

# HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

## "MUSTANG MESSENGER"



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### MILTON DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Just two weeks into the new semester, and life at Milton District couldn't be busier. There is lots to look forward to, so get ready Mustangs for a fun-filled February up ahead.

To start it all off, in just a few short days MD's seniors will be dining and dancing in style at the much-anticipated Semi-Formal, or as we'd like to call it...Red Carpet Night. Friday February 23rd is sure to be a night to remember. With exclusive catering from Matt's Ribhouse, and Z 103 as the DJ, this event promises to be unforgettable. In case you haven't bought your ticket yet, don't worry they are still being sold! Tomorrow is the last day tickets will be sold for \$30 periods three and four, no tickets will be sold at the door, so it is imperative that you buy yours ASAP! Also, remember that your invitation is your Semi-Formal ticket, so don't forget to bring it along on the 23rd!

In other exciting news, auditions for the school play are finally over and the cast list has been posted! 20 very deserving people have been cast to play parts in MD's upcoming theatre production. Last year's play was a huge success, and this year's will without a doubt also exceed everyone's expectations.

MD has always done a great job of making school seem...well...a lot more than just school. MD is yet again adding a new addition to the school environment that is completely un-academically related. A new part of the school website called Student Corner is now officially up and running. If you are interested in having your art, poetry, band photos, or music posted check out details in the ComTech room.

Although we love it when school is all fun and games, there is still some important news to be shared, especially for the Grads. Just a reminder that there are many scholarship deadline dates that are fast-approaching, so be sure to visit Students Services and pick up an application or two. Along with scholarship applications it is also important to be thinking about your 40 hours of community involvement required for graduation. If you have not completed this, The Canadian Federation of University Women is having its 34th Annual Book Sale at the Milton Mall on March 30th and 31st and is need of volunteers. Volunteers are needed to help sort books, as well as during the sale. If you are interested, go to Student Services ASAP to sign up.

Well Mustangs, another week of school is up ahead, so in the meantime keep busy and have fun!

## "DATELINE DRURY"



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### E.C. DRURY HIGH SCHOOL

We're still kicking the snow out of our boots from that snow day. (Our backs are also sore from shovelling so much darn snow...) We certainly couldn't think of a better way to celebrate the Valentines day than getting the day off of school and using our spare time to sleep in, hang out with friends, avoid withstanding homework, and go tobogganing...or nothing at all. Steve chose the latter. We all enjoyed this long overdue day of mayhem in the snow. We hope for many more in the future.

The Valentine's Day celebrations at school commenced on the following day, where many flowers, heart shaped boxes filled with goodies, and Valentine cards were seen floating down the hall. Everyone received his or her candy grams with glee. Love is truly in the air here at Drury, although not for the teachers, who actually expected the students to complete their homework during the snow day...We like to call it tough love.

Speaking of tough love, both the girls volley ball team and our wrestlers showed no mercy to their opponents this week. The volleyball team claimed third out of roughly 20 schools at the tournament last Friday, while our wrestlers had their final tune-up before GHAC on Friday and Saturday. Gold medal winners included Bobby Fillman, Duncan Moffat, Jordan Stepto, and Kevin Iwasa-Madge. This makes Iwasaga-Madge's 11th gold medal of the season. Just one more win will give him the record for the most gold wins in a season by a Drury Wrestler. So don't screw up, Kevin.

Our swim team also showed off their strokes at their swim meet this past Tuesday at McMaster University. Our junior girl's relay team made the finals for GHAC, an impressive feat for our team. Good luck at GHAC!

And who knows more about swimming than even our esteemed swimmers? The school REACH team of course! The REACH team dominated at their tournament on Thursday last week using their skills of knowing things that no one else seems to know. They won first place, proving E.C. Drury has both brawns and brain.

With all these victories here at Drury, we think it's time to celebrate. Our suggestion? Come to our annual semi-formal, which takes place this year on March 2nd. This year is sure to be a showstopper with the theme being "Old Hollywood Glam". Tickets on sale now, so be sure to buy yours soon (if you're not too broke from Valentine's Day!)

And we can't forget our Serious About Success celebration on Thursday evening, where students here at Drury were given congratulations for their efforts both academically and as citizens of our proud school.

Now we're off for more fun in the snow. See you next week! (Assuming we can still make it to school through the snow banks.)

## "THE ROYAL REPORT"



Erin Hetherington Lindsay Johnston Julia Riddell

### BISHOP REDING HIGH SCHOOL

Embracing diversity and individuality is very important to Bishop Reding, both as one of Milton's high schools and a faith community. During Multicultural month at BR, students are having the opportunity to learn more about great leaders of different races and cultures. During the announcements each morning, a new influential person is revealed to the school, and his or her accomplishments in Peacekeeping and Faith are highlighted. Posters of these great people and their missions are visible in the hallways as well, to encourage students to learn something new, and help celebrate diversity in our school.

As a tribute to diversity in a faith community, Bishop Reding invites everyone to attend an Evening of Multicultural Celebration. On Thursday March 1, 2007, our school is privileged to play host to Dr. Christopher Spence, an accomplished educator and community advocate whose motivational programs continue to inspire children and adults alike.

Dr. Spence is recognized for outstanding contributions to education and community advocacy. He is the winner of several awards, including an outstanding Alumni award from Simon Fraser University, and the Canadian Black Achievement Award for professional Achievement and Community Leadership. Dr. Spence is both a successful filmmaker and author, and his motivational speeches are renowned. He is currently the Director of Education for the Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board.

Dr. Spence will be addressing the audience in a motivational speech on the theme "What it means to be different and being your best." In light of this theme, students will present expressions of their own culture and individuality. These will include readings of poetry and prose, art presentations, and dance. There will also be musical performances by the concert band, choir, and selected vocalists. The evening begins at 7:00pm, and admission is only \$2.00. All proceeds will be donated to Development and Peace.

Bishop Reding is very proud to present this evening, and it could not be possible without donations from a number of local contributors. Many thanks go to Brunello Restaurant, La Rose bakery, Pasqualino's Café and Bistro, and Main Street Donuts, who will be providing the refreshments for the evening. Thanks also to Mr. Alfano and Ms. Caruana, the musical co-coordinators for the evening, Ms. Marsalek, the dance co-coordinator, and most especially, Mrs. Lee, by whose efforts, this celebration could not be possible. Your Inside Sources hope that everyone will join Bishop Reding in celebrating our diversity on this much anticipated evening.

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