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Molly Pitcher Banquet

March 6, 2020

6:00 pm

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Molly Pitcher Award Banquet

Marjorie and Donald Mowery are this year's recipients of the Exchange Club of Carlisle's Molly Pitcher Award as the Carlisle Area Citizens of the Year for 2019.

The Molly Pitcher Award Banquet will be held on Friday, March 6, 2020 at the Dickinson College Holland Union Building with reception starting at 6:00 pm and dinner starting at 7:15 pm. During the banquet, there will be a brief performance by the Central Pennsylvania Youth Ballet.

The Molly Pitcher

NO MEETING

March 10, 2020 Too Close to the Molly Pitcher Banquet



Blue Ribbon Pin

Wear Blue Ribbons in April

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. The leadership of the National Exchange Club National club has asked all members to wear **BLUE** on Mondays in April to help raise awareness to Prevention of Child Abuse. Additionally, they asked members to wear a **BLUE RIBBON PIN** throughout the month of April.

In preparation for April, there will be **BLUE RIBBON PINS** available for everyone at the March 24, 2020 meeting.

Meetings



President Bob Taylor and Ivy Berry

February 11, 2020

Ivy Berry, EDSI Program Manager at PA CareerLink in Carlisle, PA, presented an overview of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Adult and Dislocated Worker Program. The three main goals of the program are to improve the quality of workforce, reduce welfare dependency, and enhance the productivity and competitiveness of the nation's economy.

PA CareerLink in Carlisle, PA is helping accomplish these goals by providing access to appropriate resources, training, and support services to individuals with significant barriers to obtaining or retaining employment in an occupation that will enable them to become selfsufficient. PA CareerLink also helps employers give people a chance by providing them with incentives like offsetting the cost of the employee's pay and matching them with tax credit incentives. They

help individuals between the ages of 15-72 obtain training, work clothing, a driver's license, a GED, write resumes, and find child care. PA CareerLink tracts clients for 6 months after employment to provide encouragement and help them keep their employment. Their main goal is for the clients to become self-sustaining.



Jessica Poe

February 25, 2020

Jessica Poe, the Community Impact Director of the United Way of Carlisle and Cumberland County, provided an overview of their Heating Assistance Program. The Heating Assistance Program is available in most states and all counties in PA. The program provides a maximum of \$300.00 a year towards the purchase of heating sources like fuel oil or wood pellets. The United Way does not assist with electricity or natural gas because those products are covered by other programs.

Individuals requesting assistance must use all other low income heating assistance programs before they are eligible for the United Way program, because others programs can provide more assistance than the United Way. Additionally, everyone must meet residency and income requirements. Since the income requirement for the United Way's program is 200 percent of poverty level, they help the working poor.

Jessica also explained the 2-1-1 Hotline. This phone number is similar

to the 9-1-1 Emergency Hotline; however, it connects individuals with contact information to services available in their area.

Participation Opportunities

Mar 6 (Fri) Molly Pitcher Award Dinner

- Awardees: Marjorie and Donald Mowery
- 6:00 pm Social Time in Holland Union Lobby, 7:15 pm Dinner and program in Holland Union Banquet Room
- Location: Dickinson College's Holland Student Union
- RSVP: February 25, 2020 (Wayne F. Shade, 53 West Pomfret Street, Carlisle, PA 17013)

Mar 24 (Tue) Regular Meeting

- 6:00 pm Social Time
- 6:30 pm Presentation: John Murray from the CENSUS
- 7:00 pm Dinner
- 7:30 pm Short Business Meeting

Apr 23-25 (Thu-Sat) Car Show Parking

- Apr 21 (Tue): 9:00 am Breakfast; 10:00 am Setup
- Apr 23-25: Timeslots available to help park cars
- Apr 27 (Mon): 9:00 am Breakfast; 10:00 am Teardown
- POC: Dennis Neilsen (profdvn@yahoo.com, 413-887-8877)

Mark Your Calendars

- Mar 6 (Fri) 6:00 pm Molly Pitcher Awards Ceremony
- Mar 10 (Tue) 6:00 pm No Meeting since too close to the Molly Pitcher dinner
- Mar 17 (Tue) 6:00 pm Board meeting at Minerva Mills
- Mar 24 (Tue) 6:00 pm Meeting at Cumberland Crossings

Presentation: John Murray from the CENSUS

Apr 14 (Tue) 6:00 pm - Meeting at Cumberland Crossings

Presentation: Youth of the Year Awards

- Apr 21 (Tue) 6:00 pm Board meeting at Minerva Mills
- Apr 23-25 (Thu-Sat) Car Show Parking
- Apr 28 (Tue) 6:00 pm Meeting at Cumberland Crossings

Presentation: Accepting the Challenge of Excellence Awards

May 22-25 (Thu-Sat) - Memorial Day Weekend Coffee Safety Break



A Few Words from the President . . .

I believe many of our members have already heard my reminder of just how important March is to our preparation for the many events taking place this spring. Of course, it is highlighted by the Molly Pitcher Awards banquet on the 6th of March at Dickinson College. There are, however, a number of upcoming events that we, as a club, must prepare for during the next few weeks.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention month. I need your help in developing plans to ensure that the Carlisle community recognizes the significance of this month. You will be receiving some additional emails outlining our activities to raise public awareness during April. You can, however, start planning on displaying your blue ribbons and to dress in something blue each Monday of the month.

Several of your Board of Directors are already busy organizing all the resources during March for one of our more critical events, Spring Car Parking (23-25 April). The most important resource, however, is you! I would ask ever member that has not already signed-up for this event to do so in the next few weeks. We need everyone's help to ensure that this event is successful, so we might continue our support to any number of key organizations in Carlisle.

Your Youth of the Year and A.C.E. Award committees are hard at work identifying this year's awardees. Mark your calendar now for our meetings of (14 and 28 April) respectively, when we recognize these special young people. These are two of our most enjoyable and memorable meetings of the Exchange year.

There are several other major events upcoming over the next few weeks and you will be receiving notices in the Newsletter and online. I do want to remind our members that we will not be meeting on the 10th of March, as it is too close to the Molly Pitcher Awards banquet. See you at the Molly Pitcher!



Set up - Wednesday 4/22/20, 10:00 AM (Breakfast 9:00 AM- Fairground Diner) John Murray D. V. Nielsen Terry Young Parking, Thursday, April 23: 7:00 AM - 11:00 AM (3 people) D. V. Nielsen Ken Stoltz Walt Wood 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM (3 people) Terry Young 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (3 people) 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (3 people) D. V. Nielsen Parking, Friday, April 24: 7:00 AM - 11:00 AM (4 people) Walt Wood Terry Young D. V. Nielsen 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM (3 people) 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (3 people) Lynda Cook 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (3 people) D.V. Nielsen Jody Nielsen Parking, Saturday, April 25: 7:00 AM - 11:00 AM (4 people) D.V. Nielsen Terry Young Jody Nielsen 8:00 AM - NOON (4 people) NOON - 4:00 PM (4 people) Gus Gustafson Walt Wood Bill Knouse Tear Down - Monday, April 27, 10:00 AM (Breakfast 9:00 AM - Fairground Diner) Walt Wood D. V. Nielsen John Murray

Spring 2020 Carlisle Car Parking Sign-Up List