

SCHOOL

Named to King's Dean's List

Dr. Donald Farmer, vice president and dean for academic affairs at King's College, recently announced that 494 of the college's students have qualified for the spring 1993 semester dean's list, signifying a grade point average of 3.4 or higher.

Among Back Mountain students who received the recognition were:

Dallas: Marcella Bove, John Kristan, Gina Gallagher, Paula Sitar, Tracey Michael, Shelly Hoover, Meagan Wega, James

McGuire, Jennifer Judge, and Heather Hoyes.

Harveys Lake: Kimberly Pasetti.

Hunlock Creek: Michael Bice. **Shavertown:** Laura Napieralski; Courtney Butler; Jason Yencha, Denise Eldridge, Judith Andrejko, Maurisa Fela, Lianne Rogers, Deborah Baird, and Terrence Fina.

Trucksville: Kelly Terescavage, Kimberly Kaleta, and Carrie Reid. **Luzerne:** David Zukosky, Jesse Nelson, and Andrew Reilly



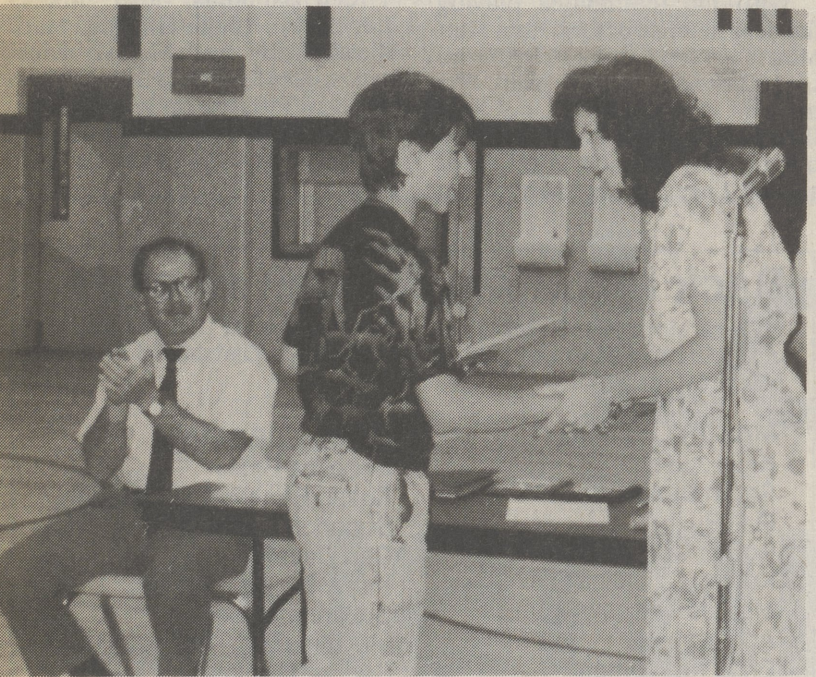
AWARD WINNER—Mr. and Mrs. Chopyak, Michael S. Gruen Memorial Award winner Mark Chopyak and John Baranowski, Interim Principal.

Earns citizenship award

At an Awards Program held recently at the Lehman-Jackson Elementary School, Lehman, the Michael S. Gruen Citizenship Award was presented to Mark Chopyak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Chopyak, 84 Gates Road, Briarwood Terrace, Shavertown.

This award is presented annu-

ally in memory of Michael Gruen, a 6th grade teacher who died in an automobile accident in October, 1976. The recipient is selected by teachers and students on the basis of those qualities which best exemplify a good citizen, academics, dependability, honesty, cooperation, respect and leadership.



Top science student

Ryan Marx, an eighth grade student at Lake-Lehman placed first in the school's annual science fair in May. During an awards ceremony at the close of the school, Lynn Sutliff, president of the school's Teen-Parent-Teacher (TPT) organization presented Ryan with a first place prize of a \$50 savings bond.

Pictured, from left, R. Roberts, Principal; Ryan Marx, Lynn Sutliff, T.P.T. president.

Dallas student earns PSU athletic award

Penn State Wilkes-Barre students Trudy Blaine of Plymouth and Keith Kozel, of Dallas were both awarded the John Egli Outstanding Student Athlete Award at the campus' annual Athletic Awards ceremony.

The award was established in honor of assistant professor John Egli in recognition of his long dedication and devotion to Penn State, where he served as student, athlete, faculty member, and coach. Particularly significant was his service and contributions as the first Commonwealth Campus Coordinator of athletics. Egli was responsible for establishing and developing the athletic programs now enjoyed by countless Commonwealth campus students.

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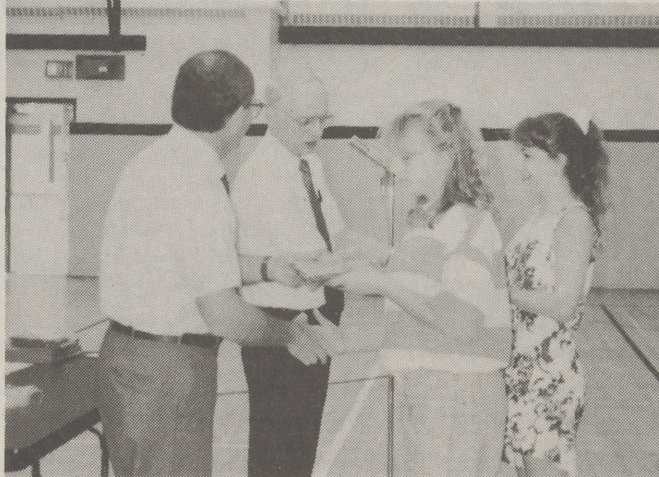


Top school artists

The Dallas Middle School Art Contest, sponsored by the Dallas Area Federated Women's Club, was held recently under the direction of art teacher Steve Kaschenbach. Senior high school art students selected three winners from each grade.

In the eighth grade the first, second and third place winners were Marina Knappman, Michele Molesky and Jason Campbell. Seventh grade winners were Sarah Williams, Amy Lloyd and Jennifer Vodzak, while sixth grade winners were Coleman Greene, Rachel Hiller and Jenelle Kerr.

Seated: Jenelle Kerr, Sarah Williams, Jason Campbell, Amy Lloyd. Standing: Michelle Molesky, Coleman Greene, Rachel Hiller, Marina Knappman, Nancy Ferko, President Dallas Area Federated Women's Club, Steve Kaschenbach, Dallas art teacher.



Highest averages at Lake-Lehman Junior High

Plaques were presented to the two students with the highest averages in the seventh and eighth grades at Lehman Junior High, at the closing day awards ceremony. Left photo, from left, R. Roberts, Principal; Debbie White, Andrew Loughney, R. Rogers, Guidance Counselor. JoAnn White and Jennifer Klaipe receive plaques for the highest scholastic averages in the seventh grade at Lehman Junior High, during Awards Day ceremonies. In right photo are eighth grade winners, from left, R. Roberts, Principal; R. Rogers, Guidance Counselor; JoAnn White, Jennifer Klaipe.

Lehman-Jackson PTA finishes active year

The Lehman-Jackson Elementary PTA recently held its year end Board meeting, bringing to a close a very productive year.

The first, second and third grade, R.I.F. program students were visited by Susan Rukstalis, author of a children's book entitled How Many Steps Before the Queen. Mrs. Rukstalis read her book to the children, taught them how to play the game, and then the children selected their third free book in their classrooms.

The PTA was able to send every grade on a field trip. The kindergarten students went to the Shrine Circus at the Armory in Kingston. The first grade students saw the play "101 Dalmatians" at the F.M. Kirby Center. The second grade students saw the play "Pinochio" at the Music Box Theater. The third grade students toured the Stroehman Bakery in Williamsport and then went for a ride on the Susquehanna River on the Hiawatha.

The fourth grade students went to the Lackawanna Coal Mine, the Anthracite Museum, and the Steamtown Rail Yard. The fifth grade students went to Harrisburg where they toured the Capi-

tol building, the Treasury and the State Museum. The sixth grade students began their trip at the Aquarium in Camden, rode the riverboat to Philadelphia, and visited the historic center in Philadelphia. The special education students went to Shawnee Place.

During the school year the PTA brought several wonderful assembly programs to the school. James Getty or "Abraham Lincoln" spent the day with the students in October. Bloomsburg Theater Ensemble presented "Under African Skies" in March. Northwind Nature Education Opportunities and

Susan Adie thrilled the children with the story of "Scarlett the Macaw" and rainforest slides. Clifford Sunflower brought "Dancin' With the Honeybees" and the children made their own beeswax candle.

A few of the new activities this year were a mock Presidential election in November, a Bus Safety program, a Book Swap, and the collection of Campbells labels.

All this and more was made possible by the hard work of many dedicated volunteers and the funds raised during the annual fundraiser.

Named to Lehigh U. Dean's List

Keith McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald of Dallas, has been named to the Dean's List at Lehigh University for the spring semester. Keith is a 1992 graduate of Dallas Senior High School and is majoring in Electrical Engineering.

Completes student teaching

Dr. Thomas Scappaticci, chairperson of education at King's College, recently announced that 28 education majors at the college completed 14 weeks of student teaching at several elementary and high schools during the 1993 spring semester.

Among the student teachers was Courtney Butler, Shavertown, who completed her student teaching at Dana Street Elementary School, Forty Fort.

Students complete internships

Chris Bedwick, director of the Center for Experiential Learning at King's College, recently announced that 61 students completed internships during the 1993 spring semester. The group included students representing 19 different majors. They were placed with 51 different organizations, 16 of which were new sites for King's interns.

Listed are the students who completed internship, their hometowns, and their respective intern sites: Heather Hoyes, Dallas, Borg-Warner Corp., Chicago, IL; James McGuire, Dallas, Nesbitt Hospital Health Services, Kingston; Kimberly Kaleta, Trucksville, Wyoming Valley Alcohol & Drug Services, Kingston; Eric Nardone, Trucksville, Walt Disney World, Orlando, FL; Kelly Terescavage, Trucksville, Borg-Warner Corp., Chicago, IL; and Elizabeth Gush, Shawanese, O'Connor, McDonald & Maza Law Office, Wilkes-Barre.

Join honor societies

Dr. Donald Farmer, vice president of academic affairs at King's College, recently announced that 123 students at the college were inducted into various national academic honor societies at King's Annual Honors Convocation.

Listed are local students, their hometowns and the honor societies they were inducted into: Joseph Wozniak, Jr., Harveys Lake, Alpha Sigma Lambda; Jacqueline Zabresky, Dallas, Alpha Sigma Lambda; Jason Yencha, Shavertown Aquinas Society; Meagan Wega, Dallas, Alpha Epsilon Delta; Gina Gallagher, Dallas, Pi Sigma Alpha; Laura Napieralski, Shavertown, Phi Sigma Tau; James McGuire, Dallas; Phi Sigma Tau and Delta Epsilon Sigma.



STACEY ENGLER

Engler earns Kubis award

Stacey Engler was recently honored by being presented with the William W. Kubis Memorial Award. The award is presented annually to the Dallas Middle School student who exemplifies a positive attitude toward the responsibilities inherent in being a student and citizen.

Stacey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Engler of Shavertown.

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