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OAKWOOD COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE CELEBRATES 100TH ANNIVERSARY

Oakwood Collegiate Institute will celebrate its 100th anniversary from May 1 to 4, 2008.

Situated at the south-west corner of Oakwood and St. Clair avenues in west-end Toronto, OCI has a proud legacy and boasts a lengthy list of Oakwoodites who have made significant and lasting contributions to society.

That list includes the Honourable Madame Justice Rosalie Silberman Abella, the Honourable John Douglas Arnup, Dr. Gerald Baker, Dr. Michael Baker, former politicians Elinor Caplan, Frank Miller, Stephen Lewis and John Moody Roberts, music producer/executive Bob Ezrin, movie producer/director Ivan Reitman, actor Al Waxman, Shoppers Drug Mart founder Murray Koffler, documentary film producer Harry Rasky, Juno Award R&B artist Jully Black, radio voice of the Raptors Paul Jones, sportswriters John Iaboni and Frank Zicarelli, TV host/broadcaster Patrick Watson, broadcaster Roy Greenaway and many, many more in all walks of life.

The calendar of events is as follows:

- May 1, 7:30 P.M. – Music Night, Toronto Centre for the Arts, 5040 Yonge Street
- May 2, 11:00 A.M. – Golf Tournament, Maples of Ballantrae, Highway 48 Stouffville
- May 2, 7:00 P.M. – Pub Night, OCI Gymnasium
- May 3, 10 A.M. – School Events/Decade Rooms, OCI
- May 3, 6:30 P.M. – Gala Dinner, Presidente Banquet Hall, 1133 Creditstone Road
- May 4, 1:00 P.M. – Memorial Wrap-up, OCI

For complete information on OCI's 100th events, including how to purchase tickets for events and a history of the school, go online at www.oakwoodalumni.ca

For those without internet access, please contact **Casey Mak**, Oakwood Collegiate Alumni Association Membership Secretary, at 416-366-9596.

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