

On Sunday, February 28, 2010, the *Eighth Annual Academic Awards Ceremony* took place at Blissful Meadows Golf Course. This event recognized 52 junior and senior Uxbridge High School students for their academic excellence. These well-deserving students received high-honors or honors status for two consecutive years.

The evening, which was organized by the Uxbridge School Council, consisted of a sit-down meal, a guest speaker, individual student recognition and a raffle. Students selected Franceen Puckett, social studies teacher at UHS, to address the 170 plus students, parents, extended family and Uxbridge staff. Mrs. Puckett delivered a wonderful speech comparing 1964, the year she graduated from high school, to what students in 2010 are experiencing. Each student received a plaque that was donated by the Massachusetts Army National Guard, a certificate of academic achievement and a gift certificate from Papa Gino's. Sergeant Charles K. Westling attended to present the plaques to each student. Additional donations from local businesses and individuals supplied fantastic raffle prizes that all enjoyed.

The Academic Awards Dinner is a wonderful way for students to receive deserving recognition for their hard-work and dedication to academics. This rich tradition is a highlight of each school year. Thank you to the members of the School Council who assisted in the organization of this event: community members Phillip Gonzalez, Mary Sherlock, Mary-Meg Walsh, students Katelyn O'Neil and Josh Cornell, teachers Lisa Dunn and Rebecca Plasse and administrators Tara Bennett and Erik Arnold.

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Award Recipients:

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Stephanie Benoit
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