

RELIGION

David King To Appear Recording artist/evangelist David King will be appearing at Trinity United Church of Christ in Fort Loudon on Sunday, November 2, at the 10:00 a.m. worship service. David has been appearing at area churches, drawing large crowds with his music, sounds of inspiration with some of the most heart-touching songs in Southern gospel, contemporary and traditional Christian music and his message. All are welcome to attend the service. The church is located at 13189 Main Street in Fort Loudon.

Revival Knobsville Church of the Brethren will be hosting revival services November 2-5 (Sunday through Wednesday). The evangelist is Harry Strite from Stone Bridge Church of the Brethren. There will be special music nightly. Sunday School begins at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday morning worship services at 10:30 a.m. and evening services at 7:00 p.m. A fellowship meal will be held at noon Sunday, November 2. All are welcome. The church is located at 221 Knobsville road, just off Rte. 522. More information may be obtained by calling 717-987-3935.

Reformation Celebration Grace Christian Fellowship in Hancock is hosting a reformation celebration October 31 to November 2. Event includes a pie-baking contest, chili cookoff and free community lunch on Saturday, November 1. Additional activities will highlight the significance of the Reformation begun 500 years ago. For more details call the church at 301-678-6036 or visit www.gcfhancock.org.

Special Singing "The Country Christians" musical group will be presenting a performance on Sunday, November 2, at Fairview United Methodist Church, at 7:00 p.m. The church is located four miles north of Hustontown on North Hess Road. Light refreshments will be served following the program. All are welcome.

RECREATION

X Card Shoot X-card shoots will be held Friday nights until November 21, at 7:00 p.m., at Fulton County Rifle and Pistol Club. Enter to win a New England Arms 12 gauge pump shotgun when playing X card.

Bus Trip PA R PAC is sponsoring a bus trip to Atlantic City on November 1. The bus will leave McConnellsburg Legion at 6:00 a.m. Price is \$58 with \$25 payback with a meal ticket. Money must accompany reservations by October 24. Please call 717-485-9585 or 717-485-5529. Please leave message, call will be returned.

Christmas Bazaar A Christmas Bazaar will be held November 1 and 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at Pleasant Grove Christian Church, three miles west of Needmore. Lots of food and crafts will be available.

Bus Trip Modern Woodmen of America Camp 7948 is sponsoring a bus trip to New York City on Saturday, December 6. The bus departs McConnellsburg Courthouse at 6:00 a.m. A stop will be made for breakfast (on your own) at approximately 8:30 a.m. and will arrive in New York City near Macy's at approximately 11:30 a.m. Depart the city near Times Square area at 6:30 p.m. A stop will be made halfway home for supper (on your own). Estimate arrival back in McConnellsburg is 12:15 a.m. Cost for transportation is \$40 per person. Please send money for transportation by November 15 to Rick Clear, PO Box 624, Bedford, PA 15522 or call 888-623-6719.

SF Geography Club Trip Southern Fulton Area Geography Club will be traveling to England and Scotland for seven days in early June 2009. The trip is open to students and parents as well as to other community members. All students must be accompanied on the trip by a parent or guardian. Deadline to sign up for the trip is November 1, 2008. More information may be obtained by calling Heather Hollenshead at 717-573-4453.

Scrapbooking A crop session for scrapbookers will be held Sunday, November 2, from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., in the basement meeting room of the Lions Club Community Building. Bring supplies and learn some new scrapbooking techniques. Cost is \$8. Light dinner provided. Call FCPRC program director Chanin Mountz at 717-552-0071 for more information and to register.

Trap Shoots Fulton County Rifle and Pistol Club will hold Friday night practice trap shoots at 7 p.m., every Friday night now until November 21, 2008.

Yoga Classes for families with an autistic child will be held Thursday, October 23, 2008, from 6 to 7 p.m. in the Fulton Co. Medical Center Long Term Care Resident Dining Room. More information may be obtained by calling JoAnn Chilcote at 485-3967, Sue Jones at 485-0069.

Line Dance Fulton County Line Dance Club will hold line dance sessions every Wednesday (except the first Wednesday of the month) beginning at 7:00 p.m. at VFW Post 655, Poplar Street, McConnellsburg. All are welcome. Come and learn some new steps. A \$2 donation is appreciated.

Shooting Matches Hustontown Area Vol. Fire Co. will sponsor shooting matches beginning Saturday, November 1, at 1:00 p.m. Watch for further details.

Dance "Steppin' Out With Jesus," a formal dance for adults, will be held Saturday, October 25, from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., in Cito United Methodist Church fellowship hall. Cost is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. Formal attire is optional and refreshments will be served. To make reservations, call Karen at 485-4318 or Jenni at 485-5511. The event is sponsored by God's Girlz of the United Methodist Church and a portion of the proceeds will go to Pee Dee Indian Christmas Mission Project.

Christmas Bazaar St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 2 East High St., Hancock, is having its annual Christmas bazaar November 8 from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Door prizes every hour, raffle price is \$500 cash. Large variety of homemade crafts, snowmen, angels, gift baskets and more. Lunch will be served with soups, sandwiches and ham potpie.

Senior Center Activities McConnellsburg Senior Center activities for November are: nickel bingo, 10:00 a.m. - November 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 14, 17, 21 and 26; Chambersburg shopping, 9:00 a.m. - November 6; closed November 11; senior club meeting, 11:00 a.m., November 18; Thanksgiving dinner, noon, November 19; nutrition/craft class, 1:00 p.m., November 20; medicare program (Alan Smith), 10:00 a.m., November 24; closed Thanksgiving Day. To reserve a dinner, please write name on sheet at the center or call 485-5613 before 1:30 p.m. on the day before. Suggested donation is \$2.

THIS 'N THAT

Photo Contest Fulton County Parks and Recreation Commission is accepting photo entries through November 14 with the winning photo to be used in a community art room mural located in the basement meeting room of the Lions Club Community Building. Photos must depict a local location, event or even the people of Fulton County. Only adults and children residing in county are eligible to participate. Cash prizes given. Please call commission program director Chanin Mountz at 717-552-0071 or e-mail at chaninr@comcast.net for contest rules.

Raffle Postponed Needmore Volunteer Ambulance Service has postponed the raffle for the children's 4-wheeler. Tickets will continue to be sold until February 15, at which time the raffle and another bingo bonanza will be held.

Clothing Room Changed The clothing room at Saint Stephen Catholic Church scheduled for Tuesday, October 14, has been changed to Tuesday, October 28.

Tree And Shrub Fall Tour Franklin County Master Gardeners will offer a tree and shrub fall tour as part of their "Fall Gardening 101" classes on November 1 at 9:30 a.m. "Gardening 101" workshops are designed to provide basic gardening information and hands-on experiences for new gardeners or a refresher course for seasoned gardeners. The tour will be hosted by master gardener Elmer Greey, who will lead a 9:30 a.m. tour of his home garden which contains over 600 woody ornamentals, including many winter flowering trees and shrubs. Greey will give pruning tips, as well as suggestions for plants with four-season interest and ideas for landscaping and pushing climatic parameters. Classes are \$5 per person per workshop and preregistration is required. More information may be obtained by calling 717-263-9226.

Rain Barrel Workshop Franklin County Master Gardeners will offer a rain barrel workshop on Tuesday, October 28, at Cooperative Extension's new Ag Heritage building from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Rain barrels help homeowners conserve water, storing the water collected on a roof for later use in the garden. "For each inch of rain that falls on a 20-foot-by-50-foot roof, instructors explain, "600 gallons of water are collected." The workshop will cost \$25 and participants will take home a rain barrel to use at their home. The fee covers the cost of all materials used in constructing the rain barrel, which will be ready to attach to the homeowner's downspout system. Preregistration for the workshop is required. More information about this and other workshops may be obtained by calling 717-263-9226.

Holiday Picture Taking Holiday picture taking will be held at Pleasant Grove Christian Church November 1 and 8 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Wild Fire Presentation Woodland Owners of the Southern Alleghenies will feature a Power Point presentation and talk about fighting wild fires in the

west and how it differs from fighting fires in Pennsylvania at their annual banquet, November 11, at 6 p.m., at Apple Bin Restaurant, Rte. 56, Fishertown. It will be presented by DCCR forest fire specialist Supervisor Ray Miller and service forester Dave Scamardella. The public is welcome. Dinner choices include roast sirloin, roasted chicken breast and Alaska pollock. Reservations must be in by November 3, payable to WOSA and mailed to Carole Tresselt, 110 Long Bend Beach Rd., Hopewell, PA 16650. WOSA members \$16; non-members \$25. Please specify your dinner choice. For information, call 814 623-7399.

Free Veterans Assistance Jim Krobath will visit the F&M Trust office in Penn's Village Shopping Center in McConnellsburg on Tuesday, November 4. Free help and advice will be available for veterans and family members from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Veterans needing information or assistance at time other than the schedule visit can call the Harrisburg Center at 1-800-932-0930, e-mail at gvoac@comcast.net or visit gvoac.com.

Democratic Headquarters Open Democratic Headquarters in McConnellsburg at 123 South Second Street will be open Wednesdays from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.; Fridays, 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.; Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.; and Sundays, noon to 2:00 p.m. throughout the current political campaign season. These hours will be extended as the elections of November 4 draw near. The American flag will be flying during the open hours. More information may be obtained by calling 717-485-3386.

Christmas Gift Program To sign up children for the Fulton County Catholic Mission Christmas Program call Sister Margie at 485-5917.

MEETINGS

PARSE Meeting Pennsylvania Association of Retired State Employees (PARSE) has a 9:00 a.m. breakfast meeting on the second Wednesday of every month at McConnellsburg FOVA (VFW). All retired state employees and spouses are invited to attend. For additional information, call 485-4763.

Garden Club Meeting The North End Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 28, 2008, at the Knobsville Methodist Church. The luncheon meeting will begin at noon. Gina Knepper, owner of Butterfly Gardens in McConnellsburg, will be the guest speaker. All are welcome to attend. Please call club President, Joyce Tucker at 717-485-4789 for further information.

Pioneer Club Meeting Pioneer Club at Rock Hill Mennonite Church will be starting on October 22 and will run every Wednesday, November 5 and 19, and December 3 and 17, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. All children ages preschool thru teens are welcome to attend. Any additional information may be obtained by calling Stacy at 485-0122 or Kim at 485-9074.

Conservation Meetings Fulton County Conservation District Board of Directors monthly meetings for 2008 will be held: November 13, 10:30 a.m. and December 11, 10:30 a.m. The budget and finance, personnel and programs and services committees meet one-half hour prior to the regular board meeting. All district meetings are held in the Conservation District board room located at 216 North Second Street, McConnellsburg, unless otherwise noted.

Legion Meeting American Legion Post 561 active members regular meeting is the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. Auxiliary members meet the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Members of both organizations are urged to attend.

Parks & Recreation Commission Meetings Fulton County Parks and Recreation Commission has open meetings every third Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., at the old Jaycees building for anyone who is interested or would like to volunteer in any way.

Democratic Meetings Fulton/Franklin Democratic Club meets the third Tuesday of each month in Democratic Headquarters at 7:00 p.m., 123 South Second Street, McConnellsburg. Meetings are open to the public, light refreshments are provided and all are welcome. More information may be obtained by calling 485-3386.

Town Meeting Fulton County commissioners will host a town meeting on Thursday, November 6, at Warfordsburg Senior Citizen Center at 7:00 p.m.

REUNIONS

FR Class Of 1963 Reunion Forbes Road Class of 1963 will hold its 45-year reunion on November 8, at 5:00 p.m., at New Fort Family Restaurant in Fort Littleton. More information may be obtained by calling 717-485-4713 evenings after 6:00.

FOOD & DINING

Ham & Oyster Supper A all-you-can-eat ham and oyster supper will be served October 25 at Cove Valley Youth Camp, Mercersburg. Fried and scalloped oysters, ham, baked corn, baked macaroni, green beans, homemade pies and cakes, applesauce and apple crisp will be served. A proportioned takeout meal can also be purchased.

Roast Pork Dinner A roast pork dinner will be held at Clear Ridge Community Building November 8 beginning at 4:00 p.m. Roast pork and sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, applesauce and rolls will be served for \$6.50. Pork sandwiches, drinks and desserts also are available for sale. Cosponsored by Clear Ridge and Center United Methodist churches.

Pancake Supper Bedford Chapel Church on Rt. 643, 4570 Flickerville Road, Warfordsburg, will hold an all-you-can-eat pancake supper Saturday November 1, from 4:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Menu includes pancakes, buckwheat cakes, sausage, sausage gravy, scrambled eggs, coffee, and juice. Everyone welcome.

Election Day Spaghetti Dinner Saint Stephen Catholic Church is sponsoring an all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinner on Election Day, Tuesday, November 4. Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and dinner will be served from 4:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12 years of age. There will be meatball subs available at lunch time. Takeouts will be available for both meal times.

Breakfast United Methodist Church of McConnellsburg is having a breakfast on November 1, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., in the basement of the church. The menu is chipped beef gravy and biscuits, scrambled eggs, sausage, juice and coffee. Freewill donations will be accepted. Proceeds benefit UMC Building Fund.

Food Sale Warfordsburg Senior Center will be selling hot dogs, steamers, ham sandwiches, bowls of vegetable soup and bean soup along with baked goods, chops and sodas from 7:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on November 4. Carryouts available. Crafts and yard sale items will be on sale also. Come, vote, shop and have a bite to eat. More information may be obtained by calling 717-294-6020.

Turkey Supper A family-style turkey supper will be held Saturday, November 8, at the ladies auxiliary building in Shade Gap. Serving will begin at 4:00 p.m. with carryouts available.

Food Sale Warfordsburg Senior Center will be selling hot dogs, steamers, ham sandwiches, bowls of vegetable soup and bean soup, along with baked goods, chips and sodas on November 4, from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Come, vote and have a bite to eat. Carryout also. More information may be obtained by calling 294-6020.

Republican Dinner The Fulton County Republican Committee will be holding its fall dinner on Friday, October 24, at 7:00 p.m., at Hustontown Firehall. Speaker will be a representative of the McCain/Palin campaign. Cost is \$12 adults; \$6 children 6-12. For ticket information, call Mikeal Fix at 987-4218.

Food Sale A soup, sandwich and pie sale will be held at Clear Ridge Community Building Thursday, October 30, at 4:00 p.m. To order pies, call 717-658-7918 or 717-860-2708.

BINGO

Redneck Basket Bingo Redneck Basket Bingo to save the old high school building will be held Saturday night, November 22. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. in the old MHS High School Gym. A total of 24 games for \$25.00. For more information or tickets, call Kathy Kendall at 485-0221 or 485-4530, ext. 343, or buy tickets at the door. Food stand will be available.

Basket Bingo Basket bingo, sponsored by Southern Huntingdon Ridge Runners Relay For Life team will be held Sunday, October 26, at Shade Gap Ladies Auxiliary Building. Doors open at 1:00 p.m. and games start at 2:00 p.m. Tickets can be purchased now or at the door. Contact Kate Cowan at 814-259-3222 or Deb Snyder at 814-259-3397.

Bingo Needmore Volunteer Fire Co. will hold Wednesday night bingo.

Basket Bingo A benefit basket bingo for Herbert Koontz Medical Expenses will be held October 26, 2008, at Needmore Firehall. Doors open at noon and

games start at 2:00 p.m. There will be 20 games and four special, tip jars, door prizes, various specialty items for raffle and food beginning at noon. Call 717-573-2822 or 717-294-6182 to reserve seating.

Bingo Bingo with the MMP&W Volunteer Fire Co. is held the first and third Fridays of each month at the Fire Station, 132 North Main Street, Mercersburg. Cost for basic package is \$25. Jackpot cards are extra. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. and bingo begins at 7:00 p.m.

Bingo Bingo is held at the Mercersburg Moose Club every Wednesday evening beginning at 7:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Kitchen will be open.

Bingo Bingo is held every Saturday at Mercersburg Sportsmen's Club. Doors open at 5:00 p.m., bingo starts at 7:00 p.m.

McCbg. Bingo McConnellsburg Fire Co. will hold bingo every Monday and Friday of each week. Bingo starts at 7:00 p.m. and doors open at 5:30 p.m. A basket bingo will be held the first Sunday of each month. Bingo starts at 1:00 p.m. and doors open at 11:00 a.m. Forty games and meal plus snacks for \$25.

HEALTH

Tops Meeting TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets Monday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at Bedford-Fulton Head Start building. More information may be obtained by calling 717-485-4467 or 717-485-3874.

Medication Consultation Program "Pack Your Bag," a free medication consultation program by CVS Pharmacy, will be held at Warfordsburg Senior Center October 28 at 10:30 a.m. A local CVS pharmacist will be on hand to provide information on how to reduce risks associated with inappropriate medication use and an opportunity to ask questions about their prescription and nonprescription medications. To participate in a 15-minute one-on-one consultation, call the center at 294-6020 to reserve time and receive a free bag for medications.

Immunization Clinic Immunization clinic is held at the State Health Center in McConnellsburg on Thursdays. Call 485-5137 for information and appointment.

Flu Shots Fulton County State Health Center has free flu vaccines available. Please call 485-5137 for an appointment.

McConnellsburg AA Meetings The McConnellsburg Chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous will meet on Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m. every week at Lions Club Community building.

Pediatric First Aid Class A pediatric first aid class will be held October 26 at 4:00 p.m. at McConnellsburg Fire Co. Preregistration is required. Class size is limited. More information may be obtained by calling 717-729-4226.

Lupus Support Meeting Chambersburg Lupus Support Group will meet the second Monday of each month at Chambersburg Hospital at 7:00 p.m. For more information, contact Kathleen Rollins at 717-264-7099.

Nutrition Awareness Program Fulton County Nutrition Awareness classes are held every third Thursday of the month at the Senior Citizen Center in McConnellsburg, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. To register, call 717-485-5688, Monday to Thursday, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Free HIV Testing Free, confidential HIV testing and counseling is available at the Fulton County State Health Center, Penn's Village Shopping Center, McConnellsburg. Information or an appointment may be obtained by calling 485-5137.

Free Flu Immunizations for Fulton County residents will be given Wednesday, October 29, at McConnellsburg Senior Center from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Wednesday, November 5, at Warfordsburg Senior Center from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and at Hustontown Senior Center from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

2008 International And Military Mailing Dates Announced

The postal service has announced the suggested holiday mailing dates for international and military mailing.

To ensure delivery of holiday cards and packages by December 25 to military APO/FPO addresses overseas and to international addresses, it's suggested that mail be sent by the recommended dates listed below. Beat the last-minute rush and take mail to the post office by these suggested dates:

APO/FPO AE Zip Codes 090-092

Express mail military service: December 18; first-class mail letters/cards: December 11; priority mail: December 11; parcel airlift mail: December 4; space available mail; November 28; and parcel post: November 13.

APO/FPO AE Zip Codes 093

Express mail military service: not available; first-class mail letters/cards: December 4; priority mail: December 4; parcel airlift mail: December 1; space available mail: November 21; and parcel post: November 13.

APO/FPO AE Zip Codes 094-098

Express mail military service: December 18; first-class mail letters/cards: December 11; priority mail: December 11; parcel airlift mail: December 4; space available mail: November 28; parcel post: November 13.

APO/FPO AA Zip Codes 340

Express mail military service: December 18; first-class mail letters/cards: December 11; priority mail: December 11; parcel airlift mail: December 4; space available mail: November 28; parcel post: November 13.

APO/FPO AP Zip Codes 962-966

Express mail military service: December 18; first-class mail letters/cards: December 11; priority mail: December 11; parcel airlift mail: December 4; space available mail: November 28; parcel post: November 13.

Africa

Global express guaranteed: December 19; express mail international: December 12; priority mail international: December 4; first-class mail international: December 4.

Asia/Pacific Rim

Global express guaranteed: December 19; express mail international: December 17; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Australia/New Zealand

Global express guaranteed: December 19; express mail international: December 17; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Canada

Global express guaranteed: December 22; express mail international: December 18; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Caribbean

Global express guaranteed: De-

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Central & South America

Global express guaranteed: December 19; express mail international: December 12; priority mail international: December 4; first-class mail international: December 4.

Mexico

Global express guaranteed: December 22; express mail international: December 17; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Europe

Global express guaranteed: December 22; express mail international: December 17; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Middle East

Global express guaranteed: December 19; express mail international: December 17; priority mail international: December 11; first-class mail international: December 11.

Remember, all mail addressed to military post offices overseas is subject to certain conditions or restrictions regarding content, preparation and handling. APO/FPO addresses generally require Customs Forms.

Sorority News

Xi Eta Lambda, McConnellsburg Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, started the third quarter with Fulton County Fair Queen preparations using the theme "Rekindle the Torch of Friendship." On Sunday, August 10, five contestants enjoyed a tea hosted by the American Legion Auxiliary.

That evening the contestants entered a beautiful stage of gold and white, and Olivia Strait won the coveted title of Fulton County Fair Queen. She will represent the county at the state pageant in Hershey in January.

Beginning Day was held at Cordell Gardens in Greencastle. After touring the beautiful flower gardens, everyone enjoyed dinner at Antrim House Restaurant.

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