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SPORTS ROUNDUP

BOYS BASKETBALL

Dallas 57, Crestwood 45

The Mountaineers used three very strong quarters of defense to comfortably win against Crestwood in action last week. Jay Carroll had one of his best offensive games of the season, scoring 23 points in all to lead the Mounts in points. Chuck Suppon was the only other Dallas player to reach double figures, finishing with 11 points and several key rebounds and blocked shots in the paint underneath. Blake Saba was right behind with nine points.

Wyoming Area 71, Lake-Lehman 42

Wyoming Area limited the Black Knights to 16 points of offense in the first half en route to a 29-point win in conference play. Matt Dunn had another effective performance, scoring 16 points and grabbing multiple rebounds off the glass. Joe Walko also finished in double digits with ten points. Dusty Kapson was the only other Knight to make multiple field goals. His night ended with six points.

Wyoming Area 60, Dallas 57

Wyoming Area remained in a first-place tie atop the conference standings in knocking off Dallas Friday night at Dallas High School. The Warriors raced out to an 18-8 lead with one minute remaining in the first period. Dallas was able to rally to the point where the deficit was just 2 at halftime. With four minutes left Dallas had built a 4-point lead but could not hold on, as the Mounts managed just five points in those final four minutes. Chuck Suppon lead the team in scoring with 16 points, followed by Jay Carroll with 13.

Nanticoke 59, Lake-Lehman 48

Joe Walkois 23 points accounted for nearly half of the Knights total in a loss at Nanticoke Friday night. Jared Sadowski was next with 12 points in one of his best performances of the season. Matt Dunn added eight points. The third quarter was crucial to the Trojans success, as they extended their lead by 7 points in that period alone.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Lehman runs past Hanover

The Lady Knights clinched second seed in the Division II playoffs by whipping Hanover 52-31 Monday night. Lehman jumped out to a six-point first quarter lead, extended it to 10 at the half and cruised to th win. Christine Hudak led a balanced Knights scoring attack with 11 points. She was followed by Lisa Wasser with 9 and Danielle Kern and Kari Maskalis with 8 apiece. Maskalis had two 3-point goals and Hudak canned one.

Lehman 53, Wyoming Area 46

A balanced scoring attack was crucial in the Lehman win over Wyoming Area in girls play last week. Danielle Kern was tops in scoring with 19 points despite struggling from the foul line. Kieran Lucarino was next with eight points. Right behind her was a trio of girls with seven points. They included Lisa Wasser, Gina Coombs, and Kari Maskalis.

Dallas 51, Crestwood 47

A 15-8 margin in the third quarter gave Dallas its second win of the season over Crestwood, this time a hardfought 4-point win. Freshmen Shannon Thomas and Meredith Lacey combined to scored 30 points and each shared the spotlight by scoring 15 each. Rosalyn Wentko and Crystal Heffner each contributed six points to the total of 51.

Nanticoke 41, Lake-Lehman 40

The Trojans held off a late Knight rally in winning by one

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Mounts run out of gas against Wyoming Area

Dallas came up just short against Wyoming Area last week, losing 60-57 at home. The Mounts trailed by just a point going into the last period, but couldn't make up the difference. In photos, clockwise from above: Jay Carroll raced past a defender; Blake Saba pulled up short; Chuck Suppon, who led Dallas with 16 points, double pumped under the basket.

Eye Care pulls away for 26-22 win

It was tied at 20 points apiece at the end of the third quarter but Eye Care played great defense to hold on to a 26-22 win over Hospice Community Care. Rebekah

7-8 GIRLS

Clay led Eye Care's scoring with 15 points. Cassie Snider added 5 points, Megan Savage scored 4 and Rebecca Vodzak chipped in 2. Kristin Evans, Hillary Adams and Melissa Evans all played well on defense while Caitlin Green did a great job on rebounds.

Community Care's Jodi Dickson was high scorer with 11 points. Nikki Malloy had six points which included a three pointer. Lisa Giacometti had 3 points and Alyse Miller

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Lehman girls drop low-scoring matchup

Lake-Lehman couldn't hold on to a 3-point lead going into the fourth quarter against Nanticoke, and ended up losing 41-40. In photo at right, Lisa Wasser put the ball down and drove. Below, Gina Coombs turned the corner.

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Kelly's 43 points lead way to victory

Matt Kelly exploded for a game high 43 points to lead Kelly Auto Parts to victory 79-74 over Wyoming Valley Prosthetics and Orthotics. Other members of the winning team were Jonathon Pall 15 points, Ryan Marascio 8 points, Conor Judge, Gracjan Kraszewski 4 points apiece and Joe DeGraba 3 points. WVPO was led by D.J. Molino 20 points, Chris Kester 18 points, Jared Nothstein 16 points, Andrew Gramps 11 points and Mike Lloyd 9 points.

7-8 BOYS

GILROY REALTORS 69, WILKES-BARRE PALETT 63

Jimmy Schwerdtman, Ben Thomas and Kenny Regan team up for 58 points to lead Gilroy Realtors to victory 69-63. Mike Hazleton played outstanding defense along with very key rebounds down the stretch to help assure the win. Members of Gilroy scoring were Schwerdtman, game high 24 points, Thomas 18 points, Regan 16 points, Ryan Harvey and Brandon Wills 4 points apiece and Hazleton 3 points.

Scoring for Wilkes-Barre Pallett were Matt Daube 23 points, Sean Leary 15 points, John Paul Parulski 13 points, Bobby Lenahan 7 points and J.J. Durr 5 points.

FIELD HOUSE 73, H OUSE OF NUTRITION 57

Matt Wilson's game high 38 points led the Field House to victory 73-57. Other members of the winning team scoring were Ryan Murray 25 points, Mike Wyberski 4 points, Steve Wengen, Sean McAndrew and Adam Snider all contributed with 2 points each. Scoring for House of Nutrition were Tim Crossin 34 points, followed by Justin Singer 8 points, Curtis Montz 6 points, Jonathon Baker 5 points and Matt Empfield 4.

BONNER CHEVROLET 52, APPLEWOOD GOLF COURSE 48

David Harding led all scorers with a game high 23 points to lead his team to victory 52-48. Other members of the winning team were Eric Domzalski 12 points, Chris Parrish 7 points, Adam King 6 points and Robbie Tomko 4 points. Members of Applewood Golf Course scoring were Eric Samanas 19 points, Mike Race 12 points, Jonathon Stephens 7 points, Jeff Decker 6 points and Nick Samanas 4 points.

Playoff action for 7th & 8th grade boys starts Sunday, Feb. 18, with games from 1-5 p.m. at the Dallas Middle School.

Luzerne Bank wins championship

Brad Fagula scored 12 points and Mike Gergel 11 as Luzerne National Bank won the regular season championship with a 35-13 victory over Penn State Seed. Justin Rice keyed the defense. Penn State was led by Dan Jacobs with 6 points and Joe Bevevino with 4.

5-6 BOYS

MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER 37, DALLAS ROTARY 33

Adam Singer scored 21 points and Stephen Zubko 12 as Morgan Stanley Dean Witter edged Dallas Rotary 37-33. Michael Gross and Cale Charney added 2 points each. Dallas Rotary was led by Ryan Konopki with 15 points. Also scoring were Kyle Williams, Nick Barbose, and Zack Breck.

GROTTO PIZZA 41, COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE 31

Grotto Pizza clinched the 4th seed in the playoffs with a 41-31 win over Commonwealth Telephone. David Hanadal led Grotto with 9 points while Steven Dudasick added 6 and Michael O'Day 3. Commonwealth was led

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