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Nazareth Days

July 16 2022

Nazareth Borough Park

Nazareth Days Planning Picnic

July 9 2022

12 :00 noon

Nazareth Borough Park

For the latest Club Event Information , Call our Message Center

610-218-1500

Or visit our Website:

http://lehighvalleythunderbirdclub.com

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Happy July Everyone!

The summer is in full swing, and I hope everyone has a Happy July 4th weekend! The weather is looking nice, so hopefully the evening will be clear and comfortable to watch fireworks.

Our Annual Nazareth Day Car Show is quickly approaching. The Planning picnic is Saturday, July 9th at noon. The show will be the following Saturday, July 16th. We need everyone's help to pull this off! We are expecting about 200 vehicles, so we need help getting the vehicles registered, photographed and parked. After that, help is needed to set up the baskets for raffle, help with the children activities and the photo plaque assembly and distribution. It is very busy, but it is all for a good cause, helping Our Lehigh Valley Community!

So, I'll keep this message short and sum it up in a few words: COME OUT AND HELP WITH THE CAR-SHOW. COME TO THE PLANNING PICNIC!

Thanks,

Vince

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As a member of our club, your privacy is important to us. We would like to offer all our members a club membership list that would list each member's name, address, phone number and email address along with year and model of Thunderbird.

If you are ok with having your information on the list, sign on line "A":

A: I am ok with having my name on LVTC Membership List :

_____

IF you do not want your information on the club membership list, sign on line "B":

B: I do not want my information on the LVTC Membership List:

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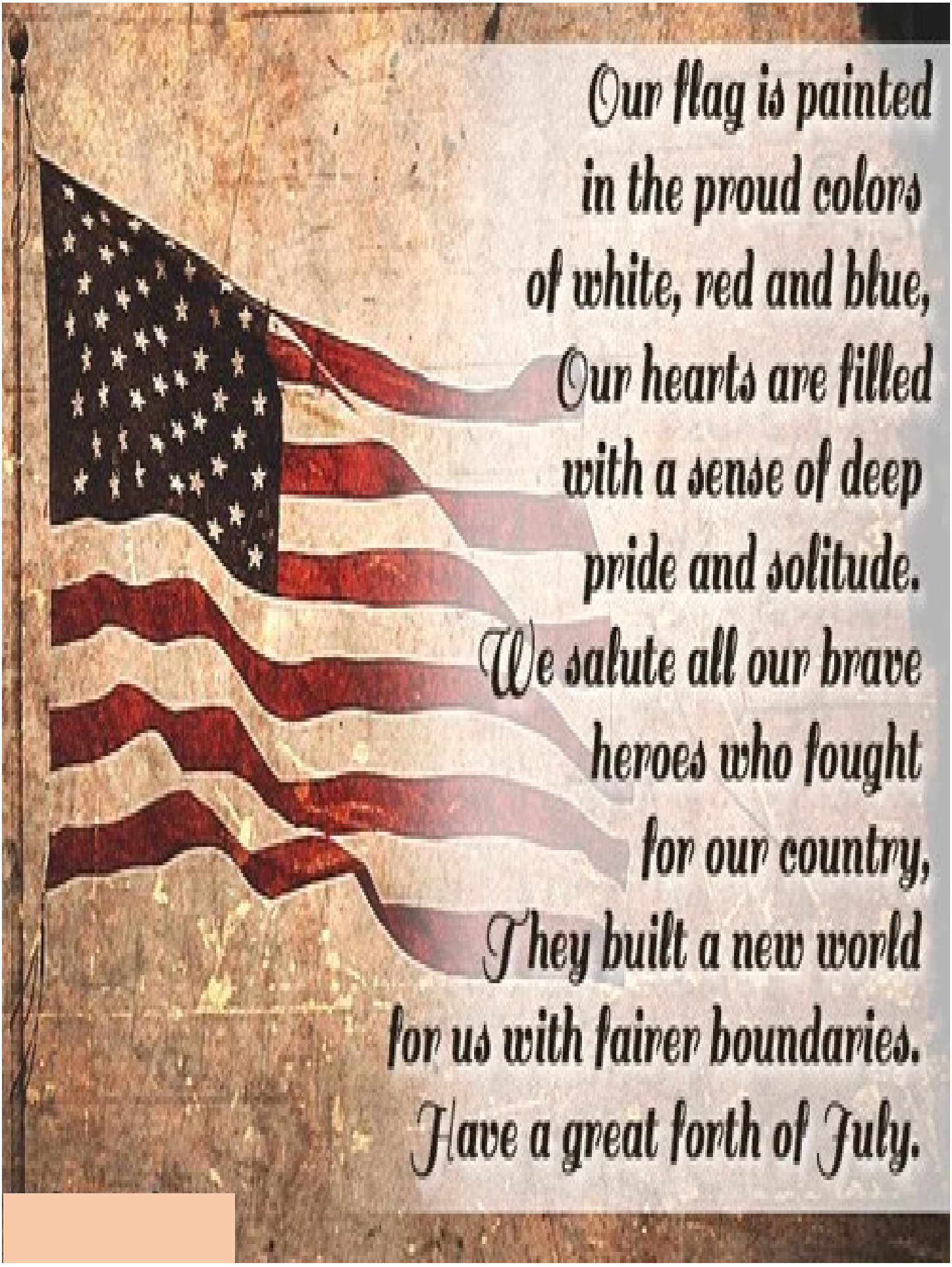
2022


Our flag is painted
in the proud colors
of white, red and blue,
Our hearts are filled
with a sense of deep
pride and solitude.
We salute all our brave
heroes who fought
for our country,
They built a new world
for us with fairer boundaries.
Have a great forth of July.

Das Awkscht Fescht

AUGUST 5, 6 & 7, 2022
MACUNGIE MEMORIAL PARK
MACUNGIE, PA

This is from August 2010 when the Lehigh Valley Thunderbird Club was under the tent and T-Bird the feature car. We had about 90 thunderbirds on display

LEHIGH VALLEY Thunderbird CLUB

2022 Schedule of Planned Activities

Date	Activity/Event	Time	Point Person
Saturday, January 15, 2022	Auto Mania	8:00 am	Vince
Saturday, February 12, 2022	Greater Lehigh Valley High School Auto Competition @ Northampton Community College	7:30 am	Vince
Saturday, March 5, 2022	Pizza Party	12:00 pm	Walt & Sandi
Saturday, March 19, 2022	GLVADA Auto Show Stabler Arena 124 Goodman Drive Bethlehem, PA 18015	8:30 am	Vince
Saturday, April 23, 2022	Classic Auto Mall 6180 Morgantown Road Morgantown, Pa 19543 610-901-3804	9:00 am	Vince
Saturday, May 14, 2022	Fore Scoops 4315 w. Mountain View Drive Walnutport, Pa 18088 610-760-3234	12:00 pm	Stephen
May TBD	The NB Center for American Automotive Heritage 540 Union Blvd Allentown, Pa 18109	TBD	Sandi and Walt
Sunday, May 29, 2022	Iron Pigs Car Show Coca-Cola Park 1050 Ironpigs Way Allentown, Pa 18109 610-841-7447	9:00 am	Tom
June 3 - 5, 2022	Carlisle Events - FORD Nationals Carlisle Fairgrounds 1000 Bryn Mawr Road Carlisle, Pa 17013	7:00 am	Vince
Saturday, June 25, 2022	Becky's Drive-In 4548 Lehigh Drive Walnutport, Pa 18088 610-767-2249	7;00 pm	Dan
Saturday, July 9, 2022	**Nazareth Day Car Show Planning Picnic @ Nazareth Borough Park 475 N Broad Street Nazareth, Pa 18064**	**12:00 pm**	**LVTC Board**
Saturday, July 16, 2022	**Nazareth Day Car Show @ Nazareth Borough Park 475 N Broad Street Nazareth, Pa 18064**	**7:30 am**	**LVTC Board**
August 5 - 7, 2022	**Das Awkscht Fescht @ Macungie Memorial Park 50 Poplar Street Macungie, Pa**	**7:00 am**	**Tom and Walt**
Sunday August 7, 2022	**CLUB DAY @ Das Awkscht Fescht**	**8:00**	**LVTC Board**

EMMAUS COMMUNITY PARK

1375 SHIMERVILLE ROAD

Dedicated Sponsor of Dream Come True of the Lehigh Valley.
Donation Total to Date: over $100,000

APR 9 (4-7 pm)
APR 30 (4-7 pm)
MAY 14 (5-8 pm)
MAY 28 (5-8 pm)
JUN 11 (5-8 pm)
Cancelled (5-8 pm)
JUL 9 (5-8 pm)
JUL 30 (5-8 pm)
AUG 13 (5-8 pm)
AUG 27 (5-8 pm)
SEP Cancelled (5-8 pm)
SEP 24 (4-7 pm)
OCT 8 (3-6 pm)
OCT 29 (3-6 pm)

All makes of cars & trucks are welcome
Cash donations for chronically and terminally ill children are appreciated!!

Music by Mopar Madness

Cruisers and spectators are welcome! ALL cash donations received are presented to *Dream Come True*, a local Charity for chronically and terminally ill children.
All cruise nights are weather permitting. Check our Facebook Page for cancellations.
NO HOTRODDING, NO ALCOHOL PERMITTED AT ANY CRUISE EVENT!
https://www.facebook.com/Mopar-Madness-of-the-Lehigh-Valley-261564923900904/

2022 WOT Cruise Nights

April 16, 2022 – 4 pm

May 21, 2022 – 5 pm

June 25, 2022 – 5 pm

July 16, 2022 – 5 pm – **Teeter Totter!**

August 20, 2022 – 5 pm

September 10, 2022 – 5 pm

October 15, 2022 – 4 pm – **Trunk or Treat! Costume Contest**

Macungie Memorial Park 50 N Poplar St Macungie, PA 18062

HODGE-PODGE VARIETY MUSIC

610-395-1558

Cruisin' with the Classics

Public Invited

JULY

MONDAY 7/04/2022 - North Catasaqua Park, 710 Grove Street, North Catasaqua, Pa., 18032, located between Grove & Arch streets. **5:30 PM - 8:30 PM**. All classic, custom, collectable car, truck or motorcycle is welcome. Donation accepted at the gate. ***Rain date is the following Monday, 7/11.***

Contact Info: Marc @ 610-264-9966

SUNDAY 7/10/2022 - Dairy Queen, Rte. 309, Quakertown, Pa.. **4:00 PM - 8:00 PM.** All classic, custom, collectable car, truck or motorcycle is welcome. $1.00 donation per car to be donated to the "Children's Hospital of Phila. (CHOP)". Trophies and 50/50 drawing. Host: Goodtime Motorvators.

Contact Info: George @ 610-395-1558

SUNDAY 07/10/2022 - The Ritz Barbecue, 203 N. 17th St., Allentown, Pa. **5:00 PM – 8:00 PM.** All classic, custom, collectable car, truck or motorcycle is welcome. $1.00 donation per car to be donated to Canine Partners for Life and other charities. Full food menu available inside, 50/50 drawing and ***RITZ PRIZES***. Host: Found in the 60's

Guest DJ is: "T" Bucket Tom

Contact Info: Phil @ 610 504-1472

SUNDAY 07/24/2022 - The Ritz Barbecue, 203 N. 17th St., Allentown, Pa. **5:00 PM – 8:00 PM.** All classic, custom, collectable car, truck or motorcycle is welcome. $1.00 donation per car to be donated to Canine Partners for Life and other charities. Full food menu available inside, 50/50 drawing and ***RITZ PRIZES***. Host: Found in the 60's

Contact Info: Phil @ 610 504-1472

SATURDAY 07/30/2022 - By The Moonlight, Pennridge High School, 1228 N. 5th St., Perkasie, Pa. **Show 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM.** Registration 10 AM. Food, music, trophies and Dash plaques. $15.00 pre-registered, $20.00 day of show. Show cars must enter

On Blooming Glen Road.

Rain date next day 07/31/2022 – registration 12 NOON – 4:00 PM

Host: Good Time Motorvators

Contact info: e-mail to: goodtimemotorvators@yahoo.com

Come Join the FUN!!!www.hodgepodgevarietymusic.com

NORTHAMPTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
Learn, Listen, and Lead

7th Annual NASD Student Council Car Show

Cars * Trucks * Motorcycles * Antique tractors
*** *All makes, models and years welcome* ***

Saturday, July 30, 2022
(RAIN DATE: SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2022)

At Bicentennial Park West
5351 Park West Lane (off of Colony Drive)
East Allen Township, Northampton, PA 18067
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Registration 9:00AM to 12 noon
Awards at 3:00 PM

*** Dash plaques for first 100 pre-registered cars ***

30 Awards, Door Prizes, Tricky-Tray, Food, DJ, Craft & Flea Market

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**** * All proceeds benefit NASD Student Council * ****
NASD OR ROY J. MARANKI WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR INJURY, LOSS, THEFT OR DAMAGE.
ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT ROY - HOME: 610-440-2213 OR CELL: 610-704-9021

REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

CAR /TRUCK PRE-REGISTRATION - $8.00 BY 07/23/2022 *DAY OF SHOW - $10.00
MOTORCYCLE/TRACTOR PRE-REGISTRATION- $8.00 BY 07/23/2022 *DAY OF SHOW - $10.00
CRAFTS/FLEA MARKET PRE-REGISTRATION - $10.00 BY 07/23/2022 * DAY OF SHOW - $12.00

MAKES CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Northampton Area School District

NAME:_____
ADDRESS:_____
CITY:_____ **STATE:**_____ **ZIP CODE:**_____
YEAR:_____ **MAKE:**_____ **MODEL:**_____

MAIL TO: Roy J. Maranki
3019 Eisenhower Drive
Northampton, PA 18067
PHONE:_____

FOUND IN THE 60's

2022 Cruise-in Season

Sunday, Sunday, Sunday Ritz Barbeque Cruise-In

Located in The Allentown Fairgrounds 17th & Chew Sts.

ENTER FAIRGROUNDS ON RITZ BARBEQUE SIDE

April 24 1-4 May 8 & 22 4-7 June 12 & 26 5-8

July 10 & 24 5-8 Aug 14 5-8 Sept 11 & 25 3-6

Oct 9 & 23 3-6

Door Prizes and Specials *Great Food Great Music Great Fun*

Benefits Canine Partners and Mountainview Horse Rescue

JULY

Tom Young 7/5

Jane Rivera 7/21

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

IF WE MISSED YOUR BIRTHDAY PLEASE LET US KNOW 610-703-6315

To all members : I sent out a letter that you can take to any local merchant, it will introduce you as a member of the LVTC. We need each and every member to try to get some kind of donation for our gift baskets. We are asking that the value be around $25.00. This is your club the BOD and your officers keep asking for your help, but it seems that know one cares. Come on out and give it a try your might like it. It's only 16 days until the show. Tom VP

I announced this, in the last newsletter we have lost board members, there are 7 left we normally carry 9. If you feel you do have the time to donate to your club's BOARD of DIRECTORS with a meeting once a month, and you have been a club member for a year or more, man or women it doesn't matter. We need bodies, please contact any officer or board member and they will put the wheels in motion for you to be-come a member of the board.

I just heard that we only have 61 cars registered for Nazareth Days. Lets hope that in 16 days it jumps up quite a bit or we are going to be way short of our goal of 200 cars, for this year.

45th Annual Nazareth Day Car Show

Saturday, July 16, 2022
9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Nazareth Borough Park
475 N. Broad Street
Nazareth, PA 18064

The Car Show is open to all Years, Makes and Models of Domestic and Foreign vehicles. Motorcycles are not permitted.

PCFLV
Pediatric Cancer Foundation of the Lehigh Valley

The Nazareth Area FOOD BANK

Registration Information:

Pre-Register by July 1, 2022 - $15.00

Day of Show Registration - - -$20.00

Rain Date: Sunday, July 17, 2022

For Cancellation or Postponement:

LVTC Message Center - 610-218-1500

Photo Plaque Information:

The first 200 vehicles to arrive before noon will be photographed for a plaque.

Due to development and assembly time, the plaque will not be distributed before 2:00 pm.

More Information on Back of this Form - Please Read

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ E-Mail: _____

Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

Club Affiliation: _____ Contact for 2023 Show: YES NO

Mail Form with check ($15.00) to: Lehigh Valley Thunderbird Club Treasurer
70 Gum Street
Nazareth, PA 18064

Entrants and participants of this event will release and hold harmless for damages or like causes any and all volunteers or others involved in preparation and/ or operation of The Lehigh Valley Thunderbird Car Show.

Directions:

From 33 Southbound (from points north):

Take the RT 191 exit. Turn right off of the ramp and follow into Nazareth. Turn right on to Broad St. and follow to the Borough Park, which will be on your left.

From 33 Northbound (from I-78 0r Rt 22 westbound):

Take the 248 exit. Turn right off of the exit ramp and follow into Nazareth. Turn right onto Broad Street (Nazareth Diner) and follow to the Borough Park, which will be on your left.

From 22 Eastbound:

Take the RT 191 exit northbound, into Nazareth. At Pizza Hut, turn left onto Broad St. and follow to the Borough Park, which will be on your left.

Parking:

As you enter the park, stay to the right and follow around to event site. You will first be directed to the photo location, and then guided to a parking space. If you wish to park as a group, please enter the park as a group, so we can accommodate parking you all together.

Tents:

The Show has been averaging 200 vehicles in attendance. To maintain reasonable spacing between vehicles, we might not be able to accommodate tents by the vehicles. There are areas around the field where you may place your tent. Please work with our Event Staff. We want everyone to have an enjoyable and fun day!

Proceeds from Car Show:

After all costs are paid, any remaining car show proceeds are distributed in equal portions to:

1. The Lehigh Valley Pediatric Cancer Foundation
2. The Nazareth Area Food Bank
3. The Lehigh Valley Thunderbird Club.

New for 2022: Activities for Kids up to 12 years old!

"Kids Car Coloring Corner" Competition with prize for winner

"Creative Kraft Area" using recyclables for kids

Back in time

Do you have a favorite picture ? This is one of mine. My two best friends at the time, Doug & Don. We went everywhere together.

This 1958 Pontiac Bonneville Tri Power, was our chariot for about

6 months. Long story ask me sometime I'll tell you about it?

If you have a favorite picture. Send it to me, I'll put it in.

To all members : This is going to be a very trying Nazareth Days Show. We are going to need every one's help for every phase of this show. Our membership is down so if you can see your way clear to helping to make this show a success I know your Officers and BOD would greatly appreciate it. We are all getting older and the more people we have at every station you and your fellow members would not have to work so hard to make this one of our better shows.

On the 9th of July is our planning picnic. This is a dry run for the show.

July 16 Show day (Rain Date July 17)

Starting with number

1. Registration we have two lines

Day of and Pre registered there should be at least 5 bodies at each table

2. Then you have picture number table 3 people

3. Then picture taking (this is a whole new camera system that Vince came up with.) might need 2

4. Parking , depending on the heat of the day there should be as many bodies as possible so you should be able to take a break as often as possible. Please stay

HYDRATEFD WATER, WATER, WATER

Raffle Tent as many as needed

July 2022

Tom Hollenbach Vince Luppino

Co—Editors