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Tri-State Area annual picnic at Scenic View set for May 18

ROCKWOOD, PA -- Final plans are being made for the Third Annual Tri-State Area Picnic to be held Saturday, May 18, from noon to 5:00 p.m. at Scenic View, located in Pennsylvania's beautiful Laurel Highlands.

All William Penn Association members in the Western Pennsylvania/Ohio/West Virginia Tri-State Area--along with their families--are cordially invited to join us.

It promises to be an afternoon of good food and family fun. You can fish in the lake, hike around the property, catch frisbee, play bingo or do whatever you might be interested in doing. You're welcome to bring along the materials and equipment you need for your favorite games or activities.

We will enjoy hamburgers, hot dogs and kolbász on the grill. We do ask, however, that each branch attending the picnic bring side dishes and/or desserts to share. Drinks, plates and silverware will be provided. We will also enjoy an authentic bacon roast over the coals.

Please call Endre Csoman at 1-800-848-7366, ext. 136, by May 10 to let us know if you will be coming and how many people will be attending with you. We look forward to meeting you and sharing a fun and relaxing time.

Member Spotlight



Sharing the fraternal spirit with troops overseas

PITTSBURGH -- Ten years ago, when Summer Tissue (*left*) shipped a care package to her brother, Eddie, who was serving with the Marine Corps in Iraq, she was just doing "what any other sister would do," she says. She didn't do it because she wanted "to run a non-profit, or make a difference, or change the way troops lived."

But, that's exactly what this member of WPA Branch 352 Coraopolis, Pa., ended up doing.

That first care package to her brother--filled with toilet paper, Tylenol and other items military personnel didn't have access to--was the first of more than one million such packages Summer and her organization, Military Connections, have shipped to troops overseas.

After receiving his much-appreciated package, Eddie asked his sister if she could send a similar package to his friend who had no family or friends. She did, and soon after, she began receiving letters from other Marines asking if she could send them toothpaste, soap, socks and other items which were in short supply and impossible to find. After Eddie returned home in 2007, Summer realized this was a problem for not just Eddie's unit but also for many military personnel serving overseas.

"Once you ship one box, it's hard not to ship another," she said. "My basement is filled with supplies, my truck is never filled with fuel, my door is always blocked with boxes, my phone never stops ringing, but when I receive a letter from one of my soldiers or Marines, it reminds me why I do this."

For her efforts, Summer was awarded the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* Jefferson Award for Public Service in 2007 and just this March, the Hometown Heroes Award presented by News Radio 1020 KDKA in Pittsburgh.

Summer is the daughter of WPA members Edward and Pauline Tissue and the granddaughter of deceased members Pauline and William Bracken.

We salute Summer for sharing the fraternal spirit with the men and women of our armed forces serving abroad.

To learn more about Military Connections and what you can do to help Summer in her mission, log onto www. militaryconnections.org.

LAST CALL FOR 2013-2014 WPFA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

WPA members interested in applying for grants from the William Penn Fraternal Association Scholarship Foundation for the school year 2013-2014 must be submit their applications or renewal letters to the Home Office soon. All first-time applications, renewal request letters and essays must be mailed and postmarked by May 31, 2013. Applications and letters postmarked after that date will not be considered. For more information, a complete list of eligibility rules and an application form, log onto: www.williampennassociation.org. Go to the "Members" section and click on "Learn More" under "William Penn Fraternal Association Scholarship Foundation, Inc."

Branches, Home Office 'Join Hands for Hunger'

WE THANK ALL WPA members, branches and Home Office employees who continue to open their hearts to those in need and help alleviate hunger in their local communities.

Thirty WPA branches, listed below, participated in our "Join Hands for Hunger" campaign this spring, donating non-perishable food items, household supplies and money to community food banks.

Meanwhile, Home Office employees, many of whom are pictured here, donated a total of 541 pounds of food during this spring's Home Office food drive, all of which was donated to Northside Common Ministries.



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Branch 8340 Baltimore, MD - St. Rita's Roman Catholic Church Food Bank

Society appreciates WPA support

ON BEHALF of the Cleveland Hungarian Heritage Society and Museum, I wish to thank William Penn Association for the generous response to our Sustaining Fund Campaign solicitation. We hereby acknowledge receipt of your contribution of \$200.

As you know, for the past 27 years we have served as a Hungarian cultural institution, showcasing our Hungarian immigrant history, culture and heritage here in Northeast Ohio. To this end, we maintain our museum that houses a rich collection of artifacts and archival material as well as a fine library. We also strive to enrich the lives of our community through educational programs and lectures. We have been asked to host many Hungarian related events, and we continue to welcome visitors from all over the world to our museum.

We look forward to seeing members of the Association at our museum and events!

Sincerely,

Andrea M. Mészáros,

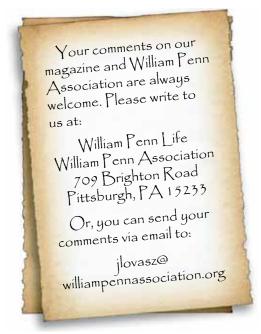
Co-Chair

Sustaining Fund Campaign Committee Cleveland Hungarian Heritage Society

Thank you for hosting event at Scenic View

ON BEHALF of the members, friends and guest presenters of the Magyar Baráti Közösség/Hungarian Communion of Friends (MBK), I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks for hosting our first Tavaszi Itt-Ott at Scenic View [this March].

The place is phenomenal, even during the late winter-early spring weather. Your staff's limitless, warm hospitality and dedication contributed considerably to the success of our gathering. Our Hungarian guests from the Hungarian Embassy (Washington, D.C.), General Consulate of Hungary (New York) and Balassi Institute of New York were charmed and very much enjoyed their stay.



Please transmit our thanks to your wonderful staff and to your organization!

Well, we intend to return there, and I am sure our Hungarian-American communities will have more to share in the future.

Yours,

Peter Kovalszki

President of MBK Ann Arbor, MI

Sausage recipes bring back fond memories

THE HUNGARIAN KITCHEN is the first section of *William Penn Life* that we anxiously look forward to reading each month. There are always wonderful recipes to peruse. This month's (Feb. 2013) issue on homemade sausages was especially interesting as it brought back many fine memories of when our family made wonderful Hungarian recipes that have become our traditional fare.

My husband and I were first generation Americans as both our families came from Hungary back in the early 20s. We grew up knowing the delicious foods from the old country and learning all the fine traditions and customs. Each generation passed our heritage down to the next and to this day it is still carried down to the grandchildren and greatgrandchildren. We are all very proud of our background.

I'm sure you are receiving many responses to the recipes of this last issue. Everyone's recipes are bound to be great and the pride of their families.

Sincerely,

Mrs. George Papp Canon City, CO

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Papp enclosed with her letter family recipes for Kolbász, Hurka and Kocsonya/Jellied Pigs Feet. We forwarded these to Chef Béla who may include them in a future edition of The Hungarian Kitchen if and when space permits.)

Remembering Sister Edith Nemeth

WE THANK YOU for your expressions of sympathy and support during this difficult time. We ask that God grant Sister Edith eternal rest and peace. Thank you for the donation given in her memory.

Prayerfully,

Sister Rosemary & SistersSisters of the Divine Redeemer Elizabeth, PA

(Editor's Note: An obituary for Sister M. Edith Nemeth was published in the March 2013 issue of William Penn Life.)

Thanks for supporting March 15 celebration

ON BEHALF of the Youngstown American Hungarian Federation, I would like to express our sincere gratitude and a heartfelt thank you for your most generous gift of monetary support for our March 15th celebration. WPA is always supportive of the promotion of our Hungarian culture and history.

With much thanks,

Kathy Novak

Vice President

Youngstown American Hungarian Federation



Moneywise with Jeff DeSantes

Should I buy life insurance for my elderly parents?

MAKING SURE that elderly parents have life insurance is a natural concern for most children as their mother and father age. Isn't it interesting that as we get older, the responsibilities we have to take care of our parents starts to shift? This is an inevitable part of life, and it is our responsibility to take care of our parents. As they get older, you need to start thinking about what will happen if they get sick and what will happen when they die. You need to think about the financial concerns you may have for final

A death brings a lot of emotional and monetary turmoil. A funeral alone has an average cost of around \$7,000. This is an immediate expense that typically needs to be taken care of within a week or so. Beyond the funeral cost, many elderly parents leave behind debts such as credit card balances, loans and a mortgage, as well as those final bills. If you or your elderly parents do not have cash saved to take care of these things, then it is prudent to make sure that there is some type of life insurance coverage in place.

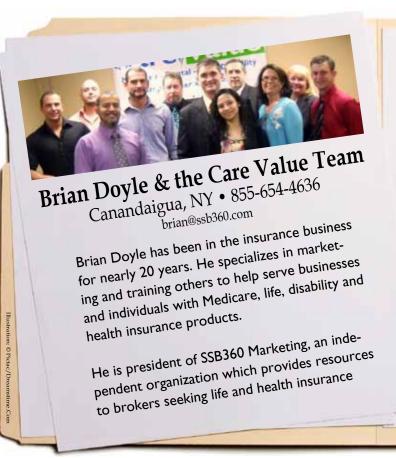
Some argue it is smarter to put money into a savings account for final expenses, which includes funeral expenses. However, relying on a savings account probably is not the best solution because there might be tax implications with the money that is in the savings account.

The best scenario, in most cases, is to have life insurance because most insurance carriers offer affordable coverage for seniors.

You may wonder if your parents need to know that you are purchasing life insurance for them, and the answer is, "yes." All insurance companies require the knowledge and consent of anyone whose life is being insured, even if they are not paying for it. Your mother or father would have to sign the application and go through any necessary steps in the underwriting process.

If you are thinking about purchasing life insurance for your older parent, or if you are searching for coverage for yourself, make sure that you never sign anything you do not understand. Ask all the questions you want and take notes for comparison. It is always a good idea to have a record of what was said for future references. If an agent is unwilling to explain a policy to your satisfaction, then do not sign or buy. Always make sure that you compare policies carefully. It is important to buy the best coverage that meets your needs and your budget. Do not ever buy coverage you cannot afford.

To learn more about how various life insurance plans can benefit the parents you love, contact your local William Penn Association representative or call our Home Office toll-free at 1-800-848-7366, ext. 120. We can assist you in finding an agent who will meet with you and serve you and your family by offering a review of your needs, life insurance protection, taxed-deferred annuities, juvenile insurance plans and special fraternal benefits.



solutions. Brian also leads a division called Care Value, which specializes in insurance for seniors.

He and his team of dedicated insurance professionals can help seniors and the people who love them develop a plan. This will ensure their finances are secure and will provide the necessary benefits they and their loved ones will need.

Brian and the Care Value team are excited about partnering with William Penn Association and the opportunity to offer the Association's high-quality life insurance and annuity products to their clientele.



Tibor's Take with Tibor Check, Jr.

The state of 'Hungarianness'

OVER THE LAST FEW MONTHS, I have reformulated my view on the state of "Hungarianness" in America. To me, Hungarianness has meant living and practicing an American-Hungarian lifestyle that reflects the culture and ideals of both nations. It is an ethnic tapestry of many colors and strands woven together.

Unfortunately, I believe that I have overestimated the current state of Hungarianness of the Magyars here in America. I have observed in recent years that the Hungarianness of the typical American-Magyar has been pared down to a single theme. What do I mean by this single theme of Hungarianness? Allow me to explain:

Years ago, Hungarianness was a multifaceted life experience. It connected people across generations, genders and religious affiliations. There were Hungarian houses of worship that were Roman Catholic, Byzantine, Calvinist, Orthodox, Jewish, Baptist and so on. You may have worshipped at a specific church, but when it came to events such as dances or dinners, you attended a wide variety of events sponsored by other congregations as well as your own.

Being a Magyar living in America was something to be proud of. You wore the colors of red, white and green. You stood proudly when the band played *The Star-Spangled Banner*, but stood with the same amount of pride when the *zenekar* played the Magyar *Himnusz*. When the school teacher mistakenly Americanized your name on the first day of school, you respectfully corrected the mispronunciation with the appropriate Hungarian inflection. Whether in the classroom or on the playing field, you established a reputation as being known as "the smart, hard-nosed Hungarian kid."

When it came to getting a job performed, you chose a Hungarian. Whether you needed a doctor, lawyer, plumber or other business or service professional, you went to an American-Hungarian. Years ago, it was a choice born of necessity. As a new immigrant, it was easier to understand the business at hand when it was performed by someone who spoke your native tongue. As time and

generations went along, you employed a fellow Hungarian because we were a community linked by a common ancestry.

Today, that provincialism is pretty much abandoned. I have met several business professionals whose last names indicated their Hungarian lineage. When I ask if their last name is Hungarian, the usual reply is: "Yeah, so what?"

Hungarian music is unique unto itself. Our music is folk based. We have the *csárdás*, *halgato* and promenades. Our nationality can boast that we have not one, but three unique music types that originated in the land of the Huns. We incorporate the polka and waltz into our own unique style. (Joe Jeromos' record album #JJJJ-507, *Polkas and Waltzes Hungarian Style* is an excellent example of how other genres of music were brought into Magyar folk music.) Such world-renowned composers as Liszt, Brahms, Wagner, Kodály, Bartók, Sarasate, Kálman, Berlioz and Lehár used Magyar melodies to compose and advance their musical careers.

In days past, you could hear a Hungarian *zenekar* (band)that featured a *hegedű* (violin), cimbalom and *bőgő* (double bass) at every dance, wedding or picnic. Outside of the WPA Fraternal Fest or at the Northeast Ohio Hungarian Cultural Center in Hiram, Ohio, Hungarian musicians and folk style music is a rarity. In days gone by, it was a given that if you had a Magyar event, the music would be performed by Magyars and Hungarian in style.

As for customs and folklore, the cross-categorical support of Hungarianness was always evident. There were Hungarian language schools where you not only learned to speak the mother tongue but also learned Magyar history and customs. You sang *Karácsonyi énekeket* (Christmas hymns) and learned the importance of Szt. István and the meaning of Easter Monday/Tuesday.

Without really being aware of it, the different aspects of Hungarianness jumped from theme to theme, locale to locale, and each venue covered a broad spectrum of experiences. Most importantly, the events were fun. If you attended a function as a volunteer, you would work, but

Point to Ponder....

Not long ago, a well meaning gent asked me what WPA branch I belonged to. I quickly answered "Branch 28 Youngstown." "Oh," he said, "I thought you were from the Cleveland, Ohio, branch."

"What makes you think that?" I asked.

"You seem to write a lot of stories in Tibor's Take with Cleveland themes and connections," he said.

I explained to him that, while I now live downtown, I grew up 30 miles or so east of the city. There are a lot of things going on in Cleveland, and I attend many of them. My family has a Magyar radio show and we know where most of the events within the community take place.

Then, the gentleman left me with this: "Why don't you transfer to Branch 14?"

At the time, I really didn't think much of his parting question. But, since then I have debated internally with that idea on several occasions.

My Point to Ponder is this: "Wouldn't it be most beneficial for a WPA member to belong to the branch closest to his or her residence?" Let me hear your thoughts. - Tibor

Tibor's Take



it was enjoyable. The jobs at hand were interspersed with socializing and camaraderie.

But, like a receding ice age, that multifaceted Hungarianness slowly melted away. It happened so gradually, we didn't notice--an event ending here, a church closing there, or a Magyar *zenekar* no longer performing. Each separate closure seemed insignificant, but when all were added up over time, one could see cross-categorical support had slipped away. The multifaceted Hungarianness had vanished.

There is but one area where the state of Hungarianness has held its own: food. Some people still make the traditional Magyar foods, but most buy them from a vendor. And, what do we often do when we buy such food? We compare it to the Hungarian food we remember a loved one used to make. Even going to most Hungarian restaurants these days is a rather mundane experience. The aspects of Hungarianness that used to come with the foodand that earlier generations took for granted—are lacking. You expect to hear Magyar music, but instead you hear elevator music or Vivaldi. The menu is in English. There is little Hungarianness in the overall experience. In most cases nowadays, it seems that the identification of being a proud Magyar-American has been reduced to a dozen or so main dishes and pastries.

Of course, there are small pockets of multifaceted Hungarianness remaining. Unfortunately, they are quickly fading away. In general, Hungarianness today is similar to the record player, the aluminum Christmas tree and the hand-embroidered Matyo blouse--quaint items fondly remembered but now considered outdated or obsolete.

Occasionally, I will go to Ebay and hunt for Hungarian items. Surprisingly, many Magyar heirlooms can be found for sale at this internet bidding site. Sadly, however, the

majority of these once loved items never sell. Eventually, these unsold items will be put out on the lawn for trash collection.

It has been said we live a "throwaway" culture, that unless a lifestyle or event is new or linked to cutting-edge technology, it falls away from public favor. Thus, we as a nation have unconsciously abandoned our moral responsibility of keeping the culture of our ancestors alive for future generations of American Hungarians. Most see our traditions, history and culture as a throwaway commodity, not a vital link to our proud past.

As I surmise the evolution of Hungarianness, I will offer a few more thoughts and leave you with a few questions you can answer on your own:

- How do we keep what remains of our Hungarianness? Or, do we abandon our glorious past and culture for something new and not our own?
- I commend our leadership at William Penn Association for continuing to host the annual WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest. Continue with the great food and continue with the live performances of traditional Hungarian music and dance.
- Let's further emphasize Hungarian culture by encouraging WPA scholarship recipients to get involved with branch activities and other American-Hungarian events or organizations in their respective areas.
- I'm also glad WPA continues to sponsor tours to Hungary. I applaud Chair Barbara House and the Board of Directors for this commitment. With that in mind, future tours should continue to be an immersion of Magyar history, culture, music and excellent gastronomy.
- WPA is the last remaining national fraternal benefit society dedicated to the preservation of American-Hungarian culture and history. We as members should promote and welcome new members to our organization. We as members must promote this great organization as a fraternity/sorority of sorts, an amalgam of ethnic pride and stewards for the future by preserving our glorious past.

Eljen a Magyar, **Tibor II**

Tibor Check Jr. is a member of Branch 28 Youngstown, Ohio, and a student at the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law. He serves as a host of the "Souvenirs of Hungary" weekly radio show broadcast on WKTL-90.7 FM in Struthers, Ohio.

Let's hear your take

Let me know how you enjoy my thoughts and views on growing up Hungarian Style. If you have any questions or comments about me or my column, please email me at: silverking1937@yahoo.com, or drop me a letter in care of the William Penn Association, 709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233.

bgarian Kitchen

Felső Magyarország

FÁRADJON BE A MAGYAR KONYHÁBA!

Chef Vilmos and I wish to thank all of you who sent your best wishes on The Hungarian Kitchen celebrating 10 years as part of William Penn Life. We both hope to continue for many more years.

This month, we resume exploring the regions of Hungary and their culinary delights by visiting Northern Hungary. This is a majestic area featuring mountains, forests, rivers and meadows. Here, you will find game, freshwater fish and some of the best winemaking in the country. Also predominate in this region are fruit-producing farms which supply Hungary with apples, pears, plums and cherries.

The Tisza and Bodrog rivers keep this area fertile and well irrigated, helping fruit farmers produce record harvests year after year. Plum orchards in Szatmár and Bereg produce bumper crops which are turned into fine plum brandies, prune puree and dried prunes for cooking and snacking. The apple orchards produce five main types: Golden Delicious, Jonagold, Idared, Starking and Jonathan. Traveling around the countryside you will notice every farm in this region has at least one apple tree. Magyars love apples and enjoy them not only cooked but also as a hand fruit for a snack. Hungarians are experts at drying fruit. Hand fruits, such as apples and pears, are sliced before drying, while apricots and peaches get pitted then dried whole.

Morello and other sweet cherries get processed in jars soon after they are picked. Sugar, alcohol, cinnamon stick and clove aid the preserving procedure so the cherries can be kept for long periods of time. Even after a jar is opened, the cherries retain their just-picked flavor and color.

The rivers of the region also are a paradise for fishermen, offering trout, pike, pickerel and other freshwater species. Hungarian smoked trout is very popular in Eastern Europe.

Nyírség produces excellent potatoes due to the sandy soil which is conducive to growing many varieties of tubers. Hungary contributes about 500,000 metric tons of potatoes to the world potato production.

Of course, we can't discuss this region without discussing wine.

Egri Bull's Blood is among the most popular of Hungarian wines. According to writings found from the 16th century, Eger Castle was under siege by invading Turks, leaving its defenders fatigued. Before the Turks would storm one last time to overtake the castle, István Dobó, the Hungarian commander, ordered the castle's wine cellars opened and gave all the soldiers and women fighting red wine for strength. The Turks saw a revitalized Magyar army and thought the Hungarians had consumed the blood of bulls, giving them superior power. The Turks hastily retreated. It would be decades before they ever attacked Magyars again. To this day, Egri Bikavér is still enjoyed by many nationalities around the world.

The other famous wine from this region is Tokayi Aszu. The secret to this liquid delicacy is "noble rot," a mold which gives Tokayi Aszu its unique, sweet flavor. History reveals that during the 18th century, as Turks were moving about the countryside, the wife of Hungarian Prince György I Rákóczi postponed the grape harvest so all hands could aid in battling the invaders. By the time the harvest took place, the grapes were found to be shriveled and rotting. They pro-

cessed the grapes anyway, and the resulting wines made history.

The gastronomic contributions from this area are enjoyed throughout Hungary. Filled pastas, such as plum dumplings or dumplings filled with cheese, are popular. Beans, peas and lentils, when combined with smoked meats and sausage, create savory entrees and soups. The fruits of this region are enjoyed raw, cooked or dried.

Magyar cuisine--influenced by the Germans, Jews, French, Italians and Turkish--includes many entrees easily prepared using one-pot techniques. Hungarians have a knack for creating world-class dishes from basic ingredients found within its borders. Magyars have a love for life and it shows in the food. Enjoy the regional recipes from Northern Hungary and have a great month.

Jó étvágyat! Főszakács Béla

RECIPES

Almaleves (Apple Soup)

11/4 pounds Braeburn apples

I lemon peel or twist

I cinnamon stick

3 whole cloves

1/4 teaspoon salt

3 tablespoons sugar

3 tablespoons flour

3/4 cup sour cream

Peel and core the apples, cutting away any brown marks and bruises. Slice thinly. Place the lemon peel, cinnamon and cloves in a cheesecloth sachet or tea ball. Put the apples, salt, sugar and spice packet into a saucepan with about three pints of cold water. Bring to a boil and cook until the fruit is tender but not too soft. Remove the spices. Blend in the flour with a little water until smooth and stir in the sour cream. Use this mixture to thicken the soup. Cool and serve ice cold in chilled soup bowls.

Alma Pongyolában (Apple Fritters)

2 whole eggs, separated
2 teaspoons sugar
1½ cups whole milk
½ cup white wine
¼ teaspoon salt
1½,3 cups flour
1½ pounds Jonagold apples
2 cups frying oil
Ground cinnamon
Powdered sugar

Beat together the egg yolks and sugar until frothy. Add the milk, wine and a pinch of salt. Add the flour little by little, beating constantly until the mixture has a thick liquid consistency. Beat the egg whites until stiff and fold carefully into the batter mixture. Peel and core the apples and cut into ¼-inch thick rings. Heat the oil in a skillet until bubbling. Dip the apple rings into the batter, then drain off the excess and fry in the hot oil until golden. Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar, then serve hot to your guests.

Dinnyekoktél (Melon Cocktail)

2¼ pounds breakfast melon
2¼ pounds watermelon
5 tablespoons powdered sugar
1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
1¼ cups dark sweet wine
½ cup apricot brandy
1 cup plums or cherries soaked in rum

Cut away the tough center and seeds of the melons, then cut the flesh into I-inch cubes. Mix the melons together in a large bowl, preferably glass showing the color variations of the melons. Sprinkle with powdered sugar. Drizzle with lemon juice, wine and brandy, then mix again to disperse flavors. Cover and chill overnight in the bowl. Garnish the bowl with the rum soaked fruit and serve cold to your guests.

Mandulás Pisztráng (Trout with Almonds)

2 lemons 4 medium rainbow trout 1½ cups bread crumbs ½ tablespoon butter ½ bunch parsley I cup sliced almonds

Cut the lemons in half and rub the trout with the cut surface. Toss the fish in the breadcrumbs and dredge, covering all of the fish. Melt the butter in a skillet and fry the trout on both sides until done. Squeeze the lemons and strain the juice, then reserve. Finely chop the parsley. Lift the trout out of the skillet and place on a warm serving platter. Fry the almonds in remaining butter, then stir in lemon juice and the parsley. Pour the skillet sauce over the trout and serve hot to your guests. Mashed potatoes make a great side dish for this entrée.

Prézlis Nudli (Potato Noodles in Breadcrumbs)

5 large white potatoes
2 tablespoons butter
5 tablespoons flour
I cup breadcrumbs
2 whole eggs
I whole egg beaten
¼ cup lard
Salt & white pepper to taste

Boil the potatoes in the skins, then peel skins and mash, adding salt. Melt the butter in a skillet and add the flour but do not brown. Add the mashed potatoes and mix well, then remove from heat. Add the two whole eggs, one at a time, beating the mixture well. Place this mixture on a floured surface and divide into small mounds. Roll each piece lightly with the palm of your hand, creating a rope about ½-inch thick. Cut the ropes into 2-inch pieces. Dip pieces into the egg mixture, then the breadcrumbs, coating the dough evenly. Fry in the lard until golden brown. Serve hot to your guests as a side dish with your favorite entrée.

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RECIPES

Sárgaborsó Leves

(Yellow Pea Soup)

I large white onion
I 1/2 cups dried yellow peas

Salt to taste

21/2 tablespoons lard

3 tablespoons flour

I garlic clove, crushed

3/4 teaspoon paprika

1/4 teaspoon white pepper

I cup bread cubes fried in butter

Peel the onion and place in a saucepan with the peas. Add four pints of cold water and cook for one hour or until tender. Taste the soup and season with the salt. Melt the lard and blend with the flour to make a roux. Remove the soup from the heat, then stir in the garlic and paprika. Thicken the soup with the roux, then taste and adjust flavor. Fry the bread cubes in butter and garnish the soup with hot croutons. Serve hot to your guests in warm bowls or cups.

Szarvasgulyás (Venison Gulyás)

2 pounds boneless venison leg or shoulder

I large white onion

3 cloves garlic

½ cup lard

2 teaspoons paprika

1/2 teaspoon caraway seeds

1/2 teaspoon white pepper

1/2 teaspoon marjoram

Salt to taste

16 ounces white potatoes

2 medium carrots

I parsnip

Cut the meat into small cubes and place in cold water for one hour. Peel the onion and chop finely. Crush the garlic cloves. Melt the lard in a large skillet, then sweat the onion and garlic. Add the meat and seasonings and one cup cold water. Cover and braise for 1½ hours until the meat starts to tenderize. Clean and slice the carrots and parsnip into small coins. Peel and dice the potatoes into ½-inch cubes. When the meat has ½ hour to cook, add all the veggies and two pints of water. Cook until



ingredients are tender, then adjust taste with salt and white pepper. Serve hot to your guests with a crispy rye bread.

Szilvásgombóc (Plum Dumplings)

2½ pounds yellow potatoes

3 cups flour

I whole egg

3 tablespoons butter

1/4 teaspoon salt

I pound prune plums

I sugar cube per plum

½ teaspoon ground cinnamon

2 cups bread crumbs

4 tablespoons butter

Ground cinnamon

Powdered sugar

Boil the potatoes in their skins, then peel while warm and mash. Knead together with the flour, salt, egg and butter. Roll out the dough to ¼-inch thickness and sprinkle with some flour. Cut the dough into 3-inch squares. Wash and pit the plums, then set aside. Insert a sugar cube into each plum and place on a dough square. Fold dough around the plum and press edges together to seal. Shape into dumplings by rounding with your fingers. Place dumplings in boiling water and wait for them to rise to the surface. Simmer dumplings an additional five minutes. Brown

breadcrumbs in a skillet with butter and transfer the drained, cooked dumplings into the skillet. Coat the dumplings with the breadcrumb/butter mixture, then place on a serving platter. Garnish with cinnamon and powdered sugar, then serve warm to your guests.

Vajas Pogácsa (Butter Biscuits)

4 cups flour

I tablespoon powdered sugar

I yeast cake

2 egg yolks

I cup butter

1/4 teaspoon salt

½ cup sour cream

I whole egg for glazing

Sift the flour and the sugar into a mixing bowl. Add remaining ingredients and work together, forming a smooth dough. Roll out and fold over, making the dough four layers thick. Rest the dough for 20 minutes in a cold place. Repeat this process two more times. Roll out the dough to a thickness of 1/4 inch and score the surface with a knife. Cut into rounds using a biscuit cutter. Place the rounds on a floured baking pan, then brush with the beaten egg. Bake in a preheated 350°F oven for 30 to 40 minutes until golden brown.



Our Health Corner with Debbie Wolfe, RN

Keep your mouth (and heart) healthy

ARE YOU A LESS-THAN-FAITHFUL FLOSSER? Tend to skip brushings because you're in a hurry or just too tired? Following good oral hygiene does not only brighten your smile; it may also save your life. Brushing and flossing regularly is linked with having a much lower risk for heart disease.

A study published in the *British Medical Journal* adds to growing research that connects poor oral hygiene with an increased risk for heart disease. The study followed the heart health of nearly 12,000 people for more than eight years. Researchers found that participants who reported that they brushed their teeth infrequently, less than once a day, were 70 percent more likely to suffer a heart-related event, such as a heart attack, than those who brushed twice a day. Even those who maintained once-a-day brushing habits were linked to greater heart risks.

Some researchers think bacteria, the culprits behind gum disease, explain the connection. Our mouths are full of bacteria which cause a sticky substance called plaque to form on the teeth. Brushing and flossing help get rid of plaque. But, when it is left on the teeth, plaque hardens into tartar, which can only be removed by a professional cleaning. Untreated, tartar causes inflammation in the gums and around the teeth. The inflammation can then enter the blood through sores in the gums, a frequent annoyance for those with severe gum disease.

Experts believe that when these bacteria enter the blood, the body produces proteins that cause swelling in the arteries. One of these, C-reactive protein, is linked to plaque buildup in the arteries. The study participants who maintained poor dental hygiene habits also had increased concentrations of C-reactive protein and other markers of inflammation in their blood. This inflammation can lead to heart disease.

Experts can't say for sure that gum disease is directly linked to heart disease. More research is under



way. But, the study's findings do provide another reason to polish up the following good dental habits.

- Brush at least twice a day and floss at least once a day.
- Don't use tobacco in any form.
- Eat a healthy diet, limiting foods high in sugar.
- Visit your dentist for regular checkups and cleanings.

Watch for signs of gum disease. Talk with your dentist if you experience tender or bleeding gums, loose teeth, bad breath or pain when chewing. Protect your smile!

Till next month....

Be Healthy! Be Happy! Stay Fit!
Egészségére!
Debbie



Health Links

To learn more about good oral hygiene and its connection to your health, log onto:

- http://www.mouthhealthy.org
 (The American Dental Association's new website for consumers)
- http://www.mayoclinic.com/health/dental/DE00003
 (Information from the Mayo Clinic to help you brush up on dental care basics)

Back to Quicksilver

A weekend of family fun featuring a championship course and the return of the Mini-Golf Open

ome and join us for a weekend of fun for the entire family when WPA hosts our 30th Annual Golf Tournament & Scholarship Days, July 19 and 20. This year, our tournament returns to the Quicksilver Golf Club in Midway, Pa. This magnificent course has played host to not only three previous WPA tournaments but also a number of tournaments sponsored by the Senior PGA Tour and the Nationwide Tour. Golf Digest has awarded it a 4-star rating. Golf Week Magazine calls it one of the top 15 courses in Pennsylvania and the best public course in the state.

While the adults enjoy the challenges of this champion-ship course, our younger members and guests are invited to join us for the return of the Mini-Golf Open. All WPA members ages 6 to 17 are welcome to play a FREE round of miniature golf at Scally's Golf Center in Coraopolis, Pa., on Saturday, July 20, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Non-members can play for \$5 per child. There will also be special prizes awarded. (Mini-Golf Open registration form appears on page 17.)

The weekend's festivities begin Friday, July 19, with the annual Friday night golfers reception at the Pittsburgh Airport Marriott. Only registered golfers and their families are eligible to attend this reception. Those planning to attend MUST pre-register for the reception (see form opposite page). The evening will feature free food and refreshments and the annual Putting Contest.

Our 18-hole tournament will begin the next morning with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. Play will be a straight scramble. Along the course, golfers will have the chance to win prizes as part of our traditional skill shot contests, including longest drive, longest putt, closest to the pin and closest to the line. All golfers will also enjoy the use of GPS-equipped carts and a sandwich and beverage at the turn

Our weekend's official activities will conclude with the annual golf barbeque to be held at the Quicksilver Golf Club immediately following the tournament.

Accommodations will be at the Pittsburgh Airport Marriott. Room rates are \$95 per night based on double occupancy. All rooms will be reserved on a first-come/first-served basis and are subject to availability.

All golfers and guests must make their own room reservations directly with the hotel by calling toll-free 1-800-328-9297. Mention you are with William Penn Association or use group code "WIL" to receive our special WPA room rate. You must make your hotel reservations by June 25 to get the WPA rate.

The tournament entry fee is \$110 for WPA members and \$120 for non-members. This fee includes green fees, bag service, locker room service, scoring done by the pro shop, GPS-equipped golf carts, a sandwich and beverage at the turn AND admission to the golf barbeque.

Tickets for the barbeque are \$40 for WPA adult members age 16 and older, \$50 for adult non-members, \$10 for teens ages 12 to 15 and free for children ages 11 and under.

An "Early Bird" discount will be offered to all golfers and non-golfing barbeque guests. Golfers and non-golfing barbeque guests can save \$10 off either their golf entry fee or their barbeque admission if they mail and postmark their entries and reservations by June 14, 2013.

Once again, the tournament will feature the fun and exciting Hole-In-One Contests. All eligible members who score a hole-in-one at the designated par-3 hole during tournament play will win a \$15,000 cash prize. Any non-member who scores an ace on the designated hole will win \$5,000. Plus, cash prizes will be awarded to golfers who score a hole-in-one on any of Quicksilver's other par-3 holes during tournament play. On those holes, eligible WPA members will win \$5,000, while non-members can take home \$1,000.

If a hole-in-one is not scored on the \$15,000 hole, a special \$500 cash prize will be awarded to the eligible member who gets his or her tee shot closest to the pin on that hole. By "eligible member" we mean a golfer who is an adult life benefit member of William Penn Association by July 1, 2013, with at least one year's premiums paid.

To enter the tournament and reserve your seats for the barbeque, complete the form found on the opposite page and send it to the Home Office by June 28. Be sure you include your check covering tournament fees and barbeque tickets.

Don't miss this great weekend of golf, good food and fraternalism which benefits our Scholarship Foundation.



30th Annual WPA Golf Tournament & Scholarship Days

REGISTRATION FORM

Contact Person Information	Name	,	You go a	CityStateZip	PhoneBranch	E-mail	Fees & Costs	3	WPA MEMBERS (Ages 16 & Up)	Golf Fee & BBQ - \$110 (\$100 Early Bird*) X =	Barbeque Only - \$40 (\$30 Early Bird*) X =	NON-MEMBERS (Ages 16 & Up)	Golf Fee & BBQ - \$120 (\$110 Early Bird*) X =	Barbeque Only - \$50 (\$40 Early Bird*) X =	CHILDREN (Members & Non-members)	Barbeque: Children Ages 12 to 15 - \$10 X =	Barbeque: Children up to Age II - FREE X =	TOTAL FEES & COSTS =	*Early Bird rates will apply to all golf entries and barbeque reservations mailed and postmarked by June 14, 2013.	Friday Night Golfers Reception	PLEASE NOTE: Only registered golfers and	their families are eligible to attend the Friday night golfers reception at the Pittsburgh Airport	Marriott. All golfers and their guests MUST pre- register for the Friday night golfers reception:	Number of Adults & Teens (ages 13 & up):	Number of Children ages 12 and under:
Non-Golfing Barbeque Guests	Name	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Addiess	CityStateZip	Email	Name	יאמוים.	Address	CityStateZip	Email	Hotel Accommodations		Pittsburgh Airport Marriott 777 Aten Road, Coraopolis, PA 15108	Phone: 1-800-328-9297 Use Group Code: WIL	Room Rate (per night) = \$95.00 (plus tax)	All golfers and guests must make their own hotel	reservations by June 25 directly with the hotel. Reservations will be taken on a first-come/first-	served basis and will be subject to availability.	Make checks payable to: William Penn Association	Mail this form and check to:	Golf Committee, William Penn Association 709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233	Golf Entries & Barbeque Reservations are due	at the WPA Home Office by June 28, 2013	EARLY BIRD rates will apply to golf entries and barbeque reservations mailed and	postmärked by June 14, 2013.
Golf Foursome Information	GOLFER 1	Name	Address	3133			BirthdateWPA Cert. #	GOLFER 2	Name	Address	CityStateZip	Email	BirthdateWPA Cert. #	GOLFER 3	Name	Address	CityStateZip	Email	BirthdateWPA Cert. #	GOLFER 4	Name	Address	CityStateZip	Email	BirthdateWPA Cert. #

WPA-Tour-2013

Székely Land, Budapest & Northern Hungary September 11 - 26 by Endre Csoman

THE WPA TOUR 2013 will focus on Székely Land (Transylvania). The tour will depart on Wednesday, Sept. 11, and include 14 days and 13 nights in Budapest, Székely Land and Northern Hungary. The deadline for reservations and complete payment is June 1. We will have room for *a maximum of 30 people* on this trip.

Travelers will stay in beautiful hotels, ride in an air-conditioned bus and have an English-speaking guide. Our guests will enjoy breakfast and one other meal daily. Some mornings will be free for optional sightseeing tours.

Our itinerary is scheduled to include:

- Several days exploring Székely Land, with visits to a Calvinist Church, Torockó's main square, the Unitarian Church, the Székelykő (Transylvanian Rock) and the Museum of Ethnography;
- An excursion to Gyimesbükk for a Csángó feast with kürtőskalács, wine and dancing;
- A stay at the Danubius Health Spa Resort, featuring saunas, an indoor swimming pool, steam baths and a wide range of medical treatments. This resort is near Lake Bear, the only helio-thermal lake on the continent which heats up to 50 degrees Celsius due to sun energy absorbed through the upper, freshwater layers;
- Time at the National Gallop equestrian festival at Heroes' Square. Heroes' Square will turn into a 6,200-square-meter racetrack where horse riders from all over the country show off their fine riding skills and beautiful horses. The National Gallop is not only a unique equestrian festival but also the grandest celebration of Hungarian food and drinks;
- A visit to the famous shopping district near Váci Utca and Vörösmarty Square;
 - Dinner on a Danube River boat cruise;
 - Free time to explore Budapest;
 - A stay at a thermal and wellness hotel;
- A sightseeing tour of St. Mihály Catholic Cathedral;
- Free time to explore in Mezőkövesd or Eger;
- Dinner at Rózsa Restaurant with Gypsy folk music and colorful Matyó dances;
 - AND MORE!

In order to keep costs as low as possible, we are adjusting the payment method for this year's tour. Payments for airfare and the land tour will be separated.

Price for the land tour is \$1,850 for WPA members, and \$2,350 for non-members, based on double occupancy. Single occupancy accommodations are available for an additional \$480. This price includes hotel accommodations, breakfast and one other meal daily, the Danube

River dinner cruise, the National Gallop equestrian festival, deluxe motorcoach, English-speaking tour guide and all tours and events listed in the final itinerary. Payment for the land tour should be made payable to "William Penn Association" and sent to the WPA Home Office. For more information on the land tour, contact Endre Csoman at I-800-848-7366, ext. 136.

Those wishing to join our land tour must make their flight arrangments through the Discover Africa Agency. Roundtrip airfare will be \$1,168 departing from Pittsburgh or \$1,255 departing from Detroit. Travelers must pay their airfare directly to Hadas Rudy at Discover Africa Agency, 23811 Chagrin Blvd., Suite 105, Beachwood, OH 44122. Questions about airfare and taxes should be addressed to Mrs. Rudy at hadas@discoverafrica.net or by calling 1-866-495-7417. Please make checks for your airfare payable to "Discover Africa" and write "WPA Hungary Tour" in the memo section with your phone number. Include a copy of the photo page from your passport with your airfare payment.

To reserve your space on this exciting tour, complete the form found on the next page and send it--along with your land tour deposit of \$1,000 per person--to the WPA Home Office.

All reservations & full payment are due by June 1.

If you'd like to become a member of WPA in order to qualify for the trip discount and other fraternal benefits, please call Barbi Tew at 1-800-848-7366, ext. 120, for more information.





Land Tour Price: \$1,850 for WPA Members, \$2,350 for non-members, based on double occupancy. Single accommodations price: \$2,330 for WPA members, \$2,830 for non-members. This price includes all hotel accommodations in Europe, motorcoach transportation in Europe, breakfast and one other meal daily, the Danube River dinner cruise, the National Gallop equestrian festival, and all sightseeing tours and events listed in the final itinerary. This price does not include airfare. Airfare prices are listed on the reservation form and are to be paid separately. To reserve your place on our WPA Tour 2013, please complete the reservation form below and mail it--along with your land tour deposit of \$1,000--to the WPA Home Office. All reservations & full payment are due by June 1. Please note: Tour itinerary and applicable taxes are subject to change.

WPA Trip to Hungary 2013 Reservation Form

Name (as it appears on your passport):		
WPA Member: 🗖 Yes 🗖 No If Yes, WPA Cert	ificate No.:	
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Date of Birth: Passpo	rt No.:	Expiration Date:
Phone No.: ()		Email:
Person to contact in case of emergency:		Phone: ()
Hotel Room: Single Occupancy Double O	ccupancy Roommate's na	me:
City of Departure (and airfare): Detroit (\$1,255) 🗖 Pittsburgh (\$1,168)	Seat Preference: ☐ Window ☐ Center ☐ Aisle
Send this formalong with your depor	sit of \$1,000 per person n	nade payable to "William Penn Association"to:
WPA Tour 2013, William Peni	n Association, 709	Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233
* Include a photocopy of your passp	ort's photo page wi	rectly to "Discover Africa." th your airfare payment to Discover Africa. t 866-495-7417 or hadas@discoverafrica.net

FOR HOME OFFICE USE ONLY: Date Deposit of \$1,000.00 Received:



Smart Snackin'

After my friends and I are done clowning around and we need a yummy treat, I make banana smoothies for all my friends. You will need to ask a grown-up to help you with the blender and measurements.

What you'll need

1 frozen banana \cdot $\frac{1}{2}$ cup nonfat yogurt $\frac{1}{2}$ cup orange juice \cdot $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of blueberries

How to make it

Combine all ingredients in a blender and blend until smooth.

Enjoy!

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Galling All Kidz!

WPA MINI-GOLF OPEN FOR CHILDREN AGES 6-17

SATURDAY, JULY 20 - 10:00 AM - SCALLY'S GOLF CENTER, CORAOPOLIS, PA FUN - PRIZES - FREE! FOR WPA MEMBERS AGES 6-17

\$5 FOR NON-MEMBERS AGES 6-17 - \$6 FOR ADULTS

Children under the age of 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Meet at Scally's Golf Center no later than 9:45 a.m. so that the Open can begin on time. Transportation to Scally's is on your own. Directions will be provided upon request. Registration for the Mini-Golf Open is free for WPA members ages 6 to 17. Non-members ages 6 to 17 will be charged a fee of \$5.00.

Member and non-member adults may play for a fee of \$6.00. Adults are not eligible for prizes.



Find the Differences Contest

My friend JoJo thought these two pictures were exactly the same...but they're not! There are 10 things that are different between them. Circle all 10 differences on the bottom picture, cut it out, and send it--along with your name, address, phone number and email address--to the WPA Home Office. I'll put all correct entries in a big box, close my eyes, and pull out one winner who'll receive a \$25 Toys-R-Us gift certificate. To be eligible for this prize, you must be a WPA member age 12 and under. Deadline for entries is June 28, 2013. Send your entry to:

> Gerry D. Clown c/o William Penn Association 709 Brighton Road Pittsburgh, PA 15233

2013 WPA Mini-Golf Open Reservation Form

Name:	Date of Birth:
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
WPA Member age 6-17? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If r	no, please enclose appropriate fee, payable to "William Penn Association")
Person to contact in case of emergency:	Phone:

DEADLINE FOR MINI-GOLF RESERVATIONS - June 28, 2013 · Mail this form to: Mini-Golf, William Penn Association, 709 Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15233

Branch 14 Cleveland, OH

by Richard E. Sarosi

Spring has finally arrived in Ohio. The daffodils are beginning to bloom along with the tulips, hyacinths and crocuses. We hope that everyone had a blessed Easter holiday.

It is with great sadness that I inform you of the passing of Dawn D. Ward, on Easter Sunday morning, March 31, 2013. We extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to her husband Jeffrey, daughter Erin, brother Thomas Oris and her extended family.

Dawn used all the strength and energy she could gather to fight her illness for more than 10 years. Dawn maintained her composure and positive outlook throughout her fight, and she was a fine example of courage.

Dawn was active with Branch 14 for many, many years. As an agent, she was instrumental in increasing the membership of William Penn Association in the Greater Cleveland area. She also participated in many of our fraternal activities. I am so happy to have many fine and fun memories of Branch 14 activities with her such as the Indians baseball games, branch Christmas parties, the nights at the races, dinner shows, musicals, bowling tournaments, golf outings and WPA General Conventions. Dawn also prepared the Branch 14 news articles for William Penn Life for many years.

During the eulogy at her funeral, I learned our minister referred to Dawn as "Hajnalka," her Hungarian name--a reflection of how proud she was of her Hungarian Heritage.

I remember when Dawn spoke of her family's trip to Hungary. She said her mother, Emma Oris, always had a song to sing for every town they visited.

Dawn was remembered and honored by her many family members, friends and business associates, who offered their final farewells to her. The outpouring of love was evident by the attendance at her funeral.

Dear Dawn, your Lord and Savior called you home on the day of his Resurrection to be with him and



Branch 14 member Laura Polgar practices before her performance during ceremonies held March 17 in Youngstown, Ohio, remembering the 1848 Hungarian War of Independence. Laura, 16, has been playing the violin for nine years.

your parents. May you rest in peace and calm, free of any of the pain you may have been experiencing but did not let any of us know about.

Information about William Penn Fraternal Association Scholarship Foundation grants for the school year 2013-2014 and an application form for grants can be found at the WPA website. Remember, all scholarship applications and essays must be mailed and postmarked by May 31, 2013. Check eligibility rules for WPFA scholarships online. Your annual support of our Scholarship Foundation is greatly appreciated.

Many fraternal activities will take place in the coming months for our members to enjoy:

- Branch 14 Join Hands Day project on Saturday, May 11. We will be supporting the Hattie Larlham Foundation located in Mantua, Ohio.
- Hungarian Heritage Night at Classic Park in Eastlake, Ohio, with the Lake Erie Captains on Saturday, June 8. Ticket information will be announced soon.
- WPA 30th Annual Golf Tournament & Scholarship Days, July 19 and 20 at Quicksilver Golf Club in Midway, Pa. Check pages 12 and 13 of this issue for more information and a registration form.
 - 75th Anniversary celebration of

the Hungarian Cultural Garden of Cleveland, Saturday, July 20.

• 12th Annual WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest, Sept. 7. We will have a bus going from Cleveland to Rockwood, Pa. Seating on the bus is limited. Call Branch Coordinator Violet Sarosi at 1-440-248-9012.

Please check William Penn Life for updates on all 2013 activities.

Branch 14 extends its deepest sympathy to those members who recently lost a loved one.

We send get well wishes to all Branch 14 members who might be feeling under the weather. We are happy to hear that Branch 14 member Joan Parete continues to improve each week since her fall.

Happy birthday and anniversary wishes go to all our branch members celebrating a May or June birthday and/or anniversary.

Our next branch meeting will take place Wednesday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Hungarian Reformed Church, 14530 Alexander Road, Walton Hills, Ohio. Adult branch members are encouraged to attend.

Branch 14 members having news to share about themselves or family members can reach me at *RichSaro@att.net* or at 1-440-248-9012.

Branch 18 Lincoln Park, MI

by Barbara A. House

Happy Memorial Day. Remember to thank a veteran for our very precious freedoms. We are so lucky to live in America.

We are also lucky to have such wonderful and dedicated members. Last month's William Penn Life was the best I have ever read. Each branch article was terrific. They were all so informative, upbeat and

Special welcome to Gerry D. Clown. I knew you couldn't stay away. It is apparent William Penn Association will definitely be around for another 127 years thanks to caring members like you. Keep up the great work. I can't wait to see the

May issue. Thank you.

We at Branch 18 thankfully have no member deaths to report this month. However, Branch 14 Cleveland lost a wonderful loving member, Dawn Deborah Ward, wife of Jeff and mother to Erin. She passed away on Easter Sunday morning. She put up a terrific fight, but God decided "enough." Please remember Dawn, Jeff and Erin in your prayers. May she rest in peace.

Get well wishes go out to Arpad Antal, Joey Gall, Eileen Gonzales, Tillie Balogh, Mike Adorjan, Janet Totsky and Julia Danko. This list is way too long. Please get well soon.

We wish a happy May birthday to Judy Chakey, Jason Wolfe, the soonto-be-married Judit Borsay, Elsie Kantor, the Rev. Victor Roman and the Rev. Barnabas Kiss. Now that's a long list I like to share. May you all have many more.

Our branch has decided to conduct this year's Join Hands Day project at the Hungarian American Cultural Center (HACC). We hold our meetings there, and we would like to see it looking pretty again. We will plant 50 flats of flowers there on June 1, beginning at 10:00 a.m. You know that will take a lot of hands to get the job done. Please come and help. You need not be a member to help. Bring a friend; in fact, bring lots of friends. HACC President and WPA member Laci

Lukacs has promised the ground will be turned and ready for us to plant. I hope HACC members show up, also. We will finish our day at St. Michael's in Lincoln Park, as we have in the past.

By the time you read this, the WPA Bowling Tournament will be a lovely memory, and we will be working on our annual golf tournament and scholarship days. I hope you plan on joining us this July.

In August, we have the Hungarian Heritage Experience, followed in September by our wonderful annual picnic. Then, some of us will be going to Europe. This will be my 20th trip to Hungary, and I still get excited and cannot wait to go. I know you have all these events noted in your monthly planner.

The WPA Board of Directors held its quarterly meeting in March. I want to thank my fellow Board members for their participation and input. Thank you, Dora, as always, for keeping us on point. You are priceless. Special thanks to National Director Jim Robertson for doing his best to make me a techie. (I guess I should really say for trying to make me a techie.) It does get easier every day.

We have a branch meeting scheduled for May 15 at 7:00 p.m. As always, we meet at the Hungarian American Cultural Center on Goddard in Taylor. Your input is always welcome and encouraged.

Thank you, Joyce Nicholson, for the special kind words. Whose guitar do we get this year? You are doing a great job with all your

Thank you, again, you wonderful members. You are greatly appreciated.

A date to remember

Deadline for submissions to our magazine is the 10th day of each month. If you have any questions, please contact John E. Lovasz tollfree at 1-800-848-7366, ext. 135. ilovasz@williampennassociation.org.

Let me be the first to wish all our mothers a wonderful and happy Mother's Day.

I love you, Mom.

Branch 28 Youngstown, OH

by Kathy Novak

Happy Spring! It's so nice to be able to enjoy the outdoors again.

A special added feature to the March 15 commemoration of the 1848 War of Indepedence, hosted by the Youngstown American Hungrian Federation, was the talented Laura Polgar. Laura, a member of Branch 14 Cleveland, is 16 years old and is in the 10th grade. She has been playing the violin for nine years. In pursuing her musical skills, she is following in the path of her mother and older sister.

Laura's violin teacher has arranged for some 40 recitals at which Laura and her mother have performed together. Laura's talent overwhelmed the audience at the commemoration. We are very proud of this talented young lady. We know her grandparents, Leslie and Irma Polgar, are especially proud.

Get well wishes go to all those not feeling up to par, especially John Dankovich, Evelyn Horvath, Lizzy Check and Mary Foor.

Join Hands Day will soon be here once again. This year, Branch 28 will be supporting and assisting with the Youngstown Cityscape project, cleaning up designated areas throughout the city.

We send best wishes to those celebrating a birthday or anniversary this month.

We also extend our deepest sympathy to all those who have experienced the loss of a loved one recently. Special thoughts go out to the family of Dawn Ward. Her years of dedication to WPA were inspiring. May she rest in peace.

We remember with special thoughts all our dear mothers as their special day is celebrated.

As we remember and honor the brave men and women who lost their lives in the service of our country on Memorial Day, we also remember and thank those current and past members of our nation's

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military.

Remember to make your reservations for our branch's bus trip to the WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest Sept. 7. Call either Steve at 330-746-7704 or Frank at 330-549-2935.

Branch 89 Homestead, PA

by Lisa S. Toth-Maskarinec

Branch 89 hopes everyone is enjoying these days of warm and sunny weather. We know what the sunny weather is leading up to--bowling and golf. What a way to start our season of fraternal events and the various Join Hands Day events.

Branch 89, in conjunction with Munhall Boy Scout Troop #15, will conduct a Join Hands Day project on Saturday, May 11, at the Homestead Cemetery. We encourage all members to come and support this event and help make the final resting place of so many people better. We're hoping to plant flowers, do minor landscaping and clean the graves. For more information, please contact the branch coordinator.

Mark the date Saturday, Aug. 17, for the 2nd Annual Branch 89 Golf Outing. In the spirit of fraternalism and giving back to the community, all proceeds from this outing will benefit the First Hungarian Reformed Church of Homestead.

The event will be held once again at the Westwood Golf Club and promises to be enjoyable. We look forward to seeing many of our branch members present and cordially invite the WPA National Officers and Board of Directors to join us.

One of our prizes will be a signed Jack Nicklaus golf bag (pictured above). We are already getting calls from people asking: "How can I help with the outing?"

We're hoping to double the number of golfers from our first event. Last year, one of our members from Florida come up to golf in this event. You don't want to miss it. Who will come the furthest this year?

Branch 89 is also collecting codes from Coke products. The codes we collect will be turned into points which can then be redeemed for various merchandise and prizes to



be used at our various outings. Golf Outing Coordinator and Branch Auditor Mark S. Maskarinec said the breakdown is as follows:

- 1 Bottle cap = 3 points
- 12 pack code = $\overline{10}$ points
- 24 pack code = 18 points
- 30 pack code = 25 points

We distributed many prizes purchased with these points at the golf outing last year. Anyone with any codes can email them to Mark at *maskarinac1836@comcast.net* or mail them to 1836 Timothy Drive, West Mifflin, PA 15122. Every little bit helps.

For any of your insurance needs, please call Ruth Toth at 412-461-5812.

Branch 89 continues to thank William Penn Association and its officers for their continued support and hopes everyone will be able to get out and truly enjoy this lovely weather.

Other upcoming events for our Branch include:

- the WPA Bowling Tournament in Washington, Pa., in May;
 - a branch night at the casino;
- dinner at Dave & Buster's in Homestead; and
- WPA's Annual Golf Tournament at Quicksilver.

What a fun and active season this promises to be.

Please contact our branch coordinator if you'd like to see other activities, and we'll do our best to accommodate those requests.

Branch 129 Columbus, OH

by Debbie Lewis

Hello, all, from Columbus, Ohio.

We welcome our newest branch members Evelyn and Wendell Fischer and Naomi Rayborn.

Now that the weather's warmer, we need to be careful of the children playing outside. They don't always look before they enter the street to ride their bikes or retrieve a ball. While driving, please keep this in mind and drive carefully. Also, there will be more motorcycles on the road as the weather warms up. Always look twice, as sometimes it is hard to see someone on a motorcycle. Please be safe.

This year, Mother's Day is May 12. We extend a big "thank you" to all our mothers for all you do for your families. Hope you all have a blessed day.

Armed Forces Day this year is May 18. This is a day we pay special tribute to all the men and women who serve our country. Please keep all who are serving abroad in your prayers that they will return home safely.

Memorial Day is May 27. This is a day we remember all those who have died while serving our country. Please remember all of them during your Memorial Day activities.

Don't forget: the deadline to apply for a WPFA scholarship grant for the 2013-2014 school year is May 31. This is for both new and renewal applications. This is a great program for our members who are continuing their education after high school.

We are planning a couple of projects for Join Hands Day. These projects will consist of yard work on two different weekends in May and June. The dates have not yet been determined. If you are interested in helping, call Debbie at 614-875-9968 for more information.

Our next meeting is scheduled for June 4 at Plank's Cafe, 743 Parsons Ave., Columbus.

We extend congratulations to all those celebrating birthdays, anniversaries and additions to their families.

Get well wishes go to all who have been ill or hospitalized. Hope

all have a speedy recovery.

We also extend our sincere sympathy to all who have recently lost a loved one, especially to the family of branch member Gertrud Relle.

For all your life insurance and annuity needs, please contact Arpad Sibrik at 614-231-8024 or Debbie Lewis at 614-875-9968.

If you have any news you would like to share, please contact Debbie Lewis at 614-875-9968 or by e-mail at *DAL*9968@aol.com.

Branch 226 McKeesport, PA

by Judit Borsay

Our branch was excited for the arrival of spring and, with it, our Meet-'n-Greet event on April 21. We enjoyed food, fellowship, kids crafts and planning a more active branch schedule. We are planning some great activities for members in the fall. Keep an eye out for the June issue.

If you have moved and want to participate in a branch closer to where you live now, please contact the Home Office for a change of branch form so you can enjoy what your new local branch has to offer.

Our branch sponsored a bowling frame at the WPA Annual Bowling Tournament at the Meadows Casino & Racetrack. Now, we're looking forward to the Tri-State Picnic at Scenic View on May 18.

Good luck to all the golfers at this year's tournament in July.

Our last meeting before the summer begins will be Thursday, May 9, at 6:00 p.m. at Branch President Malvene Heyz's home. We'll resume meetings after the WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest in September.

Please call Malvene at 412-751-1898 for any member news so we can publish it here.

Lastly, we wish happy birthday and happy anniversary to all those celebrating in May. Please keep all those who have lost a loved one in your thoughts and prayers.

Also, keep those men and women who died fighting for our freedom in your thoughts and prayers this Memorial Day. American-Hungarians everywhere will be saying God bless America!

Branch 249 Dayton, OH

by Mark Schmidt

Play ball! Those are the words that 22 members and friends heard at the 2nd Annual William Penn Association Dayton Hungarian Day April 13 at the Dayton Dragons game. We ate hotdogs and hamburgers and watched the Dragons pull out a close win. See you next year when we plan on having a full party deck.

We hope all of our mothers enjoy a relaxing Mother's Day with family. We send a special thank you and blessing out to them throughout the year.

Thank you to all who attended and worked so hard to make the 50th anniversary of the Magyar Club of Dayton Spring Dinner-Dance a huge success. The chicken paprikas was delicious, the Hungarian Festival Dancers were entertaining (as always), and George Batyi and the Gypsy Strings were delightful as we danced away the evening. But, the best part was reuniting with family and friends and enjoying the wonderful evening together.

If this publication reaches you in time, we hope to see you for Join Hands Day, Saturday, May 11. Please come to St. Stephen's Catholic Church at 9:00 a.m. Branch 249 will supply donuts, coffee and tools for yard work.

The dinner theater trip to the "Sound of Music" at La Comedia is May 16. For reservations call John Demeter at 513-330-3669.

There is still time for volunteers to sign up to work at the Hungarian booth at the World A' Fair held at the Dayton Convention Center the weekend of May 17 to 19. This international festival is a great way to enjoy food, crafts and entertainment from around the world. By volunteering at the Hungarian booth, your admission is free. Please access the volunteer sheet via the website www. daytonhungarians.com or call Andy Dobo at 937-426-4714.

The 2013 Smithsonian Folk Life Festival will be held in Washington, D.C., June 26 to 30 and July 3 to 7. One of the themes this year is "Hungarian Heritage: Roots to Re-

vival. "The festival will be held on the Washington Mall and admission is free. This is an opportunity to experience and celebrate Hungary's amazing culture through performances and exhibitions by Hungarian musicians, dancers and craftsmen.

The Magyar Club of Dayton is contemplating chartering a bus to attend the festival, leaving Dayton on June 27 and returning June 30. The cost of the bus is approximately \$200 per person, and a hotel suite accommodating up to four people is available for \$300 per suite for 3 nights. The more people who attend, the lower the transportation cost will be. The bus would also be available to transport interested riders from Columbus, Ohio, and will provide local transportation in Washington between our hotel and the festival. A commitment from those interested in attending is needed immediately due to the time constraints. For information please contact Mark or Anne Marie Schmidt at 937-667-1211.

We wish those who are sick a fast recovery and extend our condolences to those who have had a loved one pass away recently.

Happy birthday and happy anniversary to all those who are celebrating your special day this month. We wish you many more.

If you have any questions concerning life insurance, annuities, IRA transfers or rollovers, please call either Anne Marie and Mark Schmidt at 937-667-1211 or Michele Daley-LaFlame at 937-278-5970.

Have a great spring!

Branch 296 Springdale, PA

by Mary A. Kelly-Lovasz

We hope to see you at the 3rd Annual Tri-State Picnic at Scenic View on May 18. It promises to be a good time for members of all ages.

Welcome home to our children, grandchildren and neighbors from college! It's also a good time to remind them if they've looked into renewing their undergraduate scholarship grants through the WPFA Scholarship Foundation, Inc. Remember, all applications, renewal letters and essays must by postmarked by midnight, May 31. Check



A date to remember

Deadline for submissions to our magazine is the 10th day of each month. If you have any questions, please contact John E. Lovasz tollfree at 1-800-848-7366, ext. 135. ilovasz@williampennassociation.org.

the eligibility rules at www.williampennassociation.org under the "Member Benefits" section.

Congratulations to our graduating college seniors. We wish each of you well with your future plans for ongoing education and successful employment opportunities.

Belated wishes go out to John Torma Sr. who recently celebrated his 94th birthday. That's wonderful, and we certainly wish you all the best.

Happy Mother's Day wishes to all mothers and grandmothers and to those special women who have acted in place of our mothers, both living and deceased. We thank you and love you.

And, peaceful Memorial Day wishes to all of the men and women who have unselfishly given of themselves in the service of our country.

On a personal note, I recently lost my 91-year-old Aunt Martha who proudly served as a Chief Yeoman in the U.S. Navy during WWII. She will be buried at Arlington National Cemetery alongside her husband, my Uncle Davy, who had been a POW in Germany during WWII.

If you have never visited Arlington National Cemetery, it is quite a humbling site to see. Acres upon acres of perfectly placed white tombstones mark the final resting places of those who served with distinction in the military.

Memorial Day is more than a holiday for picnics and retail sales; it's a day to remember those who selflessly gave their lives for our country.

Our next meeting will be held on May 9 at 7:00 p.m., at King's Restaurant in New Kensington. Please plan to join us.

Call me if you have any news you'd like to share at 724-274-5318. For your insurance or annuity needs, contact our branch agent, Noreen Fritz, FIC, LUTCF, at 412-821-1837 or at noreenbunny.fritz@verizon.net.

Branch 352 Coraopolis, PA

by Dora S. McKinsey

May has finally arrived and with it, warmer weather. We can now look forward to nicer days and enjoy the outdoors.

There are two special holidays that are celebrated in May. The first is Mother's Day which falls on May 12 this year. May all mothers be blessed on this special day, and may you be surrounded by loved ones. The other holiday is Memorial Day on May 27. We must remember the sacrifices those who have served our wonderful country have made in the name of freedom. Remember to thank a veteran for their service. May the families of those who have lost a loved one in the service of our country be comforted.

On Saturday, May 18, a tri-state area picnic will be held at Scenic View in Rockwood, Pa. The picnic will begin with lunch around noon and continue until 5:00 p.m. This is a family picnic, so bring with you the makings of any games you and your family would enjoy. It promises to be a fun-filled day, but only with your participation will that be possible! Please join us.

Join Hands Day is officially celebrated on May 4 this year. However, the Branch 352 Join Hands Day project is scheduled for Saturday, June 8. Arrangements have been made to plant flowers in front of the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society on the North Side of Pittsburgh that day. Everyone will meet at 10:00 a.m. at the Humane Society. All supplies will be furnished by the branch. We would like you to join us. If you can attend, please contact me.

Happy Birthday to all those celebrating a birthday this month. May you have many more, and may all of

them be healthy.

If you have any questions about your insurance or need assistance with any service forms, please do not hesitate to contact me at 412-319-7116 or by email at *dmckinsey@hotmail.com*.

Branch 800 Altoon, PA

by Dave Greiner

Happy Mother's Day to all mothers of our branch. We hope all mothers enjoy their special day with family and friends.

Our branch extends best wishes for the success of a couple of WPA events: the WPA Bowling Tournament benefitting the WPFA Scholarship Foundation and the annual nationwide Join Hands Day.

Our branch also extends birthday wishes to any member celebrating their day during the month of May.

Branch 800 welcomes Gerry D. Clown and the "Just 4 Kidz" section to *William Penn Life*. We hope the first edition was a hit with our young members.

Our branch will host a special luncheon at our May meeting honoring our 50-year members.

Branch 800 wishes all anglers continued luck at catching "the big one." We also wish our local baseball teams good luck for a successful season. Go, Curve! Go, Pirates! Get Over .500! (Editor's Note: Amen to that!)

The end of May brings us to Memorial Day weekend. We hope all members find time to visit a local cemetery and remember those who lost their lives while serving in our armed forces. We hope all members can enjoy a long weekend with a family outing to kick off the summer season.

Our branch extends get well wishes to Branch Auditor Bob Aiken. We look forward to seeing Bob at our branch meetings.

An early reminder that the Branch 800 annual summer picnic will be held Wednesday, Aug. 7, at Highland Park.

Don't forget: for any of your life insurance or annuity needs, please contact Bob Jones at 814-942-2661.

Puzzle Contest #95 with Lizzy Cseh



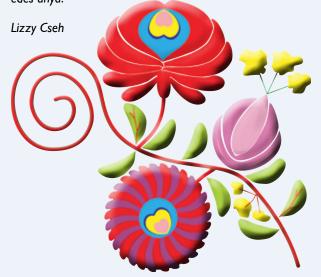
Words of Springtime

It was a long winter. Spring is finally here and so are the flowers, blossoms and planting!

We as Magyars love to work our hands in the soil as we nurture little plants with water, sun and care. There are so many Magyar songs about springtime and plants. Think of songs such as "Akácos Út," "Szeretnék Május Éjszakákon," "Kék Nefelejcs" or "Azt Mondják, Hogy Tavasz Nyílik". Each are not only poetic but melodious as well. So many of these Magyar songs of the season symbolize courtship and long-lost love never to return.

In May, my család (family) will feature on our weekly radio show an entire program consisting entirely of songs about the month of May and the flora associated with it. The "Souvenirs of Hungary" can be heard in the Youngstown area every Saturday from noon to 1:30 p.m. on WKTL-FM 90.7. This Mother's Day marks the 34th year the program has been on the airwaves.

The wordsearch for May 2013 includes 18 clues. Nine of the clues are in English; the other nine are their Hungarian counterparts. Every clue is a reference to plants, bushes or trees. Good Luck and Happy Mother's Day to each and every édes anya!



Puzzle Contest #92 **WINNERS**

The winners of our Puzzle Contest #92 were drawn April 5, 2013, at the Home Office. Congratulations to:

Steven A. Csubak, Br. 14 Cleveland, OH Mary Louise Dade, Br. 28 Youngstown, OH Frank Toth, Br. 296 Springdale, PA Jean A. Yuna, Br. 226 McKeesport, PA

Each won \$50 for their correct entry.

WPA PUZZLE CONTEST #95 OFFICIAL ENTRY

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Words of Springtime Word List

Acacia / Akác Blossom / Kivirul Bulb / Hagyma Hyacinth / Jácint Lilac / Halványlila Primrose / Kankalin Rose / Rózsa Seed / Mag Tulip / Tulipán

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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, email address, and WPA Certificate Number, to:

WPA PUZZLE #95 709 Brighton Road Pittsburgh, PA 15233

- 4. Entries must be received at the Home Office by June 28, 2013.
- 5. Four winners will be drawn from all correct entries on or about July 8, 2013, at the Home Office. Each winner will receive \$50.

In Memoriam

DAWN D. WARD

BRECKSVILLE, OH - The members of Branch 14 Cleveland and members throughout the Association were saddened by the recent death of longtime



WPA sales representative and dedicated member Dawn D. Ward. Dawn,

59, passed away Easter Sunday morning, March 31, 2013, following a long illness.

Dawn, along with her husband of 36 years, Jeffrey, were fixtures at WPA events at both the local and national levels for decades. Together, they promoted WPA's products, services and fraternal mission to residents of the Greater Cleveland area through the Ward Agency. Dawn also dutifully reported on the news of her branch and fellow Cleveland area members for many years as Branch 14 correspondent for William Penn Life.

A loving wife and devoted mother, Dawn

greeted everyone she met with a smile. Even as she was battling her illness, she remained warm, upbeat and cheerful.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Albert E. and Emma J. Oris, who instilled in Dawn a love for her Hungarian heritage, fraternalism and William Penn Association.

In additon to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Erin; a brother, Thomas A. Oris; mother-in-law Martha A. Ward; brother-in-law P. Michael (Kathryn) Ward; and a nephew, Patrick M. Ward.

Funeral services were held April 3 at the First Hungarian Reformed Church in Walton Hills, Ohio. Interment was in Brecksville Highland Drive Cemetery.

The family will appreciate donations to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Northern Chapter, 5700 Brecksville Road, 3rd Floor, Independence, OH 44131.

May she rest in peace.

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

MARCH 2013

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0014 CLÉVELAND, OH Reed Buckey Mary Reilly A. Theodore Szalay

0019 NEW BRUNSWIĆK, NJ Benjamin Augello

0026 SHARON, PA Stephen Cserney

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0159 PHOENIXVILLE, PA Ethel Sabo

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0723 WORCESTER, MA William E. Moore

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WPFA Scholarship Foundation

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352 - Dora S. McKinsey - \$1.02

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723 - Jeanine T. Godbout - \$2.39

TOTAL for Month = \$167.58

Additional Donations MARCH 2013

Donor - Amount

Kathy & Dean Eitel - \$100.00 Almut Zvosec - \$25.00 WPA Cookbook Sales - \$80.00

TOTAL for Month = \$205.00

Donations In Memoriam MARCH 2013

Donor - Amount (In Memory of)

William J. Bero - \$50.00 (Michael Murdoch)

Maria Mozer - \$20.00 (Frank J. Radvany)

Br. 18 Lincoln Park, MI - \$125.00 (Deceased Members Olga M. Hume, Helen Toth & Marie Pribanyec)

TOTAL for Month = \$195.00

Schedule of WPA Fraternal Events

WPA Bowling Tournament • May 3 & 4

Following the success of last year's tournament, our annual bowling event returns to the Meadows Racetrack and Casino, located in Washington, Pa., just south of Pittsburgh.

Join Hands Day • May 4

This annual, nationwide day of service brings together youths and adults to plan, organize and work together on projects that will improve their communities.

Tri-State Area Picnic • May 18

Members and friends from Western Pennsylvania, Northern West Virginia and Eastern Ohio will gather at Scenic View in Rockwood, Pa., for a day of good food and family fun.

30th Annual WPA Golf Tournament & Scholarship Days • July 19 & 20

Our annual 18-hole event returns to the magnificent Quicksilver Golf Course in Midway, Pa., the site of several previous WPA tournaments and a number of professional events.

Hungarian Heritage Experience • August 4 to 10

Scenic View in Rockwood, Pa., will again play host to this week-long program where members can learn the language of the Magyars while getting a taste of Hungarian history and culture.

13th Annual WPA Picnic-A Great Fraternal Fest • September 7

The Association's most popular annual fraternal event returns to Scenic View, offering another afternoon of Hungarian food, music and dancing, along with fun for the entire family.

WPA Trip to Hungary • September 11 to 26

Join your fellow members and friends of the Association on an excursion to the Land of the Magyars...and return with a suitcase full of memories that will last a lifetime.

Other Noteworthy Events

38th Annual Hungarian Festival • June I • New Brunswick, NJ Lake County Captains' Hungarian Heritage Night • June 8 • Eastlake, OH Branch 336 Verhovay Golf Outing • July (TBD) • Harrisburg, PA Hungarian Cultural Garden 75th Anniversary • July 20 • Cleveland, OH 39th Birmingham Ethnic Festival • August I7 & I8 • Toledo, OH

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