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## Constructing Our Future - Windsor Campus

The next chapter in the life of St. Clair College involves shovels and dollars. Many shovels are in the ground and many more will follow with the largest expansion in the history of the College. With investments by the Federal and Provincial governments along with the donations received from our community and alumni – we are ready to enter a whole new world of opportunity. At a time when the financial world looks bleak and the employment picture in our area is dire – we are moving forward constructing our future.



### CCIP Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

*Dr. Peter Tumidajski, SRC President - Justin Fox, Board of Governor - Deborah Livneh, MPP Sandra Pupatello, Dr. John Strasser, Essex County Warden Nelson Santos.*

College a place where students can receive the best of state-of-the-art training and facilities to prepare for our changing economy. We appreciated the visit of Premier Dalton McGuinty to see the provincial investment at work. This is a great place to move people who have lost their jobs due to the global recession, into new careers with the skills and confidence they will need to succeed.



*Premier Dalton McGuinty speaking to students.*

St. Clair College's top Windsor Campus priority capital project is the \$32 million commitment from the federal and provincial governments for the new Centre for Applied Health Sciences. Together, both levels of government are providing new infrastructure dollars toward the building of the Centre. The creation of this Centre will allow St. Clair College to meet the increasing demand for health sciences learning opportunities. It will also be the new home of nursing, paramedic and applied health programs.

The federal government's announcement was presented by Jeff Watson, MP for Essex. Their \$16 million contribution is part of the government's \$2 billion Knowledge Infrastructure Program. Sandra Pupatello, MPP Windsor West, and Dwight Duncan, MPP Windsor Tecumseh, announced the Ministry of Training Colleges and Universities contribution of \$16 million to the project.

The new \$9 million Centre for Construction, Innovation and Production ribbon cutting ceremony with Sandra Pupatello, MPP Windsor West represented a commitment by the Province of Ontario to make our



*MP Jeff Watson, Veronique Mandal, Dr. John Strasser.*

St. Clair College received more than \$5 million in federal funding for the Newsplex - an enhanced journalism program. The College has received the old Salvation Army building, a former city asset, at the corner of Victoria and University Avenue, from the City of Windsor as their commitment to the growth and revitalization of the city. Veronique Mandal, a former Windsor Star reporter and the current director of the College's journalism program, said the funding would be used to purchase cutting edge equipment so her students could learn practical skills that would help them land jobs in the rapidly changing world of journalism. The program will place an emphasis on

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# Constructing Our Future - Thames Campus

The shovels are excavating on the grounds at our Thames Campus. The result is a transformation of the campus and better opportunities for students heading into careers after being prepared at St. Clair College in Chatham-Kent.

We have seen this development of the Thames Campus with the recent groundbreaking for its \$9 million dollar new HealthPlex facility. This is the first major development project on the campus since it was built 35 years ago. The Chatham HealthPlex will be over 50,000 sq. ft. with a double gym, running track, fitness centre, space for aerobics and other activities as well as much needed classroom space.

Chatham-Kent-Essex MP Dave Van Kesteren said the investment will provide a significant short-term economic stimulus to Chatham-Kent and will create jobs in the region. "Our government is investing in innovation to create jobs, to help the economy recover quickly and to improve the quality of life for Canadians."



Chatham Mayor Randy Hope, MPP Pat Hoy, Dr. John Strasser, MP David VanKesteren.

Student council president Kaitlyn Nantais believes the facility will serve many purposes. "We've really been waiting for this," she said.

Construction will also start on a new 18,000 sq. ft. Trades & Technology addition. This addition is possible as a result of an investment of \$2.2 million dollars from each level of government for a total of \$4.4 million dollars.

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## Highest Enrollment in History

convergence, which means reporters will be trained in multiple mediums using the latest gear.

College President John Strasser attributed the highest enrollment in our history, to the fact that students are keen to learn practical skills that translate into jobs upon graduation. The province's Second Career program -- which pays for displaced workers to go back to school -- is also responsible for the boost, he said.

"The way the economy is moving today, people are more and more concerned about having a job at the end of the education process and

Chatham-Kent-Essex MPP Pat Hoy said that by investing in St. Clair College, the province is supporting new construction and renovation projects that will create construction jobs in the short-term and provide more opportunities for students to develop the skills they need for jobs of the future. Hoy said the funding will create more opportunities for research, learning and training. "It's vital to help our community, young and old, to build their lives and contribute to our economy." He said the new addition will allow students and staff to work in new and spacious facilities -- "classrooms and labs with access to the latest technologies that will push the boundaries of what tomorrow's students and researchers can discover."

"These are exciting developments for Thames Campus," St. Clair College President John Strasser said. "I am confident the community will benefit greatly from the enhanced skills of graduates who will enter the workforce after acquiring knowledge in a modern facility." He said the need for workable space for students at the campus is crucial.

Lynn McGeachy-Schultz, Director of College Advancement, called the planning for these facilities a long journey. However, she believes when completed they will be a "very attractive drawing card." "We promised the students and the community we'd get this done, and we in fact will do that," she said. "Today, I have a mix of emotions. I'm thrilled, excited, anxious and relieved. But mostly, I am profoundly grateful."

So, it is a great time to be part of the Thames Campus of St. Clair College in Chatham-Kent. The investments being made are the keys to a better, well-trained and healthy workforce to meet the challenges of the global economy. At Thames Campus -- we're already constructing our future!

they're seeing that college provides that very readily so more and more people are taking that option," said Strasser.

Enrollment is up in disciplines like health sciences and law and security, but Strasser was especially pleased with the "incredible" interest in the college's new border services program, which is designed to churn out customs officers, immigration officers and food inspection agents.

The number of adult learners -- defined as adults who have been away from high school for a year or more -- has remained steady. Adult learners

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account for more than 50 per cent of the student population and their ranks have increased as layoffs decimated the manufacturing sector.

This is an exciting time to be part of the history of St. Clair College where the construction and investment of today will make a brighter tomorrow for our students and our community.



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## Alumna Penny Parkes Gets Gold



*St. Clair alumna, Penny Parkes, wins gold medal in badminton at Sydney 2009 World Masters Games.*

The Games were held at Sydney Olympic Park and our amazing venue was at the sports centre within the park. They played in two large gyms in the sports centre with approximately forty courts. The courts were all lined specially for badminton and ceilings were nice and high. Lighting was a little challenging at times, but we all were

in the same boat and fortunately got used to it. The World Masters games were all sports, almost like an Olympic games. They are held every four years with the next World Games to be held in Italy. We were told that the Games in Sydney had 28,000 athletes participating, more than the Olympic Games in Greece. In badminton alone there were over 800 athletes. I had the opportunity to compete against athletes from Thailand, Indonesia, Malaysia, Japan, Germany, Australia, and New Zealand, just to name a few. Some of the athletes from these countries were All England Champions, World Cup and Barcelona Olympic Medal Champions. So exciting to play against some of the best in the World. My final game was against the Japanese National Champion and I was thrilled to win the gold against her in the match.

## 2010 Canwest Canspell Regional Spelling Bee

We are pleased to announce the St. Clair College Alumni Association's ongoing participation as a sponsor for The Windsor Star Canwest Canspell 2010 Regional Spelling Bee.

As in 2009, our association will be celebrating the success of the spelling bee finalists by hosting a "Breakfast of Champions" on Saturday, February 13th at the St. Clair College Centre for the Arts.

Over sixty schools in Southwestern Ontario have registered to compete in this year's Windsor Star Regional Spelling Bee.

Finalists will be selected through classroom/school bees held in January at each of the registered schools. The finalists will move on to compete in The Windsor Star Regional Spelling Bee on Sunday, February 21, in our Chrysler Theatre at the St. Clair College Centre for the Arts.

Over 20 regional competitions culminate at the Canwest Canspell National Finals in the spring as the regional winners compete for the Canspell Cup. The regional winners then move on to compete internationally at the Scripps National Spelling Bee.

*Photos courtesy of The Windsor Star*



Since its inception in 2005, Canwest Canspell has become a phenomenon, with more than 225,000 students participating last year. Canwest Canspell is a free program offering students in Grades 4-8 the opportunity to challenge themselves while sharpening their study and spelling skills. Students also have a chance to earn a spot in the regional, national and international competitions where success is rewarded with special events, travel and thousands of dollars in Canspell Education Awards.

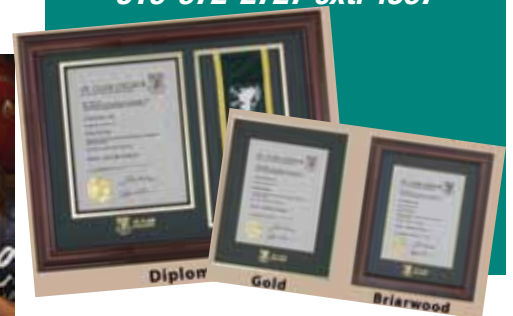
The St. Clair College Alumni Association and The Windsor Star are extremely excited about this sponsorship and the opportunities that will come from our partnership.

For more information about the program, check out [www.canspell.com](http://www.canspell.com).



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# 2009 Alumni of Distinction



## Nick Brancaccio

**Journalism '81**  
Staff Photographer  
The Windsor Star

Nick Brancaccio was a graduate of the Journalism program at St. Clair College in 1981. He is an award winning staff photographer for The Windsor Star. Growing up in Windsor, one of his first jobs was being a paperboy for The Star. Nick has been at that newspaper since 1979, starting out as a reporter and now working as a photojournalist.

His many achievements as a staff photographer at The Star include winning the Canadian Best Spot News Photography award for the best picture from across Canada in the 1991 competition.

Nick has covered many stories and events for the local newspaper. Like all great photographers, his photos have told the story of an event, complementing written accounts in a powerful way. He especially enjoys covering breaking news and loves "street level" photojournalism.

He is the recipient of Western Ontario Newspaper Awards, Ontario Newspaper Awards and Canadian Newspaper Awards for his photographic skills. He was recently runner-up for the Photojournalist of the Year in the Ontario Newspaper Awards.

Nick has been involved in many charity efforts in Windsor and Essex County.

He and his wife Noria are the parents of four children.



## Edward Marocko

**Law & Security '89**  
Staff Sergeant  
Leamington Police Services

Ed Marocko is a 1989 graduate of the Law & Security program at St. Clair College. He currently serves as Staff Sergeant for Leamington Police Services, with responsibility for five police platoons, the criminal investigations branch, police training and police service internal investigations. Ed has been with Leamington Police Services

for over 20 years. Not long after finishing college, Ed was appointed to the Essex County Drug Squad, representing Leamington Police. He recently received the Ontario Medal for Police Bravery.

Ed was a part time instructor at St. Clair College, teaching Police Foundations - Law & Security. There, he demonstrated his great motivation and enthusiasm for police services. The faculty with whom he taught established the Ed Marocko Bursary to assist Police Foundations - Law & Security students.

On behalf of the Leamington Rotary Club, Ed travelled to New Zealand to exchange methods and ideas with police services there. Officials from New Zealand have recently travelled here and were hosted by Ed and Leamington Police Services as part of that exchange.

He is the husband of Tammy and the father of two girls.



## Anita Harris

**Nursing '75**  
VP Clinical Affairs &  
Chief Privacy Officer  
Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital

Anita Harris is a graduate of the Nursing program at St. Clair College Class of 1975: the first nursing class to graduate. Anita grew up in Sandwich and knew from a young age that she wanted to be part of the healing arts. She serves on the Senior Management Team of Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital,

where she is the Vice President of Clinical Affairs and Chief Privacy Officer.

Following graduation, Anita served as a staff nurse at Hôtel-Dieu Hospital, eventually joining the Critical Care Unit. Within two years of service in the Critical Care program, Anita became an instructor in Critical Care at St. Clair College (Continuing Ed.); then went on to become a sessional instructor for the Nursing Program at the college. Anita continues to be a guest lecturer in the St. Clair Nursing program.

Anita returned to school and earned her Law Degree at the University of Windsor, being admitted to the Law Society of Upper Canada in 1999.

She is a "Do Good Diva" and sits on the Board of Directors for the Windsor Family Health Team.

Anita and her husband John have three children.

***Do you know of any  
St. Clair Alumni you would like  
to see recognized?***

***Nominate them for our 2010  
Alumni Awards of Distinction!***

***Call or email the Alumni Office  
with your nomination.***

**Join us for our 2010 Alumni of Distinction Dinner  
Friday, October 1st • St. Clair Centre for the Arts**



**Edward Pillon**  
Mechanical Engineering '67  
Fire Chief - Essex  
Town of Essex

Ed Pillon graduated in 1967 from the Western Ontario Institute of Technology (W.O.I.T.) . . . . the forerunner of St. Clair College. Ed obtained his degree from the Mechanical Engineering program. Following graduation, he was employed by Allied (General) Chemical in Amherstburg. Over 37 years, he worked in many positions, advancing to Operations Supervisor at the plant.

Throughout his career, he was a volunteer firefighter with the Harrow - Colchester South Fire Department. He began his service as a firefighter when he was a teenager: a reflection of the commitment to serving others which has been evident throughout his life. Before amalgamation of Essex County municipalities, Ed served as Deputy Chief of the Harrow Fire Service. In 2004, he assumed the position of Fire Chief for Essex, Harrow and Colchester South.

Ed is well known as a dedicated and active supporter of the community. He is involved in the Goodfellows and Toys For Tots campaigns. He was a coach in minor league sports and still enjoys lacing up his skates to continue playing recreational hockey.

For 38 years, Ed has been the husband of Gail. They have two sons and two grandchildren.



**Rocco Tullio**  
Business '88  
CEO & Owner  
Rock Developments

Rocco Tullio was a 1988 graduate of the Retail Management program at St. Clair College after graduating from Assumption High School.

He is the chairman of Rock Developments in Windsor. This is a real estate development company with projects which include office, retail, design-build facilities and industrial and commercial land developments. Many familiar ventures in Windsor and Essex County were built by Rock Developments. The company also has numerous projects and properties in the Greater Toronto area.

Rocco owns and operates the three Lifestyle Family Fitness Centres in Windsor and Tecumseh which are dedicated to a focus on wellness and include a wide range of exercise alternatives, nutrition, personal training and lifestyle counseling. His first fitness centre has been transformed from a small Tecumseh racquetball facility of 5,000 square feet to a Lifestyle Fitness Centre boasting over 30,000 square feet. The Lifestyle Fitness success story has set a standard of fitness excellence by which other such facilities and programs are measured.

Since 2007, Rocco has also been principal owner of the Oshawa Generals Hockey Club of the Ontario Hockey League. Oshawa's hockey alumni boasts names such as Bobby Orr, Alex Delvecchio and Eric Lindros.

Rocco and his wife Danielle have three children.

- 1992 **Andrew Faas**, Business – Marketing, 1972 \*
- 1993 **Dr. Lynne Sibley**, Secretarial Science – Executive, 1970
- 1994 **Lex Parker**, Motive Power Technician, 1973
- 1995 **Glenn Hornick**, Business – Accounting, 1971
- 1996 **Gerry Pelletier**, Business – Accounting, 1976
- 1997 **Dennis Hill**, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1971  
**Dr. Ken Schneider**, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1980 \*  
**John Smith**, Business – Marketing, 1972
- 1998 **Bruce Baumann**, Business – Advertising, 1981  
**Robert Lawless**, Chemical Engineering Technology, 1968  
**Patrick Soulliere**, Business – Accounting, 1978
- 1999 **Jacqueline McCreary**, Nursing, 1974  
**Herbert Stammler**, Mechanical Eng Technology, 1966  
**Dr. Rebecca Ward**, Developmental Services Worker-Thames, 1977
- 2000 **Walter Fox**, Business Administration – Accounting, 1972  
**Timothy Kane**, Business – Advertising, 1979  
**Hazel McDonald**, Nursing, 1977 \*  
**Ron Wingelaar**, Plastics Technician, 1977
- 2001 **Alan Buterbaugh**, Business – Advertising, 1986  
**Bill Carter**, Business, 1970  
**Guy Diponio**, Industrial Engineering Technology, 1968  
**Dr. Sheila Horen**, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1984
- 2002 **Paul Allsop**, Chemical Engineering Technology, 1965  
**Paulah Dauns**, Mental Retardation Counsellor, 1974  
**Elaine Maloney**, Pharmacy Assistant, 1979  
**Dr. Francis Ogunsakin**, Business Administration – Accounting, 1982
- 2003 **Glen Angus**, Commercial Art, 1994  
**Dr. Laura Arbour**, Nursing, 1976  
**Kent Billinghurst**, Early Childhood Education, 1992  
**Cal Haddad**, Business Administration – Marketing, 1968  
**Real Tanguay**, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1972
- 2004 **Kay Douglas**, Business – Advertising, 1992  
**Mary Jo Haddad**, Nursing, 1976 \*  
**David Heyens**, Business Administration – Marketing, 1981  
**Gerry Lesa**, Electrical / Electronics Engineering, 1965  
**Lynn Martin**, Business – Advertising, 1977
- 2005 **Joe DiGiorgio**, Business – Advertising, 1980  
**John Hall**, Food Processing Technology, 1970  
**Dr. Shelley Lalani**, Dental Assistant & Dental Hygiene, 1980 & 1983  
**Guy Parent**, Security Administration, 1975  
**James Petrozzi**, Mechanical Engineering, 1970
- 2006 **Michael Burns**, Child and Youth Worker, 1980  
**Diane Gagner**, Office Administration – Legal, 1974  
**Jason Newhook**, Electrical Engineering Technology, 1993  
**Christopher Popowich**, Lighting & Sound, 1975  
**Dr. Lawrence Schmidt**, Medical Laboratory Technology, 1973
- 2007 **Roy Conliffe**, Industrial Engineering, 1972  
**Lu-Ann Cowell**, Developmental Services Worker, 1975  
**Mike Gibb**, Journalism, 1998  
**Frank Mocerri**, Business – Accounting, 1980  
**Lynda Monik**, Nursing, 1980  
**Cheryl Rettig**, Journalism, 2006
- 2008 **Nancy Berthiaume**, Nursing, 1987  
**Vicki Butzer**, **Jason Campigotto**, **Blake Chamberlain**, Architectural Technology, 2005  
**Roseann Danese**, Journalism, 1983  
**Rick Farrow**, Business Administration, 1972  
**Gina Liovas**, Early Childhood Education, 1987  
**Raymond Payne**, Electrical Engineering, 1968

\*Notes Premier Award Winner

# Insurance Deductibles Explained

You are at work and there is a break-and-enter at your home. A side window used to gain access is significantly damaged and several of your possessions are stolen. You present a claim for the insured damages. How does your deductible impact your claim?

The deductible is the amount that you are responsible for paying toward a claim before the benefits of your policy are applied. Your insurance company covers the remainder of your claim up to your policy limits. For example, if the deductible you selected at the time of purchase is \$500 and you experienced the above loss, you would be responsible for paying the first \$500 of the repair bill. Your insurance company will take care of the rest (up to your policy limits).

Deductibles are generally applied to comprehensive and collision coverage purchased on your automobile and you choose the amount. It is important to note that the higher your deductible, the lower your premium will be. Similarly, there is a choice of deductibles available on your home policy; higher deductibles will also lower premiums.

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**Sunday, January 10th and  
Thursday, February 4th.**  
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for more details.



## Alumni Golf Tournament

Our 2009 St. Clair College Annual Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament was a great success.

Held on Saturday, July 25th at Kingsville Golf & Country Club, we had the most golfers participating in many years.

Each hole of this unique course was challenging for most, except two of our participants. We were elated that golfers Cindy Crump and Rob Reid both got a hole-in-one at our event!

Think about it, two holes-in-one on the same day, at the same course, two different holes, in the same tournament!

That's what makes it a memorable day. By the way, neither hole was the designated \$10,000 Hub International Hole-in-One Hole.

Thanks to all of our Alumni & Friends who golfed or joined us for dinner on such a beautiful day.

A note of thanks to the alumni and companies who donated prizes or sponsored aspects of the tournament.



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS...**  
our 2010 date is Saturday, July 10th  
at the Kingsville Golf & Country Club.

## Forty-Second Annual Convocation

Friday, October 18th was graduation day for over 500 students of St. Clair College. Students received their diplomas and certificates at our 42nd annual convocation.

Graduates from both our Thames and Windsor Campuses proudly stepped into the alumni family of St. Clair College on our Chrysler Theatre stage at the St. Clair College Centre for the Arts.

The day's graduates were from the schools of health sciences, nursing, community studies, liberal arts and sciences, business and information technology, skilled trades, engineering technologies, and media, art and design.

The CAW Child Care Centre's administrator and 2008 Alumni of Distinction, Gina Liovas addressed the students and guests as guest speaker.



# Family Fun Day



**Our 2nd Annual Family Fun Day, was a great success!**

Approximately two thousand people came by the Main Campus at the College to enjoy this one-of-a-kind Alumni & Friends event. We enjoyed the clowns, dog show, kids' activities, live entertainment, classic car show, barbecue, magicians, a meet & greet with some of the Windsor Spitfire Hockey Players, free swimming and Windsor's largest garage sale!

*We will be hosting our 3rd Annual Family Fun Day Sunday, August 22nd, 2010.*

**Come Out & Join The Fun!**



DENIS FLANAGAN

Our 5th Annual Winter Blooms event is March 27th, 2010. Proceeds from the event go to the Hospice and the St. Clair College Foundation Horticulture Bursary. This year's theme is "Green for Life" and will feature keynote speaker Denis Flanagan from HGTV. Doors open at 9:00am with the first speaker starting at 10am and continuing until 4pm. Silent auction items, raffles, informative speaker sessions, landscape gardens, Clairol the Clown, children's activities, cooking demonstrations, products for sale and much more will be offered. Watch the St. Clair College website [www.stclairalumni.com](http://www.stclairalumni.com) for further details.



## National Medical Lab Week

Medical laboratory professionals play an important role in the maintenance of your health. They work in many settings including hospitals, private laboratories, universities, research facilities, public health laboratories, and veterinary clinics. Whether it is a blood test, a throat swab or a biopsy, tests performed by medical laboratory professionals provide vital information about your health. Doctors depend on laboratory test results to accurately diagnose and treat illness, and monitor patient health. In fact, up to 85 per cent of decisions about diagnosis and treatment are based on laboratory test results. National Medical Lab Week will be held on April 18th-24th, 2010.



## Raise-A-Reader Day

The St. Clair College Alumni Association was proud to be a major sponsor of the local Raise-A-Reader Campaign in Windsor – Essex on Wednesday, September 24th. This was our second year as a sponsor.

Alumni Board members Serge Bertucci and Jody Cloutier were stationed at a local Tim Hortons from 6 am until 9 am selling a special edition of The Windsor Star.

Raise-A-Reader is a nationally recognized CanWest fundraising event that creates awareness of children's literacy in our city, province and country. In just five years, this national campaign has raised more than \$7.45 million



Raise-A-Reader breakfast at SCCA.

for literacy programs across Canada and has grown into a year-round initiative with important fundraising events taking place throughout the year across Canada, leading up to Raise-a-Reader Day. Locally, with the assistance of our volunteers and celebrities, we have collected more than \$135,000.00.

One hundred per cent of all money raised in Windsor and Essex County through the Raise-a-Reader program goes directly to local literacy initiatives. The Windsor Star is committed to the Raise-a-Reader program devoting resources, promotion and editorial support to ensure the success of the program for the betterment of the community.

The Alumni Association hosted a "thank you" breakfast in the Skyline room of the St. Clair College Centre for the Arts (SCCA) in downtown Windsor, for all those volunteers who participated all morning selling the newspapers.



Jody Cloutier, Frank Miller (Donor), Serge Bertucci

## Donation to Scholarship Fund

The scholarship and bursary fund administered by the College's Foundation received a shot in the arm in November, when the Horticultural Trades Association of Windsor (a chapter of Landscape Ontario) donated \$3,000 to the existing Don Klinck Scholarship - one of the College's several academic awards that the organization regularly funds.



Past President of the Trades Association, Karl Klinck, presenting the donation to St. Clair College Vice President of Corporate and Community Services and Foundation Executive Director Judith Harris.

The endowed scholarships provide financial assistance to needy and worthy students enrolled in the Horticulture-Landscape Technician program. (An "endowed" scholarship is one which operates, from year to year, in perpetuity, with a substantial base amount of money. Only that account's annual interest is used to allocate each year's scholarship.)

General scholarship applications are available, online. For more information surf to: [www.stclaircollege.ca/scholarship/index.html](http://www.stclaircollege.ca/scholarship/index.html).

Only one application is necessary, as applicants will be considered for all scholarships if they meet the eligibility criteria.

A scholarship committee made up of faculty members, program chairs and administrators selects the successful candidates for these scholarships, based upon criteria established by the donors.

The Scholarship Award Presentations will be held in February for all Windsor campus recipients.

**The College's Foundation seeks and obtains support from companies, organizations and individuals, to make a huge number of scholarships and bursaries available to full-time students. Contact the Foundation office if you would like to contribute.**



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## Mark Your Calendar

The Retirees' Association is sponsoring its First Annual "Golf on the Green" capital fundraiser on February 15th (Family Day), open to all staff, retirees and alumni. The cost is \$60 per person for golf, pizza and beer. Proceeds to the HealthPlex campaign. For more information go to [www.stclairalumni.com](http://www.stclairalumni.com)

