2016-17 NATIONAL NOMINATIONS GRAND PRIX

FINAL POINTS STANDINGS

-- March 19, 2017 --

Denker Tournament of High School Champions

*Jithu Sajeevan, Bristol Central High	16 (9.5/9)
*Evan Wood, Journalism & Media Academy (W. Hartford)	15 (10.0/8)
*Matthew Hochberg, Greens Farms Academy (Fairfield)	8(7.5/5)
+Zachary Tanenbaum, Greenwich High	8 (4.0/4)
Dennis Li, Greenwich High	8 (3.5/3)
Paul Castillo, Amistad High (New Haven)	2(0.0/0)
Kailash Kalyanasundaram, Farmington High	1 (2.0/2)
Anjaniece Wilson, Amistad High (New Haven)	1 (0.0/0)
Revanth Chandramohan, Avon High School	1(0.0/0)

NOTE: CT State High School Champion Runner Up is Yoon-Young Kim, Hopkins School (New Haven).

Barber Tournament of K-8 Champions

*Samuel Lumelsky, King Philip Middle (W. Hartford)	13 (11.0/10)
*Beatrice Low, Greenwich Academy (Westport)	12 (10.5/10)
+Brian Weisz, Coleytown Middle (Westport)	
+Robert Ulmer, Brunswick School (Greenwich)	
^Ruthvik Ayyagari, Breakthrough Magnet (Rocky Hill)	12 (9.0/7)
Richard Zhu, West Woods Elementary (Farmington)	8 (5.5/4)
Daniel Zhou, Mansfield Middle School	5 (7.5/7)
Dhanush Kalangi, Griswold Middle (Rocky Hill)	4 (8.5/6)
Shriniket Sivakumar, Windermere Intermediate (Ellington)	3 (9.0/8)
Daniel Hoffman, Addams Middle (Guilford)	2 (6.0/5)
Niteesh Kalangi, Griswold Middle (Rocky Hill)	1 (7.5/5)

NOTE: CT State Elementary School Champion Runner Up is William Ewald, Brunswick School (Greenwich).

National Girls' Tournament of Champions

+Beatrice Low, Greenwich Academy (Westport)	32 (10.5/10)
*^Ann Song, East Farms Elementary (Farmington)	14 (7.0/6)
*Suma Dendi, Betances STEM Magnet (Rocky Hill)	7 (3.5/2)
*Shesh Budhabhatti, West Hill Elementary (Rocky Hill)	4 (2.0/1)
Anjaniece Wilson, Amistad High School (New Haven)	2(0.0/0)
Akshita Ashokkumar, Squadron Line Elem. (Simsbury)	1 (0.0/0)

^{*} Clinched NNGP selection for Candidates' Tournament on April 30, 2017.

<u>NOTE</u>: Because all national invitational events are played simultaneously, Beatrice Low, having placed in both the Barber and NGTC Candidates' selection, will choose whether she will participate in Barber or NGTC sections of the National Nominations Candidates' Tournament on April 30. Based on that choice, a substitute candidate will be picked for the Barber or the NGTC based on the rules of the Candidates' Tournament.

<u>Standings format</u>: "NNGP points (points scored/wins scored)". Players receiving NNGP points who did not participate in NNGP K-12 open section cannot apply their points and wins to tie breaks.

Top three finishers in Denker and NGTC and top two in Barber qualify for Connecticut National Nominations Candidates Tournament on April 30, 2017 at the University of New Haven.

Candidates may only participate in one of the three national categories.

<u>Tie break format</u>: If there is a tie in Grand Prix points for one or more Candidate slots, the following tie breaks will be applied in the following order:

- (1) Most total NNGP game wins scored;
- (2) Most total NNGP game points scored;
- (3) Highest average rating of NNGP opponents over 16 NNGP matches, exempting involuntary byes;
- (4) Highest rating at the conclusion of Leg 4 of NNGP.

⁺ Receives automatic selection for Candidates' Tournament as State Champion: Girls', High, Middle and Elementary.

[^] State Championship Runner Up. Receives selection if Champion declines or otherwise unable to participate.