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Spring is in the air and it is obvious that the students here at Milton District are itching to get outdoors and enjoy the beautiful weather. Thankfully, students have been given opportunities to do just that. Even though the spring sports teams have not started playing games, the boys and girls soccer, boys baseball and girls softball teams have been practicing like mad for their fast approaching seasons. This season will allow many other students to enjoy the weather when they come on out and cheer all of the teams on to what we hope will be many victories.

As the weather is warming up a number of students are taking this opportunity to head for an even warmer climate and experience an event most people don't get to experience in their lifetime. A group of students lead by Miss Miller will be leaving early next week for sunny Florida. While there they will be watching the launch of space shuttle Endeavor on April 19 with former Milton District graduate Chris Hadfield. This trip was offered to all grades and is sure to be a very eye opening experience, after all how many people can say that they were present when a shuttle was launched into space. We hope that everyone involved with this trip has an excellent time, see you all when you get back.

As we have come to the end of this short school week parents are reminded that mid-term reports were given out to students in their homeroom classes Thursday April 12. With the report should be information concerning parents night. This night is for parents of students in grades 9-OAC. On Thursday April 19 parents are invited to have the opportunity to talk to their son or daughters teachers about their progress. Look for more info in with the mid-term reports.

Well that is it for another week. We would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter, have a great long weekend and don't forget to read Grade "A" News again next week.



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Royal Report By Mark Laframboise and Ryan Pyne

With the Easter weekend approaching, Bishop Reding is working hard to guarantee that the less fortunate will also be able to enjoy the holiday.

The Annual Easter Food Drive came to a close on Wednesday. Altogether, student Government collected over 2,200 non-perishable food items to give to the less fortunate. This concluded the third successful food drive run by Student Government this

Last Wednesday, the 'in-school" competition for the Ultimate Mix High School Challenge was held at Bishop Reding. Twelve teams competed in the contest requiring the creation of a nonalcoholic drink. The winning drinks were selected on their taste, name, appearance, presentation and a safety message. Congratulations to Laura Beckeries and Mike Berube who achieved top place at B.R. with their Backyard Berry Blast! Special mention goes to Jessica Zuben, and Aoife Gavien with their I Can't Believe It's Non-Alcoholic! and Michelle Galda, Carolyn Glatt and Andrea Marchese with the Polar Cappuccino who finished in second and third place respectfully. Good luck to Laura and Mike when they compete in the "Ultimate Mix Off" being held at the Georgetown Marketplace on May 9th.

This past Saturday, Ryan Figurerido, Maciej Hatta, David Penny and Mark Tonkovic competed in the E.C.O.O. Regional Computer Programming contest at the University of Toronto. Following three hours of working on four different problems, the judges discovered nothing wrong with their solutions, but unfortunately, due to the time constraints, the team did not qualify for the provincial wide contest. The team is commended for their hard work and excellent programming skills.

B.R. Player's feature presentation of Fame: the Musical is quickly approaching. Performances are being held on Thursday, May 3rd to Saturday, May 5th. Tickets for this show, involving a great variety of talent from singers, actors and dancers, can be purchased by the general public by calling the school at (905) 875-0124. Students will have the opportunity to purchase tickets during their lunch in the piazza. Admission prices for adults are \$8 and students are \$6.

We wish everyone a safe and happy Easter holiday. We close this edition of the Royal Report with a quote from the upcoming musical: "If you think you're going to live forever, then you're humming the wrong tune."

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