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Kingston Twp. Raider C team player R. J. Wren (No. 35) takes down Brendan Eggleston (No. 99) of the Dallas Jr. Mounts.

#### **YOUTH FOOTBALL RESULTS**

## **Seven Mounts** score, finish 9-0

#### BTEAM

**Dallas** 49

Kingston Twp. 14

The Dallas Jr Mounts finished their undefeated regular season th a 9-0 record by defeating the Kingston Township Raiders, 49-14, on Oct. 14.

Dallas got seven touchdowns from seven different players. Todd Phillips, Steven Newell and Jacob Esposito started the scoring for Dallas. Then Blaine Rex, Matt Fried, Ethan Scoscia and Sean Cuba all scored their first career touchdowns in the second half to put the game out of reach.

Dallas wrapped up the regular season and the No. 1 seed in the playoffs. The Jr. Mounts will play the West Pittston Rams at 12:30 p.m. today at the Dallas High School Stadium.

#### **C TEAM**

Kingston Twp. 26

**Dallas 18** 

In C team action, Kingston Township defeated Dallas, 26-18, as the Raiders handed the two-time defending Superbowl champion Jr. Mounts their second defeat of the season.

Dallas nearly tied the score with a dominating drive with under two



Kingston Twp. Raiders B team coach Donald Bowden listens to player Steven Horst (No. 71).



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Nathan Capitano (No. 7) of the Kingston Twp. Raider C team carries for a first down.

ninutes left in the game but time expired with the Dallas offense on he Raiders' 2-yard line.

The Jr. Mounts ended the regular season with a record of 7-2 and face the undefeated WWWE Panthers in the first round of the playoffs, a game made special for the Jr. Mounts as they will play at Mountaineer Stadium.

challenge the Kingston Twp. Raiders.

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In another C team playoff game, the Back Mountain Bobcats will Kingston Twp. Raider C team player R. J. Wren (No. 35) maneuvers through a host of Dallas Mountaineer defensive players.

### DHS CROSS COUNTRY SENIORS HONORED



The Dallas High School cross country team honored senior members after the last home meet of the season. Both the boys and girls' teams ended their regular season with undefeated 17-0 records. Next up is the District 2 championship on Wednesday, Oct. 24 at Elk Lake High School. Both teams are the defending 2011 District 2 AAA champions. Senior members of the teams are, from left, Morgan Gilhooley, Katie Metcalf and Allison Grose.

### Sullivan has big week for RIT Tigers

IT volleyball team as the Ti- play. ers went 3-2 in their five matches last week.

The Tigers defeated Brock- day. port, 3-0, on Tuesday, which

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Lake-Lehman graduate Cat Over the weekend, RIT compet- sar before beating Union, 3-1. Sullivan had a big week for the ed in Liberty League crossover

> The Tigers defeated Bard, 3-0, matches, including 13 against and fell to Skidmor, 3-2, on Fri- Skidmore and Vassar.

The following afternoon, RIT blocks against Vassar. served as the team's senior day. dropped a five-set thriller to Vas-

Sullivan recorded double-digit kills in three of the five

The senior added seven

### Laura Canfield to be inducted into U.S. Tennis Hall of Fame

Dallas native Laura Canfield, now of Langhorne, will be inducted into the 2012 United States Tennis Association Middle States Tennis Hall of Fame on Friday, Oct. 26 at the Saucon Valley Country Club in Bethlehem.

The daughter of Joseph and Margaret Canfield, of Dallas, Canfield began playing tennis at age 12 when her hometown built a public park with two tennis courts a mile from her home. She learned tennis by borrowing instructional books from the public library and using a 50-cent CANFIELD racquet purchased at a neighbor's garage sale.

Canfield is the only female player to capture back-to-back Stroudsburg University to major Wyoming Valley Championships in Recreation and Leisure Servic-(Triple Crowns), winning sin- es Management. She won a silgles, doubles and mixed doubles ver medal that clinched the Warin the same years.

Because her high school, Bishop O'Reilly, did not offer scholastic tennis, Canfield founded a "Tennis Club" that enabled her ence degree in Sport Manageto play for the school and capture ment at the University of Masthe 1977 Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association District II Girls' Singles Champion.

versity, Canfield led the team at for Tennis Week Magazine. first singles and doubles to the 1977 Northeastern Pennsylvania of the original USTA Schools Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Programs Directors for the US-Association league championships and earned MVP honors.



She then transferred to East riors' first and only women's State Collegiate

After earning a Master of Scisachusetts and completing her graduate school internship at the

In 1985, she was hired as one TA Eastern section with additional responsibilities for Junior County.

Competition/Player Development and Community programs.

At the USTA Eastern section, Canfield began a 25-year career with the USTA that included a 13-year stint with the Middle States Section as executive director, leading the regional section during a period of tremendous growth from 1990 to 2002. She also served as the first female chair of the USTA Executive Directors committee.

In 2002, Canfield took her skills to the USTA's corporate office in White Plains, NY, working there until she semi-retired in 2010 to focus her energies on the Bucks County Tennis Association (BCTA) - a nonprofit community tennis association she cofounded in 2001 with Barbara Long, another Back Mountain native now living in Langhorne.

Canfield devotes most of her team title at the Pennsylvania time as a USTA volunteer and currently serves on the national USTA Nominating Committee (and is the committee's chairelect for the 2013-14 term) and on the USTA Middle States Section Board of Directors - but USTA Billie Jean King National most of her energies are dedicat-As a freshman at Wilkes Uni- Tennis Center, Canfield worked ed to the BCTA which partners with more than a dozen parks and recreation agencies, nonprofits and schools to youth and adult tennis programs on public park courts throughout Bucks