

COLLEGE NEWS

At Misericordia University in Dallas, **Katrina Emerick** of Dingmans Ferry was named to the Spring 2009 Deans List.

The following residents made the Dean's List this spring at Seton Hall University, in South Orange N.J.: **Caitlin Clare Giordano**, of Newfoundland and **Douglas Russell Jacobus**, of Dingmans Ferry.

At Kutztown University of Pennsylvania **Jessica L. Ellex**, of Lackawaxen, and **Jonathan D. Smith**, of Dingmans Ferry were among 1,175 students earning degrees at spring commencement ceremonies. Ellex earned a BS in Criminal Justice and Smith earned his BS in Art Education.

At Penn State University **Jason A. Tucker** was recently named to the Dean's List with a 3.75 GPA for the 2009 spring semester at the University Park campus. The announcement was made by Dr. Jean Landa Pytel, Dean of Student Services at Penn State University. Jason is a senior engineering major who currently resides in State College and also is employed by the university as a Computer Technician. Jason is a graduate of Delaware Valley

High School and is the son of Elaine and Jay Tucker of Milford.

Summer break has a different meaning for some University of New Haven (UNH) students this year, who spent the summer as presidential fellows, bringing crucial, hands-on services to government and non-profit organizations in the greater New Haven area. They included criminal justice student **Kristina Bensley**, class of '10, of Matamoras, who spent her summer at Connecticut Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro's office in New Haven writing letters to concerned citizens and accompanying staff members at events and meetings.

Now in its 11th year, the UNH Presidential Fellowship is a highly selective program offered to several of UNH's brightest and most-committed students. The program places fellows in vital positions and provides them with stipends and University housing for the summer. The fellowship offers an enriching experience to students, allowing them to give back to the community while gaining real-world experience.

