



**AWARD WINNING TEAM** — Pictured above are the staff of the "Alaska Native Magazine" produced by the ATS-6 Satellite Project. They are, left to right, Mark Badger, Kris Lentsh, Moses Wassilie, Richard Kahn, and Molly McCammon.  
—(UA photo).

## ATS-6 Communications Satellite Project Wins Award

**FAIRBANKS** — The ATS-6 Communications Satellite Project at KUAC-TV on the University of Alaska's Fairbanks campus won an award early this year from the National Education Association-Alaska.

The NEA's School Bell Award went to the project's "Alaska Native Magazine" entered in a category for a member of the media, a group, organization or

individual "making an outstanding contribution, through the use of public media, which advances the cause of education."

The NEA-Alaska presentation said, "The ATS-6 Project is especially commended for its 'Alaska Native Magazine' series which is transmitted live to seventeen Alaska cities and villages via satellite. One program

of the series dealt with rural native education in Alaska and is expected to be the first of several programs dealing with education."

The program winning award was produced by Moses Wassilie and directed by Dave Conyer. Writers were Kris Lentsh and Molly McCammon and cinematographers were Mark Badger and Richard Kahn.