com/channel/UCRogmn_HRMsPzA-q4XSysm3w.

All weekend Masses at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Saturday at 6 p.m. and Sunday at 8 and 9:30 a.m. will be available over your car radio. They ask that you park in the lower lot, to the left of the church, and tune your car radio to FM 98.3. You will be able to listen to the Mass over your radio in

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MOUNTAINTOP FAMILY CHURCH

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Mountaintop Family Church will have a Valentine's Day goody bag drive through pick up on Saturday, February 13 from 9:30-11 a.m. for children in 6th grade and younger. Bags will include a craft and some Valentine's Day activities. Please register for bags by emailing katie@mfcchurch.com by February 8 with your name and number of children who would like bags.

Mountaintop Family Church is holding modified Sunday services at 9 and 10:30 a.m. for one hour. They ask that anyone who has been sick, has recently been exposed to Covid-19, has a compromised health condition to join them for online services.

Sunday morning services are also available through live-stream: MFC Webpage: www.mfcchurch.com/live-stream; Youtube: search for Mountaintop Family Church; Facebook: go to Mountaintop Family Church Facebook page.

Students in grades 7-12 are invited to attend their own service on Sunday mornings during the 9 and 10:30 a.m. services. Students can join the adults in the sanctuary for wor-

ship and will then be taken to the Youth Room for the youth service. Students attending are asked to wear masks and observe social distancing standards.

Zoom meetings are being held throughout the week and the links for the Zoom meetings can be obtained by emailing Debbie@mfcchurch.com. Zoom meetings: Men's and Women's Groups are held on Wednesdays at 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Ground Zero56 for grades 5 and 6 and Starting Point Youth for grades 7-12 are both held on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. Canvas Young Adult Group is held on Thursdays at 7 p.m.

Please contact the church office at 570-474-0900 if you

have any questions or would like more information.

MOUNTAINVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Service: Sunday 11 a.m.
Brook Selby, Pastor
5126 N. Lehigh Gorge Dr.,
White Haven
570-580-0808

Join them on Zoom at 9:30 a.m. or in the building at 11 a.m. on Sundays for worship service. To view via Zoom contact Sarah Gardner for the link at 570-261-5064 or 410-703-6088. You can also view the services on the church's Facebook page.

Women's Sunday School meets at 10 a.m. before the Sunday service, The men's

Prayer Group meets after the service. The Women's Group meets monthly via Facebook with quarterly gatherings, contact Bonny. The Sermon Scripture Study group meets Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m., contact Dawn. Moms In Prayer meets 4 p.m. on Thursdays via conference call, contact Krystal.

There is a wide variety of other small groups available to join in person, via conference call or on Zoom.

For more information, please contact Pastor Brook 570-580-0808 or check out the Involvement page on their webpage at www.mountainviewNEPA.org

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Services: Sunday 9 a.m.

Pastors: Bob Thomas and Rev. Fran Fink

Lily Lake Road, Slocum

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For more information on church guidelines and services, please contact Diane Webster at 570-379-3713.

NEW HOPE WAPWALLOPEN CHARGE

Services:

Faith UMC: 8:45 a.m.

Stairville UMC: 10 a.m.

Slocum UMC: 11:15 a.m.

Scott O. Miller, Pastor

Stairville Road, Mountain Top

Sunday services are still

being held in each church.

For any needs or concerns, please contact: Faith UMC: Wilma Baratta at 570-200-5329; Stairville UMC: Christine Kellow at 570-868-3413; Slocum UMC: Charles Herring at 570-868-6478.

Pastor Scott can be reached by phone, text, or email at: 570-200-5388, email: somiller@susumc.org. Visit them on Facebook at New Hope Wapwallopen.

NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Services: Sunday

8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Pastor: John Broglin

570 S. Main Road, Mountain Top

570-868-5155

New Life Community Church, invites you to come and worship the way it used to be.

The church has reopened for in-person services at 50% seating capacity. Please bring your own Bible as they will not be

using the pew Bibles, hymnals or bulletins at this time.

Everyone is welcome to join them for a time of Bible study on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall. If you prefer to join in with Bible study using Zoom, please contact Pastor John.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MOUNTAIN TOP

Services: Sunday 11 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Interim Pastor: Neil Partington
9 Chestnut Street, Mountain Top
570-474-9951

You are invited to join in worship on Sunday, February 7, Children's Sunday School will resume at 9:30 a.m. on February 7. The adult class will also meet at 9:30 a.m.

To celebrate Superbowl Sunday, there will be a SOUPer Bowl collection to benefit the needy and those not able to

spend hundreds of dollars on Super Bowl snacks. There will be a Soup Bowl available in the sanctuary exit for donations to be given on exit from the service. Open your hearts and pockets for the less fortunate.

Looking ahead: The Jim Weaver Memorial Blood Drive is tentatively scheduled for March 27. Please watch for further information.

There are 2 sanitizing stations available, and masks will be required as well as social distancing. If you have been ill during the 2 weeks prior to any

service, you are asked to stay home and join in on Facebook or Zoom. They will continue to make the service available live on Facebook and for replay.

Please continue to mail your tithes if you are not attending in person.

On Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. there is a fireside chat/Bible study for anyone interested. These are Zoom meetings and can be joined on video at <http://PAiu.zoom.us/j/52653314753> or can be joined by phone at

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267-831-0333 meeting number 5263314753. These numbers will be the same for all meetings. Zoom is no longer available for Sunday worship.

The Mountain Top Food Bank is still open Fridays from 9:15 a.m. til 12 noon for those in need of food assistance. It is located at St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Route 309.

The church is also collecting diapers and sanitary products for Brandon's Forever Home. For more information see Elder Nancy Badal.

If you have any questions about the church or its ministries call 570-474-9951 or find them on Facebook: Presbyterian Church of Mountaintop PA.

ST. JAMES EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services: 9 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:15 a.m.

Oliver Brown, Pastor

**827 E. County Road, Wapwallopen
570-379-3878**

Sunday School will not begin until September 2021.

Boy Scouts Pack 300 is looking for kids to join. There are two scouts still in attendance, but some former members who have completed Eagle Scouts would like to get the troop back on track. The meetings will begin shortly. Watch for Troop 300 on Facebook or call Gay at 570-262-2762.

Confirmation classes have been postponed until further notice.

If anyone utilizes the flower chart please note flowers have increased to \$25 this year.

The church is in need of 3 people for council as per the bylaws, some of the council members must go off.

ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Services: Saturday 4 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 & 11 a.m.

**Father Joseph J. Evanko, Pastor
420 S. Mt. Blvd., Mountain Top
570-474-6315**

St. Jude Church is open for private prayer from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday to Friday. The Parish office is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday to Thursday.

Daily Masses have resumed following the regular schedule:

Monday to Friday, 7 a.m.

Weekend Masses have resumed with the normal Mass schedule. Registration is required for weekend Masses. Each Monday they will post the link for St. Jude parishioners to register for the coming weekend Mass. The link will be posted at www.stjc.org. Please refer to the website for all requirements. Any questions or difficulty with registration, call the Parish Office, 570-474-6315, ext. 221.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is Monday evenings from 5:30-7 p.m. in the St. Jude Adoration Chapel.

Ash Wednesday is February 17. The diocese has provided the parishes with the following instruction: "Parishes should NOT follow the usual practice of imposing ashes by thumb on the forehead of parishioners." Ashes are not required and we need to remember that having a disposition and intention of repentance is best. The ashes are an external sign of that internal reality.

Mass will be at 7 a.m. at St. Jude and 8 a.m. at St. Mary's with the distribution of ashes.

There will be no additional

Masses or services but they will provide the following options for the faithful to come to receive ashes in a safe manner following the approved protocols.

Noon to 1:30 p.m. the priests/deacons will be available for the distribution of ashes at St. Jude's; 4 to 5:30 p.m. the priests/deacons will be available at St. Jude's and St. Mary's. The priest/deacon will use a Q-tip for each individual to trace a cross of ashes on the recipient's forehead. If you are comfortable, please come during any of these times. No reservations are required.

St. Jude shrine is open to light a candle and say a prayer for one person at a time. This will be available the same times as the church private prayer hours, Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. As always, please follow the safety protocols when entering any building; face masks, hand sanitizing and social distancing.

Eighth grade confirmation students: Bishop Bambera plans to be at St. Jude on April 21 and 22 at 5 p.m. to celebrate

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Masses. Following protocols, they will only be able to fit the candidate, parents, and sponsor in church. They will live stream both Masses so that other family members and friends can participate in the celebration.

Please call Molly at 570-868-5855/570-262-4628, if you did not receive this email.

Data sheets are needed by March 1. Letters to the Pastor are needed by April 1. They will need a baptismal certificate (or copy) if your child was baptized in another church and hasn't received any other sacraments at St. Jude. Sponsors need a certificate of eligibility from their current parish including St. Mary and St. Jude sponsors, by calling either parish office. Certificates are needed by March 1.

The parish office is open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Parishioners are to enter through the front center doors of the church.

ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services: Sunday at 11:15 a.m.
285 Pond Hill Mt. Road
Wapwallopen
570-735-8531

The congregation of St. Mark's invites everyone to join them as they share God's Word and celebrate Holy Communion every Sunday.

St. Mark's is a small country church with a big Christian heart! They believe they are called to: Be the body of Christ: His heart, His hands, His voice!

Like them on Facebook, "St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Pond Hill PA", to see pictures and announcements.

ST. MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services: Sunday 10 a.m.
Rev. Daniel FitzSimmons, Rector
3085 Church Road, Mountain Top
570-868-5358

All services and activities are temporarily postponed.

The Episcopal Diocese of Bethlehem, of which St. Martin's is an independent parish, provides live streaming of Sunday worship service and other services throughout the week from the Cathedral of the Nativity. Go to diobeth.org for a full listing. Rev. Timothy Alleman, Priest in charge at their sister parish, St. Stephen's Pro-Cathedral in Wilkes-Barre, prays morning, noon and evening prayer on his Facebook page. He has also continued his healing services on Mondays and Wednesdays at noon.

For more information visit stmartintimeless.org or call Patty Siegel at 570-868-5690.

ST. MARY'S OF DORRANCE

Services: Saturday 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m.

Father Joseph Evanko, Pastor
3529 St. Mary's Road, Dorrance
570-868-5855

Updated guidelines for church: The cone will have a green welcome sign displaced alerting you that the doors are open and you may enter. As reservations increase you need to be mindful of protocols: sanitize your hands before entering and upon exiting; face coverings must be worn at all times; assigned seats are needed for weekend Masses; once seated you may not switch pews; if assigned a "wall" or "aisle" seat please sit at the end of the pew allowing distance for people at the other end of the pew; and requests for specific pews can-

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not be accepted.

Registration is required for weekend Masses. The link is posted on the church website and Facebook page, and emailed every Monday. Choose Saturday or Sunday then click that link.

Religious education: K-6 Stacey: 570-332-3801. It's not too late to register! This year, they are using a virtual (asynchronous) format using Flipgrid.com. For more information or instruction please contact your child's teacher or call Miss Stacey.

Confirmation: Grades 7 and 8. Molly: 868-5855/262-4628. It's not too late to register! Please call if you did not receive your book or if you have any questions or con-

cerns.

Service projects: In seventh grade two individual and one family project is required. In eighth grade three individual and two family service projects are required. Due to C-19, they are asking families to be creative. Reach out to friends, neighbors, and parishioners to check on them. Teach someone to use social media and watch Mass on websites and Facebook pages. Write about your experiences in your journal.

Visit Saint Mary's website: stmarydorrance.org; Facebook Page: Saint Mary's of Dorrance and Saint Mary's of Dorrance Youth Group or call 570-868-5855 for more info. Parish office is open Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Services: Saturday 5 p.m.

Sunday: 10:15 a.m.

Rev. Peter O'Rourke,
Sacramental Minister
411 Allegheny St., White Haven
570-443-9944

St. Patrick's Church welcomes all to visit and worship with them. Contact the parish office if you would like to become a member of the parish. Office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Safety guidelines for attending mass: Face masks must be worn covering the nose, mouth and chin. The only time a face mask may be adjusted is when receiving Holy Communion. Pews are marked for social distancing. Please maintain a safe social distance of six feet from others in all directions. The only exception is for families who live in the same household. The distribution of Holy Communion will take place

after the conclusion of Mass. At this time, communion received in the hand is preferred. Communicants will maintain social distancing in the communion line. After receiving communion, the faithful will depart the church and proceed directly to their vehicles.

If you would like information about joining the Knights of Columbus, please contact Jim Curto at 570-443-8494.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services: Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Rev. Michelle Kaufman, Pastor
316 S. Mt. Blvd., Mountain Top
570-474-6616

Join them on Sundays at 9 and 11 a.m. for drive in services. Everyone is welcome to join for worship. For those unable to join, Pastor has been recording services viewable on the church's Facebook page and website www.stpaulsmtp.com.

For those who cannot get out or are in need of assistance please contact the church office and leave a message for the secretary or contact Pastor Kaufman at 570-443-0832. They have several individuals who have offered to assist those in need. Office hours are Wednesdays from 3-7 p.m.

The Food Bank continues to distribute food to clients every Friday using safe distance practices. If you would like to drop off donations at the church, please do so on Fridays 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Donations are always welcome, and appreciated.

On Thursdays, Bible Study has resumed in the Parish Hall at 1 p.m. Tables have been set up to allow for participants to "social distance."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services: Sunday 9 a.m.

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Janelle Rothrock, Pastor
418 Berwick St., White Haven
570-443-9424

The church is using Zoom so you will still be able to attend services. It is held on Sundays at 10 a.m.

If you are not able to join with your computer, laptop, iPad, or smartphone, you can always call into the worship service. The number is 1-646-876-9923. Press the # sign after the prompt. The meeting room ID again is 557 531 789 and the password is 470085.

ST. PAUL'S DRUMS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Services: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

Adult Sunday School: 8 a.m.

Todd Glasmire, Pastor
335 W. Butler Drive, Drums

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF WHITE HAVEN

Services: Sunday 11 a.m.

Sunday School 11:15 a.m.

Bill Lester, Leader

305 Berwick Street, White Haven

570-443-7293

The congregation invites all to come and worship the Lord. If you are looking for a church home, they welcome you to come and worship with them every Sunday.

Sunday School is provided from September-June to children ages 4-12 during the worship service, after the Children's Moment. It takes place in the lower level of the church. They invite you downstairs in the Fellowship Hall for coffee, goodies, and fellowship after the service.

Al-Anon meets every Tuesday from 7-8 p.m. and Fireflies Youth Group meets Fridays from 6-8 p.m.

For more info on their group, check them out on Facebook at Fireflies Youth Ministry.

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ANTONIO 262-7652 **\$350,000**



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EVELYN 262-5956 **\$339,900**



MOUNTAIN TOP Custom built raised ranch on 3 acres. Many upgrades concrete cnttps, light fixtures, flrg, high efficiency heating & cooling. Shiplap thru out. 2.5 detached gar., paved drive, gutter guards, shed. MLS# 20-5425
PATTY 947-8445 **\$269,900**



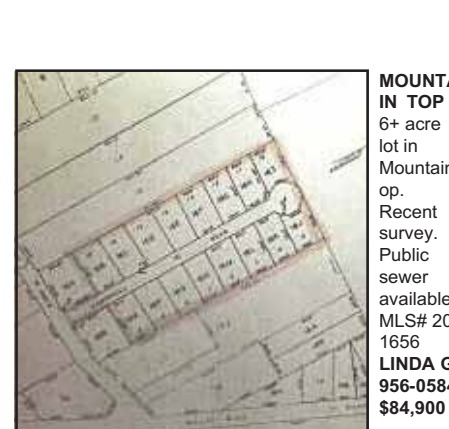
MOUNTAIN TOP Spacious ranch w/3BR, 3BA, lg private lot. Home features LL, hdwd flrs, new roof & newer furnace & windows. Beautiful addition w/ outlying wndws & vaulted ceil. Economical 2-zone gas heat. MLS# 20-5121
ANTONIO 262-7652 **\$189,900**



MOUNTAIN TOP Some updates can make this home shine! Spacious living space on main flr opens to rear deck. LL rec rm w/bar. Newer HW & well tank. Private yard! MLS# 21-0141
JILL 479-2517 **\$184,500**



MOUNTAIN TOP Unique property w/tons of opportunity. Residence has history & character; make it your own! Original stained windows to woodwork. 2BR & BA on 1st flr. Tons of add'l space on LL. MLS# 20-3594
STEFANIE 951-6724 **\$109,000**



MOUNTAIN TOP 6+ acre lot in Mountaint op. Recent survey. Public sewer available. MLS# 20-1656
LINDA G. 956-0584 **\$84,900**



MOUNTAIN TOP Phase 3C now open! Lot sizes may vary. Prices starting at \$64,900. Premium pricing on large lots. Public sewer and water, natural gas and curbs. Protective covenants apply. MLS# 20-0077
LISA 715-9335 **\$64,900**



MOUNTAIN TOP Beautiful 1/2 acre bldg lot in Penn Lake Park. View of the Lake! Penn Lake offers variety of seasonal activities, clubhouse, beach, hiking, etc. MLS# 20-1060
KRISSIE 599-5303 **\$35,000**