

MOVERS & SHAKERS

Dr. M. Anthony Kopolka, III, assistant professor of math and computer science at Wilkes University, from Dallas, was recently inducted into the school's Chapter of Sigma Xi, an international honor society of science and engineering.



At a reception held in the faculty lounge of Fenner Hall, Dr. Louise M. Berard, professor of math and computer science and president of the Wilkes chapter, presented Kopolka with his membership certificate.

Membership in Sigma Xi is by invitation, and is conferred on individuals who have demonstrated noteworthy achievements in research. Kopolka's doctoral thesis concerned user-adaptive information retrieval. During the past few years he has supervised several research projects with students, who have presented their findings at professional conferences.

Kopolka earned bachelor of science degrees in chemistry and computer science from Lebanon Valley College, Annville, PA. He was awarded a master of science degree in computer science from the University of Pittsburgh, where he also received his Ph.D.

Damien J. Alexeev, son of Lynn Alexeev of Dallas, enlisted in the United States Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program recently, according to Staff Sgt. Bill Bialcak, the local Air Force Recruiter.

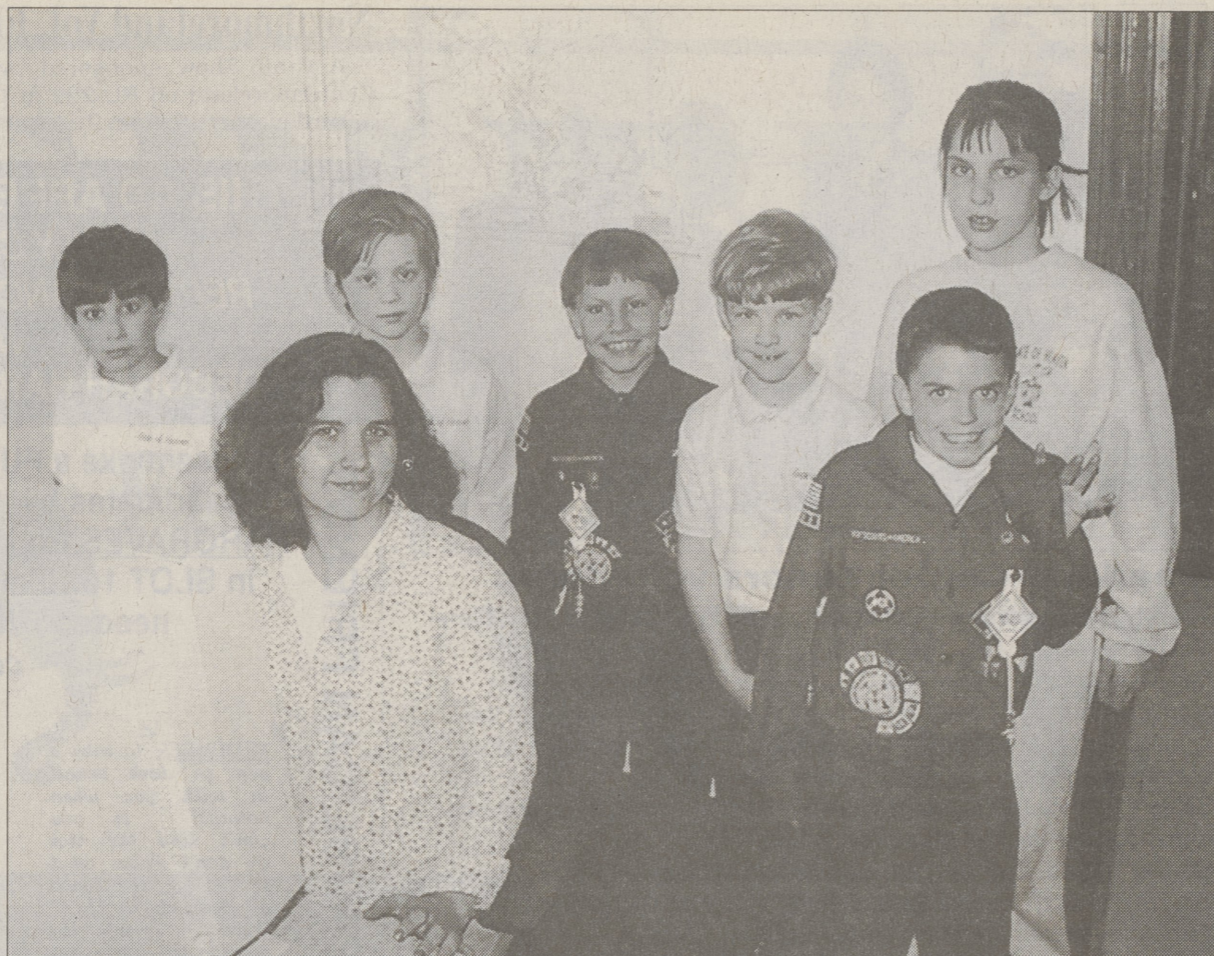
Damien is a senior at Tunkhannock High School. He is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on October 13. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six week basic training course, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the general aptitude area.

Damien will be earning credits toward an Associate Degree in Applied Sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and other technical training schools.

Kathleen G. Williams, Business Manager/Board Secretary of the Lake-Lehman School District, has been approved as a Pennsylvania Registered School Business Administrator (PRSBA), by the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials (PASBO).

Kathleen has been employed by the district since June, 1995. Previously, Kathleen served as a Vice President at PNC Bank and a Municipal Auditor for Lake Township. Mrs. Williams also holds a professional Teaching Certificate in Mathematics. She is the district administrator with responsibility for supervision of the Business Office, Buildings and Grounds, Food Service, Transportation and Central Receiving and manages the budget totaling \$17 million for the current year.

In order to be granted professional registered status, a school business official must meet high personal, ethical, and professional standards established for the registration program which include formal education, experience and continuing education. Once attained, the registration must be renewed every four years through a program of professional development.



Scouts visit The Dallas Post

Cub Scouts from Den 3, Pack 232 visited the office of The Dallas Post recently for one of their meetings. The Scouts learned how the newspaper is produced each week, the different types of work people do at a newspaper and how new technology is used. Shown gathered around Kasia McDonough, reporter, are, from left, Julian Bartorillo, John Frederick, Thomas McGrath, Michael Supczenski, Kevin Buckman and Michelle Supcinski.

BMT seniors plan summer events

Back Mountain Senior Citizens met May 6 with president Kay Hudak presiding. Members were reminded about the upcoming Flea Market to be held at the Meadows in Dallas on June 19. Your items and your help would be greatly appreciated.

Our Mother and Father's Day dinner will be held at the Country Buffet on June 17 at 3 p.m. Please plan on attending.

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