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The Pennsylvania Immigration Resource Center (PIRC) has named attorney John "J." Quain its "Light of Liberty Pro Bono Attorney" for 2022. The prestigious award is bestowed annually on the organization's top pro bono attorney, honoring his/her exceptional service and support. PIRC, based in York, Pa., provides free legal services and education to help immigrants obtain or protect their legal status. Quain routinely volunteers with PIRC helping immigrants and their families in Pennsylvania receive legal aid they would not have access to otherwise. In particular, Quain dedicated his time to a pro bono program which helps immigrants obtain their U visas. A Harrisburg native, Quain is an attorney in the Barley Snyder Litigation and Finance & Creditors' Rightspractice groups. In addition to his work with PIRC, Quain serves as the secretary of the board of directors for the Historic Harrisburg Association and the treasurer of the Dauphin County Bar Association Young Lawyers Section.

Belco Community Credit Union announces the promotion of Craig Connelly, former Branch Manager for Belco's Lebanon location, to Business Development Manager for the \$891m asset-sized financial institution. In his new role, Craig will lead Belco's efforts to be recognized as the partner of choice for businesses and members in the communities Belco serves...Belco Community Credit Union's newest, fullservice branch will open for business in Enola on Thursday, September 22, 2022. The brand-new facility is located at 4600 Mt. Zion Drive, at the intersection of Wertzville Road and Technology Drive, near UPMC's new West Shore Hospital. It is Belco's 15th branch in south central Pennsylvania, and its 5th in Cumberland County. "We are looking forward to serving members at this location, particularly because of the feedback we've already received on the convenience of this new branch," says Paul Perini III, Senior Vice President of Retail Sales & Service. The branch will feature a mix of traditional teller pods and Belco's new Interactive Teller Machine (ITM) technology. "ITM's allow members to do most of the transactions they would typically go to a teller window for," says Perini. "So for those who prefer this technology, they can do their transactions from the drivethru without assistance." For more information about Belco, please visit www.belco.org

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region (BBBSCR) is holding its fifth Over the Edge fundraiser on Friday, October 14th from 10am-5pm. Over the Edge participants will rappel a 21-story descent from the rooftop of the Fulton Bank building to the sidewalk of Locust Street. Event participants raise funds to provide ongoing support for BBBSCR's one-to-one youth mentoring programs. Local companies and organizations are participating through the "Toss Your Boss" sponsorship and other engagement levels. Several police officers volunteering in BBBSCR's "Bigs in BlueSM" program will be participating in the rappel. Register to rappel or

sponsor the event at **CAPBIGS.ORG**.

Boyer & Ritter's commitment to providing quality client service has earned the Camp Hill-based firm a spot among the nation's top 300 largest firms ranked by annual revenue according to Inside Public Accounting (IPA). Based on annual revenue, Boyer & Ritter ranked 255 nationally and fourth among the eight Pennsylvania firms making the list. For the complete list, go to https://insidepublicaccounting.com/top-firms/ipa-500/

Kenneth B. Wolfe, CPA, President and Managing Principal at Brown Schultz Sheridan & Fritz (BSSF), was recently inducted into Accounting Today's 2022 Managing Partner (MP) Elite. MP Elite identifies and profiles approximately a dozen of the public accounting profession's most successful managing partners each year. Candidates for the MP Elite must have served in the role of firm leader for at least four years and are judged based on Firm revenue; leadership in building a talented, dedicated team; growth and expansion strategies; innovation in service lines, practice management and client service; and adoption of cutting-edge technology. Ken received Central Penn Business Journal's (CPBJ) Game Changers: MostAdmired CEO award in 2020, which recognized him as one of Central Pennsylvania's most dynamic and impactful business leaders who is dedicated to professional excellence, business growth and the community. For more information about Ken Wolfe, please visit www.bssf.com/ our-team/kenneth-b-wolfe/. For more information about the MP Elite, please visit www.accountingtoday.com/list/ the-2022-mp-elite.

For 60 years, BRP Entertainment has provided entertainers and professional speakers for business, educational, social, and community events throughout Pennsylvania and around the country. Owner and President, Lisa Stokes, is focusing BRP's anniversary celebration on what makes BRP unique. "Our ability to become an integral part of the client's team during the event planning process all the way through to post event evaluation is what makes us special," said Lisa. Lisa added that it is also what makes the company successful "Our ability to work closely with great clients and foster strong relationships over a long period of time is something to celebrate," said Lisa. "BRP has thrived and matured in many ways since its origination," says Lisa Stokes. "Navigating change, being innovative, focusing on customer service, and supporting the community have been integral to our success," she adds. BRP's current clientele encompasses a variety of industries including casinos, festivals, wineries, breweries, corporations, chambers, associations, retail, educational entities, arenas, and private events.

Central Penn College is celebrating International Literacy...

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Day by asking the community to bring their "A" game, as they accelerate their fundraising efforts to raise \$10 million for the Central Penn College Education Foundation by 2025 for the 3 A's: Academics, Atmosphere, and Athletics. The Central Penn College Education Foundation, Central Penn College, and CPC Alumni Association have raised \$4.03 million in total since January 1, 2020. Now begins the public phase of the campaign. To see the list of needs in the Opportunities campaign prospectus and how you can help, please visit www.centralpenn.edu/giving. The popular Martini Brothers have been added to the musical line-up for Central Penn College's inaugural "Burgers and Brews" Music Festival, to celebrate all things fall on Sat., October 15 at the Summerdale campus. The community is invited to usher in autumn at this debut event, the highlight of Central Penn's Homecoming weekend. Tickets: CentralPenn. edu/BBmusic

Join the Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation Cumberland County Workforce Collaborative to discuss the labor shortage we're experiencing here and nationwide. Employers and higher education are already feeling the pain but the people shortage is only projected to get worse. So how did we get here? What are the economic ramifications? And is there anything we can do about it? Lightcast presents "The Demographic Drought" which answers these questions by analyzing past, present, and future workforces. Lightcast is the world's leading authority on job skills, workforce talent, and labor market data helping to fuel community success. They have a team of economists and labor market analysts that utilize four data sources to provide the most complete, nuanced, up-to-date view of the labor market. The event will take place on November 2nd and run from 8-9 AM: Networking & Breakfast and 9-11 AM: Presentations. Click here to register.

F&M Trust has a new place to call home. The Franklin County-based community bank held a ribbon-cutting ceremony Wednesday to celebrate the opening of its new corporate headquarters in the Chambers-5 Business Park. The renovated 67,000-square-foot building at 1500 Nitterhouse Drive sits on 11 acres and is home to 150 employees with the capacity to accommodate future growth. F&M Trust is maintaining its Memorial Square community office and continues to serve customers in downtown Chambersburg as it has since its founding in 1906.

Kevin Kulp of the Harrisburg Senators accepted the "Business Partner of the Year Award" from Steve Hassinger of Central Penn College at an awards breakfast that attracted close to 150 students, professors, staff, and business partners. The Senators partnered with the college to allow the CPC baseball team to use FNB field as their home field, a ballfield where many Major League players got their start.

Herbert, Rowland & Grubic, Inc. (HRG) announced a new Strategic Management & Capital Solutions division today. The group will offer a broad range of financial, management, and strategic planning services to municipalities and municipal authorities. HRG has been helping clients fund their projects and develop long-range capital plans for many years. They are a recognized expert in structuring municipal authorities, calculating the cost of service, and determining their value. Now the firm will expand its service offerings related to revenue generation, operational streamlining,

technology solutions, and organization management planning. Adrienne Vicari, the Strategic Management & Capital Solutions practice area leader, says, "The role of municipal and authority managers is becoming more complex every day, and they need a broad range of expertise to help them make decisions. As a trusted partner to more than 100 municipalities, we have been assisting with many of these decisions already, but now we're formalizing our commitment and bringing on the brightest minds to guide them."

Annette Cassel Means of **High Associates Ltd**. and Bill Weisser of North Forest Realty represented the Seller, EM & M Family Limited Partnership, in a recently sold 2,666 SF convenience store located at 1660 New Holland Road, in the Borough of Kenhorst, Reading, PA, Berks County. The Buyer was represented by Deb Bensinger of RE/MAX of Reading, Wyomissing, PA.

Junior Achievement has Volunteer Opportunities in Local Schools. Please see the following school districts for the opportunities: Central Dauphin East High School: STEM Summit 10/18 &19, Lower Dauphin Middle School: YES! (Your Economic Success) 10/19, Cedar Cliff High School: STEM Summit 10/21, Central Dauphin High School: REAL Life 11/1 & 2, New Cumberland Middle School: YES! (Your Economic Success) 11/4, Lower Dauphin High School: REAL Life 11/10, and Middletown High School: STEM Summit 11/17. For Specific Program Information, please open link HERE and To Sign Up, please open link HERE. Questions? Contact Lisa Vaughn lvaughn@jascpa.org. Thanks for your support!

Keystone Human Services (KHS) announced a new Commitment to Action at this year's Clinton Global Initiative in New York. Through this Commitment, entitled "Inclusive Crisis Response and Recovery – Rebuilding Forward – Moldova/Ukraine," KHS will coordinate a national-level disability-inclusive relief and response effort within Moldova to support refugees from Ukraine, as well as Moldovan communities providing support, addressing both immediate basic and longer-term targeted needs. More information about Keystone Human Services and its work in support of Ukraine is available here: https://www.khs.org/our-support-for-ukraine/.

Landmark's Chief Operating Officer, Barb Murdocca, has been elected by the members of the Greater Harrisburg Association of Realtors the to serve a two-year term on the Greater Harrisburg Association of REALTORS® (GHAR) Board of Directors. The term begins January 2023. The mission of the Greater Harrisburg Association of REALTORS® is to serve real estate professionals through a commitment to promote ethical and competent real estate practices, to support the preservation of real property rights, to provide leadership in adapting to advances in the industry, and to enhance each member's opportunity for success. Murdocca's commercial real estate career began in a property management role over two decades ago in Washington, DC. She has been with Landmark Commercial Realty since 2013 and is a licensed Realtor®.

McKonly & Asbury – a regional accounting and business advisory services firm – announced Brett Bauer,

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Principal being named one of Central Penn Business Journal's Forty Under 40 award winners.

Mid Penn Bank is thrilled to announce its partnership with WITF to inform and educate its employees and communities on DEI initiatives within the Mid Penn Community. Today Bank President and CEO, Rory Ritrievi, was joined by Blake Lynch, chief impact officer of WITF to host a kickoff event at Mid Penn University in Harrisburg to discuss the value of the partnership and explain the educational opportunities it will offer. Mid Penn employees will receive DEI training from industry leaders through quarterly lunch and learn discussions and participate in community outreach events throughout its footprint.

Pennian Bank and Dangerous Damsel's are kicking off National Week without Violence, with an Introduction to Self Defense workshop on October 16th from 12:30-2:30pm at 322 Market St, Lemoyne. 100% of tickets sales will go to the YWCA of Greater Harrisburg's Violence Intervention and Prevention Services. Stacy Durbin will be the instructor of this informative self defense workshop. She has been involved with Dangerous Damsels since 2017 and is a purple belt in Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu. Stacy's passion for BJJ and her love of community has created a way for Stacy to partner with and empower local nonprofits such as Beauty after Bruises and Medard's House. This event will include self defense techniques, question and answer period with Stacy, networking and fun! Limited tickets are available. Click here for tickets.

PRworks, a full-service public relations and marketing firm in Harrisburg, today announced the addition of Lauren Gorbey to its team of branding, communications and marketing professionals. Gorbey joins PRworks as a coordinator and designer. She graduated magna cum laude from York College of Pennsylvania in 2019, earning a double-major bachelor's degree in public relations and graphic design with a double-minor in visual communications and advertising. Her expertise includes research, brand development, social media, email marketing, advertising, community outreach, events, web design and graphic design.

Financial Advisor magazine has included **RKL Wealth Management LLC** in its list of top registered investment advisors (RIA). RKL Wealth Management was ranked 276 out of 419 firms, based on their year-end assets for 2021. The investment advisory firm, a subsidiary of CPA and advisory leader RKL LLP, reported assets of more than \$1.43 billion for the previous year. "We commend the RKL Wealth Management team for earning this recognition, which is proof of the trust our clients place in us to help them achieve their most fulfilling lives," said RKL CEO Ed Monborne. RKL Wealth Management provides a full spectrum of financial planning, tax, investment and advisory services. The firm first crossed the \$1 billion AUM threshold in March 2018, and continues to grow through the team's personalized service and specialized knowledge. View the full Financial Advisor list here.

Join **The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC)** on Friday, October 21, 2022, from 11:30 am to 2:00 pm as we celebrate our Women in Philanthropy Awards, welcome our new Dream Team members, and spread the mission of the Fund for Women & Girls! For more information and to register, please go to: https://www.tfec.org/wfpop/tickets/

Join **United Way of the Capital Region** for one of their Road to Success Job Fairs! Taking place at The Salvation Army at 506 S 29th Street, Harrisburg on Thursday, October 27th from 10:00am-1:00pm or Central Penn College at 600 Valley Rd, Summerdale on Tuesday, November 1st from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm.

UPMC announced today the hiring of Michelle Del Pizzo, MBA, FACHE, as the new president of UPMC Memorial in York, Pa., effective Sept. 26. With more than 25 years of progressive health care experience, Michelle comes to UPMC from Penn State Health in Hershey, where she served as vice president of Operations since 2011. "In just five years, UPMC has grown to be the leading health care employer in this region, and I look forward to being part of this system's extraordinary growth," said Del Pizzo. "I am excited by the continued expansion of UPMC's signature services, such as UPMC Hillman Cancer Center and UPMC Magee Women's at UPMC Memorial and in York County." For more information about UPMC Memorial, visit UPMC.com/CentralPa.

The **U.S.** Army Heritage and Education Center (USAHEC) now connects people, data, history, and heritage through newly digitized archival and artifact collections. Like never before, U.S. Army history and heritage is at your fingertips anywhere there is an internet connection by visiting https://usahec.usa.yourcultureconnect.com. USAHEC offers functional, usable, and accessible information to engage, inspire, and inform the Army, the American people, and global partners with a unique and enduring source of knowledge and thought. For more information and additional resources, visit us at https://ahec.armywarcollege.edu/, and follow USAHEC on Facebook and Twitter. Please contact John Kurash at john.j.kurash2.civ@army.mil or 717-440-4483 for additional information or to set up an interview with our experts in U.S. Army history and heritage.

West Shore Young Professionals is hosting our second leadership conference, Elevate - Young Leaders Summit. Come hear from impactful speakers, enjoy an excellent (and informative) lunch, and network with other young professionals in Central Pennsylvania! Taking place on Thursday, October 20 from 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM at Central Penn College. Click here to purchase your tickets.

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