

# HIGH SCHOOL REPORT



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## BISHOP REDING HIGH SCHOOL



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### Royal Report

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Christmas is coming ever faster and with just five school days before the break, students and staff alike are in the festive spirit.

This coming Thursday, B.R.'s music department is presenting the annual Christmas Concert at 7:30 p.m. in the cafetorium. The senior, Junior and Jazz bands along with the Choir and guitarist are ready to delight you with festive sounds. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students and B.R. Alumni. Seniors and children are free. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the Good Shepherd Center. Everyone is welcome to attend.

A murder has occurred in the halls of B.R. One unfortunate staff member's life has been taken by another. Local detective Kris Kringle and partner Bingo Brown are returning once again to solve this terrible occurrence, but with the Christmas holidays fast approaching, the help of staff and students is needed. Every morning starting Monday, December 18, first period classes will receive activities and clues that will help lead them to the victim, the murderer and the motive. The activity, which is run by Student government, will wrap up next Friday at the annual Christmas assembly.

This past weekend, the Senior girls' Volleyball team competed at the M.M. Robinson Tournament. The girls faced the Notre Dame and White Oaks squads before challenging the host team, M.M. Robinson, in the consolation finals. After splitting the first two matches, the girls lost in the tiebreaker.

The Senior Boys' Basketball team recently traveled to a tournament held at Notre Dame in Burlington. The team played hard and reached the consolation finals before losing to Loyola. Meanwhile, the Midget Boys' Basketball team defeated our cross-town rivals E.C. Drury in an outstanding match.

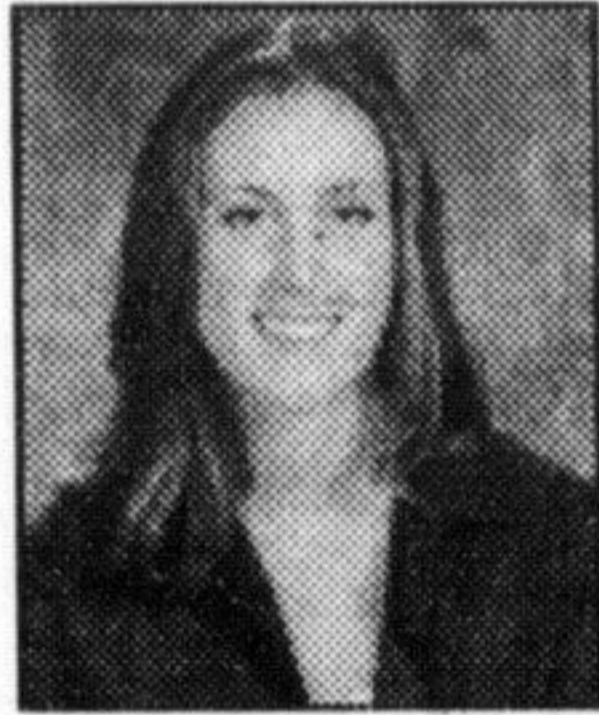
All of Bishop Reding's sports teams are showing potential for their regular seasons and tournament play.

B.R.'s Senior and Intermediate School Reach teams participated in their first tournaments this month. The Senior A team is sitting in fourth place in their division with a 3-2 record and 1190 points. The B team currently has 590 points. The Intermediate teams are also going very well with both teams posting records of 4-1. The A team is in second place in their division with 1450 points, while the B team currently holds third place with 1360 points. Good luck to all of B.R.'s teams as they continue their tournament play in the new year.

To finish off the week here is a quote from the Grinch.

"The Grinch thought of something he hadn't thought of before! Maybe Christmas, he thought, 'doesn't come from a store.' 'Maybe Christmas . . . perhaps . . . means a little bit more!'"

## DATELINE DRURY AT E.C. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL



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Hey! Guess what? It's Friday!! Hope all you students enjoyed your snow day!

So, how many more days until the Christmas holidays start? Spartan athletes are too busy to think about that right now! This week has once again been dominated by sports. Drury had numerous games and tournaments that filled up the week very quickly.

Starting with boy's basketball on Friday and Saturday, Drury held its annual Sr. Basketball tournament. Although our guys came out strong, they weren't quite as strong as the competition. Hey what happened to that 'slammin' it down hard' thing? I guess they'll just have to work on that one! Way to play hard, guys!

Continuing on through the week, Monday the girls' volleyball teams opened their seasons playing their first games against Georgetown. Although the matches were very close, Spartans came up just short of victory. Playing again on Wednesday, however, they proved their potential and ended up beating Iroquois Ridge 2-1. Way to go ladies!

Also held on Wednesday was the famous Drury Invitational. Wrestlers dominated the mats in their green and gold singlets and won the open division. That one adds yet another victory to the trophy case. Way to go boys!

Another tournament this week was held on Thursday for the Sr. girls volleyball team. Although Drury didn't host it, the girls were able to show other teams what Spartan pride is really all about. After traveling an hour through the snow, these girls heated things up on the courts and came out on top. Congrats on a great tournament and such terrific spirit!

Trying to match that same school spirit, the Jr. girls are hosting their own tournament today. Schools from all over will be participating, so come on out and cheer on the team!

After the flurry of tournaments we hosted, a big thanks goes out to all the people who helped make them possible and to those who came out to support the teams.

Well, that's it for this week! Here's something to think about this weekend:

"Life is a succession of lessons which must be lived to be understood."

Have a fabulous weekend everyone! Get out there and enjoy the snow!!

## GRADE "A" NEWS

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## MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL



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With only one week remaining of school before Christmas break students here at Milton District are feeling the pressure of end of the year projects and assignments. At the same time we are also coming up with ways to have fun and get into the Christmas spirit.

While waiting for Christmas to come, decorations were put up around the school to make it more festive. Today, first period was extended an extra half an hour and students decorated their classroom doors. The doors were decorated in Christmas wrapping paper and other Christmas decorations. Each door was judged and the winner will be announced sometime later in the day.

Also periods 3 and 4 today for the first time a chance was offered to students who like to skate. Students were invited to buy a ticket and then go to John Tonelli Arena to have an afternoon full of fun. Tickets were sold all this week and were \$4 in advance and \$5 at the door. Every person who bought a ticket got a free hot chocolate.

Next week as well is shaping up to be full of fun Christmas events. The week starts off Monday with students being asked to wear red and green. So pull out all of your red and green clothes and help our school get ready for the holidays.

If this doesn't get you ready for Christmas, on Tuesday and Wednesday in period 3 Christmas movies will be shown. All of the classics will be played in the cafeteria. Be sure to come out and watch.

As many of you also know, the weather has not been very nice lately. On Tuesday December 12 there was a snow day and all classes were cancelled. Then on Thursday December 14 all of the buses were cancelled. It is very important to listen to your radio on days when you think that the school might be closed. Several of these radio stations are told after 6 am. Some of these stations that carry this information are FM CHFI 98.1, Energy 108 and on AM CFRB 1010 and Oldies 1150.

Just a reminder to grads that next week is Grad photos. Make sure you do not miss your appointment because it is very hard to get another spot.

Well there is only 9 more days left to finish your Christmas shopping. Hopefully if you haven't finished yet you do not have too much more to do. Have a great weekend and happy hunting.

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