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Kiwanis Tradition with a Twist, or Two

In keeping with a more than 50-year tradition, the Kiwanis Club of Dallas, will once again hold it's annual Halloween Parade, but with a few twists.

The Dallas Kiwanis will conduct a "safe" event in accordance with CDC guidelines for social distancing and mask wearing, on Sunday, October 25, at the Dallas Middle School track, which is located off Hildebrandt Road, on Mountaineer Drive (new road into the school district). Rain date is Saturday, October 31st.

MANDATORY on-line pre-registration will be conducted by visiting the club's Facebook page, @Kiwanis.DallasPA; or via their website at KiwanisClubDallasPA.com. An on-line registration form will be available beginning Monday, October 5th, and will continue through Monday, October 19th.

Children up to age 14, who reside in the Dallas and Lake-Lehman school district areas, will parade counter clockwise around the track in assigned groups and times beginning at 12:00 noon; time assignments will appear at the top of the

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Daddow-Isaacs Dallas American Legion Post 672 Remembers 9-11

Daddow-Isaacs Dallas American Legion Post 672 conducted their annual commemoration of the 9/11 tragedy. Chaplain Bill Lewis delivered an opening and closing prayer. Remarks were given by John Emil, Sr. and Clarence J. Michael, Post Historian, the Post Honor Guard gave a gun salvo tribute, and John Emil, Sr. played Taps. Shown above in photo are: Nathan Jacoby, Joe Kelley, Clarence J. Michael, John Emil, Sr., Bill Lewis, Rich Malak, and Charles Fleming.

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Bingo events planned at the Northmoreland Twp. Vol. Fire Co.

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The Back Mountain Memorial Library announces the addition of New Memorial Books

In Memory of Mary Weir, "Royal Horticultural Society Encyclopedia of Plants and Flowers", presented by Deb Cooper. In Memory of Harriet Jean Parker, "A Year at Brandywine Cottage" by David L. Culp, presented by Wayne Hinkin. In Memory of Eugene Cannon, "Ellis Island: a people's history" by Malgorzata Szejnert, presented by Marsha and Sheldon Spear.

In Memory of Grace McCue, "What Makes a Marriage Last" by Marlo Thomas and Phil Donahue, presented by Deb Cooper. In Memory of Harriet Parker, "Truth and Justice" by Fern Michaels (large print), presented by Attorney and Mrs. Ralph J. Johnston, Jr.

The following books are in Memory of Eugene Cannon and are presented by Marsha and Sheldon Spear: "I am Not a Chair!" by Ross Burach, "A Race Around the World" by Caroline Starr Rose.

HONOR: The following books are in Honor of Mary Ann Hopkins and are presented by Audrey Ide: "A Study in Scarlet Women" by Sherry Thomas, "The Late Scholar" by Jill Paton Walsh, "A Spy in the House" by Y.S. Lee and "The Attenbury Emeralds" by Jill Paton Walsh.

Drive-thru, Take-out Beef Dinner

Sweet Valley Volunteer Fire Company, 5383 Main Rd, Sweet Valley, will serve a drive thru/take-out beef dinner on Saturday, October 24. Price is \$10.00 per dinner. No dessert or drink will be included. Dinners will be served from 4:00pm to 6:00pm.

We ask that you remain in your cars and the dinners will be brought out to you. Check our Facebook page for updated information or call 570-477-5121.

Trinity Men's Club plans chicken and biscuit dinner for October 17

On Saturday, October 17, the Men's Club of Trinity Presbyterian Church, 105 Irem Road, Dallas, will sponsor their very popular chicken and biscuit dinner. Take-outs only will be available from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at a cost of \$9.00 per meal. The church is located off of Rt. 309N across the highway from the Country Club Shopping Center.

All proceeds will benefit the programs of the church. For more information, call the church office at 570-675-3131.

Food Pantry in Sweet Valley open

The new food pantry in Sweet Valley, located inside the Church of Christ on Main Road in Sweet Valley will be open to those in need of food on the first Friday of each month. Food donations are also being accepted. For more information call 570-477-2320.

Collection of cat and owl items on display at the Back Mountain Memorial Library

Jan Lohmann, of Harvey's Lake, will be showcasing her collection of cat and owl items in the display case at the Back Mountain Memorial Library during the month of October.

She has appropriately named her display "The Owl and the Pussycat." Jan has been collecting cat and owl items all her life. She became interested in starting a collection through a friend that collected owls and seeing this interested Jan. Of her collection, Lohmann says "I have always loved cats so it was natural to collect all things related to them."

She finds it hard to choose her favorite piece. She settles on the black and white cat teapot. She also loves the big MacKenzie-Childs cat pillow that she is holding in the photo. Jan has received both cat and owl items now as gifts because "once people find out you collect something, they love to give them as gifts", which she appreciates. Stop in to see the display during the month of October at the library.



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The Your Dash 365 Board and volunteers have the upmost respect for our 1st responders and feel this campaign timing was necessary in showing our men and women in Blue the support and respect they deserve. On 9-11 as people were running from the danger and mass destruction of the twin tower terrorist attack, our police, fire, and EMS ran in, most never returning home that day. Of course, today that still holds true, our police are there for us during home invasions, accidents, and grim circumstances to name a few. Our men and women in blue deserve respect and recognition, as all 1st responders do. Above in photo are, from left: Ric Titus - Member, Cathy Martin - Manager, Jessica DeAngelis - Intern, Dusty Titus - President, Al DeAngelis - Founder and Executive Director, Debbie Martin - Secretary, Marian DeAngelis - Co-founder and Treasurer. Missing from the photo Christin Snyder - Vice President, Carolyn Wiatrowski - 2nd Vice President, and Angie Rodkey - Corresponding Secretary.

Mickey's Crafts Fall Craft Festival hosts Dairy Court



Thank you so much to Mickey's Crafts and More for inviting the Luzerne County Dairy Court to the Fall Craft Festival recently held. Court members enjoyed spending time in your pumpkin patch, talking to the children about how important it is to get at least 3 servings of dairy every day. Dairy Maid Juliet Price gave the kids coloring books and Alternate Princess Ally Steltz shared recipe books with the adults. Members of the dairy Court enjoy sharing the importance of dairy in a healthy diet. If you would like more information about the Luzerne County Dairy Court, please contact them through their facebook page Luzerne County Dairy Princess Promotions Team. Pictured: Dairy Maid Juliet Price, and Alternate Dairy Princess Ally Steltz.

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Dallas Lions Club recently held their annual golf tournament

The Dallas Lions Club held their annual golf tournament at the Irem Country Club on August 20.

A total of 140 golfers participated. There were 36 hole sponsors and many gift certificates from many of the local businesses, for which the club is very thankful.

The entire proceeds from the event were donated to the Back Mountain Food Pantry in Trucks-ville which helps feed over 150 families throughout the Dallas and Lake-Lehman School Districts.

Shown in photo: Don Berlew, tournament chairman, presenting a check for over \$4,300 to Carol Eyet, manager of the food pantry.

Pictured from the left are: members of the tournament committee: Paul Kutney, Dave Keating, club president, Carol Eyet, Don Berlew, Wes Rost and Joe Kester. The Lions Club motto is "We Serve."

The club welcomes new members; if interested, please contact any member of the club or contact Frank Rollman, Membership Chairman at 570-675-4485.



The Back Mountain Memorial Library lists the following upcoming events

We at the Back Mountain Memorial Library are proud to be celebrating, on October 12, the 75th Anniversary of the opening of the Library! Founded in 1945 as a memorial to veterans, the Library was a symbol of rebirth and optimism after the carnage of World War II. Through the years we have always sought to be a beacon of learning and service to the community. Stop in and celebrate with us, as we continue our mission into the future.

Halloween is virtually upon us! "An October Evening of Tales" is available through the Library Facebook page. View a collection of Halloween folktales from England, Scotland, and Ireland. Storyteller Charles Kiernan, a member of the Lehman Valley Storytelling Guild, will delight you and your family with his shivery stories. Click on the Vimeo.com link found on the Library Facebook page and enter the password provided. Turn out the lights and enjoy scary storytelling at its finest. Kiernan's tales will be available from October 1 through November 30. We dare you!

For many patrons, a visit to our Gift Shop was a pleasant part of their trip to the Library. Holiday décor, greeting cards, glassware, candles, and other tempting items were available at bargain prices to brighten their day. So we are happy to announce the reopening of our "lightly used" gift shop inside the Slightly Used Bookshop in the lower level of the Library! Seasonal items for your home will once again be offered; featured now are pumpkins, scarecrows, and everything Autumn, Halloween, and Thanksgiving. Be sure to stop in and check out their selection.

Bookstore hours are Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 1 PM to 6 PM, Wednesdays from 10 AM to 6 PM, Fridays from 1 PM to 5 PM, and Saturdays from 10 AM to 2 PM.

Please keep in mind that the Farmers' Market will close at the end of the month. Saturdays at the Dallas High School you can still find fresh fruits and vegetables, honey, gourmet popcorn, baked goods, mushrooms, and so much more. The Market is open between 9:00 and 2:00, and runs through the 31st. Please wear a mask out of courtesy to our vendors.

Items from other libraries within Luzerne County are once again available through InterLibrary Loan. Patrons can now request items for themselves, or call to have us place the holds. For the present, Access PA, which provides books from out-of-county, remains unavailable.

There are more ways than ever to experience all the Children's Room has to offer! In the Library you can choose books, pick up fall craft packs, and see what mascot Sunny Bear is up to. Also check out our featured sections, Graphic Novels and World Languages.

Through Library on the Go, we offer "Book Bundle" curbside selections to acquaint your kids with great books they might not find on their own. And remember Bookmobiles? Our "Book Boxes" free subscriptions for daycares and other child-centered organizations are delivered to the site and picked up again at regular intervals. Our Librarian will customize selections to ages and interests.

Of course we have a big Online presence with our new Facebook page! Find the new page as Back Mountain Memorial Library Children's Room, or by searching @BMMLChildrensRoom. Here you will find virtual Story Hours, new every Wednesday and on demand after that, of cool books and a matching craft. Tune in for all our videos with Ms. Perch or Mrs. Isreal and enjoy the fall season virtually! Contact us at 570-675-1182, and find so much more at our website at www.backmountainlibrary.org.



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Kiwanis tradition continued from cover.

registration form.

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Drawings for raffles, door prizes and 50/50 drawing, and the announcement of costume prizes will take place following the event, via Facebook Live. Arrangements will be made for the winners to receive prizes and baskets in the days following the event.

The Kiwanis Club of Dallas PA wishes to thank everyone, in advance, for their cooperation during this unprecedented time. Let's make this Halloween fun for the children of the Back Mountain! Questions related to the event, or if interested in joining the club, can be directed via email, at kiwanisclubofdallaspa@gmail.com, or by calling 570-215-5550.

Happy Halloween!



All photos above are from previous year's Kiwanis Club Halloween festivities.



Luzerne County Dairy Princess Pageant was held at Sweet Valley Church of Christ



The Luzerne County Dairy Princess Pageant was held at the Sweet Valley Church of Christ. Congratulations to the entire Court! Dairy court members will be sharing their love for Dairy throughout Luzerne County for the next year. They want to make sure everyone looks for the number 42 on their milk to be sure it is Pennsylvania milk. They also visit schools and daycares teaching the children about dairy, and reminding them to include at least 3 servings of dairy every day. Thank you so much to our wonderful sponsors! Lehman Nursery donated beautiful bouquets and boutineers for the court members. Pizza Bella donated yummy pizzas for our banquet, and Love's Thermal Systems donated soft ice cream for dessert. Shown in photo, top row are: Dairy Princess, Toni Traver; Alternate Dairy Princess, Ally Steltz; Dairy Ambassador, Kaelyn Traver. Second row- Dairy Maid, Juliet Price; Dairy Miss, Kylie Lee; Dairy Miss, Amelia Brown. Third row: Dairy Lil' Miss, Naomi Truchon; Dairy Lil' Miss, Annli Mitchell; Dairy Darling, Arylynn Truchon. Last row: Dairy Ambassador, Evan Price; Dairy Ambassador, Elijah Nalbone; Dairy Ambassador, Ezekiel Price; and Dairy Ambassador, Cooper Thomas.

Dairy Court visits Ice Cream Truck

The Ice cream Truck in Lehman invited the Luzerne County Dairy Court to their last day open for the summer of 2020. The Dairy Court members have been working to teach consumers about the importance of dairy. Court members have been educating about the dairy farmers and about the benefits of consuming at least 3 servings of dairy every day!

Court members also collect donations for the Fill a Glass With Hope program. This program is set up to purchase fresh Pennsylvania milk to be distributed from Weinberg food bank, through local food distributions to people who need it most! Every \$1 collected through the dairy court will purchase 8 glasses of milk.

If you would like more information about the Luzerne County Dairy Court and all that they do, contact them through their facebook page Luzerne County Dairy Princess Promotions Team. Pictured is: Luzerne County Dairy Maid, Juliet Price.



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Do You Need a Budget AND a Financial Plan?

By Martin A. Federici, Jr., CEO of MF Advisers, Inc.

I have spoken to a lot of people through the years and read quite a few articles that assume this point: you only need a budget AND a financial plan if you're wealthy. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Practically everyone would benefit financially from having both useful tools in place. No matter your age, income, employment status, tax bracket, debt load, etc., having a budget forces you to pay attention to your cash flow – which helps avoid problems like bouncing checks, running out of money every month to pay bills, living off of credit cards, etc. If you're winging it instead of writing out your monthly budget or putting it into a spreadsheet, you're just flirting with disaster.

Do yourself a favor and create a budget ASAP (or ask your qualified financial advisor to help you do it; if this "advisor" scoffs at the idea, you probably need a new financial advisor – one who is a fiduciary, not a product - pushing salesperson). I'm serious – if you've not made a budget for yourself yet, do it right now and then you should continue reading this article.

Since you should have a budget in place now, next is creating your financial plan. It sounds a bit more complex than making a budget, but it doesn't need to be any more difficult than this:

- Set your goals – short-term savings for emergencies should come first, along with basic insurance coverages, saving for large purchases, saving for kids (college?), saving for retirement, leaving money to loved ones, etc. (Remember this point: people spend more time planning vacations than planning for retirement!)
- The financial goal should have a dollar amount and a specific time frame attached to it so you can see what steps you need to take to realistically achieve the goal.
- As your financial situation changes (life happens; thanks 2020!), you can adjust your plans/goals as needed.
- Since your budget is in place, you know how you can either reduce spending or allocate extra \$ towards the goals.
- You can now measure your progress towards your goals over time, which will help you make smarter financial decisions
- If you can make smarter financial decisions, you will be in a better financial position for the REST OF YOUR LIFE.

Since there may be some financial considerations you're not thinking of, partnering with a qualified financial advisor (a fiduciary) to craft your financial plan (make sure it's thorough) makes sense. If your financial advisor scoffs at helping you create your financial plan, fire him / her immediately and find one who cares enough to do this for you. Your budget AND financial plan deserve quality construction from someone who cares about your situation almost as much as you do ... never forget that.

Write your financial plan and put it in place now – it won't be easy ... but then again, things that are extremely worthwhile are usually difficult (no pain, no gain). If you've done these, you're on your way! Find an experienced financial advisor who helps clients create budgets AND financial plans on a regular basis, works for an RIA firm, is a fiduciary for clients, earns his/her money from fees (NOT commissions), believes in having an abundance of investment choices for clients, and has the heart and demeanor of a teacher, NOT a salesman, and chances are you've found the right financial advisor to help you prepare and plan for your future.

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The Kunkle Vol. Fire Co., will be serving a BBQ chicken halves, drive-by, pickup on Saturday, October 3, from 11:00am to 1:00pm. Chicken halves are drive by - pick-up only. The cost is \$6.00.

Thank you for supporting our local volunteers.

Roast Beef Dinner planned at the Northmoreland Volunteer Fire Co.

The Northmoreland Township Volunteer Fire Company will have a Roast Beef Dinner, Drive-Thru Only, on Friday, October 23, 2020 from 4-6:30 PM, at the fire hall, 1618 Demunds Rd., in Centermoreland. Price: \$10.00. Please support your local volunteers!

Lake-Lehman students recognized

The principal, Mr. Doug Klopp of Lake-Lehman Junior-Senior High School announced today that Riley Egan has qualified as a Semifinalist in the 2021 National Merit Scholarship Program. Riley is one of approximately 16,000 high school seniors who qualified to continue in the competition for some 7,600 National Merit Scholarships to be offered next spring. Congratulations Riley, the Lake-Lehman community is so proud of you. Your dedication and efforts are second to none.

Furthermore, we are pleased to announce that Liam Pembleton has been named as a Commended Student in the 2021 National Merit Scholarship Program. Although he will not continue in the 2021 competition for the National Merit Scholarship awards, Commended Students are recognized for placing within the top 50,000 scorers.

Both Riley and Liam have achieved this honor as two of more than 1.5 million students who entered the 2021 competition by taking the 2019 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT). We are honored to have these two outstanding students earn this tremendous accomplishment. Well done!



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Legion Logbook

Daddow-Isaacs Dallas American Legion Post 672 met on September 8 at the Legion Post. Some decisions were made considering the opening hours of the post with food being available, instigating a policy of one side of the bar room for smoking, and the other side for non-smoking and the use of the smoke-eaters, and the recognition of a 9/11 ceremony to be held.

All officers will stay the same for this year. The annual 9/11 commemoration was held on September 11 in recognition of the tragic loss of life at the Twin Towers, the Pentagon, and Flight 93 in Shanksville, PA. At 8:46 A.M. (the time the first plane hit the Twin Towers), the flag was lowered to half-staff, a prayer was offered, speeches were given, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, the Honor Guard fired a seven-gun tribute, and Taps was played. Horns of passing cars acknowledge the tribute. Remember and please press the significance to your children since it happened 19 years ago when many of them were infants or not even born.

The Memorial Museum in New York is opened once again with some restrictions 7 days a week. The museum honors the 2,977 people at the Twin Towers, the Pentagon, and Flight 93 in Shanksville, PA. It also honors 6 individuals that were killed at the World Trade Center bombing on February 26, 1993. All the names are listed on the Memorial site. Let us also remember the brave 343 firefighters, and 60 police officers who lost their life in their valiant attempts to help the victims of this dastardly deed. Our lives have changed dramatically since September 11, 2001.

Also on September 2 we remembered VJ Day (Victory over Japan). This always conjures up memories of all the WW II veterans who were truly 'THE GREATEST GENERATION'.

Commander Kupstas calls upon all members of the Post to support the Legion any way you can during these trying times. She expresses thanks to all who are volunteering their time to keep the Dallas American Legion a viable part of the Back Mountain Community.

The next scheduled monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 13 at 7:30 P.M. All members and prospective members are invited to attend. GOD BLESS AMERICA!



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Dallas Kiwanis Club Announces Community Service Project



The Kiwanis Club of Dallas PA has begun a community service project that will provide more than 120 much-needed face shields to critical care personnel at Commonwealth Health Services, Wilkes-Barre General Hospital Campus.

With a desire to do something useful for the front-line workers at area hospitals during the COVID-19 pandemic, engineering students from Penn State Main Campus created the 3D-printed visor components as a community service project earlier this year. Through an area family connection, the visors were provided to the Dallas Kiwanis Club to be further assembled into finished face shields and donated to the hospital. Materials for the shields are being donated by AMP Global Strategies, in Shavertown.

Pictured are (seated, left to right) Charlie Kishbaugh, Susie Dobash, Abby Patrick, Lloyd Ryman, Jim Snyder; (standing) Liz Martin, Harold Stout, Mary Rodriguez, Melissa Youngblood, Brian Tupper, and Bernie Banks.



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Family Service Association of Northeastern Pennsylvania (FSA) Celebrates Employee Appreciation Day



For many years, FSA has celebrated Employee Appreciation Day the Friday before Labor Day. Each year, employees and their families have travelled to Knoebel's Grove to enjoy a cook out and brief employee meeting to celebrate the accomplishments of the prior fiscal year. FSA contributed to the expenses of the day for employees and families. While this year's celebration does not include Knoebel's Grove due to COVID 19 concerns, on Friday, September 4, 2020, FSA continued its tradition of celebrating its employees and thanking them for their contributions, especially in light of their efforts during the pandemic. FSA did not close its doors, but rather continued its counseling and casework operations - even handling record volumes of calls in its PA 211 NE/ Help Line services, a 24/7/365 referral service to human services and after hours crisis management.

In addition to pizza and snacks, employees received a gift card and early dismissal from work in appreciation of their daily efforts for their clients. For the first time ever, service awards were also part of the celebration. Those in receipt of 2020 service awards included: Ms. Chris Hughes, 35 years; Ms. Cathy Mericle, 30 years; Mr. Anthony Orlando, 20 years; Ms. Marlene Woods, 15 years; Ms. Theresa Langan, 10 years; and Ms. Evelyn Rowles, 5 years, Ms. Janine Fortney, 5 years, Ms. Mary Morgan, 5 years, Mr. Scott Rave, 5 years, Ms. Claire Holly, 5 years, and Mr. Cesar ("Dan") Grullon, 5 years. Ms. Gertrude C. McGowan, Esq., CEO of FSA noted, "The length of service of these employees is admirable and the community and FSA benefit from their vast experience. We are so appreciative for what they do each day." Ms. Janyne Gurnari, COO of FSA, stated, "Employee Appreciation Day is one of my favorite days at FSA. It affords us the opportunity to reflect on all that we do and the dedicated employees who make it possible. The addition of the Service Awards to the event makes it even more special."

FSA is a non - profit agency that has been serving the region for over 124 years. For further information concerning its services, please contact FSA at 570- 823-5144.

RW Scholarship offered



The Republican Women of Luzerne County are offering a \$1000 scholarship to the Luzerne County matriculated college student attending a Luzerne County College or University who most portrays the qualities and drive for leadership and service. Student must be a registered Republican. A Fall Fest was held on Sunday, September 20, at the Polish American Veterans, Wilkes-Barre, to help raise money for the Scholarship. The Young Republican Scholarship will be awarded for the spring semester 2021. For more information and an application contact Linda Shypulefski, Scholarship Committee Chairperson, through Messenger or on her Facebook page - Linda Shypulefski. Applications are due by November 15, 2020. Shown above in photo are: Deborah Barbose, President of Republican Women of Luzerne County, discusses the Fall Fest and Young Republican Scholarship with Committee Chairpersons. Left to right: Linda Shypulefski, Scholarship Committee Chairperson; Deborah Barbose, President RWLC, Lynette Villano and Alex Treslar, Co-Chairpersons, RWLC Fall Fest.

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Shown in photo above are: Dairy Maid Juliet Price, Dairy Princess Toni Traver, Alternate Dairy Princess Ally Steltz, and Dairy Ambassador Kaelyn Traver.

United Way of Wyoming Valley 2020 POSSIBILITY AWARD Winner

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Thank you to Community Bank for sponsoring the award. Shown in photo are: Barbara Maculloch, President of Pennsylvania Banking, Community Bank; Bill Jones, President & CEO of United Way of Wyoming Valley, Jean Kizis, Coordinator of ParentChild+ FSA; Gert McGown, CEO, FSA; Alison Zurawski, Community Relations Manager, Community Bank.

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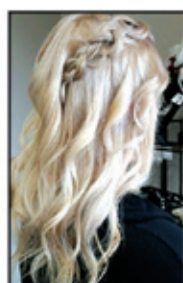
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