

# School



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## Science winners

Shown here are the winners of a recent Science Fair held at Gate of Heaven School, Dallas. From left, first row, John Pieczynski, Kevin Sult, Wendy Kuniskas, Melissa Malonis, Heather Malonis, sixth grade winners. Second row, Amy Allardyce, Debbie Kindler, Lucia Sitar, Dawn Rismondo, seventh grade winners. Third row, Mrs. Makowski, science teacher, sixth grade; Sandy Rutkoski, Jean Stahovec, Anna Beezich, Arlene Casterline, Amy Cutter, Annette Sitar, eighth grade winners; and Miss Deborah Wysocki, teacher.

## Science Fair held at Gate of Heaven

A Science Fair was held recently at Gate of Heaven School, Dallas. Coordinated by Miss Debby Wysocki, teacher, the fair consisted of science projects done by students in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

Sixth grade winners were Melissa and Heather Malonis, first place, solar system; Kevin Sult and John

Pieczynski, second place, energy; Wendy Kuniskas, third place, solar system;

place, observation and clean up of an oil spill.

Seventh grade winners were Amy Allardyce and Debbie Kindler, first place, balance of nature; Lucia Sitar, second place, process of ecological succession after a landslide; and Dawn Rismondo, third

Eighth grade winners were Sandra Rutkoski and Jean Stahovec, first place, volcanoes of the world; Anna Beezich, second place, acid rain; and Amy Cutter, Arlene Casterline and Annette Sitar, third place, spring constellations.



## Awards dinner held

The first annual Leadership Awards Dinner for College Misericordia student leaders and their advisors, another component of this leadership program, was held recently. Pictured are members of the leadership task force. From left, seated, Eileen Brennan, sophomore; Mary Millich, director of student activities; Germaine Riccardo, senior and Andrea DiMarcantonio, freshman. Standing, Dr. Charles LaJeunesse, director of counseling; Sister Martha Hanlon, RSM, dean of students; Terry Ansilio, business administration instructor and James Calderone, assistant professor division of behavioral sciences and social work. Not pictured are Bill Dick, director of Act 101 program and Mary Siegel, Act 101 counselor.

## Students design leadership course

A task force of students, faculty and administrators at College Misericordia has designed a new leadership course which students may take for elective credit in the upcoming academic year.

The goal of the course is to assist students in developing their leadership potential so that they can be effective managers of student organizations and can apply their leadership skills to the benefit of the community after graduation from Misericordia.

In the fall, 1984 semester, the leadership course will introduce students to basic leadership skills and organizational theory. Topics to be covered include group process, decision making, meeting manage-

ment, communication, motivation and delegation.

The spring semester will focus more on the experience of leadership; students will undertake a leadership project as they study the managerial roles of planning, organizing, directing and controlling. The leadership course will be offered for one credit each semester.

According to Mary Millich, director of student activities at College Misericordia, the leadership course will prepare effective student leaders who will have the capability to strengthen student organizations on campus and positively affect student life in general. Ms. Millich was responsible for forming the leadership task force as part of a broader, campus-wide student services program.



SUSAN DICTON

## Diction named scholar

Wilkes College Dean of Admissions, Dr. Gerald K. Wuori, has announced that Susan Diction has been named a Board of Trustees Scholar.

Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Diction of Lehman and is scheduled to graduate from Lake-Lehman High School this Saturday.

The Trustee Scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic excellence. Susan's other awards include: Who's Who Among American High School Students; Recognition by the United States Achievement Academy; National Merit Foundation Commended Student; Scholar Roll throughout High School.

Susan will major in computer science while at Wilkes College. Her future plans included graduate school. She joins five others being honored as Wilkes College Board of Trustees Scholars.

## Bible School set

The Dallas Baptist Church will conduct a two-week Vacation Bible School beginning June 11. There will be daily sessions from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and classes will be provided for children of ages fourth through grade six.

By attending Bible School, children are provided an excellent opportunity to participate in Bible study, enjoy creative learning projects and to experience the love of Jesus in their own lives.

The Dallas Baptist Church is located on Route 415 at Idetown. Maureen Doerfler is the Vacation Bible School Director.

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## 4-H program teaches about our environment

Environmental Awareness was the topic for fourth, fifth and Special Education students of Luzerne County as they entered the 4-H Black Locust Program. This annual program, sponsored by the Luzerne County 4-H Clubs program is annually offered free to all fourth, fifth and Special Education classes in all private and public schools in the county.

Those instructors whose classes elected to participate received peat blocks and seeds for each student in the class. The class instructor then guided the students through a variety of environmental experiences.

Representatives from Dallas and Lake-Lehman School Districts who participated in the program were:

**DALLAS INTERMEDIATE** — Maryann Jesse, fifth grade; Nancy Biscontini, fourth, fifth, sixth grades special education; Frances Husted, fourth, fifth, sixth grades special education; Bette Thomas, fifth grade.

**WESTMORELAND ELEMENTARY** — Thomas P. Shaver, fourth

grade. **LEHMAN-JACKSON ELEMENTARY** — Mrs. Marilyn Glogiroski, fifth grade; Miss Wesoloski, fourth grade; Jane Anne James, fourth grade; Greg Moyer, fourth grade.

**LAKE-NOXEN ELEMENTARY** — Cathy Edwards, fourth grade.

The Black Locust 4-H Program is administered by the 4-H Club Program of Luzerne County, Courthouse Annex, 5 Water St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa. 18711; phone: 825-1701 or 459-0736, (Hazleton Area).

## Camp opens

Barbara Rosene, Camp Director for Penn's Woods Girl Scout Council, reports that summer Resident Camping season at Camp Louise will begin on July 1 and end on August 12. That period will include a pre-camp training session and four week-long camp sessions. In addition, four three-day Core Camp sessions will be held the last two weeks in June.

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