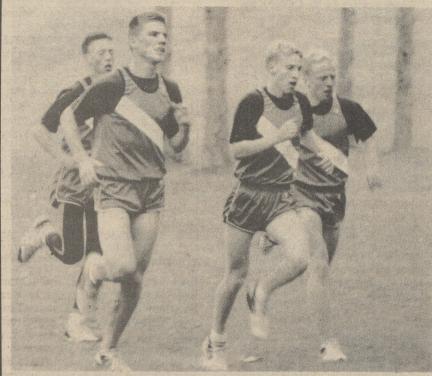
SPORTS



DISTRICT CHAMPS - The Dallas cross country team won the Wyoming Valley Conference title last week by defeating Wyoming Area and Hazleton. Shown at a meet earlier in the season are, form left; Jared Samuel, Hugh Mucdy, Steve Oliver and Walter Fader. (Photo contrib-

Dallas cross country wins conference title

By CHARLOT M. DENMON Staff Writer

The Dallas Mountaineers won their first Wyoming Valley Conference title since the sport was added to the Dallas sports program. Thursday the Mounts will compete in the district championships at Frances Slocum Park. From there, the team hopes to reach the state title competition next week.

The runners went undefeated in the league this season and nailed down the championshop last Wednesday by defeating Wyoming Area 23-55 and Hazleton 15-50 to end the season with an 18-0 record.

Warrior Judd Jarden came in first, setting a course record at Hazleton of 15.37, eight seconds in front of

Mount Hugh Mundy. The Dallas runners took five of the top sever places to cinch the win and the conference crown.

In addition to Mundy's second, Steve Oliver came in third in 15:54 Jared Samuel placed fifth 16:26, Walt Fader sixth in 16:32 and Jim Evans seventh in 16:43. John Aston came in ninth in 17:11.

Dallas coach Bill Kvashay is pleased with his athletes' performance this year and attributes his team's success to their ability to run together. He said he hopes his athletes continue to run as they have been for the districts and in the state competition.

"It is our depth that has helped us and the boys ability to run together," Kvashay said.

Dallas golfers take Wyoming Valley title

By CHARLOT M. DENMON Staff Writer

Dallas High School golf team led by Jim Miliauskas' rallied from their third place spot after last Friday's performance to take the Wyoming Valley Conference championship.

Following a bad start over Sugarloaf on Friday, the Mountaineers clinched the league title at White Haven's Mountain Laurel Resort. The Mountainteers were nine strokes behind the strong Coughlin team after Friday's play.

Their coach Tom Kilduff was amazed at the comeback made by his Mountaineers although he believed that Dallas had a deeper team.

It was just that he knew to jump from third to first over Coughlin was a major feat.

Following the 27 holes played by the team, Coughlin and Dallas were tied at 517 and the coaches added the scores from Monday's fifth hole to determine the champi-

onship. Miliauskas was low scorer for the Mountaineers with 81. Phil Navrole scored an 85 for Dallas and Jim O'Donnell and Paul Deeble fired 88's with Mark Fies hitting 93.

The title gives the Mountaineers the privilege of representing Wyoming Valley Conference at the District 2 team championships at Scranton Municipal Golf Course, Wednesday. The Dallas team will meet Scranton Prep for the district

Lake-Lehman sports roundup

Volleyball wins two matches, each by 2-0

Field hockey splits Soccer loses twice Cross country splits tri-meet Golf wins 1, loses 1

BY CHARLOT M. DENMON

Field hockey tops Nanticoke, loses to Crestwood

Crestwood shut out Lake-Lehman's field hockey team 2-0 Friday in the rain at the Lady Knights field. The win gave the Comets an undefeated 15-0 season record.

The Comets scored their first goal 15 seconds into the game when Jenn Sinco put the ball in unassisted. That ended the scoring until late in the second half when Sinco scored unassisted for the second

Knights coach Jean Lipski attributes her team's loss to their inability to play their own offensive game but had to stay on the defense.

Earlier in the week the Lady Knights defeated Nanticoke Area 3-1 on a pair of goals by Erin Brady off two assists by Carolyn James and a third goal by James off an assist by Tracy Wargo.

Volleyball wins two

Lake-Lehman girls shut out Meyers volleyball team 2-0 Thursday afternoon with Denise Davis, Michelle Lukas and Jill Shaw playing outstanding games to lead the Knights to a 15-2, 15-5 sweep of the Mohawks.

The Lady Knights earlier in the week took two straight sets 15-4, 15-8 to defeat Wyoming Area girls 2-9. Denise Davis led the Knights with seven points and four kills with Alison Bowen scoring eight points and Dee Dee Mazur added three kills.

Jennifer Jones sparked the Knights with outstanding defensive

Soccer loses twice

Wallenpaupack soccer team earned a spot in the Wyoming Valley Conference playoffs by defeating the Lake-Lehman Knights 3-0 Thursday at the Lake-Lehman field.

A third period score by Lou Young and two scores in the fourth period by Scott Mang and Bob Hochenreider gave the Buckhorns the shutout that moved them into the final District 2 Class AA playoffs.

Earlier the Crestwood Comets defeated the Black Knights 2-1, Tuesday, at the Comets field in Mountaintop. The Comets trailed 1-0 going into the final period but Bob Eckhardt scored off an assist by Lou Valentas. The Comets took the win when Dave Meyers scored off a penalty kick by Valentas.

Eric Stogoski scored the lone goal for the Knights.

Cross Country splits tri-meet

Lake-Lehman cross country runners earned a split in their trimeet with Pittston and Tunkhannock last Wednesday.

The Knights bowed to Tunkhannock 21-34 but defeated Pittston 15-45. Tiger Winnie LaRue came in first over the 2.75 course but Knight Ed Radzinski finished second in 14:41 just :04 behind LaRue. Four other Knights came in sixth, seventh, ninth and 10th.

Golf tops O'Reilly, falls to Valley West

The Black Knight golfers were defeated 185-208 by Wyoming Valley West but defeated Bishop O'Reilly golfers 208-223 last Wednesday in a tri-match at Lehman golf Club.

Todd Sallo was low for the Knights with a 48, Damon Barbacci shot 50. Joe DeGennaro 51 and Todd Adams

Lake-Lehman girls to compete in volleyball tourney

The Luzerne County Recreation Department will sponsor their 9th Annual Underclass Girls Volleyball Tournament Saturday, Oct. 29 at the GAR High School Gym, Grant and Lehigh Sts. in Wilkes-Barre

beginning at 9 a.m. Annette Barbini, chairman, announced that 11 schools have entered with a possibility of two more entering. She said that it will be a

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double elimination tournament. Winners and runner-ups will be presented with trophies and med-

Schools to participate in the tournament are: Abington Heights, Coughlin, Crestwood, GAR, Lake-Lehman, Nanticoke, North Pocono, Pittston, Tunkhannock, Wyoming Valley West and Wyoming Area high

Mon. - Fri. 10-8, Sat. 10-5, Sun. 12-5

Mountaineers bury GAR 40-7

in the Ladies Country League last week by taking three points from second place Fashion Vending despite E. Roberts of the vending five hitting 171. G. H. Harris failed to climb in the standings when they dropped three points to Grotto Pizza girls who are on the Harris team's heels. D. Considine's 175 and Barb Strazdus' 171 set the pace for Harris. Back Mountain Bowl copped three from Faux Inn led by K. Scavone's 177 (475). C. Smith hit pins for 178 (480) and R. Gula rolled

Strikes 'n' spares

Castlettes continued in the lead

In the Back Mountain Church League Maple Grove shut out Orange aided by J. Haines 212 (550) and a big handicap. Orange had J. Mitchell's 229 (557) and L. Bellas' 515. Carverton B picked up three from Shavertown B led by K. Uz 226 (604). C. Kazokas rolled 515 for the Orange team. M. Schmoll walloped pins for 236-210 (638) and J. Cobleigh posted 538 to lead Carverton A to three points from Shaver-town A. Dallas A copped three from Trucksville aided by Rob Stair's 541, B. Williams 534 and C. Roberts

179 (475) for Faux.

Chubby shut out Buckwheat in Our Gang League and Spanky blanked Wheezer. Alfalfa took all from Stymie and Butch took three from Porky. Hitting high scores were D. Moore 225 (572), L. Lavelle 573, and D. Jenkins Jr. 546.

Nita Moser rolled 182 to lead the Cardinals to four points from the Cockatiels in the Bowlerette League and Nancy Crane knocked down pins for 182 to help the Chickadees take three from the Woodpeckers whose Chris Badman hit 173.

Hi Fives blanked Rolling Stones and Jane's Guys took all from the Chosen Few in the Quartet League. High games were F. Marth's 172, I. Katyl's 183, Kathy H's 183 and J. Cumming's 174.

In the Thursday Night League Taft's Market shut out the Spoilers and Team No. 7 took all from the X-Factors. Rolling Thunder picked up three from Fantastic Four and Mister Mow copped three from High

High bowlers were Don 530, Dan W. 518, Russ 216 (546). Terri 177, Ward 534, Jim, Jr. 215-215 (618) and Ron C. 203-221 (609).

behind Ogurkis' three TD's three touchdowns in the first half, BY CHARLOT M. DENMON including one in the first quarter on Staff Writer quarterback Jay Cherup's one yard run into the end zone. Ogurkis kicked the extra point to give Dallas The Dallas Mountaineers put

everything together in Saturday

night's game to defeat GAR 40-7 on

the artificial turf at Wilkes-Barre

Memorial Stadium and move their

"Our team is looking better," said

Jerry Ogurkis following the game.

together and we have had two good

games in a row. We broke down in

between with Tunkhannock and

Pittston. Now our momentum is

picking up and everybody is playing

"Hanover is bigger and more

physical. Our game with them Sat-

urday will be a different type game.

Everybody's got to be ready for

Ogurkis was ready against the

Grenadiers. He gained more than

140 yards on the ground and scored

three touchdowns. Four of his kicks

were good. The Mountaineers scored

Saturday's game," he continued.

together.

We are beginning to put everything

record to 3-0 in their division.

a 7-0 lead. GAR's Mowie Harris gave the Grenadiers a touchdown in the second quarter on Santanna John's 12 yard pass to him in the endzone and Jim O'Day made the extra point.

The Mountaineers put two into the endzone in the second quarter. Cherup threw an 18-yard pass to Jim Lister, then connected with a 17-yard hit to Ogurkis. On the next play Ogurkis went into the endzone from the one yard line for a score and his extra point was good.

The Mountaineers scored their third touchdown of the first half when they recovered an on-side kick in GAR's territory and Cherup threw a screen pass to Ogurkis who carried it 44 yards for a score. Ogurkis again kicked the extra point and the score was 21-7 at the half.

Dallas came out strong in the third quarter and scored 19 points in that quarter to give them more than they needed against the Grena-

diers. Ogurkis scored from nine yards out but his try for extra point failed. Shawn Ruth took a 29-yard interception into the endzone for a score and Ogurkis' kick was good. Lesjak finished the scoring when he went over from the two-yard line for the Mounts final score.

"We had a total team effort Saturday," said Jay Cherup. "I just threw the ball to Ogurkis or Lesjak and they caught it. Everybody was playing pretty good. Our defense was playing very well and our offensive ine was doing well.

"Hanover is next Saturday and they're tough. They're big and physical. Our offense will have to play very well," Cherup concluded. Coach Ted Jackson said he was

pleased with his team Saturday. They started out playing well and they had a good second half. "Our defense and our special

teams played very well and our offensive line was excellent. They opened some big holes for our backs," aid Jackson.

"Hanover is something else. They have a tough tight end, guard and tackle. Their leading back has over 1,000 yards. it will be a tough game."

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League Champs

Scholl Plumbing team won the Back Mountain League Championship in the softball playoffs at Noxen recently by defeating Farmers Inn 7-6 in the final game. Lead ng the hitting at the plate was Kevin Gilpin with two homers and five RBI's. Bruce Boyle was the winning pitcher. Members of the team were, above, first row, from left Ron Swingle, Paul Pasco, Robert Scholl, Karl Scholl, Bill Boyle; second row, Scott Crispell, Abe Simon, Walter Blejwas, Scott Pleskach, Joe Flaherty, Kevin Gilpin, Mark Boyle, Don Spencer, Bruce Boyle; also Walt Konopke, George Kebles, T. Willie Cadwalader, Chris Boyle, Tom Boyle and Bob

Dallas sports roundup

Filed hockey, soccer, golf continue winning

Field hockey wins shutout Soccer tops Meyers Golf to conference meets Volleyball loses three times

BY CHARLOT M. DENMON Staff Writer

Field Hockey shuts out O'Reilly

Dallas and Bishop O'Reilly played a tight game in the first half last Wednesday but the Lady Mountaineers broke the game wide open in the second half holding the Queenswomen scoreless while they put the ball in the net four times.

Sue Wells scored the first goal for the Lady Mounts in the first half. In the second half Wendy opened the second half with a goal unassisted, then Wells scored off an assist by Sue Richardson. Hozempa scored a second time unassisted and T. Hite ended the scoring off an assist by Strausser.

Volleyball loses three

Dallas girls volleyball team lost a 2-1 match to Coughlin last week 15-4, 7-15, 15-4. Aria Pierson and Kim Chapple played a fine game for the Dallas girls as Coughlin took its sixth consecutive win.

The Lady Mountianeers bowed to Tunkhannock Wednesday 15-3 and 15-4. Aria Pierson had one block and one kill for Dallas.

Wyoming Valley West swept the Dallas volleyball girls team in two sets of 15-0, 16-14 using a entire team effort in taking the second game. Aria Pierson led the losing Dallas team with four kills and one

Soccer tops Mevers 2-0

Dallas Mountaineers defeated Meyers 2-0 Thursday afternoon at Gordon Avenue field eliminating the Mohawks from the District 2 playoffs. The Mohawks are coached this season by Herb Weidlich, former Dallas assistant to Mountaineer coach John McCafferty.

Dale Morris scored the first goal for the Mountaineers at 15:02 of the second quarter off a penalty kick and Brian Miller was awarded a goal when a Dallas player's throw-in skimmed off a Meyer player and went into the goal. Miller was closest to the goal and received the

Golf moves to conference playoff

Dallas golfers ended the season with 14-2 record by defeating Hanover 176-205 last Wednesday at Wyoming Valley Country Club. The win gives Dallas a spot in the Wyoming Valley Conference that was to begin last Friday night.

Phil Navrola was medalist with a 42, Jim Miliauskas shot a 43, Mark Fies 45 and Paul Deeble fired a 46. Dallas linksmen gained two wins last week at Irem Temple Country Club by defeating Wyoming Semi-

nary 176-192 and GAR 176-222. Jim Miliauskas hit an even par 37, Phil Navrola hit 42, Jim O'Donnell fired a 47 and Mark Fies

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