

Melissa Bartolini receives degree from Univ. of Pitt.

Melissa Bartolini was among outstanding students and professors at the University of Pittsburgh receiving undergraduate and graduate honors at the 23rd Honors Convocation. She was honored for her induction into Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society. She is also a member of Order of Omega, Alpha Chapter.



MELISSA BARTOLINI

Bartolini is past vice-president of Alpha Epsilon Phi, chief Justice of the Panhellenic Judicial Board, Alpha Epsilon Phi fundraising chairperson, and business manager of the field hockey team. She is currently a University of Pittsburgh Learning Skills Center math tutor and is slated to graduate with honors on May 3 receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing.

She is the daughter of Sharon and Louis Bartolini of Dallas and a 1995 graduate of Dallas High School.

Westmoreland news

- On Thurs., March 11, at 7:30 p.m., Westmoreland second grade students will celebrate "March is Music in Our Schools Month" with a concert in the school cafeteria. Deborah Pike, music teacher said that the performance will include patriotic selections and a mini play called "The Circus Alphabet". Parents and friends of Westmoreland School family are invited to attend.
- The Back Mountain Community is invited to the Westmoreland Carnival on Sat., March 13, from noon until 6 p.m. Games and activities for the young and the young at heart are planned for the school's end of winter celebration. Sandy Dennis is the Chair-

man of the Carnival.

- The next P.T.O. Board Meeting is planned for the March 17 at 7:30 p.m. Interested parents are invited to attend this open board meeting.
- Third grade students will attend a performance of the Philharmonic at The Kirby Center for the Performing Arts, on March 18. Second grade students will attend a performance at the Kirby, "Growing Up on the Prairie", on March 24.
- The annual Project Night is planned for Tues., March 23. Parents, relatives and friends are invited to view student projects in the school cafeteria from 6:30 p.m. until 8 p.m.



Angela Davis honored by Lions

The Lake Silkworth Area Lions recently honored Angela Davis as the Student of the Quarter from the Lake-Lehman High School. Angela and her parents, Stan and Terri Davis, Hunlock Creek were guests of the Lions at a dinner meeting held at the Red Rooster Restaurant, Pikes Creek. Ms. Davis was presented with a monetary gift and a certificate in recognition of outstanding school and community achievement. She is first in her class with a 99 percent average. She is involved in many school projects and is a member of the National Honor Society. Shown from left, Janet Swanger, Student Awards Chairman; Lillian Piatt, Lions Club President; Angela, Terri and Stan Davis.

McLaughlin wins Sem oratory contest

Deirdre McLaughlin of Dallas, a sophomore at Wyoming Seminary, was named the winner of the school's 94th Oratorical Contest.

McLaughlin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn M. McLaughlin of Dallas, persuasively argued for changes in the employment practices of America's clothing manufacturing industry.

The contest was judged by faculty members Elaine Burg, Christopher Button, Carver Collins and Carol Phillips, and was coordinated by Seminary Chaplain Rev. William Summerhill.



Reddy named Student of the Month by Kingston Lions

Wyoming Seminary senior Timothy Reddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Reddy of Shavertown, was named Student of the Month for January by the Kingston Lions Club.



TIMOTHY REDDY

Reddy, a gifted student, was the recipient of Wyoming Seminary's Trustee Achievement Scholarship in ninth grade and ranked Magna Cum Laude in the National Latin Exam in grades 10 and 11. In his junior year, Reddy received the Rensselaer Polytechnic Math and Science Award, par-

ticipated in the Pennsylvania Governor's School for the Sciences, and was named an AP Scholar with Distinction. He was named to the school's Cum Laude Society, is a class representative for the Honor Council, serves as graphics coordinator for the school's yearbook, *The Wyoming* and is a member of Sem's Jazz Band.

Reddy also participates in athletics at Sem, earning varsity letters all four years for both football and lacrosse.

He has volunteered his time for many community service projects and has served as an altar boy. Reddy looks forward to a career in computer science and engineering.

Sarah Podel makes Temple dean's list

Sarah Podel, a freshman at Temple University, was named to the Dean's List for the fall semester. She is in the Honor's program and a pre-Pharmacy Major. Her brother, Daniel, a junior Communications/Journalism Major at Shippensburg University is also on the Dean's List. They both graduated from Dallas High School and are the children of Ned and Betsy Podel of Dallas.

Kropp named to Sem's honor roll

Madeline Kropp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kropp of Kingston Township, was named to the Wyoming Seminary Lower School's Academic Honor Roll for the first trimester of the 1998-99 school year.

BMT students make King's dean's list

Dr. Donald Farmer, vice president for academic affairs at King's College, Wilkes-Barre, recently announced that 571 students have qualified for the fall 1999 deans list. The following Back Mountain students made the list: Nicole J. Bouthot, Shavertown; Jeffrey Conway, Shavertown; Bobbie A. Disque, Dallas; Joseph Dreier, Dallas; Dawn L. Drumin, Dallas; Jared Dukas, Dallas; Michael Finarelli, Dallas; John Garber, Dallas; Barry R. Griffiths, Dallas; Michelle Marie Jayne, Shavertown; Carolyn McLaughlin, Dallas; Daniel Paley, Shavertown; Jean M. Pall, Shavertown; Alison Roskos, Dallas; Michael Schiavone, Dallas; Leighanna Sult, Harveys Lake; and Frank Terescavage, Trucksville.

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Penn State to hold computer workshops on March 22

Penn State Wilkes-Barre will begin its spring series of micro-computer workshops on March 22. The workshops offer hands-on training for all levels of computer literacy, from Introduction to PC Computing for the computer novice to programming languages Visual Basic and C++ for the experienced user.

Basic computer workshops also include Windows '95 and File Management & Connectivity offered in both day and evening classes. Software applications including Word, Excel, Access and Powerpoint are available in introductory, intermediate and advanced levels. Also being offered are transition workshops designed for those who need to carry over their word processing or spreadsheet experience in applications such as WordPerfect and Lotus to Microsoft's Word or Excel '97.

The Microsoft Office workshops, Levels One and Two will be offered at Intellacom Computer Lab on Route 315 in Wilkes-Barre. In 12 weeks, the Level One workshop will have you up and running in Windows, Word, Excel, Powerpoint and Access. Level Two concentrates on intermediate skills in each application and introduces integration of the Office '97 products.

Introductory and intermediate workshops in Microsoft Project Management '98 provide training in project planning and management: Level 1 concentrates on organizing tasks, creating schedules, adding resources and tracking progress; Level 2 provides training in evaluating and adjusting time, resource and cost factors, customizing reports and working with multiple projects.

New to the Penn State line-up of microcomputer workshops is a non-credit Webmaster Certificate Program which covers basic to advanced techniques for Internet developers. It is endorsed and accredited by the Association of Internet Professionals. Interested persons can learn more about this program at an Open House on May 13, 5-7 p.m., classes begin in September.

The non-credit workshops are open to the general public and employees of business and industry. Participants earn Continuing Education Units through Penn State University. Penn State Wilkes-Barre also offers individualized computer training and customized group workshops for all skill levels. For a complete brochure or more information, call Janet Rosenbaum in Continuing Education at (570) 675-9102.



Charnick to attend leadership seminar

Elizabeth Charnick, a sophomore student at Bishop O'Reilly High School in Kingston, will represent the school at the 1999 Central Pennsylvania Leadership Seminar of the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation to be held in May at Millersville University. The annual seminars recognize and develop leadership potential, encourage intellectual and emotional growth, introduce participants to business, educational and community leaders, and provide students with the opportunity to explore America's incentive system, the democratic process and community service. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Charnick of Shavertown, Elizabeth is pictured above with school officials. From left, Lindsa Prawdzik, Director of Guidance, Elizabeth Charnick, and Robert Hines, Principal.

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