

Athletes make Native sports history in 1978

CHAMPIONS ALL in the Eskimo-Indian Olympic games, from top, right, clockwise; Robert Aiken, Barrow, left, wins with ease in the finger pull contest as Olympics chairman John Heffle, Sr. judges; Joshua Okpik, Jr., Barrow, receives a trophy and a kiss from Olympics queen Judy Ramos; Reggie Joule, of Kotzebue, prepares to jump in the one-foot high kick finals competition; David Ahsoak, Barrow, is on his way to a victory in the ear weight contest; and David Roberts, Jr., of Tanana, competes in the one-foot high kick finals, during which he broke the record previously established by Reggie Joule. All photographs copyright 1978 by Margaret Bauman.

