

Adrienne Kovacs wins Legion award

Adrienne Kovacs received the Legion Award for the highest marks of the grade 8 graduating class at McKenzie-Smith Middle School last week. She completed the grade with 91.9 per cent.

Clinton McMillan and Chris Grimes were the recipients of the Lakeside IODE award for most improved boy and girl, and Tammy Forbes won the Norma Silcock Citizenship Award.

Troy Nolan and Tammy Corkum each won a McKenzie-Smith Bursary and Tony Walton took home the Gary Dawkins Attendance Award.

Cyril Nibbs and Susan Craig each won the top boy and girl athlete.

Subject award winners were: English and Music, Shannon Johnston; Mathematics, Social Science and Science, Adrienne Kovacs; French, Kim Griggs; Art, Tracey Whigglesworth; Family Studies, Paul Kilpatrick; Industrial Arts, Mary Courtney; Phys. Ed., Susan Craig.

Recipients of Large Letters were Tammy Corkum, Paul Kilpatrick, Kelly Harrison, Cyril Nibbs, Adrienne Kovacs, Shannon Johnston, Carolyn Sewell, Troy Nolan, Tracey Whigglesworth and Karie Gudgeon.

Small Letter recipients are: Teri-Lyn Barclay Smith, Marnel Maddeux, Alex Tillet, Stacy Hillier, Angela Hunter, Kim Griggs, Tammy Mairs, Rob McFarland, Steve Morris, Tony Walton, Nancy Norton, Kelly Barefoot, Cathy O'Leary, Robert Foster, Mike Uranic, Tina McFadden, Ann Gardener, Lisa Bugala, Tammy Scott, Becky Stansbury, Linda Bottero, Trev Mason, Ray Authier, Darryl Bartlett, Carl Yaroschak, Susan Craig, Mike Bowers, David Haynes, Peter Cargill, Marla Brillinger and Franice Kolozsvari.

Graduates from Grade 7, Rob Nisner and Heidi West

Class 81: Ray Authier, Doug Crighton, Jack Fellows, Ann Gardener, Ernie Harrier, Cathy Harris, Bruce Hepburn, Steve House, Lillian Hubbard, Susan Kerk, Jeff Knappman, Tim Laing, Greg Landault, Robbie Leppard, Marnel Maddeux, Tina McFadden, Joanne McFadden, Paul McLellan, Danny McLeod, Suzanne Melton, Ken Norton, Nancy Norton, Cathy O'Leary, Kim O'Rourke, Steve Parker, Rick Quasha, Lisa Serritt, Peter Stevens, Wanda Tison, Richard Voshamp, Shane Wuders.

Class 82: Lynne Atkinson, Alice Blaser, Mike Bowers, Marla Brullinger, Lisa Bugala, Peter Cargill, Suzanne Chanson, Tammy Corkum, Per Finkler, Gillian Fryers, Chris Grimes, Karie Gudgeon, Mike Hahn, Dave Hayward, Stacy Hillier, Paul Kilpatrick, Franice Kolozsvari, Emanuel Kruticos, Trevlyn Mason, Lesley Matheson, Rob McFarland, Clinton McMillan, Darwin Neault, Scott Neils, Todd Nelia, Tammy Scott, Hebeera Stansbury, Kevin Toal, Dale Thomson, Mike Vranco, Brenda Worthman, Tracey Whigglesworth, Carl Yaroschak.

Class 83: Brett Auger, Mike Baker, Teri-Lyn Barclay

Smith, Kelly Barefoot, Darryl Bartlett, Sherry Burke, Susan Craig, Sharon Dear, Tanya Fielder, Susan Fisher, Robert Foster, Kimberly Griggs, Lisa Halladay, David Haynes, Angela Hunter, Robert Jennings, Darryl Johnston, Shannon Johnston, Adrienne Kovacs, Cindy Kyeby, Tammy Mairs, Geoffrey Malby, Marilyn Martin, Teri Miller, Steve Morris, Cyril Nibbs, Troy Nolan, Chris Paterson, Carolyn Sewell, Tara Waller, Kathy Wears, Lee Yaroschak, Derek Young.

Class 84: Julia Ball, Ron Barker, Cheryl Beckingham, Linda Bottero, Kim Bouclair, Tammy Calver, Mary Courtney, Jane DeLouse, Tammy Forbes, Tammy Foster, Dean George, Chris Grahame, Kelly Harrison, Karen Jordan, Christa Lawson, Elizabeth Lightie, David Madal, Duff McGilivray, Donald Munro, Tracey Oakley, Jeff Ogden, Martin Pohara, Mike Peters, Ron Robinson, Lesley Swaden, Jeffrey Scott, Gordon Taitfer, Lisa Thomas, Alex Tillet, Anthony Walton, Lisa Waterhouse, Diane Wears, Philip Wedge.



McKenzie-Smith award winners from their graduation ceremonies held recently were: sitting, left to right: Tammy Forbes, Tammy Corkum, Troy Nolan, and Adrienne Kovacs. Standing: Christine Grimes, Clinton McMillan, Susan Craig, Cyril Nibbs, Anthony Walton.



Special award winners at St. Joseph's Separate School grade 8 graduation ceremonies Wednesday evening were: front row, left to right, Liz McGrath, Kim Papillon, Julie McAuley and Victor Hinojosa; back row, valedictorian Julie Munkacs, Brett Carachi, Joanne Porter and Nicki Zmija.

First graduation class departs St. Joseph's

Brett Carachi and Joanne Porter were named top male and female students at the St. Joseph's School grade 8 graduation Wednesday evening.

It was the first class to graduate from the new school.

J. Dunn, of the Knights of Columbus presented Brett with his award, and M. Dickinson of the Catholic Women's League presented Joanne's.

Julie McAuley received the Christian Living Award from Bishop Macdonnell High School. Father R. Diodati made the presentation. A Slipper of the Lakeside Chapter of the IODE presented Nicki Zmija with the Most Improved Student honors, and Kim Papillon was the recipient of the Citizenship Award from the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion.

Top Athlete was Victor Hinojosa, presented by B. Morris, and Elizabeth McGrath received the Principal's Award.

Other graduates were Guy Bosse, Kirk Cheroniak, Robert Disano, Benny Dubil, Barbara and Beverly Dunn, Laura Lee Hachey, Tina Krzyzik, Rodney Marchand, Irene Markoja, Linda McGrath, Marla McLeod, Julie Munkacs, Bilinda Taras and Gerry and Peter van der Eyken.

Father Diodati conducted a Holy Mass at the Church, followed by the awards presentation. Irene McAuley, Separate School Board trustee handed out the graduation certificates, followed by the valedictory address by Julie Munkacs.

A graduation party was held back at the school.



Brookville individual award winners honoured at their recent graduation were, sitting, left to right: Kari Garrett, Judy Baynton, Andrea Willison, Lindsay McAulay, Susie Dix, and Katia Chaban. Standing: Dirk Schrader, Lee Lockyer, Mike Pos, Keith McMullen, Alex Sopinka, and Josh Death.

63 grads at Brookville

Sixty-three students graduated from grade 8 at Brookville School last week. Josh Death was the valedictorian and Dirk Schrader and Katia Chaban won the awards for the Highest Academic Boy and Girl for 1983.

Special awards went to: Class 81, Citizenship (boy and girl), Alex Sopinka and Andrea Willison; Class 82 Citizenship, Mike Pos and Kari Garrett; Leadership, Lee Lockyer; Progress, Judy Baynton, Shireen Muir, Keith McMullen, Lindsay McAulay; Principal's Award, Susie Dix.

Subject award winners were: Mathematics, Cain Lawrynowicz; Language Arts, Tracy Lamont; Social Science Kari Garrett; Science, Josh Death; Music Susie Dix; Art, Shelley Fabbro; Girls' Physical Education Laura Bradley; Boys' Rob Van Groostel; French, Sandi Snyder; Family Studies, Janice Briard; Industrial Arts, Joanne Robbins.

Graduating to grade 9 are: Brian Acheson, Duane Avery, Shelly Baker, Judy Baynton, Doug Beamish, David Beaulieu, Julie Beaulieu, Howard Beeler, Laura Bradley, Kim Brethel, Janice Briard, Katia Chaban, Kevin Cox, Tracey Curtis, Tracey Curtis, Josh Death, Susie Dix, Geoff Drinkie, Don Dmosek, Shelly Fabbro, Kari Garrett, Troy Hall, Andrea Hardy, Shane Hepburn, Neil Hesse, Jennifer Jupp, Tina Kirkeby, Sharon Kowalski.

Tracy Lamont, Cain Lawrynowicz, Cary Lawrynowicz, Lee Lockyer, Chris Lyons, Grant Lyons, Lindsay McAulay, Jill McLean, Keith McMullen, Marie Melancon, Janet Mitchell, Shireen Muir, Derek Nicholson, Shannon O'Connor, Susie Patenaude, Michael Pua, Nicole Purchase, Stephen Reeves, Michael Restivo, Joanne Robbins, Mark Robertson, Kerry Sachau, Dirk Schrader, Lisa Shepherd, Jan Smith, Sandra Snyder, Alex Sopinka, Chris Steinhil, Kim Stokes, Julie Taylor, Paula Thomas, Robert Van Groostel, Andrea Willison, Greg Winiarz and Tim Wood.



Jennifer Durling and Janet Burnes were enthusiastic at the Kids' Crusade at the Evangel Pentecostal Church last week.

14 Ontario Scholars at Acton High School

Dahlia Peterson topped a list of 14 potential Ontario Scholars at Acton High School last week, with an overall percentage of 88.

Ontario Scholars are any grade 13 students with a year end average of 80 per cent or more, and must be approved by the Ministry of Education.

Other Scholars are: Nancy Allen, 80 per cent; Renata Brillinger, 82.5; Sandra Brundie, 83.8; Karen Coats, 83.5; Dave Dawkins, 80; Tammy Hunter, 80.3; Andrea Jenkinson, 80.8; Harold Koehler, 84.8; Tanya Mokrytzki, 81.1; Brad Ottaway, 81.1; Gord Springie, 80.5; Adam Thomas, 85.7; and Tony Wright with 84.8.

Other grade 13 graduates are: Darlene Allison, Karen Bailey (January), Donna Caylovic, Juli Chow, Catherine Coffin, John Evans, Ian Findlay, Rick Greenly, Nicola Grillo, Doug Hannak (January), Susan Kincl, Philip Laiter, Bob Little, Steve Margetts, Sharon McBride, Louise McMahon, Dawn Miller (January), Edwin Nisner, Paul Nolan, Linda Osso, David Quinn, Nancy Rinder, Tony Saxton, Tom Shannon, Laura Spaldin, Andreas Thiel, Nancy Thomson, Lynda Trowbridge (January), Rob Warrington, and Linda Whiffin (January).

Grade 12 graduates are: Larne Allison, Jennifer Arbie, Christine Auger, Sandi Bahr, Joe Balkind, Deb Beamish, Cathy Beechan, Carole Ann Blake, Rita Bottero, Lorelei Buscher, Brian Canary, Wendy Carroll (January), Cathryn Chalmers, Rick Chapman, Judi Chow, Dana Coates, Denise Coleman, Colleen Colton, Melanie Cooper, Ian Corson, Michael Crighton, Duane Cress Head (January), Vickie Curtis, Dawna DeVries, Tara Dewdney, Leslie Dobur, Naomi Donat, Lori Drysdale (January), Karen Elliott, Dayna George, Monika George, Carolyn Gibson, George Gudman, Jeanette Guesen, Lynn Gordon (January), Cheryl Greenly, Ken Hachey, Norman Harris, Ken Hodge, Michelle Heard, Gerald Heystack, Eddy Holtman, Tammy Hunter, Jackie Jennings, Michelle Jones, Sophie Jones (January), Helmut Kainz, Ken Kavanagh, Kelly Kennedy, Farid Khan, Karen Kuler, Carrie Kirton, Tammy Knott, Hedy Ann Koehler, Tracey Laing, David Lasby, John Lobelo (January), Chris Lohanger, Glenn Lott, Terry Lott, Tracey MacFarlane, Guy Malby, Nancy Marchmont (January), Easa Mason, Michael Masson, Steven Matheson, Joanne McArthur, Scott McDonough, Tom McDonough (January), Lorner McGinn, Colleen McKnight (January), Jennifer McLean, Rob McMullen, Kim McMullen, Deb McQuade, Dell Mohammed, Laura Moore, Jill Morris, Caroleine Mott, Ruth Munro, Horton Seabacher, Denise Newell, Peter Neillspach, Paul Niklork, Blake Norton, Linda Paton (January), Al Petersen, Marde Phillips, Joel Pink, Annette Pool, Jackie Pries, Greg Panchon, Anna Querques, Laura Haine (January), Allison Reneau, Mae Robinson, Marlene Roehner, Nabila Saad (January), Chris Sales, Sandra Schreiber (January), Joanna Scott, Erik Setz, Bruce Shannon, Tom Shan

non, Phil Shea, Nandy Silcock, Mike Smith, Paul Smith, Warren Somers, Paul South, Roy Spear (January), Kristin Sprengel, Mark Spitzer, Paul Stables, Chris D. Stansbury, Susan Thomas, Danny Tremblay, Lisa Truant, Tony Van Dam (January), Wendy Van Dam (January), Shirley Van Rijk, Yvonne Van den Akker (January), Karen Van der Laan, Matthew Wakeelin, Mark Walker, Andrew Walton, Deelan Well, Gary White, Mark Willis, Susan Wilson, Lynne Winters, Don Wong, Jean Wong, Deborah Wright (January), Peter Wright, Michael Yalowitz, and Joseph Zenga.



Dahlia Petersen—88.0%



Adam Thomas—85.7%



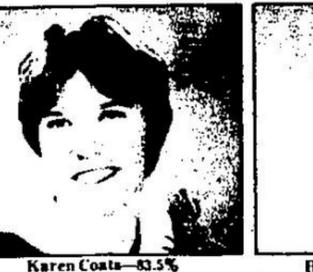
Harold Koehler—84.8%



Tony Wright—84.8%



Sandra Brundie—83.8%



Karen Coats—83.5%



Renata Brillinger—82.5%



Tanya Mokrytzki—81.1%



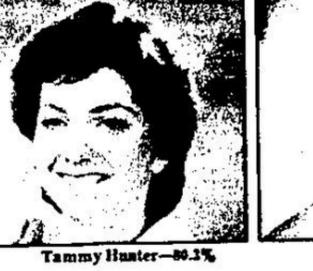
Brad Ottaway—81.1%



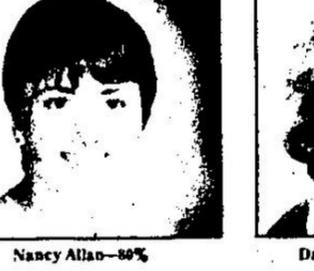
Andrea Jenkinson—80.8%



Gord Springie—80.5%



Tammy Hunter—80.3%



Nancy Allen—80%



Dave Dawkins—80%

On the Leavell With Helen

A cartoon by David Giammarco, 14, of Acton won \$10 from the Toronto Sun on the weekend.

David submitted a cartoon to the Young Sun page in the Sunday Sun and had the best drawing of the week.

His work was of James Bond having to fight off CIA and FBI for the last copy of the Sunday Sun, and was reproduced on Page 5.

Peter Wright, 192 Churchill Rd. S. won a Texas Mickey in a recent Acton Industrial Baseball draw held June 30 at the Acton Legion.

Roy McFadden, 330 Orville Rd. won the 40 ounce, and George Neuce, 220 Churchill Rd. got the 26er. F. Van Item RR 4 Acton won a mickey.

Well, the first official Canada Day has come and gone. It has been a year since our Constitution was brought home and the nightmare in the court system really began.

But I'm sorry, I didn't spend July 1 waving the flag or marching in a parade. I spent the day with my sister in Collingwood helping her unpack from a recent move. And frankly, I have no regrets.

Canada Day Dominion Day, whatever you want to call it is really just another day off (since Back to Acton Days has gone by the wayside) for me. I am a good Canadian and truly appreciate my country. Having travelled extensively throughout Europe and Canada I know what we have here.

But my enthusiasm for celebration has waned. But only because I've been spoiled.

On July 1, 1967, I attended Canada's 100th birthday party on Parliament Hill in Ottawa. May family and I left Collingwood before the sun rose, and after several hours of motion sickness, I finally arrived at my birthplace.

I remember waiting in the heat for hours for the Queen and Prince Philip to drive by, and when they did a policeman stepped right in front of me, blocking my view.

Small Canadian flags (then very new) were dropped from helicopters and a mad scramble was made by youngsters to grab them. Bands were playing, speeches were being made, and everyone was having a good time. We all sang God Save, O Canada, and Happy Birthday (to the country).

Even though I was only a pup of 12, I knew I would never again experience the overwhelming feeling of pride of being a Canadian. And I was right. Now, 16 years later, I no longer see the world through rose colored glasses. I'm not a cynic, nor a pessimist. And it would be hard pressed to label me a realist. I'm just an adult now, whose pay cheque is gouged by income tax deductions and whose pay cheque just doesn't seem to stretch as far as it did even last month.

As far as Canada Days, I experienced the ultimate celebration in 1967. Sorry folks, but nothing can measure up to it.

Parents and Tots expands program

The weekly Parents and Tots program at the Acton Y has been expanded to three days a week beginning yesterday (Tuesday).

The program was started this winter to serve all people involved with or concerned with pre-school children. A handful of organizers offer an informal meeting place where parents can exchange ideas, listen to guest speakers and interact with their children. Children also benefit by playing with others their own age, learning crafts, music and movement and listening to stories.

About 15 parents and 30 children dropped into the program's open house Wednesday, and it is expected many will return on a regular basis.

Organizer Marlene MacNiven explained that a lot of new par-

ents, or newcomers to town have taken advantage of the program, where they can get out of the house and meet people, without having to pay a babysitter. A lot of parents were involved in a similar program elsewhere.

While the youngsters are playing freely, parents can listen to guest speakers, such as the public health nurse, or a nutritionist.

It is not a babysitting service, Mrs. MacNiven stressed. Parents are responsible for their own children.

The program is very informal, she said. Parents and tots can drop in any time from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and come and go as they please. There is no registration, but a 50 cent fee is charged to cover operating expenses and coffee.



Both mothers and fathers dropped into the Parent and Tot Open House Wednesday. Rich and Janet Scully show son Christopher and friend Adrienne Kistner the crafts available.