



Christian Bernardo, 9, (left photo) makes his attempt at a basket during the Knights of Columbus Basketball Free Throw Championships last Saturday at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School. He finished third. In above photo, MP John Oliver, MPP Kevin Flynn, Mayor Rob Burton and Councillor Ray Chisholm congratulate Superintendent Tim Overholt on sinking the first (and only) basket for the dignitaries on hand. | photo by Nikki Wesley – Burlington Post

Knights of Columbus free throw competition draws kids ages 9-14

Winners and runners-up at last weekend's Knights of Columbus Basketball Free Throw Championship in Oakville will get right back to the line tomorrow for the district championships in Burlington.

The event, held at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School, featured 138 boys and girls ages 9-14, many of whom won school competitions to advance to Saturday's affair.

“We had amazing participation from over 90 per cent of our Catholic elementary and secondary schools throughout the Oakville area,” said Andrew Eckstein of the Knights of Columbus.

On hand to support the event were local MP John Oliver, MPP Kevin Flynn, Mayor Rob Burton, Halton Catholic District School Board Superintendent Tim Overholt, Oakville councillor Ray Chisholm and K of C district deputy Steve Reynolds.

The competition also included Special Olympics kids sinking baskets. Those results will be published when they're available.

The top two shooters from each of the 10 divisions will head to Corpus Christi Catholic Secondary School tomorrow (Friday) in Burlington in the next step of a competition that eventually determines North American champions.

More photos of the event can be found at bit.ly/211u2SZ.

Winners and runners-up from each of 10 divisions of the K of C free throw event are listed below. They advance to tomorrow's district championships at Burlington's Corpus Christi Secondary School

GIRLS				BOYS			
Place	Name	Age	School	Place	Name	Age	School
1.	Laura Piroli	9	St. Matthew	1.	David Andrews	9	St. Marguerite d'Youville
2.	Isabella Amelie Suarez	9	St. Joan of Arc	2.	Reed MacDonald	9	St. Matthew
1.	Clarissa Isaxell	10	Mother Teresa	1.	Lucas Yacob Ordones	10	St. Gregory the Great
2.	Sarah Gouldby	10	St. James	2.	Daniel Lu	10	St. Andrew
1.	Makaila Melhuish	11	St. Marguerite d'Youville	1.	Malcom Malaxi	11	St. John
2.	Bianca Halasz	11	St. Andrew	2.	Daniel Perez	11	St. Joan of Arc
1.	Brianna Campbell	12	St. Gregory the Great	1.	Manual Henrique De Jesus	12	St. Marguerite d'Youville
2.	Alicia Pistilli Gadea	12	St. Matthew	2.	Mateo Canizalez	12	St. Joseph
1.	Kyiana Lawrence	13	St. James	1.	Sean Higgins	13	St. Vincent
2.	Veronica Martins	13	St. Joan of Arc	2.	James Kirkwood	13	St. James
1.	Joanna Pepa	14	St. Thomas Aquinas	1.	Aidan Mathew	14	St. Thomas Aquinas
2.	Gabriella Rizzuto	14	Iroquois Ridge	2.	Diego Arabit	14	Holy Trinity

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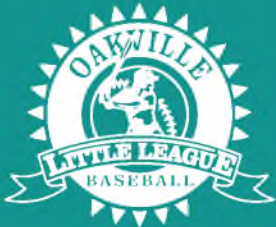
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