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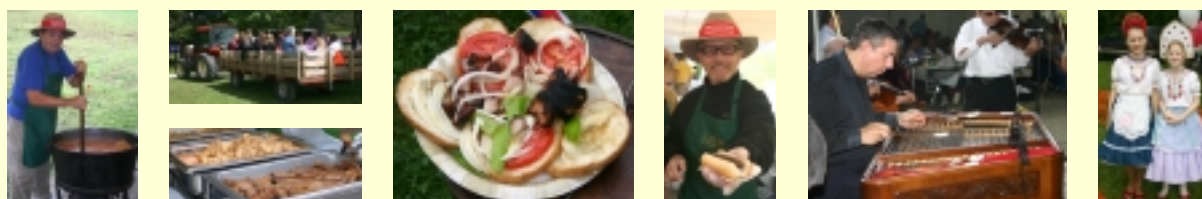
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Noémi H. Borsay, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Daniel and Judit Borsay of McKeesport, Pa., is a student at West Virginia University's Eberly College of Arts and Sciences, where she has made the Dean's List several times and has participated in the school's Jayne Armstrong Women's Leadership Program. She also was recognized last April by the National Society of Collegiate Scholars for her "commitment to the ideals of scholarship, leadership and service."

In addition to her excellent academic record, Noémi spent three weeks last year in Hungary at the University of Szeged as a participant in a study abroad program sponsored by West Virginia University.

Members who are past recipients of scholarship grants through the William Penn Fraternal Association Scholarship Foundation are invited to share their post-educational and professional experiences with us. Please send your 'Recipient Profile' along with a recent photo to:

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Celebrate the Stars and Stripes on National Flag Day, June 14

This year marks the 60th anniversary of the Act of Congress proclaiming June 14 as National Flag Day. Citizens across this country will pause to recite the Pledge of Allegiance to our Flag on this day, including members of the William Penn Association, who are among the 10 million Americans affiliated with the National Fraternal Congress of America.

National Flag Day honors the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as our national flag by the Continental Congress 232 years ago. The Continental Congress, meeting in Philadelphia, adopted the following resolution on June 14, 1777: "Resolved, that the Flag of the United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field representing a new constellation." These words signaled to the world the birth of a new nation dedicated to personal and religious liberty and justice for all.

A national Flag Day was the dream of Bernard J. Cigrand, a 19-year-old school teacher at Fredonia, Wisc. In 1885, in a windswept school atop a glacier-formed hill overlooking rolling farmland, Cigrand celebrated the first Flag Day by placing a small flag in a bottle on his desk. Cigrand taught his students about the history of the flag and recited a ceremonial pledge. His efforts over the next 31 years led to a national observance honoring the flag.

You may ask, "why should I observe this day?" Quite simply, our flag is more than a patchwork of cloth. It is the silent sentinel of our freedom. It is a constant reminder of the courage required to maintain our freedom, the liberty we enjoy in being self-governed, and the loyalty and trust which unites us despite our individual differences.

On this National Flag Day, we encourage you to talk to your children, grandchildren or friends about what the flag means to you. Because others have given their fortunes and their very lives to secure our freedom, we have the freedom NOT to participate in this national observance. However, it is good that we pause to honor our nation's flag, for this act helps remind each of us that we are most blessed to be one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all. And that, fellow citizens, is something worth celebrating.

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Support the Hungarian Room

By Stephen J. Varga, Chairman of the Board

Since 1939 the University of Pittsburgh's Nationality Rooms and Intercultural Exchange Programs have hosted a Hungarian Room at the university's Cathedral of Learning. The Hungarian Room was designed as a gift to the university from the ethnic Hungarians that settled in and around Allegheny County in western Pennsylvania. In all, the university hosts 26 such rooms for various ethnic groups.

Every year since 1985, the Hungarian Room Committee at the university has awarded scholarships to students to study abroad in Hungary. The purpose of the awards is to enable students to have an in-depth immersion in the Hungarian culture for at least five weeks. In 2009, the Committee awarded scholarship grants to two graduate students to study in Hungary during this upcoming summer. One student is pursuing a doctorate degree in history, and the second student is working towards a master's degree in the arts.

Since the beginning, the William Penn Association has been a strong supporter of the Hungarian Room both financially and by supplying volunteers to assist in decorating the room for the Christmas holiday. The scholarship program is funded entirely through membership dues and donations.

Recently, you may have received an invitation to join us in celebrating the 70th anniversary of the dedication of the Hungarian Room. The event is scheduled for Saturday, June 13, 2009, beginning at 5:00 p.m. at the newly-renovated University Club of the University of Pittsburgh. We hope that you can attend this wonderful event. If you have not received your invitation, please contact the William Penn Association at 800-848-7366, extension 145, for further information.

If you are not able to attend, please join me in making a gift to the Hungarian Room Committee. The Hungarian Room has never been stronger, but we need your support to ensure that this important scholarship program continues. We know that you share our enthusiasm in continuing and introducing our language, culture and heritage to new and young enthusiastic students.

We also ask that you make it a point to visit the Hungarian Room and enjoy the rich treasures it holds. Approximately 30,000 individuals visit the Nationality Rooms at the Cathedral of Learning each year. Additionally, the Hungarian Room Committee joins with other nationalities in hosting a Christmas season "Open House" during which volunteers decorate the room according to traditional Hungarian Christmas season customs. You can also enjoy a virtual tour of the room at <http://www.pitt.edu/~natrooms/>

Remembering a great leader

John Bencze

OFTEN I STUDY the history of our Association, and I realize more and more that we had many dedicated leaders and members serving this great organization for nearly 125 years. Over the years, I have written articles about our branches, Hungarian settlements, churches, coal miners and others in the U.S.A.

In this article, I would like to remember an outstanding leader--Hungarian-born editor of the *Verhovay Lapok* and supreme secretary and president of the Verhovay Fraternal Insurance Association, John (János) Bencze.

John Bencze was born in Bodva, Borsod County, Hungary, on Nov. 5, 1882. He immigrated to the United States at the young age of 19. His destination was Newark, N.J., and he remained there until 1928. He became one of the great fraternalists and champions of the Magyar cause in America.

Mr. Bencze became a member of the former Verhovay Fraternal Insurance Association in March 1926 at Branch 070 in Newark. He immediately became active in the branch by offering his services to those who were in need of help in a new, strange country. Mr. Bencze was a spirited citizen and always ready to assist in civic and charitable efforts. Because of his keen interest in the Association, he was elected as a delegate to the 1923



National Convention. Indeed, from that date on, he was at every convention of the Association.

At the 1928 Special Convention, Mr. Bencze was elected to the full-time position of supreme secretary. He and his family permanently moved to Pittsburgh, Pa. At the 1943 convention, he was unanimously elected national president, the office which he held until his retirement on Dec. 31, 1955. He was dedicated to the steady growth of the Association. His greatest and most lasting contribution to the Hungarian cause in America was merging the Rakoczi Aid Association and the Verhovay Fraternal Insurance Association in 1955. The William

Penn Association, which he helped to create, honored him by naming him "lifetime honorary president." Until his death, he was called "President Bencze," the patriarch of the William Penn Association.

President Bencze was a member of many worthwhile Hungarian civic and fraternal organizations as was president of the American-Hungarian Federation as well as a very generous contributor and staunch supporter of cultural, welfare and social movements.

Mr. Bencze married the former Klara Flaskay from Hungary in Passaic, N.J., in 1906. The Lord blessed them with three daughters. **WPL**

Spreading the Fraternal Spirit

Mother and son share the lessons taught by family, their heritage & the WPA

by Kati Csoman

In March of this year, my son Otto Nagengast and I traveled to stay at Clairvaux Farm in Earleville, Md., for an alternative spring break. We were part of a group of 16 students from Juniata College and the college's director of community service and service-learning coordinator. I was asked to go as the assistant dean of the Center for International Education since 10 of the students who participated are from China.

Clairvaux Farm is a part of Meeting Ground Ministry and houses about 40 people (families and children) who do not have a home. Meeting Ground is a Maryland-based, Christian non-profit organization which provides

emergency and transitional housing at Clairvaux Farm and other facilities in Cecil County, Md.

The students, including Otto, were enrolled in a one-credit course, which included pre-trip meetings, academic readings and participation in the week-long service-learning component at Meeting Ground.

During the week, our work focused on preparing the Mary Randall Center, a large house to be used as a day facility for the homeless community. The Center will offer counseling, shower and laundry facilities, and serve meals. Otto and I were on the digging crew for most of the week, but we also did cleaning, spackling, sanding, painting and various other activities.

Branching Out



WPA members Otto Nagengast and his mother Kati Csoman spread the fraternal spirit during a week-long service project at a housing ministry in Maryland.

At the Farm, we ate most of our meals with the residents throughout the week and got to know them through a game night (Uno was a big hit!), bonfire (with s'mores), and an evening gathering when some residents

shared their personal stories with us.

Homelessness is a growing social problem in the United States. The Pastor of Meeting Ground reminded us that homelessness is also a human problem when we gathered at chapel our first evening together. He reminded us of our responsibility to one another to ensure we each have our basic needs met, especially food and shelter.

I appreciate the example my parents, Endre and Arlene Csoman, have given me, my siblings and my children to work in service to one another for our common good. I also am grateful for being a member of the William Penn Association which has a core part of its mission to conduct fraternal and charitable activities for the benefit of our members and the communities in which they live.

As Otto said: "Being of Hungarian descent, I was always supplied with abundant love and constant support....With all the love and support I received from my family, it felt really good to pass that on to people in need."

"I also saw the true meaning of a non-profit organization, one that is very similar to the WPA," Otto said. "Although Meeting Ground is not a Hungarian organization, there I felt like a true Hungarian, one that gives love and support to those in need." **WPL**

Learn Hungarian

Hungarian Heritage Experience set for Aug. 2-8 at Penn Scenic View

From Aug. 2 to 8, 2009, the WPA will conduct an intensive Hungarian workshop at its beautiful facilities at Penn Scenic View. Instruction in the Hungarian language will be offered at either a beginners or intermediate level, depending on the needs of the students. The cost for the week--including lodging, all meals, books and materials--is \$275 for WPA members and \$325 for non-members. Reservations will be limited to 25 students and will be accepted on a first-come/first-served basis. To reserve your place at the Hungarian Heritage Experience, complete the form below and send it, along with full payment, to the address shown.

Hungarian Heritage Experience Reservation Form

August 2-8, 2009 • Penn Scenic View, Rockwood, PA

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

WPA Certificate Number: _____

Fee = \$275 per WPA member / \$325 per non-member

Make check payable to "William Penn Association"

Mail this form and check to:

Hungarian Heritage Experience, William Penn Association
709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233

**Please check the type of
classes in which you would
like to participate:**

- ☐ Hungarian Language
- ☐ Hungarian Crafts
- ☐ Hungarian Cooking
- ☐ Hungarian History
- ☐ Hungarian Music
- ☐ Hungarian Folk Dancing

Phisher-man's Special

Bank failures, mergers and takeovers have led to a new wave of Internet scams – here's how to recognize and avoid them

from www.ftc.gov

If the recent changes in the financial marketplace have you confused, you're not alone. The financial institution where you did business last week may have a new name today, and your checks and statements may come with a new look tomorrow. A new lender may have acquired your mortgage, and you could be mailing your payments to a new servicer. Procedures for the banking you do online also may have changed. According to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), the upheaval in the financial marketplace may spur scam artists to phish for your personal information.

Phishers (pronounced "fishers") may send attention-getting emails that look like they're coming from the financial institution that recently acquired your bank, savings and loan or mortgage. Their intent is to collect or capture your personal information, like your credit card numbers, bank account information, Social Security number, passwords or other sensitive information. Their messages may ask you to "update," "validate," or "confirm" your account information. For example, you may see messages like:

- "We recently purchased ABC Bank. Due to concerns for the safety and integrity of our new online banking customers, we have issued this warning message... Please follow the link below to renew your account information."

- "We recently acquired the mortgage on your home and are in the process of validating account information. Please click here to update and verify your information."

- "During our acquisition of XYZ

Savings & Loan, we experienced a data breach. We suspect an unauthorized transaction on your account. To ensure that your account is not compromised, please click the link below to confirm your identity."

The messages direct you to a website that looks like the actual site of your new financial institution or lender. But it isn't. It's a bogus site whose purpose is to trick you into divulging your personal information so the operators can steal your identity and run up bills or commit other crimes in your name.

The FTC suggests these tips to help you avoid getting hooked by a phishing scam:

- Don't reply to an email or pop-up message that asks for personal or financial information, and don't click on links in the message—even if it appears to be from your bank. Don't cut and paste a link from the message into your Web browser, either. Phishers can make links look like they go one place, but actually redirect you to another.

Money Links

For more information about financial scams and how to protect yourself from falling victim to them, log onto the "Money Matters" page of the Federal Trade Commission's website at :

➔ www.ftc.gov/moneymatters

For more tips to help you be on guard against Internet fraud, secure your computer, and protect your personal information, visit:

➔ www.OnGuardOnline.gov

- Some scammers call with a recorded message, or send an email that appears to be from an institution, and ask you to call a phone number to update your account. Because they use Voice over Internet Protocol technology, the area code you call does not reflect where the scammers are. To reach an institution you do business with, call the number on your financial statements.

- Use anti-virus and anti-spyware software, as well as a firewall, and update them regularly.

- Don't email personal or financial information. Email is not a secure way to send sensitive information.

- Review your financial account statements as soon as you receive them to check for unauthorized charges.

- Be cautious about opening any attachment or downloading any files from emails you receive, regardless of who sent them. These files can contain viruses or other software that can weaken your computer's security.

- Forward phishing emails to spam@uce.gov and to the institution or company impersonated in the phishing email. You also may report phishing email to reportphishing@antiphishing.org. The Anti-Phishing Working Group, a consortium of ISPs, security vendors, financial institutions and law enforcement agencies, uses these reports to fight phishing.

If you've been scammed, visit the Federal Trade Commission's Identity Theft website at www.ftc.gov/idtheft for important information on next steps to take. **WPL**

Puzzle Contest

Number 48

The Grand Old Flag

In honor of National Flag Day on June 14, our word search puzzle this month contains words and phrases associated with Old Glory. Find them all and you could win \$50 in our Puzzle Contest #48.

Puzzle Contest #45 WINNERS

The winners of our Puzzle Contest #45 were drawn April 29, 2009, at the Home Office. Congratulations to:

Rosemary J. Balazs, Br. 14 Cleveland, OH
Richard A. Beck, Br. 525 Los Angeles, CA
Mary Bradcovich, Br. 349 Weirton, WV
John M. Recktosh, Br. 89 Homestead, PA

Each won \$50 for their correct entry.
WAY TO GO!!

RULES

1. ALL WPA Life Benefit Members are eligible to enter.
2. Complete the word search puzzle correctly.
3. Mail your completed puzzle, along with your name, address, phone number and WPA Certificate Number, to: **WPA PUZZLE #48**, 709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233.
4. Entries must be received at the Home Office by **July 31, 2009**.
5. Four (4) winners will be drawn from all correct entries on August 3, 2009, at the Home Office. Each winner will receive \$50.
6. GOOD LUCK!!

Grand Old Flag Word List

Allegiance	Patriotism
Banner	Pledge
Betsy Ross	Red
Blue	Republic
Field	Star-Spangled
Freedom	Stripes
Justice	Union
Liberty	Wave
Old Glory	White

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E	C	K	G	A	A	S	A	J	U	S	T	I	C	E
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Flu Review

How to increase your chances of avoiding the flu

from the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases

With the recent outbreak of swine flu and the resulting widespread concern about it, now seems like the perfect time to review the best ways to avoid catching the flu.

The main way to keep from getting the flu is to get a yearly flu vaccine. You can get the vaccine at your health care provider's office or a local clinic, and in many communities at workplaces, supermarkets, and drugstores. Get the vaccine every year because it changes.

Scientists make a different vaccine every year because the strains of flu viruses change. Nine to 10 months before the flu season begins, they prepare a new vaccine made from inactivated (killed) flu viruses. Because the viruses have been killed, they cannot cause infection. The vaccine preparation is based on the strains of the flu viruses that are in circulation at the time. It includes those A and B viruses expected to circulate the following winter.

Sometimes, an unpredicted new strain may appear after the vaccine has been made and distributed. Because of this, even if you do get the flu vaccine, you still may get infected. If you do get infected, however, the disease will usually be milder because the vaccine will still give you some protection.

Your immune system takes time to respond to the flu vaccine. Therefore, you should get vaccinated six to eight weeks before flu season begins in November. Because the flu season usually lasts until March, however, it's not too late to get the vaccine after the season has begun.

Possible Side Effects

You should be aware that the flu shot can cause side effects. The most common side effect is soreness at the site of the vaccination. Other side

effects, especially in children who previously have not been exposed to the flu virus, include fever, tiredness, and sore muscles. These side effects may begin six to 12 hours after vaccination and may last for up to two days.

Some people may opt for FluMist®, the nasal-spray vaccine. Some side effects include runny nose, headache, cough and fever.

Viruses for producing the vaccine are grown in chicken eggs and then killed with a chemical so that they can no longer cause an infection. The flu vaccine may contain some egg protein, which can cause an allergic reaction. Therefore, if you are allergic to eggs or have ever had a serious allergic reaction to the flu vaccine, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends that you consult with your health care provider before getting vaccinated.

Vaccine Recommendations

If you are in any of the following groups or live in a household with someone who is, CDC recommends that you get the flu vaccine:

- Children and adolescents aged 6 months to 19 years;
- Adults 50 years of age or older;
- People with chronic diseases of the heart, lungs, or kidneys;
- People with diabetes;
- Those whose immune systems do not function properly;

- People with a severe form of anemia;
 - Women who will be more than three months pregnant during the flu season;
 - People who live in a nursing home or other chronic-care housing facility; or
 - Those in close contact with children zero to 23 months of age.
- Health care providers and volunteers should get the flu vaccine if they work with people in any of the above groups.

Medicine for Prevention

Although the flu vaccine is the best way to prevent getting the flu, four antiviral medicines that will help prevent flu infection are also available by prescription. Two of these antivirals, amantadine and rimantadine, are no longer recommended because of documented influenza A resistance to them.

Tamiflu® may be used by adults and children who are one year of age and older. For people five years of age and older, **Relenza®** is used to prevent the flu.

These medicines help prevent the flu if you take them for at least two weeks during an outbreak of flu in your community.

You may use these medicines if you are in close contact with family members or others who have the flu.

You may also use them if you are in close contact with people who have been vaccinated but whom you want to give added protection from getting the flu.

Finally, you may use them immediately after being vaccinated during a flu epidemic to protect you during the two- to four-week period before antibodies develop, or when a flu epidemic is caused by virus strains other than those covered by the vaccine. (Antibodies are proteins from your immune system that protect you from the flu virus.) **[WPL]**

Health Links

For more information about the latest strain of swine flu, general information about influenza and more tips on preventing and treating the flu, log onto the website of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases at:

➔ www3.niaid.nih.gov

Hungarian Parliament elects businessman as prime minister

BUDAPEST -- Businessman Gordon Bajnai was elected April 14 as Hungary's new prime minister during a special vote in Parliament.

Bajnai, 41, received 204 of 386 votes to win the position vacated by Socialist Ferenc Gyurcsany, who resigned on March 21. Gyurcsany said last month that a new interim government and a new prime minister were needed to turn the country's economy around.

Bajnai, a wealthy businessman with no party affiliation, describes himself as "a crisis manager without political ambition."

Immediately after the election, he unveiled his new cabinet, which includes six new ministers. He said they were experts who, like himself, were free of party affiliations and would take over the key portfolios of finance, economy, social welfare and

energy.

Hungary's largest opposition group, the center-right Fidesz party, did not participate in Tuesday's vote and has labeled the proposed interim government as "illegitimate." It is demanding that elections be brought forward from spring 2010.

"As long as the majority of MPs support a government's austerity program, a crisis-management government is a better solution for Hungary than early elections," Bajnai said.

Bajnai has said he would not delay in introducing austerity measures and economic reforms and that this would require sacrifices from many Hungarians. Bajnai's planned austerity measures are likely to include cuts to pensions and public service employee salaries.

Hungarian Room well-represented at Pitt's Cabaret Ball

PITTSBURGH -- Officers and members of the Hungarian Room Committee attended the Cabaret Ball April 18 at the University of Pittsburgh celebrating the 70th anniversary of the dedication of the Hungarian Room and several other of the university's Nationality Rooms.

The Hungarian Room was represented by the largest ethnic contingent at the ball--52 guests--thanks to the efforts of Dr. Agnes M. Vardy, Gabriella Gally and Maria M. Bistey. They also secured items for baskets which were auctioned at the ball and raised \$150 for the Ruth Crawford Mitchell Scholarship Fund.

The William Penn Folk Dancers performed during the cabaret portion of the evening. The George Batyi Orchestra performed during the dinner hour and for dancing.



The Hungarian Room Committee of the University of Pittsburgh

Cordially invites you to join in the celebration of the

70th anniversary of the dedication of the Hungarian Room

Saturday, June 13, 2009, at the University Club of the University of Pittsburgh.

Cash Bar - 5:00 p.m. / Dinner - 6:00 p.m. / Program - 7:00 p.m.

Followed by live music and dancing

Tickets - \$40/ person

*For reservations, call John L. Lovasz at 412-231-2979, ext. 145
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Summer Desserts

FÁRADJON BE A MAGYAR KONYHÁBA.

Let me first mention the Harrisburg Verhovay Branch 336 Golf Tournament will be held on Saturday, July 11, at Sunset Golf Course in Middletown, Pa. The picnic after the golf will be at Cibort Park, which is down by the river.

Don't forget the 26th Annual WPA Golf Tournament and Scholarship Days the following weekend near Pittsburgh at Quicksilver Golf Club in Midway, Pa.

Here's this month's trivia question: *In 1881, what did James Logan create for us to enjoy?* As always, the answer waits at the end of the column.

It's time to enjoy one of the things that summertime has to offer, which is fresh fruit. Chef Vilmos and I have come up with some great recipes using peaches, cherries, strawberries and blueberries. Just remember that the

fruits mentioned are great to eat alone as a snack with great nutritional value. vitamins A and C, along with iron and calcium, are present in all four fruits. They are fat free but do contain natural sugars, so you do have to watch how much you consume. I like my fruit picked fresh and still warm from the sunshine.

Let me give you some tips when preparing fresh fruit for a snack or dessert.

First, wash all fruit to remove any soil or small insects that might be present. When drying the fruit after washing, remember the more delicate the fruit, the more finesse you must use. I like to let berries rest on paper towels to dry then use them in my favorite recipes.

Only pick the fruit you will be eating or cooking with. It's better to keep the fruit on its natural vine to retain flavor rather than your kitchen table or the refrigerator.

Use any bruised pieces of fruit for fillings or sauces and save a few good pieces for garnish.

When making anything with fresh peaches, try blanching them first in hot water then plunging in an ice bath. They will peel easier and won't brown as much because the enzymes have been denatured.

I've added more recipes this month so enjoy and have fun.

Trivia Answer: James Logan crossed a red raspberry with a blackberry to create a loganberry which is heartier hybrid of the berry family. Loganberries are very popular in Europe and with vegetarians.

Have a great month and see you in Harrisburg!

*Jó étvágyat
Főszakács Béla*

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Blueberry Cream Cheese Pie

8 oz. cream cheese, softened
 ¾ cup sugar
 ¼ cup sour cream
 ½ teaspoon vanilla extract
 9-inch pie shell, baked then cooled
 3 cups fresh blueberries
 ½ cup water
 2 tablespoons cornstarch
 1 tablespoon lemon juice
 3 tablespoons powdered sugar

Blend together the cream cheese, ¼ cup sugar, sour cream and vanilla until smooth. Spread evenly into the cooled pie shell. Chill until firm. In a small saucepan mash one cup of blueberries. Add the water and bring to a boil. Strain and add enough water to blueberry juice to make one cup. Stir in the remaining sugar and cornstarch then return saucepan to the stove and cook until the mixture thickens and bubbles. Remove from the heat then stir in the lemon juice and cool. Place the remaining blueberries evenly over the filling of the pie. Spoon the glaze evenly over the top of the pie and chill for three hours. Slice and serve the pie with a sprinkle of powdered sugar over the top.

Grandma's Cherry Crisp

6 cups fresh dark sweet cherries, washed, dried and pitted
 1 tablespoon cornstarch
 1½ tablespoons sugar
 ½ cup all-purpose flour
 ½ cup oats
 ½ cup pecan pieces
 1 cup light brown sugar
 ¼ teaspoon salt
 ¼ teaspoon sweet paprika
 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/3 cup butter, melted

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. In a small bowl mix the cherries with the cornstarch and the sugar. Add a teaspoon or two of water if the mixture is too dry. Put the cherries into a square baking dish. In another bowl combine all the other ingredients except the melted butter. Mix

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well then add the butter to make a moist crumbly topping. Put the topping over the cherries and bake for one hour until the top is golden brown. Serve warm to your guests with a scoop of ice cream or whipped cream.

Grilled Peach Salad

2 large fresh peaches
 1 tablespoon canola oil
 10 oz. bag of mixed salad greens
 ¼ cup white balsamic vinegar
 ¾ cup canola oil
 4 oz. crumbled gorgonzola cheese
 2 oz. toasted walnuts or almonds
 Salt & white pepper to taste

Cut the peaches into quarters and brush all sides with the tablespoon of canola oil. Season with a little salt and pepper then grill the peaches over medium coals until they start to turn light brown and soften. Cool the peaches then slice into medium chunks. In a mixing bowl combine the balsamic vinegar with the ¾ cup canola oil and whisk creating vinaigrette. Adjust the taste with salt, pepper and a little brown sugar, if needed. In a shallow salad bowl, toss the greens with the vinaigrette

If you have any comments, questions or suggestions for Chef Béla, then please write to him at:

**William Vasvary
 190 Fern Avenue
 Rye, NH 03870**

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then garnish with the crumbled cheese and the nuts. Spread the grilled peaches over the top of the salad and serve your guests.

Fresh Raspberry Muffins

2 cups flour
 ½ cup sugar
 1 tablespoon baking powder
 1 teaspoon salt
 ½ cup whole milk
 ½ cup melted butter
 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 2 whole eggs
 1½ cups fresh raspberries

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Use a cupcake pan and line with paper liners or spray well with pan spray. In a mixing bowl, combine the flour, sugar, baking powder and salt mixing well. In another bowl, combine the butter, milk, eggs and vanilla mixing until smooth. Stir the liquid mixture into the flour bowl a little at a time until it is well blended. Fold in the fresh raspberries then portion out the batter evenly into the pan. Bake for 15 to 20 minutes until the tops are slightly golden brown. Serve warm to your guests or let cool then serve.

Strawberry Pie

2 quarts fresh strawberries, washed, dried and sliced
 1 cup sugar
 ¼ cup water
 2½ tablespoons cornstarch
 9-inch graham cracker pie shell
 1 pint heavy cream whipped

In a small bowl, place half the sliced strawberries and sprinkle with ¼ cup of sugar. Toss lightly then pour into the pie shell and set aside. Mix the remaining berries with the remaining ¾ cup of sugar and ¼ cup of water in a saucepan and sprinkle the cornstarch over the top. Cook over medium heat stirring until the mixture is thick. Cool to room temperature then pour evenly over the strawberries in the pie shell. Chill for one hour then top with the whipped cream. Chill another hour then slice and serve to your guests.

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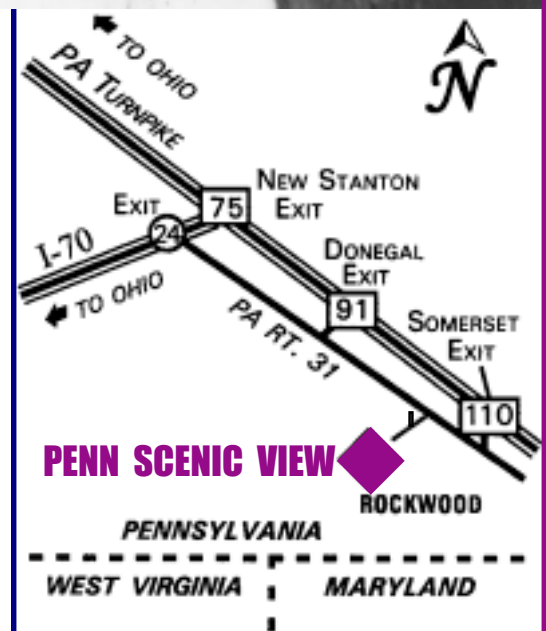
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Branch 8164
Steubenville, OH

by Emily Nicholson

Several of our branches got together to participate in Join Hands Day on May 2. Branch 10 Barton, Ohio, gave Jeffrey Gazdik and his fellow firemen in Barton several stuffed bears and blankets to be used when transporting children affected by fires. On behalf of the children, the Barton Fire Department greatly appreciated the donation.

In a conversation with Mr. Gazdik, we learned that his grandfather, Steve Gazdik, sold insurance policies for the Verhovay Aid Association back in the 1920's. That society later merged with the Rakoczi Aid Association to become the William Penn Association. Mr. Gazdik recalled his grandfather saying what a great insurance company it was.

Branch 40 Martins Ferry, Ohio, donated several boxes of children's books to the Martins Ferry Hospital. RN Kathryn Groux, from Nurses Services in Education and Staff Development, accepted the donation. The nurses called it a good morale booster for the children who are sick. My thanks to all who donated their used, but still in good condition, books for this project.

For information about Branch 10 Barton, Ohio, Branch 40 Martins Ferry, Ohio, Branch 248 Monaville, W.Va., Branch 349 Weirton, W.Va., or Branch 8164 Steubenville, Ohio, and their activities or to learn more about the WPA, please call Joyce Nicholson at 740-264-6238.



WPA members in Southeastern Ohio got into the spirit of Join Hands Day May 2 when they made donations aimed at helping local children. Above, Joyce Nicholson (right), coordinator of Branches 10, 40, 248, 349 and 8164, presents children's books from members of Branch 40 Martins Ferry, Ohio, to nurse Kathryn Groux of Martins Ferry Hospital. At left, Joyce presents stuffed bears and blankets to Jeffrey Gazdik of the Barton Fire Department on behalf of the members of Branch 10 Barton, Ohio.

Branch 14 Cleveland, OH

by Dawn D. Ward

Summer has finally arrived and the branch is sponsoring a fun-filled trip to Progressive Field to see the Cleveland Indians take on the Detroit Tigers, Friday, July 31. By the time you read this, we hope the Tribe is

back in contention for the division crown.

Branch 14 member and scholarship recipient Susan Wherley epitomizes our fraternal spirit. During her freshman year at Harvard, she joined the Harvard Global Health and AIDS Coalition whose mission is to increase awareness about neglected diseases which impact university and

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national health policy. After her sophomore year, she took her interest to Africa to teach AIDS education to a Maasai tribe in northern Tanzania. Now in her junior year, she is writing a research paper on Egypt and HIV/Aids Stigma, and she spent her fall semester abroad studying public health at the U.N. and the World Health Organization in Geneva, Switzerland. This young lady is bound for great things in life, and we are proud to have her as a member. Susan would like to thank the William Penn Association for their scholarship assistance.

Another branch member who lives the fraternal spirit is Lorna Curtiss, who was recently honored by the Lake County Council on Aging for being selected as the recipient of the 2009 Outstanding Citizen Award. The Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program trained her to assist the elderly with explanations on Medicare, Medicaid, and private health insurance issues. Lorna has been volunteering at the Council on Aging and the Mentor and Fairport Harbor Senior Centers since 2006. From Nov. 15 to Dec. 23, 2008, she counseled more than 150 senior citizens.

Awards were given to her from the U.S. House of Representatives signed by Congressman Steve LaTourette, the Board of Lake County commissioners, and the Ohio State Senate, signed by Bill Harris and Timothy Grendell.

Lorna also lends her culinary expertise at the Hungarian Reformed Church in Fairport Harbor. She can be seen in the kitchen making kolbasz, cabbage rolls and chicken paprikas. She also is recognized as one of Santa's hard-working helpers at the annual branch Christmas party.

Branch 14 welcomes new members Cameron Moore, Carol Rosario, Josif Rosu, Candice Carrington, John Kulina, Emma Uveges, Morgan Uveges, Timothy Klodnick, Julia Reinach, Jacob Reinach, Kathy Krosky, Mario Bryant and Charles White. Remember to recommend potential new members to the Ward



Branch 18 member Irene Korpak (center) is the matriarch of five generations of WPA members. They include (l-r) great-great-grandson Bishop Wolfe, daughter and Vice Chairman of the Board Barbara A. House, granddaughter Deborah Wolfe and great-grandson David Wolfe.

Agency at 440-838-1200 and earn Recommender Bucks!

The branch meetings are in summer recess until Wednesday, Sept. 2. The last meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 2. Meetings are held at the First Hungarian Reformed Church, 14530 Alexander Road, Walton Hills at 7:30 p.m. Hope to see you there.

Branch 18 Lincoln Park, MI

by Barbara A. House

We are busily preparing for our annual Join Hands Day projects. We have three this year.

On June 6, we will meet at 10:00 a.m. at Maryhaven Senior Center to plant 15 flats of flowers and do a general clean up. Maryhaven is on Goddard and Reek Road in Southgate. When we're done there, we will go immediately to St. Michael's Episcopal Church on Champaign and Fort Street and do

the same. When done there, lunch will be served. I sure hope we will have a lot of help. Many hands make short work. Due to the poor economy here in Michigan, we decided to add to our list of projects this year. Most cannot afford flowers this year.

We have also decided to have a year-long charity, supporting no-kill animal shelters. At our last branch meeting, we collected dog and cat food, cat litter, toys, blankets and towels. We will collect these at every meeting for at least a year. As the economy worsened, many people could not afford their pets, and they were forced to let them go. I was contacted by an animal shelter and asked if our branch could help. Help we did with 200 pounds of food. I found that Family Dollar has 25 pound bags of dog food for \$5. We sure hope you can help. We will also take monetary donations and will use the money to buy what the shelter needs. Thanks.

Thank you and welcome to our

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Branch 18 member Rocky Borsa (right) was serenaded by a local bagpiper as part of his 82nd birthday celebration.

new members, Kaitlyn and Theresa Szilagyi. Thanks to Margaret Menner. Welcome Karan Burke. Thanks to Shirley Gegus. Thank you also to Julius Sabo and Janet Totsky for thinking of the WPA and me for your financial needs.

Get well wishes go out to Grace Balaythy, Rocky Borsa, Emma Poliska, Julius Bubenko, Eleanor Kender, Steve Nagy, Elsie Kantor, Carol Truesdell, Eva Schroth and Joe Horvath in Toledo. Hope you are all well very soon.

Thank you, Anna Kopicko and Emma Borsa, for your lovely donations for our Christmas party. Yes, Christmas party. We take any donation any time.

Congratulations to Jake House, you sure looked handsome, and to George Bubenko on your first Holy Communion.

Happy 90th birthday to Mike in Las Vegas.

Thanks, Eddie Beres, for our lovely awnings. We love them.

Happy birthday to Anna Kopicko, Anne Marie Schmidt, Frank Radvany and my brother, Joe Gall. We send you all much love and hope you all have many more.

Please remember in your prayers our deceased members and their families, especially Ernest Bogya, Ernest Solmose and Julia Nemes. May they rest in peace with God.

Hope to see many of you at the 26th Annual WPA Golf Tournament and Scholarship Days in Midway, Pa.

I am now taking reservations for our bus trip to the WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest at Penn Scenic View. We will leave on Friday, Sept. 11, and return on Saturday, Sept. 12. Cost is \$85 for members, \$159 for non-members. Please call me as soon as possible to make your reservation.

Remember all our wonderful fathers on their special day June

21. We hope you have a great day. Happy Father's Day to Rudy and Tommy with much love from Gabby and Barbara.

Remember the Hungarian American Cultural Center's Roszikas Kitchen is open for dinner on Fridays and Saturdays.

I am always available to help you with your WPA needs. Please call me anytime at 734-782-4667 or 313-418-5572.

Thank you, Debbie, Glenn and Tony. I love you very much.

Branch 28 Youngstown, OH

by Kathy Novak

Finally, it's summer! What a long awaited time of year. We remember and give honor to all mothers, fathers and members of all armed services as their special days of honor are celebrated. Best of luck to all the 2009 high school graduates...the future is yours.

Looking forward to all the upcoming summer events--the Hungarian Classroom's 70th anniversary celebration, the WPA's Annual Golf Tournament and Scholarship Days and the WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest. Seats for our bus to the WPA Picnic are still available. Call Steve Novak at 330-746-7704 to make

your reservation to join us for this great event.

Locally, Magyar Nap will be held Sunday, Aug. 9, at 2219 Donald Ave. This day is sponsored by the Youngstown American Hungarian Federation. It's an "old-fashioned" day of Hungarian food, pastries, music and friendship. The day starts at 1:00 p.m. and concludes at 6:00 p.m.

Congratulations to first time great-grandparents Robert and Evelyn Horvath on the birth of Fallon. Proud grandpa is Randy Horvath and mom is Ashley.

Congrats and thanks also to all the WPA's Fraternal Insurance Counselors on the special recognition they receive in May each year from the National Fraternal Congress of America.

Happy retirement wishes to Richard Sarosi. We all know you'll be very busy with all the organizations and activities you participate in. Enjoy!

Hope everyone has seen the WPA's newly updated website. Steve Charles did a great job.

Get well wishes to all those not up to par, especially Leo Hrecska, Helen Hrecska, Ference and Maria Goda, Michelle Schwartz, Alice Nagy, Chrissy Kobasic and Irene Devlin.

We extend our sincere condolences to all those members who have recently lost a loved one.

Best wishes to all our birthday and anniversary celebrants, especially Branch 28 Vice President Frank Schauer.

If you need any information about our branch or WPA life insurance and annuity plans, please call me at 330-746-7704 or Alan at 330-482-9994.

Looking forward to seeing a lot of our members at the summer events.

Branch 34 Pittsburgh, PA

by Andy McNelis

Hope everyone is enjoying spring finally coming to Pittsburgh. Don't forget to check your calendar for the great events coming up.

I would like to extend congratula-

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tions and much love to my grandson Donovan and great niece Gabrielle on achieving honor roll. Way to go! I would also like to congratulate

Gabrielle (pictured) and her partner Zach for winning the bronze medal in Junior II Latin dancing. She dances at the Art and Style Dance Studio on Pittsburgh's South Side. You will look great doing the Csardas!

Also, congratulations go out to Bob Healy, my future nephew. He is the future son-in-law of Gary Vamos. Bob is the director of athletics communications at Susquehanna University. It is his job to place stories in the media whenever students excel in sports. Bob had one of his stories printed in *USA Today* and in the "Faces in the Crowd" section of the April issue of *Sports Illustrated*. Congratulations, Bob.

We would like to extend happy birthday wishes to all branch members celebrating their birthdays. Sorry we missed your 80th birthday, Mitzi. You look great! We hope that you all are happy and healthy.

If you have any news you would like to share, please contact Andy McNelis at 412-421-6031. For information about WPA insurance and annuity policies, please contact Branch Coordinator Maria Bistey at 412-431-6035.

Branch 800 Altoona, PA

by Vincent Frank
America celebrates Flag Day on June 14. It's the 232nd birthday of our American Flag. Please be patriotic and show others that you love Old Glory by displaying it at your home and place of business.

Happy Father's Day to all fathers on June 21. It's a special day for you to enjoy, for you are deserving of this honor.

Branch 800 has five members who have reached 50 years of member-

ship with the WPA: the Rev. Donald Boslett of Chest Springs, Daniel M. Craig of State College, Thomas J. Kasun of Altoona, Irene H. Lawrie of Tyrone and David J. Sabatino of Altoona. They were honored at the branch's May meeting. The Home Office provided a beautiful emblem and certificate for each of the honorees, and the branch provided a buffet.

Branch 800 will hold its summer picnic on Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 6:00 p.m. at Highland Park in Altoona, rain or shine. Deadline for reservations is July 28. Call me at 814-695-0213. Members, their families and friends are all welcome.

We wish all members and their families traveling on vacation this summer a safe and happy journey.

Our branch meetings are in recess for the summer. Our next meeting will be held Tuesday, Sept. 1, at 7:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Religious Education Center in Altoona.

Please keep in mind that Bob Jones will be on duty during the summer to take care of your life insurance and annuity needs. You can call him in Altoona at 814-942-2661.

The great American holiday--the 4th of July--is coming. In observance of Independence Day, remember our men and women in the military and have a safe and happy 4th of July.

God Bless America.

Branch 8114 Clarion, PA

by Noreen Fritz, FIC, LUTCF
With Father's Day fast approaching, I came across a cute and fitting quote by an unknown author: "A father carries pictures where his money used to be." Whatever your children lovingly call you--Dad, Pop or Father--happy Father's Day to you!

The WPA welcomes our newest members: little Gage Best, grandchild of Florabell Best Neiderriter; Kylynn Smith, granddaughter of Edna Smith and Vern Smith (retired Sheriff of Clarion); and Barbara Bauer, wife of longtime member Frank Bauer. Thank you for joining our Fraternal Family.

Oops! In last month's report, I forgot to mention the recent birthday of one of our little members, Milton McElravy, grandson of Dottie and Gordon Rice. Sorry for being late for your important date. Happy belated birthday!

Two Branch 8114 members recently passed away. Deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Virgil Beary of Shippensburg and Frank Schaeffer Jr. of Clarion.

Branch members celebrating birthdays in June are: Winifred (Winnie) Durante in Florida, Craig Ochs, Ken Bauer, Jerome Conner, Matthew Kifer, Denise Gourley, Meghan Rice, Mary Jean Bagileo, Collin Callihan, James Sunderland, Natalie Rhoads, Susanna Swan, Samantha Gatesman, Jessica Lahr, Anthony Sarvey, Ethel Walter, Paul Weaver, Thelma Gatesman and Ashley Steiner. Hope I didn't miss anyone this time. Happy birthday to all!

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In Memoriam

EMMA LOUISE (AMY) CODAN
PITTSBURGH -- The Home Office was saddened by the death of former Home Office employee Emma Louise (Amy) Codan, who passed away suddenly on March 20, 2009. She was 80.

Amy, a member of WPA Branch 89 Homestead, Pa., worked in the WPA's underwriting and sales departments for many years before her retirement in 1994.

She was born Aug. 16, 1928, in Warren, Ohio, the daughter of the late Louis and Amelia Kerr.

She was the beloved wife of 50 years of Daniel Codan; "sister"-in-law of Millicent Babics, Marie Haug, Miriam Ziolkowski, George Codan the late Angeline Raynovich and the late Peter Codan;

and loving cousin of the Cox Family in London, England. She is also survived by many nieces, nephews, great-and great-great-nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of your choice. May she rest in peace.

We ask you to pray for the eternal rest of Mrs. Codan and all our recently departed members listed below:

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- 525 - Jonathan Dornay - \$5.00
- 720 - Jake D. Bjork - \$5.00
- 723 - Ryan E. Godbout - \$1.53

- 723 - Marguerite S. Morin - \$5.00
- 725 - Daniel F. Riordan - \$3.00
- 8014 - Zenaida Blochinger - \$5.00
- 8020 - Robert M. Dansak - \$1.00

TOTAL for Month = \$329.78

APRIL 2009

Donor - Amount

- M/M Stephen J. Varga - \$95.00
- M/M Frank A. Dugobich - \$20.00
- Cookbook Sales - \$165.00

TOTAL for Month = \$280.00

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APRIL 2009

Donor - Amount (In Memory of)

- M/M E. E. Vargo - \$25.00
(Amy Codan)
- M/M E. E. Vargo - \$50.00
(Mariam Walker)
- Julius Sabo - \$20.00
(Louise Sabo)
- Br. 18 Lincoln Park, MI - \$125.00
(George Sipos, Margaret Yesue,
Valentine Toth Jr., Nicholas
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TOTAL for Month = \$220.00

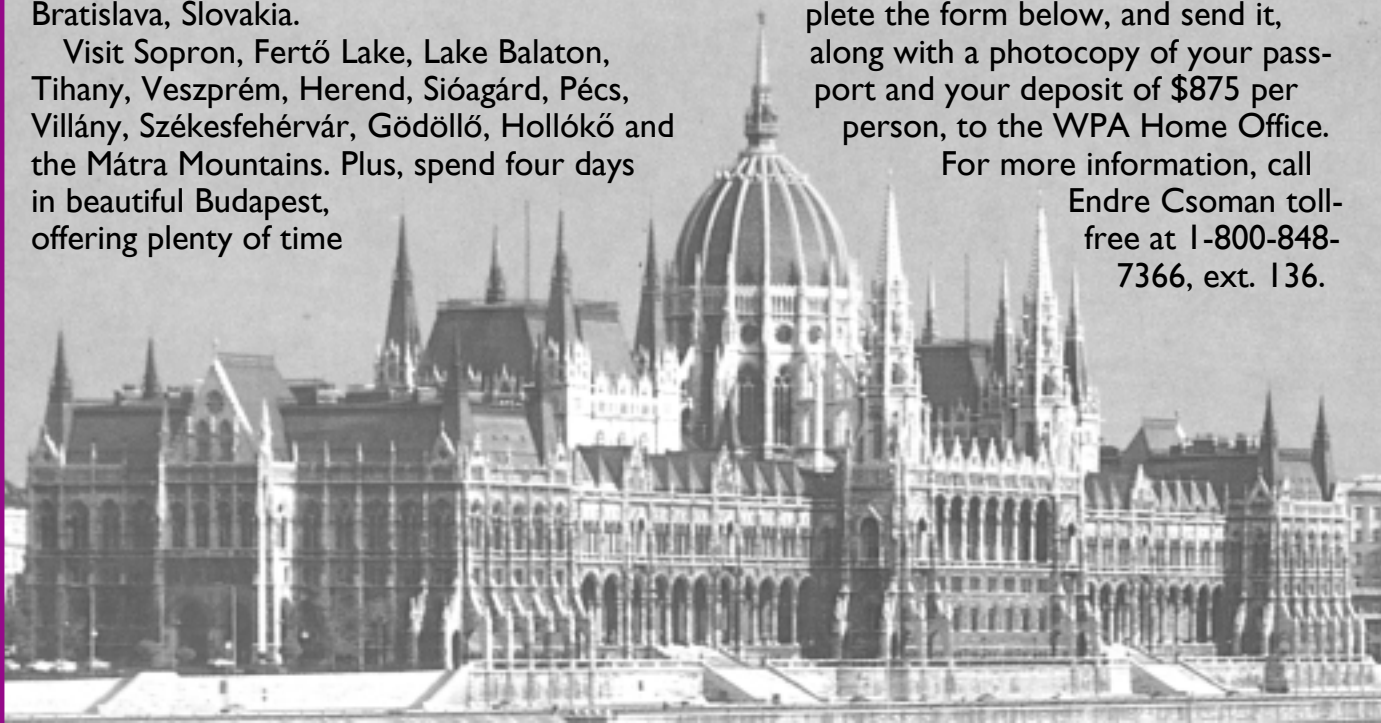
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Visit Sopron, Fertő Lake, Lake Balaton, Tihany, Veszprém, Herend, Sióagárd, Pécs, Villány, Székesfehérvár, Gödöllő, Hollókő and the Mátra Mountains. Plus, spend four days in beautiful Budapest, offering plenty of time

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WPA Hungary Tour 2009 Reservation Form

Name (as it appears on your passport):

Address:

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State:

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Email:

Telephone No.:

Fax No.:

Passport No.:

Exp. Date:

(Include a photocopy of your passport)

Name of person to contact in case of emergency:

Phone No.:

I will share a room with:

I want a single room for an additional \$435: YES - NO (circle one)

Seat Preference: WINDOW - CENTER - AISLE - NO PREFERENCE (circle one)

Complete this form and send it, along with photocopy of your passport and your deposit of \$875 per person to:

**WPA Hungary Tour, William Penn Association
709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233**

***** MAKE YOUR DEPOSIT PAYABLE TO "WILLIAM PENN ASSOCIATION" *****

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