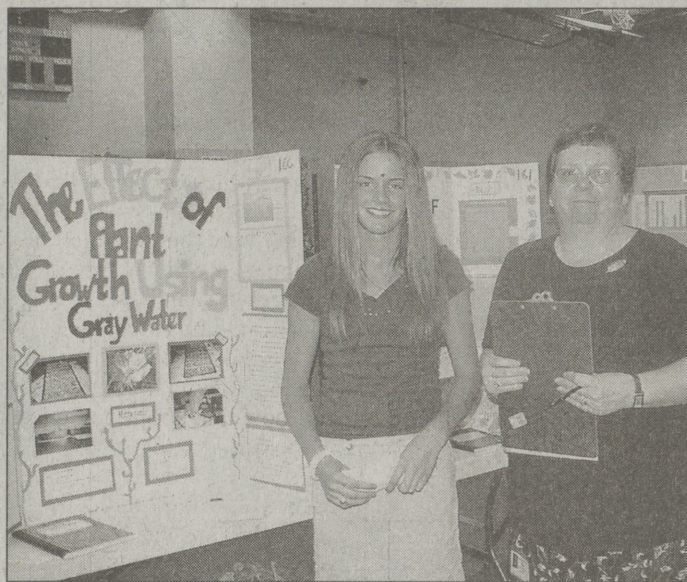
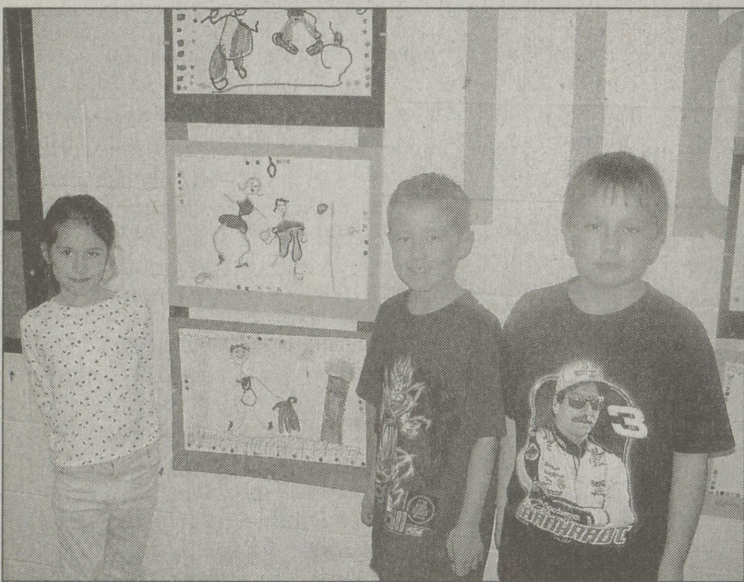
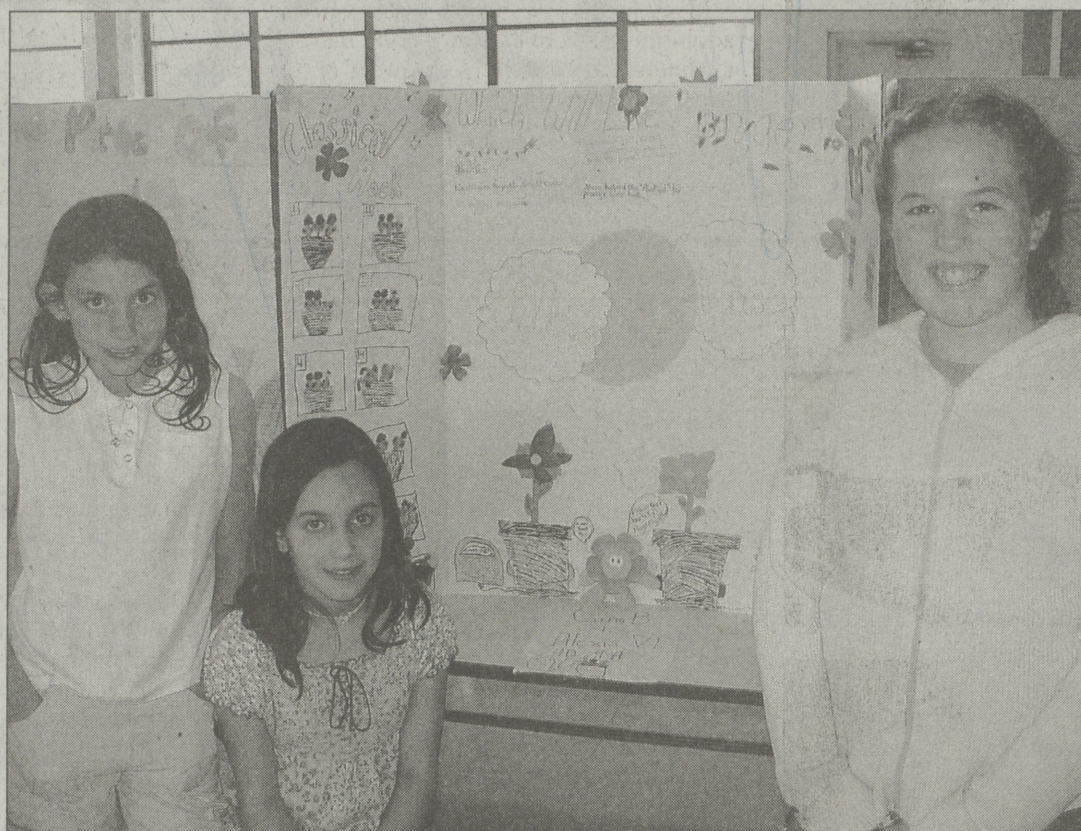


# Science and art mix well in schools

Students at Lehman-Jackson Elementary School and Dallas Middle School displayed their talent and interests at science fairs earlier this month. In photos, clockwise from right: Lehman-Jackson fourth graders, from left, Sarah Perry, Alexis Vanfleet and Sarah Spess, checked out a project to see which kind of music helps a plant to grow; from left, Rachael Waligun, Chris Bagley and John Fox looked at their artwork on display at the Science and Art show at Lehman-Jackson; Abby Campbell, on right, chairman of the Dallas High School Science department, has been a judge for the Science Fair since it started. Middle School eighth grader Erin Delaney studied the effect of using gray water for plant growth.

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## Hiring

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chairpersons came out for Eyet.

Usavage said the department chairpersons were asked to get involved because both candidates had interviewed so well. He said this was the first time in his nearly three years on the board that he could recall such a step being taken.

"They felt the third round was the clincher for Russell Eyet," Usavage said. In making his own choice, he said, "I'm going to go with the department chairpeople."

Middle School Principal An-

thony Martinelli, Superintendent Gil Griffiths and Assistant Superintendent Michael Speziale recommended Shook throughout.

A second middle school math opening was created by the pending resignation of Elaine Felli. Appointment of Shook to fill that spot failed on a 5-4 vote.

"The feeling is that there's someone waiting in the wings" for that job, Matiska said.

Usavage said the second appointment was not made simply to give all applicants a chance to be interviewed. A second wave of candidates responded to an ad that was run

when the district learned of Felli's retirement at the end of this school year.

Matiska, who chairs the board's personnel committee, fears that Dallas is getting a reputation that candidates must know someone to get hired.

She said the subject comes up whenever she is among people, and she received three phone calls last week about the perception. "That never happened before in my 10 years on the board," she said.

Usavage disagrees. "My goodness, it's all above board," he said.

## Service

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owner of three local Peking Chef restaurants.

"Our area is very fortunate to have many civic-minded citizens who

selflessly contribute their time, their talents, and their treasure to make our community a better place to live, to work, to enjoy," said Lee, who does his share of contributing.

He has been on the board of the Family Service Association of Wyoming Valley, the Greater W-B Chamber of Business & Industry, the Ethics Institute of NEPA, the Diversity Institute, and the Luzerne County Tourist Promotion Agency. He is currently a trustee for the First Presbyterian Church of W-B, and a member of the advisory committee on adoption at the Children's Service Center of Wyoming Valley.

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"Our parents planted a tree

and we enjoy the shade. Many of us did not have to plant the seed or nurture the tree," said Lee. "Now it is our turn to take care of the tree, to feed it, water it and make it grow taller and stronger."

A humble man despite his success, Lee lives by that philosophy. He has been involved with many local community service projects. He organized a competitive spring clean-up among college students; he created a pro-active drunk driving awareness program, the Friends of Sharon, with Wyoming Valley Alcohol & Drug Services; he assisted WVIA-TV in bringing internationally known Chinese master chef, Martin Yan of Yan Can Cook, to conduct a fundraiser; and with the Diversity Institute, he helped to organize a group of children of different ethnic backgrounds to ring bells for the Salvation Army.

Lee and his wife, Rosa, live in Shavertown. They have two children, Eric and Erica.

"I want to say it again," Lee reiterated. "To be an American is not good enough. Let's all try to be good Americans and good citizens."

## Burning

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any buildings.

• Burn barrels may not be used.

• Complaints from neighbors can result in revocation of a permit.

Once the new ordinance takes effect, only seasoned firewood may be burned and the size and time limits will be enforced.

In other business:

• Adoption of the Uniform Construction Code was tabled to allow other member municipalities of the Back Mountain Council of Governments to match Kingston Township's

schedule, so that a shared appeals board can be established.

• Jones said he is trying to arrange a meeting between officials of Kingston and Jackson townships, Dallas Area Municipal Authority and the Department of Environmental Protection to resolve the issue of raw sewage being discharged into portions of Toby's Creek and Hillside Creek.

• The supervisors instructed township Manager Eddie O'Neill to put Lagana Construction Services on notice that the Green Road project must be completed by the end of June, or penalties will be invoked. It appears the project to pave the present gravel road is behind schedule.

## CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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**Rational Numbers**  
answers

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Answers

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