

# Scholastic Superstar: Jeffrey Rable, North Pocono High School

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Meet Jeffrey Rable . . .

School: North Pocono High School

Parents: George and Mary Rable

Plans: Attend the University of Maryland Honors College to major in physics or mathematics

Not many high school students can say they created an iPhone app by the time they graduated.

Jeffrey Rable is among those who can.

The creation of his game, Tiki Attack, shouldn't be surprising, considering Jeffrey's aspirations involve in-depth math and physics; but the game was just a hobby, something to do. And, he

said, "On the rare occasion that it gets brought up in conversation, it seems to surprise people. ..."

Jeffrey aspires to be a theoretical physicist, which he hopes to accomplish after he heads to the University of Maryland Honors College in the fall.

"I just like to know how things work, and what's more basic than the universe itself?" Jeffrey, 18, said.

A member of the North Pocono Science Olympiad team, Jeffrey looks up to renowned scientists like Dr. Michio Kaku, an author and major contributor to the world of physics.

He hopes to earn a doctoral degree in physics and looks forward to the freedom a college atmosphere provides.

"I'm really excited about college itself and I'm excited to not spend seven consecutive hours in school," North Pocono's class of 2012 valedictorian said with a chuckle.

He also enjoys playing tennis, skiing, playing the piano and practicing Tang Soo Do, in which he holds a black belt.

"When I only have a little bit of time, I like to sit down and play piano for a bit," Jeffrey said, adding, "However, when I have more time, I like to develop games for the computer and iPhone."