

one important and somewhat unexpected aspect of the examination has been to indicate to us that our present policy of offering several different calculus courses at different levels is worthwhile. It is quite clear that the mathematical talent of the students in the various courses fits in a rather general way our conception of the purpose of these courses. In closing, please note that we did not test our incoming honor students with this examination; we will be testing them next year for comparison.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF SUPPORT FOR SPECIAL PROJECTS

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The Mathematics Education Trust has been established by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics to provide funds for special projects that would enhance the teaching and learning of mathematics beyond the regular activities of NCTM. These projects may include, but are not restricted to, special conferences, the publication of certain monographs, consultants for teachers, lecturers for students, awards for scholars in residence, exchange teachers, special centers, and research. Projects that are unusual, creative, and adventuresome are encouraged. Selecting appropriate projects and monitoring the progress of funded projects are among the responsibilities of a five-member Mathematics Education Trust Committee appointed by the NCTM President with the approval of the Board of Directors.

The first deadline for the submission of proposals for projects to begin during the period 1 September 1977 through 31 August 1978 is 1 July 1977. Deadlines for projects to begin at a later date are 1 September 1977 and 1 March 1978.

Further information and applications/guidelines for project proposals (not to exceed \$3,000) may be secured from Mathematics Education Trust, National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 1906 Association Drive, Reston, VA 22091.

NEWFOUNDLAND "NAME-OF-SITE" CONFERENCE

The Mathematics Council of Newfoundland is holding a "name-of-site" conference July 20 to 23, 1977, with NCTM as co-host.

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