



Long may she wave

Burkevale School principal Clara Piotrowski accepts an Ontario flag for the school, to be flown from the school's flagpole, from local BP dealer Hans Rick. The new flag is meant to replace the school's previous flag which was stolen.

Sacred Heart honours 34

Sacred Heart Public School in Midland held its graduation ceremony Thursday night, 34 students moving up in the world of education.

Entering Grade 9 will be Brent Bidan, Chris Borsa, Suzanne Bourgeois, Jean Brown, Paula Denis, Marisa Dezotti, Chantal Duenkel, Susan Ford, Helga Fritz, Mark Gieseler, Donna Gondreault, Carol Grasvenor, Douglas Haworth, Carolin Heyer, Stephen Hutchinson, Stephen Lefaive, Daniela Lise, Lisa Logan, Steven Logan, Mike Magloughlin, Steven Maheu, Murray Mason, Susan Moreau, Pat Murray, Andy Norton, Keith Proulx, James Quesnelle, Kevin Robitaille, Bill Russell, Anne Schwarz, Chris Smith, Mickey St. Amand, Angela Sovey and Daniel Dorion.

Following the presentation of certificates to the graduates, academic and athletic awards were presented.

Chris Borsa and Suzanne Bourgeois received the top boy and girl athlete awards, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Karwacki of Midland.

The Y's Men's Club's Citizenship award was next with Marisa Dezotti receiving that honour.

Chantal Duenkel was the lucky recipient of the School Spirit award as donated by Mr. Don Beauchamp.

Sportsmanship awards were given to Keith Proulx and Carol Grasvenor those awards

provided by Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray.

In the academic end of things, Helga Fritz received the English award as sponsored by Mr. N. Dillon, Carol Grosvenor received the French award as provided by the Richelieu Club, Suzanne Bourgeois was given the Geography award as donated by Mrs. C. Hamelin, Paula Denis received the History award as sponsored by the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, Susan Ford received the Mathematics award as

sponsored by the Catholic Women's League, Chris Borsa received the Science award as sponsored by Mr. R. Augimeri, Paula Denis and Stephen Lefaive shared the honour of Most Improved Students as sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. G. Lalonde and Susan Ford was given the award for Academic Achievement as sponsored by Sacred Heart School.

Susan Ford rounded out the evening with the valedictorian address on behalf of her fellow graduates.

Council unswayed by Dion's opposition

The town police will be getting a new \$2,981 radar to use to track speeders. Councillor Lionel Dion was the lone opponent of the purchase at Monday's council meeting.

Council's senior member pointed out that fines resulting from speeding tickets handed out by the town police are sent to the province. He didn't see why the town should spend nearly \$3,000 "to fatten the coffers of the provincial government."

Council was told that the cost of repairing the town's present radar would be over \$2,000.

Deputy-reeve Frances St. Amant said that "it is not a matter of where the money goes," but a matter of law and order. The town police need a radar gun to be able to stop drivers from speeding in the town, she said.

The clerk informed council that speeders can be charged under municipal bylaws, but that convictions are more easily gained if the offender is taken to court under the provincial statute.

Money for the new radar was included in the 1981 budget.

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