

## Austin Smith grabs Huntsville Golf Club's men's championship

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For The Dallas Post

Austin Smith claimed the men's club championship at Huntsville Golf Club with his play Aug. 30-Sept. 1.

Smith shot a 2-over-par, 218 over 54 holes in the Championship Flight, which featured 18 holes of play on each of the three days.

Todd Vonderheid finished second, one stroke behind at 219.

Sam Lewis shot 222 to place third, followed by Matt Cuddy with a 228 and Greg Mascioli with a 229.

There was also a Net Division in which participants played rounds Aug. 31-Sept. 1.

Steve Ubaldini shot a net score of 1-under-par, 143 for the two rounds to win the division.

### MEMBER GUEST

The men's club championship was the second major event for Huntsville members in a span of four weekends.

Santo Lafoca and Scott McNelis teamed to win the Championship (Sam Sneed) Flight, but Herb Fehlinger also had a big weekend Aug. 9-11 when Huntsville held its three-

day, member-guest tournament.

Lafoca-McNelis shot a 3-day score of 15-under-par, 201 on rounds of 69-65-67 to win by one stroke over Vonderheid-Art Brunn. Dave Kluger-Tyler Brewington were third with 204, including a final round 65. Mascioli-Mike Hirthler shot 205 for fourth, followed by Mariano Medico-Zach Mulhern with 208.

Fehlinger had a hole-in-one on 15 in his final match to win a trip for two to the 2014 Masters. Fehlinger also joined partner Bob Edgerton to win flight as well as the first Huntsville Shootout, which featured the winners of the 11 flights other than the championship.

The 11 flights were named for famous golfers, beginning with the first flight, named after Lee Trevino. Flight titles were determined by a point system used in a series of matches against opponents within the flight.

The top two finishers in each of those flights, in order, were Trevino, Mike O'Donnell-Tom Williams, Jason Moore-Chris Wade; Gary Player, Brian-Miller-Tom Biscotti, Scott Henry-Mike Mancini; Seve Ballesteros, Joe Ellman-Carlo Santarelli Jr., Mike



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Santo Lafoca and Scott McNelis teamed to win the championship in Huntsville Golf Club's Member-Guest Tournament.

Boland-Chad DeBona; Jack Nicklaus, Charlie Kasko-Tom Motovidlak, Mike Cramton-John Bevevino; Fifth, Arnold Palmer, John McCarthy-Tom Bevevino, Angelo Terrana-Philip Webb; Sixth, Ben Hogan, Scott Grossbauer-Tod Kehrl, Tom Boland-Michael Boland; Byron Nelson, John Werman-Scott Francis, Byron Read-Ryan Flynn;

Bobby Jones, Steve Ubaldini-Bill Medico, John Oliver-Brett Slocum; Harry Vardon, Mike Amory-Trevor Woodruff, John Gibney-Jeff Hugo; Gene Sarazen, Gary Fronzoni-Bernie Cassetori, John Nackley-Kevin Kogan; Walter Hagen, Fehlinger-Edgerton, tie between Rich Gower-Pete Borsuk and John Lloyd-Peter Lloyd.

### IREM TEMPLE

Gary Sagan Jr. shot an 11-over-par, 191 for 45 holes Aug. 17-18 to win the Irem Temple Country Club's men's club championship by three strokes.

Sagan shot 73 and 76 for the full 18-hole rounds, then added a 42 for the final nine holes.

James Breck cut into a nine-stroke deficit to finish second

with 77-81-36—194.

Earl Thompson Jr. shot 194 for third, followed by Scott Francis with 195, James Blinn with 198, Dr. Charles Brand with 199, and John Konicki and Dom Castrignano with 200 each.

John Sileski won the first flight with 83-88—171 for 36 holes to beat Jack Serafin by three strokes.

### SPORTS BRIEFS

#### MASCIOLI GETS SECOND ACE

Armand Mascioli, of Dallas, recorded a hole in one on Saturday, Aug. 24 while playing at Huntsville Golf Club in Lehman. It was his second hole in one in the last two months.

Mascioli aced Hole No. 5 from the white tees using a 5 Hybrid. His shot was witnessed by Matt DePrimo, Ray DiPietro and John Nackley.

#### CATTONI RECORDS SEVENTH ACE

J.R. Cattoni, of Lock Haven, recorded a hole-in-one on Sunday, Sept. 1 while playing in the Men's Club Championship at Huntsville Golf Club in Lehman.

Cattoni aced the No. 15 hole using a seven iron to record his seventh career hole-in-one, six of which have been during tournament play.

His shot was witnessed by Cody Taylor, Chase Makowski and Bill Lydick.

#### CAR WASH SLATED

The Lake-Lehman girls basketball team will host a car

wash/bake sale from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 15 at Newell's Exxon Memorial Highway, Dallas. Car wash is a \$5 donation with tickets available through players.

The event is sponsored by Newell's and the Lake-Lehman Girls Basketball Booster Club-LLGBBC. For more information, call Missy Eneboe at 696-5515.

#### BANDITS REGISTRATION

Registration for Back Mountain Bandits boys and girls lacrosse 2014 season will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday Sept. 21 at the Dallas American Legion.

Boys age groups are U-9, U-11, U-13 and U-15. Girls age groups are third and fourth grade (U9/U11), fifth and sixth grade (U13) and seventh and eighth (U15) grades.

Family discounts apply and there are no mandatory fund raisers. Registration fee includes US Lacrosse registration, US Lacrosse magazine and team uniform. Gently-used equipment will be held during this registration.

For more information, email bmtlax@gmail.com.

### YOUTH FOOTBALL RESULTS

## Raiders trounce Shawnee Indians

#### B TEAM Kingston Twp. 20 Plymouth 0

The Kingston Township Raiders put together an impressive offensive attack combined with a relentless defense to beat the Plymouth Shawnee Indians, 20-0.

Early in the first quarter, Michael Starbuck broke free for a 65-yard touchdown run to get the Raiders on the board. RJ Wren connected with Jack Luke on the 2-point conversion to make it 8-0.

After the Raiders recovered a fumble, they went on the offensive attack again. First, Starbuck connected with Like DelGaudio for a 40-yard gain followed by Wren pushing it another 30 yards on a keeper. DelGaudio finished it off by scampering 20 yards into the end zone. The Raiders did not make the 2-point conversion but were out in front, 14-0.

In second quarter action, the Raider offense kept moving the ball. Jake Sorber had an impressive run that brought the ball inside the 15-yard line. Next, Jack Luke powered himself into the end zone with a 15-yard TD run. The 2-point conversion failed.

Josh Balara had a fumble recovery for the Raiders and helped his teams defense hold the Indians scoreless not only in the first half but the entire game.

The third and fourth quarters were highlighted by the Raiders great defense, including outstanding performances by Dylan Schuster, Hideki Takagi, Steven Horst, Scott McLaughlin and Zach Chamberlain.

The win was the first of the season for the Raiders.

#### C TEAM Dallas 36 Kingston 6

The Dallas Junior Mounts improved to 2-0 with a 36-6 win over the Kingston Huskies.

After winning the coin toss, the Junior Mounts elected to receive. Jared Adamski scored on the first

play from scrimmage and Dallas led, 8-0.

The Junior Mounts executed a successful onside kick and retained possession of the ball. Alex Hajikowski rumbled down the left sideline and scored for Dallas. Mitch Burgess got the 2 point conversion and Dallas led, 16-0.

After the Dallas defense held Kingston to a 3 and out, Kingston punted and Dallas got the ball. Alex Hajikowski scored again and Dallas led, 24-0. The Junior Mount defense held the Huskies again and when they got the ball on offense Jared Adamski tacked on another score. This put Dallas up 30-0 at halftime.

In the second half, the Huskies offense came to life, scoring a touchdown and executing a double reverse.

Overall, the Dallas defense

played a great game, limiting talented Kingston QB Ryan Sullivan to only one TD. Leading the defense were Ryan Cuba, who played a great defensive tackle for the second week in a row; Mitch Burgess, who had several key stops on the outside; and Cody Konnick, who led the defensive linemen with 3 tackles for a loss.

Dallas added one more score in the second half with Joe Peters hitting pay dirt and scoring his first career touchdown.

#### D TEAM Dallas 22 Swoyersville 14

The Dallas Junior Mount D team completed the third week of football in the WVWYFC Conference with a 22-14 win over the Swoyersville Sailors. This win takes the Junior Mounts to 3-0 on the season.

The Junior Mounts battled a tough Sailors team in the heat, culminating with a late fourth-quarter zigzag into the endzone by Lucas Tirpak to break the second-half deadlock.

The backfield of Aaron Powell, Nate Malarkey, Dylan Geskey and Tirpak was led by the sweat and determination of a tough offensive line made up of Michael Elgonitis, Caleb Venosh, Colby Powell, Dalton Robbins, Archie Stephens, Bryce Casey and Luke Hajkowski.

The defense was led to battle by Mason Calvey, as he captained a powerful crew that included Logan Geskey, Noah Greco, Dalton Hislop and Charlie Stephens. The defense dug deep all game and held the Sailors on multiple series while recovering two fumbles.

## DeLuca's cross country season begins on right foot

Dallas senior finished 11 seconds in front of Lake-Lehman sophomore Dominic Hockenbury, third in the district last year

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The first day of the cross country season could not have gone much better for Dominic DeLuca.

The Dallas senior covered the 3.1-mile course at Letterkenny Fields in 16:46 to lead a group of 222 runners while winning the boys championship at the Cliff Robbins Invitational on Aug. 31.

"It's a big accomplishment," Dallas cross country coach Matt Samuel said. "Any time you get a win in an invitational like that, it's satisfying but I think he has his eyes set on the future and some bigger races down the road."

DeLuca led the way for a big day by the entire Dallas program.

The Mountaineers won the varsity and junior high boys championship and the varsity girls finished second, despite competing without multiple state medalist Regan Rome.

There are more important meets ahead in regular season and postseason competition, but the strength of the field at the traditional season opener bodes well for Dallas.

"It's not how you start, it's kind of how you finish the season," Samuel said. "But you have to know where you're at and it's a good indication of things to come."

"We've all started out on the right foot here."

DeLuca finished second at the highly competitive District 2 Class AA championships last season when the Mountaineers took fourth behind Scranton Prep, Tunkhannock and Holy Redeemer. Tunkhannock and Scranton Prep, which returns six of its top eight runners, then finished fourth and fifth in the state in Class AA.

"Those are pretty impressive things,"



DeLuca



Hockenbury

Samuel said of the state team finishes. "They just happen to be in the same district as us."

"Any time we can compete with those guys and get the best of them, or at least keep it close when they get the best of us, it's a pretty good result."

Scranton Prep kept it close, but the Mountaineers came out with the team title when the finishes of its top five runners totaled 70, one better than the Cavaliers.

Travis Mattson placed ninth, Bryce Mattson 13th and Kyle Borland 15th for the all-senior Dallas lineup. Brenden Ehret was 35th, but 32nd among runners from full teams, to complete the team score.

DeLuca got it all started by finishing 11 seconds in front of Lake-Lehman sophomore Dominic Hockenbury, who was third in the district last year. DeLuca adds the Robbins championship to a pair of conference cross country titles and a district title he won in track season.

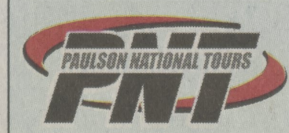
"It was a good way to start off, especially knowing he still feels he can do even better," Samuel said.

The Mountaineers entered the season feeling strong after their summer training.

"It was the smartest, most sensible overall summer of training that I've ever had a team have," Samuel said.

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