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DENNIS PIKE
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A motorcade made its way down the main thoroughfare in Heart's Delight-Islington Monday, Feb. 26.

The motorcade welcomed home Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador 2007 Danielle Seward, daughter of Beverly and Clyde Seaward, residents of the town.

The 17 year old was crowned by Sabrina Fitzpatrick, Miss Teen Newfoundland 2006 the previous night at the Arts and Culture Centre in St. John's.

"I just can't believe that I am Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador, I am still in shock," said Seward who also took home the award for Miss Teen photogenic. "It just hasn't sunk in yet. This is such a prestigious title and carries with it such responsibility. I am so honoured to have been selected."

The first runner-up was Laura Gushue of Gander, second place winner was Caitlin Noseworthy of Upper Island Cove while Samantha Alexander of St. John's received third.

The Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador Pageant began in 1996, with the goal to acknowledge the accomplishments of the young women of the province, with consideration given to academics, fitness, public speaking, community involvement and volunteer work, and leadership abilities. Twenty-eight young women from across the province competed in this year's pageant, which took place over a three-day period.

It was Seward's fifth time competing in this type of pageant



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BIG CELEBRATION - Danielle Seward, Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador 2007 climbs aboard the Heart's Delight-Islington fire van during a motorcade that was held in her honour last week.

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Carbenaar-Harbour Grace voters choice is clear

I certainly don't wish to tell people in other districts how to vote on election day. I know there are issues that may be unique to their district, that they would want to elect another member of another party.

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"The first time I competed was in 2003 and I have done it every year since," she said.

"Many people believe that these competitions are strictly about beauty and looks but that is a misconception," she added. "It is not a stereotypical competition; in fact it is the opposite. There's a lot more to it than that."

Contestants in the Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador Pageant are scored and judged, prior to pageant night, on their academic, physical fitness and interview abilities- which totals 75 per cent of their overall score. As well as the various pageant scoring events, they attended seminars on healthy living and body image, interview techniques, public speaking and skin care. Contestants also participated in several other activities throughout the weekend, including a tour of Government House, Glow Bowling at Plaza Bowl and a trip to the Avalon Mall.

"Before I started competing in the pageants I had no self confidence and was afraid to speak in public," said Seward. "The training I have received since I became involved has helped me believe in myself and given me the skills and confidence I needed for public speaking. It has been a very rewarding and beneficial experience. I have also gotten to meet some really great people. "

Seward, a Level 3 student at Crescent Collegiate in Blaketown maintains an academic average of 87 per cent and has a long list of awards and accomplishments to her credit including semi-finalist for the Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador Pageant (2004-05), first runner up for the Miss Teen Trinity Conception Pageant (2006), Miss Winter Carnival of Heart's Delight- Islington 2003, and Top Academic Achiever (1999-2003).

She has received numerous scholarships and has been recognized for her outstanding performance in the areas of math and science. She helped establish and is currently the president of the Students Against Drunk Driving chapter at Crescent and is an active member of the schools cheerleading squad. She is also an accomplished athlete and has earned a number of medals for basketball, tennis and hockey. Seward is an active member of her church, has fundraised for charities and volunteers both locally and provincially.

"I am looking forward to a busy year and I want to get out to as many events and functions and travel the province as much as I can," she said.

"I am taking this role very seriously and am going to represent the youth and the title I have received to the best of my ability. I am so grateful for the support I have gotten from my mom and dad and my classmates and teachers at Crescent as well as from the people of Heart's Delight-Islington for helping and supporting me in this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity."

Other awards handed out at the Miss Teen Newfoundland and Labrador Pageant included Miss Teen Friendship - Bridgette Abbott, Musgrave Harbour; Miss Teen Academic Achievement - Gina Colbourne, Trinity Conception; Miss Teen Fitness - Leah Babstock, Eastport and Miss Teen Talent - Kelly Strickland of Mount Pearl.

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TIME TO STOP DRIFTING LIKE SEA ICE

Stripteasing flashes may appear from time to time, but at the beginning of March, in my heart of hearts I know Spring is still far enough off that it would take a strong telescope indeed to make out any details of the approaching season's shape and size.

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SEX, A RELIGION FOR MOST PEOPLES

American society in particular has a mania for sex. And it appears Canada is following suit.

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