Sports

Pro wrestling comes to area

The World Wrestling Federation will present many of the best professional wrestlers in the world on their Thursday evening, Feb. 27, card at the Scandlon Physical Education Center on North Main Street in Wilkes-Barre.

Headlining the card will be popular Hillbilly Jim taking on powerful "King Kong" Bundy. Both of these wrestlers are over 6'8" tall and tip the scales over the 400 pound mark.

In an outstanding Tag Team Match colorful George "The Animal" Steele will team up with rugged Corporal Kirchner. They will take on the former World Champion Tag Team of Nickoli Volkoff of Russia and the Iron Sheik of Iran.

Also, strongmen Hercules Hernandez will square off against former Los Angeles Raider football star "George Wells".

In another singles match Tampa, Florida Blond Bomber "Dan Spivey" will face Iron Mike Shapre of Canada.

In addition, Country Boy "Cousin Luke" will meet the fabulous Frenchman Rene Goulet.

Opening up the card at 8 p.m. will be Siva Afi going against Barry "O".

This dynamic card is being sponsored by the Blue & Gold Club of Bishop O'Reilly High School of Kingston.

Tickets are $8 for general admission and $10 for ringside-reserved and are now on sale at the following, Gallery of Sound locations, the Wyoming Valley Mall, Gateway Shopping Center and at the Dallas Shopping Center.

Plaque presented

An engraved plaque was awarded to the Edwardsville K Mart, by the Harveys Lake BassMaster Club, in appreciation for the support of Youth Activities during 1985. Pictured above receiving the award, standing left to right: Joseph J. Jarzenbovicz, Assistant Manager of Edwardsville K Mart, Joseph Drust, President of the Harveys Lake BassMaster Club, and Robert Olsen K Mart Sporting Goods and Auto Merchandise Manager.

King's lists schedule

A 24-game schedule for the King's College baseball team has been announced by John Dorish, director of athletics and veteran of 18 years as diamond coach at the college.

The Kingston resident said team candidates will begin workouts in Scandlon Gym during the week and will move to the Hilldale Athletic complex early next month.

King's is a member of the Middle Atlantic Conference and will hear "Play Ball" for the first time March 22 in a home doubleheader against Drew University.

King's schedule: Mar. 22, Drew, DH; Apr. 1, at Wilkes; Apr. 2, at Bloomsburg; Apr. 5, Susquehanna, DH; Apr. 8, Scranton, DH; Apr. 11, at East Stroudsburg; Apr. 12, FDU-Madison, DH; Apr. 15, at Delaware Valley, DH; Apr. 19, Misericordia, DH; Apr. 21, at Scranton; Apr. 24, Wilkes: Apr. 26, at Allentown, DH; Apr. 27, at Upsala, DH; Apr. 30, at Hartwick; May 4, at New Jersey Tech, DH.

Lost via graduation were Gary Vogue, Doug Jones, and Nick Romola. Injuries had sidelined Vogue, a catcher and Romola, an infielder, much of last spring. Jones was a strating southpaw hurler.

Some promising new prospects have become candidates for this year's diamond squad. Tom Hendershot is a left-hand hiting shortstop out of Sayre High School, a freshman. Gregg Saccone is a 6'2" frosh outfielder who bats and throws left from Livingston, N.J. Pat Wills is a Bishop Hoban alumnus who can play several positions, a yearling. Freshman Scott Latoski lettered as a catcher-outfielder at Wyoming Area. Soph Chris Reid is an infielder from Lebanon, N.J. Freshman Bob Westfall is an outfielder from Wappinger Falls, N.Y. Soph Brian Andes of Shavertown played the outfield for Lake-Lehman. Freshman Ken Partington is a catcher-outfielder from Carteret, N.J. Soph Mike Zuber is an outfielder from South Williamsport. Senior Brian Temperine is a 6'3", 210 pound infield-itcher from Ashley, former Hanover Township athlete. Freshman John Burkhardt is an infielder from Hamilton Square, N.J. Carl Makowski, a junior, is a catcher from Couighoin and Luzerne County Community College.

Senior Jim Sheridan, a righty, and southpaw Joe Flaherty head the returning mound staff. Also back is Mike Foley of Allentown, junior right-hander. Junior Ron Farina, outfielder-infielder from Fairfield, Conn. returns. Senior Jim Conahan, infielder from Wilkes-Barre, is a candidate. Dorish is looking for a good season from first baseman Scott Suda, junior out of Wilkes-Barre GAR. Pat Gallagher, soph from Illinois, returns to the infield. Lettermen reporting as outfielders include soph Mike Bressi, Kulpmont; Jim Danna, Clifton Heights junior; and senior Pat Sullivan, Ridgewood, N.J.

Fish-For-Free Day is set for June 7

It has been said that the best things in life are free, and if that is the truth then the Pennsylvania Fish Commission's Fish-For-Free Day will be of interest to anglers everywhere.

Fish-For-Free Day is, as the name implies, a free day of fishing for residents and non-residents of the Commonwealth. The license requirement will be lifted for the entire day on Saturday, June 7, 1986, and anglers and would-be anglers may test the waters open to the public statewide.

According to Executive Director Ralph W. Abele, June 7th will allow individuals to try fishing at no cost. "A day in the outdoors on us."

Anglers will be allowed to fish for any species inseason on that day. They may keep the fish in accord with seasons and creel limites, and they will be required to obey all rules and regulations that govern fishing in the Commonwealth. Abele suggests that anyone wishing to fish on June 7th write the Pennsylvania Fish Commission for a copy of rules and regulations. A copy may be acquired by writing the Pennsylvania Fish Commission, Office of Information, P.O. Box 1673, Harrisburg, PA 17105-1673. Please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request.

This year Fish-For-Free Day will be more informal than in the past, according to Abele. Our theme for the day will be, "Take a Friend Fishing." Most of us at one time or another like to introduce close friends to things we enjoy. This is an excellent time to take your neighbor, a co-worker, your spouse, or simply a friend fishing. A day astream, away from everyday pressures of life, will teach you a lot about a person--you may be introducing him or her to a lifetime of sporting fun.

Fish-For-Free Day on June 7th--the only strings attached are those that run from the end of the old fishing pole to the hook.

STRIKES & SPARES

League-leading East Dallas team divided equally with Maple Grove in the Back Mountain Church League last week paced by R. Witkowski's 216 (548). Hitting high series for the Maple Grove men were Glen Mazur with 236 (544) and his twin brother, Glen with 537. Second place Trucksville B took three points from Shavertown B despite C. Kazokas hitting 541 for the losing five while the Orange men stayed close on the top teams heels by shutting out Carverton A. Neither team, however, bowled spectacular. Trucksville C moved ahead of Carverton A by blanking the Carverton B men led by F. Hughes 521. Dallas A moved up in the standings by picking up four points by a forfeit from Shavertown A. B. Williams hit pins for 536 for the Dallas team.

In the Idetown Compact League the first place Firebirds dropped three and a half points to the Corvettes, whose B. May rolled 522 and Marilyn Morris 188 (486). The Aries five moved into a tie for first place with the Capris by picking up three points from the Camaros while Capris were shutting out the Citations. Nancy Kozemchak toppled pins for 171-180 (511) to lead the Aries team while Connie Doty rolled 209 (558) for the Cameros and R. Stogoski added 206. Jarrett Roan led the Capris to taking all by walloping the pins for 231-249 (677) and Nola Taylor added 176. E. Ishley scattered pins for 542 to lead the Pintos in taking four from LeBarons.

Fashion Vending continued in first place in the Ladies Country League by taking three points from the Castlettes and Bonomo Sports Center remained in second by taking three from G.H. Harris. Gordon Insurance moved into third spot by picking up three points from Grotto Pizza. L. Cyphers hit the woods for 170-175 (510) and D. Balliett rolled 192. A. Hospodar hit 201 for the Castlettes and N. Ide knocked down pins for 179 for Bonomo's Sports Center. D. Zurinski set the pace for Grotto Pizza with 473.

In the Bowlerette League Franklin's girls shut out Tom Reese paced by N. Crane who knocked down pins for 182 (494) and Brent Long five took three from the Hoagie Bar, whose N. Moser rolled 174.

Buckwheats took all from Spanky's group in Our Gang League and D. Jenkins 200-175-176 (551) paced the Farinas to four points from Butch's five. Jenkins was aided by A. Tregan's 170-199 (498), D. Hudak's 205 (491) and J. Whitehead's 178. E. Dingle hit 223 (576) for the losing five. Chubbie team blanked Alfalfa and the Worms copped three from Porky.

Jerry Roan hammered the pins for 205-245-229 (679) and D. Eddy hit them for 208-202 (590) to lead Brown's Oil in taking all from K Boom, who was led by R. Ockenhouse's 220 (546) in Bonomo's Major League. Back Mountain Inn No. 1 blanked Back Mountain Inn No. 2 sparked by K. Spencer's 236 (630) and f. Cornell's 205-209 (602). K. Orkwis added 548. D. Johnstone headed the losing five with 530. Sweet Valley Outfitters shut out Bermudas aided by R. Bonomo Jr.'s 244 (630). B. Varner added 570, Glen Mazer gave 555 and Gary Mazer 234 (530). T. Doughton knocked down pins for 541 for the Bermudas. Led by H. Garris' 204-223 (598) and R. Herron's 563 Back Mt. Sporting Goods took three from the Hambos. L. Coolbaugh added 542 and R. Harned gave 523.

YMCA slates wrestling tourney for March 15

The Wilkes-Barre Family YMCA's 21st Annual High School tournament has been set for March 15 at the Wilkes College Gym.

There will be two divisions, 9th and 10th grade division with 91, 101, 108, 115, 122, 129, 135, 141, 148, 158, 170, 188 and Hwt. classes. 11th and 12th grade divisions 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 188 and Hwt. classes, no weight allowance.

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th place winners in each division along with the "John G. Reese" award for outstanding wrestler "George Ralston" award for the most falls and the "Vince Degillio" award for the quickest fall.

For entries call the Wilkes-Barre YMCA at 823-2191. Jim Thomas will be the Meet Director.

Football League seeks teams

The Wyoming Valley Junior Football Association is actively soliciting for additional football teams to join the Wyoming Valley Junior Football Conference.

Teams interested may contact: Tom Zabroski 474-9159, Ed Dudick 826-0684 or Frank Swanberry, 822-1720, 829-6527.

Commission holds meeting

The Kingston Township Recreation Commission held its annual reorganizational meeting on January 31. The commission elected David Morris of Holly Street, Trucksville as new chairman. Other members of the commission include Edward Crey, Mike Williams, Carl Goeringer, and George Tucker. Township Supervisor Daniel Wisnieski serves as liaison to the Recreation Commission. Dawn Gavigan serves as Recording Secretary.

Baseball group sets sign-ups

Back Mt. Baseball Inc. will conduct its final registration of players on Saturday, Feb. 22, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Shavertown U.M. Church on Pioneer Ave.

Children are eligible to register for Little League Hardball, ages 7-12; Girls Softball, ages 9-15; 13 Year Old League, age 13, and Teener League, ages 13 to 15. First time players must present birth certificates and all players must be accompanied by an adult.

Managers, coaches, umpires and other volunteersare needed by the organization.

Shoot

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at Camp Lejeune Marine Corps Military Reservation in Jacksonville, North Carolina, July 23-27, 1986.

Hosting the Pennsylvania Hunter Education Championship will be the Irem Temple Country Club. They are located in Luzerne County, RD 5, Dallas, Penna.

To be eligible for Pennsylvania's First Annual Hunter Education Championship, a youngster must first complete a Hunter Education Course. If youngsters would like to take part, talk to Hunter Education Instructors, Sportsmen's Groups, Schools (FFA & 4-H) Civic Organizations, etc...about getting a team together in your area.

Remember, this program is designed for all youngsters interested in shooting as a sport, developing their hunting skills and taking part in a challenging, fun program.

Further information, rules and regulations and registration forms can be obtained by writing or phoning the Pennsylvania Game Commission, P.O. Box 220, Dallas, PA 18612, Attn: Ed Sherlinski. Telephone: 717 675-1143 or 1144.

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