

Fly tying classes start Jan. 20

The Stanley Cooper Sr. Chapter of Trout Unlimited is accepting registrations for its annual fly tying course. The course will be held every Monday, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., tentatively beginning January 20, 2003. The meetings will be held at the Wyoming Valley West Middle School, Chester Street, in Kingston.

Although the course is designated for beginners, experienced fly tyers are also welcome.

The first lesson will consist of learning the two-finger whip finish, and tying the Woolly Bugger. From there we advance into wet flies, nymphs and streamers. Class five is a special steelhead

pattern class and class six through eight concentrate on dry flies and terrestrials.

Class participants will also be invited to special fly casting seminar to be held in late March or Early April. The cost for the entire eight week course and fly casting instruction is \$60. All the materials will be supplied, the student is to supply the tools. Call quickly to register as the classes are limited. For information or to register, either Mike Romanowski at 287-2127 or Stanley Cooper at 825-8969.

To view a schedule of speakers and events for upcoming meetings go to the web site www.sctu.org.

Lake-Lehman Jr. High wrestlers defeat GAR

The Black Knights won 12 of 18 bouts on their way to a 67-34 victory over the visiting Grenadiers. The Lake-Lehman squad, which upped its overall team record to 5-2, recorded seven pins in the contest.

Falls were registered by Mike Lipski (4-3, 3 pins) at 90 lbs., Eddie Donahue (2-1, 1 pin) at 95 lbs., Tim Ford (1-5, 1 pin) at 110 lbs., Brandon Higgins (7-0, 5 pins) at 138 lbs., Justin Schell (6-1, 5 pins) at 155 lbs., Joe Klemunes (6-0, 4 pins) at 165 lbs., and Stanley Brudnicki (2-5, 2 pins) at 185 lbs..

Josh Arnold (7-0, 5 pins) scored an 8-1 decision to remain undefeated at 145 lbs.

The Jr. Knights will next go into action 7 p.m. Friday, December 20, at home versus Lackawanna Trail.



POST PHOTOS/RON BARTZEK

Driving lessons

Mark Covert drove around a Northwest defender.

BOWLING RESULTS

BACK MOUNTAIN BOWL

Youth Leagues

Bantams, The Pin Crushers 21-5, Wolves 18.5-17.5, Bears 16.5-19.5, The Shark Pins 16-20.

Leaders: Kyle Fine 84-166, Zachary Nase 83-148, Dakota Tunis 64-120, Scott Judson 54-103, Todd Rubin 61-94, Zachary Vikara 54-79, Kyle Ann Tunis 75-134, Ashley Jackson 72-129, Chloe Renner 66-117, Shelby Rubin 59-110.

Junior/Seniors, The Evil Ones 34-14, Zippos 25.5-22.5, The Devils 21.5-26.5, The Second Placers 15-33.

Leaders: Tim Doty 194-535, Jake Riddle 188-482, Matt Piazza 168-435, Carl Bartizek 150-428, Gary Cobleigh 158-379, Joe DeMuro 126-369, John Parsons 128-364, Tim Allen 124-350, Kevin Mills 106-296, Jonathan Kopcho 104-289, Sam Laskowski 183-534, Megan Strunk 140-357, Jenn Jones 128-348, Marina Suder 103-292.

Pee Wees

Leaders: Ronnie Ziomek 77, Kimberley Pretko 70, Michael Peck 64, Matthew Caffrey 57, Lucas Nase 53.

Preps, The Ball Bombers 32-16, America Rules 23-25, Vipers 21-27, Penetrators 20-28.

Leaders: Travis Doty 124-342, Drew Clouse 114-314, Mike Llewellyn 116-314, Neil Popko 123-304, Eddie Ruger 137-292, Jessie Tunis 115-282, Will Wilson 107-274, Matt Malak 97-263, Alex Suder 92-245, Henry Judson 90-236, Chris Buchanan 140-230, Julian Ras-movic 77-209, Anthony LaFratte 54-139, Alyx Stephens 142-335, Jessie DeMuro 123-304.

Back Mountain Church League, Dallas 44-20, Orange 39.5-24.5, East Dallas 30-34, Maple Grove 29.5-34.5, Shavertown B 25-39, Shavertown A 24-40.

Top Scorers: Rich Dougal 171-244-289-704, John Franchella 653, Bob Stair 638, Ken Spencer 619, Ken Wojciechowski 616.

Back Mountain Farmers, Mules 41-19, Turkeys 39.5-20.5, Peacocks 34-26, Longhorns 33.5-26.5, Ugly Ducklings 32-28, Thoroughbreds 27-33, Hayseeds 25.5-34.5, Flaming Eagles 25-35, Broncos 23.5-

36.5, Black Sheep 19-41. Top Men Scorers: Mike Handley 235-677, Glen Mazur 215-621, Gary Mazur 243-598, Matt Fritz 216-586, Jim Aita 206-547.

Top Women Scorers: Mickey Handley 206-591, Wendy Strunk 200-586, Patty Reed 200-531, Connie Doty 169-468, Beth Savage 203-459.

Ladies Country League, Thunderbirds 36.5-23.5, Corvettes 34.5-25.5, Trailblazers 34-26, Mustangs 26.5-33.5, Towncars 26-34, Hot Rods 22.5-37.5.

Top Scorers: Heather Patton 200-179-192-571, Suzy Thompson 172-182-206-560, Flo Brozowski 150-224-178-552, Mindy Schuler 167-147-222-536, Sharon Ragakonis 173-169-190-532, V. Artsma 184-168-178-530.

Native Textiles, Nobodys 36-16, 4 K's and a C 34-18, Just Us 30.5-21.5, What's That 30-22, Ball Busters 27.5-24.5, Needy 26.5-25.5, The Erasers 26-26, Old Timer + 4 25.5-26.5, The Family + T 23-29, Strike Force 21-31, Cookie Less 19-33.

Leaders: Clem Kopko 222-637, Joe Reilly 213-628, Rob Lambert 244-615, Tom Young 234-615, Matt Pretko 223-599, Larry Wolfe 222-599, Dave Eddy 210-593, Annette Dunn 194-572, Elaine Coburn 194-555, Barb Kopko 208-554, Grace Pisano 176-519, Karen Laskowski 191-493.

Sunday Night Mixed Couples, Welitcho's 35-21, Shaver's 32.5-23.5, Strazdus G 32-24, Nice's 28.5-27.5, Strazdus' Rich 27-29, Gula's 26.5-29.5, Strazdus Sr Ray 22-34, Palmer's 20.5-35.5.

Top Men Scorers: Steve Welitcho 218-213-601, John Gula 203-169-529, Greg Strazdus 199-189-527, Mike Stelma 191-162-514, Jack King 195-161-511.

Top Women Scorers: Chris Pizzano 187-178-505, Marie Nice 175-170-489, Barbara Strazdus 188-149-454, Gert Owens 154-147-445, Pat Smith 154-148-428.

Leading Averages (Men): Dan Palmer 177, Paul Nice 175, Hall Shaver 173, Greg Strazdus 172, Ray Strazdus Sr. 165, Jack King 165.

Leading Averages (Women): Marie Nice 164, Betty King 161, Chris Pizzano 161, Connie Bolcarovic 151, Gert Owens 146, Joan Strazdus 145.

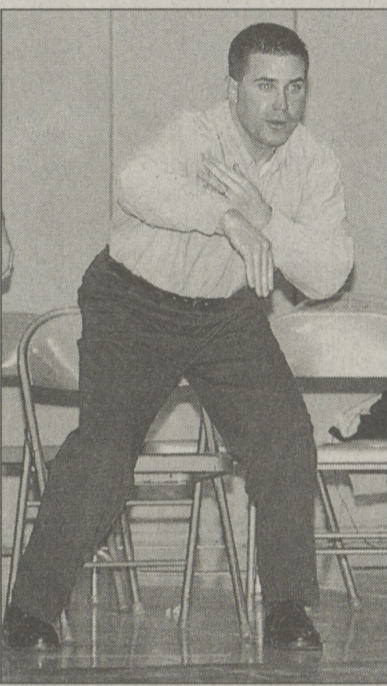


Crossin hits 500th point

Kelli Crossin, Gate of Heaven eighth grader, recently scored her 500th point for the Gators basketball team.

Shown with a commemorative ball are Crossin with her teammates.

From left, first row, seated: Kelsey Moody, Cara Donahue. Second row: Molly Kalish, Brianna McLaughlin, Katie Goode, Keli Crossin, Alicia Evans, Jamie Krywicki, Kathleen Paley, Janel Grundowski and Suzy Krogulski. Absent from photo: Melissa Sabol.



POST PHOTOS/JIM PHILLIPS

Dallas coach Mike Ropiiski motioned advice to A.J. Musto.

Roundup

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and Jackie Hardwick tossed in 14 for the Mountaineers. Thomas, Wentko and Ashleigh King each hit a 3-pointer.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Dallas 80, Berwick 52

DALLAS — Paul McCue pumped in 36 points and Jeff Dixon added 18 as the Mountaineers cruised to victory over the Bulldogs in the WVC opener for both teams. McCue sank four 3-pointers and Dixon had two.

Dallas held a 43-24 halftime lead and was never threatened in the second half.

Pittston 70, Lake-Lehman 45

LEHMAN TWP. — Pittston Area outscored Lake-Lehman 44-20 over the final two quarters to post the victory.

Dustin Kapson scored 18 and Jared Sadowski scored 15 for Lehman.

Lake-Lehman 60, Benton 57

LEHMAN TWP. — Lehman outscored Benton 22-13 in the final quarter to eke out the victory. Jared Sadowski led the Black Knights with 16 points. Dustin Kapson scored 14 and Andy Coombs had 13.

Dallas 71, Wyo. Seminary 60

DALLAS — Paul McCue scored a game-high 24 points in Dallas's victory over the Blue Knights, making five 3-point shots. Jeff Dickson scored 13 and Robbie Meyers added 11 for the Mountaineers.

Dickson had three 3-pointers and Matt Kelly had one in his nine points.

Eric Feinstein paced Seminary with 17.

WRESTLING

Lake-Lehman 72, Nanticoke 3

NANTICOKE — Lehman's Jeremy Shultz (140) recorded a fall in 18 seconds, while teammates Jon Shultz (125) and Dale Radginski had their falls in under a minute. Kelby Morgan (112), John Houssock (119) and Matt Stuart also won on pins.

Meyers 45, Dallas 29

DALLAS — Five forfeits hurt Dallas. A.J. Musto (112), Sean McMahon (119) and Catlin Simmons (145) recorded pins. John Hettes (125) posted a technical fall. Morgan Anderson (152) and Brandon Short (215) won decisions.

CROSSWORD CORNER

Super Crossword

CAN'T STANDISH STILL

ACROSS

- 1 WWII site
- 7 Serenity
- 12 Brazos River city
- 16 Clerical garb
- 19 Point the finger at
- 20 Synthetic town
- 21 Christiania, today
- 22 Remote Riddle:
- 23 Riddle: Part 1
- 25 Gershwin's "In Blue"
- 27 Beatty or Buntline
- 28 Gaggle gal
- 29 Watch part
- 30 Fountain order
- 31 Rocker Marc
- 33 Nature spirit
- 36 Sable, for one
- 38 Lee of "The Guy"
- 41 Cantaloupe's cousin
- 43 Team Berzhnaya
- 44 Skater
- 45 Bleak critique
- 46 Riddle: Part 2
- 51 Papua New Guinea port
- 52 Contaminates
- 55 Butz or Warren
- 56 Sapporo sash
- 57 Tactful
- 59 Consider
- 61 Ford flop
- 63 Maine town
- 64 Space
- 66 AI — (cooking term)
- 67 Lear, to Goneril
- 69 Riddle: Part 3
- 74 Fleur-de-lys
- 75 Desert avoidance
- 77 — Romeo
- 78 Hoop of Dickens
- 80 Coeur d'Alene
- 81 Cartoonist Silverstein
- 83 Hard to describe
- 88 Hurried
- 89 Little one
- 91 Prate
- 92 — (Toyota model)
- 93 Riddle: Part 4
- 98 Loser part
- 99 Gladden
- 101 Alan of "Gilligan's Island"
- 102 Frequent Funicello co-star
- 104 Scanty
- 105 Roller-coaster feeling
- 108 1970 World's Fair site
- 109 Chatterley or Windermere
- 110 Director Nicolas
- 111 Skip
- 113 Turbine part
- 116 — Goncalo, Brazil
- 119 Avoidance
- 121 Answer to riddle
- 125 Swell place?
- 126 Actor Barry
- 127 Murcia mister
- 128 Farm adolescent
- 129 Weaken
- 130 — (Neisse Line)
- 131 Early German
- 132 Spanish —
- 133 — (Neisse Line)
- 134 Spitz sound
- 135 Exec's deg.
- 137 Perplexed
- 138 Blend
- 139 Jai —
- 140 Army vehicle
- 141 "Makin' Whoopee" singer
- 142 Pro foe
- 5 Shake-spearan snake
- 6 Equine exclamations
- 7 Kelly's possum
- 8 Goofs
- 9 Tabloid subjects
- 10 Dot, follow
- 11 Minnesota twins?
- 12 Merit
- 13 '75 Wimbledon winner
- 14 More humid
- 15 "Alley —"
- 16 In progress
- 17 Soup scoop
- 18 Adams or
- 24 Actor
- 26 It needs to be threaded
- 29 Boom or gaff
- 31 Swindle
- 32 Wind instrument?
- 33 Spitz sound
- 35 Exec's deg.
- 37 Perplexed
- 38 Blend
- 39 Jai —
- 40 Army vehicle
- 41 "Makin' Whoopee" singer
- 42 Pro foe
- 43 "The King and I" setting
- 45 Brendel's instrument
- 47 Pigskin prop
- 48 Mubarak of Egypt
- 49 Helps a hood
- 50 Mosaic bit
- 53 Singer Tori
- 54 Torah, e.g.
- 58 Shade of green
- 59 Realm
- 60 Big bird
- 62 Indian city
- 65 Oven setting
- 67 — Lama
- 68 Improve
- 70 — kwon do
- 71 London borough
- 72 Furious
- 73 Short movie?
- 75 Funny fellow
- 76 Deadly
- 79 "It's a deal!"
- 81 — (tarrar)
- 82 Drill sergeant's shout
- 84 West.
- 85 Improve oneself, in a way
- 86 Behind schedule
- 87 Always aged, as paper
- 94 Poultry serving
- 95 Cobbler's name
- 96 Palindromic name
- 97 Asian ox
- 100 Nonclerical
- 103 It's down in the mouth
- 104 Vandellas' leader
- 105 Lock
- 106 Biblical book
- 107 Summarize
- 108 Ocean vessel
- 109 Christie or Costello
- 112 Lion's pride
- 114 Melville
- 115 Like Hitchcock's curtain
- 116 Couch
- 117 Served well
- 118 Creole veggie
- 120 — trip
- 121 Ltr. addenda
- 122 Where flocks frolic
- 123 "Tell — No" work
- 124 Utr. edge

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• Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom.
• Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

ANSWERS ON PAGE 2

Today's Challenge
Time 5 Minutes
9 Seconds
Your Working Time Minutes
Seconds

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King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 "Dragnet" star
- 5 Mid-June honoree
- 8 BLT topping
- 12 Wrong
- 13 Have bills
- 14 Actor Sharif
- 15 Variety of 47-Down
- 16 Arizona city
- 18 Had night vision?
- 20 Pay boosts
- 21 Be apropos
- 23 Double curve
- 24 Marching-band boomer
- 28 Sword handle
- 31 Eggs
- 32 Imp
- 34 Born
- 35 Flex
- 37 Forgoing restaurants
- 39 Sticky stuff
- 41 Venetian magistrate
- 42 Scamper
- 45 Certain city section
- 49 Detroit Pistons rebounder
- 51 Faucet problem
- 52 Mrs. Shakespeare
- 53 "I - Camera"
- 54 Metal deposit
- 55 "Waltons" actor
- 56 Drone
- 57 Paradise
- 9 Piling up
- 10 Bush alma mater
- 11 54-Across materials
- 17 Dundee denial
- 19 News-caster Roger
- 22 Swollen
- 24 Bing's crony
- 25 Thorough-fare (Abbr.)
- 26 Optimistic tool
- 27 Pocket embroidery, maybe
- 29 Island garland
- 30 Highest rating
- 33 Almost here
- 36 Vertical window in a roof
- 38 Phonograph feature
- 40 Sphere
- 42 Refinery residue
- 43 Chaplin prop
- 44 Slangy agreement
- 46 Stepped (on)
- 47 Ocean motion
- 48 Admitting customers
- 50 Ostrich's kin

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