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In observance of Labor Day, Harrisburg: ONLINE will return on Tuesday

THESE BOOTS ARE MADE FOR WALKING

State Representative *Malcom Kenyatta* announced that he will be walking from his district in Philadelphia to Harrisburg to demonstrate the "pain riders are experiencing every day" from the SEPTA cuts. The walk is a total of 105 miles and will take over five days, starting today. He will be posting regular updates on his socials.

A LAKE WORTH RE-VISITING

The Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC) announced yesterday that the *Daniel Boone* Lake in Berks County is set for a \$3 million makeover that will dredge decades of sediment, repair the dam, and even add a new bridge. The project will restore fishing, birding, and milling operations, bringing fresh life to one of Pennsylvania's historic gems.

FIREWORKS IN HARRISBURG

Close out the summer at Harrisburg's 109th annual Kipona Festival, set for August 30-September 1. Taking place in downtown Harrisburg, the three-day event brings food, music, art, and family fun to the riverfront, highlighted by fireworks, a drone show, and a multicultural show. *FYI to the downtown commuters, Front Street will be closed!*

GO SPORTS

Tomorrow kicks off the college football season! The Penn State Nittany Lion are set to kick off at 3:30 pm against the Nevada Wolf Pack, while the Pittsburgh Panthers face off against the Duquesne Dukes at 12 pm. On the other side of the state, the Temple Owls are playing the UMass Minutemen at 3:30 pm. *Best of luck to all!*

We wish to extend our condolences to the family and friends of G. Arthur "Art" Fairchild, who passed away on August 21st. Art coached football and baseball and taught at Shippensburg University for 37 years. His time as a baseball coach led him to be

nationally ranked for retired Division II coaches. Most notably, he leaves behind his wife of 63 years, two daughters, six grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren. The service will be held at 1PM today at King Street Church in Chambersburg, PA. *God speed Coach...*



Happy Birthday

Today:

- Alan Novak, President & Founder, Novak Strategic Advisors LLC Saturday:
 - U.S. Congresswoman *Mary Gay Scanlon*
 - State Representative *Morgan Cephas*
 - Dan Colegrove, Partner, Prism Group

Sunday:

- State Representative *Christina Sappey*
- State Representative *Tarah Probst*
- State Representative Johanny Cepeda-Freytiz
- *Antionette Marchowsky*, Deputy Chief of Staff, Office of Senator Vince Hughes
- Erin Marsicano, Chief of Staff, Office of Senator Lynda Schlegel Culver
- James G. Mann, Senior Deputy Chief Counsel, PA House Republican Caucus

Monday:

- Former State Senator John H. Eichelberger, Jr.
- Former State Representative *Dante Santoni*, *Jr*.
- Kristin Givens, Associate General Counsel, State Farm Insurance
- **Douglas Griffith**, Senior Government Affairs Coordinator, State Farm Insurance
- John Plowman, Retired but still active
- Lucy M. Gnazzo, Owner, LM Gnazzo Promotion Strategies



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