# **Fagula scores 40 in title game**

Brad Fagula scored 40 points al 53-48. Brad Fagula led a balto lead Snyder & Clemente to a anced attack with 26 points, 63-50 win over Morgan Stanley in the cham-

#### DYB pionship **7-8 BOYS** game of the 7th/8th grade

boys division. Snyder & Clemente finished the season with a perfect record as coach Dave Fagula won his third straight league championship. Alex Baltimore added 8 points, Jeff Clemente 7, and Alex Zamojski 6.

Adam Singer led Morgan Stanley with 36 points, while Mike Kravitsky added 11 points. Joe Kaiser had 2 points and Bobby Redinski 1. Morgan Stanley was coached by Bob Redinski.

In a semifinal game, Snyder & Clemente edged CSI Internation-

while Mike Gergel, Evan Razawich, Brenden Carr, and Peter Blanchard also scored. Guy Carpenter led CSI with 18 points while Brendan Delaney and Peter Filak had 10 each. Ryan Konopki added 8 points and Kyle Hazleton 2. CSI was coached by Guy Carpenter. In the other semifinal,

Adam Singer scored 26 points to lead Morgan Stanley over Burger King 40-31. Greg Jerzak led Burger King with 13 points while Billy DeAngelo added 6. Also enjoying fine seasons were Tom Parrish, Mike McAndrew, Dan Jacobs, David Hanadal, Garrett Zobel, and Ryan Urzen. The team was coached by Neil McAndrew.

the scoring for the Fieldhouse

was Shauna Phillips with 23

points. Also scoring was Julie

**Town & Country Cleaners 12** 

Stevens placed five players in

the scoring column but it wasn't

enough. Scoring for Dr. Maas

were Molly Gilligan with 2, Brit-

tany Kneal with 8, and Elena

Habersky with 6. Scoring for

Stevens were Jill Jackson with 5

and Jennifer Rutalis with a free

throw. Scoring two points each

were Rachel Buckman, Cierra

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Dr. Kurt Maas 16,

## Dr. Maas wins champonship in close game

Brittany Kneal scored 10 of fourth quarter to help them her 16 points in the fourth quar- come away with the win. Scoring ter to hold off Rosenn Jenkins & for Rosenn were Hillary Schaub Greenwald

#### DYB 5-6 GIRLS

23-20' for the league championship. Dr.

Maas led through half-time. Abigail Mulhern scored 8 of Rosenn's 12 third quarter points to take lead after three quarters. Also scoring for Dr. Maas was Elena Habersky with 3, and Molly Gilligan and Jenna Woychick with 2 each. Scoring for Rosenn were Abigail Mulhern with 16, Hillary Schaub with 2, and Danielle Harding with 2.

#### Semi-finals

#### **Rosenn Jenkins & Greenwald** 26, Fieldhouse 25

Rosenn's defense held Field-Leonardo, house to just 3 points in the Howard.

#### **DYB 5th graders win pair in tournament**

D.J. Berley, Chris Dailey, and Taylor Dunn scored 6 points each as the DYB 5th graders rolled to a 39-15 win over Plains in the DYB 5th grade tournament. Nick Lombard added 4 points.

In their second game, Mike Diaco scored 8 points and Cody Plesnar 4 as DYB edged Gem Therapeutics 40-29. Joe Murray scored a game-high 18 points for Gem.

In other 5th grade action, St. Marys of Avoca defeated Plains. Records after the first week of play are DYB at 2-0, Avoca at 1-0, Gem Therapeutics at 0-1, and Plains at 0-2. The two teams with the best records after pool play will meet in the championship game.

In the fourth grade division, DYB defeated Crestwood 26-10 behind 7 points each from Hayden Jenkins and Mark Noyalis. Kevin Gilbert added 6 points and Drew Schaub 4.

DYB lost their first game in the tournament to the Back Mt. Rimrockers 25-21. Marc Noyalis led Dyb with 10 points while Spencer Youngman added 2 and Tyler Shutlock 1. Austin Carr led the Rimrockers with 20 points.

The Rimrockers also defeated Lehman 42-25 behind 11 points from Steve Ruch and 4 from Josh Ryan. Justin Cornell led Lehman with 6 points.

Lehman won their first game 19-11 against Crestwood behind 9

Lake-Lehman field hockey seniors, from left, kneeling: Jenna Fine, Amy Ruda, Carla Chiampi, with 4, Abigail Mulhern with 18, Meredith Edwards. Alexis Kuzma with 2 and Daneille Harding with 2. Leading

Second row: Tabatha Sprau, Tracey Hudak, Meghan DeCesaris, Laura Matzel, Tara Bath. Behind counter: Donna DeCesaris, Susan Boris and Susie Young of the parents association.

# Champions, with rings to prove it

The Lake-Lehman field hockey parents association presented each of the senior members of this year's state championship team with commemorative rings. The group has held several fund raising events, but has yet to offset the entire expense. Anyone interested in contributing should contact the high school office.

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Donna DeCesaris, association president, presented a ring to Sara Chmura.

#### Noon makes Big East all-academic team

Jennifer Noon of Shavertown, a junior field hockey player at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, N.J., was recently chosen to the 2001-2002 Big East Academic All Star team.

Jenn was also presented with the 2002-Mission Statement Award-this award is voted on by the team and awarded to the member of the field hockey team who best approached and embodied the spirit of the teams' mission statement.

Jenn will also take on the role as a tri-captain.



for Inter Metro, 22 of them in the fourth

DYB quarter when **5-6 BOYS** Josh Backes got into foul trouble.Tom Youells had 10 points, Preston Balavage and Vincent Oliveri split 4. Josh Backes scored 27 points for Dino's. Kyle Piazza had 5, Tony Bevenino and Brian Haughwout split 4.

### **6th Grade loses at Hoop City**

DYB 6th grade was defeated by Marion Catholic at Hoop City in the championship game. Ryan Urzen scored 11 points while Scott Skammer had 8 points. Josh Backes, Steve Meskers, Kevin Pierce scored 5 points apiece. Michael Ryan added 3.

### Gators finish with win

The varsity GOH boys team finished the regular season by beating Bishop O'Reilly Junior High School teams 58-42.

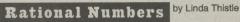
The Gators were led by Chris DeRojas' 41 points, and great defensive play by Eric Perez and Keith Hizny.

The Gators finished the regular season 10-5.

## **DYB** banquet tickets on sale

Dallas Youth Basketball will hold its year-end banquet on Sunday, April 13 at 6 p.m. at Genetti's in Wilkes Barre. All girls and boys awards and trophies will be presented and a family style dinner will be served. The cost is \$13 for adults, \$10 for children 12 and under, and age 4 and under are free. Players attending with paying adult are free but are re quired to have a ticket to gain admittance. Tickets can be purchased at all DYB playoff games. Due to the large turnout in previous years, it is suggested to buy your tickets early. For more information, contact Peggy Lacey at 696-4603.

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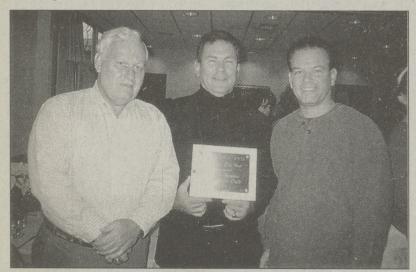
#### 6th and 7th grade teams reach winners bracket finals

In the 7th grade division, Patrick Murray scored a game-high 25 points to lead DYB over Gate of Heaven 66-36. Mike Kravitsky added 10 points while Eric Tucker and Joe Bevevino had 8 each. DYB will play Pittston in the winners bracket final Friday night.

In other 7th grade division action, Gate of Heaven defeated Avoca, Pittston edged Sacred Heart of Dupont, and Pittston routed Valley West.

In 6th grade division action, Josh Backes scored a game-high 22 points to lead DYB over Avoca 63-22. Tommy Youells added 10 points, Scott Skammer 8, and Ryan Urzen 7. DYB advanced to the winners bracket final by defeating Berwick 59-23. Josh Backes led 6th Grade with 14 points, Scott Skammer followed with 10. Tommy Youells scored 9, Steve Meskers 8, Ryan Urzen 7, Michael Ryan 5, Derek Martin 4 and Lee Culver 2.

In other 6th grade tournament action, Pittston ran over Gate of Heaven, Berwick edged Lehman-Jackson, Fairview Elementary narrowly defeated Pittston, and Lehman-Jackson stayed alive by defeating St. Mary's of Avoca. Tournament action will continue this week.



The Valley Tennis & Swim Club in Trucksville received the Club of the Year in the Eastern PA District Award from the USTA. Bruce Kisthardt, VP of Community Development for the USTA Middle States, left, and Ralph Tutlane, USTA Board of Directors, right, present the award to Jack Monick, Valley Tennis & Swim Club manager.

#### Valley Tennis & Swim Club honored by USTA

The Valley Tennis & Swim Club, Inc. has been named the 2002 Club of the Year for the Eastern Pennsylvania District by the United State Tennis Association (USTA). The Trucksville club, which will again host Keystone State Games tennis action in July, received the prestigious award at a USTA banquet held recently

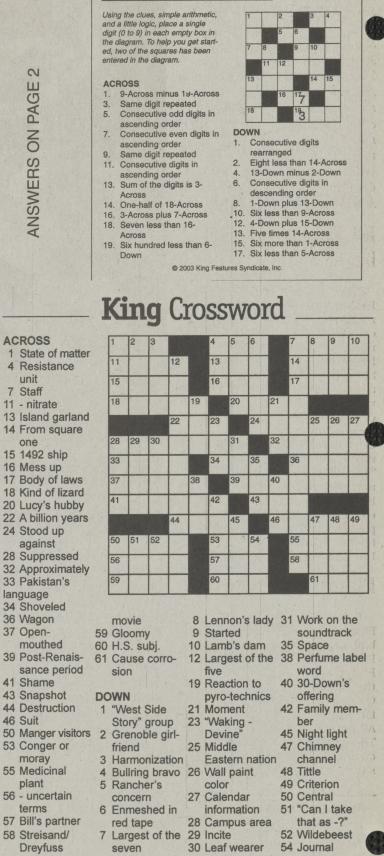
The award was based on a combination of the club's facilities and membership growth. Recent improvements have led to a 25 percent increase in membership over the past three years.

The club also played host to the junior division tennis action of the Keystone State Games in July of 2002. The nomination for the USTA award came from officials of the Keystone State Games.

Individual, family and corporate memberships are available as are junior tennis memberships. For more information, contact Jack Monick at the Valley Tennis & Swim Club, Inc. at 696-1414.

## Super Crossword FOR THE BIRDS

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