

Orientation planned at Dallas Middle School

Dallas Middle School will hold an orientation program for new students and families from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, Aug. 21. Guidance counselors, the assistant principal and principal will meet with students and families in the library to overview key information about the middle school and tours of the building will follow. Families are reminded that new student reg-

istrations are accepted throughout the summer. District building offices are open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Shown here, planning the orientation are, from left, Lynn Wilson, building secretary; Allyson Lord, building secretary; Raelene Daring, guidance counselor, Matthew Barrett, assistant principal; Thomas Duffy, principal; and Mike Shevock, guidance counselor.

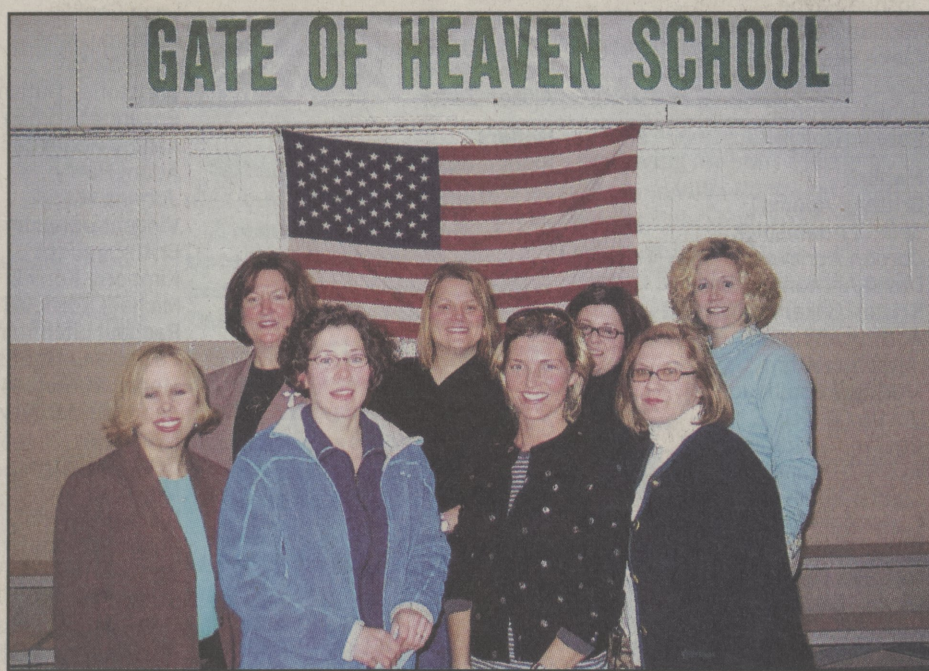


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The Lake-Lehman School Board of Education recently presented certificates of special achievement to three students for their first-time success at National History Day competition. From left, are Molly McCoy, Nikki Snyder and Superintendent James McGovern. Absent at the time of the photo was Alexandra Kascapurdize.

Gate of Heaven PTG elects new officers

The Parent Teacher Group (PTG) from Gate of Heaven School recently elected new officers for the 2008-2009 school year. The objectives of the PTG are to foster a sense of positive school community among the students, families, teachers and staff of GOH School and to continually improve the effectiveness of communications between school and home and within the community regarding activities and happenings within GOH School. Also the PTG will enhance the overall experience for the students of GOH School by sponsoring activities and events that build school spirit, support the educational and spiritual program objectives and contribute to the financial stability of the school. Newly-elected officers of the Parent Teacher Group (PTG) from Gate of Heaven School are, from left, first row, Nicole Dewees, vice-president; Theresa Gatusky, president; Susan Maloney, secretary; and Maria Newhart, treasurer. Second row, Mary Jane Kozick, principal; Jane Brennan, outgoing treasurer; Tracey Wrubel, outgoing president; and Amy Huntington, outgoing vice-president.



Lake-Lehman Board honors students

The Lake-Lehman School Board of Education recently presented certificates of special achievement to three students for their first-time success at National History Day competition.

Ninth-graders Molly McCoy, Nikki Snyder and Alexandra Kascapurdize took second place honors in the senior group exhibit category at Penn State Wilkes-Barre and honorable mention at Millersville University in district and state-wide, respectively, Na-

tional History Day competition for their display board exhibit entry entitled "The Lattimer Massacre- Dying for a Compromise." The NHD theme was "Conflict and Compromise in History."

This was a first-time effort for the students for which the Board of Directors acknowledged them with public recognition at the June board meeting, in addition to presenting the certificates of special achievement. Superintendent James McGovern read the acknowledgement and presented the certificates.

SCHOOL BRIEFS

L-L Class of 1973 to hold reunion

The Lake-Lehman Class of 1973 will hold its 35th anniversary class reunion on August 23. The August 1 deadline is quickly approaching. Please contact one of the following if you are interested in attending: Sandy, 831-5156 or sjdobbs@aol.com; Claire, 518-441-6976 or pastepaper@aol.com; Liz, llynch@friedmanelectric.com; Karen, 639-2882; or Irene, irenesofice@comcast.net.

MU sets Adult Learner Night

The Center for Adult and Continuing Education at Misericordia University will host an Adult Learner Night from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 7, in the Banks Student Life Center's Kennedy Lounge.

The event is open to adult learners interested in obtaining more information about Misericordia University's undergraduate and graduate programs. It is also open to people who have general questions about entering or returning to college. Guests can drop in at

their convenience and speak with representatives from admissions, adult education, financial aid and faculty.

Appointments can be made for Adult Learner Night, but no registration is necessary. For more information, contact Larree Brown, coordinator, Adult Education at 674-6451 or at lbrown@misericordia.edu.

MU plans Open House for Aug. 16

Misericordia University in-

vites high school students and their parents to the Summer Open House program at its Back Mountain campus from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 16.

The open house schedule includes registration, refreshments, campus tours, a faculty session and lunch and meetings with representatives of student services and athletics as well as a session on financial aid.

For more information, call the Misericordia University Admissions Office at 675-4449.

DHS Class of '68 plans reunion

The Dallas High School Class of 1968 will hold its 40th anniversary reunion Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 5-7. A mixer will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 5, at Joe's Grotto, Harveys Lake. The Dallas Senior High School Farewell Tour will be held on Saturday, Sept. 6, at a time to be announced.

The reunion evening will be held at 6 p.m. on Saturday,

Sept. 6, at the Huntsville Golf Club. Appetizers and drinks (cash bar) will be served on the veranda at 6 p.m. after which classmates will assemble at 7:15 p.m. on the side lawn for the 40th anniversary reunion photograph. A barbecue of steak, chicken, salads and more will be served at 7:30 p.m.

Cost is \$49 per person and checks should be made payable to Charlotte Gelb Farley, 5661 Main Rd., Hunlock Creek, PA 18621 no later than August 25. For additional information, call Sally Walk at 283-3886.

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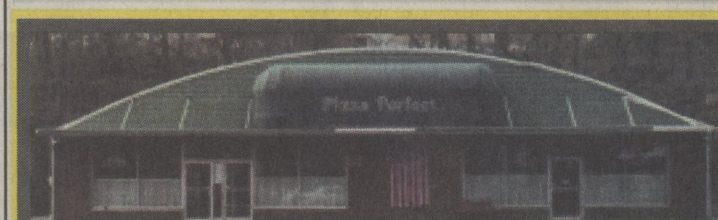
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