



Back Mountain Bobcat Mount Luke Spencer (No. 73) attempts to stop Ethan Kruger (No. 2) of the Kingston Township Raiders.



Ethan Evans (No. 33) of the Back Mountain Bobcats runs in for his second touchdown.

YOUTH FOOTBALL RESULTS

## KT teams grab wins over BMT

**B TEAM**

Kingston Township 18  
Back Mountain 6

The Kingston Township Raiders improved to 5-3 this week with an 18-6 win over a very tough Back Mountain Bobcat team.

In the first quarter, the Raiders scored on a pass from quarterback Ricky Morgan to Christian Roberts who ran for a 60-yard touchdown.

The second quarter was highlighted by an interception by safety Matt Mathers which prevented the Bobcats from scoring. This and excellent defensive play from Devin Robbins, Carl Markowski, Josh Holdredge and Andrew Grabowski held the Bobcats scoreless in the first half.

During the third quarter, the Raiders recovered a Bobcat fumble which set up a 50-yard touchdown run by Christian Roberts behind key blocks from Moustfa and Abdul Almekey, Jay Culp, Nick Christman and Max Dugan.

Another interception by Matt Mathers set up a 40-yard touchdown run by Ricky Morgan in the fourth quarter behind a key down field block by Colin Pertl.

In the fourth quarter, the Bobcats scored on a run by Nick Whitesell.

tuso, Matt Maransky and Michael Anderson all had touchdown runs for the Raiders. Conversions were made by Derek Answini (2), Gattuso and Christian Motley.

Doing some solid blocking were Troy Turinski, Elliot Bowden, Michael Starbuck and Devon Butwin.

Defensively, KT was equally as impressive behind the aggressive attack of Michael Doggett, Josh Balara, Michael Christman and Jacob Sorber.

Dallas 14  
West Pittston 0

The Dallas Jr. Mounts C team remained undefeated with a 14-0 victory over the West Pittston Rams last Sunday.

Dallas was able to overcome an uncharacteristic four turnovers and still hold the Rams scoreless.

The defense was led by Hunter Love, Xander Shaner, Colin Zeiss, and Cole Dewees. Jack Gallis had a big interception.

Steven Newell scored both touchdowns and Todd Phillips added a 2-point conversion.

The offensive line, led by Freddie Lombardo, Blaine Rex, Sean Cuba and Joseph Brennan, paved the way for the Dallas running game.

**C TEAM**

Kingston Township 32  
Back Mountain 8

The Kingston Township Raiders improved to 7-1 on the season with a 32-8 victory over a tough Back Mountain team.

Kyle McAndrew, Mason Gat-

uso, Matt Maransky and Michael Anderson all had touchdown runs for the Raiders. Conversions were made by Derek Answini (2), Gattuso and Christian Motley.

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Parent coaches David Schnabel, left, and Rich Allen try to motivate their young players.

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RIGHT PHOTO: Haylie Meader cheers for the Back Mountain Bobcats.



EXTREME RIGHT PHOTO: Cole Vonderheid (No. 1) of the Kingston Township Raiders is brought down by a Back Mountain Bobcat.



## Dallas High School juniors host Olympic diving coach at clinic

Michelle Thompson and Sarah Zerfoss, juniors at Dallas High School, coordinated a Diving Clinic event as their senior completion project.

Guest coach for this event was John Wingfield, head coach of the 2008 U.S. Olympic Diving Team and head coach of the USA Diving National Training Center.

All proceeds from the event

were donated to the Wyoming Valley Children's Association, an organization that provides early intervention services for children with special needs.

The first portion of the event was a Meet and Greet Dinner at Genetti's Conference Center in Wilkes-Barre.

Those in attendance heard presentations by Sharon Harry, executive director of

WVCA, and Coach Wingfield who spoke about his role as the USA's Olympic diving coach and how he prepares his athletes for competition.

Coach Wingfield was also the guest coach at the Diving Clinic at the Catholic Youth Center Pool in Wilkes-Barre and concluding at the Dallas School District Pool.

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