

GREEN VALLEY SCHOOL

- August 19th - GVS Office Opens
- September 2nd - Admin Day (No Classes)
- September 3rd - Admin Day (No Classes)
- Meet The Staff Event
- September 4th - Great Expectations (Grade 9s only)
- September 5th - First Day of Classes (Grades 6-12)
- September 8th - Picture Day



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 the following staff all the best as they embark on new challenges away from GVS; Sheldon Hill, Ray Schroeder, Dean Harder, Malorie Fisher, Sheila MacLeod, Kayla Rosenthal, Michal Nogaj, Hannah Tyner, Rose Reimer, and Gwen Allary.

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, a talent show, outdoor pursuits and celebrating our grads of 2025. These activities 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, PAC, 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 2025-2026 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 at 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.

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 2025-26

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.

High School Students & Summer Work

It is possible for high school students who work over the summer (or during the school year) to earn two Credits for Employment. Students must apply for this prior to counting the work hour. See Mr. G for details.

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

www.mathmammoth.com/practice/multiplication

Math skills practice/activities Websites:

www.mathisfun.com

www.mathigon.org

www.mathplayground.com



SUPPLY LISTS Your child's supply lists for the 2025-2026 was emailed out on June 25th. They have also been posted on the school's website.

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.



Another High School Athletic season has come and gone. Within our athletic programs we saw a record number of participants across all sports leading to successful sporting seasons! Some highlights include:

Zone 13 AA Boys Volleyball Champions / Zone 13 A/AA Jv Boys Basketball Champions / Zone 13 AA Boys Basketball Champions

A big thank-you goes out to all of our coaches who have dedicated their time to developing our High School Athletes through extra-curricular sport.

2025-2026 Athletic Season - Athletic sign-ups and meetings have taken place for all athletes interested in playing the fall sports of Soccer and Volleyball. If anyone is still interested in joining a soccer or volleyball team, please email Mr. Hart as soon as possible. We are currently looking for JV Boys and JV Girls Volleyball coaches for the upcoming school year. If you are interested in becoming a coach, please contact Justin Hart by email (juhart@hsd.ca) or by phone (204-434-6415).

GREEN VALLEY SCHOOL GEAR We are to have our own online clothing shop through entripy.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/>

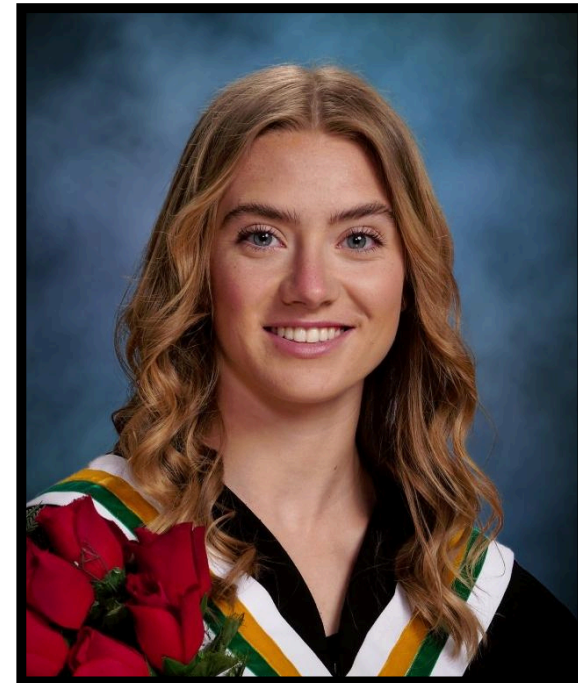
For all game and tournament results and current rankings please visit www.mhsaa.ca.

For a schedule of practices, tournaments and upcoming games, please visit the Athletics calendar at www.gvs.hsd.ca.

Congratulations

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CLASS of 2025



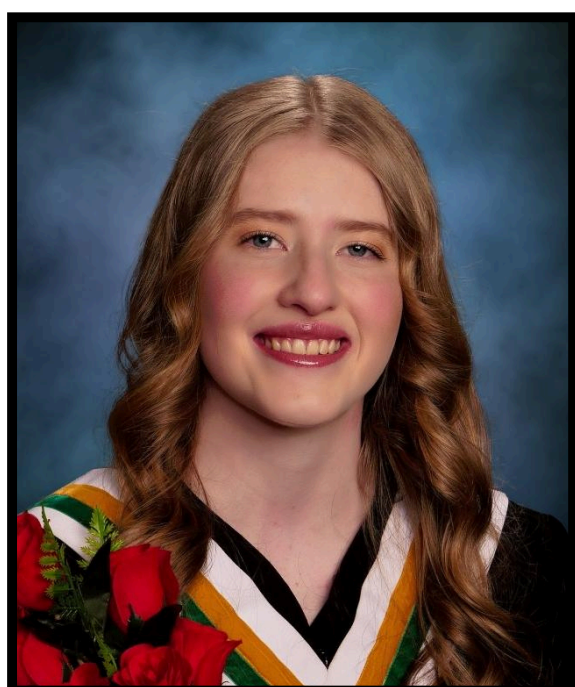
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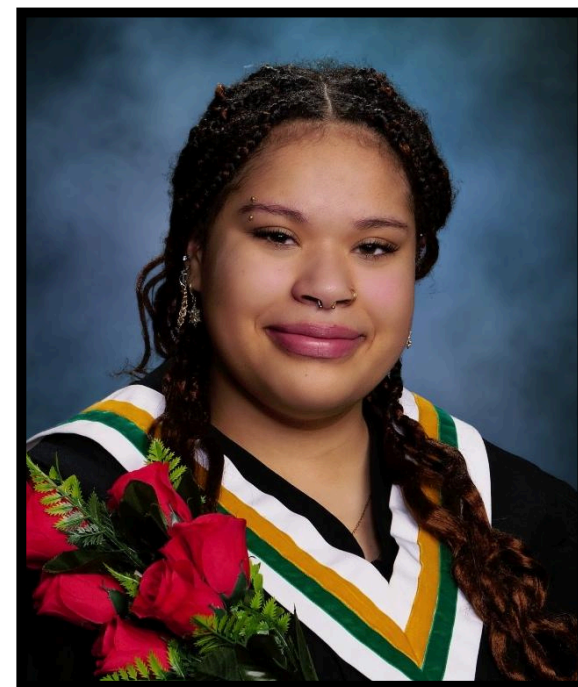
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Amber Friesen



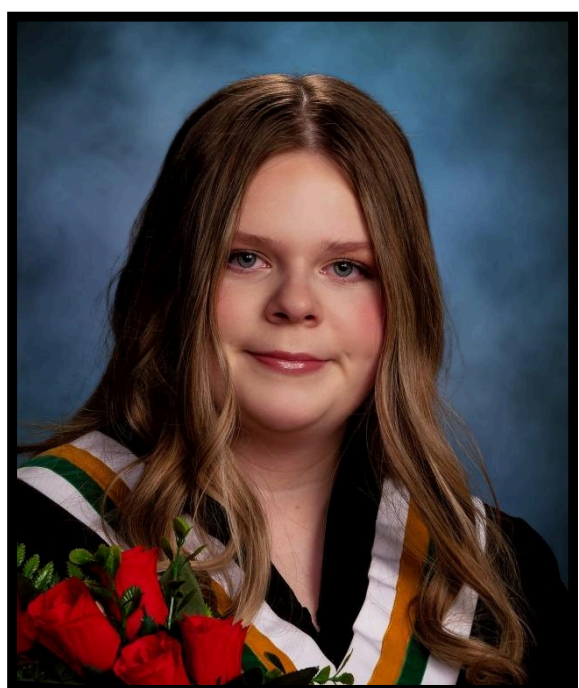
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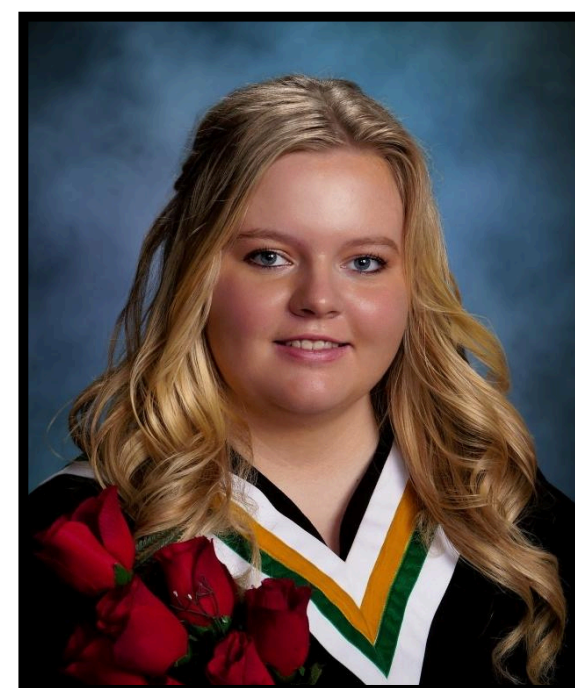
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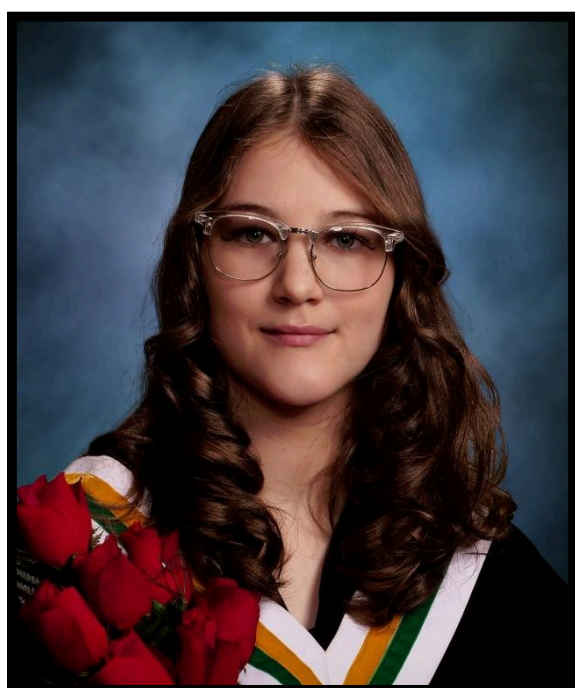
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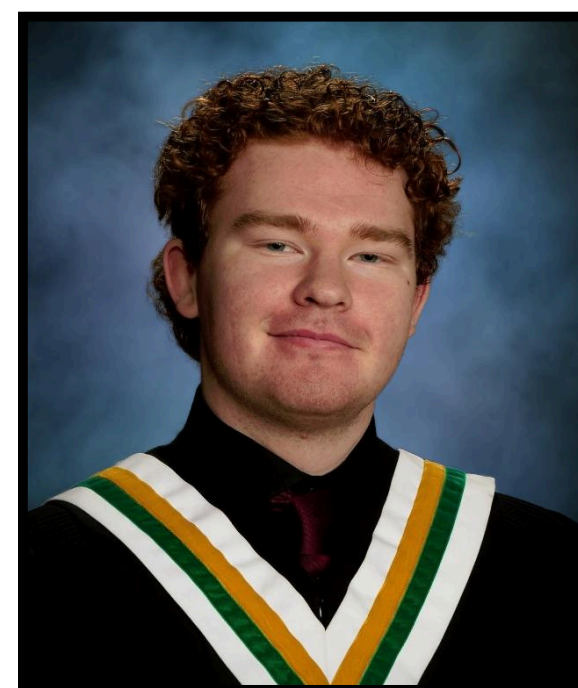
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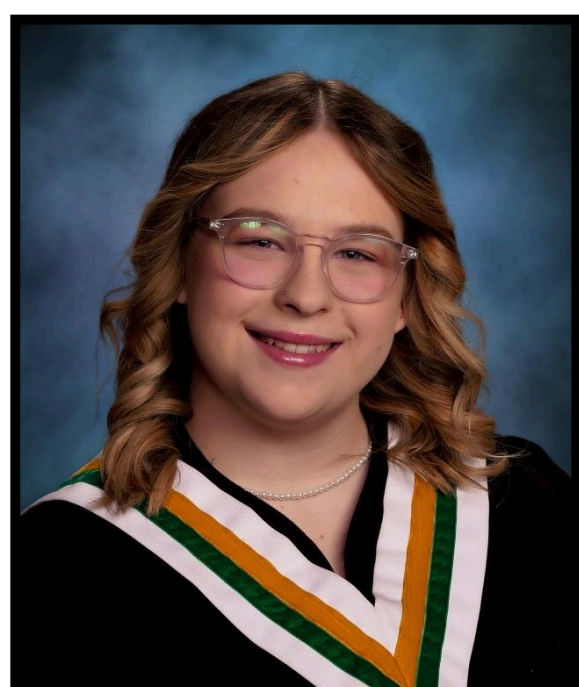
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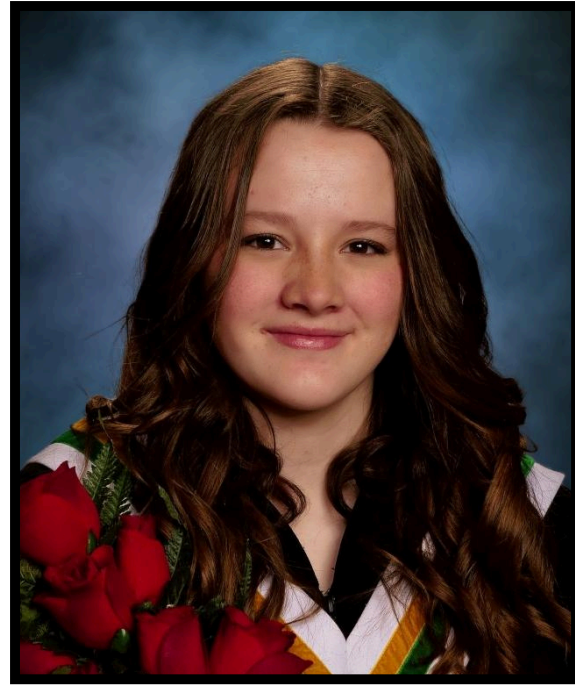
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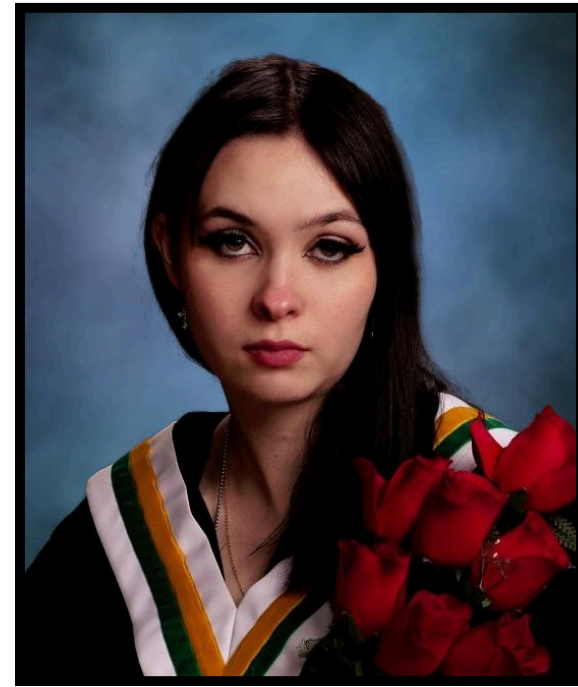
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George Nickel



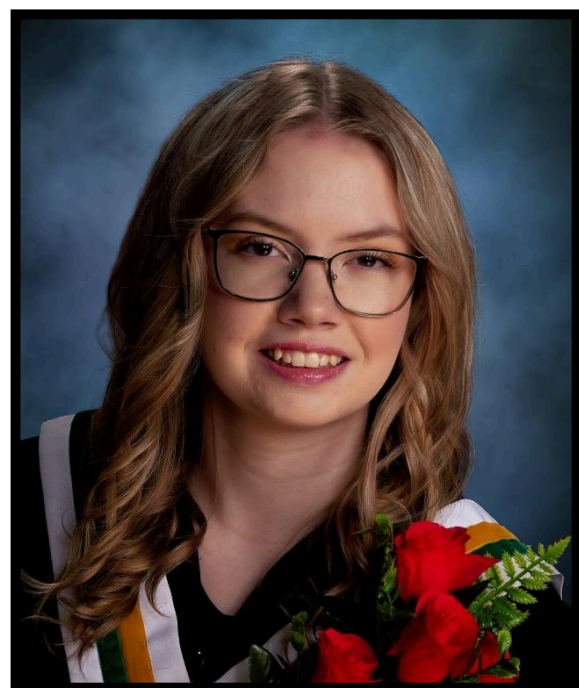
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Christine Penner



Savannah Peters



Shyanna Peters



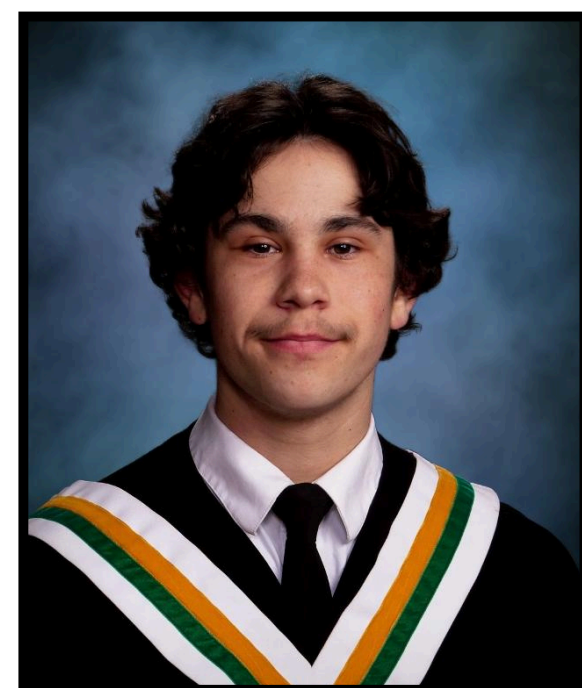
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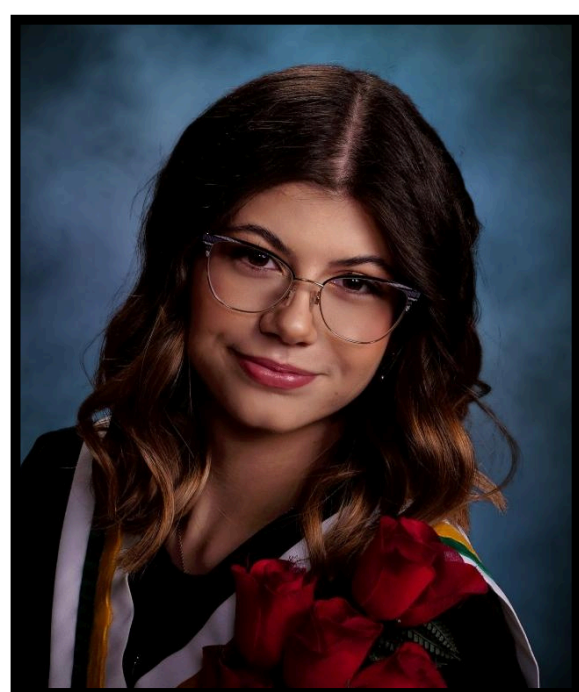
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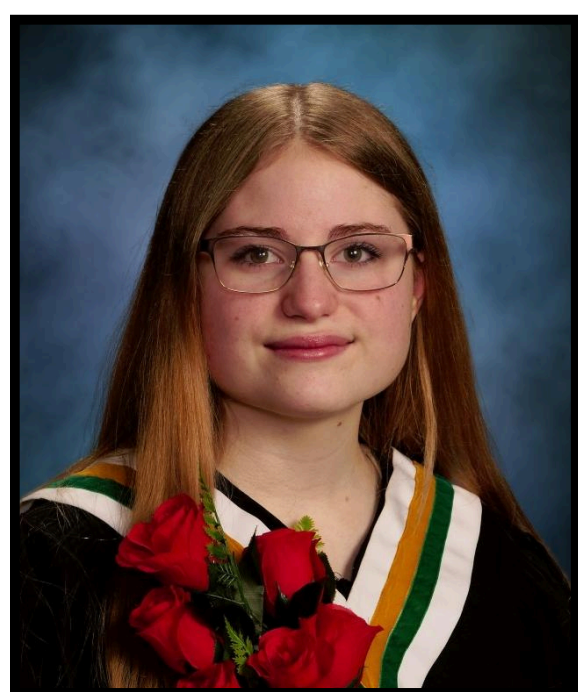
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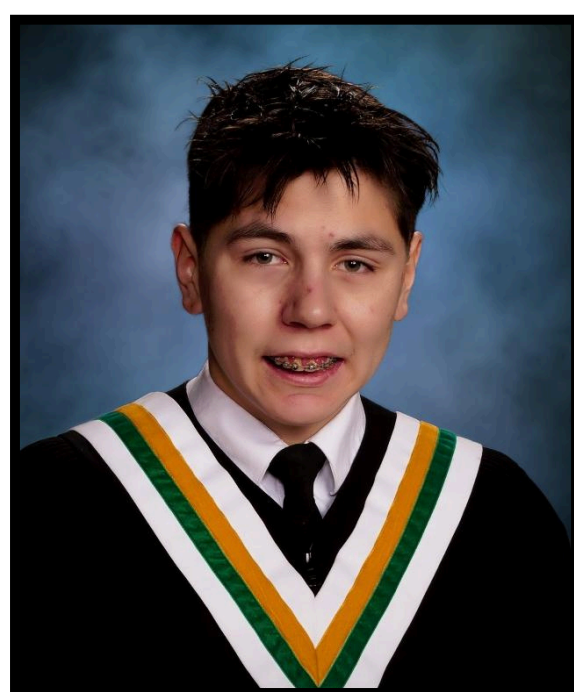
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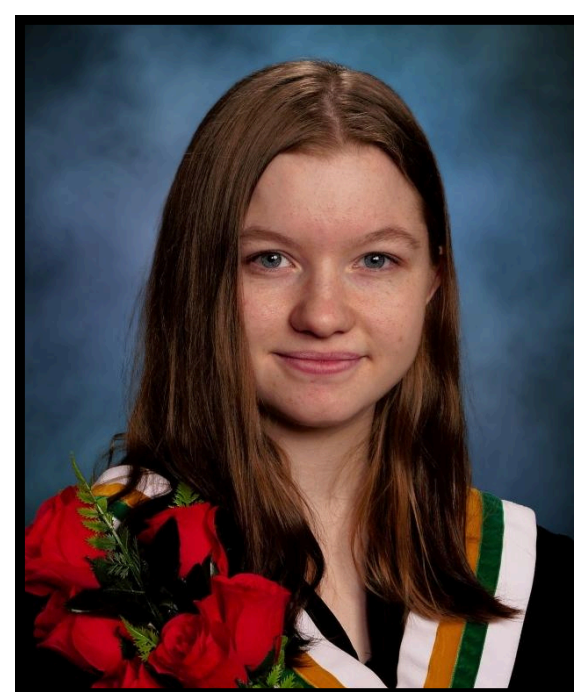
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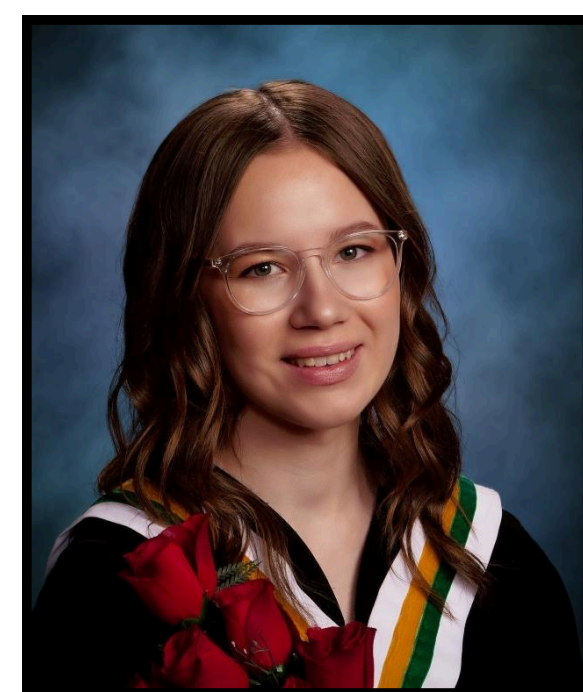
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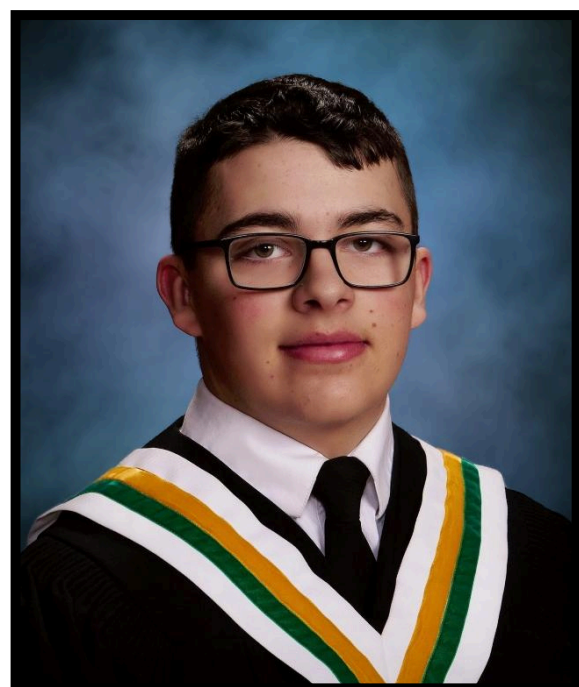
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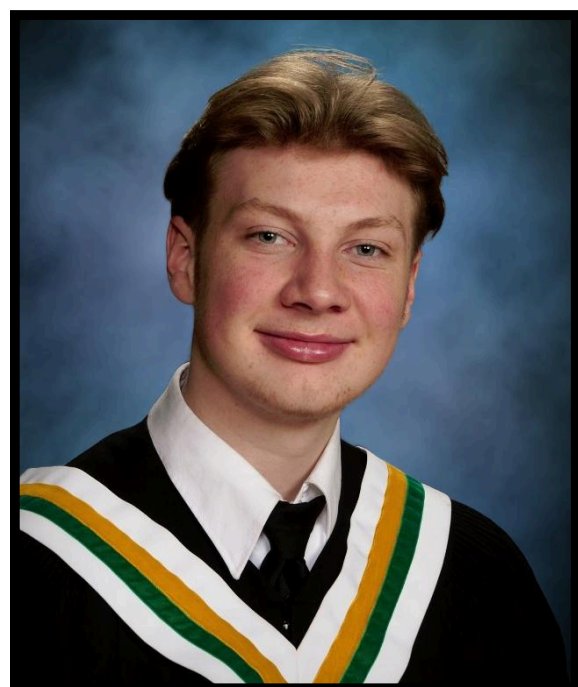
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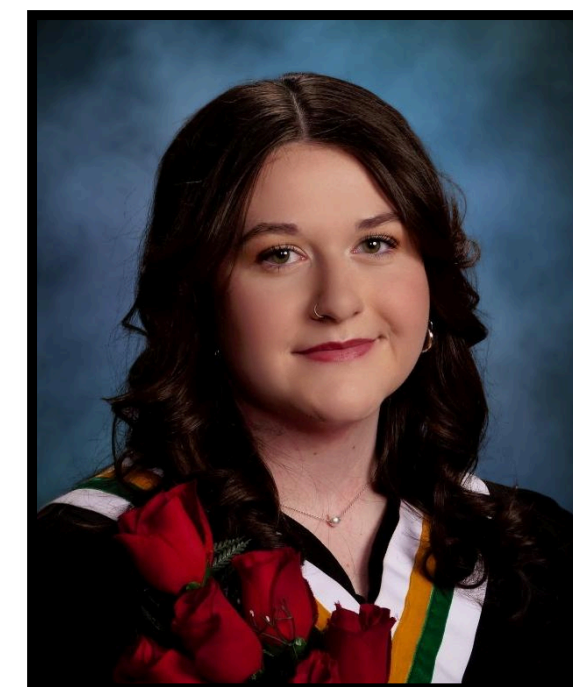
Clayton Unger



John Wall



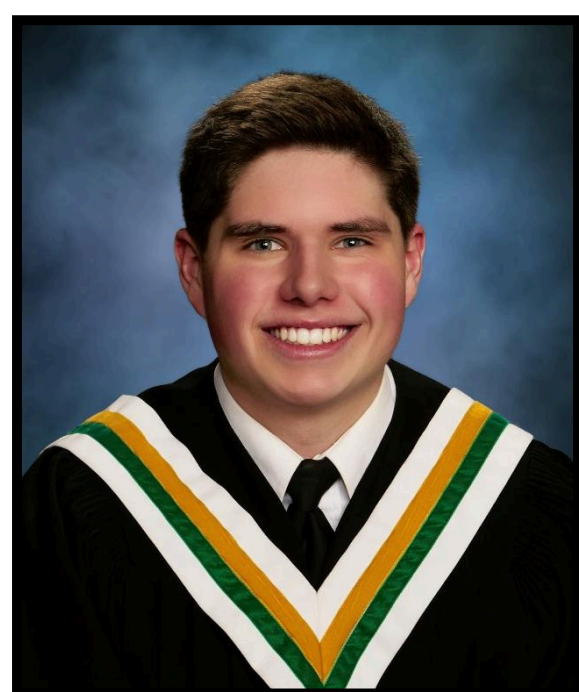
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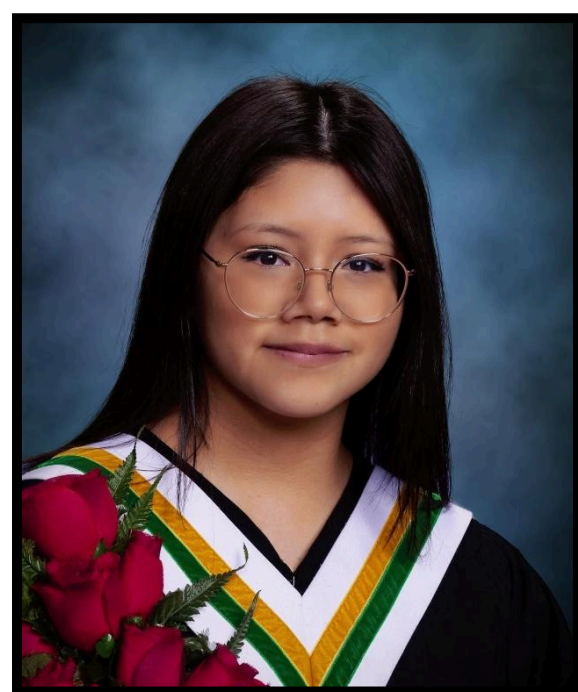
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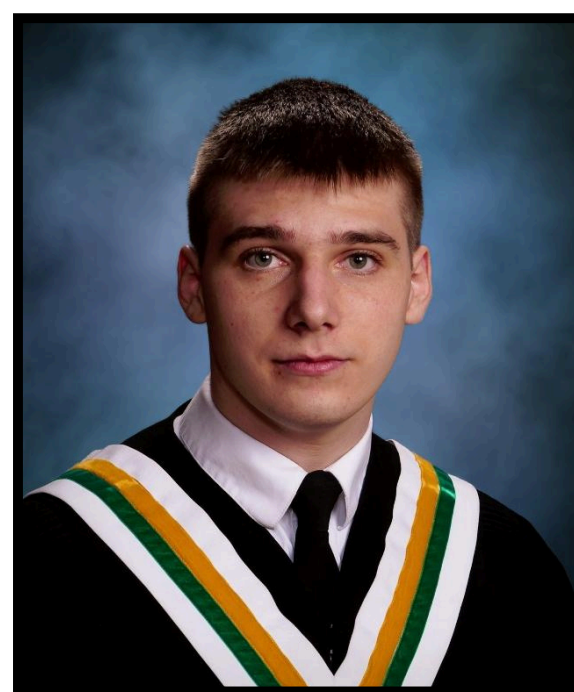
Anthony Wiens



Blake Wiens



Laura Yellowback



Benjamin Young



Kai Ran Zhu



Awards & Scholarships

Laureate Award - Awarded in recognition of an average of 80% or higher throughout Grades 9-12.

Merit Award - Awarded in recognition of achieving 33 high school credits or higher.

Jasmine Barkman	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Varsity Female Athlete Award, Academic Athlete Award, UofM Queen Elizabeth II Entrance Scholarship, UofM Chown Centennial Scholarship
Thayne Dawydiuk	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Humanities Award, HTS Bursary, UofM Guertin Centennial Entrance Scholarship
Amber Friesen	Laureate Award, Merit Award
Malachi Froese	Merit Award
Ever Giesbrecht	Laureate Award, Merit Award
Luke Giesbrecht	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Varsity Male Athlete Award, Academic Athlete Award, Konrad North Citizenship Award, Grunthal Lumber Scholarship
Abagayle Hiebert	Merit Award
Abigail Kautz	Laureate Award, Foods & Nutrition Award
Adam Klassen	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Elizabeth May Markle Award
Bailey Neufeld	Laureate Award, Merit Award
Shaynese Nickel	Merit Award
Savannah Peters	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Music Award
Shyanna Peters	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Committed To The Community Scholarship, John Driedger Memorial Award
Jaycie Petrick	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Art Award, UofM Guertin Centennial Entrance Scholarship
Hunter Preteau	Merit Award
Kaitlyn Sahaidak	Laureate Award
Kayla-Rose Sousa	Laureate Award, Merit Award
Daniel Spence	Merit Award
Monique Spiertz	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Mark Dickof Memorial Scholarship
Aileen Teichrib	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Math/Science Award, Governor General Medal Of Excellence, Committed To The Community Scholarship, UofM Queen Elizabeth II Entrance Scholarship
Clayton Unger	Merit Award
Reece Wall	Laureate Award
Abigail Wiebe	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Clearview Co-op Award, Grunthal Lions Club Scholarship
Anthony Wiens	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Woodworking Award
Blake Wiens	Laureate Award, Merit Award, Merit Contractors Association of Manitoba Award
Ben Young	Laureate Award, Merit Award
Kai Ran Zhu	Laureate Award

