



Tradition

St. Michael's College School
Quarterly Alumni E-Newsletter

WELCOME BACK

The Alumni Association would like to welcome the following back to our community:

- Anthony L. Ferlito '56
- Gord Manion '56
- William Ward '56
- Mitchell Wilk '56
- Harold J. Doran '56
- Lawrence Dalcin '56
- Nicholas Bellisario '57
- William Swirsky '59
- Kenneth C. Swirsky '67
- Peter Sturm '70
- Joe Jackman '79
- Joe A. Flynn '82
- L. Patrick Kelly '82
- Rob Nicolson '84
- Sean Khan '93
- Damon Wood '95
- Marc Striowski '98
- Michael Rocchetti '08
- Brandon Willett '11

Please [click here](#) to view a list of the alumni we have lost touch with.

ALUMNI BUSINESS DIRECTORY ADVERTISERS

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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MINUTES

Click the date to review the minutes from the Alumni Association meetings on [Tuesday, March 24](#) and [Tuesday, June 2](#).

Please forward any questions or comments to alumni@smcsmail.com.

UPCOMING DATES

August 14

[Young Alumni Golf Tournament](#)

ALUMNI POLL

[Which retired staff member would you like to see profiled in the next Blue Banner?](#)



SURVEY RESULTS

Edition 02: Winter 2015 Poll: What four values do you associate with the athletic M?

The top four values were:

1. Character
2. Discipline
3. Brotherhood
4. Excellence

Alumni Updates

Nicholas Singh-Pickersgill '11 attended SMCS as a recipient of the Bursary Programme and the ACCESS Scholarship. While a student he was a member of the varsity soccer team and the co-founder of the African Canadian Caribbean Association, alongside Beraki Abraha '11.



Upon Nicholas' graduation from SMCS, he was awarded the Dr. William Anderson Exit Scholarship. The scholarship is awarded annually by the Anderson family to a graduating student who has had a well-rounded career at St. Michael's College School, and desires to enter the life sciences at university aspiring to the medical field or a related health profession.

Nicholas recently graduated from McMaster University with a degree in Biochemistry. He is headed to Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis to pursue his four year Doctor of Medicine degree with the thought of specializing in surgery. Nicholas was awarded a four year full tuition merit scholarship to attend Washington University. The merit scholarship is based on GPA, MCAT score, and extracurricular activities, such as community involvement, clubs, and sports.

Over the past few years, Ryan Malone '14 has been competing on the world circuit in freestyle skiing. This year, he attained an international ranking of 26th against some of the best halfpipe skiers. This past season, Ryan was named Canada Cup Champion in halfpipe skiing, after competing in national events and the World Ski finals in Whistler. This was the first time the award was given to aerial, slopestyle, and halfpipe skiers. [Click here](#) to watch a video of Ryan and his journey.

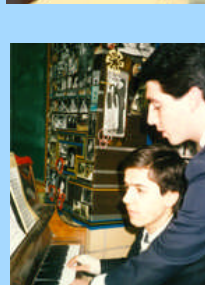


Members of the Alumni Executive and Directors came to speak to the Grade 12 students on Tuesday, April 21. Presentations from the alumni included how St. Michael's helped in their post-secondary education, current careers, and the importance of staying connected to St. Mike's after graduation. The Alumni Visits have proven helpful as our graduates transition to university and begin their life long connection with the Alumni Association.

The Class of 1991 established a bursary in memory of Salvatore "Sam" Arrigo '91 who passed away unexpectedly in March 2015. The Dr. Salvatore Arrigo ND (Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine) Award will recognize the student who achieves the highest academic mark in Grade 12 Biology. As a naturopathic doctor, Sam was dedicated to improving the wellbeing of others through the use of natural sciences and a positive state of mind. The class hopes that this gesture will honour Sam's life, and encourage others to achieve greatness through science.

Archives

Remembering Room 12.



Multimedia



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Event Wrap-Up



The inaugural Evans Tannis Alumni Soccer Showdown was held on Sunday, April 19. More than 80 alumni and current SMCS staff members took to the Eugene Melnyk Sports Field. The tournament was organized by Dante Di Iulio '05 and David Di Gregorio '03 in memory of Mr. Evans Tannis.



The Classes of 2004-2014 were invited back to St. Michael's on Thursday, May 21, for the annual Spring Reunion & BBQ. More than 150 alumni were in attendance and had the opportunity to catch up with classmates, faculty, and staff members. A special reception was held for the Class of 2014 marking their first official alumni event. Frank Di Nino '80 welcomed the class into the alumni association and each attendee was given a special alumni gift.



The 3rd annual Enzo Montemurro '81 Touch Football Classic was played on Saturday, June 6, on the Eugene Melnyk Sports Field. Over 80 competitors came out to enjoy the sunshine and toss around the pigskin. The tournament was a huge success and continues to build a following from graduates of all ages with this year's tournament having representation from the grad years of 1978 to 2014. The team captained by Ron Scarafile '05 repeated as champion defeating the young guns, captained by Justin Leon '14. We would like to thank all the alumni who came out and played, as well as the tireless efforts of the volunteers who made the day possible. For all graduates interested in playing in next year's tournament, please contact Matt Montemurro '05 matt@montecoe.com or Ron Scarafile '05 ron@monteandcoe.com.

Milestone Reunions



The Track and Field and Cross Country teams held a reunion on Friday, April 10 and included 40 participants, alumni representing the last six decades. The event marked two milestones: 40 years of coaching for Paul Barry '73 and 30 years of coaching for Frank Bergin.



The Class of 1955 celebrated their 60th Reunion on Friday, June 12 and invited the classes of 1954 and 1956 to share in the evening.



To celebrate their 20th Reunion, 50 members of the Class of 1995 met on Saturday, June 13. Thank you to David Bellmore '95 for organizing the reunion.

We want to hear from you! Please email your alumni stories and photos to alumni@smcsmail.com.

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