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Grad to go: Jill Korobkin shares her enthusiasm upon graduating with a group of North Farmington graduates after commencement ceremonies at University of Michigan's Crisler Arena June 2. This year's class of 252 students included 45 who graduated with high honors (3.5 to 4.0 grade point average) and 68 who had 3.0 to 3.49 GPAs.

Senior send-off

North grads reap honors

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Want honors? Go to the Academy Awards. Want leaders? Go to the U.S. Army.

Want both? North Farmington High commencement ceremony at Crisler Arena was the place to look June 2. This year's 252-member senior class scored well in awards and leadership categories, North Farmington High Principal Deborah Clarke said.

"I'm extremely proud of their accomplishments," Clarke said. "They were a wonderful group of

students."

North seniors took the lead on several programs, most notably the school's AIDS Awareness program, multiculturalism, student volunteer Quest Days, and the first-ever quad-school dance.

Academically, 45 seniors graduated with high honors (grade point average of 3.5 to 4.0) and another 68 posted GPAs of 3.0 to 3.49.

Senior Class President Marin Sinanis received the Kathryn Sevin Memorial Award and was honored in foreign language by the Spanish Department.

American Legion Awards for citizenship were given to Brandon McKelley and Brian Rajdl. Rajdl was also named Raider Boy and Candace Perkins and Amy Finkel were selected as Raider Girls.

Michael Tseng was a National Merit Scholarship finalist while Andrew Stein, Gavin Sy, and Patrick Muir were commended by the National Honors program.

Stein also won the Math Department Award and was one of the top performers in the Michigan Math League along with Amy Finkel.



Line-up: North Farmington grads and band stand in harmony during commencement ceremonies



Guidance counselor: North Farmington High counselor Jean Carlton watches proudly as the seniors make their procession into Crisler Arena. Several seniors were awarded scholarships, including National Merit recognition.

Fall in: Sue Zpyrski helps students get into proper order during commencement ceremonies.



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