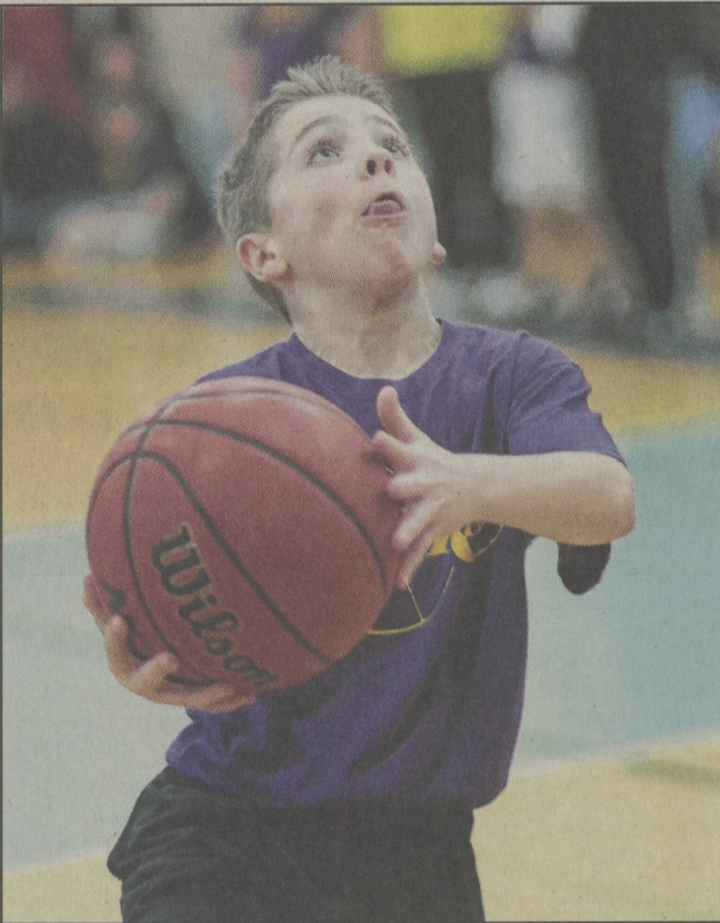




Michael Anderson of the Magic looks to pass against the Lakers in a Dallas Youth Basketball game last Saturday afternoon.



Derek Answini of the Lakers goes in for a layup against the Magic in a Dallas Youth Basketball game.



Ethan Zawatski of the Knicks looks to shoot against the Celtics in a Dallas Youth Basketball game.

DALLAS YOUTH BASKETBALL

Phillips explodes for 30, leads Dallas Lions to win

3RD/4TH GRADE BOYS

Dallas Lions 48
Diversified Payroll 46
 Todd Phillips exploded for 30 points and Logan Evanosky was named Defensive Player of the Game as the Dallas Lions Hornets slipped by the Diversified Payroll Solutions Spurs, 48-46, in double overtime.

Sam Nocito had 11 points for Diversified.

Fieldhouse Sporting Goods 29
Wyoming Valley Auto Sales 22
 Jack Farrell scored 11 points and grabbed eight rebounds to lead the Fieldhouse Sporting Goods Magic to a 29-22 victory over Wyoming Valley Auto Sales Celtics.

George M. Dallas Lodge 25
Bishop Photo 11
 Park DalSanto had six points as the George M. Dallas Lodge Suns took a 25-11 victory over the Bishop Photo Raptors.

Northeastern Eye Institute 34
Dallas Rotary 26
 Darrin Kerdesky led the way with eight points while teammate Colin Bowanko chipped in six markers to lead the Northeastern Eye Institute Bulls to a 34-26 victory over the Dallas Rotary Cavaliers.

Hunter Landon had 14 points and Zach Strazdus added six in the losing effort.

Diversified Payroll Solutions 33

Dallas Rotary 23
 Dan Hodle and Deany Shaver led the way offensively as the Diversified Payroll Solutions won a 33-23 victory over the Dallas Rotary Cavaliers.

Hunter Landon had 12 points for the Cavaliers.

Ziembra Insurance 30
Dallas Rotary 22
 Justin Fell scored 15 points to lead the Ziembra Insurance Sixers to a 30-22 victory over the Dallas Rotary Cavaliers.

Cavalier Zach Strazdus was named Player of the Game.

Dallas Lions 39
George M. Dallas Lodge 35
 Jack Lukasavage exploded for 15 points and five steals as the Dallas Lions Hornets edged the George M. Dallas Lodge Suns, 39-35.

Ethan Sypniewski had 21 points and five rebounds in the losing effort.

Gallis Insurance 30
Diversified Payroll 24
 Michael Starbuck scored six points to lead the Gallis Insurance Knicks to a 30-24 victory over Diversified Payroll Solutions Spurs. Michael Luksic had 21 points for Diversified.

Wyoming Valley Auto Sales 28
Bishop Photo 9
 Mitch Rome had 11 points as

the Wyoming Valley Auto Sales Celtics ripped the Bishop Photo Raptors, 28-9. Sam Zondlo scored two for the Raptors.

RBO Consulting 25

Northeastern Eye Institute 23
 Derek Answini exploded for 21 points to lead the RBO Consulting Lakers to a 25-23 squeaker over the Northeastern Eye Institute Bulls.

George M. Dallas Lodge 23

Gallis Insurance 22
 Ethan Sypniewski had nine points to lead the George M. Dallas Lodge Suns to a 23-22 squeaker over the Gallis Insurance Spurs. Zane Nardone had five points and an all-around solid game for Gallis.

STANDINGS

Magic 9 - 0
 Lakers 8 - 0
 Spurs 6 - 4
 Bulls 5 - 4
 Sixers 5 - 4
 Celtics 4 - 5
 Knicks 4 - 5
 Hornets 3 - 5
 Suns 3 - 7
 Cavs 1 - 8
 Raptors 1 - 7

6TH GRADE BOYS

Thrifty Beverage Inc. 45
Grasshopper Lawns Inc. 39
 In an explosive offensive game,



Kyle Greenwood of the Celtics, left, looks to pass as Knicks' Jack Gallis defends in a Dallas Youth Basketball game.

Lee Eckert was on fire with 27 points while Ethan Szcsecinski and Devin Robbins added nine and six, respectively, to lead Thrifty Beverage Inc. to a 45-39 victory over Grasshopper Lawns Inc.

Zach Charlton and Jason Anderson led the offense for Grasshopper while Andy Zeyher was a menace on defense.

Drs. M & K Kovalick 31

Orthopaedic Consultants 26
 During another close offensive battle, Drs. M&M Kvalick got a 31-26 win over Orthopaedic Con-

sultants Inc.,

Brody Strickland was the high scorer for Orthopaedic with 10 points while Dominick Angelicola and Michael Mesko each adding a thrilling two points.

Abstract Resources 37

Prime Cut Lawn Care 23
 Michael Farrell had hot hands with 22 points to lead the Abstract Resources Sixers to a 37-23 victory over Prime Cut Lawn Care.

Colin Pertl and Charles Giacometti shared 19 points in a tough loss. Steven Finnarelli and Tyler

Cavanaugh hustled on defense.

Gordon and Long 29

Jeff Thompson Trucking 22
 Paul Zabloutney couldn't miss and dumped in 15 points to lead Gordon and Long to a 29-22 victory over Jeff Thompson Trucking.

Chris Murray added eight points in the winning effort.

David Schuster had 10 with Joey Thompson and Adam Borton each adding eight in the losing effort. Hunter Resavage and Justin Thompson provided a strong defense.

ADAMSHICK HITS MILESTONES ON COURT



Lake-Lehman basketball player Selena Adamshick reached 1,000 rebounds and over 1,500 points during a recent game between the Lady Black Knights and Northwest Area. From left, are Coach Charlie Lavan, Coach Barry Horvath, Adamshick and Head Coach Jim Spencer.

TEAM WINS PRIMO CUP



The Second Annual Primo Cup included over 40 teams from the surrounding states and cities. The United Soccer Training Academy (USTA) Team '01 Essien finished in first place. Members of the team are, from left, Marcus Vienny, David Sikora and Ty Reinert. Second row, Justin Sterling, Max Gariano, Zach Holthaus, Karl Pascal, Cooper Lewis and Chris Tambasco. Third row, Coach Pat Upton and Coach Robert Zanicky. Absent at the time of the photo was Logan Davidson.

VEST, ZERFOSS PLACE FIRST IN DIVING EVENT



Divers Collin Vest of Wyoming Valley West and Sarah Zerfoss of Dallas recently won first place at the Wyoming Valley West Ray Wills Swimming and Diving Invitational held at Wyoming Valley West High School. Both were presented with the Ray Wills Award in recognition of their accomplishments. The invitational is held every year in honor of Ray Wills, the late Wyoming Valley West assistant swim coach. From left, are Dallas Diving Coach Arie Van Kuyk, Sarah Zerfoss, Collin Vest and WVW Diving Coach Rob Jacobs.