

SCHOOL

Area students receive degrees from LCCC

Close to 800 area residents have finished their last semester of study at Luzerne County Community College and received either a two-year associate degree or one-year certificate of specialization at the 25th annual Commencement exercises Thursday, May 27, at 7 p.m., at the Kingston Armory.

Those graduating from the Back Mountain area are:

Associate in Applied Science: Nelson Joseph Aguila, Dallas; Scott Richard Banta, Trucksville; Cheryl Lynn Bell, Shavertown; George R. Blackwell, Dallas; Denise Renee Borgeson, Dallas; Jeffrey B. Boyes Sr., Sweet Valley; Jerry Aziz Bulard, Dallas; Kara A. Cherup, Dallas; Jason Thomas Clancy, Harveys Lake; Lee Richard Clouser, Dallas; Cindy Sue Cole, Shavertown; Pamela Joanne Dotter, Shavertown; Annemarie Dowd, Shavertown; Karen Lynn Downs, Shavertown; Patrick G. Farrell, Dallas; Cupid Lazarus Giles, Dallas; Rebecca Lee Gregg, Dallas; Ronny Jones, Shavertown; Brian Matthew Jordan, Dallas.

Also, James Fitzgerald Kelley, Trucksville; Karyn Lee Kieczkajlo, Dallas; Eugene John Kieczkajlo, Dallas; Kenneth F. Kozel, Dallas; Erica Ann Kuznicki, Shavertown; Maurice Freeman Lopez, Dallas; Sharon Mitchell, Dallas; Walter Brooks Morris, Dallas; Clifford Thomas Newman Jr., Dallas;

Kenneth Jay Oberst, Shavertown; Karen Frances O'Connell, Dallas; Brian Joseph Porasky, Shavertown; Deborah A. Radley, Harveys Lake; Daryl Lynn Rother, Dallas; Charity Santry, Harveys Lake; Charles V. Siglin, Shavertown; David William Sigman, Shavertown; Judy Anne Simon, Harveys Lake; Charles Edward Steinhauer, Trucksville; Raymond J. Stephens, Shavertown; Frank Mathew Suponcic, Shavertown; Christian Amos Swire, Sweet Valley; Beverly B. Vespico, Harveys Lake and Alonzo Watts, Dallas.

Associate in Science: Jeffrey Allen Adams, Dallas; William Thomas Amos, Shavertown; Susan Gingell Berdis, Shavertown; Russell Paul Bigus, Dallas; Hugh R. Boyes, Dallas; Joel William Canfield, Dallas; Luis Alfredo Cortez, Dallas; Melanie Ann Haberstick, Shavertown; Christopher G. Hanson, Dallas; Dennis John Hughes, Dallas; Harry Lewis Jeffers, Dallas; Bruce A. Johnson, Dallas; Rohn E. Ledden, Dallas; David M. McGrath, Dallas; Linda Louise Fox-Mericle, Trucksville; Richard Dennis Pacell, Dallas; Christine Marie Panuccio, Shavertown; Danielle Elizabeth Skoronski, Dallas; Kathryn Sutton, Trucksville; and Jeffrey Lee Watson, Dallas.

Certificates of Specialization: Alan F. Brezinski, Dallas; and Frank B. Tuzinski, Shavertown.



Earth Day poster contest winners

The students in the Dallas Middle School recently celebrated Earth Day by holding a poster contest, sponsored by the middle school student council, under the direction of Miss Norine Amesbury. The theme of the contest was Environmental Awareness on a Global Scale.

The winner was Amy Kapral who was awarded a savings bond for her effort. Second place winner Courtney Kryston and third place winner Brenda Karavitch were each given gift certificates for their accomplishments.

Pictured with their posters are from left, Amy Kapral, Courtney Kryston and Brenda Karavitch.

Susan Wells named to Phi Beta Kappa at Bucknell U

Susan Wells, Wyoming, has been inducted into the Bucknell University chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest honorary scholarship society.

A senior majoring in biology and philosophy, Wells is the daughter of Donna and Thomas Wells, 43 Heights Drive. She is a 1989 graduate of Dallas Senior High School.

A dean's list student and member of Phi Sigma, the national honor society for biology students, she is serving as altruism chair of Alpha Chi Omega sorority.

A three-year letter winner in field hockey, she is the recipient of the Eastern College Athletic Medallion for excellence in scholarship and athletics.

Wells also was recently inducted into the Bucknell University Chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa leadership honor society.

Liberal arts and science degree candidates in the upper 10th of the junior class or the upper fifth of the senior class are eligible for membership in Phi Beta Kappa. Faculty and administrators in the society make final selections based on the character and purpose of each candidate's work.

School menus

The following school lunch menus are for the week of June 3 - 9. All lunches include milk.

DALLAS SCHOOLS

THURSDAY - Sloppy Joe on bun, crispy potato chips, potato puffs, assorted fruit.

FRIDAY - Pizza, tossed salad w/dressing, fresh fruit.

MONDAY - Hot dog w/chili sauce, French fries, fresh fruit.

TUESDAY - Turkey nuggets w/dipping sauce, buttered rice, green beans, chilled fruit.

WEDNESDAY - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, roll, tossed salad w/dressing, orange smiles, skim milk.

GATE OF HEAVEN SCHOOL

THURSDAY - Chicken nuggets, corn, pears, roll.

FRIDAY - Tuna on bun w/lettuce, tomato soup, cheese stix, peaches.

MONDAY - Hot dog w/bun, baked beans, peaches, pretzel stix.

TUESDAY - Tacos w/meat-lettuce-tomato-cheese, refried beans, pineapple.

WEDNESDAY - Potato pancakes, applesauce, green beans, brownie.

LAKE-LEHMAN SCHOOLS

THURSDAY - Apple juice, sliced turkey w/lettuce-mayo on seeded roll, pineapple tidbits.

FRIDAY - Tuna or peanut butter-jelly hoagie, French fries, peaches.

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY - Menus posted in each building.

WEST SIDE TECH

Breakfast THURSDAY - Coffee cake, cereal, fruit, juice.

FRIDAY - Pastry, cereal, orange juice.

MONDAY - Coffee cake, cereal, fruit, juice.

TUESDAY - Sausage, waffles/syrup, cereal, juice, pastry.

WEDNESDAY - Banana bread, cereal, orange juice.

Lunch

THURSDAY - Open face turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas-carrots, Tandy Cake.

FRIDAY - Tuna w/lettuce on bun, or pork patty/relish, tomato soup/crackers, hash browns, variety of desserts.

MONDAY - Minute steak w/lettuce-tomato on hard roll, chicken vegetable soup/crackers, orange wedges, oatmeal raisin cookies.

TUESDAY - Italian meatballs w/tomato sauce on bun or taco w/trimmings, seasoned veggies, fruit.

WEDNESDAY - Beef a roni/grated cheese, tossed salad/dressing, roll/butter, cherry cobbler.

Wyoming Seminary lists Back Mountain graduates

Wyoming Seminary College Preparatory School, Kingston, will hold its 149th commencement exercise on Sunday, June 6 at 1 p.m. in the Carpenter Athletic Center, Maple Avenue, Kingston. Saturday, June 5 at 4 p.m. Mon-signor Francis Allan Conlan, Ph.D., pastor of the St. Ignatius Church, Kingston, will deliver the sermon at the Baccalaureate service to be held in the Church of Christ Uniting, corner of Market Street and Sprague Avenue, Kingston.

Students participating in the baccalaureate service are David Bonita, Plains; Elizabeth Gaska, Ras Tanura, Saudi Arabia; and Elizabeth Wideman, Wilkes-Barre. Ushers are Vinod Dasa, Shavertown; James Mallas, Mountaintop; Amy Olsen, Shavertown; Rachel Ufberg, Kingston; Jonathan Weinberger, Scranton and Holly Zug, Dallas. Acolytes are Stephen Rosenthal, Dallas, outgoing student government president, 1992-93; and Jessica Fried, Kingston, incoming student government president, 1993-94.

Following Baccalaureate services, the Board of Trustees will host its annual smorgasbord dinner for graduates and their families on the back campus.

On Sunday, June 6, H. Jeremy Psekard, 10th president of Wyoming Seminary, will preside over the commencement ceremony. Donald Flick, science department faculty member, will deliver the charge to the graduates. Devin

Moriarity, Kingston, a graduating senior, has been selected to address the class. William R. Mainwaring, chairman of the Board of Trustees, will present diplomas. Various prizes and awards will be presented to students who have excelled academically. The annual Cum Laude tapping ceremony, which inducts students into the school's chapter of the national Cum Laude Society, will take place following the graduation ceremony.

Commencement ushers from the class of 1994 are Henninger Bullock, Kingston; Matthew Bruno, Plains; Grace Chang, Mountaintop; Stacey Coplan, Kingston; Joseph Giovannini, Kingston and William Lukesh, Hunlock Creek.

Graduation weekend festivities include the annual prom to be held Thursday, June 3 at Irem Temple Country Club, Dallas.

Among the graduates will be: Lauren Anzalone, Shavertown; Dominic Buonsante, Shavertown; David D. Choi, Dallas; Corey Crawford, Dallas; Melanie J. Evans, Trucksville; Grace Eun K. Huh, Dallas; Jeffrey J. Malak, Shavertown; Laurel E. Moore, Shavertown; Ashish V. Patel, Shavertown; Stephen Rosenthal, Dallas; Janice J. Shynn, Shavertown; William E. Sordoni, Harveys Lake; Amy Trynoski, Shick-shinny; Jennifer Urisko, Shavertown; Susan L. Valentine, Dallas and Irina Vinitser, Wyoming.

Area students to graduate Seminary Lower School

Wyoming Seminary Lower School, Forty Fort will graduate 37 eighth grade students on Thursday, June 3.

Numerous prizes and academic awards will be presented to students at the ceremony. Rev. Dr. William R. Summerhill, chaplain of Wyoming Seminary, will offer invocation. Elizabeth Lombardo, Pittston, a member of the graduating class, will deliver the graduation address. The presentation of certificates and awards will be made by H. Jeremy Packard, president of Wyoming Seminary; Dean of the Lower School, D. Allan Woodard, and Mrs. Jeanne C. Yarmey, assistant dean.

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held on the front lawn.

Among the graduates are: Tina Aquilina, Shavertown; JeYun Choi, Dallas; Jennifer Janerich, Shavertown; Stephanie Jose, Shavertown; Charles Kanarr IV, Shavertown; Erin Kane, Dallas; Tracy Kennedy, Harveys Lake; Jill Lukesh, Hunlock Creek; Jeffrey MacAvoy, Wyoming; John McLaughlin, Dallas; Adam Richards, Dallas; Allison Savage, Harveys Lake; Douglas Sherwood, Tunkhannock; Emily Slaff, Dallas; Jonathan Sordoni, Harveys Lake; Anjali Udoshi, Dallas; Tiffany VanScoy, Shavertown; Courtney Williams, Dallas.

Ross PTO ends active year

The Ross Elementary P.T.O. is completing an active year with spring field trips. Kindergarten and first grade attended the play "Hansel and Gretel" at the Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre and visited the Hillside Dairy in Trucksville on May 18.

Second grade traveled to Williamsport for a riverboat ride on the Hiawatha and a visit to the Discovery Museum on May 12. On April 30 the third grade went to the Scranton Coal Mines and the Eberhart Museum.

As a special end to their school years at Ross Elementary, the fourth graders will be going to the Statue of Liberty and Museum of Science in New York.

In addition to the class trips, the P.T.O. was able to hold parties and/or give each student a special treat at Halloween, Christmas, Valentine's Day, Easter,

Earth Day and Fun Day. Also scheduled is Awards Day on June 10 and a Special Activity on the last day of school, June 11.

Programs throughout the year presented by the P.T.O. were Bill Gang "The Prince of Magicians", "Birds of Prey", Book Fair, "Mr. Wizard's Supermarket Science Show", RIF, Santa's Workshop, The Sadecky's Puppets, "Old Time Music", a Pantomime program and coming up soon will be the SPCA Pet Care program.

All programs and activities are carefully chosen to entertain the students while they learn new and interesting facts of the world around them.

These activities and more, were made available through the parents and families generous support of the Ross Elementary P.T.O. September fundraiser.



Notes from school

Graduates from Clarion U.

Jason Ross Miller of Shavertown, received a Bachelor's degree from Clarion University during graduation ceremonies May 8.

Performs in voice recital

Berit Case of Trucksville, performed in a voice recital in Miller Recital Hall at Franklin & Marshall College on April 22.

The concert served as a final project for the voice students of Kristin Samuelson. Compositions of French opera studied during the semester was performed.

Case, a first year student is on the Dean's List. A 1992 graduate of Dallas High School, he is the son of Alene and J. Michael Case, 17 Division Street.

Founded in 1787, Franklin & Marshall College is a coeducational, liberal arts institution.

Elected class president

C. Nolan Olsen, of 220 Hillside, Dallas has been elected president of the Class of 1995 at St. Lawrence University in Canton, New York.

Olsen is a 1991 graduate of the Trinity-Pawling School.

Two earn degrees from Shippensburg

Meredith Ann Burke and Rachael R. Holthaus of Dallas received undergraduate degrees from Shippensburg University during commencement exercises May 8.

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