

## ***MEDIA ADVISORY – NOVEMBER 20, 2006***

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# **Winter hours to take effect at the Wagner-Ritter House & Garden**

The Johnstown Area Heritage Association (JAHA) is announcing the winter schedule for the Wagner-Ritter House & Garden, a new house museum that opened in June 2006, as follows:

- Saturdays and Sundays only from Thanksgiving weekend through Christmas; opening hours are 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- Closed during the last weekend of December and all of January, February and March of 2007
- The museum will open anytime for group tours during winter by appointment; for more information, call 814-539-1889 ext. 310.

In April 2007, the museum will once again be open seven days a week from 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Winter opening days and hours for the Johnstown Flood Museum and Frank & Sylvia Pasquerilla Heritage Discovery Center remain unchanged; both museums are open 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. seven days a week. All three museums will be closed Thanksgiving Day but open on the following Friday and through the holiday weekend.

Tickets are \$6.00 for adults, \$5.00 for seniors and \$4.00 for students, and are good for admission to all three museums. This combination ticket structure provides visitors admission to JAHA's other museums anytime within 30 days after their ticket purchase and visit to the first museum. JAHA members are admitted free.

Discounted rates are available for groups of 10 or more with prior arrangements. Call (814) 539-1889 ext. 310. For more information on JAHA museums, please contact the Johnstown Area Heritage Association at 814-539-1889 or visit [www.jaha.org](http://www.jaha.org).

The Johnstown Area Heritage Association is a non-profit, membership-based organization dedicated to preserving and showcasing Johnstown's unique history to the nation through high-quality educational, cultural and recreational experiences. JAHA owns and operates the Johnstown Flood Museum, Frank & Sylvia Pasquerilla Heritage Discovery Center, and Wagner-Ritter House & Garden; a Children's Discovery Museum is under construction. In addition, JAHA produces the AmeriServ Johnstown FolkFest; events commemorating the 1889 Johnstown flood; and a wide variety of additional cultural programming. For more information on JAHA programs, museums and events, visit [www.jaha.org](http://www.jaha.org).