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The winners were presented with prizes.

Two soldiers held for man's death

THE police have arrested two soldiers for allegedly beating a civilian to death.

Lance Corporal Peter and Private Uche of the Nigerian Army School of Finance (NASFA), Apapa, Lagos, are being detained at the Federal Special Anti-Robbery Squad (FSARS) in Ikeja.

They were arrested on June

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24 by officers of the Ajeromi Police Division in Ajegunle.

The suspects were said to have attacked the civilian for beating up their colleague's brother whose name was simply given as Raymond.

A source said: "On getting to the spot, they found out that Raymond was badly beaten

and they clamped on his opponent. They beat the man until he died and then, they went to the police station to make an entry as though they didn't know he had died.

"It was while they were at the police station that people in the neighbourhood came there to report that the soldiers killed a man during a fight.

"It turned out it was the

same case they had come to report and so, the Divisional Police Officer (DPO) said they should not leave while he went to the scene to know what happened.

"He got there and saw the body of the victim. He evacuated it to the mortuary and then detained the soldiers. They have been transferred to FSARS."