

Bowling News

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Top scorer at Crown Imperial Lanes last week was Tony's own Richie who spilled 699 pins over lanes 15 and 16 for Stonehurst Cottages in Back Mt. Neighborhood League. With Richie piling up games of 206-266-237 and Digosa hitting 212, the team won 3 points from Brothers 4.

Disque Funeral copped 3 from Bolton's with Nick Stredny, Paul Kamont, Leo Yankoski and Nick Buynak hitting the pins for big scores. Stedny topped 213-248 (644); Paul scattered 240 (619); Digosa 200 (560). Charlie Williams Leo posted 215 (576) and Buynak led Bolton's with 233 (582).

Harold Kocher, Jr., hitting 243 (604) and Edgar Henness with 267 (571) led Williams Atlantic to split with McCree's Tires. Dodson's took 3 from Klass with Donald King setting the pace with 209-208 (578).

Joe Merc and Marie Ritts shared the limelight last week as leading scorers. Joe led his Buffing team to a 3 point win over Mill Room with 235 (591) while Marie was pacing Compound Room with 182-167-181 (530). Compound lost 3 to Machine Shop which had L. Bedford leading the way on 202-204 (566).

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Production Planning won 4 from Finishing. Leading the winners was Tony Bonomo with 210 (584). Topping the scores on Maintenance as they won 3 from Mill Room was Willard Hoover's 203-223 (576). Jane Bicking set the pace for Compound's 3 points from Boiler as she piled up 197-163 (513). Rubber Trim won 3 from Tubing.

Scoring in 200's were (men) Groff, Wintersteen, Coury and Merc. Hitting 160 or over were (women) Wentzel, Noon, Thompson, Rodriguez, Schuler, Baker and Ackerman. Bosses were paced by Mary A. Whitesell with 199 (494) and Ruth Newberry hitting 177 (475) but they lost 3 to Shipping.

Other high games were posted by Gryskiewicz, James, Wintersteen, Thompson (247), Harvey, Coury, all men in 200's, Girls hitting over 160 were Elgaway, Bainbridge, Rodriguez, Jordan, Higgs, Yuscellis, Thompson and Biologowicz.

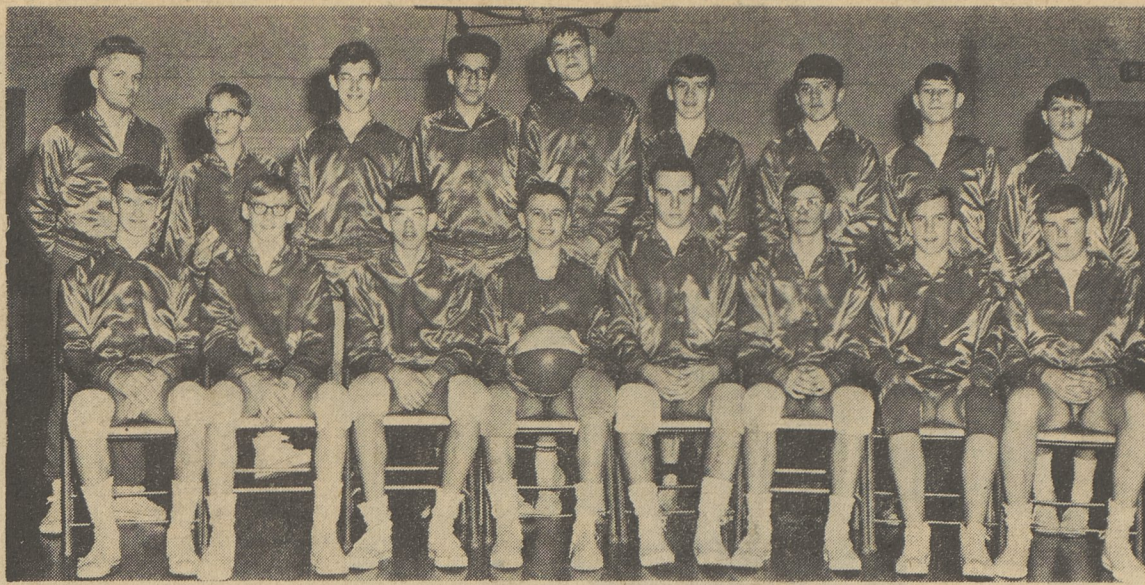
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Shown above are the Falcons, Dallas Junior High School basketball team, and their coach, Mr. John Baur, after they won the first half championship of the Wyoming Valley Junior High School Basketball League. The Falcons took first place with a record of eight wins and no losses.

Lake-Lehman Is Defeated By Ashley Cagers, 107-87. Edwin Kern piled up 32 points for Lake-Lehman Friday night in the game against Ashley-Sagar Notch, but his team lost the contest, 107-87. Kern scored 28 on goals and 4 from the foul line and Shaw, with a total of 18, ripped the cords for 10 on foul shots. Konigus totalled 15 points, Rodriguez, 12 and Chuck Kern, 10. White set the pace for Ashley with 38 and Williams had 29.

The Knights started the game by outscoring their opponents, 21-20 in the first quarter, but Ashley came on strong in the second and third to pull ahead by 19 points at the beginning of the final period. The Knights opened up in the last quarter and scored 32 points to Ashley's 33, but time ran out. Lake-Lehman scored 29 on 47 fouls tried; Ashley had 7 out of 14, and took 3 from St. Therese's. Leo Yankoski hit 208-203 (590) and Hudak had 238 (562). Harold Coolbaugh started out with 209-200 games but lost his way somewhere before that last game when he hit 135. Tough luck, Harold!

Merrimakers have 6 points and St. Therese's 5. Cook's are tied with Natona in second place with 7 points each. Natona took 3 from Hill Ton with Nick Tomasaak hitting 200-202 (601), Chacko toppling 218-203 (597) and Kriso posting 222 (586). Suburban holds a place alongside of St. Therese's with 5 points after splitting 4 points with Sportsmen which has a total of 4. Bialezowicz led Sportsmen with 203 (567).

The week before, big scorer was Kriel with 233-204 (622). Rich Bohomo rolled 214 (594); Aandy Matte 207-201 (590) and Chuck Glasser 247 (563). Other big scorers were Monte 572; Krajewski 586 and Kriso 221 (583). Fred Adams started out the second half by posting top series of 268 (641) the first night. Beb Moore hit 213-209 (602) Jim Lohman piled up 209-207 (584) and Andy Matte hit 208 as their Town House chalked up 2898 total pins with one game of 973.

Other top scorers were Myers 235 (567); Wendell 203 (564); Bennett 217 (563) and Bonfig (566). Bowlerettes Joyce Bevan took honors last week with 178-172-181 (531) for Duke Isaacs. Lorraine Redick hit 179 (480) for Bolton's and Whit-ting's featured Jean Inman with 173-167 (474) and Marge Hislop hitting 179 (472). Anne Schoell hit 170 for Monk's. Crown Major

Birth's Esso took team honors last Friday night as the boys piled up 2725 pins with 963 in one game. Bob Moore with 220-216 (606) and Tony Bonomo hitting 227 (565) led the way. High score of the evening was posted by C. Finaelli of American Legion as he chalked up 236-202 (636). Frank Kardell and Tony Pineno also had 600 series. Frank rolled 213-200-201 (614) and Tony had 242 (602).

Knights Defeat GAR Grapplers. The Lake-Lehman wrestlers joined Dallas in the winning column Saturday night when the two Back Mountain squads met Meyers and G.A.R. in a double-header at Coughlin gymnasium. After a squeaker between Dallas and Meyers, Lake-Lehman took on the Grenadiers and won, 34-18.

The Knights won four of their matches on pins. Lamoreaux, unlimited dropped Kislin in a fast 44 seconds and Cipolla at 180, pinned Rhoads in 1:24. K. Jones, 138, pinned Decker in 4:21 and T. Jones, 154, pinned Dominick in 5:30. Lake-Lehman opened the meet with a decision by Dave Eddy, 95, over Baker, 12:4. GAR took the next three bouts, two by pins, Jones, 103, pinned the Knights Reese in 3:33; DeLuca, 112, decision U. Sorber, 4-1 and Johnson, 120, pinned McDaniels, in 3:10. From there on, it was all Lake-Lehman except Macri's pin for GAR. He took Brown at 165 in 5:53.

R. Sorber, 127, decisioned Morris, 5-2; Spencer, 133, decisioned Mezaniko, 7-4 and Woodling, 145, decisioned Ellison, 5-4. Lake-Lehman will host the Mountaineers Wednesday night in what should be an exciting match between the two local teams. Saturday's games will be Benton and Harvey's Lake at 7; Prince of Peace and Truckville at 8 and Huntsville and East Dallas at 9.

High scorers were Al Ciccarelli 213 (599); Pete Hospodar 243 (597); Bruce Varner 205 (593); Val Zieminski 200-227 (591); Harold Kocher, Sr. 204-227 (590); L. Brussock 222 (578); Nick Stredny 213 (575); Rich Bonomo 214 (571); Charles Nafas 202 (569); Harold Bennett 205 (561). Dallas Woman's Club

Finns were ahead last week with 8 points followed by Scots with 7. Finns copped team scoring honors and Tim Bauman. Standing, left to right: Mr. John Baur, Dave Jones, Mark Rodgers, Don Anthony, Scott Lefko, Richard Bellas, Jerry Torr—manager, Brian Duffy—manager, and Ray Kyle.

East Dallas Is Leading Church Basketball Teams. East Dallas is leading the Back Mountain Church Basketball League with 6 wins and 2 losses while Harvey's Lake, after downing the leaders, 77-56 Saturday night, is in second place with a record of 3 and 3. Harris led the scoring for the Lakers Saturday with 21 points and Searfoss posted 20. Eugene Brobst, the league's leading scorer with 136 points, scored 12. Ide had 11 and Price 13.

Dallas Falcons Cop First Half Championship

Dallas Falcons Win First Half

Junior High Cagers Will Host Plymouth

The Dallas Junior High School Basketball team finished the first half of the season undefeated with eight victories and no losses on record. The team, called the Falcons, is a member of the Wyoming Valley Junior High Basketball League, in its second year. Nine teams make up the league: Dallas, Kingston Plymouth, West Pittston, Lake-Lehman, Wilkes-Barre Township, Luzerne, G.A.R. and Coughlin. Games are played on afternoons after school and on Saturdays. P.I.A.A. officials must officiate at all league games.

The teams Dallas played and scores of each game are as follows: Kingston 68-63; West Pittston 63-46; G.A.R. 87-48; Plymouth 53-49; Wilkes-Barre Twp. 66-52; Lake-Lehman 56-51; Luzerne 63-42; Coughlin 48-28. Kingstons broke the Falcons' winning streak in the first game of the second half by defeating them, 63-52, Friday night. The big game is Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m. on the Dallas Junior High floor when Dallas and Plymouth, each carrying 1 loss, meet each other. This game will probably decide the championship.

The Dallas team has been averaging 50 points a game against their opponents' 59. Bill Martin and John Szele are leading the team with 13 total averages in nine games. Bill has 56 goals on record and 13 fouls. John has scored 50 goals and 18 fouls per game, based on 38 goals and 10 successful foul shots, and Richard Letts, with an average of 7 has a total of 29 goals and 7 foul shots.

Also in the double figures are Chris Meyer with 22 goals and 3 fouls; Richard Morgan, 17 goals, 3 fouls, Dave Jones with 5 and 1 and Tim Bauman with 4 and 3. The Lehigh University Institute of Research was established in 1924. Lehigh, founded in 1865, is observing its 100th anniversary this year.

Decisive Pin By Ernie Gay Wins Meyers Contest For Dallas, 26-19

The hero at Dallas Senior High School last weekend was Ernie Gay who practically brought the ceiling of Coughlin's gymnasium down Saturday night when he pinned Meyers' Johns in the unlimited bout. Dallas was up against Meyers, the score was 21-19 and they had to take at least a decision to win the meet and remain undefeated. It was up to Ernie. A newcomer to wrestling this season, he had participated in just two contests previously. He was pinned in a varsity bout with Plymouth and lost a decision to Coughlin's heavyweight in a J-V match. The bout Saturday had fans of both sides on their feet—this was it! There was one very bad moment for Ernie and the Dallas fans when he was almost pinned in the first period, but 17 seconds into the second period, he saw his chance and the victory was Dallas' in 2:17. The final score was 26-19 and Dallas remained tied with Hanover in first place with 5 wins, no losses.

Dallas Cagers Post Ninth Win

Dallas cagers posted their ninth consecutive win in league competition Friday night when they downed West Wyoming, 102-62. The Mountaineers are sporting a record of 16 wins and 1 loss for the entire season and carry a 49% shooting average, shooting 48 on 98 goals tried. Friday night's game was a good one with excellent overall team work and passing on Dallas' part. It was also an unusual one with Dallas trying only 9 fouls, none by Mike Wilkes. Out of the nine tried, Roy Supulski and Dan Sinicropo each made 2. Steve Townsend and Sandy Beech, 1 each.

The Mountaineers' regular first eight players played three quarters of the game. The reserves took over the final period. The Dallas team will host Wyoming Seminary tomorrow night. The Junior Varsity game begins at 6:30; the Varsity starts at 8.

Table with columns for DALLAS (G, F, PTS) and WEST WYOMING (G, F, PTS). DALLAS totals: 48 G, 6 F, 102 PTS. WEST WYOMING totals: 23 G, 16 F, 62 PTS.

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