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Dear Valued Customer,

Are you a fellow Gen Xer? July was a busy month for us! Coldplay was back in the headlines, albeit not for their music. We lost Ozzy, Malcolm Jamal Warner (Theo), and the Hulkster. Even if you're not Gen X, recently there's been lots of headlines. We all have enough to focus on, your Internet connections shouldn't be one of them.

We appreciate that you've chosen PenTele-Data and our network as a dependable partner in YOUR business. Even if you don't read about or see us in the headlines, we're always working behind the scenes to stay at the forefront of technology and provide reliable connections.

Thank you for your business and continued support.

Jaime Mendes

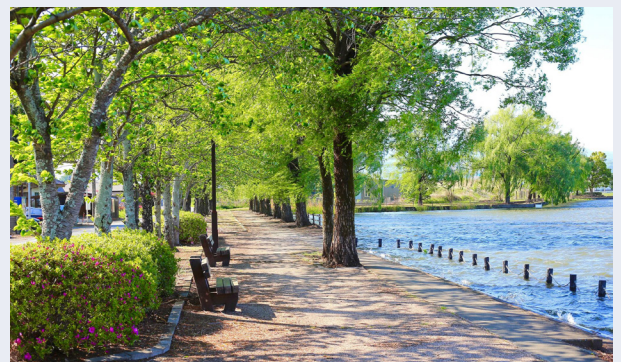
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PENTELEDATA IS PROUD TO SERVE TOBYHANNA, PA

Tobyhanna is located on top of the Pocono Plateau with its elevation approaching 2,000 feet, where winters are longer and harsher. During the mid to late 1800s the central and eastern sections of the township developed around the lumber industry. In 1857, progress arrived in the Township in the form of a major railroad, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad. In 1894, a second railroad built through the Township was even more significant. The Wilkes-Barre & Eastern Railroad was built for the purpose of transporting coal from the mines in the Wilkes-Barre area to Stroudsburg with connections to New Jersey, New York and the ports for export.

Next to lumber, the selling of ice became one of the most important exports of the Township in the later part of the 1800s and the early 1900s. With the population growth in the metro New York and Philadelphia regions, and the need for refrigeration to preserve food in its distribution and restaurant and home storage, the demand for ice continually increased. The winters in the Township provided for an annual environment in which ice would form on lakes for removal. Few natural lakes existed so man-made lakes were built for this purpose. Enormous ice houses were built to store the winter harvest, packed in sawdust from the sawmills, for shipment by rail car to the cities in warmer weather. Both railroads built rail sidings to most of these ice houses, as it was welcomed business for the railroads. This industry provided significant employment to Township residents until electricity started to take hold in the 1920s and 1930s.

As the railroads opened access to the world, the world now had access to the Poconos and Tobyhanna Township. Growth of



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OUR FAST CONTEST

What was the fastest human-occupied craft relative to Earth, that achieved a speed of approx. 24,791 mph (39,897 km/h) during its return from the Moon?

One lucky winner will receive a \$150 Amazon gift card. Rack your brain and figure out the answer to the brain teaser. Then send us an e-mail with your full name, address, daytime telephone number (where we can contact you), and the answer to the brain teaser below, to chat@corp.ptd.net All entries must be received by 8/31/25.

Good Luck! PenTeleData

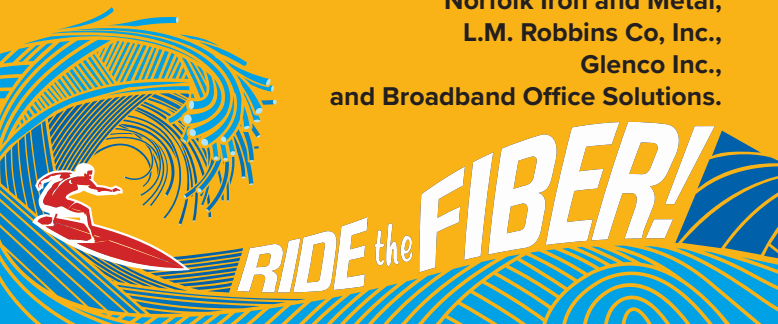
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WELCOME ABOARD!

We appreciate the opportunity to serve companies who have chosen to ride PenTeleData's Fiber Network.

Welcome aboard to:

Patriot American Parkway LP,
Phillipsburg Housing Authority,
Intermetro Industries,
Norfolk Iron and Metal,
L.M. Robbins Co, Inc.,
Glenco Inc.,
and Broadband Office Solutions.



PROUD TO SERVE TOBYHANNA, PA (CONT.)

cities, and the desire to escape the crowded and hot conditions of the summer, created the resort industry for summer holidays.

In 1912, Major Charles P. Summerall was given the task of finding a suitable site for an artillery training camp on the east coast. He chose Tobyhanna. Soon after, Congress authorized the purchase of 18,000 acres of land, and an artillery training camp was established. A series of transformations followed throughout the years. The period after the war saw military downsizing and a demobilization of U.S. armed forces. As a result, the federal government transferred the land back to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and control of the reservation went to the Department of Forestry and Waters. This resulted in the formation of the Tobyhanna State Park. Two years later, the Signal Corps needed a new depot and chose the former military site as its location. Tobyhanna Signal Depot (now Tobyhanna Army Depot) was established in 1953, using only about 1,400 acres of the once larger site.

(Sources: <http://www.tobyhannatwphistory.org/twphistory.html> and <https://www.tobyhannahousing.com/history>)

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TAKING THE W WITH WAWA AND SHEETZ

There's a good chance you've been to a Wawa or Sheetz for fuel, food, coffee, convenience items, and maybe a restroom stop. Besides those things, what do they have in common? PenTeleData! We serve locations for both well-known companies with our dedicated fiber connections and other services, such as broadband cable modems and Business Phone.

So back to the age old question...Wawa or Sheetz? At PenTeleData, we're proud to serve both!

