



Mini-Ohio Focus

A Pictorial Review of the Spring 2009 Meeting of the Ohio Section of the MAA

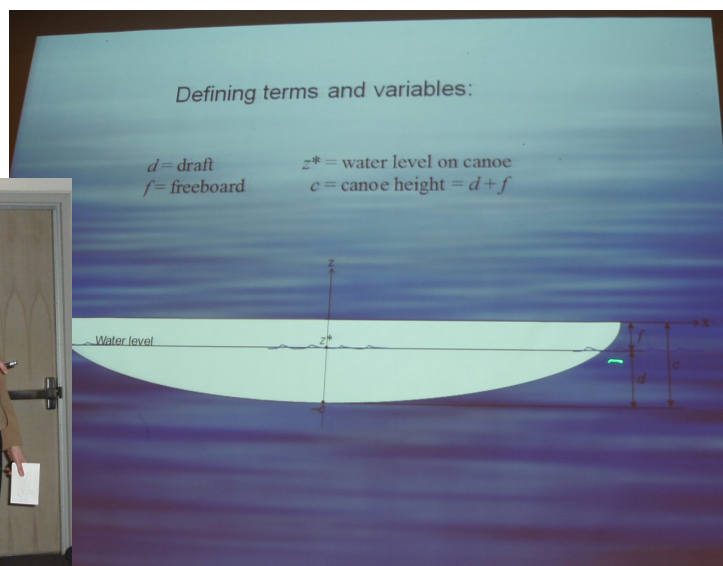
The spring Ohio Section meeting was held April 3-4 at Bowling Green State University.



Fred Rickey, of the U.S. Military Academy, presented the opening address, "Jared Mansfield: Ohio's First Mathematician."



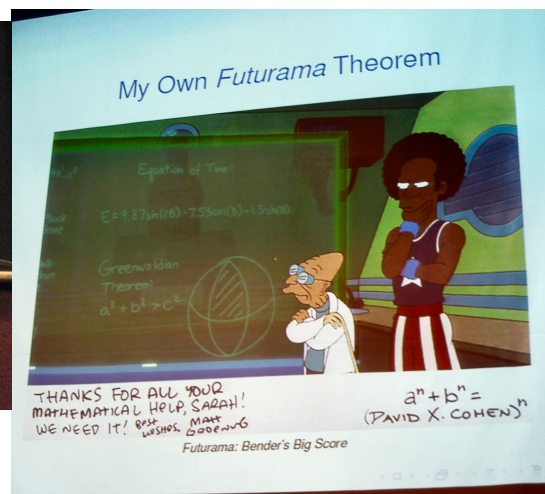
Also on Friday, Vickie Van Dresar from Ashland University gave the Retiring President's Address, "Canoe Do Math?"





All of the meeting activities were in Olscamp Hall and the Bowen Thompson Student Union.

The first address on Saturday morning was "Good News Everyone! Mathematical Morsels From *The Simpsons* and *Futurama*," presented by Sarah Greenwald from Appalachian State University.



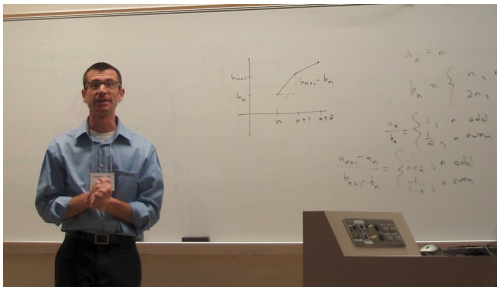
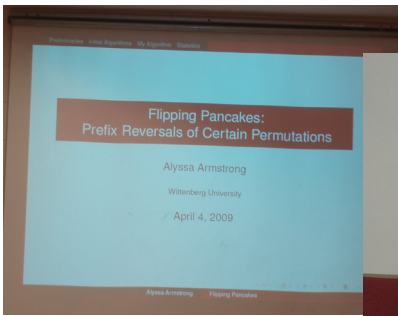
Team 2 from Case Western Reserve University won the Student Team Competition. Their prize was awarded on Saturday morning.



Keith Devlin of Stanford University presented the after-dinner address, "Street Mathematics: and What We Can Learn From It," on Friday evening. He presented "When Mathematics Changed Us" on Saturday morning.



At the conclusion of the meeting, outgoing Section president Vickie Van Dresar congratulated incoming Section president Mark Miller, from Marietta College.



There were 64 contributed papers, many presented by students.

