

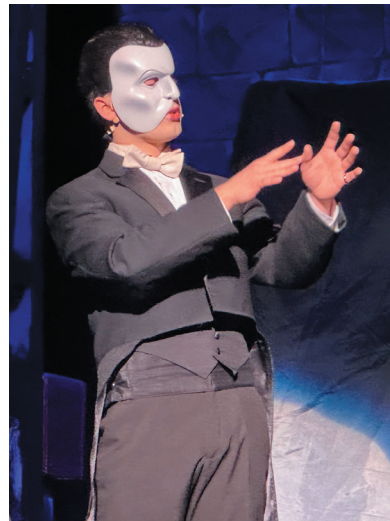
Bangor Area High School's Production of The Phantom of the Opera

By Michael Ortoski

UPPER MT. BETHEL - Director Butch Di Minico and Music Director Rebecka Kranich along with their staff put on a three day play of The Phantom of the Opera School Edition Music by Andrew Lloyd Weber last week.

This is the Director's Note: Welcome, and thank you for joining us for tonight's performance of The Phantom of the Opera. This remarkable musical has captivated audiences for decades with its sweeping score, haunting story, and powerful themes. At its heart, The Phantom of the Opera explores ideas that resonate deeply with people of all ages- identity, belonging, love, fear, and the courage to be truly seen.

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\$391,561 Grant Awarded To Pocono Services For Families And Children

By State Rep. Tarah Probst

MONROE COUNTY - Pocono Services for Families and Children this week was awarded a \$391,561 grant to expand its structured before/after-school and summer programming for at-risk children ages 5-12 in Monroe County.

The programs offered by PSFC are extremely valuable to the families who need their services. The expansion will allow the organization to open an additional classroom, extend services through summer camp, and increase enrollment capacity to serve approximately 40 children each year.

PSFC is a single resource for family assistance that connects people with multiple services and helps reduce the hassles associated with them. Our highly-trained staff swaps out frustration with clear, concise information making it easier to be put to use. Along with compassion and empathy, we are better able to meet their goals. We put more easily accessible services conveniently within their reach.

For more info - Phone: (570) 517-6600 <https://www.psfcr.org/our-services>.



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