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## **MCAULEY INDUCTS STUDENTS INTO QUILL AND SCROLL SOCIETY**

Mother McAuley High School inducted eleven students into the Quill and Scroll International Honor Society for high school journalists. Quill and Scroll was developed by a group of high school publication advisors for the purpose of encouraging and rewarding individual achievements in journalism and allied fields.

McAuley inductees are: Junior Hannah Bowens of Beverly, Junior Ellen Carberry of Oak Lawn, Senior Michelle Cortez of Mt. Greenwood, Senior Mary Crane of Ashburn, Senior Jenna Garey of Beverly, Senior Taylor Jones of Morgan Park. Junior Kerry Morris of Beverly, Junior Genevieve Ruddy of Mt. Greenwood, Junior Carly Strand of Morgan Park, Junior Rebecca Sutich of West Lawn and Junior Grace Wolf of Beverly.

In order to be considered for membership, students must meet specific requirements. Inductees must be a junior or senior whose academic standing is in the upper third of their class; they must have served on a school publication for at least a year and shown superior work; and they must have demonstrated a willingness to offer service to their school. The inductees served on McAuley's newspaper, yearbook or literary magazine staff.

The ceremony also featured Chicago Sun-Times reporter Jennifer Sabella, a 2002 graduate of McAuley. Sabella spoke to the students about her work and how her experiences at McAuley helped shape her career path.

Since its inception in 1926, Quill and Scroll has granted charters to more than 14,267 high schools. Chapters are active in both public and private high schools across the United States and in countries around the world. The society has more than one million "alumni" in all walks of life, many of them in distinguished careers in journalism.

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(l to r, back row) Alumna Jennifer Sabella '02, Genevieve Ruddy, Hannah Bowens, Grace Wolf, Carly Strand, Kerry Morris, Michelle Cortez, Taylor Jones, Mary Crane and Rebecca Sutich shown with Quill and Scroll members (front row) Emily Ryan, Courtney Boulukos, Rebecca Susmarski, Colleen Garvey, Caitlin Witry and Nedaa Sweiss. (Not pictured are inductees Jenna Garvey and Ellen Carberry).