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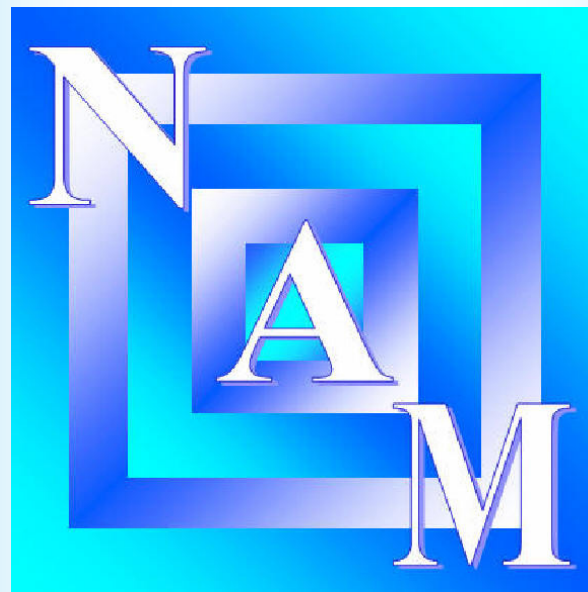
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November 8-9, 2013

Friday, November 8, 2013
Texas State University
Alkek Library, Room 106
& Derrick Hall, 3rd floor

Saturday, November 9, 2013
Texas State University
Derrick Hall, Room 330

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

Registration & Breakfast

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

Breakfast on your own

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM

Greetings & Conference Orientation

The National Association of Mathematicians

Dr. Nathaniel Dean, President

Dr. Leon Woodson, Executive Secretary

9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Student Presentations

Alice Curtis, Belmont University

Angela Gaetano, Belmont University

Derrick Jones, Mississippi Valley State University

Edrika Thigpen, Mississippi Valley State
University

9:15 AM - 10:45 AM

Faculty Presentations

Dr. Sharon Strickland (9:15)

Math and Aesthetics: More than Meets the Eye

Dr. Eugene Curtin (9:45)

Visualization With Rubik's Cube

Dr. Samuel Obara (10:15)

Pascal's Triangle Exploration

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Lunch

10:45 AM - 11:00 AM

Registration

Reconvene in Derrick Hall

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM

Awards & Closing Remarks

Dr. Nathaniel Dean, President

National Association of Mathematicians

Dr. Leon Woodson, Executive Secretary

National Association of Mathematicians

11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Graduate Mathematics Open House

*Greetings from Dr. Stephen B. Seidman, Dean
of the College of Science and Engineering*

Derrick Hall

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Return to the hotel, if needed

6:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Transportation from the hotel back to
Texas State for dinner

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

**Undergraduate MATHFest XXIII
Appreciation Dinner**

Joni Schneider

Talk Math 2 Me

Dr. Nathaniel Dean

Mathworks Honors Summer Math Camp

Dr. Leon Woodson

Spotlight on Mathematicians

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