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NEWS RELEASE

O'Gorman High School Student has Poem Published

Timmins, February 25, 2011:

KELLY RANTA, O'Gorman High School Student, has a poem that will be published in an International Poetry Anthology. Kelly took an online Writers Craft course through the Steps to Success Program at O'Gorman High School. Kelly actually worked out of O'Gorman High School but with a teacher in Sudbury as a part of the e-Learning sharing initiative that OHS has with Sudbury and North Bay. OHS has students taking courses through Sudbury and they in turn have students taking courses with OHS to achieve high school credits.

Andrew Swartz, Steps to Success Teacher at OHS, commented "The Steps to Success Program allows our students the opportunity to be able to take courses that we could not offer. And, as a result Kelly earned the highest mark in her class and is having her poem published. To access her poem you can go to www.poeticpower.com, and use her access code to view her poem: KR15365ON."



Kelly Ranta, pictured above, stated "I really enjoyed the learning opportunities and being able to express myself in the poem that I wrote."

The O'Gorman High School family is very proud of Kelly and her accomplishments.

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