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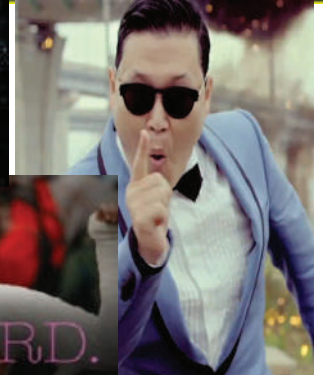
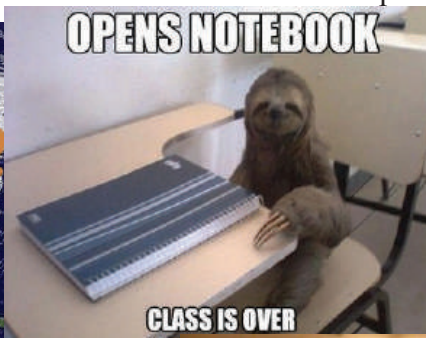


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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Hello Everyone,

Welcome to the first issue of 2013! We are pleased to announce that the paper has now become electronic!

Throughout the second semester of the school year our team of reporters have been searching for stories to add to this addition of our paper. Due to slow news it has taken longer then we would have preferred to put this issue online. However, good things come to those who wait.

Enough with the serious drabble, Indian Times is meant to be a fun paper, for both the reporters and readers. So far, 2013 has offered lots of fun and interesting topics to cover. From Candy Crush to Pope Francis, this year has seen a lot!

We had tons of fun learning about all these new happenings, and we hope you have fun reading about them.

And remember, the news paper is for students. If you have any opinions or art you'd like to showcase, please feel free to hand it in to room C201.

Carry On Our Wayward Classmates,
The Editing Staff



Shamokin Area BOYS BASKETBALL!



2012- 2013 Year in Review

Reporter: Daniel Delbaugh



This year's team has been faced with a lot of adversity. We had quite a few injuries and players getting the flu and missing some games. We started off the season with a win over district qualifier Hughesville in an opening season tournament in Mifflinburg. That win allowed us to advance to the final to face Mifflinburg for the championship. However we came up short after a hard fought game. We started out the season (1-1). Next we had four away games in a row. During the stretch we lost all four, including one in Selinsgrove which was an overtime thriller. Next up on the schedule was the annual Knight's of Columbus Holiday Tournament. In the tournament our first game was against Minersville. We won a low scoring game (37-33). Next up was the championship game against Lourdes Regional, we lost a close, riveting game (47-50). After the tournament we had nine straight PHAC AAA(Pennsylvania Heartland Athletic Conference AAA) games. During that stretch we went (3-6), two of those losses were exhilarating games against Danville. Then came the game against Blue Mountain, we were not the winners of that tough game. Our last home game of the year was senior night against Mifflinburg. We honored our only senior that night, Julian Deitrick. The next game was a win at Midd West. We got down to our final two games of the year, one at Milton and the other at Mount Carmel. Milton had a very good first quarter and took an early lead and ended up winning. Our final game of the year was against our rival, Mount Carmel. The score was close all game but we ended up losing our final game (46-50). We ended the year with a record of (5-17).



Our record this year was not what anyone expected, but just wait until next year. We return all the core players from this year's team. We will come back next year smarter, stronger, more skilled, and more experienced. Of the core players that will return are big men Josh Pappas and Austin Stine, both will be seniors next year. Our two point guards last season were freshman Ryan Sebasovich and Jake Weaver. They will both return and be big parts of the team for years to come. Other Guards/Forwards that come back are Tucker Yost, a junior next year, Erik Taylor and Danny Delbaugh, both seniors next year, will all contribute next season. The only player that is graduating from the team is Julian Deitrick. I would like to thank all of our friends and family that came out to support us this year. Just wait until next year.

How Will The World End?

Reporters: Casey Nye & Billy Yost

There are various theories on how the world will end, some are quick, some are slow, but all are deadly. These are some of the theories on how the world is supposed to end.

1. Computers Take Over

It may be one of the more silly ones but it's still possible. Technology takes over our life now so just imagine it in a few years when robots are invented. In today's world, iPhones consume a big part of our lives. Artificially intelligent robots will have more knowledge than mankind, and will come sooner than we think, and faster than we can handle. With that knowledge they will realize they are more powerful than us.

2. Pandemic

The world may end with a virus. Mass deaths have happened in the past from disease, perhaps the next plague is just around the corner. This one will be the biggest known virus worldwide. The 1918 influenza killed more people than World War I. This is one of the worst, for it can spread many different ways such as; air, food, water, etc.

3. Zombie Apocalypse

Zombies have made a big impact in the media over the past few years, leaving many wonder: is this possible? It starts with a virus or nuclear warfare, which will cause friends, family, and possibly even pets to turn into flesh eating monsters. It can spread quickly, by getting bit or scratched, and when this happens you will turn into a zombie after you die (because of the virus). There is no way to escape it.



4. Nuclear War

This is one of the most possible ways the world can end, especially with a number of countries now in possession of nuclear weapons. Detonation of a nuke may cause large amounts of smoke, soot, and debris in the Earth's stratosphere, reducing sunlight from earth for months, or even years. This will kill plants, which would eventually kill off animals, which would then lead to our demise.

Quest for the Perfect Fountain!

Reporter: Anthony Anonia

The chart to the right is an updated rating system on which water fountains are the best and the worst in the school. Three years ago, a Shamokin Area graduate, Dave Reed, did a full rating system of all of the water fountains students would potentially drink from. There have been changes since then, and so that why I have completed the riveting mission of making sure Shamokin area students know where to go to get hydrated! Rating is based on three things; temperature, water pressure, and accessibility. So to begin the best fountains to look out for are the 1st floor, near the boy's bathroom. It has both high approval ratings for temperature and water pressure and the accessibility is excellent. There is also the 2nd floor near the girl's bathroom, where it is equally as good as the 1st floor boy's bathroom. Lastly we have Lesher's room, where the water fountain also has a high approval rating, but the accessibility is limited due to being in his classroom, but well worth the trip. Now covering the worst of the fountains; first is the gym entrance, I recommend taking some time to travel to a different fountain, but not the 2nd floor boy's bathroom because it is not healthy on the fact it was observed, when doing the ratings, to have gum on the mouth nozzle. Check the rest of the chart below for a full analysis of all the fountains.



Based on a 0-10 rating.

	Temp.	Pressure	Accessibility
Lesher's Room	10	7	limited
Café: Boys	7.5	6	very
Girls	5	2	very
Weight Room	8	4	limited
Gym			
Entrance	4	3	very
Gym Locker			
Room Hall:			
Girls	3	5	very
Boys	2	3	very
1st Floor: Boys	9	9	very
Girls	8	10	very
Mid School:			
1st Floor	7	7	limited
2nd Floor	6	5	limited

A Local Beatboxer

Reporter: David Derk

You may know him, he has performed here at our own school, His name well lets just say he's a king. David Keith Derk, the one and the only. Learned how to Beatbox by himself around age 12. It was basically a god given gift, not much practice was needed. He began his Beatbox career at Shamokin area high school may of 2011. He was walking home from school as a friend recorded him, he was Beatboxing and messing around and he tripped on the curb and it was posted on facebook and it became a hilarious video. After that there was a demand for an actual video of him performing. That video transpired into something so cool for him. He had been offered to provide music by Beatboxing for the school pep rally when the football team was playing Mount Carmel for the coal bucket, he was nervous but he prevailed and became very popular. For those of you who are reading this and don't know what Beatboxing is, it's something you do with your mouth and lips that makes sounds that sound like beats and music.

How to Make Money

Reporter: Brett Rebuck

During the summer many teens go looking for employment. You should too, because it's experience for the future and cash in your pocket. You'll need it for gas if you can drive, or if you just want to go out with friends. There are many things you can do to make money this summer.

Teens usually go to the big local places that hire people under the age of 18. These places are Knoebel's Amusement Resort and The Elysburg Gun Club. This is my second year working at Knoebels, I'm in the food court and I must say it is a great job. Plus it's giving me some spending money for whatever I want. I also have many friends who work at the Gun Club and they've all told me that they love their occupation.

There are other places that offer jobs to teens as well, such as O.I.P in down town Shamokin, and Masser's in Paxinos. Another idea to make some money is to do some kind of chore for your neighbor. Cutting grass is popular, or maybe for teens out in the rural areas can do some kind of barn work. There is always something you can do to be creative and earn some cash. Getting a job builds character and prepares you for the real world, and I highly recommend that you get one. Think of all the money you could make! You won't ever have to ask your parents for money and they can't deny you getting whatever you want! Getting a job and making the money for what you want is a great way to be creative and productive over the summer.

Be a Leader!

Reporter: Amber

Are you a follower? Do you copycat the trends of others? Most of the students here are followers. But there must be a leader to have followers, right? Leaders succeed more in life than followers do. Leaders use there own ideas and make their own decisions and are more independent than others.

We all wear the same clothes, we all listen to the same music, and we all go to the same places. Where is the individuality? What will happen after high school? Are we going to play "follow the leader" to the same college and the same job? Life doesn't work that way.

I have a theory as to why we don't act like individuals, and just fall into the crowd.

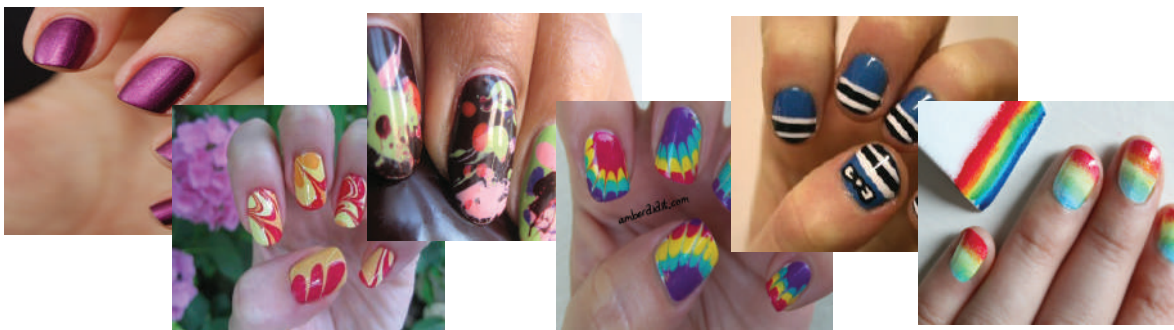
People are afraid to be judged. Being different or a leader in our society makes reasons to bully and pick on one another. People think that doing what others do will make them feel accepted. But in my opinion, who cares what anyone thinks of you? They aren't going to be in your life forever. Everywhere people judge, nothing you do will please everyone. The key to being happy is being yourself.



Fun & Crazy Nails

Reporter: Carson Houser

- **Matte Nails-** Just add cornstarch to your favorite nail polish Shake & paint!
- **Water Marbling-** Get a cup of water and let it sit at room temperature. Letting it sit over night usually works best. Then add favorite drops of your favorite color nail polishes right on top of each other until they make a dartboard like pattern. After that take a tooth pick and make lines starting from the middle and pulling out. It should look like a star. Use scotch tape your nail so the nail polish won't go on your skin. Dip your nail on the most concentrated part with the most pattern, of the nail polish. Push down all the way down to the bottom of the cup. While your finger is still in the water take a plastic spoon and remove the excess nail polish that remains on top of the water. Pull your finger out remove the tape & you're finished!
- **Splatter nails-** You're going to need runny nail polish, so adding water to it might help, but not too much water, you don't want to remove the color. Put a glob on a paper plate, dip the end of a plastic straw in it. Hold the straw about 2 inches away from your nail and blow. You get splatter nails!
- **Tie Dye Nails-** Paint your different color stripes, starting at the corner. Make sure they are kind of thick. While the polish is still wet take a tooth pick and start from the tooth pick across your nail make sure you don't press too hard so that it doesn't expose your bare nail.
- **Striped Nails-** Paint your nails one color first then take little strips of tape and place it over your nail. You can place the tape different ways to make a cool effect instead of straight across. Then paint your nails over top of the tape. Black and white makes colors pop and look the cutest. Once you do that and the paint dries take off the tape and it will reveal the colors and cute designs underneath. Do not apply a topcoat until you have taken off the tape.
- **OmbreNails-** Get three nail polish colors of the same color but different shades. Make straight lines of nail polish on a basic make-up sponge, make them almost overlap each other. Make sure you leave a section of your nail free of nail polish to create the effect. Let dry and finish with a topcoat.



Fun Facts!

Reporter: Brett Long

1. Every year in the U.S. about 100 people choke to death on ballpoint pens.
2. Athletes of the ancient Olympic Games competed naked.
3. Ice-T's real name is Tracy Morrow.
4. Baby whales gain about 200 lbs. per day.
5. Snow will melt faster if it is dirty.
6. Honey is often used as a golf ball center.
7. In ancient Egypt, cat owners shaved their eyebrows off to mourn the deaths of their cats.
8. The average filtered cigarette will reduce a person's life by six minutes.
9. The average slice of bacon will reduce a person's life by nine minutes.
10. The concept for pizza came from China.
11. Japanese police cars cannot drive faster than 100 mph.
12. The first Ford car had a Dodge engine.
13. Dolphins from the Amazon are pink.
14. When a squirrel falls, it uses its tail as a parachute.
15. A shrimp's heart is located in its head.
16. In every Seinfeld episode, there is a hidden Superman.
17. A duck's quack will not echo.
18. Sharks and rays are the only known animal to not get cancer.
19. Only 2% of High School couples end up getting married and not divorcing.
20. The least successful Harry Potter film made \$90 million more than the most successful Twilight film.
21. Tomatoes are a fruit.
22. Ripe cranberries bounce like rubber balls.
23. The almond is a member of the peach family.
24. The average human will shed 40 pounds of skin in a lifetime.

Prom?!

Reporter: Ciana Rollman

It's that time of the year again to spend outrageous amounts of money, Prom! Where anybody who is anyone tries to dress to impress. The times where girls will tell you your dress is gorgeous, and tell others it is hideous. When you see Twitter and Facebook fights on who gets to buy "the dress" first. The girls complaining how pale they are and that they need to go tanning. Everyone is starting a new diet to fit into their gowns, and boyfriends are breaking up with their girlfriends leaving them dateless. The parents are calling to find out why their son/daughter are not allowed to attend and the students are stressing not to miss more than 20 days of school. It's the day of promenade and you know you will be judged on everything! The girls will ask themselves "Does my make-up look good?" or "Is my hair frizzy, and is it holding up?". The crowd deciding whether to come up and say "you look beautiful" or walk past you because you did a fashion no-no. It really is such a great time, but only the strong survive. So I challenge all the girls this year to take part in the prom madness. Go out and get your hair appointments before they are all booked! Make your dress be the one everybody loves and wants. The guys better be ready to buy flowers and the tickets. Who knows, maybe you could be the next Prom Queen or King?

Have you ever wanted to attend a prom but didn't because, the cost was/is too high or because you don't have a date? These are the two main reasons people do not attend prom. So what if I told you that there is a better option? That's where Morp comes in. Morp is an anti-prom, the opposite of your classic prom.

Prom is simply too costly. Tickets are \$30, renting a tux costs \$80-\$120, prom dresses round from \$100-\$1000 (or more!) for a dress you wear once, shoes are \$15-\$50, a nice hair-do is around \$20-\$30, and flowers or a boutonniere range from \$15 to \$20. Expensive, isn't it? With Morp all of this stays in your pocket, no need to spend nearly a thousand dollars on one night that you probably won't remember when you're in your fifties! If you go to Morp, you can wear whatever your heart desires! Complete and total freedom, and Morp costs next to nothing!

Too shy or scared to ask someone to the prom? Afraid your date might change their mind on you at the last minute? Imagine what that must feel like... If you go to Morp it's not frowned upon to go stag(alone) or with someone of the same sex. Anyone can go, because Morp is the anti-prom! You aren't even pressured to ask and you don't need to be asked by someone.

Which would you rather? The same costly prom for one night, or something new and different? The decision is yours!

Reporter: Faith Hornberger

Morp?!



Summer Movie Releases

Reporter: Danny Delbaugh

Action/Adventure Genre

1. World War Z- Released on June 21- (summary) A researcher for the U.N. Postwar Commission interviews survivors of a zombie attack from all over the world in order to put together a post mortem on a war that destroyed the world. (not yet rated) Starring- Brad Pitt
2. Fast and Furious 6- Released on May 24- (summary) Dominic Toretto (Vin Diesel), Brian O' Conner (Paul Walker) and the crew find themselves on the wrong side of the law again, this time on the streets of Europe. Federal agent Luke Hobbs (Dwayne "the Rock" Johnson) is hot on their tails.

Comedies

1. Grown Ups 2- Released on July 12- (summary) A sequel to the first "Grown Ups" movie in which 5 friends reunite over the 4th of July weekend. (not yet rated) Starring- Adam Sandler, Kevin James, Chris Rock and David Spade
2. Hangover Part III- Released on May 24- (summary) In this movie there is no wedding or bachelor party. This time the wolf pack hit the road. (not rated yet) Starring- Zach Galifianakis, Ed Helms, Bradley Cooper, Mike Tyson, and Ken Jeong

Horror

1. Insidious Chapter 2- Released on September 20- (summary) This is the story about a young couple and their son. The couple confronts the demons that possess the young boy.
2. The Conjuring- Released on July 19- (summary) Based on a true story, the conjuring tells the horrifying tale of how renowned paranormal investigators Ed and Lorraine Warren were called upon to help a family terrorized by a dark presence

Facts About Fast Food

Reporter: Brad James

McDonald's: McDonald's is one of the most universal places in the world, and the golden arches are the most recognized symbol. The restaurant provides food for people in 119 countries. McDonald's' daily customer traffic is about 62 million people, which is a greater than the population of Great Britain. More than 75 hamburgers are sold every second. For the next three years McDonalds is going to open a new restaurant in China everyday. Americans consume about 1 billion pounds of beef a year, in McDonalds alone.

Burger King: The World's second largest fast food hamburger company. Restaurant's can be found in all 50 states and there are more than 11,100 total world wide. Burger King also takes up residence in a little over 65 countries. 90% of the restaurants are independent franchises. The whopper originally used to cost 37 cents back in 1957, and now costs \$2.99.

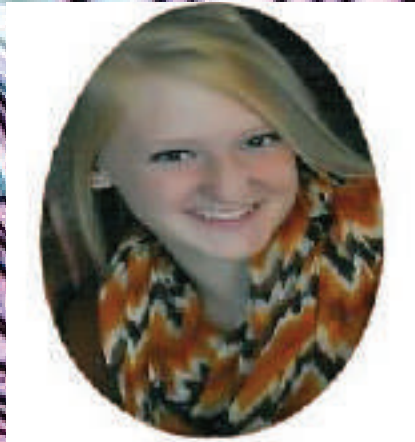
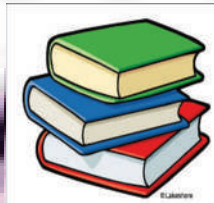
Wendy's: The first one was brought to earth in 1969 and founded by Dave Thomas. Wendy's burgers are square, which makes them different from all of the other burger companies. When Dave got interviewed for the reason to why he said "they don't cut corners."

Metal Detectors

Reporter: Kourtne Chapman

In recent news, we are getting two metal detectors for each school. It's going to have the same effect as walking through an airport. If you have any metal on you when you walk through the detector, it's going to go off, and you will be checked over with a wand, which will search for anything that could harm another student in the school. I think this could be a good thing, but lately it seems that they are blowing it way out of proportion. It's one thing to get metal detectors, but to go through people's bags? I think that's ridiculous. You shouldn't intrude on a person's personal space. It's not right at all.

SENIOR PROFILES!



What are your plans after graduation?

To attend Bloomsburg University, double major in Theatre and Psychology. Possibly, hit the Broadway stage, and maybe become apart of the SNL cast one day!

What is your goal for your senior year?

To put on a top-notch Musical and really go out with a bang! Also, I'd like to graduate with honors.

Clubs, Sports, Activities?

Chorale, Chorale officer, Yearbook staff, AV, Student Council, Venna/Carnuccio's "T.R.I.B.E.", and Indian Times.

Comments to Underclassmen:

Never stop going after what you want to do! Dream big, and work hard!

What are your plans for after graduation?

I am attending Wilkes University to pursue my dream of becoming a nurse and play volleyball.

What is your goal for your senior year?

Make every second count, have no regrets, and just have fun!

Clubs, Sports, Activities?

Volleyball, Basketball, SADD the "Works", and student council.

Comments to Underclassmen:

Don't leave high school with any regrets. Give it your all and most importantly have fun. It goes fast so, like Mr. Bailey says, "Don't count the days, make the days count"!

What are your plans after graduation?

Go to Kutztown University to major in Communications, and cheer for the football team.

What is your goal for your senior year?

To spend time with my friends and make the best of the time I have left.

Clubs, Sports, Activities?

Varsity Cheer, Upward Bund, Key Club, Chemistry Club, and Environmental Club.

Comments to Underclassmen:

Don't take anything for granted. It'll be over before you know it.

Prom Hair DO's & Hair DON'TS

Reporter: Angela Kinder

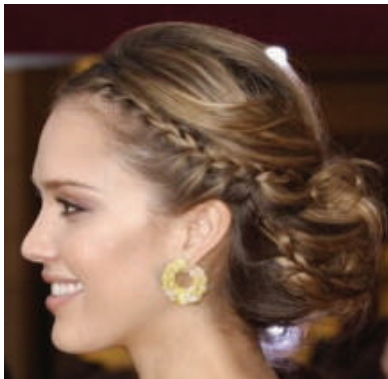
Ladies, while tons of hair spray and two packs of bobby pins seem like the way to make a perfect prom do, there's an easier, less greasy, way to go. SO lets stray from the Snooki Poof and talk Beyonce curls!

We all know how the internet and YouTube tutorials make some really beautiful hairstyles look super complicated and probably scare us away from even attempting them.. well, not any more.

Here are some Do's and Don'ts to take into consideration:

DO:

Try a twisty side-do with a couple curls or crown it with a braid



These hair styles are simple AND beautiful

DON'T:

This is just BAD. Styles like these make it seem like you can't make your mind. I know Lizzie McGuire probably did this in the 90's but lets leave it to the 90's.



Class of 2013

Reporter: Bunnie Radel

Another year has come and gone. Seniors are getting ready to say farewell to Shamokin Area High School. Whether you're going to college, starting a job, joining the military, or going to dig out a space in your parents' basement to stay, saying goodbye is always tough. Everyone says once they leave they'll never look back. Don't let yourself forget your roots. You can leave the Coal Region and act like this wasn't part of you for the last 18 years, but it will always be a part of you. There's nowhere else you will find so much pride when it comes to a football game that we lose year after year for a plastic bucket. All I'm saying is remember the good stuff. This town has character, and it is where you've met some of the most important people in your life.

As you're standing on the stage accepting your diploma, just remember your friends, the laughs you've had, and the stupid and pointless fights. Remember your life and be PROUD! You only get one chance to get this right. Don't regret anything. Leave this place with satisfaction. We made it guys. When we walked into this building six years ago, it felt like this would never come. But, here we are, on the edge of the rest of our lives with just a few months left to go. Take in the rest of the year, live it up, do things you normally wouldn't, step out of your shell, and leave your fear behind you.

To you underclassmen, take my advice; we've all been where you are right now, waiting with years to go, feeling like you have forever ahead of you. You don't, though, time will fly by. I know that sounds cliché, trust me, I used to hate hearing that. It's true, though. It won't be day to day, you won't realize it now. You won't realize it the first day of senior year, or during senior night, you won't realize it during all the parties or even during the hardcore meetings Mr. Venna will give you, lecturing you about getting senior things done and about graduation. One morning though, you will wake up and realize you are almost done and you're not ready. Don't give yourself the chance to have regrets. Don't look back and say, "I wish I would have done that." Do it now!

As for the seniors, this is it for us. Good luck class of 2013! It was fun growing up and becoming who we are now, together. This is the year of luck. Do it big and do it right. No regrets. Congratulations!

Jekyll and Hyde

Reporter: Angela Kinder



Jekyll & Hyde is a compelling story of one man’s drive to find a cure that can solve mankind’s most challenging medical dilemma. Turned down by all the higher power before him, and unable to experiment on a human subject, Jekyll takes matters into his own hands and decides to use himself. Due to his practice he accidentally unleashes his own inner demons, introducing the man we know as Mr. Edward Hyde.

Between balancing out his upcoming wedding with Miss Emma Carew, and his research, his experiment takes a turn for the worst and starts reoccurring on its own, leaving Jekyll no choice but to obey Hyde when he beckons. Paul Gurba, is portraying the complex role of Jekyll & Hyde and takes the audience through the journey of this gothic thriller. Along the way you meet Miss Lucy Harris, the main attraction at the ‘Red Rat’ who catches Jekyll’s attention. But he’s not the only man who is interested in her... Hyde eyes Lucy up as well later on which becomes the start of their own little ‘Dangerous Game’. In between transforming and trying to get the experiment under control, Jekyll leaves his poor fiancé, Emma, in a panic. At this point Dr. Jekyll hasn’t left his study in weeks and hasn’t seen the light of day nor the light of his life, Miss Carew. But he can’t bare to allow her to see him in his anguish. What will happen next?

On April 5th & 6th Shamokin Area put on their production of Jekyll & Hyde. (And did an amazing job!)

Meet The Cast!

- Paul Gurba
- Dr. Henry Jekyll | Mr. Edward Hyde – Senior
- Corey Levi
- John Utterson
- Jill Britton
- Emma Carew
- Angela Kinder
- Lucy Harris - Senior
- Cole Supsic
- Poole
- Molly Hasuga
- Nellie - Senior
- Tevin Gonzalez
- Bisset | Priest

Board of Governors

- Anthony Anonia
- Sir Danvers Carew - Senior
- Graeme Shappell
- General Glossop
- Katie Augustitus
- Lady Beaconsfield
- Theo Deptula
- Lord Savage - Senior
- Nick McWilliams
- Proops | Spider
- Richard Brown
- Mr. Stride
- Brady Haupt
- Bishop

Ensemble

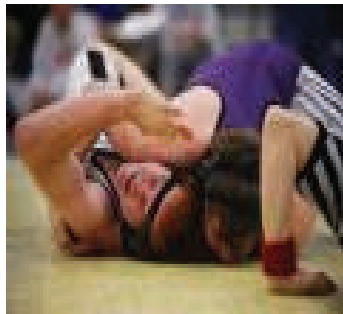
Jackie Augustitus	Jessica Schleg
Ashley Keiser	Jessica Wywadis
Katie Madara	Megan Goodrich
Leah Mirolli	Danielle Polidario
Jasmine Wagner	Elizabeth Bednar
Heather Elliot	Abbygailr Halderman
Sarah Purcell	Stephanie Dressler

Taking Care of Bizzness

Reporter: Theo Deptula

What does one imagine when thinking of a good, solid wrestler? Many wisenheimers picture John Cena slamming opponents with his signature move the “FU” while more knowledgeable people will picture Olympic champions such as Cael Sanderson or Jake Varner. There were many greats to come through Shamokin, and the next may be in our midst.

Zach “Bizz” Biddiscombe is a junior on the Shamokin Area Varsity wrestling team. He wrestles at 220 pounds and wrestled at 195 last season qualifying for the district tournament. During the regular season, Bizz was an animal! He pinned nearly every kid he wrestled with his nearly famous, “Bizz Dump.” The few times he did not win with a Bizz Dump, was because he had been taken down. But when Bizz ended up on the bottom, due to a takedown, he would turtle up and “Bizz Roll” his opponent.



Bizz is sneaky when he is on the mat. His plan is to make his adversary assume that Bizz is a scrub coming out on the mat. But when the opposition thinks he has overpowered him, BAM! The Bizz dumps the kid and POW his challenger is on his back pinned! His methods may be risky, but he has perfected his moves with the aid of his outstandingly flexible and strong hips and Bizz is currently the most successful wrestler on the team.

Bizz started the season slow, but was hot heading into sectionals.

In the semi-finals, Bizz dumped Kyle Fawver (Midd-West) for the fall in 1:06. Bizz took second in the tournament only losing to the eventual state runner-up Brandon Smith (Lewisburg). The loss did not matter because Bizz had qualified for the District 4 Wrestling Tournament. After a strenuous week of practice, Bizz had been equipped with the tools to make him successful at districts. Bizz dumped Robert Cook (Line Mountain) for the fall in 3:26 right out of the gate. Although he fought hard, Dylan Otis (Wyalusing) overpowered him in the second round losing by fall in 5:30. If Bizz wanted to qualify for regionals, he had to win. And that is exactly what he did. He dumped, fat-man rolled, and dumped some more to pin three straight kids to get to the third place match and a free trip to Regionals no matter the outcome. In the finals, Bizz lost to Eric McCracken (Central Columbia) by major decision 13-3.

Bizz had one more week of practice to prepare for one more tournament, and he was heading in to Regionals 24-10. Bizz was on a mission. At the beginning of the season, Coach Hockenbroch and Coach Rhodes had each wrestler set individual goals. Some kids wanted to earn a .500 win percentage while others just wanted to improve their wrestling skills. Bizz set the standard.



Two of his goals were to qualify for Regionals and to win 25 matches throughout the season. He has achieved the first, and now he must win to achieve the latter. Because of his fourth place finish at districts, Bizz was seeded seventh at Regionals facing the champion of District II at 220 pounds. Although he fought hard, Bizz lost 8-7 and now he had to win or go home. Bizz’s opposition in his next match was Kody Pachamovitch (Lake Lehman). Bizz was ready and he took care of Bizzness. He won in a fall of 1:13 and completed another goal. Bizz lost his rematch to McCracken, ending his season. Bizz had completed his goals for the season, but he had one more goal. Bizz’s next goal is to qualify for the State Tournament next season. Next year, Bizz is aiming for the state tournament.

Come out and support Bizz and the Varsity Wrestling team next year. And if you really think your tough, join the team and maybe, just maybe, Bizz will teach you the Bizz Dump.

Getting to Know the Student Teachers

Reporters: Amber Smith and Brad James



Miss Rhodes from Schwenksville, Pennsylvania is student teaching in Mrs. Williams's classroom. She attended Perkiomen Valley High School and now attends Bloomsburg University. I asked her why she wanted to become a teacher and her response was, "I love history! Also I wanted to impact students the way some of my teachers impacted me." I not only asked her about her school life but I also asked her about her personal life. Her hobbies include shopping, reading, and traveling. On her free time she enjoys watching "Friends". Miss Rhodes' favorite food is a cheesesteak hoagie and her favorite dessert is cheesecake. When it comes to music she likes every kind, especially country. The Philadelphia Phillies is her favorite sports team.

Miss Woy from Chambersburg, Pennsylvania is a student teaching for Mr. Major. She attends Bloomsburg University and is teaching 8th grade science and physics. In her free time she loves to play tennis. That is her favorite sport. Miss Woy is a fan of country music and the color purple. In high school, she attended Chambersburg Area. Her favorite food is chicken Parmesan and her favorite dessert is cheesecake.

Miss Pletschner is student teaching in Mrs. Kelchner's room. She is from Hatfield, Pennsylvania and went to North Penn high school. Miss Pletschner is currently attending Bloomsburg University. Her reason to become a teacher is because she really enjoys math. Some of her hobbies include dancing on the Bloomsburg dance team, hanging out with friends, and watching TV. Her favorite food is macaroni and cheese, and her favorite dessert is apple pie. She listens to every kind of music, except country.

Student teacher Mr. Oshman, in Mrs. Anderson's room, is from Elysburg, Pennsylvania. He attended Southern Columbia high school. He is now attending Bloomsburg University. In his spare time he enjoys weight lifting, video games, and writing. Mr. Oshman stated "I want to become a teacher because I want people to understand how beautiful life is and English is an inlet to that beauty to show that living life of "intensity" is possible." His favorite food is a cheeseburger and his favorite dessert is cookie cake. He likes the color midnight blue and his favorite TV show is "Death Note".

Student teacher Ms. Schlachter, in for Mr. Keller grew up in Long Island New York. She attended high school at John Glenn and is currently attending Bloomsburg University. She chose to be a teacher because she really likes working with people and watching them become successful. Ms. Schlachter is teaching 7th grade American History. Some of her favorite hobbies include going to hockey games, soccer games, football games, and just being outdoors in general. Her favorite foods are Buffalo wings and steak. Crème Brulee and black forest cake are her favorite desserts. She listens to any kind of music.

Mr. Shorter is a student teacher in for Mr. Cowder. He teaches Earth and Space Science. He is attending Bloomsburg University and attended high school at North Stafford in Virginia. He became a teacher because he wanted to help young people reach their goals. His favorite sports are football, baseball and golf and his favorite teams are the Philadelphia Eagles, Phillies, L.A Lakers and the Pittsburgh Penguins. Mr. Shorter likes 90's alternate music. His favorite food is Italian pasta and salad, and his favorite dessert is Carmel Apple Pie.



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