

Native women at the Eskimo-Indian Olympics



A DECADE OF NO CHANGE – 1968 World Eskimo Indian Olympics Queen Audrey (Ambrose) Armstrong appeared very much like a current candidate for the title last weekend at the 1978 Olympics. With Audrey, above, is queens chairman Sarah Seeburger. Clockwise from Sarah and Audrey, others attending the games were Hannah, Solomon of Ft. Yukon, exhibiting her beadwork; Poldine Carlo, lighting the traditional moose-tallow lamp from a torch held by Peter Solomon; Kathleen Demoski, Galena, winning the women's greased pole walk, and (below) wiping the slippery stuff off her feet. Photographs copyright 1978 by Margaret Bauman.

