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"Everhart Honors Bob and June Lettieri"
Virtual Video Premiere Friday, October 8, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

Scranton—On Friday, October 8, 2021 at 6:00 p.m., the Everhart Museum will present "Everhart Honors Bob and June Lettieri," a special video honoring the Lettieris and their commitment to Northeastern Pennsylvania through their selfless leadership, volunteerism, and philanthropy. The video will be available on the Museum's Facebook page and YouTube channel.

"Everhart Honors," created by Posture Interactive, will feature interviews with several prominent figures and friends of the Lettieris from the arts and culture sector as well as members of the Everhart Board of Trustees and administration as they discuss the profound impact the Lettieris have had on the community. In addition to their work with the Everhart Museum, their generosity has impacted countless institutions and organizations throughout the region.

Luis Purón, Executive Director of the Rockport Center for the Arts, says, "Their story is steeped in strong family values, love of community, getting involved, solving problems, and, above all, helping others...They are open minded people who are not afraid to get involved and make change happen."

Philip Horn, Executive Director Emeritus of the PA Council on the Arts from 1993 to 2018, says, "Bob has this great enthusiasm for the arts...He not only lends his influence and thoughtful deliberations, he shows up in person and that has made all the difference," adding that June's presence "brings a wonderful serenity to the mix."

"We are thrilled to honor Bob and June for their commitment to the community, and especially to the Everhart Museum," states Amanda Frieder, Chair of the Everhart Museum Board of

Trustees. "The Everhart is grateful for the legacy of community leaders like the Lettieris, who are constantly envisioning a brighter future."

For more information on the video, visit everhart-museum.org and find **"Everhart Honors"** under the "Events" tab, email general.information@everhart-museum.org, or call 570-346-7186 ext. 510.

About the Everhart Museum:

The Everhart Museum is located at 1901 Mulberry Street, Scranton, PA. It has temporary hours of 12:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. on Friday, 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. on Saturday, and 12:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m on Sunday. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and seniors, and free for children 12 and under. Admission is free for Everhart Museum members as well as military and family. For more information and updates on expanded hours, please visit https://everhart-museum.org/, contact the Museum at 570-346-7186, or email general.information@everhartmuseum.org.

Founded in 1908, the Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art is the largest general museum in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The Everhart Museum, located in Nay Aug Park in Scranton, is a not-for-profit institution dedicated to the collection, care, and display of a diverse array of artifacts, including natural history, science, and art. Through our exhibitions and programs, the Everhart Museum has become an invaluable regional resource for educational and cultural opportunities. General support for the Museum is received from the Lackawanna County Office of Education & Culture, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, the City of Scranton, and contributions from individuals and businesses.

Land Acknowledgment:

The Everhart Museum is located at the crossroads of several Tribal Nations, including the Lenni Lenape, Seneca, Munsee, Susquehannock, and possibly others. This part of Northeastern Pennsylvania is known for the coming together of the Six Nations of the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, also known as the Iroquois Confederacy, wherein peace was forged between the Nations in the late 16th century.

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