

# GREEN VALLEY SCHOOL

- August 19th - GVS Office Opens
- September 3rd - Admin Day (No Classes)  
- Meet The Teacher
- September 4th - Great Expectations (Grades 5 & 9 only)
- September 5th - First Day of Classes (Grades 5-12)



June has come and gone! Hard to believe we are saying farewell to our grads. June is a bittersweet time for our staff and students. We wish our grads all the best as they begin a new chapter in their lives. We wish all our term EA's the best in their future endeavors, we thank you for your time here at GVS.

Like every year, we have challenges and unique situations that come up during the school year. We thank our entire school community for being cooperative, patient, and supportive as we worked through some challenges.

Ending the school year with learning excursions, talent shows, grade 5 orientation, outdoor pursuits and celebrating our grads of 2024, have truly made the end of the school year memorable and celebratory.

It is now time for our entire school community to take a much-needed break. Our staff and students have worked incredibly hard this year. We certainly appreciate the kindness, grace, and supportive emails, phone calls, and kind gestures that our parent community has extended to us through this entire year. We want to continue to build on these positive interactions, and we welcome our parent/guardian partnerships to become more involved here at GVS. If you are wanting to help with our GVS Breakfast Program, Friday Pizza Lunches, or to be a volunteer, PLEASE stop by the GVS Office to pick up the necessary record check forms, so that we can welcome all parent volunteers to GVS for the start of the 2024-2025 school year. On the topic of volunteers, our GVS PAC would also like to welcome any parents that would be willing to join this advisory group. The group will meet once a month to discuss topics that are important to education and how they impact our students. Parent voices are important, and we value the input our parent community has.

GVS would like to take this opportunity to thank our team out of HSD Student Services, ICT, Transportation, Maintenance departments, our HSD team of Superintendents and administrative office staff and the elected HSD School Board Trustees. We sincerely appreciate your dedication, expertise, and your passion for advocating for all students. We look forward to your continued support as we embark on the start of another exciting school year.

GVS would like to take this opportunity to bid farewell to our current CEO/Superintendent Ms. Shelley Amos for her 22 years of service to the Hanover School Division. We wish Ms. Amos all the best as she transitions into her new role as CEO/Superintendent of the Pembina Trails School Division. With Ms. Amos departing from HSD, we also would like to welcome aboard our upcoming CEO/Superintendent Mr. Joe Thiessen.

I cannot conclude our final newsletter without expressing my sincerest appreciation to our entire GVS Staff. I am blessed beyond measure to work with such dedicated, passionate, flexible, caring and highly professional individuals. No matter what tasks or challenges came our way, our staff worked hard and supported one another through some challenging times. Our staff are truly an amazing group of people.

In closing, I wish everyone a relaxing, rejuvenating, safe and healthy summer break. May your summer offer you the time to reconnect with family and friends. That's all folks.....until September, stay safe and well GVS FAMILY!!!

Angela Burtack-Schinkel





## COURSE CHANGES FOR 2024-25

For students in high school wishing to make changes to their course schedule at the end of August, Mr. G will be in school towards the end of the month. You may call the school to book an appointment or email Mr. G with your request. Please remember that course changes must have parental approval.

## IDEAS FOR KEEPING THOSE MATH SKILLS SHARP OVER SUMMER, OR WHAT TO DO ON A RAINY DAY?

### GAMES WITH CARDS

- Math Facts War - (2 player) *Materials: a deck of playing cards.*

How to play: divide the deck into two piles. Each player gets a pile, held number side down. On the count of three, each player flips a card over. The first person to correctly find the product (multiply the two cards) gets to keep the cards. The object of the game is to get the whole deck, or largest pile by the set time of play. This can also be played finding the sum (addition) or finding the difference (subtraction).

- Albert's Insomnia - (multi player) *Materials: a deck of Albert's Insomnia cards or a deck of playing cards with the 1 face cards removed and the deck separated into low (1-4) and high (5-10)*

Follow this link to download the game sheet and instructions from Teacher Pay Teacher.

### Facts Practice Websites:

[www.timestables.com](http://www.timestables.com)

[www.mathmammoth.com/practice/multiplication](http://www.mathmammoth.com/practice/multiplication)

### Math skills practice/activities Websites:

[www.mathisfun.com](http://www.mathisfun.com)

[www.mathigon.org](http://www.mathigon.org)

[www.mathplayground.com](http://www.mathplayground.com)



**SUPPLY LISTS** Your child's supply lists for the 2023-2024 school year were emailed out earlier this month. They have also been posted on the school's website, [www.gvs.hsd.ca](http://www.gvs.hsd.ca).

**MOVING OR ADDRESS CHANGE?** This is a reminder that if you are moving during the summer break, please let Hanover School Division office know as soon as possible. Please be advised that the Transportation Department is open all summer long. The number to call is 204-320-2347.



### High School Track and Field

Congratulations to Selena Wiebe and Mackenzie Neufeld who qualified and competed at Track and Field Provincials June 6. Both matched personal bests for High Jump and Selena was one height from the finals. Great job and good luck next season.

### 2024-2025 Athletic Season

- We are in need of parents / community members / alumni who have volleyball playing and / or coaching experience or anyone who is interested in learning to coach, for our JV Girls and Varsity Boys Volleyball teams. If you are interested please contact Justin Hart at the school, or by email, [juhart@hsd.ca](mailto:juhart@hsd.ca).
- If you signed up to play high school soccer, please check your student email throughout the summer season as coaches may be in contact with you for practices before the start of the fall school year.
- High School Volleyball practices will begin the first week of school. Please check the GVS Pirates Athletics calendar.

**GREEN VALLEY SCHOOL GEAR** We are to have our own online clothing shop through [entripy.com](https://greenvalleyschool.entripyshops.com/)! This is your one stop shop for all Green Valley School Gear! Rep your team, or your school pride with a shirt, hoodie, jacket, sweatshirt and much more! All gear is fully customizable and is delivered right to your door or to the school if you wish! Visit: <https://greenvalleyschool.entripyshops.com/>



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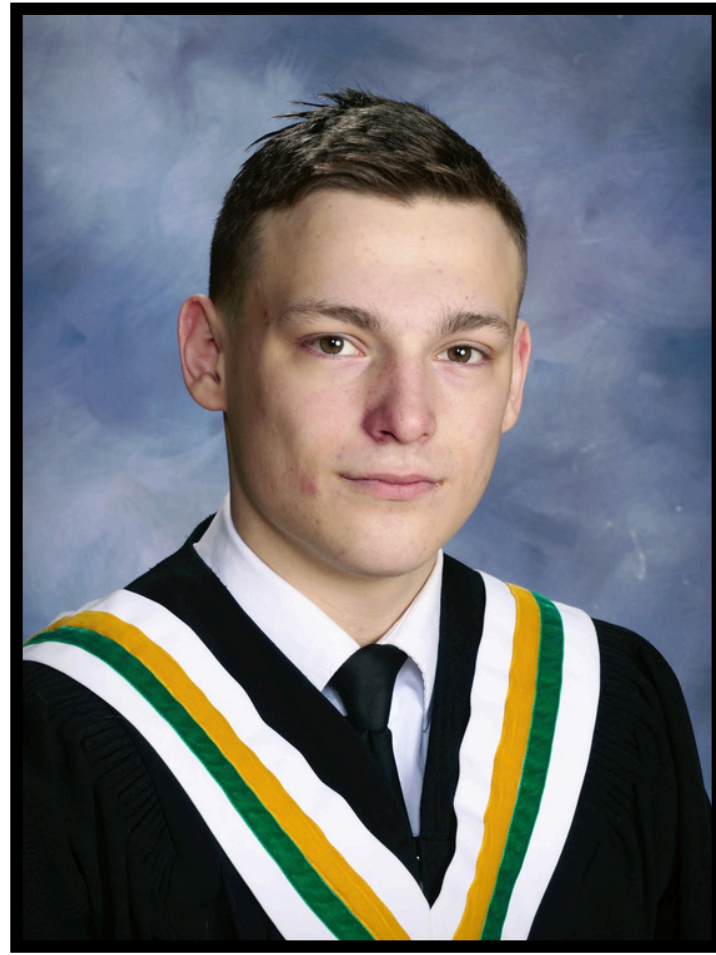
## *Class of 2024*



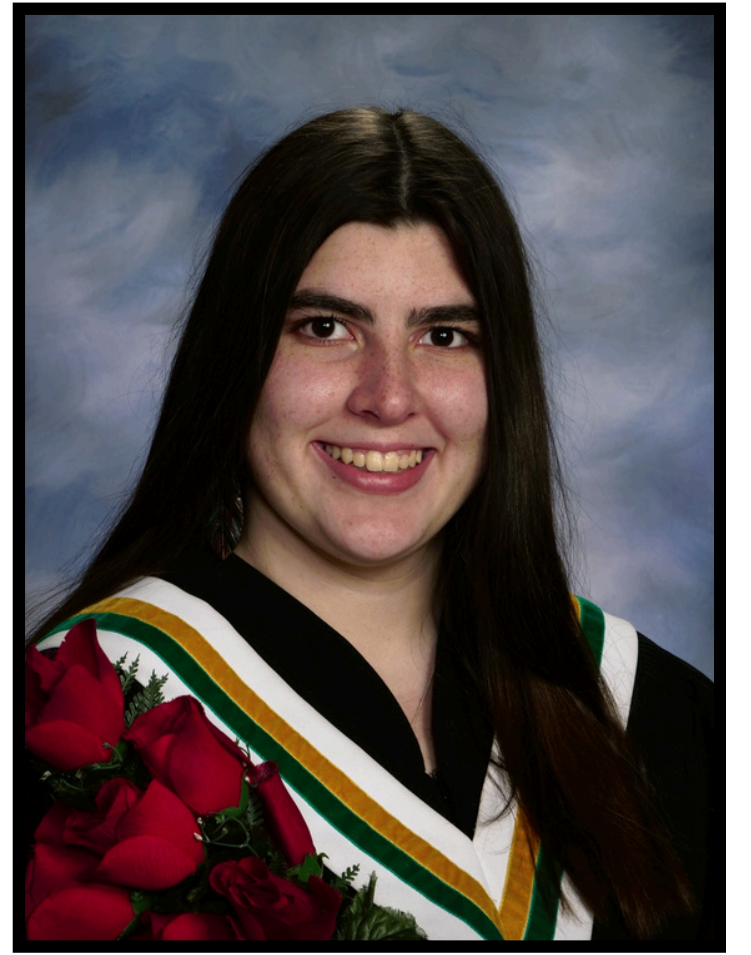
Shelby Berens  
Merit Award  
Elim Church/CMU Scholarship



Teanna Bittern



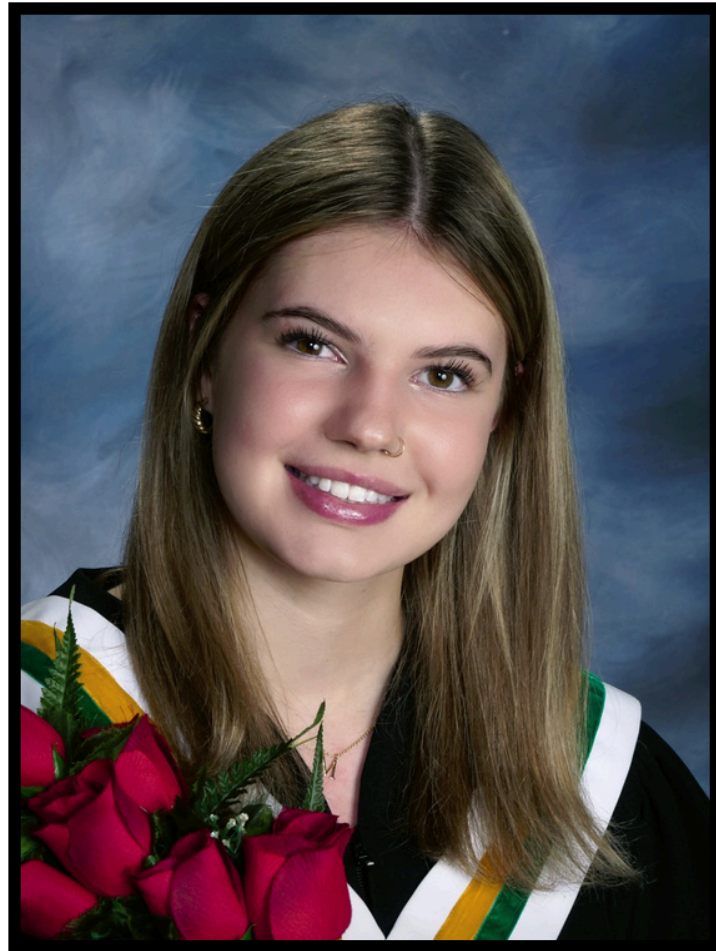
Daniel Braun



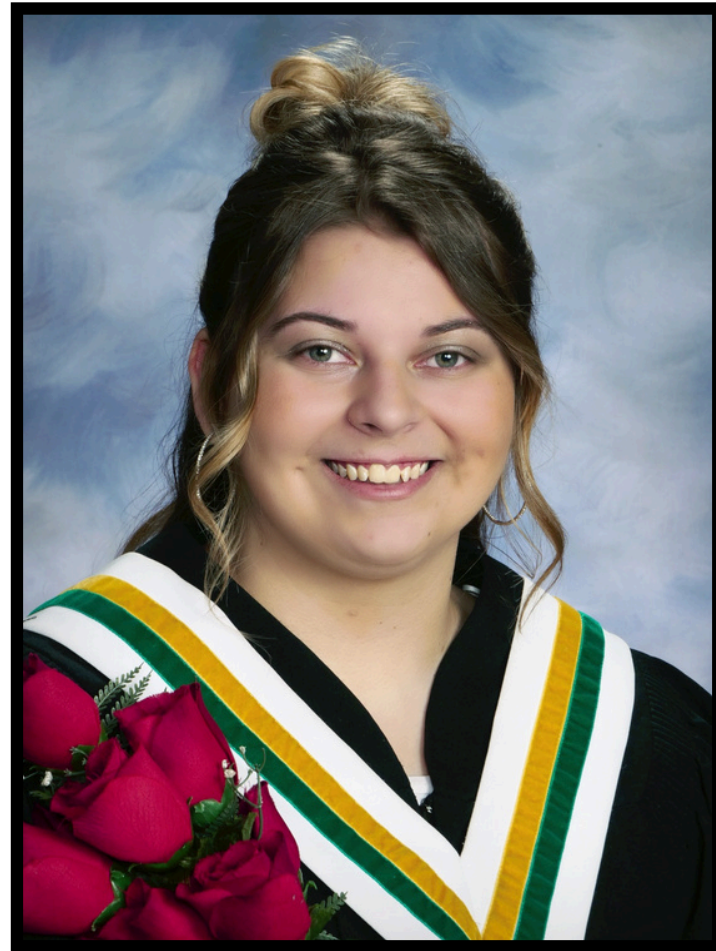
Austyn Dawydiuk  
Merit Award  
John Driedger Memorial Award  
UofM Entrance Scholarship



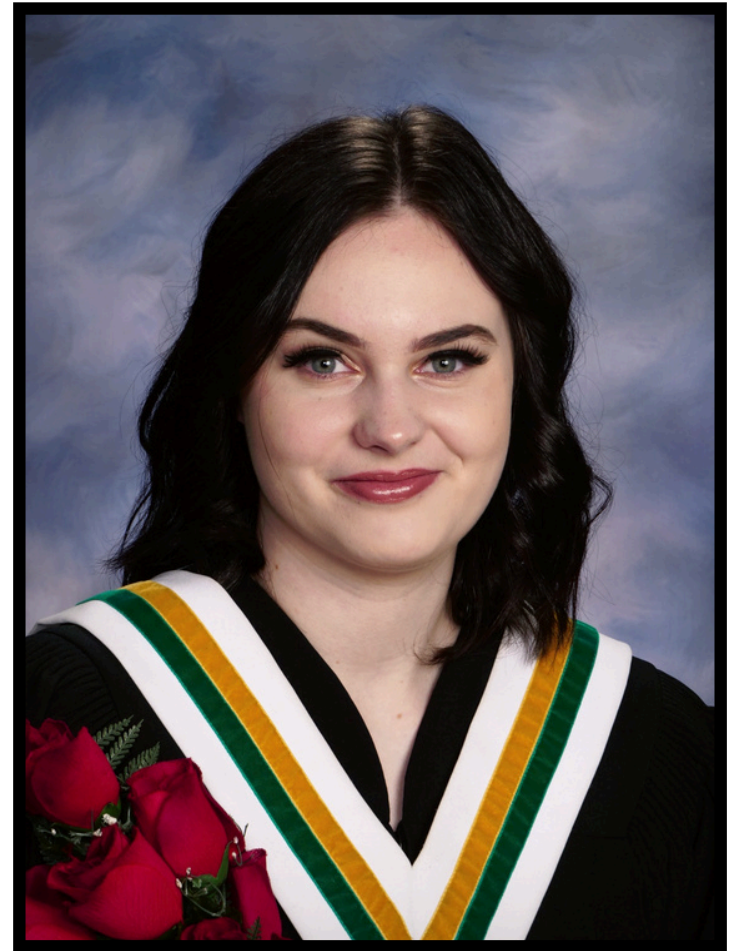
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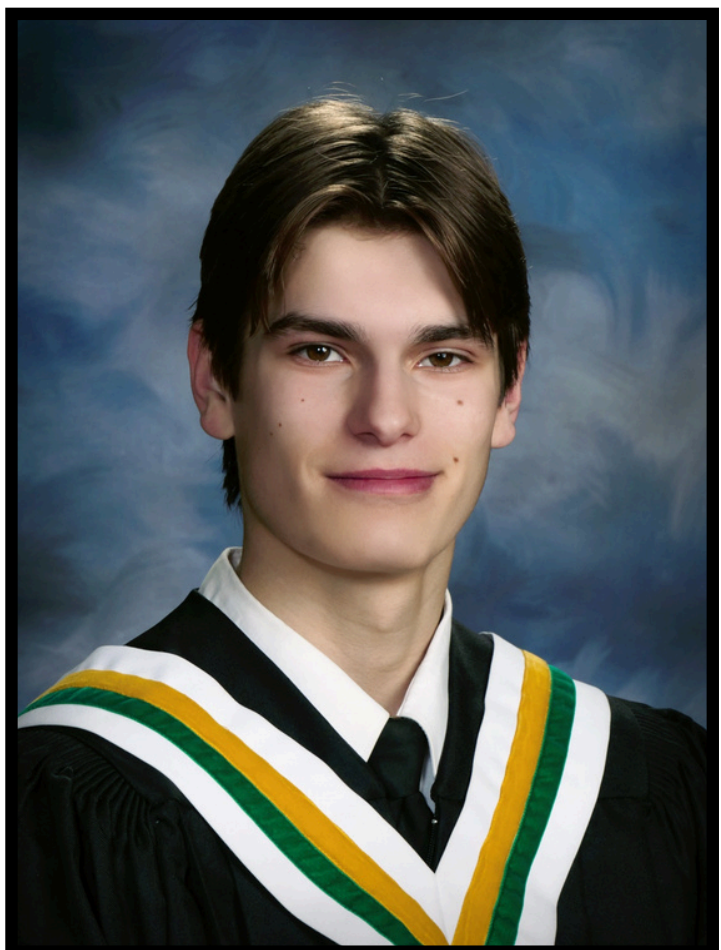
Madison Driedger  
Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
SY Foods & Nutrition Award



Brooklyn Dyck  
Merit Award



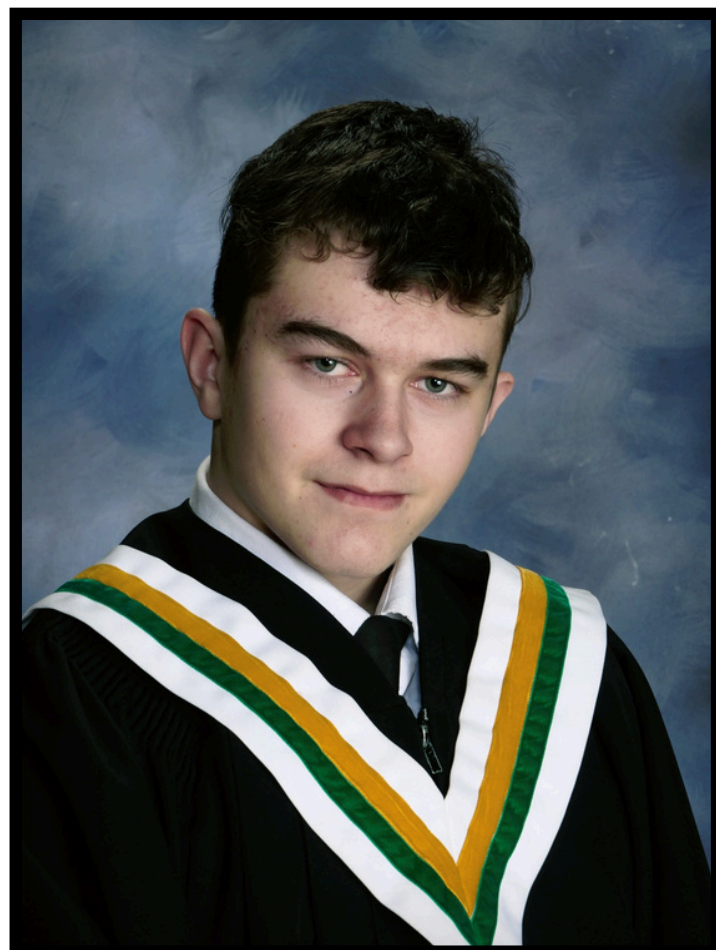
Cyren Fehr



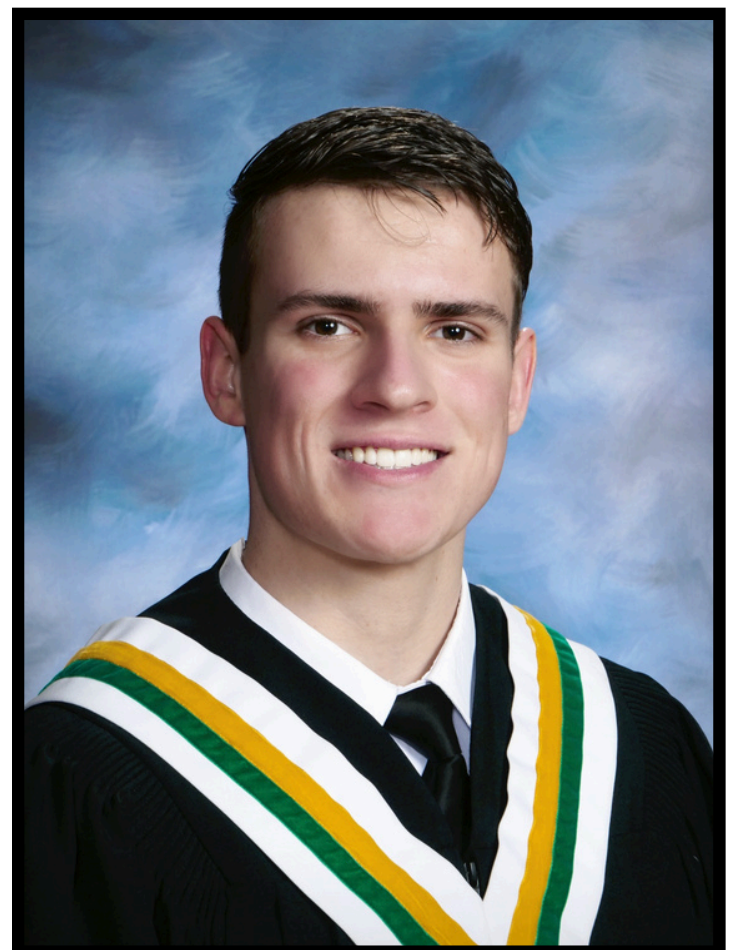
Malachi Fehr  
Merit Award



Alexa Friesen  
Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
Academic Athlete Award  
Varsity Female Athlete Award



Austen Friesen  
Merit Award



Benjamin Friesen  
Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
SY Humanities Award  
SY Math/Science Award  
Hockey Manitoba Scholarship  
Grunthal Lions Club Scholarship  
UM Chown Scholarship  
UofM Entrance Scholarship



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*2024 Valedictorian*

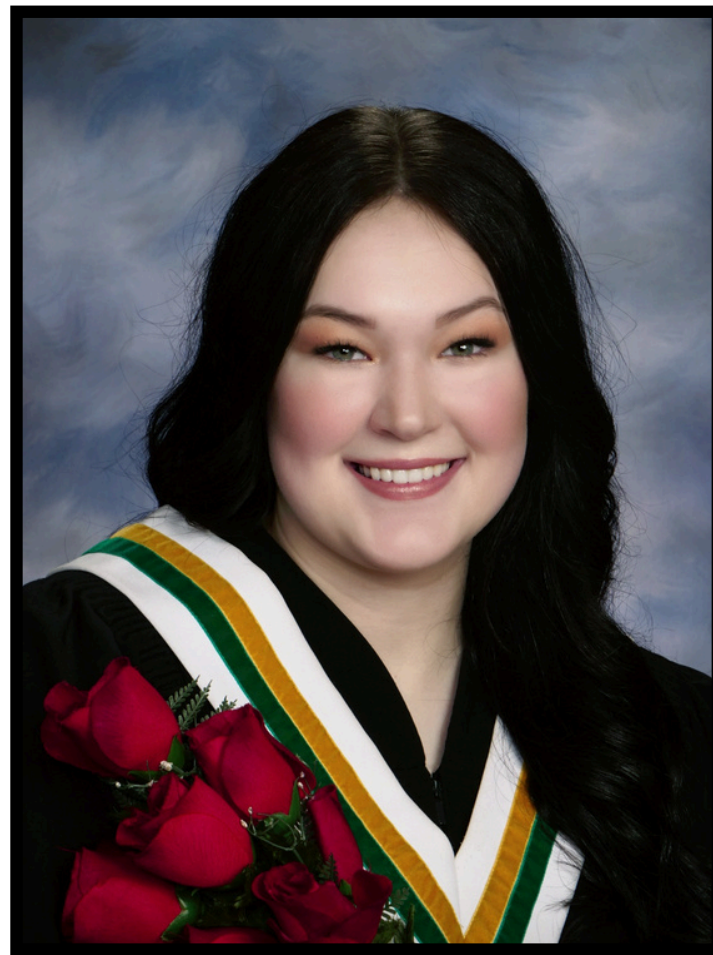
Georgia Friesen

*Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
SY Art Award  
Varsity Female Athlete Award  
Citizenship Award  
Providence University College Award  
Governor Generals Award*



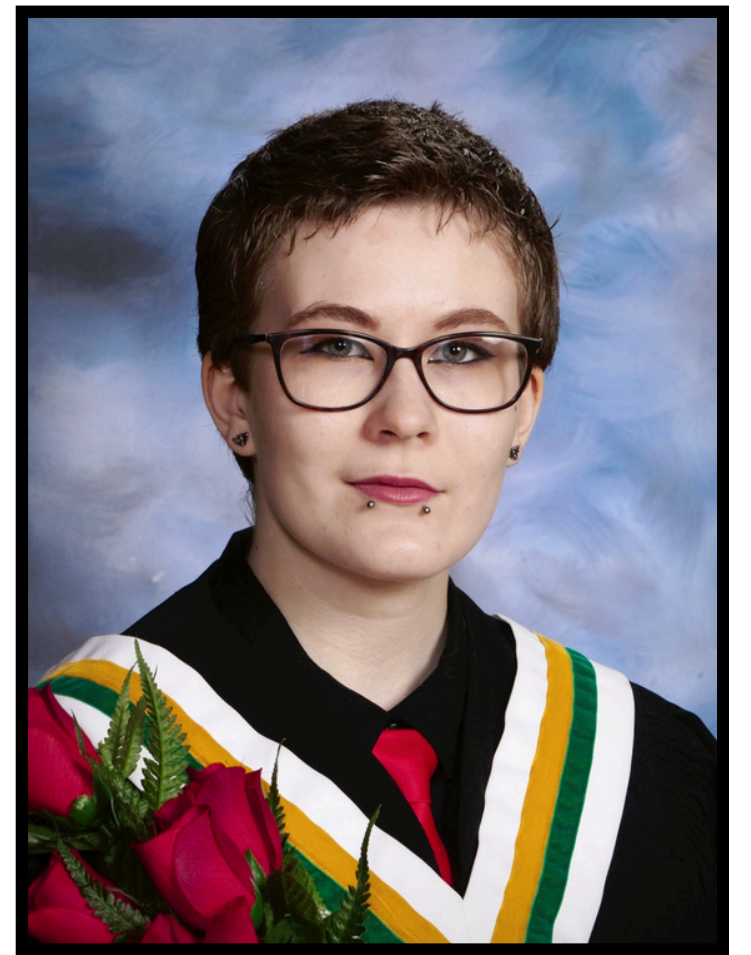
Hunter Friesen

*Merit Award  
Laureate Award*



Shawna Friesen

*Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
Clearview Co-op Award  
Assiniboine Community College  
Athletic Scholarship*



Alora Gervais

*Merit Award*



Shaelyn Giesbrecht

*Merit Award*



Ty Hildebrand



Eileen Koenig



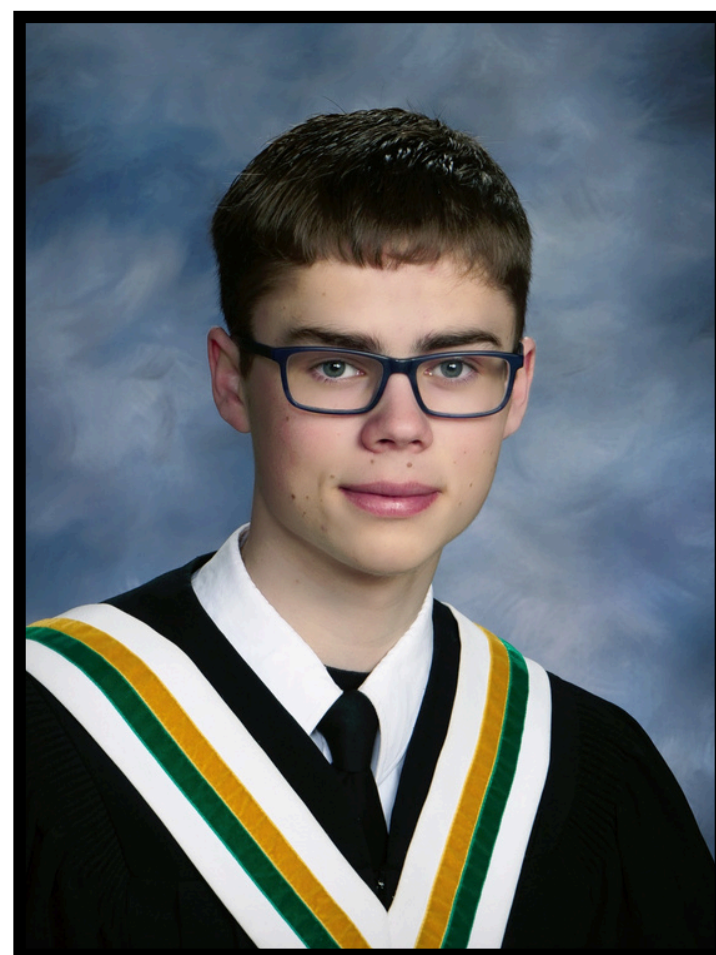
Payton Krilow

*Merit Award*



Nicholas Martens

*Laureate Award  
Academic Athlete Award*



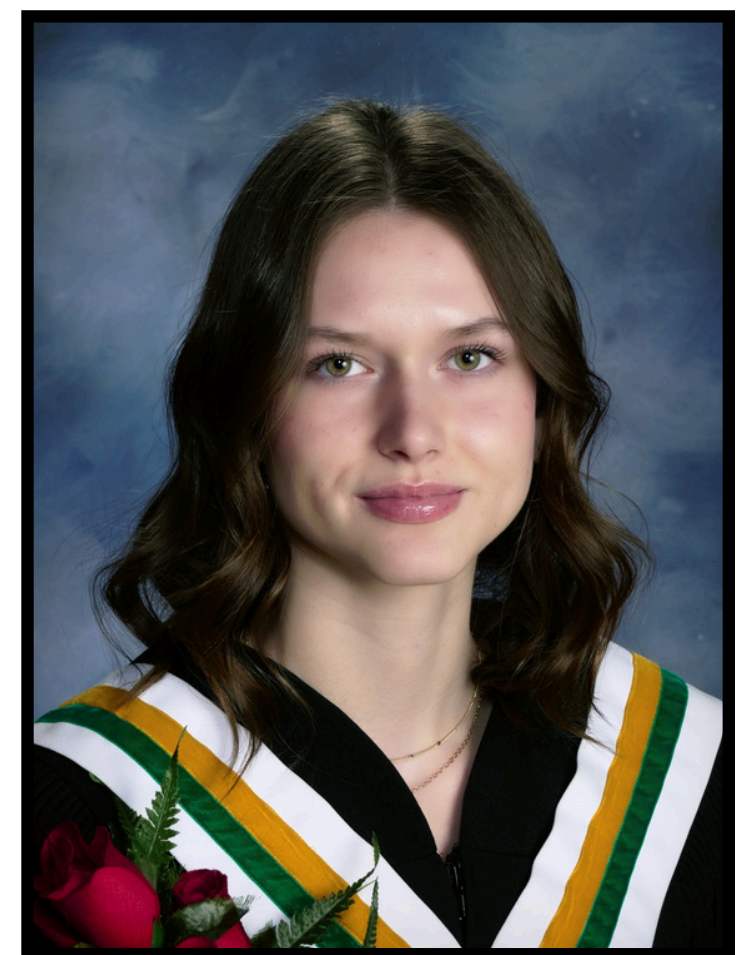
Isaiah Penner

*Laureate Award  
Academic Athlete Award*



Hugh Perry

*Merit Award*



Sophia Plet



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Hayley Reimer  
*Merit Award  
Laureate Award  
SY Woodworking Award  
Grunthal Lumber Scholarship*



Judah Reimer



Karlee Reimer  
*Merit Award  
Laureate Award*



Taelyn Rempel  
*Merit Award  
Laureate Award*



Zachary Rempel



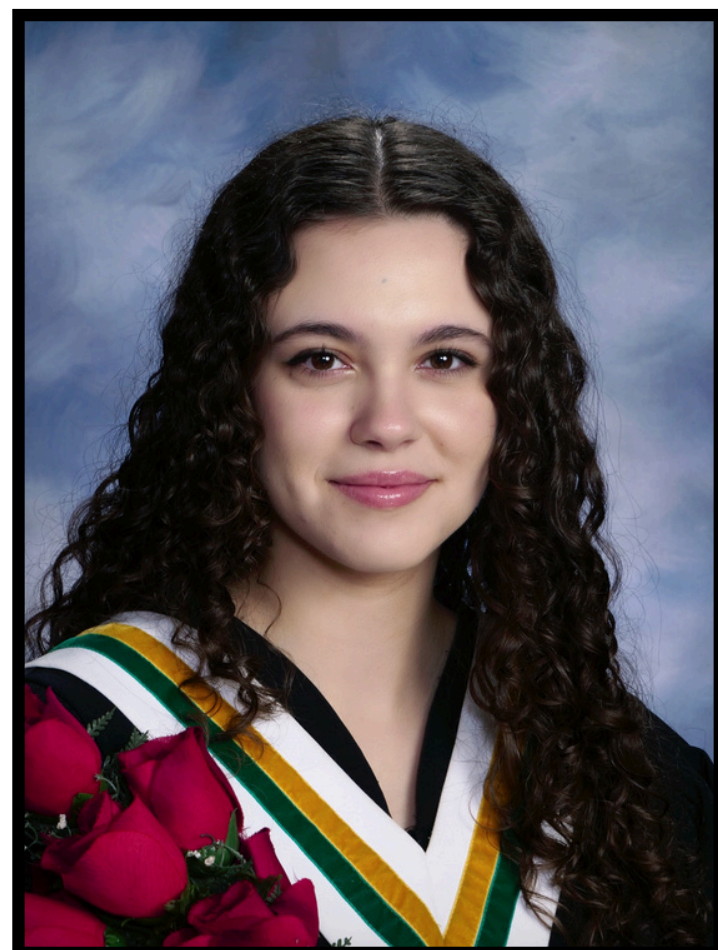
Journey Ross



Nick Runkowsky  
*Laureate Award  
Academic Athlete Award  
Varsity Male Athlete Award*



Helena Sawatzky



Natalie Sawatzky  
*Merit Award  
Laureate Award*



Angel Settee-Sinclair  
*Merit Award*



Nevaeh Spence  
*Merit Award  
HTA Bursary*

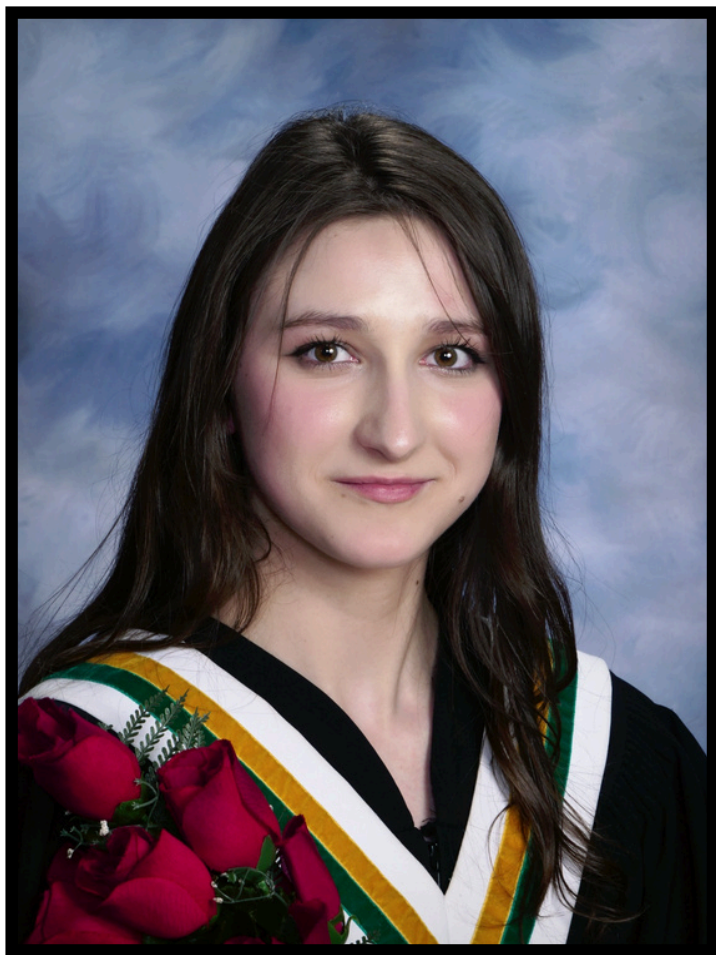


Conor Steeves



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Roisin Steeves  
Merit Award  
Laureate Award



Brian Thiessen  
Merit Award



Brooklyn Toews



Mary Jane Winkler



Congratulations!



**Coming Fall 2024!**  
**Order lunch through Munch-a-Lunch!**

PAC will be transitioning from Pizza Coupons to an  
Online Ordering system.

Follow this link to create your account. **More details to follow!**

*As this transition takes place, PAC will honour remaining*

*Pizza Coupons during the month of September.*

*Please email Carla Campbell, PAC Chair, if you have any questions:*

[campbellcarla79@gmail.com](mailto:campbellcarla79@gmail.com)



Welcome Green Valley School Parents!



if you have an account...

[Login Here](#)

if you need an account...

[Register Here](#)

[Forgot password?](#)



**Green Valley School**  
**PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL**



PRESENTS



# CAR SHOW



**GREEN VALLEY SCHOOL GROUNDS**

**AUGUST 17 - 11:30AM**

**SHOW STARTS AFTER THE PARADE**

**FUNDRAISING FOR:**

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

DECREASED STUDENT FEES

SUMMER PICNIC ACTIVITIES

OUTDOOR PLAY EQUIPMENT

FUTURE PROJECTS...

NEW PLAY STRUCTURE!

## \$5 HOTDOG BBQ

WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

## FUNDRAISER

INCLUDES A HOTDOG AND DRINK