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MIFFLINTOWN – Pennian Bank will support their local schools in the sponsorship of the Perry and Juniata County Stock Market Challenge from the Pennsylvania Council on Financial Literacy (PennCFL). The sponsorship will include all the 3rd to 12th grade students for both the fall and spring games. The fall game beginning on Oct 7th and the spring game beginning February 10th.

For the spring game, an extra special local competition will be held for high and middle school students. This program is supported by Perry County Times, Duncannon Record, Juniata Sentinel, and The News-Sun. The schools invited to participate are Newport, Greenwood, West Perry, Susquenita, and Juniata School Districts along with private schools.

Since 1864, Pennian Bank has been providing a variety of banking and financial services for local residents and businesses. Formerly The First National Bank of Mifflintown, the bank changed its name in June 2017 to Pennian Bank. Pennian is a nod to the bank's Pennsylvania heritage and is a strong, unique name. Though the name and logo are new, our staff and dedication to our customers remain the same. There are 11 offices in Juniata and Perry counties serving these counties and surrounding areas.

PennCFL's mission is to provide Pennsylvania's K-12 students with economic, personal finance, and entrepreneurship skills that elevate their standard of living, quality of life, and professional success. PennCFL sponsors financial games and programs, with the participation of over fourteen thousand students, in Pennsylvania. Also, they offer entrepreneurship conferences and competitions with partnering colleges and universities. For additional information, please contact Alan Dakey, President at alan.penncfl@gmail.com or Carolyn Shirk, Vice President at carolyn.penncfl@gmail.com, call 570-975-5149 or visit us at www.penncfl.org.