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**Northview's APGA recognized by Maclean's magazine**  
 One of top 30 high schools in Canada

The Academic Program for Gifted Athletes (**APGA**) was featured as one of the top 30 schools in Canada by Maclean's magazine this August 2005. The article is available for viewing at [www.macleans.ca](http://www.macleans.ca). Look under the sports link. You are invited to provide feedback about the article online, so use the opportunity to voice your thanks and opinions.

I extend my thanks to all the past and present athletes, teachers, parents and coaches that helped us achieve this recognition. The APGA program has clearly demonstrated its ability to achieve Excellence in SPORT.



**AWARD OF EXCELLENCE WINNERS 2005**

The Award of Excellence is presented to the student/athlete who best exemplifies the APGA philosophy of Excellence in both academics and athletics. A requirement for this award is to be consistently on the honor roll and to achieve national level in their sport. This award has only been won 8 times since the program began in 1988. This year there were 3 recipients. Congratulations to Sarah, Kathryn and Matthew on your outstanding achievements in winning this Award of Excellence.



Sarah Gotoweic and Kathryn Whittemore with Ms. Ruprecht. Absent Matthew Pariselli

**APGA sends Birthday Greetings**

**September**

Theresa Sept 13  
 Veronique Sept 19

**October**

Daniel Oct 2  
 Justin S Oct 5  
 Melissa Oct 11  
 Alexi Oct 12  
 Leslie Oct 22  
 Allison Oct 27

**November**

David Nov 1  
 Jennifer Nov 1  
 Sean Nov 7  
 Paul Nov 8  
 Elyse Nov 12  
 Olivia Nov 26

# APGA HONOUR ROLL JUNE 2005

## Grade 9's Honour Roll

Byk	Andrew	79.5 %
<b>Coliveras</b>	<b>Christina</b>	<b>86.8 %</b>
Densem	Greg	83.7 %
DeCata	Kathryn	80.1 %
Li	Lisa	81.8 %
Mak	Leslie	84.2 %

## Grade 10's Honour Roll

Carew	Stefanie	83.5 %
Domchik	Arthurt	86.4 %
Hart	Melissa	85.5 %
<b>Heikkila</b>	<b>Nicole</b>	<b>95.4 %</b>
Hopfner-Hibbs	Elyse	92.1 %
Lysenko	Vadim	82.8 %
Ragozins	Victoria	88.5 %

## Grade 11's Honour Roll

Burke	Sarah	81.6 %
Corbett	Adrienne	84.4 %
Gahir	Anita	83.5 %
<b>Mak</b>	<b>Allison</b>	<b>92.0 %</b>
McCarthy	Ellen	89.1 %
Serajeddini	Hana	88.7 %
Willerding	Stephanie	85.9 %

## Grade 12's Honour Roll

Gotwicz	Sarah	83.5 %
Hiltz	Emily	83.9 %
Miller	Aaron	83.3 %
Pariselli	Matthew	85.0 %
<b>Vasilenka</b>	<b>Sergei</b>	<b>85.0 %</b>
Whittermore	Kathryn	81.8 %

## OUT WITH THE OLD.....IN WITH THE NEW

### GOOD BYE

.....to all our graduates who now become part of our alumni. APGA wishes you all the best as you continue on in the next phase of your lives. Don't forget to keep in touch and keep us up to date with all your activities. We would love for you to write so we can post things in our newsletters and up and coming alumni website.

### HELLO AND WELCOME

Another group of athletes joined us this year. We have 19 new athletes. They are now part of the over 60 athletes who are excited with the start of another school year. As you improve in your sport, the demand to be away from school increases. You will have lots of support from teachers and your fellow athletes.

### TEACHER ADVOCATE

Ms. Ruprecht is your advocate. By now we hope you feel a part of the APGA family and that you call this place home too. If you need to be away make sure you call APGA at 416-395-3290 ext 20139 so Ms. Ruprecht can inform your teachers of your absence.

*Welcome to the APGA family*

*....your home away from home.....*

### ALUMNI UPDATE:

To Ms. Ruprecht  
From: Elise Powell baby\_e15@hotmail.com

How was the first day of school? My first day was on August 22nd and I'm having a blast. Ball is great and very competitive, just how I like it. I have 3 room mates and they are all very nice and outgoing girls. I don't think I ever had the chance to thank you for everything last year, so I thought I would take a minute to let my appreciation be known. Although I miss Northview to death, I must admit I love the atmosphere in Florida and the southern hospitality. Thanks once again.  
Elise Powell



# ELYSE HOPFNER HIBBS HITS GOLD IN FRANCE

On October 15th, Elyse of Sport Seneca earned a gold medal on the balance beam at the Massilia Cup (Marseilles, France). Elyse, the Canadian champion on this event, beat both the American and Australian. On Saturday, our Elyse was joined by Marci Bernholtz in the team competition. Canada, with their help finished with a bronze medal behind France and the US. In their bronze effort, the Canadian team finished ahead of Russia, who fielded two of their Olympians at this event.

Elyse then proceeded to Stuttgart, Germany despite having injured her knee in France. The team doctors gave her the go ahead to compete but with a modified program. Elyse gave it her best effort and despite her injury was able to finish 5th in the beam.

In November, Elyse is off to "Worlds", in Melburne, Australia. A speedy healing of your knee and Best of Luck Elyse.

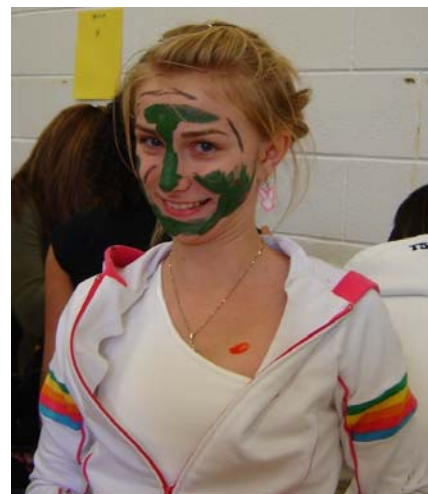


Elyse, Carol Angela Orchard and Canada's Technical Director for Gymnastics Canada

# APGA'S HALLOWEEN TEAM BUILDING











**SPECIAL APGA THANK YOU TO...**

1. Mr. Archer (Todd Archer-Soccer) for his generous donation of the hot dogs and condiments used for our Halloween team building event October 28, 2005.
2. Mr. Cooke (Ben Cooke-Tennis) for getting Scotia Bank to donate funds to buy refurbished computer equipment from Rider (still waiting for applicable items to order for APGA)

**APGA WORDSEARCH**

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**APGA IN HOUSE THANK YOU**

1. Adrienne, Rachel, Kathryn for organizing the 2005 Halloween Event
2. Stephanie, Andrew and Igor for cooking hot dogs
3. Drew and Richard for videotaping our event
4. Igor and Anita for being clean up crew
5. Carmen, Vlad and Jennifer for carving pumpkins
6. Amit for losing the bet to Ms. Ruprecht and thereby supplying our wonderful treats and prizes

**UP AND COMING EVENTS**

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| November 2    | — Take Your Kids to Work day       |
| November 7-11 | — In School Evaluation             |
| November 16   | — Sports Seneca Gr. 8's visit APGA |
| November 21   | — Report Card Distribution         |
| November 22   | — Short Period Day                 |
| December 9    | — St. Andrew's Gr. 8's visit APGA  |

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APGA	ARTISTIC	ATHLETE
COACH	DETERMINATION	EXCELLENCE
FASTER	HOCKEY	INJURIES
KAYAKING	LATINDANCE	MARTIALARTS
OLYMPICS	PARENTS	PLAYFAIR
PLAYHARD	RECOVERY	RHYTHMIC
SCHOLARSHIPS	SOCCER	STRONGER
SUCCESS	TEACHERS	

