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LANCASTER COUNTY CHAPTER

# NITTANY LINES

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Next Monthly Meeting:  
Wednesday—January 27, 2010

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**Leola, PA**

**6:30 dinner 7:30 meeting**

**All Chapter members are  
invited to attend!**

Contact **Jenn Spade**  
to RSVP or for more details:  
**(610) 273-7950**  
**spade\_family@verizon.net**

## Lancaster Chapter - Grey Lions TV Tailgate Party a Huge Success

The Grey Lions of Elizabethtown and the Lancaster County Penn State Club teamed up on Saturday, November 21, at a tailgate TV party for the Michigan State football game. Nearly 70 Penn State alumni, fans and friends, aged 4 to 84, gathered in the Brossman Ballroom at Masonic Village to watch the Nittany Lions hand the Spartans a 42-14 defeat on the big screen in their last regular season game.

Balloons, thunder sticks, clackers, candy, snacks, pompoms and door prize tickets were provided. At halftime, fans enjoyed a delicious all-you-can-eat tailgate buffet, featuring hamburgers, hot dogs, Italian sausages, chili, baked macaroni and cheese, potato salad, cole slaw, cheese, crackers, brownies, cookies, and blue Nittany Lion Punch. Huge thanks to Commonwealth Caterers for the awesome spread and to the volunteers from Grey Lions for their help blowing up balloons and thunder sticks, and getting the tables ready for guests.

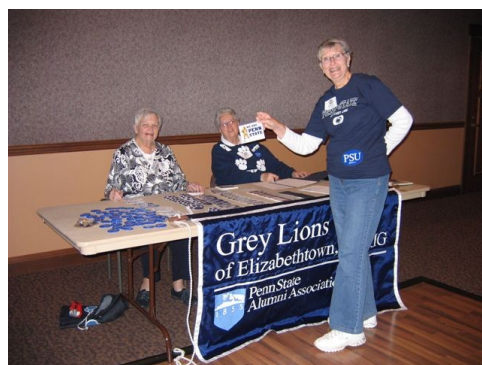
Attendees took part in a 50/50 drawing, and a bunch of door prizes were handed out to lucky ticket holders in between the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarters. Grey Lion Russ Baker kept the crowd pumped up with his PSU flag waving tours around the ballroom after every Nittany Lion touchdown. A great time was had by all, and there is already talk of holding a similar joint activity for the 2010 football season.

Event Chair Jennie Rothweiler would like to thank her band of hardy volunteers who helped in various ways throughout the afternoon from set-up to clean-up: Jenn Spade, Dick Booth, Buzz Anspach, Glenn Bissinger, Dave Dell, Harry McKillips and Gary Rothweiler, as well as Grey Lions Earl Herting and Nancy Halliwell for their efforts in planning and organizing this wonderful event.

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## Penn State Pioneers

Everyone that graduated from Penn State 50 or more years ago is automatically considered a "Pioneer" by the Alumni Association. The highlight of becoming a Pioneer is receiving the Pioneer Medallion and certificate at the 50th class reunion. The Alumni Association holds a dinner each reunion specifically to recognize new Pioneers.

If you or someone you know graduated from PSU 50 or more years ago but never attended a reunion to receive a

medallion, kindly contact Jennie Rothweiler, our Membership VP, at [jennie.rothweiler@gmail.com](mailto:jennie.rothweiler@gmail.com) or 717-575-4175. We will make arrangements with the University Park Alumni Relations group to ensure that those deserving receive this important recognition. When responding, include your contact phone number and/or email address, and provide the graduate's first, middle and last names, maiden name (if applicable), graduation year, campus, college and major.



## PENN STATE NIGHT with the Philadelphia 76ers

### Friday, January 8th vs. Toronto Raptors

Penn State University is teaming up with the Sixers as they take on the Raptors. **Discounted tickets are available for all Penn State alumni!**



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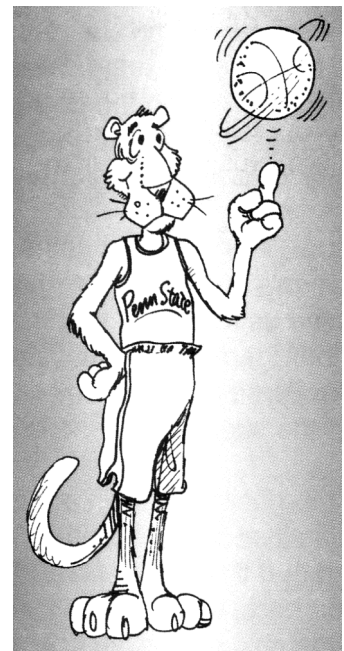
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## **Project for the Needy**

In a Chapter annual event, Rick Miller is again coordinating Club members to assist in the delivery of food items for underprivileged families on Christmas Eve morning.

Volunteers deliver boxes loaded with turkey, bread, milk, dessert and all kind of goodies to shut in families all across Lancaster County. These boxes are distributed at the back parking lot of Clipper Magazine Stadium.

Doug Hopwood, a Project for the Needy Coordinator, will provide directions and addresses for the families. To participate in this event or get more information email Rick Miller at [rfmbpnot@comcast.net](mailto:rfmbpnot@comcast.net).

Thank you in advance to all who will participate!

# Join Us for a Game!



**Penn State Basketball vs. Minn. Golden Gophers  
Saturday, February 6, 2010 @ Bryce Jordan Center**

Estimated departure 10:45am with Tip-Off at 2:00pm  
Cost - Adults \$50 / Youth (17 & under) \$40  
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**HERSHEY BEARS  
HOCKEY !  
Sunday March 7, 2010  
5:00pm Face-off**



Join the Chapter for this great group event on **Sunday, March 7th** at the Giant Center in Hershey. The Bears take on the Adirondack Phantoms at 5:00pm. We have 25 tickets reserved for this game, so it's first come, first served - don't delay! Tickets in our 100-level seats will cost \$18 per person, \$1 of which will go to our Chapter Scholarship fund. Registration forms and checks payable to the "Penn State Club of Lancaster" should be sent to Pat Wolf at the address below.

Deadline for sign-up is February 15, 2010. Contact **Pat Wolf** at (717) 336-2272 or **Jennie Rothweiler** at [jennie.rothweiler@gmail.com](mailto:jennie.rothweiler@gmail.com) to RSVP or if you have questions about this event. Please make checks payable to **Penn State Club of Lancaster County**, and mail to:

**Pat Wolf  
175 N. Reamstown Road  
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Penn State Club of Lancaster County  
Hershey Bears Trip  
Sunday, March 7, 2010, 5:00pm

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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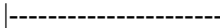


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## Upcoming Chapter Events and Deadlines

**Feb 6, 2010**  
Bus Trip  
PSU/Minn. Basketball

**March 7, 2010**  
Hershey Bears Hockey Game  
Vs. Adirondack Phantoms

**May 7, 2010**  
Golf Outing @  
Groff Farm  
Golf Club

**May 22, 2010**  
New York City  
Broadway Show  
Spiderman



**Oct 22 - 24, 2010**  
Away Trip  
Minnesota Game

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NOVEMBER 20, 2010  
PSU vs. Indiana  
FedEx Field in Washington, DC  
The Chapter has already reserved two buses to go to the game! Contact Gene Risser for information.

We are also hopeful that we can secure tickets for the Chapter to purchase to the game with the bus trip. Keep posted for more details!



**CANCELLED STAMPS WANTED**  
**Jennifer Spade**, President of our Chapter, is also a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). She is collecting cancelled postage stamps to donate to Veteran's homes across the United States. Veterans prepare the cancelled stamps for potential stamp collectors all over the world. Jenn would appreciate any stamps that you can save and forward to her. Please contact her at [spade\\_family@verizon.net](mailto:spade_family@verizon.net). Thanks in advance as she continues to collect used stamps for the Daughter's of the American Revolution