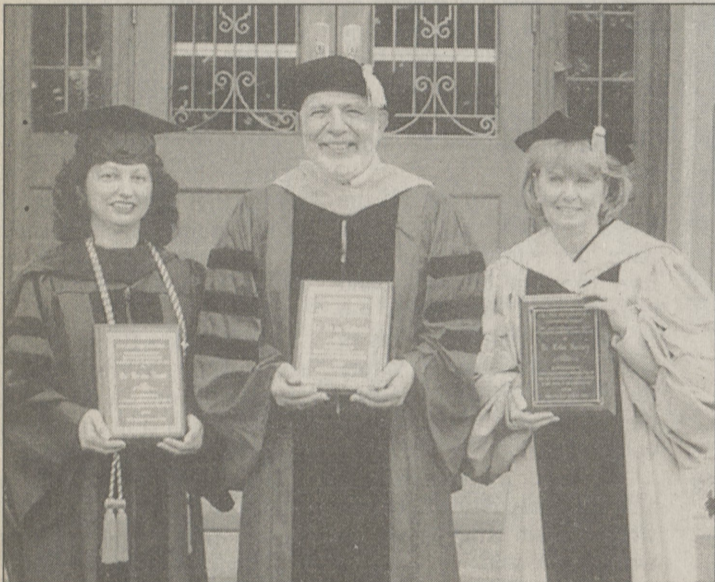
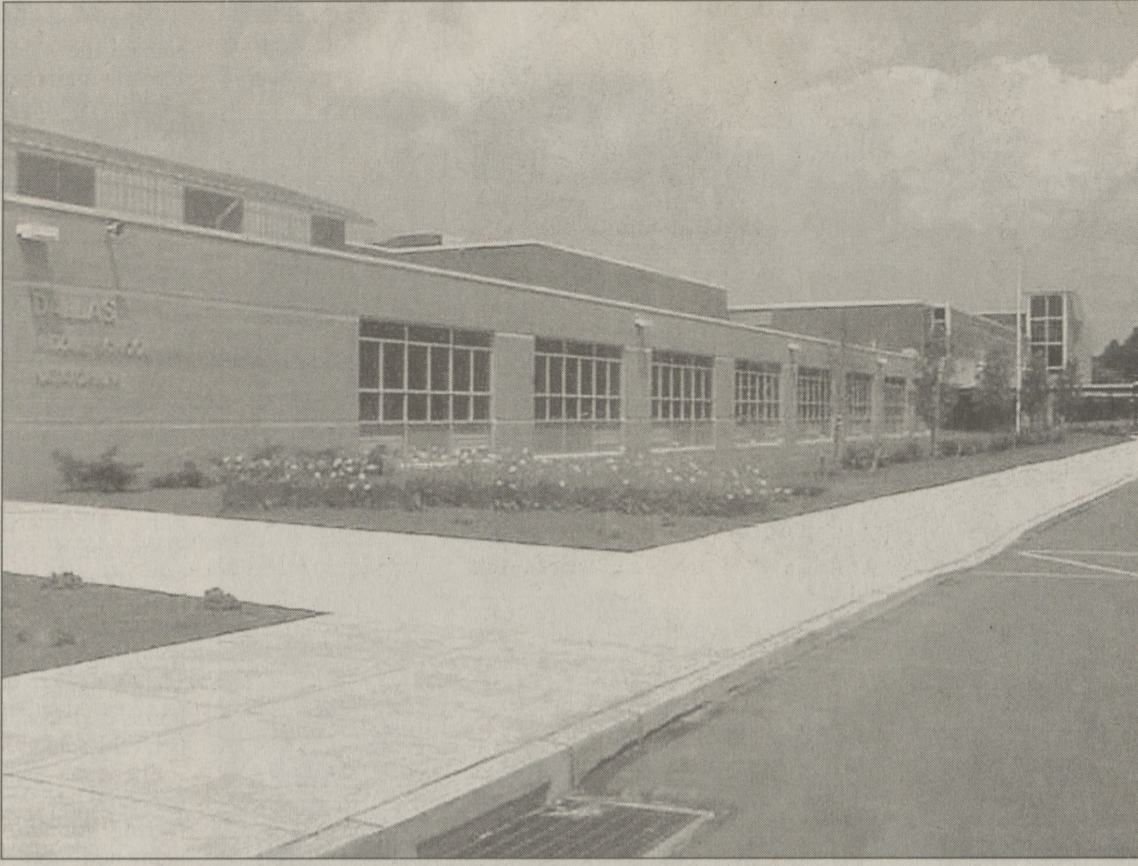


## Dallas School District to rededicate Middle School

The Dallas School District will officially rededicate the newly renovated Dallas Middle School on Sunday, August 10 at 3 p.m. Over the past 24 months extensive additions and repairs have been made to the building that was opened as a junior high school in 1969. The comprehensive project included complete updates to all classrooms, the gymnasium, library, kitchen and cafeteria. Renovations to the music wing integrate the expansion of the band and chorus rooms as well as the addition of a theory classroom and two student practice rooms. New construction incorporates the addition of a new administrative and guidance suite, two computer labs, a distance learning lab, a television studio, new art and wellness classrooms, several conference rooms, and a state-of-the-art natatorium.

The building will be open for tours immediately following the rededication. The public is invited to attend.



### Faculty members honored by College Misericordia

Three College Misericordia faculty members received awards for their outstanding service to College Misericordia during the annual commencement ceremony.

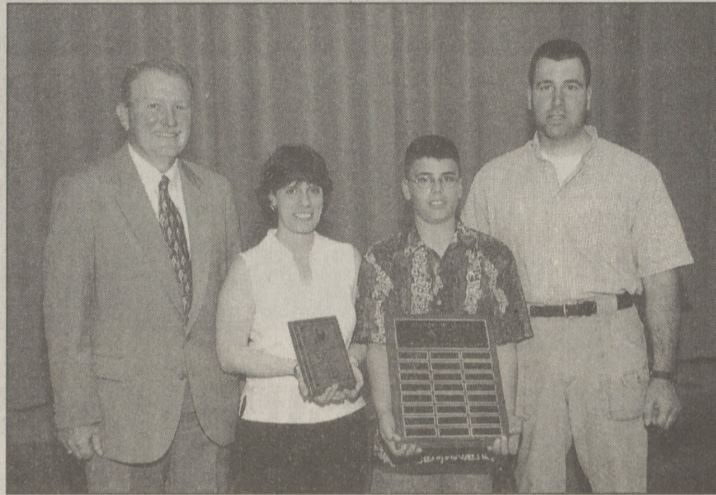
Dr. James Calderone, Kingston, associate professor of social work, was awarded the Pauly & Sidney Friedman Excellence in Service Award. Dr. Brenda Pavill, Shavertown, associate professor of nursing, was awarded the Max & Tillie Rosen Excellence in Teaching Award. Dr. Helen Speziale, Dallas, professor of nursing and director of the Service Learning Center, received the Barbara & Louis Alessi Excellence in Scholarship Award. Pictured from left are Dr. Brenda Pavill, Dr. James Calderone and Dr. Helen Speziale.



### DEL spelling bee winners

Dallas Elementary recently held their annual second grade spelling bee. The following students were the top three finishers:

From left: Jeremy Peters (3rd place), Ryan Zapoticky (1st place), and Katharine Marianacci (2nd place).



### T.J. Brandt wins Citizenship award

T.J. Brandt, a sixth grade student at Lehman-Jackson Elementary School, Lehman, was presented with the Michael S. Gruen Citizenship Award at an Awards Program held recently at the school.

This award is presented annually in memory of Michael Gruen, a sixth grade teacher at Lehman-Jackson who died in an automobile accident in October, 1976.

The recipient is selected by teachers and students on the basis of those qualities which best exemplify a good citizen - academics, dependability, honesty, co-operation, respect and leadership.

Shown from left: Robert S. Kunkle, Principal; Barbara, T.J. and Truman Brandt.

### LCCC distance learning

Luzerne County Community College will offer credit courses for the fall 2003 semester through its distance learning program.

A variety of courses will be offered through the colleges TeleCollege and online programs.

Registration for fall semester classes will be from August 18 through August 21, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., at Building 5, at the College's campus in Nanticoke.

### McMahon named to dean's list

Brian McMahon was recently named to Northeastern University's deans list for the spring quarter.

McMahon, a resident of Dallas is majoring in engineering.

## Messersmith graduates from Duke University

Michael F. Messersmith Jr. recently graduated from Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, cum laude, with a Bachelor of Arts in History. He also received certification in Elementary Education at the May 11 commencement.

Messersmith matriculated to Duke on a U.S. Navy ROTC Scholarship and was commissioned as an active duty Ensign on May 9. At graduation, he was recognized with the USAA Scholarship Award. He is now stationed in San Diego, California as a division officer for the Administrative Section on the USS Shiloh (CG-67), a cruiser within the Abraham Lincoln Battle Group. He has been selected to attend the Navy's Nuclear Propulsion School in Charleston, S.C. after his 21 month tour aboard the USS Shiloh.

Messersmith is a 1999 graduate of Wyoming Seminary, Kingston, where he received the Harry W. and Emma R. Ruggles Award for Outstanding Graduate.

He is the son of Michael and Lucy Messersmith, Dallas, and the grandson of Atty. and Mrs. Robert L. Fleming, also of Dallas.

### Piatt named to deans list

Alyson Piatt was recently named to Grove City College's Spring semester deans list.

Piatt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Piatt of Dallas.

## College Misericordia inducts area four into honor society

College Misericordia recently inducted new graduates into the Beta Chi chapter of the Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society. Alpha Sigma Lambda is the honor society for continuing education students.

The following local students were inducted: Carl Dymond, Jr., Dallas; Johnyne Hoyes, Shavertown; Sharon Kingsbury, Wyoming; Linda Salvo, Wyoming.

### Levinson named to Bates dean's list

Jeffrey B. Levinson of Dallas, was recently named to the spring semester dean's list at Bates College in Lewiston Maine.

Levinson, a junior physics major, was a member of the Representative Assembly, the student government at Bates. He is the son of Howard and Susan Levinson, 21 Windsor Drive and a 2000 graduate of Dallas High School.

### Chalk named to dean's list at Boston U.

Janine M. Chalk, of Shavertown, has been named to the deans list at Boston University for the spring semester.

### BMT residents graduate from Boston U.

Shavertown resident Janine M. Chalk and Dallas resident Kate L. Weiss were both awarded degrees during Boston University's spring graduation.

Chalk received a B.A. in Anthropology, magna cum laude. Weiss received a B.S. in Communication, magna cum laude.

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