Nine local athletes qualify

Nine athletes from the Nipawin Special Olympics Track and Field team have been chosen to compete for zone 8 at the Provincial Summer Developmental Games in Yorkton June 17-19.

The athletes qualified for the summer games at a meet in Prince Albert recently.

Four Nipawin athletes won nothing but first place medals at the P.A. meet. Billy Wiens, Bill McLean and Elaine Wallace all placed first in four events while Ed Wallace won three.

Some of the events they

participated in were 50 metre run, 100 metres, 200 metres, shot put, softball throw, standing long jump and the running long jump.

Also attending the P.A. meet which attracted 80 athletes was Jerry Anderson of

Nipawin.



Among athletes attending a zone Special Olympics in P.A. were, back from left, Peter Merasty, Randy Head, Sharon Kerr, Troy Monych, Matthew Eniew, Dennis Dmyterko, Shirley Vankoughnett, Donna Lehman (coach), Elaine Wallace, Ed Wallace Sr., Eugene Wallace, Bill McLean; front from left, Kerry Schreiner (coach), Dave Shewchuk (coach), Billy Wiens, Gary McKay, Garry Pearson, Ross McClintick and Willie McClintick.