

carrier of the month Farmington



Tim Wight

This month's carrier is Tim Wight of Farmington Hills. The son of Gary and Mary Wight, he is an A- student at Power Middle School, where his favorite subject is algebra. He has one brother, Todd. His favorite hobbies are snow skiing, water skiing and football. He hopes to someday snow ski in the Olympics. Tim is a Life scout working on his Eagle badge.

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Computer team in top rankings

A math team of four math students from North Farmington High School placed in the top ten to win special honors in Computer Bowl IV, the University of Detroit's 1983 math-computer contest for students representing Greater Detroit and Windsor high schools. The team beat out 54 competitors.

Jon Greenberg, Mike Blackman, Kevin Hames and Suzi Moore comprised the North Farmington team, which competed in the final round of competition held Sunday, Feb. 20, on U-D's McNichols Campus.

For their outstanding achievement in the computer bowl, the North Farmington competitors each were awarded a trophy depicting the lamp of knowledge.

The annual contest is designed by U-D mathematics professors to motivate and stimulate high school students who have the aptitude to excel. It also gives the high schools a focal point for their math and computer science departments.

The battle for the championship of Computer Bowl VI began with preliminary rounds of competition held in January and early February. In each round, 63 competing teams were given four complex math problems to solve within three hours on the University's computer. The six teams that scored the highest in speed and accuracy of problem-solving and computer efficiency, plus eight runner-up teams, were invited back to compete in the finals and test their ability on more difficult math-computer problems.

Dr. Robert Kane, a U-D professor and co-director of the contest, praised all the teams selected as finalists in Computer Bowl VI.



Triumphant smiles cover the faces of the top-ten finishing team from North Farmington High School which recently competed in the Computer Bowl at the University of Detroit. They are, (from left) Jon Greenberg, Mike Blackman, Kevin Hames and Suzi Moore.

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