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Allegheny Conference News has been published on-line at the conference website since August 15, 2011. Evie Christner from Pinto Mennonite Church serves as the news and information editor for these items. Articles and photos have been obtained from Mennonite Church USA news services, sent by various conference churches and members, and written by attendees of conference events. Churches are encouraged to share their activities with the wider conference in this way. Contact information for the news editor is listed on the website.

The website also includes a “subscribe” button for those who wish to receive an e-mail each time a new article is posted. An RSS feed to services such as Google Reader may also be used so that one does not need to actually go to the web site to see if there are new items on it. News items are published as they are written which has been resulting in several postings nearly every week. Items for the conference calendar and those specifically for pastors and leadership council are posted in a separate area on the website by the conference office.

Since many churches and individuals in our conference do not have readily available e-mail or computer access, a compiled selection of the news articles is being made available in a pdf file that may be photo-copied by churches for their use. If there is a contact person to whom this may be e-mailed, or a person to whom a hard copy should be mailed, please contact the editor. This is being done approximately bi-monthly and essentially covers reports on past events rather than upcoming ones. It is hoped that more and more availability and use of the on-line capabilities will soon eliminate the need for this type of communication.

Allegheny Conference News is an important piece of building and maintaining relationships between people in the churches of the conference. Please share the special events, missional activities, and service opportunities of your church with the entire conference as an encouragement to us all.

Evie Christner, News and Information Editor