

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

"THE ROYAL REPORT"



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Extra! Extra! Read all about it! Royal Report hot off the presses!

Top Story: LION ON THE LOOSE!

There have been reported sightings of a large lion at BR's sporting events, roaming the halls, and spreading school spirit! Witnesses describe the lion as being approximately 5'7 in height, weighing about 200 pounds, golden in colour, and very furry! It was last seen doing cartwheels across the BR football field. A shocked eyewitness claims, "I have never seen such an acrobatic lion!" After hearing these accounts, the Royal Report decided to take it upon themselves to discover just who this lion really is. After much detective work, an anonymous source revealed that the zany lion may be this year's new mascot. It is believed that this "mascot" will stop at nothing to spread school spirit, and cheer on BR's athletes. However, this information cannot yet be confirmed. Anyone with further information please contact the Royal Report.

Arts and Entertainment: GET READY TO BE SPOOKED!

Start picking out your costumes, because student government has tons of bone chilling events planned for the coming week. Our reporters spoke with president of the student government, Mallory Ryan for insider information. At press time, she was able to announce activities such as pumpkin carving, a costume day, and class competitions. When asked for a statement she said, "I along with the student government are working hard to make this year's Halloween activities better than ever".

DO YOU HAVE THURSDAY NIGHT FEVER? Let's hope so, because the talent search has begun, and Thursday night fever is the theme for our annual talent show! So if you have a groovy talent you'd like to show to the school, then make sure to have your forms handed in by October 28th. Start practicing your disco moves because auditions are November 1st and 2nd.

Sports: THIS YEAR A MILESTONE FOR BR FOOTBALL

This season, the football players have adapted well to the division of their varsity team into a junior and a senior team. The junior's have worked hard to make it without the support of the veteran players, coming close but falling short of their game on Wednesday against Georgetown High, with a score of 30-24. However the seniors have a little bit of work to do, as evident in their 56-0 loss against Nelson. When asked by the Royal Report for a remark on the game team captain, Chuck Allen, had no comment. However Coach Jurus had words of encouragement. "The juniors look very promising, and it has been an exciting year thus far. This year signifies a big step in the program, being a BR first for both junior and division one football. This season will mark the foundation of years to come." Go Royals!

Lifestyles: HOLY RETREAT!

Last Thursday grade nine religion classes went to Camp Brebouef to participate in a retreat day. Classes, accompanied by grade twelve group leaders, shared in spiritual games, a nature hike, and a delicious lunch!

"MUSTANG MESSENGER"



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MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

It's time for another full week of Mustang spirit. We've all had it lucky the past two weeks I mean, two four-day weeks in a row? It's been great, but everyone at MD is just ready to get back into full five-day learning mode! Right? Of course!

MDHS athletics were back into full swing last week, after scheduling changes due to the grade 10's Wilderness North trip. The cross-country team attended yet another meet, with all runners giving their best efforts. Both football teams saw action on the field with the juniors facing off against Burlington Central, and unfortunately, even with a valiant effort they came up short 26-20. The seniors on the other hand will have the results of their game revealed in next week's Mustang Messenger. The volleyball team saw their first win of the season last week as well! Way to go boys!

For all you hockey nuts out there: stop fretting! You may not be seeing any blue and white of the Toronto Maple Leafs this coming season, but you don't have to go very far at all to see MD's very own blue and white take on rivals from around the region in the upcoming months. Yes, Mustang hockey will be coming soon! The girls started practising last week, and the guys will be following soon enough with their dry-land training.

Talk has been heard amongst the bustling hallways already about dressing up for Halloween, a favourite school tradition among all the staff and students. That's right, it's less than two weeks from now! That means it's time to find the most ghoulish/funny/crazy/cutesy costume which I know you have hanging around that old Tickle Trunk and dust them off, because of course you wouldn't want to be *normal* looking or anything, right?

Attention to all smarty-pants, and the parents/guardians of those smarty-pants! Excellence Night is this coming Thursday. Any student who attended MD last year and had an average of 80% or higher will be receiving their award at the ceremony. Not sure if you quite made that 80% average cut-off or not? There is a list of everyone eligible to attend posted in the office window, so please check to see if you are on it or not.

Have you ever been in the school Monday or Tuesday after school, or Wednesday morning and heard the magnificent melodic music simply moving through the halls? It isn't too late yet to come join our Senior Jazz band (practises Monday from 3:30-5:00), Senior Concert band (Tuesday 3:30-5:00) or Choir (Wednesday morning at 8:15). All three ensembles are always looking for new recruits, so don't hesitate to come on out!

Well that is Milton District in a nutshell for this week! See you back here next week for our super spooky Halloween Edition of the Mustang Messenger!

"DATELINE DRURY"



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E.C. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL

While collecting updates for this week's article, we noticed that E.C is not only helping out within the school but is also getting involved in community events. In the spirit of generosity we'd like to dedicate this column to all the people of Milton who like to help out.

Ode to Generosity

This week Drury is making a stand

To lend Michelle a helping hand

To support her and her loved ones

Drury has decided to raise some funds

Lots of different events have been arranged

So through this week bring your spare change

To all the Spartans looking for community hours

Get hooked up in guidance they have the powers

If you have spare time during period three

Come help out with the kids in special needs

Volunteers are needed at Martin Street School

Ask Mrs. Sheppard, and don't be a tool!

Houldcroft helped out the girls basketball team

Winning against Acton, 52-23

They've been undefeated in their 10-0 season

So come out on Friday, it'll be pleasin'

Also for girls, we've got ice hockey

If you're interested, talk to McPhee

Intramurals are coming up if you're wanting to play

Sign up for floor hockey are found in the bay

Also, in the bay you can buy your dance ticket

With all the great music, for sure, it will be wicked!

Help out student government and buy your ticket today,

It's only seven dollars, so it won't be wasted away

As you can see, Spartans help and care

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