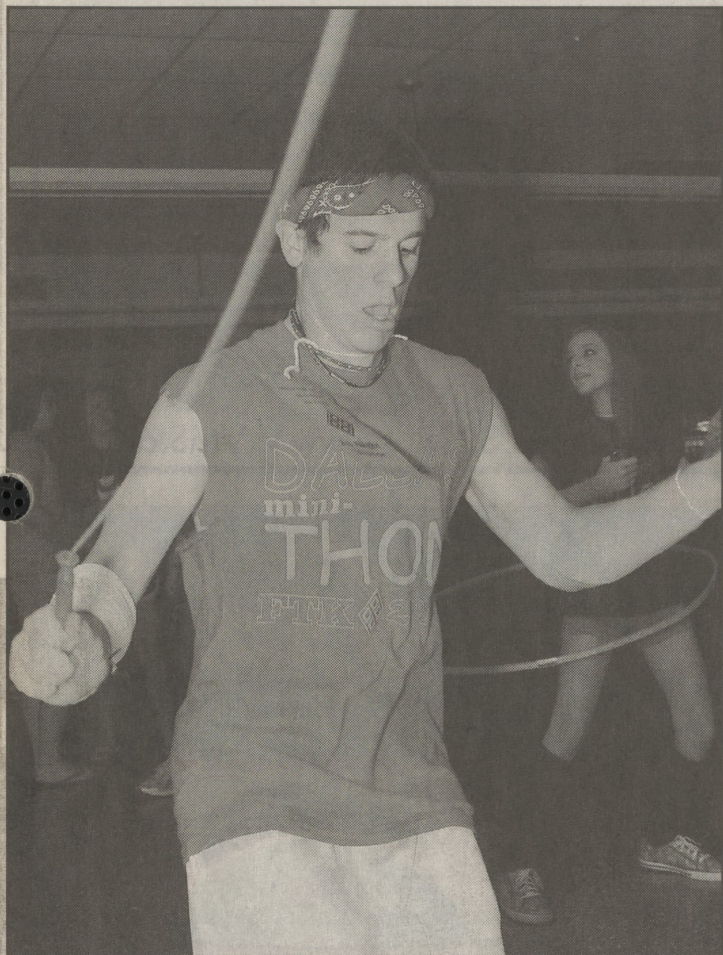


Dancing all night for THON

A 12-hour overnight Mini-THON was held at Dallas High School to raise money for the Penn State Four Diamonds Fund which aids childhood cancer programs. There were games, food and contests to be enjoyed by all those in attendance. The event was the senior completion project of Adrienne Box, Stephanie Dosiak, Allison Hardwick, Dana Krawetz, Samantha Martin and Jackie Pearson. There were games, activities, food, entertainment, dancing, a raffle and a line dance. The event raised approximately \$4,500.



Showing their entrance tickets to the marathon are, from left, Ashley Williams, Aubrey Smith, Kaitlyn Slaff and Gianna DeGraba.



Chris Ellis does some heart-felt jumping.

Allison Hardwick, one of the organizers of the marathon, emerges from the darkened Dallas High School cafeteria.



Eighth-grade students from the Holy Redeemer System who participated in a science and engineer program are, from left, first row, Janice Ambrulavage, mentor from Good Shepherd Academy with her students Frank Mrozowski, Donald Stephens, Konnor Krackenfels, Jonathan Larralde. Second row, Michael Berbano and Matthew Nicholas. Third row, Michele Fromel, Joey Reilly, John Kane and Anita Sirak, associate principal of Holy Redeemer High School. Fourth row, Janice Szczechowicz, mentor of the Gate of Heaven team; and Megan Banks, Nicole Slavoski and Ben Churchfield.

Holy Redeemer System students participate in LIU science program

Eighth-grade students from the Holy Redeemer System, namely Good Shepherd Academy and Gate of Heaven School, recently participated in the Luzerne Intermediate Unit 18 innovative science and engineering program.

Teams participated in national

science competitions sponsored by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Student participants worked collaboratively to design experiments and equipment which were assessed by NASA officials. Winning designs will be tested at a NASA facility and video of the testing will

be shown on a NASA website. The team from Good Shepherd Academy achieved third place in this national competition and Gate of Heaven School received an Honorable Mention Award. Students were congratulated recently at Holy Redeemer High School.



Members of the planning committee for the 50th anniversary reunion of the West Side Central Catholic High School Class of 1960 are, from left, seated, Mary Lou Lampman Heffers, John Sarris, Jean Petroski, Bernard Kadish. Standing, Jane Chase Shultz, Mary Ann Laktasic Bellanca, Julie Mantione Iwanowski, Arlene Allen Paul and Ann Marie August Tredinick.

WSSC Class of 1960 planning reunion

West Side Central Catholic High School Class of 1960 is planning its 50th anniversary class reunion for Saturday, Sept. 25, at the Holiday Inn, Wilkes-Barre.

Information is needed for the following classmates: James Black, Catherine Boylan, Anthony Caladie, Joanne Chipego, Marion Quartergoni Chepago, John Christopher, Suzanne Dunbar, Larry Eckenrode, Joseph Emmel, Joseph Fetchko.

Also, Joann Gabel Ford, Lor-

raine Guch Ford, Margaret Honey Gavlick, Rosemary Pieczynski Gorey, Barbara Perch Gergalis, Lorraine Matlawski Grueber, George Gulvas, Robert Hawkins, William Judge, Joan Hodle.

Also, Thomas Karolchyk, Lorraine Kuloszewski, John Leary, John Lesser, Jerry Matalavage, Mary Jo McAndrew Murphy, Marie Marshall Niemeyer Paul Paluck, Mark Ponganis, Arlene Floryan Rykiewicz, Lorraine Syldo Sabatini, Joseph Saus, John Sikora, Geraldine Snyder.

Also, Richard Sombers, Anthony Soroka, Kathleen Steck, IHM, Bernard Stoshick, Ann Laer Swartwood, Frank Tracey, Carol Meade Turak, Andrew Vojtko, Mary Lou Daley Vowteras, Margaret Kuc Weil and James Priedeaux.

Anyone with information regarding any of these classmates is asked to contact Arlene Allen Paul at 288-9859, Jean Petroski at 287-6342 or Jane Chase Shultz at ss90210@evenlink.com.

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and timers for gas mileage. Hughes, who was also a teacher in the district for 30 years, said that he and three others did not receive mileage reimbursement to athletic events during the

2009-10 winter sports season. Hughes said he was paid 55 cents a mile during the 2008-09 winter sports season.

Business district manager Grant Palfey said in years past the district always paid for mileage out of the athletic fund. Palfey said he had denied it this time with the understanding in March of 2009 that mileage would no longer be reimbursed for away

games. Palfey said the scorekeepers and timers have the option to ride the team bus if they would like. Goering said the board will review the matter at a later date.

Band parents thankful; voice concerns

Marching band parents Vincent Carolan and Ellen Hunter, is president of the Dallas Band and

Guard Booster Association, thanked the board for working with them toward improving the band.

The two also noted there are still issues regarding the band that need to be addressed, including scheduling and a low number of students in the high school band compared to the middle school band.

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