



November 2018



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Dates to remember
 November 13th & 27th
 Borough Council meetings at 7:00 PM
 November 6th
 Election Day Please get out and vote!!!
Please note: Recycling pickup is suspended for now.
Watch the newsletter for the restart dates.

Point Marion Volunteer Fire Department
 Gun Bash: November 3rd
 PMVFD Auxiliary Purse Bingo: November 17th

The Point Marion United Methodist Church
 will host a FREE Community Thanksgiving
 dinner on November 17th from 12-4.
 Everyone is welcome!!!



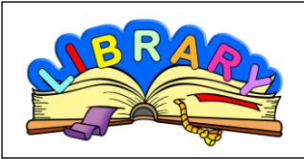
Point Marion Public Library

The library began its fall session October 27th with a story hour about Halloween Fun and everyone having a good time.
 The story hours are held at the library from 11 to 12 noon - they will continue for the first three Saturdays in November-
 November 3rd (All Kinds of Bears) - November 10th (Stories With "3") and November 17th (Let's Give Thanks")
 Also a Christmas story hour will be listed in the Pointer News for December - Thanks to Miss Jo for the fine job she does - come share in the good time and bring a friend.

A reminder that we have a nice selection of DVD's for those chilly evenings to come-stop by and see what we have to offer

The library will be closed from Wednesday, November 21st through Saturday, November 24th for Thanksgiving
 Will reopen Monday evening November 26th

A nice and blessed Thanksgiving is wished to everyone by your library
www.pointmarionlibrary.com
pmlibrary@verizon.net



724-725-9553
 Library Hours
 Monday through Thursday evenings - 6 to 9 P
 Tuesday afternoon - 2 to 4 P
 Saturday noon to 2

Rotary Hall for Rent
 The Old Scout Building is available to individuals for use. Contact David Callahan at 724-725-5717 for information.

Remember our Veterans this November 11--the national Veterans Day
1944--There were 15,000 men and women from Fayette County serving in our Armed Forces. At home, many had little flags in house windows indicating that someone in that house was currently serving in the military. Some had blue stars, and others were gold indicating that that household had lost a loved one while serving. Fayette County lost 639 in the World War II conflict.
1965-1972--During the Vietnam War, there were 49 from Fayette County killed with 1 Missing in action.

Douglas Ernest, Jr. was selected by the student body and a panel of judges as the Homecoming King at West Virginia University. He was crowned at halftime during the WVU-Kansas game in Morgantown on October 6. His parents are Douglas, Sr. and Jennifer Ernest of Vienna, WV. His father, Douglas, Sr. is a 1982 graduate of Albert Gallatin High School. Doug, Jr.'s grandmother Doris is a resident of Highland Avenue here in Point Marion.

November Rotary Programs

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

November 1st: No Meeting

November 8th: Thanksgiving Message

November 15th: Krista Pekar co-founder of STARS providing early intervention services

November 22nd: No Meeting Happy Thanksgiving

November 29th: Hope DeLap from WVU Law School Subject: The Innocence Project



The Rotary club is still accepting donations for prizes and candy treats for the Halloween Parade. Those individuals, churches or businesses that would like to help defray the cost of the event should send donations to: Philip Rishel 501 Morgantown St Point Marion PA 15474. Checks should be made payable to Point

Marion

Looking to do something positive in your community???

All meetings are open to the public, area residents are encouraged to attend. Meetings are held in the social room of the First Baptist Church at 6:00 PM. Call Philip Rishel at 724-725-5245 for membership information. Your area Rotary Club has great programs, good fellowship and wonderful service opportunities. Come join us! Open to all area

If you have something you would like included in the newsletter, drop it off no later than the 25th of the month prior to your event at Clar-Mac sales or email it to kgriff5796@gmail.com.

Park to Host Indoor Flea Market

The Point Marion Borough Park and Recreation Commission will host an Indoor Flea Market on December 1st. The time will be from 9-2. It will be held at the First Baptist Church and possibly another church as well. More details to come. Watch the Facebook page.



NOTICE:

Point Marion has a new part time Code Enforcement officer. He is making his rounds.

Lee Edgell, a fifth-grade student at Friendship Hill Elementary School won third place in the PA School Bus Safety Poster Contest for grades 3-5. He was among nine students recognized for their winning entries in a ceremony at the Governor's residence by the PA DOT Deputy Secretary for Driver and Vehicle Services. The winners were chosen from 352 public and private school student entries.

Gratitude
is the best
attitude.

- Author Unknown

The Auction House

Grand opening is December 1st
Doors open at 2pm auction begins at 5pm.
Furniture*Antiques*Tools*Building
Materials*Bedding*Home Décor*Luggage*Bed
and Bath Goods*Office
Supplies*Hardware*Bikes and ride ons*Great
Food
Something for everyone. 724-505-3299

TOWN TRIVIA

Town Trivia

For the Month of November in

- 1933**--Dunkard Creek Bridge contract to be let(\$90,000) including the approach and the bridge proper.
- 1934**--Local business, the McClain Sand Co. is one of three companies that will furnish an average of 80 cars of sand daily for the supplies needed on the government dam proposition at Grafton, WV.
- 1936**--New ordinance--no parking on the north side of Main Street.
- 1942**--Maple Sterling Mine to re-open--will employ 100 men.
- 1948**--Democratic candidate Harry Truman wins in Point Marion.
- 1951**--No color printing in the newspaper-everything is in black and white.
- 1957**--Nov. 7--Lee Chevrolet sponsors an art poster contest for Point Marion High School art students
- *American Legion holds bingo in St. Hubert Church's social room until their new home is completed.
 - *Pittsburgh Mercantile Co. store of Bobtown offers a 24" screen television console for \$269
 - *Point Marion Auto Co. will display a 1958 Ford. A door prize of a \$239 GE clothes dryer will be given (in cooperation with Klein's Dept. Store)
- Nov. 14--Police Chief Bill Moser stated that a crackdown on traffic violators is going to continue.
- *Headlee Lumber Co. of Dilliner is across the toll free bridge. Call Raymond 5-5183 for information on building materials.
 - *Point Marion Bank is one of ten that Gallatin National Bank has in Fayette County.
 - *Valley Mercury Sales in Dilliner by the Dunkard Bridge has the new 1958 Mercury.
- Nov. 26--Plans for a new AG Jointure High School and an addition to Masontown High School are progressing to the final stage and hoping to be ready by the 1959 school term.
- *West Penn Power Co. will provide free electricity for community Christmas lighting again this year.
 - *About 100 residents of Smithfield protest the selection of Friendship Hill as the site for a new High School. They want the school built in Smithfield at a site donated by Smithfield Borough.
- 1961**--The Volunteer Fire Company will have a banquet to celebrate the burning of the mortgage on the fire hall.
- 1965**--Nov. 4--Albert Gallatin High School football team -the Colonials-won their 8th consecutive game. They beat Redstone High School 18-12. This was the first and only game to be played at the Point Marion field. An earlier contest at Point Marion field was canceled due to the death of Coach John Lozar. Gene Franks, Jr. then became acting head coach.
- 1958 Mercury.
- *Point Marion Police distributed literature in grade schools sponsored by the FBI to combat child molesters.
- Nov. 11--Point Marion's street work to cost \$23,662. *A & P Grocery Store gives plaid stamps with each purchase. Most meats are under \$.50 per lb. Oranges are 18 to a bag for \$.89. Nassar's in Dilliner gives green stamps.
- Nov. 18--The 10th annual Jay Dry Award banquet to be held at Burchinal's Ranch Restaurant on Rt. 119 North between Point Marion and Smithfield. The Albert Gallatin football team honors the outstanding senior-a trophy and a \$50 saving bond is given. Sponsors are the Point Marion and Masontown Veteran of Foreign Wars.
- *The Colonials conclude their football season undefeated and united. They had their 9th straight victory over German, AG 33-German 7.
- Nov. 24--Honor Roll for first quarter at Kolb Memorial High School in Masontown includes three from Point Marion.
- Stewart's Laundromat is located on Water Street.
- *Roye's Photo Studio on upper Penn St. offers 25 photo Christmas cards for \$2.58 (with your negative).
- 1975**--Groundbreaking ceremony was held in Morgantown for the start of construction for the new Monongalia General Hospital.
- 1979**--The Point Marion News will begin publishing on Mondays instead of the traditional Thursdays.
- 1985**--Nov. 5--Every year, we need to remember the flood that hit our town. Hurricane Juan caused the Monongahela River to rise to 19.0 feet by 10:00 p.m.
- 1986**--Pittsburgh's Channel 4-WTAE--returns to Point Marion, one year later, to reflect on the flood disaster.
- 1999**--The Fire Department announces that Sunday, November 28th is the official light up night of the new Christmas lights.