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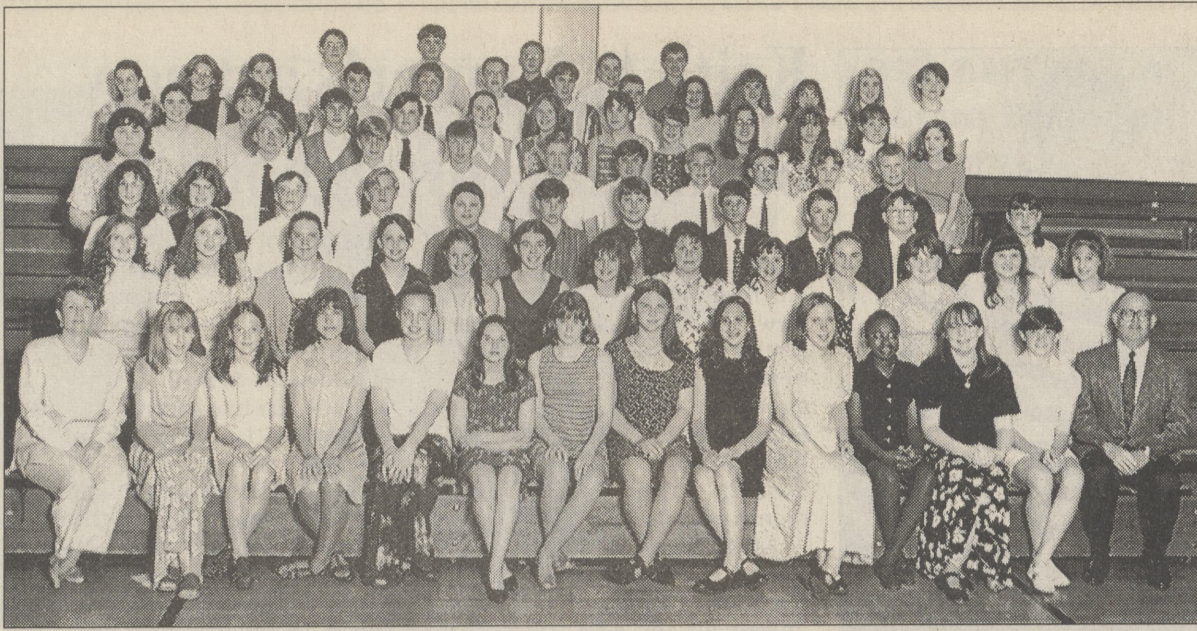
The following students recently received degrees from the University of Scranton: Amy M. Bartosh, Shavertown; Casey A. Kernag, Shavertown; Elizabeth A. Manzoni, Dallas; Rebecca A. Yurko, Wyoming; Roger A. Bishop, Dallas; John C. Chapple, Shavertown; Joseph M. Corey, Harveys Lake; Lesley A. Corey, Harveys Lake; Kathryn J. Erickson, Shavertown; Robert J. Mitkus, Shavertown; Jessica Wallace, Dallas.

Seidel graduates from Washington & Lee

David N. Seidel of Dallas, received a BA degree recently from Washington and Lee University. Seidel majored in History and Journalism & Mass Communications and was a member of the Student Recruitment Committee, Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity and Liberty Hall Volunteers. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil M. Seidel of Dallas.

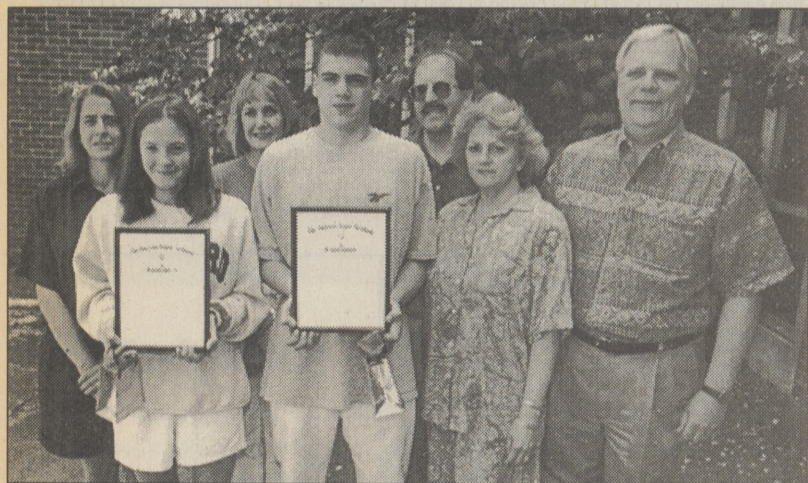
Mendelssohn makes dean's list at college

Carly M. Mendelssohn of Dallas, made the Muhlenburg College dean's list. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Saul Mendelssohn.



L-L National Junior Honor Society inductees

Recently the candlelight induction ceremony of the National Junior Honor Society, Lake-Lehman Chapter, was held at the senior high school. Speaker was Drew Mitchell. Mrs. Molly Malpass is advisor and Robert Roberts is principal. Pictured are the new members inducted into the local chapter: Row 1, from left: Mrs. Molly Malpass, advisor; Jacklyn Schaffner, Janna Elston, Angela Basta, Megan Tribendis, Hannah Weisberger, Kristen Ruda, Danielle Kern, Adrienne Fallon, Hollie Nickalls, Lydia Ngyoni, Heather Prescott, Kari Maskalis, Robert O. Roberts, principal. Row 2, from left: Alyson Bevan, Micheline Horvath, Gina Chocallo, Leigh Dodson, Stefanie Bendik, Lindsay Boris, Gina Coombs, Amanda Daubert, Suzanne Pierce, Christine Parsons, Crystal Tillery, Christie Gordon, Amanda Boytin. Row 3, from left: Jennifer Chulick, Nichole Britt, Brian McMahon, James Rhodes, Michael Simon, James Brady, Jeffrey Carroll, Gregory Piazza, Brian Buckman, William Evans, Melissa Sutliff. Row 4, from left: Patricia West, David Kovalik, Clifford Culver, William Lewis, Walter Karl, Joshua Maye, David Walters, Kirk Makarewicz, Joseph Walko, Eric Kowalek. Row 5, from left: Kieran Lucarino, Arlette Kline, Daniel Pentka, Tanner Heritage, Mary Smea, Jamie Piatt, Elizabeth Blidner, Jennifer Sutton, Chelsea Taras, Amanda Patla, Mandy Pugh, Sarah Zaleskas. Row 6, from left: Alyson Piatt, Joanna Oliver, Ashley Yanchik, Stephen Honeywell, James Belles, Joseph Yankoski, Troy Long, Matthew Belles, Olivia Barrall, Dina Sarmonis, Courtney Kosakowski, Aerial Frost, Iris Johnston. Row 7, from left: Nicholas Callahan, Colin Martinson, Joshua Baranowski, Louis Spaciano, Anthony Lubinski.



American Legion Award recipients

Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post 672, of Dallas, recently presented their American Legion Award to the outstanding eighth grade boy and girl from the Dallas Middle School. Students were evaluated on the criteria of courage, honor, leadership, patriotism, scholarship and service. The award recipients for this academic year were: Leanne Piasta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Piasta, Shavertown, and Stephen Anton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Anton, Dallas. Pictured from left, row one: Mrs. Janice Piasta, Leanne Piasta, Stephen Anton, Mrs. Loraine Anton, and Bernard Piasta. Row two, Ms. Raelene Olszewski and Mr. Michael Shevock, guidance counselor.

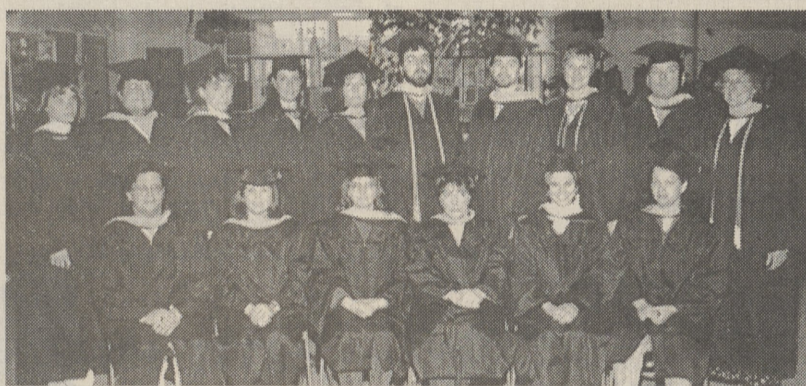
Laura Uzdilla makes dean's list

Laura A. Uzdilla of Dallas was recently named to the Cedar Crest College, dean's list.

Kelly receives honor from Misericordia

Dr. Regina Kelly, RSM '43, of Dallas, recently received the Catherine McAuley Medal at College Misericordia.

Dr. Kelly, professor emerita at the College, received the McAuley Medal in recognition of her service to the College and the Community. Dr. Kelly's commitment to compassionate service to the College and the Sisters of Mercy reflect the qualities modeled by Catherine McAuley, after whom the medal is named. The McAuley Medal is not awarded annually, but on the basis of merit. This is the seventh medal to be awarded in the last 12 years.



College Misericordia graduates

College Misericordia held its 71st Commencement Convocation recently at the Dallas campus. The following Back Mountain area residents received degrees at that time: Row 1, from left: Amy Fermier, BSN in Nursing, Lehman; Nancy Eisenberger, magna cum laude with a BSN in Nursing, Dallas; Donna Kvashay, summa cum laude with a BS in General Studies and an MS in Occupational Therapy, Dallas; Susie Dobash, BS in Business Administration, Harveys Lake; Regina Fockensies, summa cum laude with a BA in English, Shavertown; Rachelle Stuart, magna cum laude with a BS in Biology, Harveys Lake. Row 2, from left: Renee Hislop, BSW in Social Work, Shavertown; Robert Mitchell, BS in Psychology, Shavertown; JoAnne Tregaskis, BSW in Social Work, Dallas; Jennifer Smith, BS in General Studies and a MS in Occupational Therapy, Sweet Valley; Scott Eric Crispell, cum laude with a BS in Liberal Studies, Harveys Lake; Robert T. Wright, BS in Business Administration, Dallas; Alison M. Krakosky, cum laude with a BSN in Nursing, Dallas; Patrick Killimett, cum laude with a BS in Liberal Studies, Dallas; Judith Ann Loeffler, cum laude with a BS in Nursing, Dallas.

Montessori School offers new summer camp series

Wyoming Valley Montessori School, 851 W. Market St., Kingston is offering a series of summer camps through Aug. 8.

New camps include: Science Camp: Truth or Fiction, a week-long session dealing with fundamental science including data, models, predictions, and tests. This challenging new camp is being offered for children ages 9-12 during the week of July 28-Aug. 1. It is staffed by Dr. Anthony Kapolka, assistant Professor of Computer Science at Wilkes University.

Acting It Out, a theatre camp for ages 6-12 will provide students with a chance to laugh, learn and get a taste for the theatre as they try this sampling of creative, dramatic techniques, led by Nina Edgerton of Learning Tomorrow, kids will act out stories, making themselves into animals, statues or machines; making sound effects, creating characters and making jokes.

Art and Fun Camps (ages 4 to 6) will be offered June 30-July 3 (no classes on July 4); Aug. 4-Aug. 8. Art will unfold for younger artists through a variety of creative projects including painting, working with clay, printmaking, puppet and mask making, stories, games and outdoor activities. Instructors for the Art and Fun Camps will be WVMS primary teachers Sashi Venkatesan, Margaret Ashton and Kim Barsh.

This year's Art in Action (ages 7-12) Camps, under the direction of Ronni Grossman, will offer exciting art experiences for older

children. Incredible Edibles will be the highlight of the week of June 30-July 3 as young artists enjoy a symphony of sight and sound combining music with the fun of baking by turning 'humongous' cookies into edible instruments. Whether they're consumed or saved, there will be lots and fun and plenty of frosting for everyone.

Silk Screen and Art Potpourri (split sessions) is slated for Aug. 4-8 with Bev Occulto and David Callahan. Professional silk screeners as well as art teachers, the duo will lead campers through the photo-chemical process of silk screening as they develop their own designs. Campers will have an opportunity to print on a choice of items and to create a special camp t-shirt.

Theme Camps (ages 4-12), under the direction of WVMS teacher Mary Baker will be offered during the month of July: Westward Ho, July 7-11; It's Luau time!, July 14-18; Up, Up and Away, July 21-25; and Nature's Habitats, July 28-Aug. 1. Theme Camp hours are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. with extended childcare available from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. Campers must be four by April 1, 1997.

I Can't Believe It's Math Camp (ages 6-9) will be offered during the week of Aug. 4-8. This camp will offer individualized attention and will be tailored to the participants needs and interests.

For additional information and registration materials, call 288-3708. Registration for all camp sessions is limited.

Reap and Cosgrove make dean's list

John James Reap and Joseph Patrick Cosgrove, both of Shavertown recently made the Lafayette College dean's list.

E. Stroudsburg Univ. dean's list

Two students from the Back Mountain have been named to the Deans List at East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania for the Spring Semester of the 1996-97 academic year: Jennifer R. Krakosky, Shavertown, Hospitality Management; Christopher J. Sorber, Shavertown, Special Education.

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Any questions:
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