

Highlands School

Awards' program

WHITCHURCH — Kelly McGregor, RR 1, Gormley, earned the Academic Achievement Award at Whitchurch-Highlands Public School for the highest average among Grade eight graduates. It was over 92 per cent.

The presentation was made at graduation exercises, June 27.

The valedictorian, Lisa Addison, RR 4, Stouffville, won the highly prized Staff Award for all-round proficiency.

A new prize this year, the School Spirit Award for participation and co-operation, was presented to Julie Hisey. Paul Berger was selected top Grade eight male athlete and JoAnne Woodcock was chosen top female athlete.

In her valedictory address, Lisa Addison said, "Out of all my eight years in public school, this year was the busiest and the most memorable."

"This year was as much fun as it was educational," she continued.

Praising the staff, she described the teachers as "very dedicated". Their friendliness and warmth made school pleasurable, she said.

On behalf of all Grade eight graduates, she thanked the staff and their principal, Mr. McRoberts, "for making this the best year possible."

The students presented awards to John Hopkins, for being the best (and only) home

room teacher; Bob Burrows, for being a teacher as well as a friend; Wolf Buchholz, for his enjoyable jokes; and Sue Boyne, for being a great "sport" (and great athletic coach). They recognized their principal for being "one of the best".

In an emotional farewell address, home room teacher, John Hopkins, said he had taught many exceptional students, but "as a group, this class strikes me as the most exceptional in my experience."

Noting their mature attitude and positive outlook, he said he was thankful for the opportunity of getting to know them so well.

Though he had become attached to his class, he said, "we have come to the point where we must say goodbye. I hope you will all come back and see me."

Graduates are Jimmy Adamson, Lisa Addison, Paul Berger, Steven Bojahnra, Mike Brown, John Colbers, Chris Conolly, Dave Coulter, Mark Dekkema, Laurie Ferris, Lisa Freeman, Pierrette Gibson, Karen Greenwood, Michelle Henderson, Julie Hisey, Cindy Janzen, Patsy Jennings, Kathy Kingdon, Vicki Lloyd, Kelly McGregor, Cathy Merkle, Lynn Missingham, Margie Pliakes, Donny Ross, Laurie Shaw, Laura Summerfeldt, Diana Voldner, Jackie Warford, JoAnne Woodcock, Sheila Wright.



Kelly McGregor, RR 1, Gormley, received the Academic Achievement Award when Whitchurch-Highlands Public School

held its Grade 8 graduation ceremony, June 27. The presentation was made by room teacher, John Hopkins. —Ed Schroeter.

Inflation

MARKHAM — A 1931 Model "A" Ford worth \$14,400?

That's right, at the three-day show and sale, June 22, 23 and 24 at Markham Fairgrounds, operated by ABC Auctions Ltd.

And several onlookers called it "a steal".

The event featured some of the rarest cars to be found anywhere in

Canada. Most were "up for grabs", if the price was right. In the auction, many failed to reach the reserve figure set previously.

Included were such "relics" as a 1928 Model "A" Touring; a 1931 Chevrolet Roadster; and possibly the oldest auto in the show, a 1909 Holman. None of these sold as bids failed to come even close to prices expected.

Sheep Show

The annual Sheep Fairgrounds, McCowan Show will be held July 13 to July 15 at the Markham Road and 18th Avenue.

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Gormley students

Academic honors

By EVELYN MILSTED GORMLEY — Congratulations to Marnie Ashton who won the General Improvement Award in Grade 8 at Crosby Heights School. Marnie also won the Sr. Award for the most improved twirler with the Richmond Hill Majorettes.

Susan Rosenberger and Brenda Near shared the Achievement Trophy for Grade 7 at Lake Wilcox Public School. Each girl received a smaller trophy which she can keep. Michael Wright received an Achievement Award for Grade 7 and Dale Wright won a Badge for perfect attendance in Grade 4 for the year.

The two houses on the townline, owned by the Dept. of Highways for seventeen years were sold by public auction Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ashton bought the house where they have lived for seventeen years. Mr. and Mrs. Payne from Uxbridge purchased the former Pope residence for \$81,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gray of Shelburne were week-end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Rosenberger.

Steven Campey and Mark Zane attended a one week Leadership Training course at Emmanuel Bible College, Kitchener.

Donna Doner underwent surgery Friday for a torn cartilage in her knee. She is recuperating at home.

Sheila, Timothy,

Christopher and Wendy Cober are holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Lehman at Collegeville, Pennsylvania.

Rev. and Mrs. James Cober attended the Ministers' Conference at Messiah College, Grantham, Pennsylvania.

The Women's Institute held a successful bake and yard sale Friday and Saturday.

The Gideons will be in charge of the service at 11 a.m., Sunday, July 8 in Heise Hill Church.

Mrs. Allan Pope of Glen Orchard visited recently with neighbors here.

A special Gospel Concert will be presented at 8 p.m., Friday, July 6 in the Missionary Church with soloist Sharon Brumbaugh and pianist Robin Howard of Arcola, Indiana.

The Christ Crusaders will enjoy a week-end at Four Mile Lake, Haliburton.

Rev. William Vanderbent of Richmond Hill will speak at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., Sunday, July 8 at the Missionary Church.

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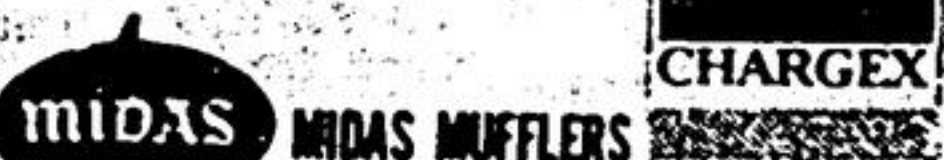
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The Tribune has attempted to cover all school graduation programs in the area, with write-ups and pictures. If your school's ceremony has not yet appeared in print, we ask your patience for one more week.

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