#### Women's Club awards scholarships to 3 students

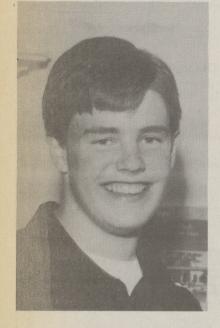
The Dallas Area Federated Womens Club recently awarded Dallas High School seniors Greg Nadzan, Abby Russin and Amy Beardsworth with Book Scholar-

Greg Nadzan, son of Chris Nadzan and the late Mike Nadzan of Dallas will be attending Yale University, majoring in biology and

Abby Russin, daughter of Ann Russin, Dallas, and Atty. Basil Russin of Kingston will attend Colgate University, majoring in math or science.

Amy Beardsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Beardsworth of Dallas, will attend Wilkes University majoring in music education.

Cathy Wega was chairman of the education committee.



CHRISTOPHER O'BRIEN

### Christopher O'Brien tapped for youthful leadership

Dallas resident Christopher O'Brien, a sophomore at Bishop O'Reilly High School recently represented his school at the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation's 1994 Central Leadership Seminar at

Millersville State University. O'Brien was selected based on his leadership abilities at school and in the community, future potential leadership.

The annual four-day seminars offer students the opportunity to interact with other students and leaders of business, government, education, the sciences and the

O'Brien is also eligible for HOBY scholarships at participating colleges and universities.

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THE GRADUATES - Twelve Back Mountain students received degrees at College Misericordia's 68th annual Commencement Convocation May 21. Graduates are, first row, from left, Traci Ann Bond, A.A.S. degree in radiologic technology; Michele M. Durling, cum laude, A.A.S. degree in radiologic technology; Crystal Lee Newell, magna cume laude, BS in elementary education and Kellie Lynn Purdy, BS in psychology. Second row, Kimberly A. Vollrath, summa cume laude, BS in mathematics; Lisa Sunday-Lefkowitz, master of science in education; Sandra L. Newell, cum laude, bachelor of science in nursing; Lisa A. Murphy, summa cume laude, College Honors, BA in English; Gail M. Meeker, College Honors, BA in English and secondary education and Jennifer Marie deLeur, BS in medical technology. Third row, Margaret Dawn Germick, BS in business administration and Christopher J. Mazur, BS in occupational therapy.

## Students earn degrees from Misericordia

At College Misericordia's 68th Commencement Convocation, May 21, the following Back Mountain students received degrees:

Associate in Applied Science Radiologic Technology: Traci Ann Bond, Dallas; Michele M.

Durling, Dallas. **Bachelor of Arts** 

English: Michael B. Crane, Sweet Valley; Gail Marie Meeker, Hunlock Creek; Lisa A. Murphy, Dallas; History: Kenneth Carl Orlando, Falls. Liberal Studies: Sherry Snell, Harveys Lake.

Bachelor of Science Accounting: Laura Anne Elizabeth Hayer, Trucksville. Busi-

Leonard Massare, III, Dallas; Donna L. Motovidlak, Harveys Lake; Barbara Anne Toczko, Linda A. Dorrance, Hunlock Creek; Judy A. Johnson, Falls. Liberal Studies: Laura M. Poynton, Dallas; Frances Annette Sabaluski, Lehman; Pamela Jean Stuart, Dallas. Mathematics: Scott William Saba, Dallas; Kimberly A. Vollrath, Harveys Lake. Medical Technology: Jennifer Marie de Leur, Harveys Lake. Occupational Therapy: Jeffrey Reed Hatton, Dallas; Rosemary Orrson Hosey, Dallas Twp.; Carolyn D. Keever, Shavertown;

Kimberly Mae Hottenstein, Noxen; Latona, Shavertown; Kellie Lynn Purdy, Sweet Valley. Special Education: Linda A. Dorrance, Hunlock Creek. Nursing: Tho-Dallas. Elementary Education mas Severn Galka, Noxen; Sandra L. Newell, Dallas; Maureen Siebels O'Donnell, Sweet Valley; Steven Douglas Rhone, Shavertown. Social Work: Kathryn Mary Crewalk, Dallas; Suzanne Leigh Kozlowski, Hunlock Creek; Carol A. Marchens, Dallas.

Master of Science

Education: Lynn Marie LaFrance, Dallas; Lisa Sunday Lefkowitz, Shavertown. Organizational Management: Pamela A. Garnett, Dallas; Kathleen R. ness Administration: Sister Christopher J. Mazur, Shaver O'Donoghue, Dallas; Da Celina Hanoman, RSM, Dallas; Trudy Ann Williams, Harveys Lake. O'Donoghue, Dallas; Darlene M.

#### Dallas works on ideas for at-risk students

The Dallas School District recently hosted a breakfast meeting for representatives from the administration, school board, student assistance teams, parents, police, student body, community leaders and members of the medical and mental health communities.

The school district sponsors these meetings to bring together groups from the school and com-

munity to present to the public what the district is doing in terms of helping at-risk students.

The meeting focused on the involvement of the student assistance teams.

Participants included Fr. John O'Bell, Joan Makowski, Raelene Olszewski, Ellen Nagy, George McCutcheon, Jay Pope, Katie Sallitt, Chief Jim Balavage, Dan Fitzsimmons, William Dougherty and Dr. Gil Griffiths.

Presently, there are two teams in the district, one at the Middle School and one at the Senior High

The group discussed development of additional parental involvement to further the home/ school relationship through parenting sessions, "Parenting in the 90's," beginning in the fall of 1994.

The district is also exploring ways to involve parents in school



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# Sem Lower School grads

Shavertown resident Joshua D. Gaia delivered the graduation address at Wyoming Seminary Lower School's graduation June

Other area Lower School graduates were: Charlene Josette Aquilina, Shavertown; Janessa Lee Bernstein, Harveys Lake; Peter Lewis Casterline, Dallas; Andrew Noble Davis, Lehman; Joshua Dario Gaia, Shavertown; Bruce

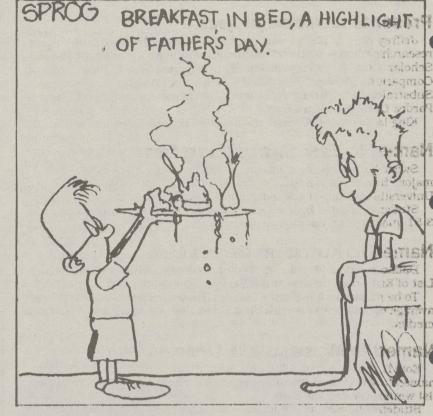
Earl Gover, Jr., Lehman. Also, Timothy Huh, Dallas; Rebecca Anne Janerich, Shavertown; Thomas Drew Kozlek, III, Shavertown; Bonnie Lynn Mendelssohn, Dallas; Jessica Leigh Moseman, Shavertown; Kevin N. Shah, Shavertown; Jaron Lael Stern, Shavertown; Jennifer Pauline Stolarick, Trucksville; Aria Karr Vaida, Shavertown; Chris-2 tian Harvey Wielage, Dallas, velo?

#### Complete Upward Bound at Wilkes

At the 1994 commencement ceremonies for the Wilkes University's Upward Bound Program, Back Mountain residents Lori Amyx, Chris topher Beleski, David Pall and J. Daniel Hanley participated. A boston The students attended weekly academic classes and workshops on

career and self-development, the summer residential program, educational trips, and leadership activities.

Wilkes University has hosted the Upward Bound Program since



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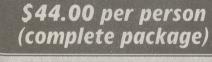
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