



Last year's Arran-Tara Fall Fair Queen, Charlene Herron, hugs this year's winner, Cindy Tedford, after the announcement was made.

Arran-Tara Fall Fair book cover contest



The winners in the 1988 Arran-Tara Fall Fair bookcover contest. Left to right are: Jason MacAloney (first), Shelley Byers (second) and Cheryl Hammell (third).

Cindy Tedford 1988-89 Fair Queen

On Saturday night Cindy Tedford became the 16th annual Arran-Tara Fall Fair Queen.

At 11 p.m. before approximately 120 at the Arran-Tara Fall Fair dinner-dance last year's queen, Charlene Herron, presented Tedford with the crown and sash identifying her as the 1988 Fall Fair Queen. First runner-up in the pageant is Susan Dolphin, who is the daughter of Stan and Dawn Dolphin. The second runner-up and Miss Congeniality is Debbie Hodge.

Tedford was a last minute addition to the pageant. She decided to enter last Thursday.

"I was supposed to go to a wedding," Cindy told the audience at the dance during a speech after it was announced that she had won. "I'm glad I changed my mind and came here. Thanks and I'll see you all at

the fair."

Cindy, the daughter of Barry and Carolyn Tedford of RR1 Dobbinton, is a grade 12 student at Chesley District Secondary School. After completing high school she plans to learn to be a dental assistant or dental hygienist at a community college.

"I used to wear braces," she explained. "I went to the dentist a lot and used to find it fascinating."

The participants: Tedford, Dolphin, Hodge, Tammy Brough, Robin Donaldson and Laurie Cortan were judged earlier in the day. The judges: Trudy Pearson, Program Chairman for the Southampton Festival Theatre; Valerie Deacon, Project Manager for the Grey-Bruce Tourism Association; and Frank Deacon, an electrical engineer with Edwards of Canada, evaluated the girls

on their charm with personal interview sessions.

After the judging the girls were served dinner by the lady directors of the Arran-Tara agricultural society.

After the crowning

ceremony the final \$999 draw was made by committee members Howard Tedford and Bob Alpaugh. The lucky winners are Howard and Hazel Nickason of RR2 Tara.