

# School



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## PTO organizes

Dallas Township PTO has organized its board for the 1984-85 school year. Andrea Molski is president, of the PTO. Jackie Downend is first vice president. Jean Utter is second vice president. Mary Hoyes is secretary, Mildred Robinson is treasurer. Faculty advisors are Lucille Callahan, Susan Butcher, Mary Ann Zezza, and Anthony Ciarucci. Andrea Molski and Jackie Downend are serving as school board representatives. Board members shown here are, from left, first row, Jean Utter, second vice-president; Jackie Downend, first vice president; Andrea Molski, Mildred Robinson, treasurer; Mary Hayes, secretary. Second row, Millie Brody, programs; Pat Nicely, publicity; Towanda Gainey, Winter Carnival membership; Lynn Romano, Shirley Haas, hospitality; Diane Hozempa, special events and projects. Absent at the time of the photo were Julie Roan, health and safety; and Jan Waligorski, telephone squad.

## Dallas juniors will take PSATs

Pat Russin, guidance counselor at Dallas Senior High has announced that the juniors will be able to join one million other students around the world in taking the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Tests-National Merit Scholarship qualifying Test (PSAT-NMSQT) this fall. The test, co-sponsored by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation is an important step in making college plans.

Scheduled for Saturday, October 20, 1984 at 8:30 a.m. (doors open at

8 a.m.) the test measures verbal and mathematical aptitude - two abilities important in doing college work. The test can also lead to other opportunities for high school students; they can enter the competition for scholarships administered by the National Merit Scholarship corporation; they can participate in College Board's Student Search Service which is used by hundreds of colleges interested in students like them, also they can get a good idea what the Scholastic Aptitude

Test (SAT) is like.

Juniors who are interested in taking PSAT-NMSQT are to register in the guidance office at Dallas Senior High School. The fee for taking the test is \$5 payable upon registration. The deadline for registering for the test is October 12, 1984.

## ASVAB given at Dallas

Dallas juniors will be given the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) on October 4, with approval of the Dallas School Board.

This battery is being given to students as part of the students' career counseling program. The results of the test will be used to give the students information on their aptitude for certain job areas.

The ASVAB test is a service given to school districts free of cost by the Armed Services. Many high schools across the country have endorsed using this battery as part of their career counseling program.

In addition to the ASVAB, as part of career counseling, during the school year, the juniors at Dallas will also be given an Interest Inventory (VIESA) and they will work individually with the computer-based Guidance Information System.

All these sources will be used to help the student match interest and aptitude with current job and job training information. The program is designed to give students as much information as possible to aid in their career choices.

## DALLAS SCHOOL NEWS

Lorena Beniquez Kim Rollman

**FRANCIS BAINES** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baines of Dallas. Francis has been a member of the Dallas Band for seven years. For six of those years, he played the saxophone and this year, Francis is the assistant drum major. Francis has also been a member of the Lehman Twp. Volunteer Fire Company for one year and he plans to continue with the fire company after graduation while also attending LCCC part time.

**A.J. BITTNER** is the son of Clarke and Joanne Bittner of RD 5, Dallas. A.J. is a member of the Dallas baseball team and was honored last year by making second team all-scholastic. He is also a member of the steering committee, student council, and the golf team. A.J. previously participated in football and basketball, but a serious injury restricted further play. A.J.'s future plans include attending college and majoring in the medical field. However, he has not yet pinpointed a specific medical area.

**KERRIE BONAWITZ** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evan

Bonawitz of Trucksville. Kerrie is captain of the cheerleading squad and has been a member of the squad for three years. After graduation, Kerrie plans to attend college for a marketing degree.

**HUGH BOYES** is the son of Mrs. Peggy Boyes and the late Mr. Warren C. Boyes. Hugh and his mom reside on Country Club Road in Dallas. He is presently a member of AFS, a club having to do with foreign exchange students. After graduation, Hugh plans to join the Navy.

**CATHY BRADY** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brady of Trucksville. Cathy is an active student who is a member of the student council and the marching band's silk squad. She is also a statistician for the basketball team and works at the Bonanza Steak House. Cathy is awaiting a reply from Clarion State University where she anticipates to major in psychology.

**LORI BRANDT** is the daughter of Truman and Geraldine Brandt of Highland Ave., in Trucksville. Lori is presently the co-captain of the

girls volleyball team and enjoys it very much. Lori's future plans include attending St. Luke's School of Nursing in Bethlehem, PA. when she has already been accepted.

**TAMMY BROBST** is the daughter of Beverly and Eugene Brobst of Trucksville. Tammy's favorite class is accounting and she plans to attend college after graduation for a degree in Criminal Justice.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Derek Tamburro, Derin Sivey, Jim Aikman, and A.J. Bittner for advancing to Golf Districts which will be played on Tuesday. Good luck guys!

**THE GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY TEAM** recorded two wins this week over Meyers and Wyoming Valley West, and also a tie with Abington Heights. Keep up the good work girls!

**RUMOR HAS IT** that the Dallas Marching Band is traveling to the tropical paradise of Hawaii for their second band trip. Fact or Fiction????

## LAKE-LEHMAN SCHOOL NEWS

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**VINCENT VESPICO III** is the son of Mr. Vincent Vespico of Harveys Lake. A transfer student from W.V.W. Vince is an avid sports enthusiast. Water skiing and bicycling are just two of the many activities he enjoys in the summer. After graduation, Vince plans to attend either Scranton or Temple University to pursue a career as a physical therapist.

**DONNA DEGENNARO** is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Patrick DeGennaro of Shavertown. She has spent her years at Lake-Lehman participating in such activities as cheerleading, tennis, field hockey, and the Yearbook staff. She plays right wing on the undefeated hockey

team and has plans of attending college and majoring in astronomy.

**P.J. MALAK** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malak of Chase. P.J.'s hobbies include music, hunting and fishing. He is also a member of the football and baseball teams. P.J. hopes to attend Cornell next year and major in criminal justice.

**LORI LOPASKY** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lopasky of Lehman. In her spare time Lori enjoys reading, jogging and swimming. She also participates in field hockey, basketball and softball. Her future plans include college at Syracuse University with a probable major in sports therapy.

**THE FIRST ANNUAL "GENERIC DANCE"** was sponsored by the Key Club Saturday at the Lehman Fire Hall. Disc jockeys were Bob Hackling and "Jumpin'" Joe Lieb. Fellow Key Clubbers from Wyoming Area, Dallas and Tunkhannock also attended with everyone dressed in black and white in keeping with the "generic" theme.

**THE KNIGHTS CROSS COUNTRY TEAM** defeated Hanover 23-32 and WVW 15-42 in a recent tri-meet held at Lehman's 2.9 mile course. Dave Janiczek continued his winning by crossing the line first in 15:44.

## GATE OF HEAVEN SCHOOL NEWS

Rachell Schall Donna Greger Joan Segrave-Daly

**SCHOOL PICTURES** will be taken today. Students have the choice of "dressing up" for the occasion, or of wearing the school uniform. Barksdale Studio of Lansdowne, PA. will take the pictures.

**THE SIXTH, SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADES** attended an orientation meeting last week regarding the procedure for student council elections. Rules were explained in reference to campaign posters in the school. The elections will take place in early November.

**THIS YEAR** the students in grades 3, 5 and 8 will take the TELLS tests. (Tests for Essential

Learning and Literacy Skills). These tests are to be offered each year by Governor Dick Thornburgh as part of an educational program to prevent illiteracy. Reading and mathematics are the subject matter of the tests.

**RECENTLY OUR SCHOOL CAFETERIA** LOST its excellent manager, Mrs. Mary Lou Stahovec who has given eight years of dedicated service in providing good lunches to the children of Gate of Heaven School. Mrs. Stahovec has our gratitude and best wishes as she begins her new employment at Commonwealth Telephone Co. Our new manager is Mrs. Barbara Hagan who

will be assisted in the kitchen by Mrs. Bettijane Dowd and Mrs. Carol Yatsko. We extend a grateful welcome to the new staff.

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK** Eighth grader, Russell Bigus is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bigus of Elmcrest Drive, Dallas. Such sports as hunting, fishing and basketball are Russell's favorites. He enjoys the outdoor life. His hopes are high that he will be on the basketball team this year. His educational plans are to attend a Catholic High School. He likes hard rock music; a favorite song being "Sharp-Dressed Man" by ZZ Top. Someday Russell hopes to become a doctor.

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