

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT



BISHOP REDING HIGH SCHOOL

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Royal Report

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Last Friday, Bishop Reding proved to be champions as the Midget Girls' Volleyball Team won the Halton Championships. Competing with passion, the team won their division, advancing to the semifinals. Facing T. A. Blakelock, they took to the court winning the two sets needed to advance to the final versus Loyola. In an extremely close match, the Royals lost their first set before coming back to earn the title of Halton Champions. Congratulations to the team for their amazing performances throughout the season. We would also like to recognize their student coaches for their dedication and leadership throughout the season.

Recently, the Varsity Girls' Hockey Team faced Oakville Trafalgar. Goalie Emily Ruigrok played an amazing game as B. R. earned a 4-1 victory in the suspense filled match. Congratulations to Chelsea Gruszka who claimed her first hat trick of the season. The ladies also won their preliminary playoff game 3-1 on Tuesday. Special mention goes to Melody Edwards, Heaven Hill and Nicole Gooding who each scored one goal. On Wednesday, the girls travelled to Oakville to play their quarterfinal match. Results will be in next week's edition.

Last week, the Junior Boys' Basketball Team suffered a loss to E. C. Drury, causing them to be eliminated from the Halton playoffs. Down by only one point in the final minute of play, the guys were unable to score. All members of the team are congratulated for their hard work this year.

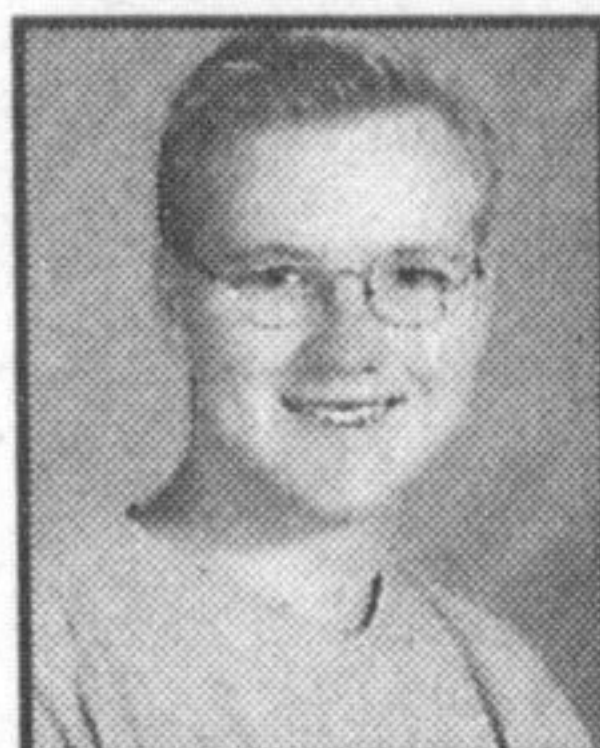
Last week, three members of the Bishop Reding Track Team showed promise for the upcoming season as they competed at the Hamilton Spectator Indoor Games. In the Midget Boys' 300-metres Ian Butcher broke a four-year-old meet record, posting a winning time of 38.18 seconds. He also crushed the seven-year-old record in the 600-metre race finishing second. We also acknowledge Mike McGill who accomplished a personal best in the Midget Boys' 1500-metres. Meanwhile, Michelle Doell placed sixth in the Senior Girls' 600-metres.

This year for Lent, the World Issues class are collecting boxes of salt and candles for the less fortunate. Donations can be brought to the Chapel until March 4th. All are encouraged to give generously.

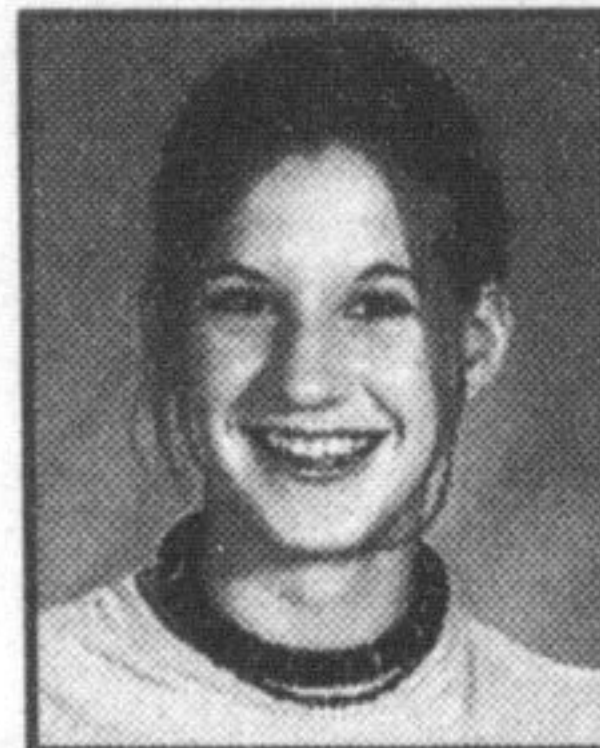
On a final note, we wish the best of luck to the cast, crew and student directors of the Sears Drama Festival, who are traveling to Burlington Central to present their production *Through Darkest Adolescence* today.

"Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail behind." -- Muriel Strode

"MUSTANG MESSENGER"



Jeff Vandevalk



Holly Cambuzzi



Emily Willoughby

MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Another captivating week has reached its end, bringing us closer and closer to the March Break that looms from the 11th to the 15th. However MDHS has more than enough excitement to get us through the next few weeks.

In The News

OK Senior Stangs, listen up. Today is the LAST day to buy your Semi-Formal Tickets. Stop putting it off and buy your ticket today. If you are reading this after school, you may be too late. Semi is gonna be a blast, so come on out! It's your last year and this event is for YOU! So come on out and make this the best Semi-Formal ever! Tickets are \$20 and will be on sale periods 3, 4 and after school.

ATTENTION all students who are planning to attend Queen's University next year. There is an information session on MARCH 4th at 9a.m. Sign up in Guidance. This is our chance to have a representative answer any questions you may have.

All students need to be in TAP classes next week, as this is when you will be filling in your bubble sheets for your course selections for next year. If you skip this class, you may not be put in the classes YOU want. SO, to avoid this disappointment be in TAP class.

This past Wednesday the Jr. and Sr. Bands travelled to Mississauga to show off their talents and compete in MusicFest. We will tell you more about this, as we get the information next week.

Speaking of music, the Milton District and E.C. Drury jazz bands will be getting together in the MD theatre on March 4th. Tickets are on sale, so come out to support your school.

Sports Centre

The Mustang Hockey Team ended their regular season games with a tough battle against first place team T.A. Blakelock. Although the result was a loss, Ms. Miller's boys once again proved their persistent dedication and optimistic attitudes. Hockey is not done with yet though. The team will travel to Montreal to play in the Canadian Cup tournament.

The senior boy's basketball team won their play-off game on Thursday the 14th. They played against Q.E. Park, and the final score was 57-45. Unfortunately in their next game this past Monday, against Loyola, they had a loss. The team held the lead until late in the third quarter and ended up with a score of 46-41. This past Tuesday, the boys travelled to E.C. Drury to play in the first round of the double play-offs.

Soccer season has now started at M.D. with the gym packed with new and enthusiastic players. The girl's team started to practice on Tuesday, and the boys on Wednesday. Mr. Zarate has made it very clear that new players are welcome. We would like to wish both teams' success in their upcoming season.

Well, that's it this week from MDHS, hope you enjoy your weekend. Now the Messengers are off to gather information for next week.

DATELINE DRURY AT E.C. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL



The Incendiary Jellotron



Papaya! Papaya! Papaya!



Frumious T. Bandersnatch

Word to our fizzle rizzles! It's Frizzle Tizzle Bizzlesnizzle! Y'all betta look out now, cuzze hizzle cozzle another dazzle drizzle! Enjoy ya bizzle swizzle fizzle gizzle rizzles! Fo' sheeze.

Hey everyone! That was a little taste of what Dateline Drury would be like if we didn't tie Frumious up and gag him with duct tape every night. Anyways, here be the lowdown on what's been happenin' up in the big E.C. - fo real.

Inside the News

"Hey Frumious! Whatcha reachin' for? Enquired the Papaya, perplexed by the sight of Frumious with his gangly arm stretched above his head.

"Well Papaya, just like the School Reach Team, I'm reaching for the TOP! HAHAAAAHA!" replied the eccentric Drury reporter.

DANG SKIPPY! The School Reach Team was a cut above the rest at their toumey in Acton yesterday. In this final league tournament, our Reach Team was attempting to cap the lid on their best season EVER! BOOYAH! Check back next week for the final winning results.

"...And this one time, at band practice... WE PRACTICED!" What did we practice for? Well, it was for our super-fun exciting band share with Milton District. That's right, on Monday, March 4th, our Jazz Band gets their swerve on in the land of Jeff, Holly and Emily (Mustang Reporters) while they play off in the ultimate BATTLE OF THE BANDS! Best of luck to our marvellous musicians!

Last Friday night however, Drury witnessed music of a much different kind at our annual Semi-Formal. Although there were countless sad females when Frumious T. Bandersnatch failed to show up. Although there were many streaked faces, everyone had a great time. Just remember, you don't need the FRUMIOUS T. BANDERSNATCH to have FUNFUNFUN-FUNFUN, but it SURE HELPS! Student Government would like to sincerely thank all teachers and students who made this event such a wonderful occasion.

Centre of Sports

This past week has been a successful one for Drury athletes of all kinds. When Drury students wished our wrestling team good luck at last week's GHAC competition, we had no idea that they were going to annihilate the competition to the degree that they did. Under the dedicated coaching of Mr. Jaroslawski, these determined young singlet-clad Spartans not only conquered the GHAC competition by a landslide, but also witnessed 12 of their boys qualify for OFSAA. There's no question that with such a large OFSAA representation, Drury's competition is bound to be shaking in their spandex these days. STRAIGHT UP YO!

During their final game of the season Tuesday night, the boys hockey team demonstrated SPARTAN ATHLETICISM at its FINEST. Words cannot describe the intensity of this game, both on the ice and in the stands, as players and fans alike were overwhelmed by their desire to watch Drury advance to the next round of playoffs. Coach Burnet and his boys wholeheartedly piled on the ice following a much needed sudden death goal by Travis VanLoosen. The final score was 4-3 for Drury in overtime. These boys may have terrible hair, but thanks to this win and a bet with their enthusiastic coach, Mr. Burnet's mop will be dyed blond as well! Y'ALL SURE BROUGHT YOUR OWN BOOYAA TO THE GAME!

The senior girls volleyball team ended a successful and tough season on Tuesday night. Sadly, the score was not available at press time. Throughout the last few months these ladies demonstrated ability and enthusiasm, never giving up and fighting until the very end. We're sure you made Coaches Fiers and Robertson very proud! HOOZAH!

The Stairwell of Subversion

PSST! Hey! Yeah, that's right kids, I finally moved outta that corner and got me a stair-well. You may have noticed our version of the high school news closely resembles that of the Mustang Messenger. Well, you know... Me and my :ways" - I happened to steal their plans for this week's article... Y'know, just wanted to make sure they knew what it felt like... What goes around comes around eh?

Peace out yo!

HAVE YOURSELVES A VERY MERRY LITTLE WEEKEND! And we'll see everyone next week!

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