



Chamber Chatters

News from the members of the
TAMAQUA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
VISIT US ONLINE AT
<http://www.tamaqua.net>

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2014
TAMAQUA'S ANNUAL VETERAN'S DAY PARADE
STARTS AT 10 am
GET UP, GET OUT AND THANK OUR VETERANS!

Let's line the sidewalks again, just like the night of the Halloween parade and show our appreciation and thanks to all veterans and their families for their service and sacrifices.

WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PARADE?

Contact Andy Leibenguth at (570)668-1234 or andyliving@gmail.com

CHAMBER UPDATES

TAMAQUA CHAMBER LUNCH BUNCH —The Chamber Lunch Bunch is just an informally organized group of Chamber members who visit other members for a lunch and/or visit. **Everyone is invited to join us and support the local businesses. Lunch Bunch can visit any member's business – not only those serving food.**

Lunch is on your own, conversation is free, and shopping locally is awesome!

If you are a Chamber member, and would like the Lunch Bunch to visit you (we'll purchase/bring our own lunches), just let us know. We are always looking for a place to hang out for an hour or so! (570)668-1880

NEXT LUNCH BUNCH VISIT IS SCHEDULED FOR

**November 12, at Noon, at
VONZ RESTAURANT**

WILL YOU JOIN US?

Pre-ordering your lunch will expedite service and will also help you make the most of your time away from your business. A copy of Vonz' lunch menu is attached. Please contact Ben Terrano, at benturranorealtor@gmail.com with your selection and reservation by 5 pm, Monday, November 10th.

THIS WEEKEND

FREE MOVIE NIGHT – NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD – 407 Schuylkill Avenue, Tamaqua
Presented by Tamaqua Area Faith Fellowship Network, see **“When God Left the Building”**, a revealing documentary about the exodus of America's faithful and what's next. Free Admission Saturday, **November 8, 1 pm.**

NEW HAWK MOUNTAIN SANCTUARY

Golden Eagle Saturday

This weekend we welcome Shaver's Creek Environmental Center for three eagle programs at 10, noon and 2 pm. Arrive early for best seating. Then at 5:30, Greg Budney joins us from the "un-quiet" Library of Sounds at Cornell Lab, for an AUDIO presentation on the world's most incredible animal sounds. Here are the details:

Golden Eagle Saturday

Saturday, **November 8** at 10, noon & 2 pm

Diversity of Sound (Final Lecture)

Saturday, **November 8** at 5:30 pm

Children's Workshop: Owl Moon

Sunday, **November 9**

Holiday Open House

Saturday, **November 29**

Booksining: *Hawk Mountain--a Conservation Success Story*

By Jim Brett and Keith Bildstein

Digital Photo Contest Extends to Sunday:

We extended the deadline **through Sun, Nov 9** for those who love to take photos at Golden Eagle Saturday, and because fall foliage is still showing color. Take a chance in any of five categories to win the top prize of \$250. All entry fees support Hawk Mountain conservation programs. [Enter now.](#)

HAWK MOUNTAIN SANCTUARY – (610)756-6961, or linkevich@hawkmountain.org

The Art of John James Audubon **Daily through December 15, FREE!**

Mountain Raffle **Tickets available by phone or at the Visitor Center**

Top Prize: 8.5 x 42 Swarovski EL Binoculars

NEW * NEW * NEW * NEW * NEW

NEW TUNE IN - Don't miss "Chef Von", from **VONZ RESTAURANT**, **Monday, November 10, 4 pm**, when she features another delicious recipe on PALive in the Kitchen on WBRE/WYOU. www.vonzrestaurant.com

NEW Spend time enjoying family and friends this Thanksgiving and let **MY NANA'S KITCHEN LLC** (Lucy Gerace), **570-668-2818** provide the home baked desserts! Family favorite treats and two convenient pick up options. To place an order, call or email mynanaskitchen@verizon.net before **Saturday, November 22. SEE ATTACHED FLYER**

NEW **VONZ RESTAURANT** in the historic Tamaqua Train Station, invites you to join them for a **Thanksgiving Buffet Feast, November 27**, from 11 am to 5 pm. **SEE ATTACHED FLYER for delicious menu.** Adults \$24.95, Children (ages 4 to 12) \$10.95, (3 and under – free). Make your reservations today by calling (570)668-6439. You won't go home hungry!

NOVEMBER EVENTS & NEWS

M&S HARDWARE – NOVEMBER PRICE BUSTERS FLYER ATTACHED

GUY'S FLOWERS AND MORE – Featured item for Christmas 2014, Thomas Kinkadee's Collectible – "A Kiss for Santa", is available with or without flowers. 570-467-3636. Stop by soon.

Route 309, Hometown Village Square. Sign up online at www.guysflowers.com for a free monthly newsletter from Flower Shop Network. Topics will range from plant and flower care to holiday and gift giving ideas.

DEANGELO'S SWEET PIZZAZZ PIZZA - 263 Lafayette Street, Tamaqua
(570)952-9229 **NOW OPEN** Saturday thru Thursday, 3 to 10, Friday 11 to 10, with **delivery** available to the surrounding area 7 days a week.

NOVEMBER CHATTERS SPECIAL

PRINT THIS COUPON,
BRING IT TO
DEANGELO'S SWEET PIZZ PIZZA
AND GET
2 X-LARGE SWEET PIZZ PIZZAS
FOR JUST
\$24.99

Coupon expires 11/30/14

DAILY SPECIALS AT DEANGELO'S SWEET PIZZ PIZZA

Sunday – Football Special - \$1.50 Yuengling pints & \$4.99 personal pan pizza

Monday – Yuengs & Wings - \$5.99 dozen wings & \$3.75 pitcher of Yuengling

Tuesday – Closed

Thursday – Lady's Night – ½ off mixed drinks

Friday – Open for lunch & free pool

TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER presents **"BROCK MCGUIRE BAND"**, Friday **November 14**, at 7 pm. This group, coming direct from Ireland, is touring London and the US with stops in Nashville, Baltimore, D. C., NYC and NOW TAMAQUA, PA. Don't miss the opportunity to see these international artists. Call 570-668-1192 and make your reservations today. Pub Tables \$25, Theatre seating \$20.

SKOOK COAL BOWL – Saturday, **November 15**, 1 pm kickoff – **SIMON KRAMER INSTITUTE**, 15 Alliance Street, New Philadelphia Haven War Hawks vs Schuylkill County Predators. Free admission

TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER presents **"THANKFULNESS YOGA WITH AMY"**, **November 17th**, 6:15 to 7:30 pm. Bring a friend and pay just \$5 each (regularly \$10 each) to celebrate our first year of teaching here. All levels of ability welcome. Contact Amy at (267)772-1184 for more info.

VONZ RESTAURANT presents **"An Evening of Great Food and Entertainment"**, featuring **GENE MORRISON**, Wednesday, **November 19, 6:30 pm**. Call (570)668-6439 for reservations.

20TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION – TAMAQUA AREA COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

Celebrating two decades of improving the quality of life in the Tamaqua Area. **November 19** 6 pm, at the Tamaqua Community Arts Center, 125 Pine Street. **RSVP** (570)668-6899 Refreshments will be served. www.tacp.info

TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER is hosting a **HOLIDAY VENDOR & CRAFT SHOW** to benefit the **American Cancer Society**, **November 22nd**, 1 to 6 pm, 125 Pine Street Tamaqua. Variety of vendors, crafters, psychic readings, raffle, baked goods and food, and much more. Also, **2 live musical shows, featuring entertainers from the ACS Telethon, at 3 and 7 pm**. Interested vendors & crafters, call 570-645-4228 or email madula@ptd.net Sponsored by CancerTelethon.org

GENE MORRISON ENTERTAINMENT – Mohegan Sun Casino Bus Trip, **November 24** - \$24. Depart Tamaqua Hi-rise at 8:15 AM, Hometown Fire Company, 8:30 am. Call 570-778-4840 for tickets.

TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER presents a performance by **"WON TON"**, Wednesday, **November 26**, along with **"JUSTUS"**. Pub tables \$15, Theatre seats \$12, SRO \$10. Call 570-668-1192 for reservations and ticket information. www.tamaquaarts.org

YOUTH DANCE – TAMAQUA COMMUNITY ART CENTER – November 29, 6-8:30 pm, for **Grades 6 to 8**. Hot dogs snacks & drinks available to purchase. Music provided by DJ Ray. Admission \$5. Admission \$3 if you bring can or boxed food donation for local food pantry. 125 Pine Street, Tamaqua (570)668-1192

ST. JOHN XXII PARISH invites you to their 5th annual **ADVENT WREATH MAKING SESSION**, Saturday, **November 29**, doors open from 10 am to 1 pm, wreaths take about 1 hour to complete. **St. Jerome Regional School Gym**, 250 West Broad Street, Tamaqua. Cost \$12, payable at door. Kit includes base, candles, and ribbons. Please bring clipping sheers and greenery to share. **Registrations are required no**

later than **Sunday, November 16** and can be made by contacting The Parish Office of Adult Formation at 570-225-7412 or adultformation@sj23tamaqua.org

SIMON KRAMER CANCER CENTER presents **"A MORRISON FAMILY CHRISTMAS"**, Sunday, **November 30**, at 3 pm. \$10/person. Featuring the McGeehans, The Cunninghams, George Waidell, and the Morrison Family. Don't miss this performance by a very talented family and friends. 15 Alliance Street, New Philadelphia. Call (570)277-6218

NEWS FROM OUR MEMBERS

TAMAQUA HISTORICAL SOCIETY presents **SANTA TRAIN RIDES – December 20th**
SEE ATTACHED FLYER FOR MORE INFORMATION . Call (570-225-1089 for tickets or more information
NOTE: We have just been informed by the RR all rides will be southbound.
Call (570-225-1089 for tickets or more information. Tickets are now available

HAIR CARE DEALS-Hair & Beyond LCC 213 East Broad Street, Tamaqua offers Color Proof Premium Hair Care Products.

Only the best for our guests.

Deals-Purchase Color Proof Super Rich Hydrating Shampoo & Receive a complimentary full size Detangler! ALSO-Purchase Color Proof Super Rich Hydrating Conditioner & receive a complimentary Deep Quench Moisture Mask!!! Both deals just in time for the arid season.

<http://www.colorproof.com/meet-colorproof-hair-care>

More info., 570-668-4434 or <http://hairandbeyond.vpweb.com>

Looking for ways to free up some of your precious time? Contact H&R BLOCK TAX AND BUSINESS SERVICES, 395 East Broad Street, Tamaqua, (570)668-1757. They offer Business Services, including bookkeeping and payroll services, personal tax returns, small and large business tax returns and corporate tax returns. Call them today and let them help free up some of your time.

The new website for the **Tamaqua Community Arts Center** is now online and ready for visitors. Take a tour and see what's happening there. www.tamaquaarts.org

VONZ RESTAURANT 18 North Railroad Street, Tamaqua, PA 18252 (570) 668-6439 .

www.vonzrestaurant.com

Wednesday is **Senior Discount Day** at **Vonz Restaurant** in the historic Tamaqua train station. Join Host Matt Stine for dinner and a fun-filled evening of trivia. **Trivia Thursdays** from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Seniors enjoy 10% off any lunch or dinner meal (alcohol excluded)
Dine at **Vonz Restaurant** on your **birthday**, present ID, and receive 10% off your dinner entrée.

"Chef Von" of **Vonz Restaurant**, located in the Tamaqua Train Station
has become a regular guest on PALive in the Kitchen.

Watch for more information on her November appearance soon!

If you missed any of the broadcasts, visit -> <http://www.pahomepage.com> , go to PALive and search for Vonz Restaurant

She was also featured on WNEP's Home & Backyard program <http://wnep.com/2014/07/19/vonz-chicken-cordon-bleu/>

Tamaqua Area Chamber of Commerce – 114 West Broad Street - Tamaqua, PA 18252

tamaquachamber@verizon.net

570-668-1880 FAX 570-668-0826

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE TAMAQUA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE? DO YOU HAVE NEWS TO SHARE? A SALE OR EVENT TO ANNOUNCE? Contact us at tamaquachamber@verizon.net by Thursday at Noon, and we will be glad to include it in next week's email newsletter. It's just one of the many membership benefits.

Our mailing list includes over 400 subscribers and is a great marketing opportunity for our member's business or organization. **What can we share for you next week?**

Feel free to share your copy of Chamber Chatters with a friend!

Vonz

Restaurant

Lunch Menu

Appetizers

Hot Wings - One dozen of wings served with the flavor of your choice 6.95
Steam engine Hottttt! - A variety of peppers simmered to bring out the heat!!! (**Not for the Weak at Heart**), Mild, Sweet and Sassy - Mango glazed with a slight bite, Ranch, Peppercorn, Garlic, Barbeque, Honey Mustard, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Moroccan Bourbon

French Fries - golden fried potatoes 2.5

Sweet Potato Fries - golden fried sweet potatoes 3.5

Loaded Fries - Fries served with cheese sauce, bacon, and chives 4.

Beer Battered Onion Rings - Battered O-rings golden fried 3.5

Frog Legs - Golden fried frog legs seasoned to perfection. 8.5

Mozzarella Sticks - Golden fried cheese sticks served with marinara sauce. 5.

Charbroiled Burgers / Sandwiches / Wraps

Served with Chips and Pickles (substitute fries - \$2.50)

All burgers served on a roll with a slice of tomato, lettuce and onion

Hamburger - Nine ounces of charbroiled ground beef 6.95

Add: American, Cheddar or Swiss cheese, sautéed mushrooms, caramelized onions, bacon and peppers. .75 ea.

BLT - Bacon, lettuce, tomato served on your choice of white, wheat, or rye bread 6.95

Turkey Club - Smoked Turkey and applewood bacon served on your choice of white, wheat, or rye bread 8.50

Turkey BLT Avocado wrap - Smoked Turkey w/ bacon, lettuce, tomato and avocado 9.75

Charbroiled Filet Sandwich - Beef Filet with caramelized onions 9.95

Open-faced Beef Filet - Tender beef tips served with mashed potatoes and gravy 10.95

Grilled Chicken Sandwich - Chicken breast grilled served on a toasted bun. 8.

Chicken Fingers - Three Chicken Breast Tenderloins served with fries 9.95

Chicken Caesar Wrap - Chicken breast grilled, served with romaine, Parmesan, and Caesar 10.95

Cheesesteak - Chipped steak with grilled onions, American cheese and sauce. 8. **Wrap** 9.

Chicken Cheesesteak - Chipped chicken, grilled onions and sauce. 8. **Wrap** 9.

Vonz Steak Sandwich - Steak or Chicken, caramelized onions, bell pepper, mushrooms and banana peppers, lettuce and tomato 11.

Crab Cake Sandwich - A combination of crabmeat seasonings served on a toasted bun 11.

Fish and Chips - Fish Filet served with Fries 9.95

Please note that menu items and prices are subject to change.

Soups

Roasted Garlic Mushroom	Cup 3.95	Bowl 4.50
Firehouse Chili (Fiya or Mild)		Bowl 4.50
French Onion		Bowl 4.95

Salads

House Salad - Spring mix combined with fresh vegetables 6.95, w/ Chicken 8.95, Shrimp 11.95, Seasoned Strip Steak 12.95

Caesar Salad - Romaine Lettuce w/ Marinated Chicken 9.95, Shrimp 12.95, Seasoned Strip Steak, 13.95

The Little Engines That Could (12 years and Younger)

Hot dog - One grilled hot dog with fries 2.95

Add: chili, cheese .75 ea.

Hamburger and Fries - Five ounces of charbroiled ground beef. 4.50

Add Cheese .45

Golden Mac and Cheese - Elbow macaroni w/ cheddar cheese sauce. 4.

Add Stewed Tomatoes. 75

Buttered Noodles - Elbow macaroni w/ butter 3.

Choo-Choo Cheese Sandwich - Toasted Cheese sandwich 3.5

Desserts

Don't miss out! Ask your server about our dessert choices.

Beverages

Coke, Coke Zero, Sprite, Ginger-Ale, Sweet and Un-Sweet Tea, Lemonade, Fanta Orange, Cranberry Juice, Milk, Chocolate Milk, Coffee, Tea and Hot Chocolate

Consuming raw and undercooked meats, seafood, poultry, eggs and shellfish may increase your risk of food borne illnesses.

WON-TON



Formed in 1998 by a group of Schuylkill County guys, the WonTon Band has historically been a band that takes pride in the quality of modern hard rock that they play and that takes themselves a little less than seriously.

FEATURING:



November 26th
Doors open 5:30^{PM}

TICKETS

Pub Tables - \$15
Theatre seating - \$12
Standing - \$10

THE TAMAQUA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AND READING & NORTHERN RAILROAD PRESENT

Santa Claus Train Rides



Featuring Steam Locomotive #425

Saturday December 20, 2014

Departing from the Historic 1874 Tamaqua Railroad Station
Approximately One-Hour Train Rides

11:00 AM

1:00 PM

3:00 PM

All rides
Tamaqua to New Ringgold
And
Return

Ticket Prices

\$12 for Adults (age 13 and up)

\$9 for Children (age 3 thru 12)*

*One child rides FREE with each paying adult

Children under 3 receive a FREE ticket.

(All children, regardless of age, must have a ticket)

Advance ticket purchases recommended. Tickets sold on a first come, first served basis.
Seating not assigned. Remaining tickets will be sold the day of the trips at the railroad station.

Trains run rain, shine, or snow!

Purchase in Advance at:

Tamaqua Chamber of Commerce Office

114 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, PA 18252

OR by phone at 570-225-1089

Cash, check, or credit cards accepted

M & S Hardware PRICE BUSTERS

November 2014



16 oz. Drain Opener

Sku #462234

M&S VALUE PRICE \$4.59

Amazon.com \$6.53



Colour Changing Ceiling Paint

Sku #778318

M&S VALUE PRICE \$19.98

Lowe's \$23.98

Amazon.com \$23.91



1/4" Crown Stapler

Sku #394920

M&S VALUE PRICE \$69.98

Ace \$109.98

Lowe's \$99.98

Amazon.com \$92.33



25' FatMax Tape Measure

Sku #344348

M&S VALUE PRICE \$18.98

Amazon.com \$24.90

TrueValue \$21.99

Lowe's \$19.97



2-Gal. Poly Tank Sprayer

Sku #745886

M&S VALUE PRICE \$12.98

Amazon.com \$18.99

Ace \$16.99

Lowe's \$14.97



Large Jersey Lined Glove

Sku #708416

M&S VALUE PRICE \$1.00

Ace \$4.49

TrueValue \$4.29

The Home Depot \$3.19



T-2, 20' or 24' Aluminum Ext Ladder

Sku #782291/782273

M&S VALUE PRICE:

20 Foot \$139.00

24 Foot \$159.00



11-oz. Treat Suet (Nutty or Berry)

Sku #730679/730693

M&S VALUE PRICE \$0.99

Amazon.com \$1.97 - \$2.07

The Home Depot \$1.29



1" Blue EdgeLock Tape

Sku #786478

M&S VALUE PRICE \$4.00

Ace \$7.99

TrueValue \$5.99

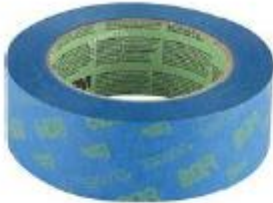
The Home Depot \$5.87

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Comparisons based on competitions MSRP. Individual stores prices may vary.

M & S Hardware PRICE BUSTERS

November 2014



1.5" Blue EdgeLock Tape

Sku #788485

M&S VALUE PRICE \$5.00

Ace	\$9.99
The Home Depot	\$7.67
Amazon.com	\$6.58



2" Blue EdgeLock Tape

Sku #788621

M&S VALUE PRICE \$6.00

Ace	\$9.99
TrueValue	\$9.99
Amazon.com	\$8.97



Krypton 4D Area Lantern

Sku #802974

M&S VALUE PRICE \$14.00

The Home Depot	\$23.49
Ace	\$21.99
Amazon.com	\$16.78



10-Gal. Wet/Dry Vac

Sku #379811

M&S VALUE PRICE \$69.00

Amazon.com	\$95.42
TrueValue	\$84.99
Lowe's	\$69.98



Sportsman Forecaster
Weather Station Sku #850189

M&S VALUE PRICE \$29.99

Amazon.com	\$39.41
The Home Depot	\$34.98



15A Outdoor Plug-In Timer

Sku #500805

M&S VALUE PRICE \$14.49

Amazon.com	\$22.01
The Home Depot	\$14.98
Lowe's	\$14.58



DX320 Double Lock Knife

sku# 819522

M&S VALUE PRICE \$16.99

The Home Depot	\$20.97
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12-Pk Large Yellow Chore

Glove Sku #705850

M&S VALUE PRICE \$24.99

Ace	\$53.88
TrueValue	\$36.99
Amazon.com	\$25.87



Mini Magnetic Sweeper

Sku #315257

M&S VALUE PRICE \$16.99

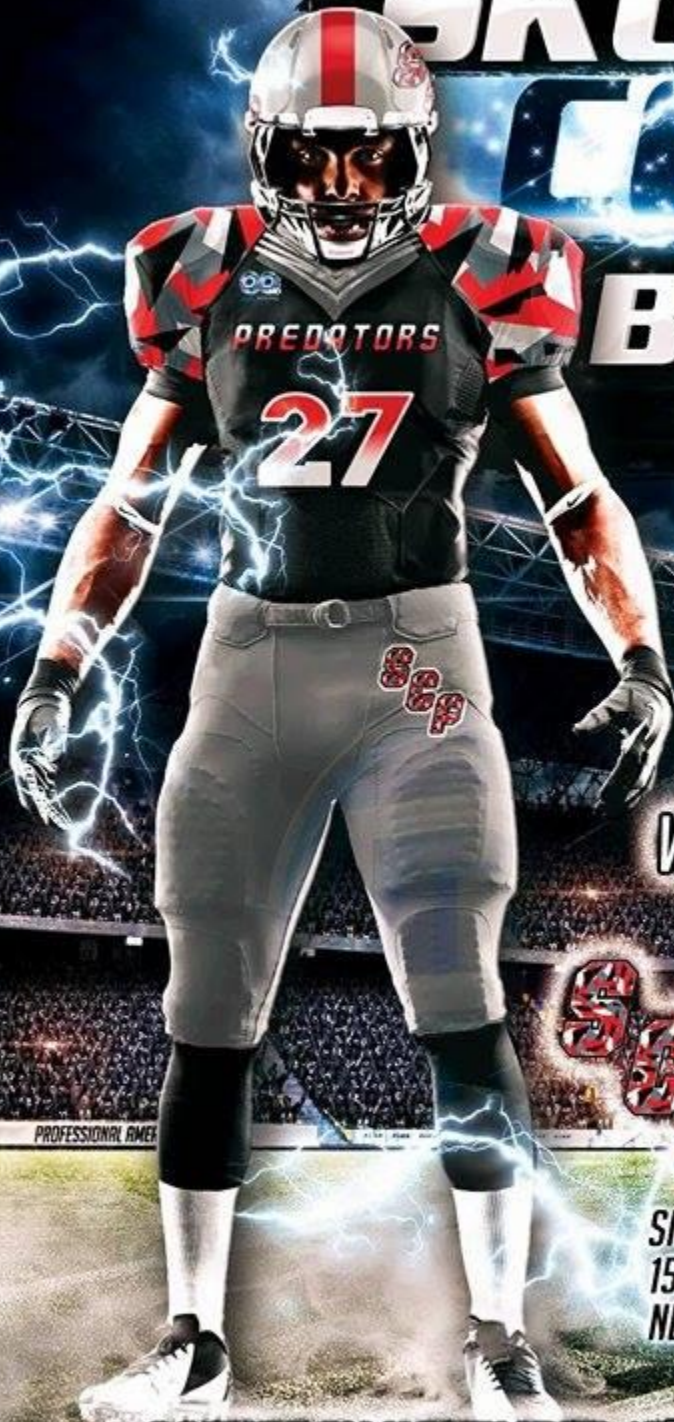
Ace	\$28.99
TrueValue	\$25.99
The Home Depot	\$24.97

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SCHUYLKILL COUNTY
PREDATORS



SIMON KRAMER INSTITUTE
15 ALLIANCE ST,
NEW PHILADELPHIA PA 17959

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15TH 2014 1^{PM} KICKOFF

FREE ADMISSIONFREE ADMISSION***FREE ADMISSION***

Vonz Restaurant

Located in the Tamaqua Train Station

2014 Thanksgiving Buffet Menu

Juicy Fried (Koch's) Turkey

Fresh Brined (Koch's) Turkey

Baked Flounder

Cornbread Dressing

Bread Stuffing

Mashed Potatoes

Fresh Green Beans

Sautee'd Collard Greens

Delicious Candied Yams

Vonz Cranberry Sauce

Dinner Rolls

An assortment of Cakes and Pies

Non-Alcoholic Beverage

Make Reservations Today (570) 668-6439



Spirit of Christmas
Craft and Vendor Show

Sunday, December 7, 2014

10:00—4:00 p.m.

Set-up after 8 a.m. (Please use Back door)

Salvation Army, 105 West Broad Street, Tamaqua

\$20 a table; 2 tables for \$30

Make check payable to: Spirit of Christmas

Mail payment and registration form to:

Spirit of Christmas

c/o Jean Ann Towle

248 West Rowe Street

Tamaqua PA 18252

Any questions contact:

Jean Ann Towle 570-668-3268 or 570-778-2072

Food will be available for sale

Deadline to register: Nov. 22nd

2014 Spirit of Christmas Craft and Vendor Show

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Cell phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Product/Craft being sold: _____

Will you be donating a door prize? _____ # tables _____ Electricity? _____