

## Solutions #5 Bergen County Math League 2019–2020

- 5–1. The semi-perimeter of the triangle is  $\frac{1}{2}(15 + 14 + 13) = 21$ , so Heron's formula gives the area as  $\sqrt{21(21 15)(21 14)(21 13)} = \sqrt{7056} = 84$ .
- 5–2. There are a total of  $\binom{24}{2} = 276$  handshakes divided among 12 pairs of simultaneous handshakes, so they require  $\frac{276}{12} \cdot 30 = 690$  seconds.

5-3. 
$$f(x) = f(2(\frac{x}{2})) = (\frac{x}{2})^2 - \frac{x}{2} + 3.$$

5-4.



 $\triangle ABC$  is equilateral with area  $\sqrt{3}$ . Sector ABC is  $\frac{1}{6}$  of a circle with area  $4\pi$ , so its area is  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ . Therefore, the area of segment AC is  $\frac{2\pi}{3} - \sqrt{3}$ . Finally, the desired area is

$$2\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\cdot\sqrt{3}\right) + \sqrt{3} = \frac{4\pi}{3} - \sqrt{3}$$

		Ace won		Flash won		Speedy won	
		Claim 1	Claim $2$	Claim 1	Claim $2$	Claim 1	Claim $2$
5 - 5.	Ace	F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т
	Flash	F	F	Т	F	Т	Т
	Speedy	Т	Т	Т	F	Т	F

The only scenario in which the truth claims follow the pattern indicated is the one in which Ace won.

5–6.  $1000001 = 10^6 + 1 = (10^2)^3 + 1^3$ . Now  $x^3 + y^3$  has x + y as a factor, so one of the factors is 101. Divide to find the other factor.