



# Community Update

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## 18th Annual Holiday Light Parade SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

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The 18th Annual Hermitage Holiday Light Parade is scheduled for Saturday, November 21, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. As in previous years, the route for the parade begins at the intersection of East State Street and North Kerwood Drive (Kraynak's and Hermitage Town Plaza), travels east on State Street to the intersection of Route 18, turns left and proceeds to the entrance of the Shenango Valley Mall. Entries are judged based on: originality, creativity, the use of lights & music, and a holiday theme. Results will be posted on [www.hermitage.net](http://www.hermitage.net). You may pick up your prizes at the Hermitage Municipal

Building starting Monday, November 23rd. This widely anticipated community event draws over 15,000 people to our Central Business District, and we are asking all businesses along East State Street (especially those along the parade route) to participate by decorating with holiday lights. If you would like to enter a float or decorated vehicle in the parade, or just would like more information about this event, please contact Amy Gargiulo at 724-981-0800. Space is limited, so interested parties are encouraged to register early.

Holiday Light Parade Committee



## Other Annual Holiday Events

SEE BACK PAGE FOR MORE DETAILS.

**10th Annual Evening of Food & Wine Tasting!**



**NEW LOCATION!**  
Buhl Farm Park Casino

**14th Annual Festival of Trees Christmas Tour**



**"Christmas Favorites"**  
Hermitage Historical Society

## Hermitage Trick or Treat

Saturday • October 31st  
4 p.m. - 6 p.m.



# Hey Kids!

## Hermitage Holiday Light Parade Junior Parade Marshal!

One boy and one girl between the ages of 5 and 12 will be randomly selected from the entries to serve as Junior Parade Marshal and ride along in the 18th Annual Hermitage Holiday Light Parade Saturday, November 21, 2015.

The winners will receive a prize package donated by the Shenango Valley Professionals. Entry forms can be dropped off or mailed to the Shenango Valley Chamber of Commerce, 41 Chestnut Avenue, Sharon, PA 16146 or placed in entry form collection boxes located at the Hermitage Municipal Building, Kraynak's, Shenango Valley Mall, or The Herald by Nov. 6, 2015.



### 18th Annual Hermitage Holiday Light Parade Junior Parade Marshal November 21, 2015

\_\_\_\_\_ Age (5-12) \_\_\_\_\_ boy \_\_\_\_\_ girl

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_



## Holiday Light Parade Food Drive

Please help us collect food for the Community Food Warehouse to help them support the needy families in Mercer County. The Community Food Warehouse provides food to over 3000 households in Mercer County and the need continues to grow. Your generosity during this holiday season is greatly appreciated!

**HELP US LINE THE PARADE ROUTE WITH BAGS OF FOOD!!!!**

1. Fill a shopping bag with non-perishable food items (especially canned meats, canned tuna, canned fruits, canned stew, cereal and oatmeal).
2. Bring the bag to the Holiday Light Parade and place it on the side of the road along the parade route.
3. When the Holiday Light Food Drive Float comes by, volunteers will collect the bags and deliver them to the Community Food Warehouse.

## Youth Sports ~ Winter Hitting League



### Winter Hitting League Registration Form

PARTICIPANT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

WORKNO. \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM MEMBERS:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

In case of a medical emergency I, \_\_\_\_\_ authorize the director, instructor, aide, or supervisor of the Parks and Recreation Program to seek medical treatment for \_\_\_\_\_. I voluntarily choose to participate in this athletic activity and I realize the risk that injury could occur and release the City of Hermitage and the Hermitage School District from any liability regarding such injury or emergency. Parent/Guardian or Participant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Students under age of 18 must have their parent/guardian sign here)

### WINTER HITTING LEAGUE

Players compete on 4 man teams and games are 3 innings, (approximately 45 minutes long). Players will bat off a pitching machine and point totals are awarded for balls hit during their 12 pitch at bat. Players are encouraged to register as a team, but you can register separately and you will be placed on a team.

**Dates:** Saturdays: Jan. 9 thru Feb. 27

**Divisions:** (9-10), (11-12), (13-15) and (16-18)  
\*2015 playing age

**Time:** To be announced.

**Cost:** \$100.00 per team or \$25.00 per player

**Location:** Hickory High School Auxiliary Gym

**ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO:** City of Hermitage

**MAIL TO:** 800 N. Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148

# Spike Ball . . . What's That?

Spikeball is a game that is rapidly growing on college campuses around the country. The game is best described as a mix between volleyball and four square. Athleticism as well as teamwork is a must.

The 2nd Annual Hermitage Spikeball Classic took place on September 19th. Tournament Directors, Ryan and Sean Zippie were extremely happy with the success of the tournament. A huge thanks to all of the sponsors of the tournament. Without your help the tournament wouldn't have been possible. If you're looking to help with sponsorship for the 2016 tournament, please contact Sean Zippie at 724-813-5244 or zippie235@gmail.com

The Zippie brothers were complimented with running one of the most professional tournaments in the country and are excited to see the tournament get larger each year.

Not only do we love Spikeball, but we love the Shenango Valley. It's our home. Thus, it gives us great joy to be able to host a tournament that brings so many people into our community. It's so cool to see people from Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Columbus, Baltimore and Chicago coming to Hermitage. ~ *The Zippie Brothers*



**1st Place**  
Nashburgh (Pittsburgh)  
**2nd Place**  
Big Dinks (Chicago)  
**3rd Place**  
Monkey Business (Columbus)

# Buhl Farm Park . . . Celebrating 100 Years

## Another Summer Concert Series in the books

Our series has been a long time tradition and we hope to continue it for many years to come. Special thanks to the sponsors listed below. Without their help, none of these concerts could happen. Also, thanks to all those who came out to support the concerts.

- Saint John XXIII Home
- HHS DR Architects & Engineers
- Sharon American Legion Auxiliary 299
- Joy Cone Company
- City of Hermitage
- UPMC Horizon
- Black, Bashor, & Porsch, LLP
- Greenville Savings Bank
- Shenango Valley Performing Arts Council
- The Nugent Group
- Mercer County Community FCU
- Sharon Regional Health System
- Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post 1338
- Miscellaneous Donors

## Disc Golf Course

Buhl Park is proud to announce the opening of an 18-hole disc golf course. The course begins near shelter #4 (located across from the Park Casino) and goes throughout the Park. It is free and open to the public. The course is open during regular park hours. For more information on the course, visit [www.buhlfarmpark.com/discgolf](http://www.buhlfarmpark.com/discgolf)



## Buhl Park Merchandise:

- Logo T-shirts
- Centennial T-shirts
- Centennial Coffee Mugs
- Large scenic prints
- Notecards
- Dog scarves
- Golf bag tags

## FALL FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10  
12:00 - 6:00 at Buhl Park

**craft and specialty vendors**  
over 60 craft/product/specialty vendors - exhibitors

**kid's activities**  
hayrides, pumpkin painting, inflatables - more

**food family fun & more**  
FOR INFORMATION - [WWW.BUHLFARMPARK.COM](http://WWW.BUHLFARMPARK.COM)

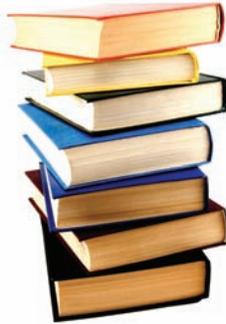
Visit [www.buhlfarmpark.com](http://www.buhlfarmpark.com) for more detailed information

**"LIKE us on Facebook!"**  
**"FOLLOW us on Twitter!"**  
**"FIND us on Instagram!"**

# Community Library of the Shenango Valley

**Wine & Cheese Party** • Thursday, Oct. 22 • 5-8 p.m.  
Annual fundraiser, donation \$20.00.

**Books are Fun Book Fair • Oct. 14**  
Over 250 titles at unbelievable prices. Includes new children's books and more! Includes toys and gifts for all ages and children's educational items. Start your holiday shopping early!



## Library Programs

**Story Hour** • Tuesdays • 10:30 a.m.

Ages 3-5. Stories, songs, crafts, and more.

**Parent/Child Play and Learn Workshop**

Sept. 30-Oct. 28 • Wednesdays • 10:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m.

A NEW PROGRAM for families and toddlers under three years of age. A five week workshop with gross and fine motor toys, books, and more, where both caregivers and children play together. A different community resource professional will be available at each session to answer questions and provide support. Registration required.

**Flip Bingo Dice for All Ages** • First, Third Tuesdays • 3:30-5:00 p.m.  
New game invented right in the Valley! This game can be played by anyone ages 5 and up. Bring the whole family for a great afternoon of fun and a chance to win prizes!

**Butler Art Institute: Collection & History** • Oct. 13 • 6:00 p.m.

The Butler Art Institute will hold a program on its history and collection. Join us to learn about the treasures of this great museum.

**Classic Horror Movie: *The Creature From the Black Lagoon***. For adults and teens. • Oct. 31 • 1:00 p.m.

**Chess Club** • Mondays & Thursdays • 5:00 p.m.

**Knit, Crochet & More at the Library** • Tuesdays • 12:30-2:00 p.m.

Bring your favorite needlecraft. Get tips, ideas and new patterns

**Shenango Valley Gardeners** • Second Monday each month • 6:00 p.m.  
Meets all year, with speakers and presentations during the winter months.

**Fine Arts Painting: Watercolor & Acrylics** • Taught by professional artist Don Gold. Call for schedule and registration.

**Shenango Valley Pennwriters** • Third Saturday each month  
1:00-4:00 p.m. Sharpen skills and network with other writers.

**Jobs Club** • First Thursday each month. Info. at 724-658-7258.

**Read to a Therapy Dog** • Last Thursday each month • 6:00 p.m.

**Shakespeare on Saturdays** • Returns Oct. 17 • 1:00 p.m.

**E-Reader, Device, and Laptop Help** • Monthly by appointment.

**Evening Book Club** • First Thursday each month • 6:00 p.m.

**Afternoon Book Club** • Third Thursday each month • 2:00 p.m.

**Computer Classes** • Held monthly. Call for schedule and registration.

**Free downloadable ebooks and audio books to borrow.**

**Community Room available for private events and meetings.**

**Information: 724-981-4360 or [www.clsv.net](http://www.clsv.net)**

**Library Hours:** Monday thru Thursday • 10 a.m.-8 p.m.  
Friday & Saturday • 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

# Shenango Valley YMCA Upcoming Events & Programs



## Youth Sports / Programs

### Basketball League

Co-ed instructional league for ages 3-12

**Register:** Oct. 19 - Jan. 2 **Season:** Starts in January

### Basketball Clinic

Co-ed instructional league for grades K-5

**Register:** Now - Nov 6 **Start:** November 7

**F.I.T. for Kids (Fun Interactive Training)** Activities & games; nutrition & exercise tips and demonstrations; take-home challenges & more!

**WIT (Workout Instruction for Teens)** for ages 12+ (any beginners) 4-week instructional program designed to educate students about exercise techniques and the benefits of health and fitness.

**Child Watch** Come get a great workout in while we watch your child(ren)! Fun games and activities will be supervised and provided so that parents can focus on their exercise.



## Adult / Older Adults

**Wellness Programs:** Help prevent/treat chronic diseases and ailments through support, expertise and measurable outcomes.

- **Enhance Fitness.**
- **Six Steps Balance System.**
- **Diabetes Prevention.**

**Group Exercise:** So much more than a workout! Join a class, and reach your goals with like-minded members and instructors who provide support and motivation!

- Over 60 classes are offered weekly.
- **Free for all members.**
- Huge variety of classes: times, types and intensities for anyone.

**Working Together:** You might have access to FREE or reduced memberships and other services at the Y!

- **Free Memberships/Services Through Insurance:** Silver Sneakers, Silver & Fit, Coventry Cares, Prime and More! Call today to see if you qualify!
- **Corporate Memberships:** The Y works with several local businesses to provide memberships and other services. Contact the Y today to see if your business participates!

**Specialized Services:** Qualified, competent, caring and here to help!

- **Personal Training:** A Personal Trainer will keep you motivated and organized, and will make sure you perform properly.
- **Massage Therapy:** Options are available for full-body or upper-body specific. 1 hour massages. Non-members welcome!

**Information: 724-981-6950 or [svymca.com](http://svymca.com)**

# Thank You

## From the Hermitage Arts Festival Committee

**A Special Thanks To:** The Hermitage Board of Commissioners  
The Community Library of the Shenango Valley  
Hermitage School District • Hermitage Home Depot  
Pat Catan's • Avalon at Buhl Golf & Country Club  
Valley Silk Screening • The Silver Cords Program  
Alane Jewel, Mama & Me • Susan Dexter • Dana O'Hare  
And All the Amazing Volunteers

**Our Pet Fest Prize Contributors:** Pets Supplies Plus  
Lengel's Hermitage Agway • Bernie Harry, Treasurer

**5K Sponsors:** City of Hermitage • YMCA  
Bernie Harry, Your Hermitage Treasurer  
William J. Moder III, Attorney at Law  
Maria Koledin/Duane Piccirilli, Hermitage Commissioners  
Subway • Principled Chiropractic • Elite EMS  
Quaker Steak & Lube • The Good Mannered Dog

**Also 5K Contributors:** Olympic Fun Center  
Yummberrries • Lems Shoes

Thanks to anyone who helped in anyway that we may have missed!

## Highlights from the Arts Festival...

Put together by LindenPointe Entrepreneurship Academy Intern Brianna Dzurisko



Visitors to the Art fest enjoy the beautiful weather and vendor booths!



Children participate in Chalk on the Walk



Makin' Changes takes the stage



Visitors appreciate the live music



Victoria Lingner spins the story "Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss" Art from the Parks and Rec Summer Program



Shana Howard Displays her Pewter Jewelry



Susan Dexter demonstrates the art of hand weaving



A dog dressed as "Thing 2" in the Dr. Seuss themed Pet Fest



Painting and Drawings by Meghan Brown

## From the Treasurer

The **School Real Estate** bills and the **Per Capita** bills were mailed on August 1, 2015. **It is your responsibility to notify the City in the event you do not receive them.**

**Per Capita** is a head tax, waged on every resident **over the age of 18** and this year remains at \$35.00. **All residents are responsible for this tax and are expected to notify the tax office in the event they do not receive one.** Likewise when moving from Hermitage, you are also to notify the tax office to have your name removed from our tax rolls. There are exemptions (based on income from all sources) available to those who qualify. If your income is \$5,000.00 or less annually, you may be exonerated from the entire per capita bill. If your income is between \$5,000.00 and \$10,000.00, you may only be required to pay a portion of that bill. Upon receipt of your Per Capita bill, all proof of income must be brought into our office, and a form filled out and signed by the person to be exempt. This process must be followed each year.

School Real Estate taxes for 2015 were set at 60.239 mills. Also, the State has allocated \$459,355.65 for the Homestead/Farmstead approved parcels. This money will be divided evenly among our 4,632 Homestead and 7 Farmstead approved properties. This equates to \$99.09 per parcel for this year. This amount will show up as a credit on your School tax bill. The Homestead/Farmstead Act also offers 3 payments to satisfy the School tax amount owed. By choosing this option, you lose the discount. Certain rules apply to these payments and they are explained on your tax bill, starting with the Aug. 31, 2015 deadline for the first payment. If you made the first payment by the deadline, then your other 2 payments are due by October 31 and December 15. If you missed the first payment date, keep in mind that you still have until September 30th to pay in full at the discount rate, and then November 30th, at the face amount. **Please remember that all homestead approved properties must be owner-occupied. This means that the name on the deed must match the name of the person or persons who live in that house.** You can only receive the credit on one parcel. Anyone who receives the homestead credit and does not qualify, is required by law to notify their tax collector of the necessary correction.

As always if you have any questions, feel free to call our office at 724-347-4472, and we will be pleased to assist you.



**Bernie Harry**

## Hermitage Parks & Recreation Meadows Casino Bus Trip Sunday, November 22, 2015



**Cost:** \$25.00 per person, includes deluxe motor coach transportation and \$20.00 coin bonus / \$5.00 casino food voucher.

Load Bus @ 8:15 Depart for Casino @ 8:30 a.m.  
Arrive at Casino @ 10:00 a.m. Depart Casino @ 3:00 p.m.  
Dinner at Cracker Barrel (on your own) @ 3:30 p.m.  
Shadracks's Christmas Wonderland in Butler, PA after dinner  
Return at approximately 8:00 p.m.  
Deadline to register – Friday, November 13

**Call 724-981-0800 for more information.**  
**ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: City of Hermitage**  
**MAIL TO: 800 N. Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148**

## Hickory Band Booster Organization presents Old Hickory Craft Show

**Saturday, October 24, 2015 • 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**  
**Hickory High School • 640 N. Hermitage Rd. • Rte. 18**



- Quality Crafts • Over 100 Exhibitors
  - Delicious Homemade Lunches • Chinese Auction
- Admission \$2.00 • Free Parking**

## Hermitage Recycling Yard & Leaf Waste

**Please don't rake leaves into the street, ditches or streams.**

**Why not?** Large amounts of leaves and yard waste clog storm drainage pipes and basins and require more City Maintenance to keep these systems working properly. They can cause flooding when they cause systems to back up or overflow. Excess leaves also increase phosphorus and other nutrient loads in streams and rivers, which greatly damages water quality leading to fish kills, algae blooms and other problems. Leaves are best handled by using City yard waste collection, composting them yourself, or using a mulching mower and leaving them on the turf. **GREEN LID** yard waste carts or **BIODEGRADABLE BAGS** may be placed at the curb on a weekly basis on your regular collection day.



**Acceptable yard waste includes:** leaves, grass clippings, plants & flowers, roots, sawdust, shrubbery & pruning, branches, tree limbs under 4" diameter, brush up to 4' length.



**Don't Forget to Vote...**

## Election Day

**Tuesday, November 3, 2015**

**Here are a few websites with useful information:**

[ballotpedia.org/Pennsylvania\\_elections,\\_2015](http://ballotpedia.org/Pennsylvania_elections,_2015)  
[www.electionreturns.state.pa.us](http://www.electionreturns.state.pa.us) • [www.pa.gov](http://www.pa.gov)



## Election Day Bake Sale

The Ladies of the City of Hermitage will conduct a bake sale from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. or until all the delicious goodies run out!! All proceeds benefit the Angel Tree recipients from Hermitage School District.

# Hermitage Fire Department

## From the New Fire Marshal



I would like to begin by saying how honored I am to have received the vote of confidence from the city, community, the fire department and surrounding departments in my position as Fire Marshal. Thank you to everyone for your kind words and encouragement, but I do not stand alone. I want to talk about The Few, The Proud, The Courageous: The Volunteer Firefighter.

Every day, in every community, emergency responders answer the call of our families, friends and neighbors who are in need of assistance. From car accidents to heart attacks, house fires to technical rescues, emergency responders are there to protect lives and property.

Emergency responders are a special type of people with many different reasons for answering the call of duty. Some like the challenges and the adrenaline rush, while others like to sharpen their emergency skills and techniques. Every one of them answers the call so they can help someone in need.

Today's emergency responders do far more than put out fires or bandage wounds. Emergency responders are the first line of defense in natural and man-made disasters. They respond to vehicle accidents, hazardous materials incidents, specialized rescue situations and a vast array of emergency medical complaints.

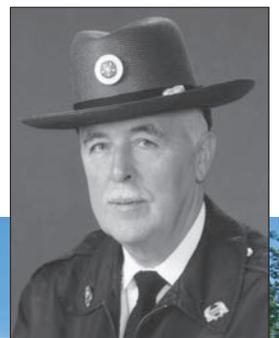
In response to the growing need for new volunteer firefighters, the Hermitage and Patagonia Volunteer Fire Departments have initiated a recruitment campaign for interested citizens to learn how to "answer the call" and serve their community. Becoming a volunteer emergency responder can be the most rewarding experience of your life, and allows you to reach out to someone in need. Together we will ensure that there is always someone to "answer the call".

If you are 18 years old and willing to serve your fellow citizens as a firefighter, technical rescuer, swift water rescuer, dive team rescuer, public fire prevention educator, fire engine pump operator or in an administrative capacity, the Hermitage and Patagonia Volunteer Fire Departments are looking for you. From college students to Hermitage residents and retirees, if you've got the time to dedicate to your community, we'd love to have you.

What do we provide to you? First of all, you would be a member of one of the most progressive, well-organized, well-known and respected volunteer fire departments in Pennsylvania. You will also receive free training using top of the line equipment, annual physicals, flu shots, family picnics, parades, community events, a death benefit, a sense of dedication and pride to your community, working as part of a team, brotherhood and family. There are many other benefits....just ask any of our members! Don't wait, call us today to get started (724-342-0669) or visit us at a training session at 2511 Highland Road, every Thursday night from 7 to 10 p.m. We look forward to meeting YOU.

## Fire Station Renamed in honor of Goeltz

The Hermitage Board of Commissioners and Hermitage Volunteer Fire Department together recently renamed Fire Station #1, Highland Road as the R.S. Goeltz Station. Goeltz retired effective August, 2015 after 45 years of service as City Fire Marshal and 54 years of service with the Volunteer Fire Department.



# eCenter@LindenPointe news

## High School Entrepreneurship Academy 2nd Year Underway

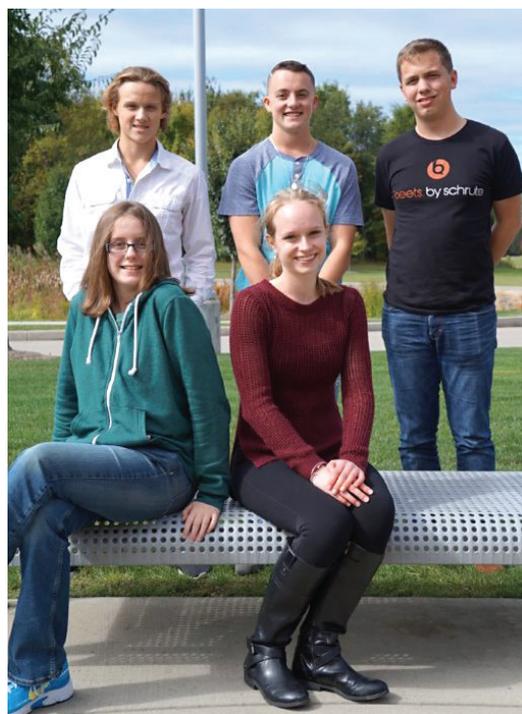
Year two of the LindenPointe Entrepreneurship Academy Program is already busy. The students have been on two field trips, are using 3D printers and have successfully become more independent as they leave their high schools and spend their afternoons at LindenPointe.



Lisa Evans, a certified teacher and experienced entrepreneur, will coach and mentor the students through a structured entrepreneurial curriculum.

The City of Hermitage in partnership with the Midwestern Intermediate Unit IV (MIU5), the PA Department of Community and Economic Development, the eCenter@LindenPointe, the Franklin Center of Beaver County, Butler County Community College and six Mercer County school districts continue to support this local creative initiative. The program has been supported by local sponsors Ekker, Kuster, McCall & Epstein, Gilbert's Risk Solutions and Winner International. The 2015-16 participating school districts include: Commodore Perry, Farrell, Hermitage, Sharpsville, Sharon, and West Middlesex.

The entrepreneurship academy students earn six college credits upon course completion and can elect to participate in three additional courses offered by BC3 exclusively for academy students. If all classes are completed students earn up to 15 college credits; that is an entire



semester of college completed before graduating high school. Students study in their high schools for morning core classes and then travel to the Training and Workforce Development Center at LindenPointe, Hermitage to focus on business, 3D printing and building their workforce skill sets.

During the year students will travel to 20 different Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) destinations. Trips include small businesses, additive manufacturing, production, business incubators, colleges. Local entrepreneurs, distribution, CNC machining and more. The wide variety of field trips expose the students to an array of regional employers, different business types, and how people use STEAM in the world after high school.

The 2015-16 school year which is year two of the pilot program included a Butler County Entrepreneurship Academy cohort at BC3 Main Campus. The participating students will follow the same curriculum and most of the same field trips as the Mercer county students. Some field trips will be attend jointly. The addition of Butler county students broadens the network and diversity of the class. Both sets of students will discuss case studies through a shared online discussion thread and collaborate on projects throughout the year. Mercer County students will travel to BC3 Main Campus to utilize their Fab Lab including a project with laser cutters.

During the school year the students will be divided into business teams. Students will be grouped based on complementary skill sets. Each team will then create a viable business and proceed to write a business plan. The culmination of the class is a competition between business teams, including the Butler county teams. Each team will compete based on their business plan and presentation. The competition is judged by local business experts and cash prizes are awarded to the top two teams.

**Hickory Students participating in the Academy: (seated l to r) Taylor Wiesenbach, Joslyn Materna (standing l to r) Josh Andrzejewski, Brock Schaller, Chip Beck**

# City of Hermitage

## Parks & Recreation

800 North Hermitage Road  
Hermitage, PA 16148



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## Hermitage Elected Officials



**Front left to right:** Rita L. Ferringer, Commissioner;  
Duane J. Piccirilli, Commissioner; Bernadette Harry, City Treasurer

**Back left to right:** William J. Moder, III, Vice President;  
Maria A. Koledin, Commissioner; Timothy J. Ruffo, President

Hermitage Parks and Recreation *along with*  
DiLorenzo's Specialty Deli-Bakery-Catering *invite you to*

## 10th Annual Evening of Food & Wine Tasting!

Gift basket giveaway!



**Saturday, Nov. 14, 2015**

7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

•  
**NEW LOCATION!**

**Buhl Farm Park  
Casino**

**Wines presented by Majestic Wines / Brian Hartmann.**

Join us for a relaxed evening of wine tasting and delicious cuisine. Mingle with your friends and taste the samples available at this informal event.

Space for the event is limited, so get your tickets early!\*(All participants must be 21+) **Entertainment by Steve Vuich**

Please bring a non-perishable food item to be donated to the Community Food Warehouse.

**\*Tickets must be purchased in advance at DiLorenzo's, 30 E Shenango St., Sharpsville, PA. Cost for the event is \$30.00 per person.  
For more information please call 724-981-0800 or 724-962-7880.**

The Hermitage Historical Society presents the  
**14th Annual Festival of Trees Christmas Tour**

## "Christmas Favorites"

Over 30 Decorated Trees

Hermitage Historical Society • 5465 East State St. • Hermitage

**Nov. 28, 29 • 1-5 p.m**

**Dec. 4, 11 • 5-8 p.m. Dec. 5, 6, 12, 13 • 1-5 p.m.**



**Chinese Auction Drawing on Sunday, December 13 at 4 p.m.**

For information call 724-981-4843.