

Dallas Youth Basketball

Keystone Rehab 27, Martz Trailways 14
Ellen Arnaud scored 17 points for Keystone Rehab while Taylor Bowman and Taylor Dougherty each scored 4 points and Jessica Bolton had 2 points. Kelsey Maas and Cara Hoffman played a good game. For Martz Trailways Sarah Krogulski scored 10 points and Sara Kneal scored 4 points. Stephanie Dosiak, Carmeron Ferdinand, Alison Parkhurst, Briana Zabloutney and Heather Lasco all played a great game.

Frank's Manufacturing 28, Darling Graphic Design 14
Mikaela Pricher led for Frank's with 12 points, while Samantha Martin added 8 points, Meghan Martin chipped in 4 points and Taylor Millington and Blair Costantino each scored 2 points apiece. Alexis Arnold added to the team great defensive play. Leading Darling Graphic Designs was Katie Darling, Amanda O'Brien, and Jackie Pearson, each with 4 points, while Danielle Shaver added 2 points. Ashley Hunter and Alicia Kaiser both added the team's great defensive play.

Met Life tops Dr. Ellis
Met Life Securites was led by Kassondra Michno with 8 points. Kara Augustine and Erika McCabe each scored 2 points.
DYB 3-4 GIRLS
Dr. Ellis was led by Jessica Hix with 4 points and Amelia Petraccini also scored.
R.J. Green defeats Russell Auto Sales
R.J. Green was led by Sara Flaherty with 11 points and Jennifer Lloyd had 4 points. Russell Auto Sales was led by Sidney Myers with 4 points and

Destiny Lombardo also scored.
Bishop Photo beats Quad III
Bishop Photo was led by Colleen McDonald and Tanner Englehart. Quad III was led by Alyssa Monaghan, Kelly Monaghan and Danielle Spencer.
Arris Engineering tops CDI
Arris Engineering was led by Sabrina Zurek with 10 points. Danielle Bloomfield, Dana Carey, and Sarah Zabloutney each had 2 points. CDI was led by Melissa Tucker and Lauren Scaffidi with 4 points and Katie Yanchuk with 2 points.

Atty. Larry Brown 35, Rosenn Jenkins 33 (OT)
Jimmy Brown scored a game-high 22 points to win the showdown between legal teams.
DYB 5-6 BOYS
Rosenn was led by Chris Ellis with 20 points, Joey Murray with 7, and Tyler Shutlock with 3 points and keyed by the defense of Chris Clemson. Attorney Brown was helped by Matt Shaver with 6 clutch points and Andrew Ondish with 4. Anthony LaFratte also scored 2 points.
Goeringer Dentistry 30, CDI 10
Ryan McAndrew scored 14 points while Adam Goeringer and Griffin Adams combined for 10 more for the winners. Dustin Siperko led Diagnostic Imaging with 6 points while Corey Monk had 4 points and Taylor Dunn 3. Morgan DeAr-

mitt added 2 points.
Goeringer Dentistry 44, Quad Three Group 38
Dr. Goeringer won with 18 points from D.J. Berley and 16 from Ryan McAndrew. Damon Marth added 4 points and Mike Diaco 2. Chris Dailey led Quad Three with a game-high 25 points, while Kevin Gilbert added 8. Zach Smith keyed the rebounding while Ryan Hogan and Zach Berger led a strong defense.
Rosenn Jenkins 27, Karchner Refrigeration 12
Chris Ellis had 8 points and Kyle Weaver 6 for the winners. Drew Schaub added 4 points while Jonathan Lando played outstanding defense. Karchner was led by Nick Lombard with 6 points and Justin Brobst with 4. Ethan Pensak led the defense while Jon Laity controlled the rebounding.

Dallas Jr. Football 29, Dough Company 18
John Murray led the winners with 12 points while Kohner Rice had 6 points and Brian Stepniak chipped in 5 points for the winners. Kenny Higgins and Paul Brace played good defense. Dough Company was led by the trio of Jordan Stephens, Zachary Downs and Craig Skudalski. Thomas Stitzer led both teams in steals.
Bishop Photo 19, Ostrum Construction 8
Devon Taylor was unstoppable in leading his team to victory with 10 points while Donnie Behm and Buddy Shutlock added 4 points apiece. Brian Goode and John Murray both played excellent zone defense and added a few steals. Ostrum Construction was led by Matthew Timmerman and Christopher Ostrum who each netted 4 points while Erice Zawatski led both teams in rebounds.
Arris Engineering 14, Pompey Dodge 13
Jason Schilling was hot from the outside, scoring 10 points in leading his team to a come-from-behind victory. Garret Artisma added 4 points and Ryan Zapoticky led both teams in takeaways. Pompey Dodge was led by Hayden Jenkins with 9 points and Robbie Hoffman with 4 points. Eric Novroski and Bobby Saba dominated the boards while Jeffrey McHutchinson played great defense.
Frank's Manufacturing 22, Gordan Insurance 18
FJ Constantino and Austin Smith led a furious fourth quarter comeback to give Frank's to victory. James McGovern and Eric Yurko played good zone defense and led their team in steals. Gordan Insurance was led by Brett Wanek and Michael Gallis as they combined for 12 points while Jake

Piscorik led both teams in rebounds.
Fleet Bank 19, Dr. Ellis 8
Shane Dunn was outstanding in leading his team with 13 points while Greg Petorak added 4 and Dylan Pilger chipped in a bucket for Fleet Bank. Matt Diaco played spirited defense for the winners. Justin Ellis led Dr. Jack Ellis with 4 points while David Miller and George Parkhurst combined for 4 points. Corey Ehret led both teams in boards.
Banus, Bynon, Kim 20, Eye Care Associates 18
In the closest contest of the day, the Doctors pulled out a fourth quarter victory as Micheal Banus and Tim Kennedy led the offense. Nicholas Michalisin played great defense and led both teams in steals. Eye Care was led by Alex Zubko with 6 points while Aaron Weir added 4 points. Justin Hrabovsky led both teams in offensive and defensive rebounds.



U-11 Boys win back-to-back titles
The Back Mountain Blast intramural soccer team competed against 18 teams and captured the Luzerne County Cup "A" Division Championship. The Blast went undefeated through the entire Luzerne County Cup. The Blast also captured the Back Mountain League U-11 Boys Championship.
Blast team members, from left, kneeling: Ethan Pensak, Drew Schaub, Brandon Harding, Tyler Morgan, Matt Bevan, Jordan Bloom, and Nick Zabriski.
Standing: John McCarthy, Brian Wise, Kevin Gilbert, Christopher Clemson, Bobby Saba, Brandon Zalenski, and Brandon Shovlin.
Back row: Coach Jim Gilbert. Absent from photo: Ryan Sayre.

DYB Holiday Tournament
L-J, Plains win openers
Andrew Kaufman came up big in the fourth quarter, scoring all 6 of his points and making four straight free throws to lead Lehman-Jackson over Dallas 5th grade in the DYB Holiday Tournament by a score of 32-18. Marc Noyalis and Kevin Gilbert led DYB with 6 points each while Spencer Youngman added 4.
Plains won their opening game in overtime over St. Mary's of Avoca 33-27. The tournament will continue Friday with DYB 6th grade facing Avoca and Tunkhannock playing DYB 5th grade. On Saturday, DYB 6th grade faces Plains while Lehman will play Tunkhannock. The championship game is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 21 at 8 p.m.

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came back with a strong second quarter led by Scott Skammer who scored 12 of his 20 points in the second period. Jackie Ellis came up big in the second half with 8 points and 10 assists. Scott Daube 4 and Lee Culver 5 points respectively, controlled the boards in the second half. Summit Pointe received strong play from John Bailey who finished with 5 points. David Carey also hit a big three for the point.

DMS slates physicals

The Dallas Middle School nurse's office announces that the sixth grade physicals will be given to all students on January 15, 2004, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Parents are welcome to be present. Parents who choose to have the examination done by their personal physician must submit the physical report to the nurse by January 5, 2004.
Spring sports physicals will be held on February 5 and February 12 at 8:30 a.m. Parent permission forms are available in the school office and must be completed and returned to the nurse prior to the examination. Any student who plans to play baseball, softball, or track and field in the spring is required to have a physical before attending the first day of practice.

Oratorical contest offers college scholarships

High school age students of the Back Mountain are invited to compete in the 68th annual Pennsylvania American Legion essay contest.
Any student enrolled in grades 9-12 in a public, private or parochial school, or home-schooled in Pennsylvania is eligible. The top of this year's contest is, "What is Patriotism?" Entries must be between 600 and 1,000 words in length. Entries will be judged on quality of writing, originality, accuracy and extent of information. Students must certify that essays are prepared without assistance other than that provided for all members of the class.
Each local school will choose a winner, which will be submitted to the Daddow-Isaacs Post 672, Dallas. The winning entry from the Post will compete with others from around the state, with a state finalist chosen.
Local school officials and faculty are working with the Legion and will assist with contest arrangements. Home-schooled students are also welcome to enter.
Entries in the local contest will be accepted until the third week in January, 2004.
The state winner will receive a \$3,500 college scholarship and a trophy. The second-place winner will receive a \$3,000 scholarship and trophy, and third place will win a \$2,500 scholarship and trophy.
The American Legion also will pay the expenses of the state winner to attend the 2004 Pennsylvania American Legion convention in July, to read his or her essay.
High school students in the Back Mountain who are interested in entering the contest will find the complete rules and contest information at the schools, or contact Clarence J. Michael at 675-0488.

Send your sports reports by e-mail
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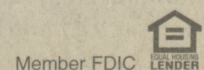
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