

HUSKIES HIGHLIGHT REEL

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST :

- > Midterm exams begin on Friday, January 20th and end on Friday, January 27th
- > Midterm reports will be released on Friday, February 10th
- > Parent teacher interviews will take place on Thursday, February 16th

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MPSH Huskie Recognition Program

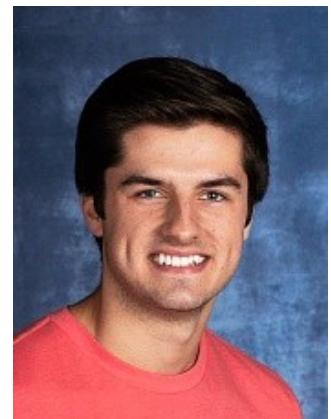
On Tuesday, December 20, 2011, MPSH held its second Huskie Recognition Program Assembly. **183** students were acknowledged for their many achievements: 91 for Academic Achievement, 36 for Work Ethic, 26 for Huskie Ambassador, 15 for Volunteerism, 10 for Academic Improvement, and 5 for Outstanding Performance.

Also, two students who have shown true Huskie spirit were chosen and each awarded a \$120.00 Village Mall gift certificate. The winners at the second Huskie Assembly of the 2011-2012 school year were Emmalee Lethbridge and Erica Hayward. Both Emmalee and Erica received nominations in the areas of Academic Achievement and Huskie Ambassador

Huskie Awarded \$20,000 Scholarship From New York Film School

2011 graduate of Mount Pearl Senior High, Jeffrey Sullivan, was recently awarded a \$20,000 talent based scholarship for the 2-Year Musical Theatre and Film Conservatory Program at The New York Film Academy (NYFA).

Congratulations Jeffrey!!!



Awards Night

Mount Pearl Senior High School held its annual Scholarships and Awards Ceremony on Monday December 19th. Students, parents/guardians, family members, and friends joined teachers and special guests to watch graduates of the Class of 2011 receive their diplomas during a traditional cap and gown ceremony. Craig Adams, Senior Education Officer brought greetings from the Eastern School District and trustees. Morgan Hounsell, the School Traditional Band and the Mount Pearl Show Choir provided entertainment during the evening.

The winners of the school’s internal major awards and scholarships, as selected by the school scholarship committee, were publicly named and presented. Mount Pearl Senior was given a gold banner last year by the NL Athletic Federation recognizing it as the best overall athletic school in the province last year. Over \$100,000 in external scholarships were awarded to the graduating class.



The Edith Allison Peters Scholarship, given to the student of the year, was awarded to Krista Burton who also won the Principal’s award plaque for highest academic standing over the three year program and The Governor General’s Academic Medal, given to the student with the highest academic standing in level two and three. A total of thirty-four individual scholarships were presented. Of the 145 graduates, 57 students graduated with honours status according to the Department of Education guidelines (38.5% compared to a provincial average of 26.1%).

GRADUATION STATUS

	07-08		08-09		09-10		10-11	
	School	Province	School	Province	School	Province	School	Province
Honours	28.1%	25.1%	34.9%	23.1%	32.9%	25.2%	38.5%	26.1%
Academic	43.1%	35.7%	50.0%	40.9%	39.3%	39.5%	35.1%	40.6%
General	28.8%	39.3%	15.1%	36.0%	27.7%	35.2%	26.4%	33.3%

Mount Pearl Senior High outperformed the province in eight of the twelve provincial public exam courses

Course	Number Students	MPSH Mark	Province	% Pass Exam	% Pass Course
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FRENCH 3200	11.0	74.7	73.1	90.9	100.0
FRANCAIS 3201 (FI)	34.0	75.9	73.7	100.0	100.0
MATHEMATICS 3204	94.0	72.7	61.9	81.9	88.3
MATHEMATICS 3205	60.0	81.7	79.3	96.7	98.3
WORLD HISTORY 3201	64.0	64.7	69.4	76.6	89.1
WORLD GEOGRAPHY 3202	59.0	68.0	68.0	89.8	98.3
HISTOIRE MONDIALE 3201	35.0	68.3	69.0	80.0	91.4
BIOLOGY 3201	78.0	66.3	64.0	76.9	94.9
CHEMISTRY 3202	54.0	71.7	71.1	83.3	90.7
PHYSICS 3204	39.0	72.4	73.9	87.2	92.3
EARTH SYSTEMS 3209	53.0	66.2	61.5	75.5	98.1
ENGLISH 3201	130.0	69.1	66.2	94.6	96.9

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Class of 2011 - Graduated With Honours

As Listed by the Newfoundland Department of Education, August 2011

Brushett, Renee	Hounsell, Morgan	Martin, Victoria	Sheppard, Stephanie
Bull, Alexa	Hynes, April	McGrath, Andrew	Sullivan, Jeffrey
Burton, Krista	Jewer, Robert	Morris, Jeffrey	Taylor, Amy
Dawe, Hilary	Juteau, Daniel	Morris, Michael	Tucker, Christopher
Decker, Stephanie	Kenny, Stephanie	O'Connor, Jayne	Verge, Nicole
DeLouche, Jordan	Knight, Laura	O'Reilly, Jennifer	Voigt, Matthew
Dove, Rachelle	Lambert, Claire	O'Reilly, Melissa	Wall, Andrea
Everard, Kylie	Langdon, Kara	Parmenter, Stacey	Whelan, Kaitlyn
Fitzgerald, Michael	Lawlor, Sarah	Penney, Thomas	Whitten, Melissa
Ford, Zachary	Leonard, Sean	Perry, Angela	Williams, Ryan
Forward, Justin	Lingard, Robyn	Power, Jessica	Youden, Matthew
Fowler, Amanda	Mackey, Stephanie	Rose, Nicholas	Young, Zachary
Gosse, Victoria	Madden, Casey	Scanlan, Ian	
Gray, Courtney	Mallard, Susan	Seward, Jordan	
Hiscock, Claire	Mandville, Bryan	Sheppard, Emily	

Graduates

Allen, Kali Sue	Drover, Sarah	King, Jennifer	Rockwood, Jessica
Allen, Nikola	Durdle, Cody	Lake, Mason	Rowe, Jasmine
Baggs, Ryan	Efford, Lindsey	Lamkin, Samantha	Rowe, Nathan
Barnes, Gerald	English, Emily	Lane, Chantelle	Rowsell, Matthew
Bishop, Kaitlin	Evans, Jessica	Leslie, Joshua	Snow, Jennifer
Bonnell, Kayla	Ford, Craig	Lethbridge, Shane	Somers, Ryan
Bonnell, Kristie	Forsey, Tyler	Locke, Jonathon	Spurrell, Michael
Burton, Jessica	French, Lenny	Lynch, Jordan	Wallace, Samantha
Callahan, Shannen	Froggatt, Rianne	Mason, Dylan	Welcher, Jessica
Campbell, Charlotte	Gosse, Mitchell	McLeod, Cory	White, Kayla
Chafe, Adam	Guy, Kelsey	Mercer, Maxwell	Whitty, Shauna
Chesney, Ashley	Hammond, Ryan	Miller, John	Wiseman, Sara
Corcoran, Michael	Heisting, Brett	Moulton, Tyler	Yetman, James
Cox, James	Hill, Krista	Noftall, Jillian	Yetman, Ryan
Croft, Annie	Hiscock, Daniel	Norman, Ashley	
Croft, Jalisa	Hodge, Amy	O'Brien, Danika	
Croke, Michael	Howlett, Andrew	O'Neill, Sarah	
Daley, Erika	Hynes, Tyler	Oliver, Lisa	
Davis, Stephanie	Ings, Alexander	Osmond, Jeffrey	
Decker, Raeanne	Ivey, Matthew	Pierson, Melissa	
Denine, Lindsay	Janes, Tyler	Pike, Alannah	
Didham, Michael	Keats, Hilary	Reid, Michael	
Douglas, Rebecca	Kelloway, Collin	Rice, Erin	
Drodge, Zachery	Kelly, Ryan	Rideout, Brandon	
Drover, Brent	Kennedy, Samantha	Rideout, Joshua	

School, Community and Board Scholarships

Gordon Christian Memorial Scholarship Excellence in Music (\$100)	Jeffrey Osmond
Peters and J.P. Blackwood Leadership Award Involvement in School and Community (\$100)	Krista Burton
Dr. L. Curtis Award Perseverance of Studies (\$100)	Raeanne Decker
John Vivian Memorial Scholarship Computer Involvement/Applications (\$500)	Krista Burton
David Hodder Memorial Scholarship Academic Excellence in Mathematics (\$250)	Daniel Juteau
City of Mount Pearl Scholarship Academic Excellence, Involvement, Service (\$250)	Sean Leonard
Town of Paradise Scholarship Academic Excellence, Involvement, Service (\$250)	Amanda Fowler
Kinsmen George Wicks Memorial Service Scholarship Academic Excellence, School/Community Service (\$250)	Daniel Juteau
Mount Pearl Lions Memorial Scholarship Academic Excellence, Progress, Involvement (\$150)	Jennifer O'Reilly
Mount Pearl Lions Memorial Scholarship Service to School (\$150)	Morgan Hounsell/Stephanie Mackey/Claire Hiscock
Mount Pearl/Paradise Chamber of Commerce Award Academic Excellence and Entrepreneurial Spirit (\$500)	Jennifer O'Reilly
Mount Pearl Senior High School Drama Club Award Excellence in the Performing Arts (\$150)	Dylan Mason
Excellence in English Literature Award Highest Mark in Most Challenging Literature Courses (\$100)	Krista Burton
Advanced Mathematics Excellence Award Highest Mark in Advanced Math Courses (\$100)	Daniel Juteau
Social Studies Excellence Award Highest Average in Social Studies (\$200)	Kara Langdon
Joanne J. Sparkes Mathematics Award Passion and Enthusiasm Towards Mathematics (\$100)	Krista Burton
Second Language Enthusiasm Award Passion and Enthusiasm Towards Learning French (\$200)	Rachelle Dove
Science Enthusiasm Award Academic Achievement and Enthusiasm in Science (\$100)	Jessica Power/Ryan Williams

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School, Community and Board Scholarships

Roy Anthony Physics Award Highest Average in Physics 3204 (\$50)	Krista Burton
Lifetouch Visual Arts Award Artistic Talent and Interest in Visual Arts (\$100)	Rachelle Dove
Mount Pearl Senior High Perseverance Award Hard Work to Reach Potential (\$100)	Nicole Verge
Student Community Volunteer Award Contribution to School and Community	Sean Leonard
Advanced Placement Excellence Award Excellence in all Advanced Placement Courses (\$200)	Alexa Bull, Krista Burton
Mount Pearl Show Choir Award Excellence in Choral Music Program (\$300)	Sean Leonard
Royal Bank of Canada Award Graduate Pursuing Post-Secondary Business Degree (\$1000)	Krista Burton
Skilled Trades Scholarship Aptitude, Positive Attitude and Academic Achievement (\$100)	Jordan Lynch/Stephanie Decker/Alexa Bull
Michelle Jackson Performing Arts Award Pursuit of Post-Secondary Studies (\$200)	Susan Mallard/Jeff Sullivan
Rev. G.S. Milligan Scholarship Academic Excellence - Third Place in Level III (\$125)	Daniel Juteau
Rev. G.S. Milligan Scholarship Academic Excellence - Second Place in Level III (\$125)	Sean Leonard
Mount Pearl Senior High Academic Excellence Award Academic Excellence - First Place in Level III (\$150)	Krista Burton
Governor General's Academic Medal Highest Academic Standing in Levels II and III	Krista Burton
Principal's Award Plaque Highest Academic Standing over Three Year Program	Krista Burton
Edith Allison Peters Scholarship Graduating Student of the Year (\$300)	Krista Burton

Scholarships and Awards Previously Presented

Memorial University of Newfoundland Entrance Scholarship \$2,000	Sean Leonard
Dr. Leslie Harris Memorial University Alumni Association Scholarship \$4,000	Sean Leonard
Mount Pearl South Electoral District Scholarship \$1000	Sean Leonard
Eastern School District Foundation Scholarship \$1000	Sean Leonard
Mount Pearl Men's Slowpitch Softball Scholarship \$500	Jonathan Locke
University of Moncton Entrance Scholarship \$1000	Stephanie Mackey
Canadian Heritage Student Fellowship \$3600	Stephanie Mackey
Bourse B'Accueil Merité Académique \$1000	Stephanie Mackey
Patrimoine Canadien Minoritaire \$1000	Stephanie Mackey
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Casey Madden
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Bryan Mandville
Husky Energy Dependent Scholarship \$1800	Bryan Mandville
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$2,000	Andrew McGrath
Memorial University of Newfoundland Entrance Scholarship \$2,000	Andrew McGrath
Memorial University of Newfoundland Entrance Scholarship \$2,000	Jennifer O'Reilly
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$2,000	Jennifer O'Reilly
Mount Pearl North Electoral District Scholarship \$1000	Jennifer O'Reilly
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Stacey Parmenter
Mount Pearl Men's Recreational Softball League Scholarship \$500	Thomas Penney
Sir Frederick Fraser Award \$500	Alannah Pike
APSEA Post Secondary Scholarship \$1500	Alannah Pike
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Jessica Power
St. John's Port Authority Scholarship \$1000	Nicholas Rose
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Ian Scanlan
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Jordan Seward
New York Film Academy \$20,000	Jeffrey Sullivan
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Nicole Verge
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Matthew Voigt
Memorial University of Newfoundland Endowment Fund Scholarship \$1,000	Andrea Wall
Jim Isaac's Memorial Scholarship, Canadian Coast Guard Union \$1000	Andrea Wall
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MOUNT PEARL SENIOR HIGH
2012 Midyear Exam Schedule

DATE	8:30 A.M. START	12:00 NOON START
Friday January 20 Day 4	English 3201 Histoire du Canada 1231 (\$ English 3202 - Room 106/107	English 2201 Francais 3202 (\$ English 2202 - Room 106/107
Monday January 23 Day 5	Math 2204 Math 2205 Math 3207 Math 3103 AP Music 4227	Canadian Geography 1202 Canadian History 1201 Earth Science 2223 Francais 1202
Tuesday January 24 Day 6	W. Geography 3202 W. History 3201 Histoire Mondiale 3231 Francais 2202 (\$ W. Geography 3200 - Room 106/107	English 1201 Chemistry 3202 (\$ English 1202 - Room 106
Wednesday January 25 Day 7	Math 1201 Physics 3204	Biology 2201 (\$ Science 2200 - Room 106
Thursday January 26 Day 1	Math 3204 Math 3205 Physics 2204 (\$ Math 3206 - Room 106/107	Science 1206 Earth Systems 3209 (\$ Env. Science 3205 - Room 106
Friday January 27 Day 2	Biology 3201 (\$ Math 1202 - Room 106	Chemistry 2202

Notes:

- > Students with two exams scheduled at the same time are asked to see the Principal.
- > All exams are 2 hours; Tests are designated with a (\$) and are 1 hour.
- > All exams are to be written in the gym unless otherwise stated.
- > Students requiring alternate settings are to make arrangements with Ms. Short by Friday January 13th.
- > If the school is closed for a FULL DAY, the schedule continues in the same order just pushing the exams ahead a day. For example, if Wednesday is a storm day then Wednesday's exams are written the following day, Thursday. A HALF-DAY closure will cause the missed exams to be moved to the end of the exam schedule. Thus, if the morning session is missed then the afternoon exams continue as per the schedule that day and the morning exams are placed at the end of the exam period.

GUIDELINES FOR STUDENTS

DURING EXAMS

Any student seeking exemption or a student who misses an exam will require a medical certificate stating specifically the reason to be presented at the office on the day they return to school.

When you receive your exam check it to ensure you have the correct number of questions/pages. It's the student's responsibility to make sure the exam is intact. Adjustments will not be made after the exam is passed in for any missing pages.

Students will enter the exam room by the stage entrance only.

No textbooks or notebooks are to be brought into the exam room.

Cell Phones or other electronic devices are not permitted in the exam room with the exception of a required calculator.

Students may use a graphing calculator for math and science exams. All graphing calculators will be checked and ram will be cleared. If you have programs on the graphing calculator they will be erased.

When entering the exam room, note on the overhead projected on the wall which exam is being written in a particular row. Exams with large numbers are usually written in alternating rows.

All desks will be placed with the opening facing away from the students toward the stage.

Students should make sure they have ALL necessary supplies (do not rely on only one pen). DO NOT depend on borrowing any materials from other students.

Students will be permitted to leave the exam room after one (1) hour, unless there is a public exam being written concurrently with your exam. The release time is then 1.5 hours after the start time.

Students with any special requests during the exam period should see the administration PRIOR to the exam.

Any students caught attempting to cheat will have their exam cancelled and will be required to write the exam again. Exclusion from co-curricular/extra-curricular activities and/or suspensions may follow as a consequence.

No food or drink is permitted in the Exam Room.

Be sure to put your name and your teacher's name on all exam papers you use.

Good things at Christmas

The Bottom Line

1 in 5 Canadian Mothers can't afford enough diapers for their babies. The thought of so many babies, sitting in wet, uncomfortable diapers, spurred a group named WaterWerks into action.

Last year, the people of Newfoundland and Labrador collected over 30,000 diapers, which were distributed to food banks province-wide through the community food sharing association.

This year, students and staff at Mount Pearl Senior High joined the cause by holding the "Bottom Line" campaign. Together we collected quite a few boxes of diapers and over \$125 which will be donated to WaterWerks before Christmas.

Helping Hands

Thanks to the efforts of contributing parents, students and staff, the Helping Hands fund was able to provide gift certificates to eight students in need this Christmas.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who contributed to the Fund. You have helped to make this season a happier one for eight special people.

Animal Rights

Winter is a particularly tough time for lost, abandoned or abused animals. In order to help, the Animal Rights Club made this year's second collection of towels and blankets for the SPCA. In addition, admission to the Club's Christmas party was one bag of non-clumping kitty litter - also for donation to the SPCA. Four large bags of towels/blankets and 10 bags of litter are on their way to animals in need, just in time for Christmas.