

# DSI Herald

FALL 2015

Downtown Shenandoah Inc.

## Special points of interest:

- \* DSI Manager Mary Luscavage  
Phone 570.462.2060
- \* DSI Office—located at 116  
North Main Street Shenandoah, PA 17976
- \* Meetings: 3rd Tuesday at  
5:30 p.m. DSI Office
- \* DSI Website:  
[www.downtownshenandoah.com](http://www.downtownshenandoah.com)

## SHENANDOAH RECEIVES 2ND MAIN STREET DESIGNATION

The letter announcing the Department of Community and Economic Development's acceptance of our application was received with great expectations about our future. Businesses located within the boundaries of the program are eligible to apply for Neighborhood Assistance Program Enterprise Zone tax credit

and will receive funding priority when applying for Keystone Communities funding.

We are only one of two organizations approved was noted by DSI President Kenderdine. Manager Mary Luscavage said that a tremendous amount of work was required in order to meet the grant requirements.

Main Street program helps in achieving revitalization, by supporting physical improvements to both designated and other communities that are undertaking revitalization to restore downtowns and other areas as so designated.

Downtown Shenandoah Inc. will be the administering agency responsible for implementing the revitalization effort in Shenandoah.

## Officers and Officials

Executive Director	Mary Luscavage
President	Karen Kenderdine
Treasurer	Karen Kenderdine

## FAÇADE MONEY AVAILABLE

Façade money is currently available for those projects that meet the requirements of the DSI funding program. Contact DSI Manager Mary Luscavage for further information at 570-462-2060.

## HEALTHY SHENANDOAH

Healthy Shenandoah, a Healthy Schuylkill County Community, is one of 20 communities nationwide that received a Roadmaps to Health Action Award according to Kay Jones of Schuylkill County VISION. Healthy Shenandoah will be able to plan and execute some improvement to the town walking routes as well as other programs in healthy cooking and exercise. This is a new program engaging Schuylkill communities to make the healthy choice the easy choice. Healthy Shenandoah has been working since 2014 to engage the community by providing or participating in various even

## ROTARY WAY DEDICATION

On May 30, 2015, a walking path on the grounds of Shenandoah Valley School District was dedicated. The path is a project sponsored by the Shenandoah Rotary Club in cooperation with the school district and is open to the public.

The dedication ceremony was followed by walks honoring Rotarian and former SV Superintendent Henry J. Zale and Shenandoah attorney and civic

## Upcoming Events

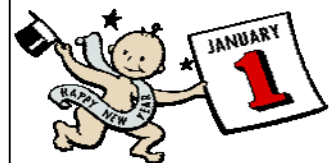
Thursday, December 10, 2015

**DSI Soup Sale**—held at the DSI headquarters—soup sales usually held on the second Thursday of every month. Call 570.462.2060 to order.



November 27, 2015

**Christmas in Whooville**  
Music and Refreshments  
Trolley Rides



January 2016

**\$5 Lottery Calendars**

Available in November from any DSI member or at the DSI office

## SHENANDOAH SESQUICENTENNIAL—AUGUST 2016

The borough's celebration will be held embracing the slogan "Shenandoah Strong—150 Years Long" submitted by William "Bill" Savitsky out of 17 entries.

The 8 day celebration —August 20 to August 27, 2016 may include theme days : Church Day, Savor the Flavors, Health Day, Art/Music/ Drama Day, Ice Cream Social and a Dinner Dance.



Button shown is the initial promotional item. Buttons are being sold for \$2 with 500 buttons available. Also planned are a logo contest, an essay contest and a multi-media contest.

In addition, several other fund-raising events have been held or ongoing as the planning committee continues its work.



### HERITAGE DAY 2015

The festivities began with the Parade of Nations in which 21 nations were represented. Knights of Columbus Francis Cardinal Brennan Council 618, Shenandoah, served as grand marshal for this year's parade and were honored with a proclamation presented by Mayor Andrew Szczyglak.

Festivities continued in Girard Park with live entertainment and vendors selling ethnic food and crafts.

Winner of the DSI lottery basket was Bill Weist.

### DSI GOLF TOURNAMENT

June 21 was the date for our third golf event. Approximately 160 golfers registered for the event which was held at Mountain Valley Golf course.

Golfers enjoyed an ethnic lunch of kielbasa, rye rolls, meatballs and pierogies. After the tournament dinner was served to all participants.

Golfers enjoying the DSI Golf Tournament!

### June 2015 Lottery Calendar Winners

- Madeline Buchinsky
- Marie Poppoff
- Cathy Scheipe
- Joe Rejent
- Sue Supreme
- Tina Pytak
- Connie Anczarski
- Susan Bobbin
- Susan Bobbin

