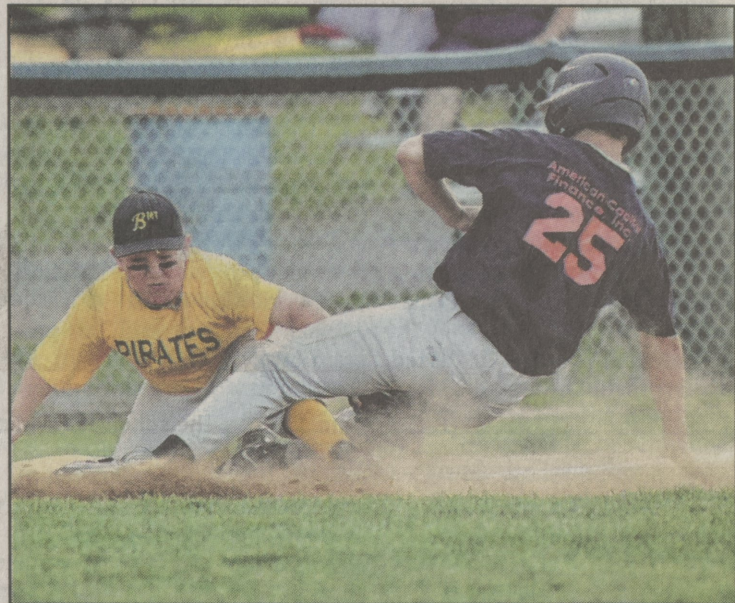




Pirates' Nick Whitesell, left, slides into third base as Giants' third baseman Trey Leo applies the tag.



Pirates' Chris Banas slides safely into third base against the Giants.



Pirates' third baseman Dylan Wesley, left, tags out Giants' Jerry Ogurkis.

BACK MOUNTAIN BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

Schuster hurls Yanks to win

Yankees 5
Athletics 4
Dave Schuster picked up his fourth win of the season, holding the Athletics to four hits while striking out nine as the Yankees won 5-4.

Darren Kerdesky had two hits for the Yankees, including a double while driving in two to lead the Yankee offense.

Evan McClain had two hits for the A's while Josh Holdredge added a double.

Dodgers 14
Giants 8

Alex Kapral, Henry Selingo, Michael James and Ben O'Connell combined for 10 strikeouts on the way to a 14-8 victory over the Giants. James picked up his win on the season.

On the offensive side, Kapral had three hits, including a double; O'Connell had four hits, including a double; Selingo had two hits and Freddie Lombardo had two hits.

The Giants' Michael Huntington had two hits and was joined in the offensive effort by Ian Evans and Bobby Lugianno, each with a double.

Pirates 11

Giants 1
Chris Murray picked up the victory, pitching a complete game and striking out five as the Pirates crushed the Giants, 11-1.

The Pirates were led on offense by Justin Marshall who had three hits and scored three runs, Murray who had two doubles and Zach Bloom and Nick Whitesell each pitched in with hits of their own.

For the Giants, E.J. Williams and Ian Evans handled the pitching and their offense was led by a double by Jerry Ogurkis and singles by Christopher Huntington and Ian Evans.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Rangers 13-1
Orioles 12-3
Yankees 10-5
Red Sox 9-4

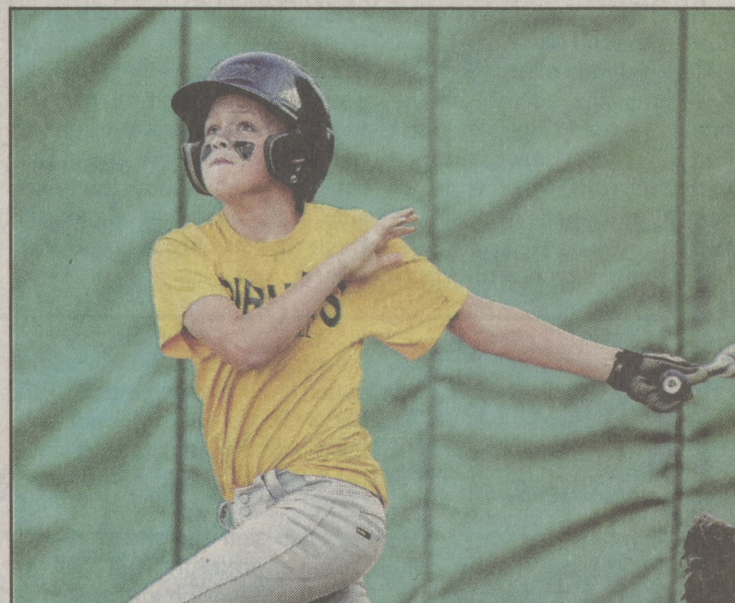
A's 6-8

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Dodgers 9-5
Astros 6-9
Pirates 3-11
Giants 1-12
Phillies 1-12



Giants' pitcher E.J. Williams delivers a pitch against the Pirates.



Nick Whitesell of the Pirates watches the ball go foul on a Giants' pitch.

SENIOR LEAGUE

Back Mountain 11
West Side/Plymouth 0

The Back Mountain Rays defeated West Side/Plymouth Sunday, 11-0, in five innings.

Back Mountain starting pitcher Justin Brojakowski threw three no-hit innings and Reliever Rory Mullin held West Side to only one hit in the win.

Back Mountain's offense knocked in 13 hits in five innings led by Jordan McCrum, 3-for-3; Aaron Napkora, 2-for-3; Dominic Oliveri, 2-for-3; Zachary Connolly, 2-for-3; and Matt Ross, 2-for-2.

Ross, McCrum, and Napkora all had one double each.

The Rays pitching and defense have combined to hold their opponents to an average of only three hits per game and have allowed only three earned runs total for the season.



Pirates pitcher Chris Murray, center, looks to the infield after tagging out Giants' Kyle Gurzynski, right, at home plate.

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BEVAN WILL ATTEND KEYSTONE COLLEGE



Lake-Lehman's Jacob Bevan recently signed a letter of intent to attend Keystone College to continue his academic and running career. Bevan was the District 2 AA 800 meter champion, qualifying for states in both the 800 meter run and the high jump. From left, seated, are Linda Bevan, mother; Jacob Bevan, Zeke Bevan, father; and Josh Bevan, brother. Standing, Brian Pipech, principal; John Sobocinski, head track and field coach; and Tom Rokita, athletic director.

WV SOCCER TEAM FINISHES SECOND



The Wyoming Valley Soccer Club U-10 girls team finished in second place in the Ukrainian Nationals Soccer Tournament in Horsham over Memorial Day weekend. From left, first row, are McKenzie Apaliski, Chloe Greene, Lauren Chapple, Alison Francis and Kennadi Josefowicz. Second row, Emma Sweitzer, Paige Motovidlak, Abby Paczewski, Carly Cavanaugh, Jenna Butcoski and Sara Krokos. Third row, Todd Paczewski and Chris Chapple, coaches.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Albert scores hole-in-one

Alby Albert, of Wilkes-Barre, recorded a hole-in-one on Tuesday, May 22 while playing golf at Huntsville Golf club in Lehman.

Albert aced Hole No. 3 for his first career hole-in-one during the Men's Twilight League. His shot was witnessed by Trey Taylor, Jim Bozzuto and Bruce

Sickel.

DePrimo aces Hole No. 17

Matthew DePrimo, of Exeter, recorded a hole-in-one on Saturday, May 19 while playing at Huntsville Golf Club in Lehman.

DePrimo aced Hole No. 17 for his first career hole-in-one.

His shot was witnessed by Armand Mascioli, John Nackley and Ed Wilson.

Field hockey camp planned

The Dallas High School field hockey team will host a field hockey camp from 4 to 7 p. m. June 11-15.

The camp will be run by Head Coach Kylie Rosengrant and Assistant Coach Amanda Jez with assistance from the high school players.

Inquiries may be made by calling Amy Amadio at 262-0685 or Heather Cave at 690-3500.