

Lifestyle

Milton District High awards its top students

Milton District High School held its annual commencement on Friday Nov. 4 to recognize its graduates and award winners.

The evening began with music of the MDHS Concert Band followed by the greetings from the Halton Board and remarks by principal Greg McPherson.

Awards for Secondary School Honour Diplomas, Ontario Secondary School Diplomas and five-year awards were given out. Myrna Newell gave the introduction of the valedictorian, Angie Bell the valedictorian address and Tom Costain presented the valedictorian medal.

Myrna Newell won the Halton Board's Proficiency Prize and Pickett Shield Hands Fireworks Chemical for Science, the Canada Trust Scholarship for Mathematics and the Governor-General's Bronze Medalion along with being an Ontario Scholar. The Robertson-Whitehouse scholarship for mathematics went to Derek Plansky and Peter Lawrence won the Gerald de Koeijer Trophy for music.

The John Milton IOE Scholar ship and Terry DesLaurier Citizen

Cup went to Laelar Gundlack while Tania Buckrell won the art club award and the Reeves Art Award. Michelle Hjelm got the Milton Lions Club award and Lisa McDonald got the Milton Medical Staff Bursary.

The Lynn Featonby senior science fair award, provided by McDonalds, went to Liz Johnson for semester one, Michelle McDowell for semester two and Alex Reed for semester three. Alex Reed also won the Descartes Mathematics Award and was an Ontario Scholar.

Pauline Sharpe received the Rockwell International of Canada Lid Award and Plaque and Denise Mitchell received the Halton Community Credit Union Award for accounting. The Beta Sigma Phi Award was won by Marion Gillies and Marimo Kubota received the Ray Deumer Memorial Plaque and Award for Geography and the Solex Industrial Handling Equipment Award.

The Milton Oddfellows Lodge #2 Scholarship for Sociology was received by Ange Bell along with the Milton University Woman's Club Scholarship. Tracy Gregory received the Milton University Women's

Club (25th Anniversary) English Award while Kristen Gundlack won the Milton Rotary Music Award, the Creative Arts Award, and the Student Council Major Award, and was an Ontario Scholar.

The Dave Short Award for history was given to Cheryl Moulton and Brent Currie received the Town of Milton Business Education Award and the Ontario Secondary School Teachers Federation Award.

Kerry Sachau was given the Jean Bragstocke Memorial Award while Tracy Troake received the Evening Star Rebekah Lodge 79 Scholarship for English and another language. Shannon O'Connor got the Anne MacArthur Scholarship for History and the Admissions Scholarships was given to Rudy Tilstra.

The Halton Board of Education Certificates of Studies in Immersion were given to Andrew Bates, Tom Brommersma, Tom Costain, Rick Englert, Jennifer Glidden, Tracy Gregory, Kirsten Gundlack, Laelar Gundlack, Adam Heany, Heather Kerr, Marimo Kubota, Ed Lawrence, Peter Lawrence, Kristina Love, Julia McDuffe, Egan Quin, Tracy Troake, Dan Walker and Jennifer Yoshida.



Photo by JEFF PASQUALE
Milton District High School principal Greg McPherson is flanked by students Angie Bell (left) who acted as valedictorian at recent commencement ceremonies and Myrna Newman who introduced Angie at the event. Academic achievement awards were handed out that evening. Both Angie and Myrna are Ontario Scholars.

MDHS Ontario Scholars



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DEREK PLANSKY JENNIFER YOSHIDA BRENT CURRIE RICHARD SHIRE MYRNA NEWMAN ANGIE BELL MICHELLE HJELM SHANNON O'CONNOR MIKE MARTONFI
KATHY GRIFFITHS LIZ JOHNSON DENISE MICHEL CAROLINE WOODS DONNA FULLER SANDIE SNYDER STEVE MISHOS GORDON LESLIE ROSARIA BELVEDERE

Parade will welcome Santa to town Sunday afternoon

Santa Claus is set to roll into town on Sunday. The town is holding a parade in his honour with the festivities beginning at 2 p.m.

This year's parade is shaping up to be as colourful and entertaining as the 1987 event.

The event will cost approximately \$11,000, the same as last year. However, it's a little short as only \$2,300 has been raised.

The parade committee ran a raffle last year which raised some money, but there were not enough commit-

tee members available to sell tickets this year, so the raffle was dropped.

The bulk of the money will have to be raised the day of the parade through the sale of balloons and buttons. Donation buckets will line the parade route.

To date only 65 floats and bands have committed to participate in the event. Last year there were 80 entries, but organizers are optimistic that this year's event will shape up by Sunday.

The parade begins at 2 p.m. at

Milton Fair Grounds. It should take at least an hour to make its way along Main St. to Memorial Arena on Thompson Road.

It will travel to Main St. from Hugh, King and Bell streets. There will be no parking available on Main St. from 1-4 p.m.



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