



This youngster put all he had into the stick pull during the Native Youth Olympics last weekend in Anchorage. For more pictures and a list of the winners, please turn to page 7.

Photo By BOB KOWELLAK



Two contestants in the neck pull tug at each other under the watchful eye of judge Willie Johnson.

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Sherri Fagerstrom, eventual winner, topples an opponent in the girls leg wrestling.

Photos by Bob Koweluk



Toppling over, the loser of a mens leg wrestling contest endures a brief moment of pain.

STICK PULL — BOYS' DIVISION: First Place, L.J. Davis from Bethel; second place, Michael Sellers of Anchorage; third place, Stacy Green from Nome Beltz; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** first place, Jonda Sleppy of Bethel, Adora Kingukuk of Sibunga, Sheila Schroeder of Dillingham.

LEG WRESTLING— BOYS' DIVISION: first, Jody Sleppy, Bethel; second, Mike Jerue, Anchorage; third, Mike Smith, Nome Beltz; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** First, Jonda Sleppy, Bethel; second, Ruby Chugie, Nome Beltz; third, Raebelle Smitton, Dillingham.

TOE KICK —BOYS' DIVISION: first, Louis Reich, Kotzebue; second, John Phillips, Jr., Kongiganak; third, Jason Polk, Bethel; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** first, Connie Vanis, Bethel; second, Tasha Chriellwaki, Mat-Su Valley; third, Raebelle Smitton, Dillingham.

KNEEL JUMP — BOYS' DIVISION: first, Gene Bethel, Bethel; second, John Phillips, Jr., Kongiganak; third, Richard Reich, Kotzebue; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** first, Kristi Pelin, Dillingham; second, Francie Morris, Bethel; third, Mary Anne Gory, Mat-Su Valley.

ONE-FOOT HIGH KICK—BOYS' DIVISION: first, Don Smith, Kotzebue; second, Waska Awalin, Anchorage, tie for third between Dan Wholchese, Galena, and Abner Hewley, Catalena; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** first, Carol Pickett, Anchorage; second, Louise Charles, Bethel; third, Shera Baillisteroff, Gateway.

TWO-FOOT HIGH KICK—BOYS' DIVISION: first, Waska Awalin, Anchorage; second, Robert Sherman, Nome Beltz; third, Peter Krauss, Dillingham; **GIRLS' DIVISION:** first, Carol Pickett, Anchorage.

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age; second, Francie Morris, Bethel; third, Jacqueline McIntyre, from Jekell in White Horse, B.C.

SEAL HOP — BOY'S DIVISION: first, John Andrews, Kongiganak; second, Robert Sherman, Nome Beltz; third, Peter Kraus, Dillingham; **GIRL'S DIVISION:** first, Becky Elliot, Bethel; second, Marlene Thurman, Galena; third, Renita Baffat, Nome Beltz.