

Faeo cops sno-go race

KOTZEBUE — John Faeo of Anchorage travelled above the Arctic Circle to claim the championship in the Archie Ferguson, Willie Goodwin Memorial Sno-go Race which is held entirely above the Arctic Circle. The race covers some 250 miles from Kotzebue - Noorvik - Selawik - Kiana - Noorvik - Kotzebue all in one day.

According to Vince Schuerch of Kiana, who sponsored several racers in the race, Faeo took home \$2,300 in prize money for his first place finish. The first place finisher in each of the three divisions took home \$1,300, second place won \$700, third paid \$500, fourth \$300, and \$150 went to each fifth place finisher. In addition to winning first place in his division, Faeo won the \$1,000 prize

for the best overall time.

There were three classes in the race: A-class 0-300 cc; B-class 300-350 cc; and C-class 350 cc and up. The A-class winner was PeeWee Stahlie of Kiana who completed the 250 miles in a time of 4 hours, 9 minutes and 49 seconds. The B-class champion was John Schaeffer Jr. the son of NANA Regional Corporation President John Sr., who finished in a time of 3 hours, 34 minutes and 40 seconds. A total of 75 racers entered the event.

A-class Money Winners

- | | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| 1 PeeWee Stahlie, Kiana | 4:09.49 |
| 2 Rich Wells, Noorvik | 4:15.12 |
| 3 Bruce Morgan, Nome | 4:19.06 |
| 4 Mike West, Nome | 4:19.15 |
| 5 Art Jessup, Kotzebue | 4:23.40 |

B-class

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 1 John Faeo, Anch. | 3:24.15 |
| 2 Andy Miller, Nome | 3:32.17 |
| 3 Langford Adams, Nelsons
Camp | 3:41.43 |
| 4 Kenny Stein, Kotzebue | 3:46.03 |

- | | |
|----------------------|---------|
| 5 Mike Lee, Kotzebue | 3:46.53 |
|----------------------|---------|

C-class

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| 1 John Schaeffer Jr. | 3:34.40 |
| 2 Jim Wilke, Nome | 3:43.50 |
| 3 Elmer Brown, Kotzebue | 3:46.24 |
| 4 Chris Lee, Kotzebue | 3:48.04 |
| 5 Elmer Armstrong, Kotzebue | 4:01.36 |