

## Pirates sweep weekend games

Ken Suchoski scored two goals on Saturday, Oct. 20 against the Haverford Hawks in a 6-2 victory, and turned in a strong defensive effort on Sunday, Oct. 21 against the Grundy Senators, to lead the Pocono Pirate Pee Wee A ice hockey team to a weekend sweep in DVHL league action.

Also registering a goal was Ricky Rose (Shavertown). Eric Wroblewski (Dallas), and winning goaltender Drew Slocum

(Shavertown) keyed a strong team defensive effort.

On Sunday Kevin Zirnheld and Max Van Gorder (Paupack) scored two goals each to lead the Pirates to a 6-2 win. Rose had an assist. Drew Slocum was the winning goaltender with 22 saves.

The Pee Wee Ice hockey Pirates are next in action on Saturday, Oct. 28 against the Delaware Jr. Blue Hens at the Ice Box in Pittston.

## Pirate Squirt "A" ice hockey team wins two

The Pocono Pirates Squirt A ice hockey team remained undefeated in Delaware Valley Hockey league play with two victories this weekend.

The Pirates won Saturday's game versus the Hatfield Ice Dogs in Philadelphia 3-2. Alex Slocum of Shavertown tied the game, scoring two goals, with

assists from John Nugent and Sean Davis of Clark Summit. Chris Ostrowski of Pittston scored the game winner with an assist from Davis.

On Sunday, the Pirates continued their winning ways with a 3-0 shutout of the visiting Delco Phantoms.

## Back Mountain Cyclones tie Blitz

The Back Mountain Cyclones tied the undefeated Mountaintop Blitz 2-2 in a "nail-biter" Sunday in Mountaintop.

Down 1-0 two minutes into the match, Alex Slocum answered with a shot midway through the first half. The tie score was only temporary as the Blitz scored their second goal by the end of the half.

An awesome defense led by

David Zurek, Carson Baker, Andrew Payne, Brad Johnson and goalie Mike Gashi kept the Blitz scoreless for the second half. With 30 seconds remaining, Zurek passed the ball to Harry Schall, who drove up the right sideline for one final rocket shot on goal to tie the game.

The Cyclones will travel Sunday to Bloomsburg to play the Pound Dogs in the first playoff.



Dallas Middle School cross-country team members, from left, kneeling: Brandon Hiscox, Robert Smith, Dan Savage, Josh Mounce. Standing: Debra Ketchner, Nikki Appel, Katie Gilligan, Desiree Spears, Brittany Prater, Robin Razawich, Hillary Adams, Lisa Giacometti, Marjorie Adams, coach. Absent from photo, Amanda Touey.

## DMS cross county finishes strong, Giacometti wins district title

The Dallas Middle School Cross Country Team ended its season Saturday at the PIAA District II Jr. High Championships at McDade Park in Scranton. The Dallas Girls Team finished 5th out of 43 schools from northeastern PA and placed three girls in the top 20.

The Mountaineers were led by first-place finisher and District Champion Lisa Giacometti. Lisa ran a perfect race besting the field of over 200 runners on the 1.86 mile course. Lisa ran in second place for most of the race, then made her move the last half mile and never looked back, running her personal best time and putting over 10 seconds between herself and the second place finisher.

Also finishing in the medals for Dallas were Robin Razawich in 9th place, and Hillary Adams in 18th place. Teammates Desiree Spears, Katie Gilligan, Brittany Prater, Nikki Appel and Debra Ketchner ran strong races for Dallas contributing to the teams 5th place finish. In the boys' race, Dan Savage, Brandon Hiscox, Robert Smith and Josh Mounce bested their previous times on the hilly course.

Last weekend at the Wyoming Valley Conference Coaches Meet, the girls team finished 2nd placing 5 girls in the top 25



Lisa Giacometti approached the finish line at the District II Jr. High Championship.

runners. Lisa Giacometti finished 2nd, Robin Razawich 7th, Hillary Adams 14th, Katie Gilligan 19th, and Brittany Prater 25th. In the boys race Dan Savage medaled finishing 18th.

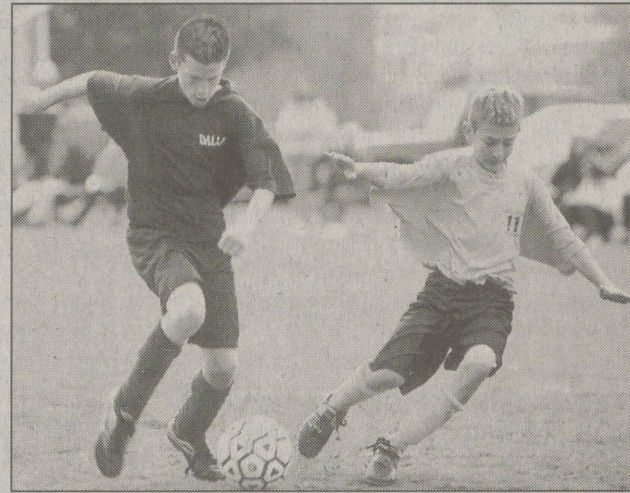
During the regular season, Dallas competed as a coed team with nine girls and four boys against teams mostly dominated by boys. Despite the disadvantage, Dallas managed to post a winning season finishing with 5 wins and 3 losses. The team is coached by Marjorie Adams.

## Berley 2nd at nationals

Michelle Berley of Shavertown won a silver medal on the balance beam at the State Games of America in St. Louis, Missouri. Berley qualified for the national meet by placing in the top three in Pennsylvania at the Keystone State Games.

Berley is a level 8 gymnast and a member of the competitive team at Northeast Gymnastics Academy. She is coached by Lori Dexter.

She is the daughter of Fred and Beverly Berley, and a student at Wyoming Seminary Lower School.



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## Dallas wins middle school title

The Dallas Middle School soccer team shut out Lake-Lehman 5-0 Monday to claim the middle school championship.

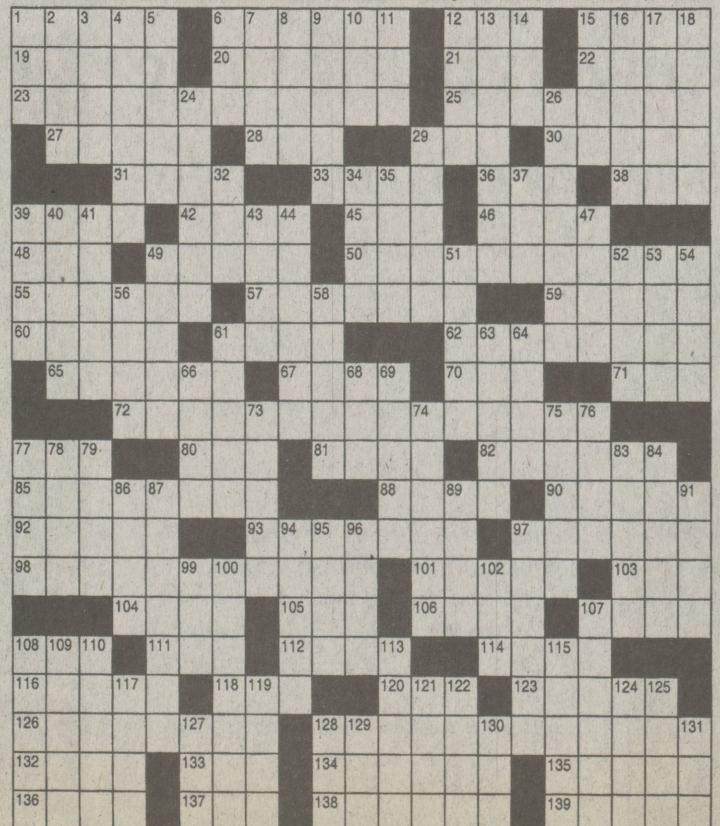
In photos, clockwise from top left: David Luksh, right, battled for control with Jake Precone; Dallas fans Alyssa Retzena, Cassie Snider, Nikki Pisacano and Sara Sweptson; Mario Oliveri, left, and Justin Namey arrived at the ball together; Dallas coach Lisa Niewinski talked things over with her team; Billy DeAngelo, left, raced Jake Precone for possession.



## CROSSWORD CORNER

### Super Crossword JIM WORKOUT

- ACROSS**
- 1 Fit for a king
  - 6 Wandered
  - 15 Secure a carpet
  - 19 Simpson of fashion
  - 20 Jockey legend
  - 21 "Lateral"
  - 22 "East of Eden" character
  - 23 Jim Reeves song
  - 25 Jim Bouton book
  - 27 Ashcan artist John
  - 28 Bach's "Bist du bel —"
  - 29 Guys
  - 30 Practice piece
  - 31 Stumble
  - 33 Notion
  - 36 Flavor enhancer
  - 38 Word with take or hang
  - 39 They're often glossed over
  - 42 Coffee containers
  - 45 Put away a pie
  - 46 "Might be!"
  - 48 Cookbook phrase
  - 49 Henry — Lodge
  - 50 "Jim Dandy" singer
  - 55 Prayer book
  - 57 Ran circles around
  - 59 Jargon
  - 60 "— Instinct" (92 film)
  - 61 Effluvia
  - 62 Recreation center
  - 65 Toothy?
  - 67 Singer
  - 68 "Lateral" Simone
  - 70 "Evil Woman" rockers
  - 71 Mao —
  - 72 Jim Backus sitcom
  - 77 Peculiar partner
  - 80 Pitch in
  - 81 Pull the trigger?
  - 82 Pianist Jose
  - 85 Arm of the Atlantic
  - 88 Con
  - 90 Guitarist
  - 92 Eddy
  - 92 Missouri River city
  - 93 Socks
  - 97 Alley cat?
  - 98 Jim
  - Anderson's portrait
  - 101 Designer Perry
  - 103 —Locks, FL
  - 104 Melville work
  - 105 Excessively
  - 106 Hold as an opinion
  - 107 Tipplers
  - 108 Give in to gravity
  - 111 Pot-au-Neu
  - 112 Spanish river
  - 114 Director Hooper
  - 116 Pianist Claudio
  - 118 Deface
  - 120 SS Duran
  - 123 Talmadge or Shearer
  - 126 Jim Carrey movie
  - 128 Jim Messina's partner
  - 132 — Spumante
  - 133 Heredity letters
  - 134 Climax
  - 135 "Caro name"
  - 136 Exploit
  - 137 The end?
  - 138 Spuds
  - 139 Firm
  - 1 Sound from the stands
  - 2 Horace's letters
  - 3 Roar
  - 4 Divives up
  - 5 "Paganini" composer
  - 6 —4 (Toyota model)
  - 7 Utah city
  - 8 Where Hamlet meets Dad
  - 9 Native New
  - 10 Unit of work
  - 11 TV's "Scooby-—"
  - 12 Singer Lane
  - 13 Burma, today
  - 14 —Aviv
  - 15 Wilson's predecessor
  - 16 See 77
  - 17 Uncouth
  - 18 Actress Black
  - 24 Gorilla or groundhog
  - 26 Easily read
  - 29 Novelist Binyou
  - 32 British bar
  - 34 Spanish surrealist
  - 35 Coup d'—
  - 37 Form of ID
  - 39 Ewe's
  - 40 Ancient epic
  - 41 Once fashionable
  - 43 Virtuous
  - 44 Like Hercules
  - 47 So-so
  - 49 Southwestern stickers
  - 51 Adds fringe
  - 52 Trunk feature
  - 53 Hollywood clashers
  - 54 The Pantheon's setting
  - 56 Star in "Salome"
  - 58 Prickly plant
  - 61 Tiltroom puppet
  - 63 TV's "Kate & —"
  - 64 Ditch under a draw-
  - 66 "Oh, woe!"
  - 68 Vane dir.
  - 69 Confidential comment
  - 73 Moscow's locale
  - 77 With 15
  - 75 Artistic subjects
  - 76 Medicine
  - 77 With 15
  - Down, approximately
  - 78 Major —
  - 79 Boring locale
  - 83 "The Jungle Book" bear
  - 84 Bumbling
  - 86 Lieutenant
  - 87 Depicting
  - 89 Goofy
  - 91 Ages
  - 94 Peripheral
  - 95 Stuck-up sort
  - 96 Sikorsky or Stravinsky
  - 97 Kobe robe
  - 99 Low digit
  - 100 "No, No, Nanette" composer
  - 102 Permit
  - 107 Franchi or Mendes
  - 108 Cole slaw, e.g.
  - 109 Originate
  - 110 Prepare the Parmesan
  - 113 "Ready —, here I come!"
  - 115 Baseball's Wade
  - 117 Like the Negev
  - 119 Composer Khachaturian
  - 121 Dramatist William
  - 122 — and terminator
  - 124 Factory
  - 125 "— Love" ("54 hit)
  - 127 A mean Amin
  - 128 Herriman's "Krazy —"
  - 129 Antipollution grp.
  - 130 Baxter or Brown
  - 131 Dejected



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### King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Submarine sandwich
  - 5 French nobleman
  - 8 Bridge user's fee
  - 12 Pay off in installments
  - 14 Theater award
  - 15 Oz character
  - 16 High time?
  - 17 Coloration
  - 18 Fare, sometimes
  - 20 Dull
  - 23 Short skirt
  - 24 On in years
  - 25 Mourns
  - 28 Actor Mineo
  - 29 Male and female
  - 30 Scooted
  - 32 Breaks a promise
  - 34 Comic strip possum
  - 35 "When I was —"
  - 36 Sequence
  - 37 India city in 1984 news
  - 40 Fuss
  - 41 "The Weakest —"
  - 42 1925 Eisenstein classic
  - 47 Height (Pref.)
  - 48 Cooking ingredient
  - 49 Benefit

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- DOWN**
- 1 Emoter
  - 2 Ostrich's kin
  - 3 Jockey Turcotte
  - 4 Corsage favorite
  - 5 Riverside structure
  - 6 Weapon
  - 7 Franc fractions
  - 8 Vietnam gulf
  - 9 Reed instrument
  - 10 One of Dorothy's
  - 11 Optical aid
  - 13 Sound of dull impact
  - 19 Change for a five
  - 20 Anatomical duct
  - 21 Cultural medium
  - 22 Soccer legend
  - 23 Spent one's limit
  - 25 Writer's need
  - 26 Walked (on)
  - 27 Wise one
  - 29 Actress Ward
  - 31 Neither mate
  - 33 Serviette
  - 34 Not late
  - 36 Praiseful poetry
  - 37 Spill the beans
  - 38 Hawaiian city
  - 39 Aware of
  - 40 King of Norse myth
  - 43 Bullring bravo
  - 44 Aperitif wine
  - 45 Lemieux milleu
  - 46 Born

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