



## ESPC 2008 - Ottawa (Ontario)



## Biographies

Stephanie - My name is Stephanie and I am daughter to Mike and Suzanne Plourde and sister to Simon who is studying Civil Engineering at Carleton University. I was born and raised in Smiths Falls, Ontario and am18 years old. I am fluently bilingual in French and English and attending Smiths Falls District Collegiate Institute in grade 12. Next year I will be returning to do an extra year of high school, to help me make a more informed decision of which career path to pursue. I enjoy math and sciences, particularly physics and algebra and am considering engineering for my university education. My academic average is currently 91%. Hockey is one of my deepe...

Lauren - I am currently in my final year of high school at Smiths Falls DCI. Throughout my years there and many previous I have been involved in dance. I dance many different styles and I also teach dance. By being involved in dance I was able to take part in many community events throughout the years. Dance has been a huge part of my life but another huge part has been school. I have always obtained top marks in my classes and in both grade nine and ten I was the top academic student. A major accomplishment of mine was completing a 21km half-marathon last May. It was a lot of work, hours and commitment but after completing it, it made me realize that ...



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## **Physics Of A Slapshot**

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Sommaire: This project studied the physics behind a slap shot by looking at four specific aspects. A device was created to be placed on a hockey stick to increase the speed of a slap shot. Using a variety of levelled players, slap shots were taken with and without the device. These tests showed that when players used the device, the speed of their shot increased.

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