



ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
LANCASTER COUNTY CHAPTER

NITTANY LINES

Volume XXV Number 8

EDITOR: DERRY MILLER, derrymiller@comcast.net

February 2017

Next Monthly Meeting:

Wed, Feb 22nd

6:15 Dinner/7:30 Meeting

All Members Welcome!

Loc:

Cat's Meow

215 S Charlotte St, Manheim

To RSVP, contact Rick Miller:

rick@backpagerestaurant.com

www.psulancaster.com/events

Chapter website at

www.psulancaster.com

designed and maintained by:


julie garman
DESIGN

Graphic Design
Website Design
Social Media

Ephrata, PA

717.625.3707

JulieGarmanDesign.com



PENN STATE NEWS

University community encouraged to participate in Strategic Plan forums

Stewarding Our Planet's Resources the focus of first forum
January 11, 2017

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. — As the University implements its long-range strategic plan that provides a vision for Penn State's future, a series of public forums will take place to gather ideas on putting the plan into action. Faculty, staff and students are invited to participate in those forums, starting with "Stewarding Our Planet's Resources" on Jan. 23.

Nick Jones, executive vice president and provost, said that as with development of the Strategic Plan, a crucial part of implementing the priorities and goals is for faculty, staff and students to share their ideas, ask questions and offer suggestions for areas of potential investment.

"We need and want all of the input we can gain from our community," Jones said. "The Strategic Plan is a living document, which means it evolves to help guide the University and provide a vision. Participation is crucial to our success."

The forums will take place throughout the spring semester with each one focused on one of the five strategic priorities for the upcoming five years. While different campuses are hosting each of the forums, faculty, staff and students across the University are encouraged to attend either in person or via livestream at

<http://strategicplan.psu.edu/events/>. Community members also can participate by sending questions or comments to strategicplan@psu.edu or by tweeting, using the hashtag #PSUplan.

The Office of the Executive Vice President and Provost and the Office of Planning and Assessment are co-hosting the forums, which are focused on the plan's thematic priorities:

- [Stewarding our Planet's Resources](#), 1-2:30 p.m. Jan. 23, Ostermayer Room, Student Community Center, Penn State Greater Allegheny;
- Enhancing Health, 1-2:30 p.m. Feb. 9, Morrison Gallery, Library, Penn State Harrisburg;

(cont. p. 3)



Anne Lusk
REALTOR®

Lusk & Associates
Sotheby's International Realty
100 Foxshire Drive
Lancaster, PA 17601
c 717.739.9339
anne.lusk@sothebysrealty.com
annelusk.com

Francis C. Musso, CPA, MPA, P.C.

Certified Public Accountant and Business Consultant
Specializing in Corporate Restructure and Recovery

2006 Marietta Avenue | Lancaster, PA 17603
(717) 397-2212 | Fax (717) 459-5550
e-mail: fmusso2006@comcast.net
www.mussocpa.com

Francis C. Musso, CPA, MPA



**BERKSHIRE
HATHAWAY**
HomeServices



Kathy Ross, SRES
REALTOR®
Member of The Mark Will Team
We Will work for you!

Homesale Realty
150 North Pointe Blvd, Lancaster, PA 17601
office 717-560-9100 fax 717-569-7943
cell 717-468-7582
kathy@markwillteam.com

A member of the franchise system of BHH Affiliates, LLC

Douglas P. Shank
First Vice President, Wealth Management
Financial Advisor

Wealth Management
300 Granite Run Drive
Suite 300
Lancaster, PA 17601

Morgan Stanley

tel 717 560 5900
direct 717 519 3202
fax 717 560 0100
toll free 800 873 0990

douglas.p.shank@morganstanley.com

**Rick Miller
Company**

Catering Cafeteria and Vending Services

Locally owned and operated
we have been providing
in-house corporate cafeteria and vending
services since 2002

Contact us to see what a small, local company can
do. You might be surprised.

www.backpagerestaurant.com
334 West Main Street Leola 17540 717 661-7577



Certified
Piano Tuner-Technician

John G. Chapman

(717) 426-3127
42 Village Square Drive
Marietta, PA 17547
Tuning • Repairs • Restorations



The Pampered Chef®
discover the chef in you®

Ed Prosser
Independent Consultant
Elizabethtown, PA 17022
York Springs, PA 17372
Cell 717-475-4866
pchefprosser@gmail.com
www.pamperedchef.biz/edp



Nick L. Skladany, MAI, CCIM

Designated Member of the Appraisal Institute
Commercial and Industrial Real Estate Appraiser

SKLADANY VALUATION, LLC

2137 EMBASSY DRIVE • SUITE 111 • LANCASTER, PA 17603
TEL 717.431.3030
www.skladanyvaluation.com
nickskladany@gmail.com

SOCIAL MEDIA & NEWSLETTER INFO

Like Us on Facebook!! Search for Penn State Lancaster County Chapter.

Or type in web browser: <https://www.facebook.com/psulancasteralumni>

For inclusion in the *Chapter Newsletter*, email content to Derry Miller, Newsletter Editor (derrymiller@comcast.net). Please allow 3-4 weeks lead time.



PENN STATE NEWS (cont. from p. 1)

- Transforming Education; 1-2:30 p.m. March 22, Perkins Student Center Room 100 (Multi-Purpose Room), Penn State Berks;
- Driving Digital Innovation; 1-2:30 p.m. March 30; Burke Center Room 180, Penn State Behrend.

Penn State's Board of Trustees adopted the [2016-2020 plan](#) following an extensive process led by a 32-member planning council. It sets forth the University's mission, discusses how to build on its strengths and suggests new areas for growth.

"The committees charged with coming up with the best ways to implement the Strategic Plan have been working diligently to develop action plans, and we're already beginning to see the results," Jones said. "The forums over the upcoming months will help us continue to focus on ways we can be leaders in the fields that have been identified as priorities and where our faculty, students and staff continue to shine."

Madlyn Hanes, vice president for Commonwealth Campuses, said the forums will provide an excellent opportunity for the Penn State community from across the Commonwealth to participate in shaping the future direction of the University.

"Major stakeholders — our students, faculty, staff, alumni and community members — are invited to provide critical feedback and identify key strategies for advancing a shared University vision and plan of action for each priority," Hanes said. "The University will clearly benefit from the collective insights of colleagues and friends. And these regional forums provide a timely and valuable venue for the exchange of ideas. I encourage everyone's participation."

(see full article at <http://news.psu.edu/story/444612/2017/01/11/administration/university-community-encouraged-participate-strategic-plan>)

LOCAL 2017 THON DANCER

Congratulations to Taylor Glowaski, Senior Psychology major (and daughter of Board Member Dennis Glowaski) recently selected as one of 706 dancers at this year's event, being held February 17-19th. Taylor was involved with Hempfield's mini-THON throughout her four years in high school. "It has always been my dream to attend Penn State and to dance in THON" says Taylor. Not a bad senior year Taylor (and a Big Ten Championship as well). Taylor will be representing Ski Club, any and all support to THON, Four Diamonds families, and For The Kids would be greatly appreciated.

General Donation Link:

<http://www.thon.org/Donors/HowToDonate>



UPCOMING EVENTS

CHAPTER FUNDRAISER

THURS, FEB 9, 2017

SHOP FOR YOUR VALENTINE AT PENN STATE LANCASTER ALUMNI ASSOCIATION'S SALES BENEFIT NIGHT!

Do you have a favorite Valentine (or Valentines) in your life? Do you love to support Penn State Lancaster community efforts? Do you love to shop? Do you love good music? Do you love a little refreshment or two while shopping? Well, Thursday, *February 9, 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.* Sales Benefit Shopping Night at Love Give Live (LGL) should be the fun Valentine shopping experience for you!

Do some Valentine shopping for YOUR loved ones while helping YOUR Penn State Lancaster Alumni Chapter to:
financially help local Penn State students attend college (Scholarship Program), help with Cancer Research (Mini Thon), help local needy families at Christmas (Project for the Needy), and help United Disabilities Services (Christmas Gift Wrapping Project).

LOVE GIVE LIVE (LGL) is a PSU alumni family owned non profit social enterprise store which is all about helping non-profits like us do more of the great work that we do. You will shopping for unique local, regional, national and global social enterprise items that these various non-profits create, and you will be helping to relieve suffering and promote wholeness one purchase at a time.

20% of all sales from LOVE GIVE LIVE are given to the participating non profit (us) that partner with LGL for the event!

In addition to Penn State refreshments, LGL will have store product samples. We will sharing lots of information at our Penn State booth about our community efforts and you will find out more about LGL's Gallery and Gifts Store. Love Give Live is located at The Shoppes at Brighton Village, 1170 Erb's Quarry Road, Lititz, PA 17543.

Check out our Facebook page and to our website! Also, please contact Helen Ebersole, 393-3663.

BOARD NOMINATIONS

BOARD NOMINATIONS ARE COMING UP!

It is that time of year again to think about open Board Positions. If you ever wanted to get more involved with the Chapter, come join the Board! The Nominations Committee is preparing for the coming year. Please submit suggested candidate names with contact information to Chair, Helen Ebersole, Nominations Chair, at 393-3663 by APRIL 7, 2017. Board service is fun and giving back through Penn State can be a rewarding experience for all!

2017 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Lancaster County Chapter of the Penn State Alumni Association awards **seven scholarships** each year to graduating high school seniors from Lancaster County who enroll at a Penn State campus for each fall semester.

The Chapter will grant four (4) \$2,000 scholarships. The selection of these four scholarships is based strictly on scholarship, activities and personal qualities. To be eligible, you must be in the top half of your graduating class and have a minimum 1000 SAT score (the minimum academic requirements). Class ranking and SAT scores are important criteria. Extracurricular activities and supplemental letters written by the applicants also are significant evaluation factors.

The Chapter is also granting two \$2,000 & one \$1,000 scholarships based on financial need. Students who meet the academic requirements and also have a financial need should submit a document explaining their need for financial assistance. In addition, the student must submit a copy of their parents' latest complete Federal Income Tax Return. This information will be held strictly confidential and will only be seen by the scholarship committee.

[Application forms](http://psulancaster.com/scholapp.pdf) are **only** available on the chapter website, <http://psulancaster.com/scholapp.pdf>.

A copy is included in this newsletter. The applications have portions that must be completed by both the applicant and their school. It is essential that you provide your class rank, grade point average and SAT scores.

Completed applications must be received no later than Friday, April 14, 2017 and should be mailed to:

*Anthony Burkholder
628 Warminster Lane
Lititz, PA 17543*

E-TOWN MINI-THON

Wild for a Cure

The Lancaster County Chapter is happy to once again support the Elizabethtown High School's MiniTHON which benefits the Four Diamonds. The Four Diamonds is very special to the Elizabethtown School District since 14-year-old student, Charles Millard, wrote the Four Diamonds story for an English assignment. The Four Diamonds are based on courage, wisdom, honesty and strength. Christopher's father, Charles, also taught music in the Elizabethtown Area School District. After Christopher's death from pediatric cancer, his parents established the Four Diamonds. Since Elizabethtown has such an indelible link to the Four Diamonds story, the Penn State Lancaster Chapter is proud to lend its support to Elizabethtown's MiniTHON.

On March 10, 2017, Chapter members will be hosting a Berkey Creamery ice cream social for dancers at Elizabethtown's MiniTHON. Elizabethtown students must each raise a minimum of \$70 to dance during the safari themed MiniTHON – Wild for a Cure. Elizabethtown's fundraising goal is \$60,000! Chapter members are invited to support the dancers by visiting the MiniTHON during community hours starting at 7:00 p.m.. You can also watch Elizabethtown's progress, and check on how other high schools in Lancaster County are supporting the Four Diamonds Fund by going to this link: <http://fourdiamonds.donordrive.com>. Any questions regarding the MiniTHON, or to volunteer at the ice cream social please email Glenda Ebersole at gebersole740@comcast.net. FTK!

SAVE THE DATE!!

PENN STATE CLUB OF LANCASTER 2017 GOLF OUTING

***Friday, May 12
Highlands of Donega GC, Mount Joy***

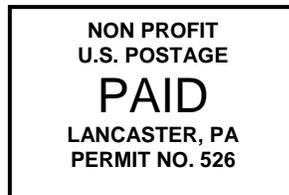
More details to follow!



Penn State Club of Lancaster County

Room 140
1383 Arcadia Road
Lancaster, PA 17601

Address Service Requested



Do you want to see something different in this newsletter? Tell us at psulancaster@gmail.com!

Upcoming Chapter Events

- Thur, Feb 9, 2017 – Chapter Fundraiser @ Love Give Live Gallery & Gifts*
- Fri, Mar 10, 2017 – E-town Mini-THON*
- Fri, Apr 14, 2017 – Deadline for Chapter Scholarship Applications*
- Sat, Apr 29, 2017 – Chapter Social at Bube's Brewery (details to follow)*
- Fri, May 12, 2017 – Chapter Golf Outing, Highlands of Donegal GC*

Interested in advertising with us?
Contact Derry Miller at 717-940-3289 or
derrymiller@comcast.net for more info.

CLF Photography, Inc.
Event, Location and Sports Photos
www.clfphotography.net
717-598-3693
Cam Ferdinand, Owner (PSU '75)

SEVEN MOUNTAINS
OPEN YEAR ROUND
CAMPGROUND & CABINS
Good Sam Park
WOODALL'S
North America's Campground Since 1936

Near State College
101 Seven Mountain Campground Rd.
Spring Mills, PA 16875
(814) 364-1910
www.sevenmountaincampground.com