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Sarah Konopki allowed only two hits and struck out 10 in Back Mountain's 13-6 win over Hatboro.

11 girls

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complete-game two-hitter, striking out 10, as Section 4 champion Back Mountain defeated Section 5 champion Hatboro 13-6 in the Pennsylvania State 11-year-old softball tournament. The game was played Sunday at Christy Mathewson Little League Field in Fleetville.

After Hatboro tied the score 6-6 with three unearned runs in the third inning, Back Mountain scored four runs in the fifth and three in the sixth. Konopki retired 12 of the final 13 batters she faced to seal the win.

Six different players had base hits for Back Mountain. Sara

Skammer, Alexa Decker and Konopki scored three runs apiece.

Back Mountain 11, Section 3 2

Aug. 7 — Sara Skammer threw a complete-game five-hitter to lead Back Mountain to an 11-2 victory over Bloomsburg-Milton-Southern Columbia in the Pennsylvania State 11-year-old Softball Tournament at Christy Mathewson Field in Fleetville.

Tori Cramer, Mary Kate Osick and Alexa Decker had two hits apiece for Back Mountain, which played error-free defense.

Hockey

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of Keystone State Games junior field hockey.

Pocono had lost to Lehigh Valley 2-0 in pool play.

"It was rewarding to see us all come together as a team," Lipski said. "We were shaky at first. We all came together, and it was good to see that with us coming from so many different schools."

Other local members of the Pocono squad were Kendra Sirak of Dallas and Caroline Boris of Shavertown.

After the diverse group struggled for two days, it seemed a medal was unlikely even

though Pocono advanced to the semifinals. However, Pocono pulled out a 1-0 victory over Delaware Valley, then nearly won gold.

Both of Lipski's goals in the finals came in the second half and wiped out one-goal Lehigh Valley leads. The second came with just over one minute left in regulation.

"After a few games, we started to pick up on how each other plays," Lipski said. "We started to be aggressive, and we weren't at first. We became comfortable with each other."

Future triathletes show their stuff

Here are results for local competitors in the one mile Future Triathletes run, held August 7.

Place	Name, age	Time
2	Carson Baker, 12, Lehman	6:36
4	Kiernan Sutton, 9, Shavertown	6:59
5	John Butchko, 10, Dallas	7:11
6	Hunter Murphy, 10, Noxen	7:15
8	Olivia Anglovich, 10, Harveys Lake	7:34
10	Mia Piccolotti, 9, Shavertown	7:40
12	Araiana Anglovich, 12, Harveys Lake	7:44
13	Kelsey Augustine, 13, Shavertown	7:49
14	Blake Willimas, 8, Shavertown	8:13
16	Lara Augustine, 10, Shavertown	8:21
19	Lily Romanowski, 8, Dallas	8:29
30	Ricky Morgan, 5, Shavertown	10:13
37	Nico Piccolotti, 4, Shavertown	13:15

Triathlon

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74. Jerry Levandoski, Dallas, 2:39:20 (Ninth, Male 40-44)	237. John Rothschild, Harveys Lk, 3:18:27 (Fifth, Male 60-64)
82. Charles Eckman, Dallas, 2:41:16 (Eighth, Male 45-49)	238. William Zarola, Dallas, 3:18:53
101. David Mariner, Shavertown, 2:46:08 (Tenth, Male 45-49)	254. Peter Kaminski, Harveys Lake, 3:31:16
109. Chris Kuhar, Harveys Lake, 2:47:08	258. David Smith, Shavertown, 3:34:06
112. Skip Sensbach, Dallas, 2:47:46	264. Robert Murphy, Dallas, 3:38:14
114. Nadalie Temperine, Dallas, 2:48:19 (Fourth, Female 20-24)	265. Tom Berezich, Trucksville, 3:38:34
115. Sam Piccolotti, Shavertown, 2:48:29	270. Maria Bednash, Dallas, 3:44:20
118. Mark O'Brien, Shavertown, 2:49:27 (Sixth, Male 14-19)	274. Daniel Austin, Harveys Lake, 3:52:54
123. Len Romanowski, Dallas, 2:50:52	279. Thomas Swartwood, Dallas, 3:59:51
137. Peter Eckman, Shavertown, 2:53:05	
139. Diane Levandoski, Dallas, 2:53:44 (First, Female 45-49)	
173. Phil Kindler, Dallas, 3:00:57	
185. Eric McCabe, Shavertown, 3:03:33	
187. Steven Thompson, Dallas, 3:04:05	
194. Gregory O'Brien, Shavertown, 3:05:54	
222. Joe Litchman, Harveys Lake, 3:15:18	
233. Douglas Yeager, Dallas, 3:17:30 (Seventh, Male 14-19)	

Fall youth basketball league signups

Dallas Youth Basketball will hold a fall boys basketball league at Wycallis Elementary School gym from Sept. 1 to Oct. 20. Sessions will be on Monday and Wednesday nights from 6:30-7:45 p.m. for third, fourth, and fifth graders, and from 7:45-9 p.m. for sixth, seventh, and eighth graders. Cost is \$20 and players must reside within the Dallas School District. Signups will be held Wed., Aug. 18 from 6-7:30 p.m. at the Dallas Borough Recreation Center. For information, call George Gracely at 639-1467.



Penn State Club creates scholarship fund

The Penn State Club of Wilkes-Barre met recently at the Top of the 80's Restaurant and pledged \$25,000 to establish the "Penn State Club of Wilkes-Barre Endowed Scholarship Fund." Consideration for the scholarship will be given to any full-time undergraduate student planning to enroll or enrolled at any Penn State campus and whose home address of record is in the club's geographic area. Applicants must also have demonstrated financial need and academic success.

Shown from left: Bobbie Steever, membership director; Marion Pollock, owner Top of the 80's and club member; Pam Rothenberger, corresponding secretary; Robert Fortinsky, Penn State University trustee and club member; Tom Robinson, president; Irwin Sagenkahn, recording secretary; and Len Motzki, treasurer. Absent from photo Atty. Michael Hudecek, Jr., vice president.

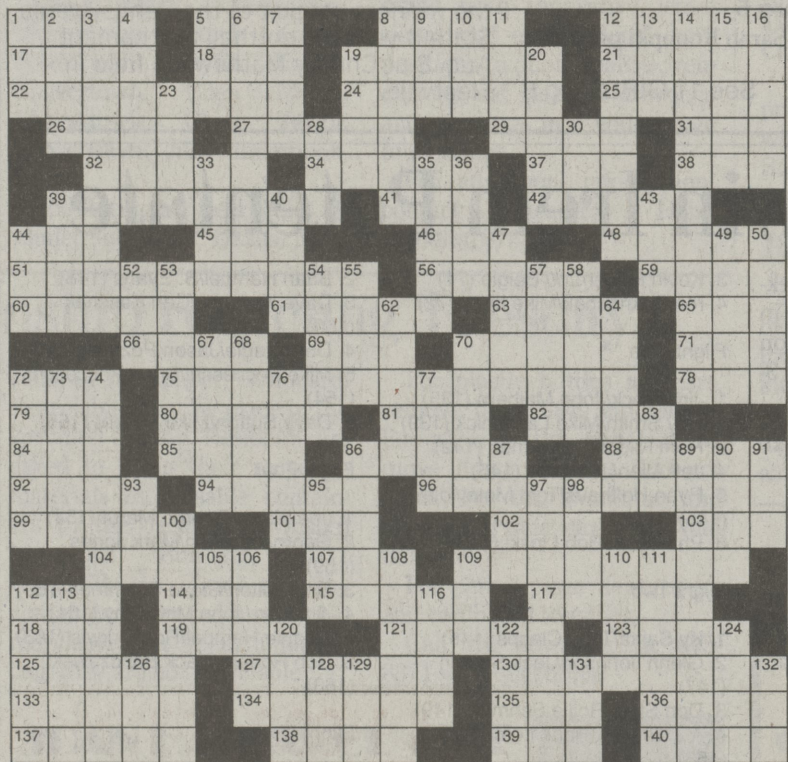
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Deadline is Wednesdays at 12 noon.

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Super Crossword THEIR SONGS

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|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| ACROSS | 45 Plastic — Band | 96 Jimmy Gilmer's house? | 139 Evergreen tree | 33 Classy do? | 77 Olympic troublemaker |
| 1 Clerical garments | 46 Choose, with "or" | 99 Early computer | 140 Cry of distress | 35 Decorate sound | 83 Super Bowl |
| 5 Rhine wine? | 48 Syrup source | 101 Souffle | DOWN | 36 Sticky stuff | 86 Winning |
| 8 Put on a happy face | 51 Freda Payne's jewelry? | 102 TV-listing abbr. | 1 — Wednesday | 39 Evangelist Roberts | 87 Some NCOs |
| 12 Like Mozart's flute | 56 Change for the better | 103 Fragrant neckwear | 2 Weaver's need | 40 Recess | 89 "The Sheik" star |
| 17 66 Across, e.g. | 59 Roofer's need | 104 Material | 3 Plan | 43 Holm or Hunter? | 90 Laid on buttercream |
| 18 Actress Joanne | 60 Los —, CA | 107 Fairly queen | 4 Burned a bit | 44 Attorneys' org. | 91 Aspen item |
| 19 See 19 Down | 61 Islamic holy book | 109 Made milder | 5 Count up | 47 Up or down item? | 93 Crony |
| 21 Hersey setting | 63 "Mila 18" author | 112 Farrow of "Alice" | 6 Tennyson's — the Bar? | 49 Mill, rank | 95 Heavy reading? |
| 22 Elvis' canine? | 65 "The Crying Game" star | 114 Arthur or Benaderet | 7 Laurie of "Jeeves and Wooster" | 50 Largest antelope | 98 Julia of "The Addams Family" |
| 24 Verdi opera | 66 Isinglass poet Charles | 115 Proclamation | 8 Trade | 52 Comic Deluise | 100 Bakery buy |
| 25 Like Kansas? | 69 Flat hat | 117 American | 9 East ender? | 53 Spouse of Isis | 105 It's in the bag |
| 26 Big beginning | 70 Tiny parasite | 118 Caravansary | 10 Coach | 54 Yoga position | 106 Stern |
| 27 Quire part | 71 Cask | 119 Blocks the way | 11 Parsaghan | 55 Uninteresting grain color | 108 Squabble |
| 29 Cadet sch. | 72 Lingerie purchase | 121 Angler's basket | 11 Computer selection list | 57 Zones | 109 Rehearsed roast |
| 31 Tierra — Fuego | 75 The Cyrkle's playing? | 123 Fido's dinner | 12 Paving material | 58 Perennial bestseller | 110 From "Dead End Kid" Leo |
| 32 Felons, for instance | 78 Accounting abbr. | 125 Katmandu's country | 13 Hullahaloo | 62 Waves of Nelson's social event? | 111 "Dead End Kid" Leo |
| 34 Like Peter or Catherine | 80 They may be bright | 127 Stop working | 14 Rick Nelson's social event? | 67 Handed over | 113 Like a lummo |
| 37 Oxford omega | 81 Blunder | 130 Jan & Dean's resort? | 15 Private | 68 Mr. Rochester's ward | 116 Hands |
| 38 Archaic disposition | 82 Barbecue | 133 Speak one's mind | 16 "The Friends of Eddie —" (73 film) | 70 Chilean pianist | 120 — aerobics |
| 39 General's gerund | 84 Blow away | 134 Semic tongue | 19 With 19 Across | 72 Pair | 122 Catch sight of |
| 41 Vitamin bottle abbr. | 85 Push a product | 135 Child welfare org. | 20 Wagner's father-in-law | 73 Atkinson of "The Black Adir" stat | 124 Fill the hold |
| 42 Finn's creator | 88 Confederate president | 136 Baseball's Cabell | 21 Challenge | 74 Don McLean's "dinner?" | 126 Chemical suffix |
| 44 Meyers of "Kate & Allie" | 94 Profundity | 137 That's no bull | 23 Tomorrow's turtle | 76 Finnes of "Quiz Show" monogram | 128 McGwire |
| | | 138 "Bon voyage" site | 30 Litter sound | | 129 Inflation |
| | | | | | 131 Unrefined |
| | | | | | 132 Fashion monogram |



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PSU open house for adult and transfer students

Penn State Wilkes-Barre will host an open house on Wednesday, August 18 for adults who want to return to the classroom in order to advance in their career or change careers, and for students who are interested in transferring their credits to Penn State. The session will be held in Hayfield House, room 105 from 5-7 p.m. Transfer students should bring their transcripts.

Reservations are requested, but walk-ins are welcome. Individual counseling sessions are available for those who cannot attend. For more information, call 675-9238, e-mail wbadmissions@psu.edu, or register on-line at www.wb.psu.edu

Open house at Lake-Lehman Junior/Senior High School

The Lake-Lehman Junior/Senior High School will host an open house August 23-26. This yearly event allows seventh, eighth and ninth grade students to try lockers, locate rooms, and become familiar with the layout of the school. New students in 10th through 12th grade are also welcome to attend. Information pertinent to the event will be mailed to all students by August 9. Students must bring this information on the day they choose to visit the school.

Students and parents are welcome to attend, according to the following schedule:

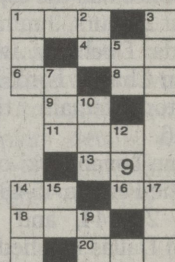
- Tuesday, Aug. 24 — 6 to 8 p.m.
- Wednesday, Aug. 25 — Noon to 2 p.m.
- Thursday, Aug. 26 — 9 to 11 a.m.

Singer wins scholarship to PA Free Enterprise Week

Justin Singer, a junior at Dallas High School, son of George and Lucille Singer, Dallas Township, has been granted a full scholarship to attend the Pennsylvania Free Enterprise Week 2004 on the campus of Lycoming College, Williamsport. The Pennsylvania Free Enterprise Week is a weeklong economic education program that offers students an inside look at the private enterprise system and the way the free market functions.

Rational Numbers by Linda Thistle

Using the clues, simple arithmetic, and a little logic, place a single digit (0 to 9) in each empty box in the diagram. To help you get started, one digit has been entered in the diagram.



- ACROSS**
- Six times 19-Down
 - Six more than 7-Down
 - 15-Down minus 14-Across
 - One less than 19-Down
 - Digits of 2-Down reversed
 - 18-Across plus 15-Down
 - Consecutive multiples of three
 - Nine less than 9-Across
 - Consecutive odd digits in descending order
 - Two times 1-Down
 - Eight more than 3-Down
- DOWN**
- Four times 16-Across
 - 6-Across plus 8-Across
 - Four times 6-Across
 - Consecutive even
 - Three more than 13-Across
 - 20-Across plus 14-Down
 - Two times 17-Down
 - One less than 10-Down
 - Two hundred more than 1-Across
 - Three more than 13-Across
 - 4-Across minus 1-Down
 - The first digit is four times the last digit

digits in descending order

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| ACROSS | 1 Likewise | 6 River structure | 9 Show grief | 12 Not even remotely | 13 Historic time | 14 Cretan mountain | 15 Ear-related | 16 Go - (intermediary) | 18 One-name folksinger | 20 Really eager | 21 Big bird | 23 Excessively | 24 Secluded valleys | 25 Cabin components | 27 Follow | 29 Las Vegas hotel-casino | 31 Boutonniere, basically | 35 African grass-land | 37 Use a paper towel | 38 Mocked | 41 Opponent of 56-Across | 43 Worker's burden | 44 -friendly | 45 Improve | 47 Go - (disappear) | 49 "Let's Make a Deal" choices | 52 Cudgel | 53 Zlich | 54 Comic Anderson | 55 Lennon's lady | 56 White House monogram | 57 John of rock | hood | 8 Welcome sight? | 9 Prolonged attack | 10 Ancient concert hall | 11 Forehead fringe | 17 Luxuriate (in) | 19 Destroy | 21 Golfer Ernie | 22 Erstwhile New Zealander | 24 Hodges of baseball | 26 Frugal folks | 28 Chasing | 30 Roulette bet | 32 Go - (forgo) | 33 Anti-pollution org. | 34 Mardi Gras VIP | 36 Hang loosely | 38 Super size | 39 Flu variety | 40 Marinara alternative | 42 Edge along slowly | 45 Oklahoma city | 46 "Rad!" | 48 Neither Rep. or Dem. | 50 Carnival setting | 51 Japanese coin |
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