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BMT AMERICAN ALL-STARS COMPETE IN PLAYOFFS



The Back Mountain American 11-12 All-Star team captured the Section 5 championship and advanced to the PA state championship by defeating Mountain Top, 8-7, at the Kubis Memorial Field in Dallas. The team concluded its Little League All-Star experience with the following accomplishments: 9 & 10 District 16 championship (no section or state championship series available to play) in 2006, 10 & 11 District 16W championship in 2006, 10 & 11 Section 5 championship and 10 & 11 PA state championship series sixth place in 2007, 11 & 12 District 31 championship, 11 & 12 Section 5 championship and 11 & 12 PA state championship series fourth place in 2008. Holding the championship banner are, from left, first row, Ricky Stayer, Matt Doggett, Chad DeBona, Pete Kuritz and Kris Roccograndi. Second row, Aaron Napkora, Kyle Razawich, Jon Strausser, Craig Skudalski, Greg Petorak, Bill Gately and Domenic Oliveri. Third row, Jeff Doggett, assistant coach; Greg Petorak, head coach; and Frank DeBona, assistant coach.

Golfing for the gridders

The Dallas Gridiron Club held its 11th Annual Golf Tournament on July 19 at the Mill Race Golf Course in Benton and raised over \$5,000. The Captain and Crew format tournament had 70 golfers participating.

Winners were the Vince Ginocchetti Group, first place, first flight; the Randy Knappman Group, second place, first flight; the John Rivero group, first place, second flight; and the Bruce Goeringer/Russ Bigus Group, second place, second flight. Proceeds from the tournament directly fund the Dallas football team activities such as student awards, clinics, equipment, book scholarships and game-day events. Chairpersons for the event were Lew Baines, Fred Mihal and John Rivero.



Kevin Patton is about to tee off.

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Checking the course layout are, from left, Mark Konopki, J.J. Straigis and the 2007 tournament winner Clarke Van Orden.



Vince Ginocchetti gets his golf shoes on for the start of the 11th Annual Dallas Gridiron Golf Tournament at Mill Race Country Club in Benton.

CROSS COUNTRY TEAM FINISHES WITH UNBLEMISHED RECORD



The Gate of Heaven/St. Nick's fifth and sixth-grade girls cross country team finished its season undefeated on May 17, winning two trophies at the District Finals. Members of the undefeated team are Erin Byorick, Rachel Callahan, Gabrielle Curcio, Caitlin Curtin, Megan Devaney, Mollie Engle, Taylor Engle, Rachel Finnegan, Cameron Ford, Michelle Fromel, Madisen Gilhooley, Vanessa Hannigan, Danielle Jensen, Katie Jensen, Nathalie Joanelle, Christina Kalie, Elizabeth Kutza, Anna Layau, Cristina McFarlane, Sara Mirra, Madison Mishanski, Nina Paloni, Kaley Polachek, Allison Rismondo, Nicole Slavoski, Samantha Starbuck, Kennedy Straitiff, Abbe Truschel, Christina Valenti, Kendra Williams, Maegan Wrubel and Zoe Zarola.

BMT NATIONAL ALL-STARS COMPETE IN TOURNAMENT



The Back Mountain National League All Stars recently completed competition in the District 31 11-12 Little League Tournament. The team also played in the Wilkes-Barre Rec Tournament and competed in the Wyoming/West Wyoming Tournament. Members of the team are, from left, first row, Justin Brojakowski, Nigel Stearns, Brenden Ehret Jeffrey Carter and Michael Boland. Second row, Assistant Coach Chris Brojakowski, Connor Balloun, Cody Paraschak, Ryan Zapoticky, Brian Banas, Jake Brominski, Ben Attanasio and Manager Scott Carter. Missing from photo were players Nick Kon, Greg Skrepanek and Jonathan Wilson

BMT NATIONAL FINISHES THIRD IN JANUZZI'S TOURNNEY



The Back Mountain National League All-Stars recently took third place in the Januzzi's Tournament at the Wyoming/West Wyoming Little League field. The team faced the Plains All-Stars and won the game, 6-3. Members of the team are shown here with their medals and team trophy. From left, first row, are Michael Boland, Nigel Stearns, J.T. Carter, Justin Brojakowski and Brenden Ehret. Second row, Scott Carter, manager; Connor Balloun, Jake Brominski, Cody Paraschak, Ben Attanasio, Brian Banas and Chris Brojakowski, coach. Absent at the time of the photo were players Nick Kon, Greg Skrepanek, Jonathan Wilson and Ryan Zapoticky.

SCHOOL BRIEFS

Lehman Jackson PTA will meet

The Lehman Jackson PTA will hold its annual luncheon meeting at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 6, in the faculty lounge of the school. All PTA chairpersons, members and new coming student parents/caregivers are asked to attend to discuss next year's budget and upcoming events. For additional information, contact PTA President Jill Hoyt at 674-7915 or visit the PTA website at www.lj-pta.com

Lake-Lehman HS plans open house

The Lake-Lehman Junior/Senior High School will host an Open House August 26-28. This yearly event allows seventh, eighth and ninth-

grade students to try lockers, locate rooms and become familiar with the layout of the school. Information pertinent to the Open House will be mailed home shortly before.

Students must bring this information with them on the day they choose to visit the school.

Students and parents are welcome to attend according to the following schedule: 9 to 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 26; 6 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 27; and 1 to 3 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 28.

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 at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 6.

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 barbeque 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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