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# Awards Assemblies – Grade 12

Today we will be recognizing students for their many contributions and successes here at Delta Secondary School. Students are recognized for their school service, fine arts contributions, athletic accomplishments and academic achievements.

Students receive service awards for school service, club involvement, S. Gov, first responders and the Delta Youth Advisory Council contributing to the school on their own time and with few tangible benefits to him or herself.

Service awards are given at varying levels depending on the amount of time contributed. Whether the award is for basic service, outstanding service or our highest level distinguished service (achieved by contributing 100+ hours), we are extremely proud of our service award winners.

Fine Arts awards are given to students involved in extra-curricular activities in the areas of Art, Music and Drama. These awards are given for excellence and are not participatory awards. These individuals will have shown outstanding ability, leadership and cooperation when participating in these voluntary endeavours. As with our service awards, there are varying levels of distinction for the students' contributions in fine arts.

Athletic awards are presented to students who have demonstrated ability, leadership, and cooperation in practice and at games. We recognize two levels of athletic prowess, outstanding achievement in athletics and excellence in athletics. As a school, we celebrate with and recognize the effort required for all of our athletic team accomplishments.

Department awards recognize the top achieving student in the course. Whether an academic, fine arts or applied skill course, the top student is to be congratulated for their excellent achievement.

Merit awards recognize students who have displayed a significant and sustained improvement in effort, attitude and social skills in the classroom. We applaud these students for their hard work and determination.



# Special Awards

- **Artful Dodger Award** – On March 21, 2002, Reece Marshall and three of his friends were killed in an automobile accident on Deltaport Way. With community support, his family established the Genghis Award and the Artful Dodger Award in Reece's memory. Reece was a talented actor and singer who performed in many of Delta Secondary's stage productions. The Genghis Award, given to a grade 10 or 11 student, and the Artful Dodger award, given to a grade 12 student, are named after leading roles Reece played on our Genesis Theatre stage. This award is given to a student, who in the opinion of the drama department, students and teachers alike, clearly demonstrates the personality characteristics that made Reece a unique individual, not only in acting and singing abilities, but also the humanity that Reece displayed on so many occasions.
- **Carrie Bradfield Award** - The Carrie Bradfield Award is presented to the top senior student who demonstrates excellence in two foreign languages. The winner must demonstrate a love for language learning and proficiency in all aspects of second language acquisition. The student should show willingness to use second languages with teachers and peers in and out of the classroom and demonstrate good citizenship in the school and community.
- **Delta Police Inspirational Awards** - The Delta Police Inspirational Awards were introduced in 1974 by the Delta Police Athletic Association to recognize a junior and senior boy and girl who best demonstrate leadership and inspiration in athletics. In order to win the Delta Police Inspirational Award, a student must exhibit combined qualities of effort, ability, and attitude in the field of athletics.
- **Ercron Science Award** – The Ercron Science Award is presented to the top student in Physics and Chemistry at the senior level.



# Special Awards

- **Erik Sorensen Award** - The Sorensens lost their son in a car accident at just this time of year 12 years ago, and, since that time, Delta Secondary has presented the Eric Sorensen Award each year to the senior student who best demonstrates leadership, personal integrity, and dedication to athletics at Delta Secondary. Eric was someone who loved to play and who was always a positive and enthusiastic member of the teams he played on. He was a highly popular and effective P.E. tutor, who also volunteered his time to coach.
- **First Responder of the Year** – Presented by the BC Ambulance Service, sponsor of the First Responder First Aid program, this award is given to the top First Responder of the Year.
- **International Student Award** – This award is given to the international student that best integrates into Canadian school life. This student embraces the challenges as a newcomer to Canada as well as excels in academic and extra-curricular activities.
- **Maxwell Shield** – The Maxwell Shield Award is presented to a student taking both Geography 12 and History 12 for outstanding academic achievement. This award was initiated by the Kinsmen Club of Ladner in 1951 in memory of George Maxwell.
- **Outstanding Performer Award** - The outstanding performer award goes to a young actor who exhibits the following qualities:
  - showmanship, in other words, the show comes first before ego or personal reward
  - dedication to the project
  - hard work and determination
  - the ability to take direction
  - the ability to personalize their roles; to bring something of themselves to their characters and make them unusual or unique
  - AND, of course, talent, that is the gift of acting or the “wow” factor



# Special Awards

- **Special Merit Award**– The Special Merit Award goes to a grade 12 student who has demonstrated outstanding personal improvement in general attitude and community spirit.
- **Stainsby Shield** - The Stainsby Shield was started in 1948 in memory of Industrial Education teacher Donald Stainsby and is presented to a senior student who demonstrates the same dedication to outstanding service to the school in a variety of areas that Donald personified.
- **Student Government Award** – The Student Government award is presented to the Prime Minister of Student Government. This is an elected position and the successful individual oversees all facets of Student Government whose mandate is to build school spirit and social responsibility among our student body.
- **Tamboline Award (Technical Education 12)** - The Technical Education 12 award, also known as the Tamboline Award, was initiated in 1952, is given to the most outstanding Grade 12 student in Industrial Education over a three-year period.
- **Visual Arts 12 (Raine Leagh)** - The Visual Arts 12 award, also known as the Raine Leagh award, is awarded to the student whose art work exhibits the highest quality of innovation and technical mastery. The student will constantly exceed expectations; will have an exemplary attitude coupled with strong work habits and a passion for the visual arts.



# Major Awards

- **Athlete of the Year** - The Athlete of the year is presented to the student-athlete who, as evaluated by their coaches and the Athletic Department has best demonstrated: ability, attendance, sportsmanship and leadership.
- **Leon Ladner Award** - On April 13, 1960 the Ladner Family set up a trust at Delta Secondary School to provide an annual award of a gold medal for the student in each grade with the highest standing in general proficiency during the year. This award is given to students from Grades 8 to 12. We also recognize two finalists for each grade.
- **Award of Excellence** - This award is given to the top all-around student of each grade. Winners must be on the honour roll, attain extracurricular excellence, contribute service to the school or community and have positive relations with the staff and students of DSS. The grade 12 award is sponsored by Bill Kushnir.



# Anna-Catherine Amundsen



- Fine Arts Award -  
Performance Club







# Emma Armstrong



- Excellence in Yearbook 12
- Merit Award in Psychology
- Outstanding Fine Arts - Yearbook





# Roman Bains

- Student Government





# Dawson Baker



- Outstanding in Athletics - Soccer





# Jena Benson



- Excellence in Economics 12
- Distintuished School Service - Grad





# Claire Bidulka



- School Service - Clubs





# Hannah Black

- Excellence in English
- School Service - Clubs
- Outstanding Fine Arts  
- Stagecraft Club





# Emily Botkin



- School Service - Clubs





# Matthew Cossenas



- Excellence in Athletics
  - Soccer & Volleyball







# Claire Creighton



- Excellence in Pre-Calculus 12 (Burhoe Award)
- School Service - Clubs





# Kaitlyn Dahlen



- Merit Award in Psychology





# Kylie Davis



- Outstanding in Athletics - Swimming
- School Service - Athletics





# Jemma De Fondaumiere

- School Service - Clubs







# Rygel Desouza



- Distinguished School Service - First Responders



# Tristan Evans

- Excellence in Biology & English Literature (Tanner Trophy)
- Outstanding Fine Arts  
- Stagecraft Club,  
Sound & Lighting Tech





# Rachel Francis



- Student Government





# Levi Froude

- Excellence in Athletics
  - Soccer & Volleyball
- Athlete of the Year - Male





# Graeme Gibbons



- School Service - Clubs





# Takuto Hatase



- Outstanding in  
Athletics - Volleyball

# Nathan Haverstock

- Excellence in Graphics 12, Metalwork 12 & Technical Education (Tamboline Award)





# Dallas Hawes



- Special Merit Award

# Alicia Hornby

- Outstanding in Athletics - Volleyball
- Erik Sorensen





# Sophie Hornby

- Outstanding in Athletics - Volleyball
- Erik Sorensen





# Nava Hothi

- Outstanding in Athletics - Basketball
- Delta Police Inspirational



# Clarence Huang

- Excellence in German 12 & Spanish 12
- Carrie Bradfield Award





# Dayton Jones



- Excellence in Woodwork 12



# Brennan Katsube

- Excellence in Chemistry & Physical Education
- Distinguished School Service - First Responders & School
- Excellence in Athletics - Soccer & Volleyball
- Delta Police Inspirational
- Leon Ladner
- Award of Excellence







# Sarah Kerr



- Excellence in Food Studies 12



# Sena Kholmatov

- Maxwell Shield





# Ben Kraemer



- Outstanding in Athletics - Soccer







# Natasha Kryger



- Outstanding School Service - Clubs & Grad
- Outstanding in Athletics - Gymnastics



# Bryce Malenstyn

- Excellence in Acting
- Distinguished Fine Arts - Oliver!
- Outstanding Performer Award
- Artful Dodger Award





# Tyler McIntosh



- Excellence in Athletics
  - Soccer & Volleyball





# Cole Morgan



- Excellence in Law 12
- Outstanding School Service - Grad







# Emily Morris



- School Service - Clubs







# Ravail Nijjar



- Distinguished School Service - First Responders
- Outstanding in Athletics - Soccer





# Sae Oiwa



- Excellence in Baking 12
- Outstanding International Student

# Gracelyn Palmer

- Distinguished School Service - First Responders
- First Responder of the Year
- Stainsby Shield





# Aidan Pau



- Excellence in Senior Choir
- School Service - Clubs





# Ali



# Pourshahriary

- Excellence in Metalwork 12







# Ainsleigh Price



- Excellence in French
- School Service - Clubs
- Leon Ladner Finalist





# Bailey Ranu



- Outstanding School Service - Grad





# Siasha Reddy



- School Service - Clubs





# Calum Reid



- Outstanding Fine Arts
  - Stagecraft Club & Lighting Tech



# Haruhi Sakaki



- Outstanding in  
Athletics - Basketball





# Jordan Sanders



- Excellence in Guitar
- Ercron Science Award
- Outstanding School Service - First Responders
- Leon Ladner Finalist





# Paul Sarai



- Outstanding in  
Athletics - Soccer

# Jackson Schwartz

- Excellence in Foundations of Mathematics 12 (Burhoe Award)





# Nathan Senyard



- Excellence in Culinary Arts
- Outstanding School Service - Stu. Govt



# Noon Sinkijcharoenchai



- Excellence in Calculus
- School Service - First Responders & School





# Alexandra Thwaites



- Excellence in Senior Band
- Distinguished School Service - Clubs
- Distinguished Fine Arts Award - Stage Manager for Concerts Stagecraft





# Rafaela Sofia Waldner



- Excellence in Visual Arts 12 (Raine Leagh)



# Samuel Wallace



- Excellence in  
English 12

# Abbey Wigglesworth

- Outstanding in Athletics - Basketball
- Athlete of the Year - Female





# Kalvin Windrum



- Outstanding in Athletics - Swimming
- School Service - Athletics







# Wendi Wu



- Excellence in Ceramics & Sculpture 12





# Harry Zhang



- Excellence in Physics 12

