



Madeline Searfoss Adamshick, holding basketball, was a member of the 1930 championship girls basketball team from Lehman High School. Madeline's granddaughter, Selena, is a member of this year's girls basketball championship team from Lake-Lehman High School.



Selena, Adamshick, No. 40 in the third row, is following in the footsteps of her grandmother, Madeline Searfoss Adamshick. The Lake-Lehman girls basketball team won the division championship this year. Madeline Searfoss Adamshick was a member of the championship girls basketball team at Lehman High School in 1930.

Selena Adamshick following in her grandmother's footsteps

When the Lake-Lehman High School girls basketball team captured the Division III championship of the Wyoming Valley Conference this year, senior member Selena Adamshick was actually following in the footsteps of her grand-

mother. The Lady Black Knights finished the season with an 18-4 record and won the league championship for the first time since 1998.

Madeline Searfoss Adamshick, who passed away in 1991, was a member of the 1930

basketball team from Lehman High School that won its division championship that year.

Madeline Searfoss Adamshick is shown in the photo at left holding the basketball in the front row. Other members of the 1930 team were Mary

Wheeler, Jane Conner, Stella Johnson, Helen Kinsman, Charlotte Parrish, Lillian Castlerline, Catherine Anson, Catherine Stolarick, Stella Roushy and Dorothy Major. Jane Park was the coach of the team. Members of the 2009-2010

championship Lake-Lehman girls basketball team are shown in the photo at right. From left, first row, Mariss Moosic, Morgan Decker, Kati Yoniski, Sara Brooks, Niki Sutliff. Second row, Alex Lubinski, Carol Mosier, Jessica

Neare, Emily Leskowski, Alexa Decker, Kristen Baker. Third row, Coach Charlie Lavan, Head Coach Jim Spencer, Ashley Blazaskie, Devon Boyle, Selena Adamshick, Erica Johnson, Gaby Olshemski and Coach Barry Horvath.

DALLAS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Eckert's 21 points leads Lions' win

5th & 6th GRADE BOYS

Dallas Lions 36
Harry & Carlos 26
Lee Eckert scored 21 points and Collin Pertl added seven to lead the Dallas Lions Knicks to a 36-26 win over the Harry & Carlos Celtics.

Justin Sweeney added two points while Ricky Morgan was the defensive star. Dalton Gattuso led the Celtics' attack offensively while Matt Harrison controlled the boards. Cory Metz had several key assists while Cody Coolbaugh anchored the defense.

Bishop Photo 35
DeLuca Law 19
Stephen Darling scored 14 points and Daniel Mingey added 11 as the Bishop Photo 76ers topped the Bulls from DeLuca Law Offices, 35-19.

Andrew Matcho added four points for the Sixers while Jacob Ondish and Mitchell Winters added two each. Adam Niznik led the Bulls with 12 points and Angelo Kwak added three.

Gallis Insurance 33
Thompson Trucking 25
Jason Anderson scored nine points and Chris Mennig added eight as the Gallis Insurance Lakers edged the Raptors from Thompson Trucking, 33-25.

Joey Fiorello added a point for the Lakers while Kyle Archer had 11 points for the Raptors. Joey Bevevino added six points and Abdul Almehy had two for the dinosaurs.

Dr. Kovalick 44
Thirty-One Lake Street 39
Spencer Bowanko had 16 points and Keith Gillette added seven as the Dr. Kovalick Cavaliers needed overtime to edge the Thirty-One Lake Street Magic, 44-39.

Kyle Piscorik played excellent defense for the Cavs while Ryan Martin had the magic touch for Lake Street, scoring 21 points. Jack Tomko had six points while Jacob Stritzinger controlled the boards.

PLAYOFF GAMES
Belrick Corp. 24
Dr. Kovalick 21
James Geiger and Ray Ostroski made four crucial free-throws in the fourth quarter to lead the Belrick Corporation Spurs to a 24-21 upset of second-seeded Dr. Kovalick's Cavaliers in a thrilling quarterfinal playoff game.

Geiger and Ostroski finished with six points each while Zach Charlton led the scorers with eight points. Paul Zablotney added four points. Spencer Bowanko led the Cavs with 15 points while Jimmy Powell added a basket and Michael Kovalick one point.

DeLuca Law 36
Dallas Lions 30
In another quarterfinal classic, Nico DeLuca lit the nets up for 22 points to lead the DeLuca Law Office Bulls to a 36-30 upset of third-seeded Dallas Lions Knicks.

Adam Niznik added eight points for the Bulls while Tim Elston and Mitch Kelly had impor-

tant baskets in the fourth quarter. Lee Eckert and Collin Pertl combined for 24 points for the Knicks while Justin Sweeney had four points and Christian Wargo had two.

Thompson Trucking 21
Bishop Photo 19
The Raptors from Thompson Trucking, Inc. used a balanced scoring attack to outlast the Bishop Photo Sixers, 21-19, in an opening-round playoff game.

Jake Archer led the Raptors with six points and Ryan Cohen added four. Joey Bevenino had three points for the dinosaurs and Nick Mathers added a bucket.

Daniel Mingey had 10 points to lead the Sixers while Andrew Matcho added five points and Chandler Caruso scored four. The defense was led by Mitchell Winters.

3rd & 4th GRADE BOYS

FIRST-ROUND PLAYOFF GAMES
Apollo Group 23
Fieldhouse 21

Derek Answini led the Apollo Group Knicks with 17 points, including the only two in overtime, to lead them to a hard fought 23-21 victory over a tough Fieldhouse Hornets team.

Ethan Zawatski chipped in with four points. Zach Bloom, Darren Kerdesky and Josh Lupole were outstanding defensively and on the boards.

The Hornets dropped a tough, hard-fought game against the Knicks in overtime in the opening round of the playoffs on Wednesday night. Michael Luksic scored 11 points for the Hornets, including the game-tying bucket with 14 seconds left in regulation.

Dalton Simpson added nine and Matthew Wrubel also scored a huge bucket for the Hornets. As they did all season, the Hornets put forth a total team effort with great defense provided by Matt Dillon and Ethan Mooney. John Macey, Andrew Menig and Brian Kmetz helped control the boards.

Wyoming Valley Auto 30
Bishop Photo 15

The Bishop Photo Lakers' season ended Thursday night at the hands of the Wyoming Valley Auto Sales Raptors, 30-15.

Scoring points for the Lakers were David Schuster with 12 and Adam Borton with three. Playing tough defense for the Lakers were Hunter Resavage, Thomas Marsola, Chris Banas, Andrew Grabowski and Dante Marianacci.

Dallas Rotary 15
Dr. Kovalick 10
The Dallas Rotary Timberwolves powered by Dr. Kovalick Sixers, 15-10.

The T-Wolves' scoring was led by Michael Anderson 13 points. Jakob Flores added five, including an awesome 3-point play late in the fourth to seal victory.

Andrew Kovalick led the 76ers with eight points while Bernie Frantz added a bucket in an unsuccessful attempt to advance to

the quarterfinals. The remainder of the team, including Brody Strickland, Josh Lydon, Rusty Coolbaugh, Joey Chacke and Vince Vespico, played tough aggressive defense that resulted in several personal fouls.

QUARTER FINALS
Quad Three Group 21
Dallas Rotary 15

The Quad Three Group Celtics defeated the feisty Dallas Rotary Timberwolves, 21-15, in the first round of the playoffs.

Matt Mathers led the scoring for the Celtics with 15 points. Josh Holdredge, Chris Hadsall and John Betzko each had two points to round out the scoring. Anchoring the Celtics' defense were Caleb Sweitzer, Zach Strazdus and Elijah Chester.

The T-Wolves were led by Michael, Jakob Flores and Conner Maloney in putting up a strong team effort against the No. 1 seeded team.

Gordon & Long 39
Wyoming Valley Auto 22
Nick Kocher led the Gordon & Long Real Estate Cavs with 21 points along with a couple of nice assists in their 39-22 win over the Wyoming Valley Auto Sales Raptors.

Jay Bittner added 14 points and Collin Gleco added four points. Drew Patton, Sam Kravitsky and Jake Novitski played outstanding defense. Zach Palfey and John Bynon did a nice job at point guard.

Chris Murray was the high scorer for the Raptors with 20 points. Eric Berley played tough defense and added two points. Jake Weiland hustled the entire game. Dylan Shaver and Dylan Lisnow did a nice job on the defensive side of the ball. The Caravaggio twin towers of Michael and Tony played a nice all around game.

Gattuso Group 33
Apollo Group 28

The Gattuso Group Spurs defeated the Apollo Group Knicks, 33-28, in an exciting game that went right down to the wire.

The Spurs were led in scoring by Mason Gattuso with 20 points with Alex Kapral and Cole Wyfells adding four, Jack Ziemba with three and Nate Maransky with two. Parker Delsanto made the key defensive play that stopped the Knicks from tying the game. Outstanding rebounding for the Spurs was Steven and Justin Finerelli

Derek Answini had 22 to lead the way for the Knicks. Josh Lupole, Darren Kerdesky and Zach Bloom played strong defensively.

UGI/Penn Natural Gas 37
Orthopedic Consultants 23
Ben O'Connell led the UGI/Penn Natural Gas Magic with 24 points in its playoff win over the Orthopedic Consultants Bulls, 37-23.

Evan McClain chipped in nine points while Colin Bowanko added the remaining four points. Christian Motley, Aiden Nelson, Jared Polit Moran and Nick Adams all played outstanding defense.

DMS SEVENTH-GRADE BOYS WIN BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP



BILL TARUTIS/ FOR THE DALLAS POST

The Dallas Middle School seventh-grade boys basketball team recently captured the Division I championship in the Wyoming Valley Boys Basketball West Side League with a 14-1 record. The team is coached by Chuck Wilson. Shown here during a celebratory pizza party held in the Dallas Middle School cafeteria are, from left, first row, Donald Michalisin, Jonathan Wilson, Tony Pace, Jamie Flores, Brendan Baloh, C.J. Diltz, Romy Morsy, Josh George and Jake Kolojchick. Second row, Coach Chuck Wilson, Zachary Connolly, Sean Cooper, Brian Drouse, Jake Archer, Ryan Cheskiewicz, Jonathan Sabatini and Jeff Strazdus. Third row, Matt Ross, Omar Nijmeh, Nick Muldoon, Allen Fell, Tyler Kerkowski, Jacob Plank and A.J. Sweppenheiser. Absent at the time of the photo was Chris Knecht.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Chick Kickers set registration

The Wyoming Valley Soccer Club Chick Kickers girls U10 travel soccer team has scheduled tryouts for the upcoming spring travel season. In preparation for the fall 2010 season, the Chick Kickers are looking for competitive players to begin training and competing with the team now.

The Chick Kickers participate in spring, fall and indoor travel leagues and attend local tournaments. Interested players should have soccer experience, a positive work ethic, a willingness to learn and play all positions.

Tryouts will be held at the Wyoming Valley Sports Dome the last week of January and the first week of February. Players must be accompanied by a parent and should bring shin guards, a ball and a drink.

Contact Alex Apaliski at ajapaliski@epix.net or by calling 592-7022.

Baseball/softball group plans meeting

The Back Mountain Baseball/Softball Organization will hold a meeting on Monday, March 1, at the Daddow-Isaacs American Legion on Memorial Highway in Dallas.

A board meeting will be held at 7 p.m. with a general meeting to follow at 8 p.m.

NE Youth Theater Co. wil conduct auditions on March 5

Northeast Youth Theater Company will conduct first auditions for a cast of youth actors and actresses from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday, March 5, in the Community Room of E-Free Church, Hildebrandt Road, Dallas.

Interested youths should arrive through the front door of the community room by 5:50 pm in order to fill out a registration form and permission form.

The door will be marked with purple signs and is visible from Hildebrandt Road.

Any student under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent.

PUZZLE ANSWERS

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King Crossword

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Super Crossword

Answers
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EVE SHORED LIRIS AMAWL
BLEAK HOUSE REDRESS TETRA
EARL STONE PUP DON
AIM FADE MEADOW
THE SCARLET LETTERMAN
HOT EARTH BOB TILARIA
ELAM ORDERS BEIG SLID
MALES DINE ARNE ITA
SUB NOVA GIAN SAM
THE JUNGLE BOONWORM
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