**Martensville High School**

*“Learning, Understanding, and Caring for All”*

**MHS AWARDS CRITERIA**

**Grade 9, 10 and 11 Awards (2017-2018)**

MHS will host a Fall Awards Ceremony, celebrating the various achievements of our students in the 2017-2018 academic year. This Awards Ceremony will take place in September 2018 with the following awards presented at that time:

**HONOUR ROLL/DISTINCTION**

* The students receiving **honour roll** certificates have achieved an average of 79.5% - 89.4%.
* The students with an average of 89.5% or above will receive **distinction** certificates.
* Awarded to each student (from Grades 9, 10, and 11) who has achieved the requisite average.
* NOTE: Averages will be calculated as of June 29, 2018.

**ACADEMIC AWARDS**

* This award is given to exemplary students who are dedicated to their studies and have achieved the highest academic average at each Grade level.
* One award for each of Grade 9, Grade 10 and Grade 11.
* NOTE: Average will be calculated as of June 29, 2018.

**SUBJECT AWARDS**

* Subject awards are given to the student who has the highest mark in each course taught during the academic year.
* One award for each subject in Grade 9 and the 10 & 20-levels.
* NOTE: Final marks as of June 29, 2018 will determine the recipients.

**ATHLETIC AWARDS**

* Athletic awards are given to those students who show good athletic ability, leadership, sportsmanship, and be coachable. They must also take part in our school teams.
* Awarded to two students at each Grade level (one male, one female) in Grades 9, 10, and 11.
* Members of the MHS Athletic Department select the recipients.

**LEADERSHIP AWARD**

* Leadership awards are given to those students who have shown consistent POSITIVE leadership throughout the year both in and outside the classroom.

Being an SRC member is not necessarily a prerequisite.

* Awarded to two students at each Grade level (Grades 9, 10, and 11).
* All staff participates in the selection of recipients.

***THE FOLLOWING AWARDS MAY BE GIVEN***

***TO GRADE 9, 10 or 11 STUDENTS:***

If a Grade 9, 10 or 11 recipient is selected, the Award will be given out at the Fall Awards Ceremony in September 2018:

**ATHLETIC SPIRIT AWARD IN REMEMBRANCE OF ROGER WILGENBUSCH**

* This award is presented annually in memory of Roger Wilgenbusch, who graduated from MHS in June 1999, and died tragically while on a wilderness adventure in June 2002. Roger was a friendly, outgoing young man who demonstrated great spirit and drive in his pursuit of excellence in athletics.
* The recipient of this award shall be a Grade 10, 11 or 12 student who demonstrates the greatest spirit and drive in the pursuit of excellence in athletics.
* One student will receive this award.
* Members of the MHS Athletic Department select the recipients.

**RON MCGRATTEN AWARD**

* The Ron McGratten award is presented in memory of a former Martensville teacher who is greatly admired and sadly missed.
* It is awarded to a student (in Grade 9, 10, 11 or 12) who has demonstrated the following observable characteristics: perseverance, dedication to a cause and a set of strong moral standards that is displayed on an on-going basis.
* One student will receive this award.
* All staff participates in selection of the recipient.

**KELLY PENNER AWARD**

* This award is presented in memory of Kelly Penner, a former MHS graduate who personified moving forward and looking ahead at goals he had set for himself.
* The Kelly Penner award is given to a student (in Grade 9, 10, 11 or 12) who has overcome obstacles to achieve success and who demonstrates the characteristics of Kelly Penner.
* One student will receive this award.
* All staff participates in the selection of recipients.

**STUDENT OF THE YEAR AWARD**

* This award is given to the student who has contributed the most positively to MHS during that student's stay here.
* While the graduating class members have at least one year of advantage over all others for this award it does not necessarily have to be awarded to a Grade 12 student.
* One student receives this award (in Grade 9, 10, 11 or 12).
* All staff participates in the selection of a recipient.

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*The MHS Fall Awards Ceremony will be held at the North Ridge Centre in September 2018. Specific date and time to be determined!*