

Locals do well at Keystone Games

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Atty. Gary Taroli, Shavertown, won two silver medals and a bronze medal in the swimming competition at the Keystone State Games last weekend at State College. Taroli, in the 30-34 age group, came in second in the 50 and 100-meter breaststroke events and took a bronze medal in the 50-meter freestyle competition.

The Keystone State Games and teams from four divisions in the state, competing against each other in scholastic and open-division competition and Region 2, covering Northeastern Pennsylvania, came home with three gold medals in the team events.

The open-division women's basketball team, coached by Hazleton High School Girls Basketball Coach Joe Barletta, copped the gold by edging Region 1, 94-93, aided by Kingston's Deanna Kyle, who tied the game at 90 each, with 1:02 remaining in the game. Patti Longnecker's two free throws with only 23 seconds remaining on the clock clinched the win for the local team.

The Region 2 women's hockey team won the gold medal in a 3-1 flickoff over Region 1. Both teams were tied with 1-0-1 records after Round-Robin competition, and since each had defeated their previous opponents by the same number of goals, they had to flick off for the gold. Lake-Lehman's Sue Slocum competed on the scholastic team. Wyoming Seminary's Karen Klassner

coached the Region 2 team.

The Region 2 girls scholastic volleyball team captured the gold medal by defeating Region 3, 15-11 and 15-10.

Region 2 boys baseball team came home with a silver medal, aided by the pitching of Tunkhannock's Marc Marini and Dallas Mountaineer Scott Francis. The Region 2 team went into the final round undefeated but lost 4-3 to Region 4 on Sunday.

The open-division baseball team brought home a bronze medal following their 8-7 loss to Region 4 on Saturday.

The Region 2 scholastic basketball team lost 66-49 to Region 4, Sunday, to finish with a silver medal and the Region 2's softball team, coached by Lake-Lehman's

Flossie Finn, was nipped 6-5 by Region 4, to settle for the silver. Region 2 took a 2-0 lead when Joyce Tinner of Dallas hit a single in the third and fifth innings and also scored in each of those frames. They were leading by one run until the top of the seventh when Pittsburgh's Bridget McGee hit a two RBI triple to give Region 4 its second win in two days over Region 2.

The Region 2 high school hockey team took a silver medal sparked by the play of Mountaineers Jonathan Dombek and John Sheehan.

Both boys played on the Region 2's gold medal team last season. Brian Nagy, team leader, commended Sheehan, Dallas Mountaineers goalkeeper, and named him MVP for his defensive play.

Horse Show winners listed

The J.R. Davis Fire Company of Idetown held its 21st Annual Horse Show on Saturday and Sunday. Following are the winners:

Class 1, Warm Up Hunter - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 2, Children's Hunter - Dene Stull on Little Bit of Sunshine; Class 3, Hunt Seat Equitation - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 4, Hunt Seat Equitation 13 and under - Andrew Bogen on Victoria Queen; Class 5, Hunt Seat Equitation - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 6, Novice Equitation - Dene Stull on Little Bit of Sunshine; Class 7, Short Stirrup Crossrails - Leah Garland on St. George; Class 8, Short Stirrup Walk Trot Equitation - Leah Garland on St. George.

Class 9, Hunt Seat Equitation - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 10, Hunt Seat Equitation 13 and under - Nelia Nicholson on Maybe Forever; Class 11, Novice Equitation - Nelia Nicholson on Maybe Forever; Class 12, Short Stirrup Walk Trot Pleasure - Leah Garland on St. George; Class 13, Children's Hunter Under Saddle - Nelia Nicholson on Maybe Forever; Class 14, Short Stirrup Walk Trot Canter Pleasure - Leah Garland on St. George; Class 15, Children's Hunter Stake - Andrew Bogen on Victorian Queen.

Class 16, Pony Hunter - Marla Parente on St. George; Class 17, Warm Up Hunter - Nancy Calise on Maybe Forever; Class 18, Green Hunter - Belinda Spaide, on Luc-Key Lad; Class 19, Non Thoroughbred Hunter - Charlene Carey on Contessa; Class 21, Limit Open

Hunter - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 22, Limit Open Hunter Stake - Tammy Strittmatter on Whits Ends; Class 24 - Dult Hunter, Nancy Calise on Maybe Forever; Class 25, Pony Hunter Stake - Marla Parente.

Class 26, Green Hunter Stake - Belinda Spaide on Luc-Key Lad; Class 27, Non Thoroughbred Hunter Stake - Charlene Carey on Contessa; Class 28, Adult Hunter Stake - Nancy Calise on Maybe Forever; Class 29, Hunter Hack - Kris Ricci on Agean Ladd; Class 30, Pony Hunter Under Saddle - Angela Lavery on Nashville Brass; Class 31, Green Hunter Under Saddle - Rita Smith on Portrait of a Lady; Class 33, Non Thoroughbred Under Saddle - Maryann Machinas on Snor Carablanca.

Class 34, Limit Open Hunter Under Saddle - Nancy Calise on Maybe Forever; Class 35, Adult Hunter Under Saddle - Nancy Calise on Maybe Forever; Class 36, Open English Pleasure - Maryann Machinas on Senor Carablanca; Class 37, Open 4H Grooming and Showmanship - Christy Campbell on Skip Bar Star; Class 38, 4H Stock Seat Equitation - Christy Campbell on Honey Creek Snoop; Class 39, Senior Western Pleasure Over 18 - Sharon Horn on Go Lucky Missy.

Class 40, Break and Out - Christy Campbell on Honey Creek Snoop; Class 41, Lead Line Western - Jeff Lawson on Skips Wee Sister; Class 41, English - Jennifer Gross on Puff of Smoke; Class 42, 2 and 3 Year Old Snaffel Bit Pleasure - Chris Boyle on Sweet Victoria; Class 43, Junior Western Pleasure Horse -

Chris Boyle on Sweet Victoria; Class 44, Stock Seat Equitation 13 and Under - Melanie Raspen on Informers Fancy; Class 45, Stock Seat Equitation 14 to 17 - Christy Campbell on Honey Creek Snoop.

Class 46, Junior Western Pleasure 18 and Under - Joane Boyle on Miss Chicks Mark; Class 47, Ladies Western Pleasure - Sharon Horn on Go Lucky Missy; Class 48, Pony Pleasure - Joann Boyle on Miss Chicks Mark; Class 49, Pony Pleasure Driving - Wendy Martin driving Cobblestone Corky; Class 50, Open Western Pleasure - Sharon Horn on Go Lucky Missy; Class 51, 4H Western Pleasure - Christy Campbell.

Class 52, Registered Quarter Horse Pleasure - Chris Boyle on Queen Victoria; Class 53, Pony Pleasure Driving Stake - Wendy Martin driving Cobblestone Corky; Class 54, Junior Montana Keyhole - Christy Campbell on Honey Creek Snoop; Class 55, Senior Montana Keyhole - Evan Brown on Miss Kitty Lea; Class 56, Open Bleeding Heart - Evan Brown on Miss Kitty Lea; Class 57, Junior Pole Bending - Kelly Daro on Foxy Lady; Class 59, Junior Cloverleaf - Kim McLaughlin on Sunshine.

Class 60, Senior Cloverleaf and Calcutta - Betsy Desiderio on Lee; Class 61, 50 yard dash - Sherry Radzinski on Rance; Class 62, Flag Race - Jim Nooft on E.T.; Class 63, Open Jackpot 50-yard Dash - Betsy Desiderio on Lee; Class 64, Open Jackpot Cloverleaf Barrel Race - Jim Nooft on E.T.; and Class 65, J.R. Davis Barrel Race - Evan Brown on Miss Kitty Lea.



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Show participant

A participant in the J.R. Davis Volunteer Fire Company's Annual Horse Shoe is attended to during Sunday's competition. The horse shoe, held this year at the Luzerne County Fairgrounds, attracted hundreds of participants as well as spectators.

William Weigels note 49th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William Weigel of Trucksville observed their 49th wedding anniversary on August 11. Mrs. Weigel is the former Phoebe

Fargo, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Fargo of Kingston and Wilkes-Barre. Mr. Weigel is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Guido

Weigel of Germany. They are the parents of three children, Mrs. Peggy Poynton, Dallas; Mrs. Mary Lou Painter, Montebello, Va.; and Mrs. Susan Henning, Essex, Maryland.

They also have nine grandchildren, Mrs. Juli Poynton Geiger, Kristel and Laura Poynton, Dallas; Raymond and Billy Malkemes, Florida; Mrs. Sheri Possiel, U.S. Marines, Hawaii; Mrs. Sheila Tice, U.S. Marines, Okinawa; Mrs. Jean Edgar, Maryland; Edward Welch, Maryland. They also have six great-grandchildren, Jennifer Geiger, Dallas; Natasha and Rusty Malkemes, Florida; Amber Edgar, Maryland; Dustin Tice, Okinawa; and Tia Possiel, Hawaii.

Births

(The following Back Mountain couples have announced births during the past week.)

ASHTON, KATHLEEN and SCOTT, 149 Butternut Road, Shavertown, a son, Sunday, August 3.

BAUR, PAULA and ROBERT, 13 Woodcliff Drive, Dallas, a son, Friday, August 1.

DESANDRO, NANCY and MICHAEL, RD 3, Box 263-2, Dallas,

a son, Thursday, July 31. BARN, DIANE and ROBERT, RD 3, Box 272-6, Dallas, a son, Thursday, Aug. 7.

HACKLING, DENISE and DALE, RD 2, Box 364A Harveys Lake, a son, Wednesday, Aug. 6.

JACKSON, DONNA and PATRICK, RD 1, KP8, Harveys Lake, a son, Wednesday, Aug. 6.

Retired State Employees meet

Luzerne County Chapter of the Pennsylvania Association of Retired State Employees met recently at the Embassy Room of the Gus Genetti Best Western Motel, Wilkes-Barre, with Bruno Dalmas, president, presiding. Following the Pledge of Alle-

giance and a moment of silent prayer, reports were given by Lavina Fisher, secretary and Gwilym Amos, treasurer. Clare Smith reported on the annual dinner to be held at Genetti's on October 23.

John Baur, Dallas, assisted by Joan McDonald and Michael Pets-

cavage will present the slate of officers at the August meeting.

Guest luncheon speaker for the July meeting was David Sedor, representative of Blue Cross-Blue Shield, who spoke on the pros and cons of Blue Cross coverage.

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