

Opening Day!!!

Photos by Bruce Chapman

Although the temperature was cool on opening day, the competition in Twin City Little League action was hot all day long.



A&T engineering team participats in racing series at Charlotte Speedway



Members of the A&T racing team pose for a picture inside Charlotte Motor Speedway.

A team of seven mechanical engineering students at North Carolina A&T State Univ. recently took part in the second National Collegiate Association for Racing exhibition race at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

NCAR is a new intercollegiate auto racing series by colleges of engineering that couples sports with academics. A&T was among 25 schools invited by Charlotte Motor Speedway president H.A. "Humpty" Wheeler to

a May summit at which NCAR was conceived.

Five schools - Duke Univ., North Carolina State, UNC-Charlotte, the Univ. of South Carolina, and the Univ. of Tennessee - participated in the first exhibition race last July. A&T and the University of Virginia were later added.

The teams race Legends cars, manufactured by 600 Racing. The company donated a car to A&T and other schools partici-

pating in the exhibition races. The cars cost \$12,000 each.

The A&T team finished second and fourth during two races at the exhibition in Charlotte on March 28. A&T's team was also scheduled to participate in the third NCAR race at Raleigh's Wake County Speedway last Friday (April 17).

Dr. David E. Klett, an A&T professor of mechanical engineering, is the advisor for the A&T team.



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