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## DSBN STUDENTS GO GLOBAL GRIMSBY STUDENTS OFF TO JAPAN

Two DSBN Technology students will be given the opportunity to showcase their skills on the world stage.

Gail Smyth, Executive Director for Skills Canada-Ontario, officially announced that two members of the Grimsby Robotics Team will be sponsored by the Board of Directors for Skills Canada-Ontario, to attend the 2007 World Skills Competition in Japan! The Grimsby Team won National Gold at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Skills Canada Competition in Halifax last June.

The announcement was made at the Skills Canada Fundraising Event—an event that helps to raise funds towards the Skills Canada-Ontario Bursary. The bursary assists with travel costs for each member of Team Ontario to travel to the Canadian Skills Competition, as well as supporting students to participate in other Skills Canada-Ontario programs where cost may be a prohibitive factor.

"We would like to congratulate our Grimsby Robotics Team on their accomplishments" said Kevin Graham, Technology Consultant for the District School Board. Grimsby High School Principal Jim Heywood was delighted with the news. "We are extremely proud of the students and wish them all the best in their quest for the GOLD in Japan" he said.

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