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St. Mary's High School Student Receives Major Schulich Leader Scholarship

Kyne Santos heading to University of Waterloo

Waterloo Region, ON – The students, staff and trustees of Waterloo Region's Catholic Schools proudly congratulate **Kyne Santos** on receiving a prestigious **Schulich Leader Scholarship** from the **University of Waterloo**. The scholarship – valued at \$60,000 – is awarded to a student enrolling in full-time studies in Honours Mathematics (Co-op) or Honours Computer Science (Co-op) at the University of Waterloo.

Kyne – who graduates from **St. Mary's High School** in June – will also receive the U of W **President's Scholarship of Distinction**. He was nominated for the awards by SMH teacher **Michael Ambeau**.

QuickFacts

- ✓ Launched in 2012, the \$100 million *Schulich Leader Scholarships* program funds 50 undergraduate scholarships each year, across top Canadian universities allowing the most promising students to pursue their dreams and become the next global pioneers in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. The program received 1,512 nominations in 2016.
- ✓ Monsignor Doyle CSS graduate Sherry Wong another recent Schulich Leader Scholarship recipient from WCDSB schools was featured in the 2016 Maclean's Magazine Canadian Universities Guidebook. (Link below).

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Quotes

"Our St. Mary's school community is extremely proud of Kyne and all of his accomplishments. He is very deserving of this prestigious award and has a wonderful future ahead of him. We wish him well".

~~ Gale Daly - Principal, St. Mary's High School

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St. Mary's High School

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