

# J.R. Davis Fire Company Ready for 9th Horse Show

The ninth annual J. R. Davis Fire Company Horse Show will feature an action-packed weekend, Aug. 10 and 11, at the Lehman Horse Show Grounds, Route 118, Lehman. The action will start at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Ripcord Diving Team will drop from the sky at 6 p.m. and at 8 p.m. both nights. They will attempt to land on a large X in the center of horse show ring. The excitement will get underway again Sunday at 10 a.m. Many expert horsemen and women on well trained horses

and ponies will exhibit speed, performance and manners as they compete for trophies, ribbons, and in some classes—cash.

Competition will be held in 56 classes. Some of the classes featured will be hunters, jumpers, walking horses, driving ponies, pleasure ponies and horses, and timed events. Electric timers will be used in the timed events.

The J. R. Davis Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary will serve breakfast both days from 6:30 to 10 a.m. The menu will include eggs, ham, home fries, toast and coffee Saturday, and

pancakes, sausage, juice and coffee Sunday. The auxiliary will also help the firemen in the refreshment stands.

Adding to the festive atmosphere will be games of chance and skill for the young and the young at heart. Refreshment stands will be stocked with a variety of food and drink.

George Hudson will be the judge both days and Emmett Kearney will be the show steward. This year's show will function as a member of the American Horse Show Association.

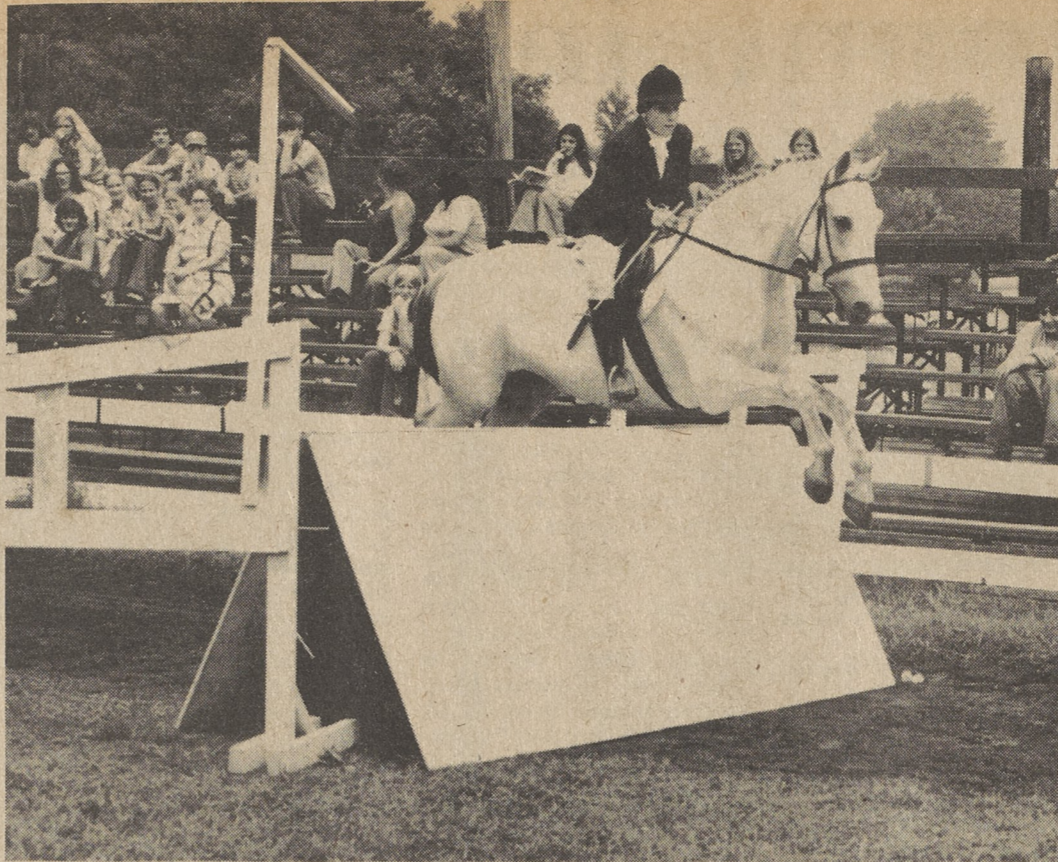


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A young lady takes her mount over a jump in last year's J. R. Davis Fire Co. horse show. The event will be held Aug. 10 and 11 at the Lehman Horse Show Grounds, Rt. 118, Lehman.

# Cycle Race Entered By Kawasaki Team

The Kawasaki team of Art Bauman and Hurley Wilvert, popular AMA expert riders, will compete in the Koni-Pocono East Coast Motorcycle Road Race Championship Aug. 18. The 50-mile chase, to be run on the Pocono 2.8 mile road course, will be the crowning event of the three-day 1974 Koni-Pocono Motorcycle Jamboree.

Mr. Bauman and Mr. Wilvert, both of California, have distinguished themselves in competition over the past few years riding their super-tuned Kawasaki "green meenies", and present a serious threat to the Yamaha, Suzuki, and Honda riders. Theirs was the first major team entry for the event, and race officials expressed confidence that other factory teams would be soon to enter.

The annual jamboree, sanctioned by the American Motorcycle Association, will present semi-pro motocross Aug. 16 and pro motocross Aug. 17, both on the Pocono seven eighth mile motocourse. Road race day Aug. 18 will feature a full

program of qualifying events, races for novice and junior riders, a series of production races, and a junior-expert combined race as well as the main event. Purse monies include \$5,000 for motocross and \$10,000 for road racing.

Bikoni limited, importers of Koni adjustable shock absorbers and sponsors of the event, have also announced a series of contingency awards totaling \$1,000.

In addition to the jamboree's racing activities, Pocono will make its infield available for parking, camping, and picnics. Free motorsports movies will be shown Aug. 17. Tickets are available through all ticketron outlets and at the track.

## Church League Holds Reorganization Meeting

Members of the Back Mountain Church League will hold a reorganization meeting for the 1974-75 season, Aug. 7, 8 p.m., at the Dallas American Legion. All team captains or appointed representatives are requested to attend.

Chet Molley, secretary, reports that the league has openings for two additional teams. Persons interested should attend the meeting. The only qualification for new teams is that members be residents of the Back Mountain area.

Officers of the league are George Parrish, president; Robert Monk, vice president; Chester Molley, secretary; and Arthur Baird, treasurer.

## Sweeney Undergoes Coast Guard Training

James P. Sweeney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Linker, 8 Southside Drive, Dallas, is undergoing ten weeks of basic military training at the Coast Guard Training Center, Cape May, N.J. He will receive instruction in seamanship, damage control, close order drill, first aid, marksmanship, Coast Guard history and military regulations.

## Scott Fry Completes Naval Training Period

Navy Lieutenant (junior grade) Scott A. Fry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis N. Fry of Elmcrest Drive, Dallas, has completed the first joint U.S.-Italian shipboard damage control training program conducted for U.S. Sixth Fleet ships in the Mediterranean. He is serving aboard the patrol gunboat USS Grand Rapids, homeported at Naples, Italy. During the training period he received instruction in nuclear decontamination procedures and emergency shipboard repair.

# Elementary Wrestling Tourney Scheduled for Aug. 17 and 18

Plans for the second annual Back Mountain Elementary Wrestling Tournament are well underway. The event will be held at Lake-Lehman High School during the weekend of Aug. 17. This year's tournament has been structured similar to last year's and should feature young wrestlers from various areas of Pennsylvania. The event is being sponsored by the Back Mountain Wrestling Club, with assistance from the Dallas Recreation Center.

Weigh-ins for the various weight classes will be held Aug. 17, 7:00 p.m. and also Aug. 18, 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m., prior to the start of actual wrestling.

The weight classes for the tournament are 50 lbs., 60 lbs., 70 lbs., 80 lbs., 90 lbs., 100 lbs., 115 lbs., and unlimited. Actual wrestling begins at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, with the semi-finals

and finals to follow accordingly. The elementary tournament is open to any boy in grades one-six. Awards will be made to the winners in each class. Throughout the matches PIAA rules will be in effect and the matches will consist of three one minute periods. Entry blanks and more information may be obtained by contacting various local establishments, Ned Hartman at 696-1122 or the Dallas Recreation Center at 675-4574.

The Back Mountain Wrestling Club has spent many diligent hours in preparing this year's program. They have done an excellent job of planning an event that should aid in the development of wrestling on the elementary level and also create an overall interest in the sport of wrestling. To make this tournament



truly successful, a good turn-out of wrestlers and spectators is needed. The community is urged to help make this event successful.



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Donnie Sutton, Lehman, is shown cutting his pony around a barrel in the pee wee cloverleaf class at the J. R. Davis Fire Company Horse Show. This year's show will include pleasure, equitation and racing classes for the younger generation.

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