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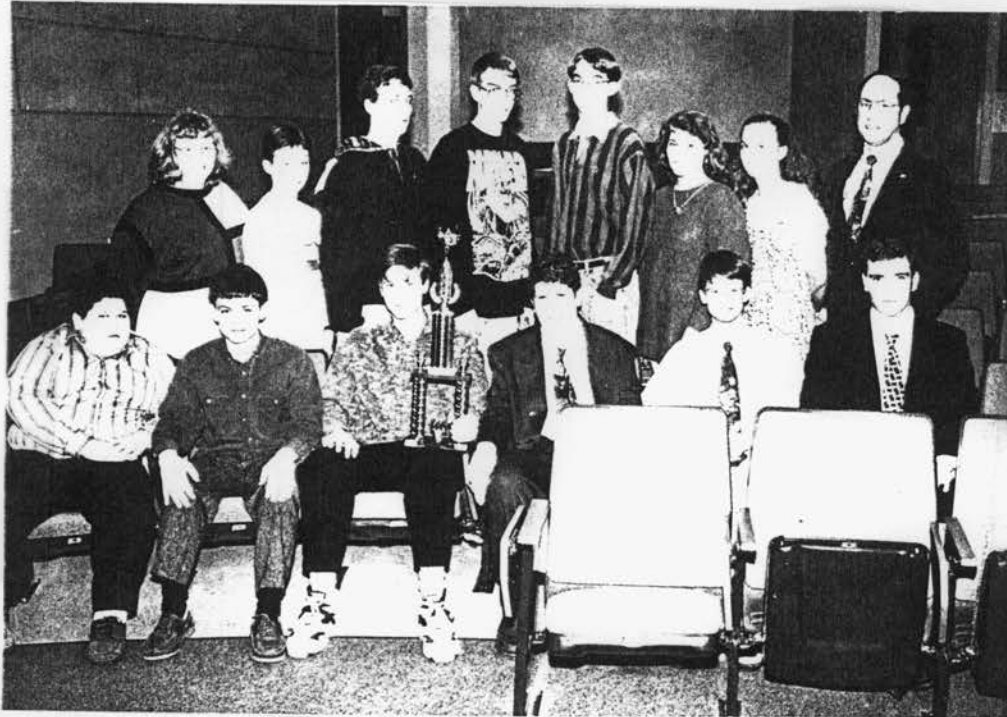
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Cumberland Wins Again

Cumberland High School won the tenth annual Eastern Illinois University Honors Programs Scholastic Bowl Tournament on February 4, 1995. Cumberland, which had won the previous year's competition, once again finished with a record of 7-0.

The tournament is comprised of 20 area high school teams competing in round robin play, with the top 10 teams advancing to the final five rounds. During each round, teams are asked various questions covering such topics as mathematics, various sciences, history, fine arts, and current events, making knowledge and speed essential. For each correctly answered toss-up question, ten points are awarded along with the opportunity to answer a twenty point bonus question.

In addition to team awards, a MVP award is given to the individual player with the highest average of correctly answered toss-up questions in the first three rounds. This year's MVP was Jessica Munds from Clinton High School. Second place MVP went to Sullivan's Tony Armstrong, and a tie for third place existed between Charleston's Todd Wahlrabe and Cumberland's Ron Warfel.

The overall tournament standings were as follows: second place--Sullivan, third place--Mattoon, fourth place--Shelbyville, fifth place--Neoga, and consolation winner--Mt. Zion. Cumberland High School is now eligible to advance to the state scholastic bowl competition to be held later this year.

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