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# SportsWeek

Section 2

## Local stars named to Sem's Hall of Fame

The Wyoming Seminary Varsity Club will induct seven new members into its Sports Hall of Fame during the club's 28th annual banquet on Friday, Oct. 18 at 7 p.m. in Fleck Hall on the Sem Upper School campus in Kingston.

This year's Back Mountain area honorees are Scott P. Parkhurst, class of 1978, tennis; Christopher R. Saul, class of 1986, soccer; and Barbara Klein Windham, class of 1976, field hockey, basketball and softball.

The dinner is open to the public, but reservations are required. Cost is \$20. For information and reservations, call Sem's Development Office at 270-2140.

Parkhurst, originally from Trucksville, played varsity tennis for four years and was named MVP in his freshman year. As a senior he was captain of the tennis team, which was undefeated for three years. He also played football for the Blue Knights for three years and was a co-captain of the undefeated 1978 team. At Lafayette College he played varsity tennis and was named MVP in his senior year. Currently he works as an insurance broker and serves as president of the Valley Tennis and Swim Club. He lives in Shavertown.

Saul, from Dallas, played varsity soccer, basketball and lacrosse during his athletic career at Sem. In 1985 he was the

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## O'Dell named MAC Player of the Week

Volleyball star Faith O'Dell has been named the MAC Freedom Conference Player of the Week. O'Dell helped the Lady Monarchs to a 6-0 week and a pair of school records. She had 77 kills, 70 digs, 10 service aces and a .444 hitting percentage as King's improved to 18-0 on the season. The 18-0 start is the best in school history as is the Monarchs' current 18-match winning streak. The senior outside hitter eclipsed the 1,000 kill mark and became the first player in King's history to reach that level in only three seasons.

## Mounts hold off Hanover

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Special to The Dallas Post

**HANOVER TWP.** — Ryan Gryskevicz spent a good portion of the second half Saturday afternoon flat on his back having his legs pushed, pulled and massaged to exorcise stubborn cramps.

The results were therapeutic, not only for him but Dallas as well.

Gryskevicz returned to intercept two passes, the final one on the Dallas 15-yard line with 35 seconds left, as the Mountaineers hung on for a 14-9 victory against Hanover Area in a Wyoming Valley Conference Division 2 game.

"I thought (Jon) Barbose and Gryskevicz in the secondary made some really good calls," said Dallas coach Ted Jackson. "Thank God Ryan picked those

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Paul Douglas kept the ball in front of his body as Lehman's Rich Eckman looked for an opportunity to take it away.

## Lehman jumps to 3-0 lead

The Lake-Lehman boys soccer team beat Dallas 3-1 last week to give the Black Knights a 3-0 lead in the race for the Back Mountain Cup.

Lehman also won the first meetings between the schools earlier this month. Two matches were played Wednesday, golf and cross country. Results were not available in time for this issue.

The Back Mountain Cup will be awarded to the school that wins the most head-to-head varsity sports contests over the entire 2002-2003 school year. Pre- or post-season games are not included. After Wednesday, three fall sports meetings remain; volleyball on Oct. 1; soccer on Oct. 11 and the Old Shoe football game on Nov. 2.

### Dallas and Lake-Lehman Fall Sports Contests

Date	Sport	Location	Winner	Standing
Sept. 5	Golf	Huntsville	Lehman	LL 1 - D 0
Sept. 9	Field Hockey	Dallas	Lehman	LL 2 - D 0
Sept. 20	Boys Soccer	Lehman	Lehman	LL 3 - D 0
Sept. 25	Golf	Irem		
Sept. 25	Boys Cross Country	Dallas		
Oct. 1	Volleyball	Lehman		
Oct. 11	Boys Soccer	Dallas		
Nov. 2	Football	Dallas		



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Nate Carsman was first to a header, battling with Jeff Pace.

### SPORTS ROUNDUP

From staff reports

#### BOYS SOCCER

##### Lehman 3, Dallas 1

**LEHMAN TWP.** — Nate Carsman scored two second-half goals as Lake-Lehman posted a come-from-behind victory against Back Mountain rival Dallas in a game played Thursday afternoon. The game was originally scheduled for Friday.

Ryan Marascio scored a goal to give Dallas a 1-0 lead at half-

time. Carsman tied the game with a goal less than three minutes into the second half and scored the eventual game-winner 20 minutes later. Kevin Konicki sealed the game with a goal late in the second half.

##### Hazleton 4, Lake-Lehman 3

**HAZLETON** — Tyler VanScoy and Nick Carsman had a goal and an assist each for Lake-Lehman and Nate Carsman scored the third goal, but the

Black Knights were not able to hang onto an early 2-0 lead and lost in overtime. Goaltender Phil Kurello stopped 13 shots.

#### BOYS CROSS COUNTRY

##### Nanticoke 24, Dallas 31

**DALLAS** — Dallas junior Ryan Dimmick set a new course record of 17:37 at the 3.1-mile course at Dallas High School, but it wasn't enough as Nanticoke topped the defending con-

ference champion Mountaineers 24-31. The old record of 17:49 was set by Marcus Magyar of Wyoming Area in 2001. Mike Hiscox finished fifth in 18:54.

##### Lake-Lehman 15, Hanover 47

**HANOVER TWP.** — Brad Baird, Kelby Morgan, Ryan Bloom, Corey Norton and Jerry Mikelski took the top five spots in Lake-Lehman's victory. Baird was first in 16:41, more than a minute ahead of Morgan.

#### GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

##### Dallas 18, Nanticoke 39

**DALLAS** — Whitney Adams shattered the course record in 20:15 at Dallas High School to lead the Mountaineers (2-0). The old record of 21:34 was set by Wyoming Area's Megan Torbik in 2001. Lisa Giacometti was second (21:17) and Jamie Stanish finished third in 22:25.

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Dallas wide receiver Mike Racoski was tackled by several Hanover players after making a catch during Saturday's game.

## Black Knights give Wyoming Area a scare

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**LEHMAN TWP.** — After falling behind 20-0, the Black Knights capitalized on Wyoming Area made mistakes and nearly pulled off the upset of the young Wyoming Valley Conference football season.

With a long kick return for a touchdown called back for holding, and a turnover on their own 28, the Warriors allowed Lake-Lehman to hang around until the final play of the game.

But a fourth quarter field goal by senior Rob Licata that gave Wyoming Area a two-score lead proved to be enough as it held off a late Black Knight rally and escaped with a 23-21 victory.

With just seconds left in the third quarter and a 20-6 lead, consecutive false start penalties forced Wyoming Area into a fourth-and-16 on its own 20. Senior Ryan Mully's blocked punt led to a safety and cut the lead to 20-8 heading into the final quarter.

On the first play of the ensuing possession, Marlon Baynard fumbled and Lehman's Matt Gernerling recovered the ball on

the Warrior 28.

Dave Harris — who led all rushers with 153 yards on 34 carries — ran for 25 yards including a 4-yard touchdown to pull the Black Knights within 20-14 with 7:43 left.

Wyoming Area answered with a drive that drained almost six minutes from the clock. Joe Marianacci did the bulk of the work with 40 rushing yards before Licata's field goal — which banked off the left upright — gave the Warriors a 23-14 lead with 2:04 remaining.

A 15-yard facemask penalty and a pass interference penalty helped Lehman quickly move down the field. And with just 17 ticks left, Harris scored on another 4-yard run and the Black Knights cut the lead to 23-21.

Joe Maillie then recovered the onside kick and Lehman had the ball on Wyoming Area's 48 with 11 seconds remaining. But a sack by multiple Warrior defenders ended Lehman's hopes for a miracle comeback.

Harris's first of three 4-yard touchdowns had cut the lead to 20-6 before the safety that ended the third quarter.