Northway student selected for teenage scholarship contest

Kerry Rose Maher, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry J. Maher of Northway, Alaska, has been selected to be a finalist in the 1996 Alaska National Teen-Ager Scholarship Program. The contest will be held in the Kenai Central High School Auditorium in Kenai June 7-8.

There will be a winner and runnersup in two age divisions: 13-15 for the Junior Division and 16-18 for the Senior Division.

The winner in each division will receive a \$1,000 cash scholarship and an allexpenses paid trip to Opryland USA in Nashville, Tenn., for competition in the National Teen-Ager contest. The state program awards over \$50,000 in tuition scholarships from various universities every year.

Each contestant accepted has the option to participate in the Volunteer Community Service Program of America's National Teen-Ager. This program teaches teenagers to share and to participate in school and civic activities. Students will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, personality and individuality. Talent may be presented at the option of the participant or an oral essay on the subject of "What's Right About America."

Maher is being sponsored by Tanana Chiefs Conference, Northway Natives, Inc., Doyon, Ltd., Universal Approach, and the Doyon Foundation.