

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT



ROYAL REPORT BISHOP REDING HIGH SCHOOL



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With exams less than a week away, students and teachers are working to complete the semester with success. Exam week begins next week and students will be glad to know that they may wear regular clothing throughout their examination period.

The Bishop Reding senior prom took place last Friday at Le Dome in Oakville and proved to be a wonderful evening for all whom attended. The dinner was very well prepared and gave graduates ample opportunity to gain energy for the hours of dancing that followed. Although it was an exciting time for many, it also put the impending end of high school into perspective. Seniors at Bishop Reding have had the opportunity to gain many friendships that will set the tone for future comrade gaining environments. It is very difficult to believe that all the time put into one's high school career is finally ending. The teachers and administration at Bishop Reding have made the last five years of our lives an exciting and challenging period, which will finally come to a close on June 28, with the commencement ceremony.

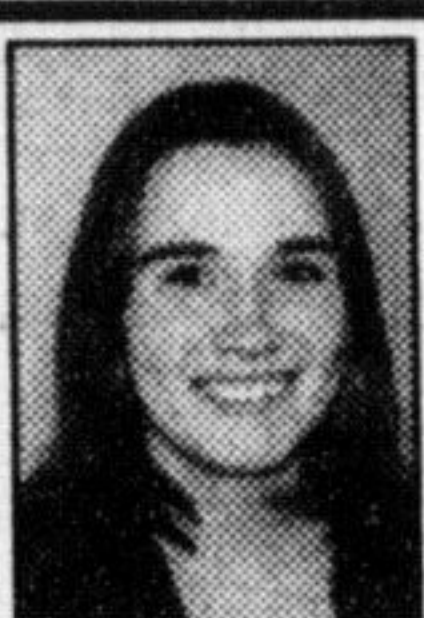
The Royal Report was created in order to provide the community with a perspective of life at Bishop Reding. Now that the school year is almost complete, we have decided to provide you with our thoughts on this past school year as well as on the Bishop Reding experience.

We would like to thank the teachers at Bishop Reding who have taught us and impacted our lives substantially. Many teachers have gone beyond the call of duty and enriched our lives. Most often these teachers work hard with little recognition from the students for which they endure so much. We hope that these teachers will realize the positive influence they have had upon students at Bishop Reding. Hopefully students will let these teachers know how much they have done in their own lives. On a personal note, we would like to thank Mrs. Metcalfe who has devoted many hours to student government and made our time at Bishop Reding more enjoyable. We would also like to thank Mrs. Yarema, Mr. Locke and Mr. Quinlan, all the members of student services, especially Ms. Shaw with her infinite wisdom, Mrs. Sewell, Mrs. Reece and Mrs. Marshall for showing us how to use the fax machine, and, of course, Kay and Jackie who have provided us with nutritious lunches for the past five years.

Bishop Reding has been an excellent home away from home. It provided the walls that housed our mental, physical and moral development. The school has set us guidelines to follow for success in the rest of our lives. Student Government also helped us to create a complete learning experience. The activities the Student Government organized helped us to find a home at Bishop Reding. Good luck to those who will be in the Student Government next year. Elections took place on Wednesday and those elected will assume their responsibilities in the fall.

We would also like to thank everyone else who has supported the writing of The Royal Report. A special thank you is extended to The Champion and its staff. Obviously this could not have been done without you.

When something ends it is merely the beginning of something else. This article is no exception. The Royal Report will continue next year, just as many of this year's graduates will continue their education.



GRADE "A" NEWS AT MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL



Jacqueline Bass **Grade "A" News** Marissa Cheskey
By Jacqueline Bass and Marissa Cheskey

Stress has been setting in this week as students try to come to a balance between completing their last assignments and studying for their upcoming exams, which start in less than a week!

Aside from all this stress, there has still been some fun going on at the school. The Arts Ice Cream Sociable was held on Tuesday evening here at the school. Anyone with an interest in the arts was welcome to attend. Everyone who went is unanimous in saying, "it was so much fun!" The yummiest part of the evening was the all-you-could-eat ice cream including various toppings like marshmallows, whipped cream, sprinkles, crushed Crispy Crunch chocolate bars and many more. Some of the fun of the evening consisted of a friendly game of football in the rather foggy field. Other than all of the activities of the evening, art pins were given out to students who have obtained thirty art points. A number of other awards were given to students who have in some way outstandingly contributed to the arts. We would like to congratulate James Sham and Megan Callaway for receiving the Senior and Junior Art Awards, respectively. This week was also pay back time for the students. As a fund-raiser, Student Council had set up containers for students to put money in. Each container had a teacher's name on it. The teacher who was on the container with the most money in it had to dress up like a clown and have pies thrown at them. The luck winner Mr. McAulay, was a good sport as students threw pies at him for only two dollars each on Wednesday! Oh well, look at the bright side Mr. McAulay, at least you got to taste all those yummy pies.

Another event that included eating was the annual outdoor end-of-school barbecue, hosted by Student Council. It was held outside the Cafeteria during periods two, three and four on Thursday. As usual the food was great and Student Council did a great job! Thank you from everyone who enjoyed the delicious taste and the mouth-watering aroma.

While on the subject of Student Council, we would like to announce the new executive members for next year. Many of this year's executive members will be graduating this year so it is important to replace them with responsible, reliable people. The process was a little bit different this year from usual. Nominations were made by students and teachers, then these nominations were reviewed by the Student Council executives and some teachers. From there, the most appropriate people were chosen for each position. Sony Dhillon will be next year's president. I know we're all shocked by that one! Congratulations Sony. You rule! The other positions are as follows. Senior Vice President: Ashley Hutchison, Junior Vice President: Hailey MacDonald, Social Events Minister: Alex Rundle, Treasurer: Jeremy Smith and Public Relations Minister: Samantha Thomson. Good luck to all the new Student Council executives in their exciting year to come!

Last week, the "Walk Against Violence" was held during period two. We are pleased to say that because of everyone's generosity, M.D. was able to raise three hundred and seventy-four dollars for Halton Women's Place. Besides helping a good cause, the walk was fun and a refreshing break from class.

This week was also when interviews were held to determine next year's Prefects. In order to qualify to be a Prefect, students must meet certain criteria like being in their 3rd, 4th, or 5th year of high school, have good leadership, maintain a minimum academic average and be nominated by two teachers. Interviews were in Guidance this week from Monday to Friday.

Well, to end off our second last article ever, we would just like to leave all your studying students with an inspiring quote to remember while writing your exams. "I think I can... I think I can!" - Thomas the Tank Engine. Good luck on your exams and don't study your brains out this weekend.

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