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NEWS RELEASE

New Student Bus is Delivered to O'Gorman High School

Timmins, December 11, 2012:

O'Gorman High School's brand new 21 seat bus has been delivered and is ready to roll. Thanks to over \$35,000.00 in donations so far, the bus valued at \$105,000.00, was ordered and is now at OHS to transport students for upcoming sporting events, club activities and drama productions to cities and towns near and far, located in Northeastern Ontario or further.

Doug Basso, OHS Teacher, commented "The purpose of the newly acquired bus is to save students transportation fees and thus making it easier and more affordable for OHS students to participate in activities that enrich their secondary learning experience. O'Gorman High School strives to make extracurricular activities affordable for all."

OHS will continue fundraising to cover the entire purchase price of the bus. To date, O'Gorman Parents for Kids has donated \$5,000.00, the O'Gorman Foundation has donated \$10,000.00 and the "Bus for US' Golf Tournament held in September donated \$20,000.00 towards the new bus.



Pictured in front row (L to R) OHS students Ryan Sasseville, RJ Roy and Scout Bielaskie; second row Monica Battiston-O'Gorman Parents for Kids Chairperson, Anne MacDonald-O'Gorman Foundation Chairperson, Colleen Landers-NCDSB Trustee, Doug Basso-OHS Teacher, back row Marcy McCarty-OHS Teacher

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