

SCHOOL BRIEFS

Zumba classes offered

The Lake-Lehman Foundation invites the public to Zumba classes at 3:30 and 7 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday throughout the month of May. Cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.

Gallery features works of Poleskie

The Pauly Friedman Art Gallery at Misericordia University will present an exhibit of abstract acrylic paintings of locally born artist and writer, Steve Poleskie, a native of Pringle.

Poleskie's artwork is in the collections of numerous museums, including The Metropolitan Museum and The Museum of Modern Art in New York City and The Victoria and Albert Museum and The Tate Gallery in London.

The exhibition will run May 1 to June 19 with a Meet-The-Artist reception from 2 to 4 p.m. today, May 1. The reception is open free to the public.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

For more information, call 674-6250.

Musical program set

"Ensemble Evening: Music" featuring the Misericordia University jazz, wind and flute ensemble and a performance of the Misericordia Chamber Singers will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, May 2 in the Lemmond Theater at Walsh Hall on the campus.

The program is open free to the public. For more information, call 674-6719.

Concert slated

"An Evening of Violin and Piano" featuring Misericordia University adjunct instructor John Vaida on violin and Timothy Burns on piano will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4 in the Lemmond

Theater at Walsh Hall. The program is open free to the public. For more information, call 674-6719.

Sem music dept. presents concert

The Wyoming Seminary Music Department will present its annual spring concert at 8 p.m. on Saturday, May 7 in the Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Ave., just north of Kingston Corners.

MU students plan ice cream party

Misericordia University students scheduled to attend the Dublin Pilgrimage for Young Mercy Leaders Conference in August are holding a Cinderella Ice Cream Party fundraiser from 1 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 7 in the Cougars Den located in the Banks Student Life Center on campus.

The Cinderella Ice Cream Party features a picture with Cinderella, Sleeping Beauty or a character to be announced, along with fun activities such as balloon animals, face painting, magic tricks, dancing and coloring and ice cream. The cost is \$5 per child.

For more information about the Cinderella Ice Cream Party benefit, call (610) 509-6204.

Concert slated

This concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

The Wyoming Seminary Civic Orchestra, Yoon Jae Lee, conductor, will present a performance of classical music favorites from Germany, Norway and Russia at 8 p.m. on Sunday, May 8 in the Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary 228 Wyoming Ave., Kingston.

The concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

Lock-In Committee meets May 12

she's happy to man the snack table as she watches her son, John, play on the field. She said the Lake-Lehman team has a booster club that helps raise money for traveling and "little extras" associated

The Dallas High School 2011 Graduation Lock-In Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 12 in the Dallas High School auditorium.

Sem presents dance performance

The Wyoming Seminary Dance Company will present its annual performance, titled "Jubilee," at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 13 and Saturday, May 14 in the Buckingham Performing Arts Center, North Sprague Avenue, Kingston.

The performance is free and open to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

Sem presents big band program

The Wyoming Seminary Wind Ensemble and Jazz Ensemble will present a program of big band music at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 17 in the Buckingham Performing Arts Center, North Sprague Avenue, Kingston.

The program will feature student soloists and jazz ensembles and is free and open to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

Lock-In Committee meets May 26

The Dallas High School 2011 Graduation Lock-In Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 26 in the Dallas High School auditorium.

Sem students present last recital

Wyoming Seminary student musicians will present the annual Farewell/Senior Recital at 4 p.m. on Friday, May 27 in the Great Hall of Wyoming Seminary, 228 Wyoming Ave., just north of Kingston Corners.

The students will perform their favorite pieces for the last time as Sem students. The performance is free and open to the public. For more information, call 270-2190.

DYB TRAVEL TEAM WINS TOURNAMENT



The Sixth Grade Boys Dallas Youth Basketball Travel Team won the championship game against Newport in the Catholic Youth Center Basketball Tournament recently. From left, first row, are Paul Zabloutney, Dalton Gattuso, Stone Mannello, Nico DeLuca. Standing, Coach Jim Gattuso, Lee Eckert, Jason Anderson, Michael Farrell, Colin Pertl and Coach Vito DeLuca.

Dallas diamondmen pick up two

In 7th/8th grade boys baseball, Dallas picked up two victories this week, defeating Lake-Lehman, 18-2, and MMI Prep, 12-1.

Dallas 18 Lake-Lehman 2
Dallas pitchers Aaron Yurko, Jimmie Barlow and Adam Rosencrance, assisted by the outstanding defense of Donald Michalsin and Daniel Mingey, held Lake-Lehman to two runs with one hit through four innings to pick up an 18-2 victory.

At the plate, Dallas had 14 hits with Zach Connolly, Jonathan Sabatini, David Simpson and Aaron Yurko all banging out two hits each.

Dallas 12 MMI Prep 1
The Mountaineers moved to 2-0 by defeating MMI Prep, 12-1, Tuesday at the Drifton Complex in Freeland.

Starter Chad Phillips and closer Lorenzo Buckhalter gave up one hit in 14 at bats for the win.

Offensively, Ryan Martin (a double), Donald Michalsin and Zach Connolly (two doubles) had two hits each for Dallas.

Spencer Bowanko and Jonathan Sabatini (double) added one hit each while Ross Kleinman scored three times.

SPORTS BRIEFS
BMT Baseball will hold meeting

Back Mountain Baseball & Softball will hold a board meeting at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 2 at the Daddow-Isaacs American Legion, Route 415, Dallas.

A general meeting, open to the public, will be held at 8 p.m.

SEMINARY NAMES MVPS



Wyoming Seminary Upper School Director of Athletics Karen Klassner recently announced Sem's Most Valuable Players, Coaches' Awards and Gold Award winners for winter sports. Athletes who earned four varsity letters or three varsity and one junior varsity letters in their sport receive Gold Awards. In girls basketball, Lauren Skudalski, a senior from Wyoming, was the team MVP while Catherine Clements, a senior from Shavertown, received the Coaches' Award. In swimming, senior Jacob Baker, of Shavertown, received the Coaches Award for the boys swim team. Shown following the awards presentation are, from left, Catherine Clements, Jacob Baker and Lauren Skudalski.

SKAMMER QUALIFIES FOR JUNIOR OLYMPICS



Sara Skammer, a senior at Dallas High School, has qualified for the Junior Olympic National Championships which will be held in Long Beach, California in May. Only the top seven gymnasts from Region 7, which is comprised of athletes from Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Virginia, New Jersey and Maryland, qualify for the National Championships. Sara trains at USA Gymnastics in Dunmore and is coached by Dima Renova and Omar Egis. Sara has accepted a full athletic scholarship to Rutgers University starting in the fall of 2011. From left, are Egis, Skammer and Renova.

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ville, thinks the sport is "rough,"

CHANGES

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dents, and an added course, civics and government, will be added.

Halowich said the art and music courses will continue to be evaluated on the elementary level to determine whether or not cuts or changes need to be made.

McGovern said this curriculum realignment will "change the face of Lake-Lehman forever." He anticipates more difficult decisions for the board in the coming months prior to the passage of the 2011-12 budget in June. He said the district is also analyzing extracurricular activities and utilizing stimulus money to determine more penny-pinching to balance a deficit between \$1.7 and 2.1 million.

"It's a big 'wait and see,'" said board member Andrew Salko of determining what cuts need to be made. "We have no idea what's out there."

In other business...
• Business Manager Tom Melone told the board there is a

change to a resolution voted upon in January stating how much the district will collect in delinquent taxes. Previously, the district was estimated to collect \$850,000 in 2011, \$900,000 in 2012 and \$900,000 in 2013. A more current estimate states the district will collect \$1.1 million in 2011 and \$1 million in 2012 and 2013.

Melone said it's positive in that the district will receive more money, but he said the district now has more delinquent taxes.

• The board unanimously appointed Lorraine Farrell, widow of former board Vice President John Peter Farrell, to serve his term until it expires in December. Farrell died following a one-car crash on April 15.

• The board appointed Lois Kaschenbach, of Dallas, as an elementary certified substitute teacher.

• The board accepted letters of retirement from the following teachers with regret and gratitude effective at the end of this school year: Molly Malpass, secondary mathematics teacher; Robin Rogers, family and consumer science teacher; and Daniel Williams, industrial technology teacher.

with the game, and she's been involved before.

"We do this to support the kids," she said. "It keeps them busy. It's part of the high school experience, and having a team makes that possible."

• The board approved the resignation of Varsity Assistant Track Coach Phil Kasper and appointed Scott Summa as a replacement.

• Suzanne Corcone, of Dallas, was appointed as a clerical substitute and Yvonne Garnett, of Dallas, and Anis Hamersley, of Benton, were appointed as a teacher associate and clerical substitute, respectively.

• Marilyn Neifert, a Lake-Noxen Elementary food service worker, was approved for an extended unpaid leave of absence from March 22 through May 1.

• The board accepted a letter of retirement with regret from Raymond Gitschlag effective May 6.

• The board approved the 2011-12 school calendar.

• The board authorized a refund of paid taxes to the following property owners: Richard Jr. and Alecia Derhammer for a property in Lake Township in the amount of \$638.76, Joseph Ryan for a property in Harveys Lake in the amount of \$255.50, William Strauser Jr. for two properties in Harveys Lake in the amounts of \$1,035.91 and \$1,154.02, and Brian Zaborney for a property in Harveys Lake in the amount of \$155.01.

ernments of Dallas Borough and Dallas, Franklin, Jackson, Kingston and Lehman townships.

Partnership Solicitor Jeffrey Malak said forming an intergovernmental cooperation organization has several added benefits that directly affect the individual communities.

"It identifies the issues all municipalities share," he said. "They're all from Back Mountain; they all have similar concerns in regards to safety and protection issues. If you can have one ordinance that is similar, it helps the entire region."

Malak said the municipal cooperation also saves taxpayers money when it comes to applying for grants or making

purchases.

"When we go to purchase something, we don't have to do separate purchasing, which means we don't have to duplicate different legal fees, and we save taxpayers' dollars while still meeting all the needs of community," he said.

He added that some municipalities may not be able to make large purchases on their own, but it becomes a possibility as they work with the partnership.

The partnership was designed to be a cooperative organization and not a separate entity from individual municipalities. Malak said this is because the group wanted to give each municipality the option to participate in projects.

PUZZLE ANSWERS

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Answers

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ERODI PUNIC POORHOUSE
DON GARMER MEAN ITTIS
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