

Scholarship winners in concert Sunday

Monitor Staff Report

This year's Deborah Beene Music Scholarship first place winner is Genevieve Leitner, playing the guitar. Leitner was awarded \$1,000. She played Etude No. 6 by Leo Brouwer, An Malvina by Johann Kaspar Mertz, and Lagrima by Joao Pernambuco. She has studied classical guitar for almost four years, and plans to study again this summer at the Killington Music Festival in Vermont. She has been invited to study in Italy next year.

Kristen Sussman, alto, was awarded the second place prize of \$400. Accompanied by Sarah Kelly on the piano, she sang He Was Despised by Handel. Sussman has studied voice with Karolyn Coulter for five years, and presently sings with the Los Alamos High School Encore Choir.

Two third prizes of \$200 each were awarded to Dan Nebel and Frank Chen.

Accompanied by Ann Rasmussen, Nebel played French horn, performing the Horn Concerto No. 2 by Mozart. He has studied the French horn with Karole Felts for seven years. He plays with the Los Alamos High School Band Wind Ensemble as well as with the Los Alamos Community Winds. Nebel plans to attend the International Horn Symposium in Indiana this summer.

Frank Chen on the piano played Ballade Op. 46 by Samuel Barber. Frank has studied piano for seven years with Lynn Lamb. He hopes to attend a music camp in California this summer.

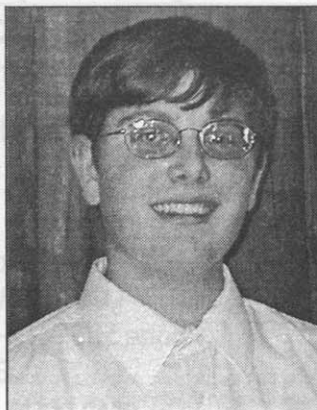
The Los Alamos Rotary Club sponsors the Deborah Beene Music Scholarship competition annually. Sarah and Donald Beene established the Scholarship in 1973 by in loving memory of their daughter Deborah, a promising musician who died in 1972. An endowment, along with contributions by the Los Alamos National Bank, the Los Alamos Rotary Club, and individual contributions comprise the award funds. This year's competition was held in May.

A free recital will be held at Fuller Lodge at 3 p.m. Sunday. The public is invited to attend to hear these talented young musicians and other previous winners of the competition. Light refreshments will be served.

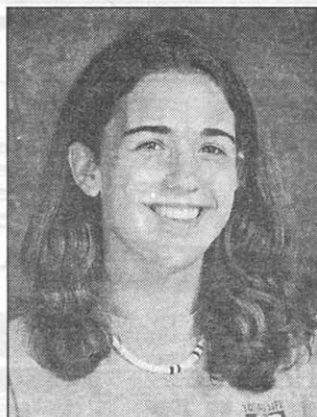
Ed Van Eeckhout and Brian Newnam are organizers of the competition and the recital. Persons interested in contributing to the scholarship fund may contact Van Eeckhout at 662-5445.



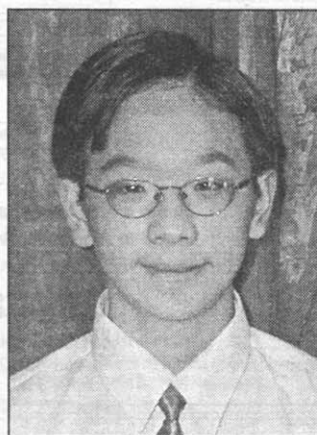
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