

# SPORTS

## Kingston Twp. Raiders drop first game

Kingston Township Raiders Mini-Football opened their season on August 29 at the Dallas High School Stadium in a contest against the Plymouth Shawnee Indians. The Raiders put forth a valiant effort but were unable to upset the mighty Plymouth machine.

The B Team played an excellent defensive game. The score remained tied at zero until two minutes before the game was over. At that point, Plymouth was able to score the only touchdown of the match. The Raider's young defense held the Indians to only 4 or 5 first downs.

On the offensive side, the Raider's chipped away at the Indian's defense but couldn't seem to cross the goal line. Several long runs were called back for holding.

The game ended with the score being 6-0. The Raiders are looking forward to an opportunity for a rematch in the playoffs.

Next Sunday the Raiders face Forty Fort at the Dallas field. Games start at noon.



### Beat Plymouth!

Members of the Kingston Township Raiders mini-football team began their season with a bonfire at the township garage Friday, August 27. The team's first game was against the Plymouth Indians.

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## Back Mountain Baseball will hold fall training

Back Mountain Baseball, Inc. will be conducting a Little League Training and Development Program this fall, beginning in mid-September. Registration for the program will take place Thursday, Sept. 2, from 6-8 p.m. at the concession stand at the Little League field on Church Street. There will also be a registration Saturday, Sept. 4, from 9 to 11 a.m. Cost for the program, which includes insurance is \$5 per player.

The program is open to all boys who will be 10 years old before August 1, 1994 to all boys who will be 15 years old before August 1, 1994. Boys ages 10-12 will play in the Little League category while boys 13-15 will play in the Senior League division.

The program which is sanctioned by Little League Headquarters in Williamsport, will start play in mid-September and continue as long as the weather permits.

The league will stress fundamentals and is an excellent way for graduating Little League players to make the transition into Senior League.

It should be stressed that Back Mountain Baseball Inc. is not offering this program as a direct or indirect competitor to fall sports such as soccer or football. Play in the fall baseball program will be limited to Sunday afternoon and players with commitment to other fall sports during that time will be encouraged to honor those commitments.

The program will be conducted in a relaxed atmosphere and on informal basis. Players will be given an instructional period and then be equally divided for game play. Specific time and date details concerning the program will be given to the players and parents at the time of registration.

Anyone with questions should contact Dave at 283-5532.

## Register now for YMCA swim lessons

Registration is open for the Wilkes-Barre YMCA's Aquatic program classes which begin the week of September 13. The classes offered include:

Skipper I & II, a water activity for children under three with adults to learn the enjoyment of the water. A variety of times are available. Skipper III is for 3-5 year olds without parents. Children Skipper IV is for children 4-5 who have all the skills taught in Skippers III, and can swim 15 feet and tread water for 20 seconds.

Grade school aquatics is a progressive program for the non swimmer, "Pre-Polliwog" to advanced "Shark" ages 6-15. The instructor determines when each child is ready to progress to the next level. No one fails, everyone improves.

The "Y" also provides Teen swimming lessons for boys and girls ages 12-18, who will work at their own pace and ability with the help of the instructor, and Stroke clinics for the swimmer who needs a change of pace, or who is interested in competitive swimming. All four strokes, starts and turns will be taught. For additional information about times and days, please contact the Wilkes-Barre YMCA at 823-2191.



### HL Lions golf tournament Sept. 18

The Harveys Lake Lions Club will hold its annual charity Golf Tournament at Mill Race Golf Course, Benton on September 18. It will be Captain and Crew with banquet and prizes afterwards. Automobile City has donated a 1994 Nissan Altima as a hole-in-one prize. To play or sponsor a hole call Sid May at 675-7880 or Keith Harry at 639-5188 no later than September 3. Pictured from left, Sid May, Tournament Chairman and David Schuler, Automobile City.

### Dallas Youth B-ball to organize

Dallas Youth Basketball will hold an organizational meeting Thurs.y, Sept. 2 at 8 p.m. at the Dallas American Legion. Any coach returning or anyone interested in coaching this season is encouraged to attend. The league is open to boys and girls in the 3rd-8th grades who reside in the Dallas School District. Anyone interested in helping the league, call Bob Bayer at 675-0446.

### L-L Football boosters meet September 2

The Lake-Lehman Football Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, September 2, at Grotto Pizza, Harveys Lake. All interested parents and friends of football players and football cheerleaders are invited to attend.

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### Irem Women's golf winners

After the monthly meeting of the Irem Women's Golf Ass'n, there was a better ball of partners tournament. Winners were, 1st, Betsy Thomas and Carol Smith; 2nd, Sis Ertley and Leah Flock; 3rd, Joanne Freeman and Angela Kimm; 4th, Ellie McKeage and May Smith; 5th, Theresa Balliet and Evelyn Eck; 6th on a match of cards, was Connie Lizdas and Arlene Rothstein over Estelle Laux and Esther Saba.

The tournament was chaired by Theresa Balliet and Evelyn Eck.

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