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Hello Mustangs! The flip flops are back, and the sunglasses are on because spring has finally arrived and MDHS students are celebrating! Spring sports are starting, and exciting activites, are helping kick off the last stretch of this school year!

The girls soccer team traveled to Oakville on Tuesday for their first tournament of the year. Although the girls came up short, they gave it their all and fans got a glimpse of their potential for the upcoming season.

On Friday, the junior boys soccer team boarded the bus and participated in their first tournment of the season. The boys won one game and lost three, but the experience gained by the newer players was the real highlight of the day. It was a good time for all and Mustangs fans can't wait to see the boys in action later in the season!

MDHS's very own improv team travelled to Toronto on Thursday night to compete in the Canadian Improv Games. It was obvious from the start that this A-team was a crowd favourite. The team did extremely well and received 3rd place overall. Way to go guys!

The Student Athletic Association is following up their trip to the Raptors game, with a trip to the Bue Jays home opener tonight! The Raptors game was enjoyed by all as it was a very successful, sold out trip! The Jays home opener is also sold out and is promising to be a very enjoyable trip for staff and students!

MDHS is on the move again, this time to Washington and the Big Apple. On April 28th, the Mustangs board the bus and head down to Washington for four days of history and of course, shopping! And speaking of shopping, in May, the arts department is heading down to New York City (shopping capital of the world) to experience the urban culture first hand. They will be spending four fabulous days visiting the amazing museums and strolling the streets of Manhattan hoping to soak up some of the artisite flavour that is New York City.

With the weather heating up it is oftentimes difficult to do homework and study for tests. Being outside is all you can think about and the warmth of the sun makes it hard to concentrate. But don't give in! Only three more months left of school and then it's parties and barbeques all summer long! So even though the sun is calling your name, try and keep your mind on the science homework in front of you! Alright mustangs, have a good week and take it easy!







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E.G. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL

## THE IDIOT'S GUIDE TO SURVIVING HIGH SCHOOL

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First: Get Your Qualifications

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As you all (hopefully) know by now, graduating does not simply entail passing all your courses. There is more to getting your diploma than receiving good grades.

A passing grade on the Literacy Test is a must for those who want to graduate after grade twelve. The grade tens recently completed this year's Literacy Test after weeks of preparation, and their collective sigh was audible from the top of the Locker Bay. That's one less thing they have to worry about! Many thanks to Mrs. Newcombe, Mr. Adams and Mr. Keane for all their hard work.

This feeling of worry is gripping many grade twelve students who are scrambling to complete their forty hours of community involvement. You cannot graduate without all forty hours, so get cracking. If you're short on ideas, contact the Guidance office for many volunteer opportunities.

#### Secondly: Stay Active

The key to a healthy high school career is healthy living. There are plenty of opportunities at Drury to stay active and competitive, and we urge you to check them out.

The Girls' Rugby Team is kicking off their season, and will competing against other local high schools on April 10th. Hopefully all their hard work will pay off. But remember: winning isn't as important as having fun!

In other sports news, the Boys' Soccer Team has been struggling recently, but our sources say that they have been rapidly improving over the past few weeks during practice. We expect to see some fine soccer-playing in the next few weeks. Keep up the good work!

### Thirdly: Get Involved

There is a variety of ways to have your voice heard at Drury, and we've got the lo down on all of them.

For all the seniors out there, prom is right around the corner. The results are in from the school sanctioned versus non-school sanctioned vote that took place last week. The verdict? Non-school sanctioned. Thanks to all who voted and voiced their opinion!

You could further get involved with the latest technological activities: Drury will be competing in the Skills Competition at Robert Bateman High School in Burlington on April 12th, and all are welcome. There will be a myriad of tech classes from Drury-such as TV/Video Production, Web Design, Culinary Arts, Autobody, Construction and many more-competing against other schools. The competition begins at 7:30 am and runs until 7:30 pm, so round up the family and check it out.

### Finally: Expand Your Horizons

There are always opportunities at Drury to explore the world beyond campus, such as field trips and tournaments. The students who traveled to Italy have been regaling with us with tales of their adventures, complete with photo proof, and thoroughly enjoyed their trip. In addition, Mr. Keane's English classes had the chance to visit Toronto to see a movie on March 30th, and had the time of their lives. Last but not least, the Senior School Reach Team went to Hamilton on March 31st for their final tournament. The season is now over, but don't miss the Teacher versus Students Tournament, which will take place in the coming weeks.

Well, there you have it, folks. Our Idiot's Guide to Surviving High School. We hope it was helpful, and we expect all of you to meet Drury's qualifications, stay active, and get involved. See you next week!

## "THE ROYAL REPORT"









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# BISHOP REDING HIGH SCHOOL

## Greetings from your Inside Sources!

Attention all Bishop Reding athletes: try-outs for spring sports are now beginning! Whether you're into baseball, softball or soccer doesn't matter, what does matter is that all of these sports are currently beginning. If you haven't been involved in the great Bishop Reding sports program, now is an excellent time to join. The try-outs for these sports are being announced daily, so get involved! Sports are a great way to stay in shape, meet new friends and make memories that will last a lifetime. The next time you hear an announcement looking for soccer players, baseball players, or softball players, don't just pass it by; take the opportunity to go out and have some fun.

Over the next few weeks, Bishop Reding will be busy raising money and awareness for a host of important causes. As mentioned in an earlier addition of the Royal Report. Hamiltonís Esther Pauls takes a trip to Haiti every year to help the less fortunate build orphanages and schools to improve their quality of life. Under the direction of Ms. Lee, BR is now showing their support for Ms. Paulsí inspirational cause. From March 27 until April 7, each grade is rallying together to raise as much money as they can for the project. On Thursday April 13, the Grade 12 Canada and World Issues Class will be running a paid civvies day. On Monday April 17, Bishop Reding will proudly present their contribution to Ms. Pauls and hopefully we can demonstrate the tremendous impact her work and dedication has had on us. In addition to the Haiti fundraising, Ms. Leeís Canada and World Issues class will also be running the Easter Food Drive from April 3 until April 13. All students are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items into their homeroom classes. These items should be of high nutritional value. Special thanks to all staff and students who participate in these worthy causes.

On April 25 at 7pm, the Bishop Reding Choir will be singing at a Blue Jays game. This game is between the Baltimore Orioles and the Toronto Blue Jays, and the cost is \$25. This includes a bus at 5pm from Bishop Reding to the game, and from the game when it ends. The tickets from this package are level 100 seats. If you buy more than 4 tickets, they are only \$23, including the transportation. Mrs. Caruanaís choir will be singing the Canadian and American national anthems, and they have been practicing diligently for months. This is a huge step for the choir, as they have never had this much exposure before. Come out and support our choir!

As the weeks push on, we get closer and closer to the summer. Make the most of the remaining school year by getting involved with the various events, clubs and teams that make Bishop Reding so unique. We wish you all the best in the coming week!

# PREPARE FORTHE ROAD AHEAD.

# Next courses:

# 2 WEEKENDS

May 6,7,13,14 9:30 am -4:15 pm

# 2 WEEKENDS

June 3, 4, 10, 11 9:30 am -4:15 pm



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