

# DALLAS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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## Cheerleaders Enter Competition

The Dallas Senior High School varsity cheerleaders under the direction of Verdun Thomas were invited to compete with other area high schools in the Luzerne County Community College cheerleading competition. Tryouts for the final competition were held Wednesday, Jan. 28 and will be held again Tuesday, Feb. 3, at the Catholic Youth Center in Wilkes-Barre.

The Dal-Hi cheering squad performed six required cheers and ended their performance with a routine done to the tune "Thanks for the Memories." The cheerleaders were judge on appearance, performance and vitality. Those cheering squads qualifying will compete in the finals to be held in late February.

Members of the varsity cheering squad who participated in the contest were: Judy Allen and Debbie Anderson, cocaptains, Nancy Thomas, Susan Owens, Carol Shaskan, Roberta Gilbert, Patty Koeb, Mary Cully, Cindy Smith and Sandy Long.

## Dallas Cagers Remain Undefeated

Dallas defeated Plains at an away game Tuesday, Jan. 20, to bring their record of wins to 5-0. Wyoming Seminary met Dallas at home Friday, Jan. 23 and Jan. 27 Dallas played Lake-Lehman at Lake-Lehman.

Starting time for all junior varsity games is 6:30 p.m. and varsity games begin at 8 p.m.

## Dal-Hi Places Sixth at Farm Show

The Fabrics and Fashions class placed sixth in the Pennsylvania State Farm Show held at Harrisburg. The topic of the class' display was "Anytime is Tunic Time." Those who represented Dallas at the show were: Mrs. Goeringer, teacher of Fabrics and Fashions, Mr. Baran, Marian Kozak, Karen Richards, Mary Ann Kush, and Karen Kitchen. The award for sixth place was \$45.

## Musical to be Presented

The musical "On a Clear Day You Can See Forever" will be presented to the public by members of the student body April 9, 10, 11. This musical will be the first one of its kind ever to be presented at Dallas High School.

Leading roles were chosen Jan. 2 by the director, Donald Hopkins. Other members of the cast and chorus were chosen later.

## Wrestling

Meyers High School downed Dallas at a meet Jan. 17 at Meyers. The score was 38-11. On Wednesday, Jan. 28, Dallas met Wyoming Valley West at home.

Dallas played host to Woodrow Wilson High School in an exhibition game held Saturday, Jan. 24. On Jan. 31 Dallas will travel to Abington Heights for an exhibition game. Junior varsity meets begin at 6:45 p.m. and varsity meets begin at 7:30 p.m.

## Dallas represented at District Game

Dallas Senior High School was represented at the PMEA District Chorus held the weekend of Jan. 22-24. The gathering of many area schools took place at Wyalusing High School, Wyalusing. The following were honored by being chosen to represent Dal-Hi: Clark Switzer, James Pichert, Cliff Dungey, Ernie Gelb, and Ruth Lewis.

## Girls' Basketball

The girls' basketball team has been playing a heavy sche-

dule. They met and defeated Coughlin and Wyoming Seminary, but were downed by Wyoming Valley West. The Meyers game Jan. 22 marked the end of the first half of the girls' basketball season. The team members will rest for two or three weeks, playing a few scrimmages, and then resume the regular schedule.

## Student Council Talent Show

Members of the student body will share their talents with their classmates in a Talent Show sponsored by the Student Council to be held Feb. 13. Members of the sophomore, junior and senior classes will display many diversified talents. The student body is looking forward to the performances.

## No Mid-Term Exams!

The second marking period at Dallas High School ended this week. With the change in the marking period system, this period marks the half of the school year. For the first time at Dallas there will be no mid-term examinations given and students couldn't be happier. Students and teachers will have Feb. 16 off for a mid-year vacation.

## 1970 Yearbook

The 1970 yearbook staff is rushing to meet the February deadline. Most of the senior pictures have been sent to the printer. Seniors especially are urged to place an order for a yearbook if they have not already done so. There are approximately 200 yearbook orders still available. All Dallas High School students can order their copies of the Dal-Hi every Monday and Wednesday during the seventh period in room 26. Students will be pleased with this year's book as many innovations along with a change of cover will be introduced. Our student photographer Scott Saffian is busy trying to capture the many phases of school life in unusual form. This year's book promises to truly belong to the students of Dallas.

## Student-Faculty Committee

The recently formed student-teacher committee will meet again sometime at the end of January. This worthwhile committee gives both members of the faculty and student body an opportunity to air opinions and gripes in the making of a better student-teacher relationship. It also helps to promote changes and new ideas toward the betterment of Dal-Hi. Much thanks is due the members of the committee for their time and consideration for all.

## Senior Dance

The early announcement of the senior class dance to be given in March is to allow all students to set aside the night in order to make the last public function of the class of 1970 an overwhelming success. The class officers, John Fleming, Elaine Friedman, Roberta Gilbert and Bob Griffith are doing their best to provide the dance with a top local group. Please support your seniors—it's your last chance, underclassmen!

## Sixth child for Sorbers

A sixth child, Christopher Jamie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sorber, 89 Perrin Ave., Shavertown Jan. 17 at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital. The Sorbers' other children are Susan 12; Cathy, 10; Ronald, 8; Lori, 7, and Gregory 6. The children's grandmother is Anna Seman, Plains.



Shown above are nine Dallas Senior High School students whose manuscripts have been accepted for publication by a national publisher. First row, left to right, are: Nancy Howell, Janice Culp, Tena Hicks, Debbie Shook, Sue Neilson. Second row: Debbie Mitchell, Roger Brown, Nancy Pichert and Lorene Daring. Absent: Patti Lewis.

## A. Paltrineri on Forrestal

Aviation Machinist Mate 2 Archy Paltrineri, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Paltrineri, Shavertown, is a member of Attack Squadron 66 with the Carrier USS Forrestal in the Mediterranean.

Archy is a graduate of Dallas Senior High School and has been in the Navy since Sept. 29, 1966. While stationed on the USS Independence he took part in Operation Peacekeeper, a NATO exercise with a cruise to England. While aboard the Forrestal, he will take part in NATO exercises in February.

He will observe a birthday Feb. 6 and would like to hear from friends. His address is, A. J. Paltrineri AD J-2, VA-66, Power Plant, FPO New York, N.Y. 09501.

The WSCS of the Methodist Church met in the basement Tuesday evening with the following present: Mrs. Raymond Gunton, Mrs. William Butler, Mrs. Francis Schenck, Mrs. Byron Cooke, Mrs. Elwood Patton, Mrs. Fred Clark, Mrs. William Coole, Mrs. William Mcovern, Mariel Lutes, Mrs. Thomas Gay, Mrs. Warren Montross, Mrs. Kenneth Denmon, Mrs. Spencer Holmgren, Mrs. William Coole and Mrs. William McGovern were hostesses.

The classmates of the Methodist Church were entertained at the home of Stella Shook, Friday evening. Present were: Mrs. Fred Schenck, Mrs. Albert Jones, Mrs. Henry Lane, Mrs. Russell Casterline, Mrs. Elsworth Field, Dorothy French, Mrs. Elwood Patton, Mary Pat-

ton, Mrs. William Munkatchy, Mrs. Raymond Gunton and Mrs. Ray Kelly, assistant hostesses. Games were played after the usual business session.

Mrs. John Newell and Mr. Ben Engelman were taken to General Hospital Wednesday by Noxen ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly and son James, Milnesville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelly, Sunday.

Ladies Society of St. Luke's Lutheran Church met at the Parish house Wednesday evening. Present were: Mrs. Loren Case, Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. Clark Oliver, Mr. Jerry Evesian, Mrs. Lomis May, Mrs. Samuel Blizzard, Mrs. Robert Rifenberry, Mrs. Donald Wall, Mrs. Roy Dendler, Cathy Evesian, Candy Jones, Mrs. Calvin

Strohl, Mrs. Daniel Hansen. Mrs. Case resigned as treasurer and Mrs. Rifenberry was elected to serve in her place.

John Newell has returned to his home after a week in General Hospital.

Ben Engelman was taken to General Hospital Wednesday afternoon by Noxen ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wall entertained her father Harry Siglin on his birthday Jan. 16 at a supper party. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corby, Matt and Charlie; Mr. and Mrs. Nile Sicker, Maureen, Steven, Elaine and Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Keithline, Lois, Susan, Sammy and Harry James, and Ronnie Globe.

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# Ambulance Log

Dallas Township and Dallas Borough

Jan. 19—Gloria Hadsel, RD 1, Harveys Lake. Accident Route 309 and Center Hill Road, to Nesbitt Hospital. Crew: Harold Smith, Wes Cave, Bob Besecker.

Jan. 20—Leroy Smith, wife Georgia, son Roy, Lower Deumunds Road, Fernbrook. Accident Lower Deumunds Road, Dallas, to Nesbitt Hospital. Crew: Harold Smith, Bob Cartier, Dick Disque.

Jan. 21—Simon Friedman, 224 W. Center Hill Road, to Nesbitt Hospital and home, tests. Crew: Jim Buckley, Jerry Torr, registered nurse Anna Kelly.

Jan. 23—Jessie Garinger, Alderson RD, Kunkle to Nesbitt Hospital. Crew: Willard Newberry, Bob Cartier.

Jan. 23—Fire support, home of James Williams, 116 Tunkhannock Highway. Crew: Richard Disque.

Jan. 24—Mary Mason, Route 309, Kunkle to General Hospital. Crew: Bill Ward, Bob Cartier, Russ Banta.

Jan. 24—Elaine Dwinchick, 67 Wyoming St., Dallas to General Hospital. Crew: Bob Besecker, Jim Davies, Lynn Sheehan.

Jan. 25—Fire support, Caddie LaBar's garage. Crew: Wes Cave.

# Dallas students to publish poems

The original poems of ten Dallas Senior High School students will be included in a poetry anthology entitled "Young America Sings" which will be published early in February by the National Poetry Press.

Mrs. William A. Moran, teacher of English at the high school

has received certificates of acceptance for publication of the poems of Nancy Pichert, Patti Lewis, Susan Neilson, Tena Hicks, Debbie Mitchell, Janice Culp, Roger Brown, Nancy Howell and Debbie Shook, sophomores, Lorene Daring, a senior, has also been awarded a certificate of acceptance.

# Purely Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smith, Liverpool, England; Sara Gregory, Lehman, and Richard Wegrzyn, Chicago spent Thursday at the home of Edward Latarowitz, Dallas, where they participated in a cribbage match.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Newell and Mrs. Lloyd Newell, Noxen, are vacationing at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

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