Homecoming Crown Passed On

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As per usual, the start of fall means the start of a new school year, but more importantly, it signifies the oncoming of the Homecoming game and dance at Poolesville High School. This year’s homecoming game was highly anticipated with the preceding Sprit Week at the school and the Pep Rally on Thursday, the day before the game. The Poolesville Falcons fought a gallant battle against the Watkins Mill Wolverines, but, tragically, lost, 21-2. The setback, however, did not dampen the students’ enthusiasm for the dance the next night.

After preparing themselves and getting excessive amounts of pictures taken by their parents (“just one more of these and then I can get some of just you two”), the students were ready to go out to dinner and then finally to the dance. At the dance, the Homecoming Court was announced. For the freshman court, the candidates were: Lacey Williams, Trevor Stottlemyer, Annie Gillespie, Andy Baker, Leon Tsai, and Raven Matthews. For the sophomore class: Julie Boyland, Sophia Cortijo, Katherine Cedillos, Diego Torres, Alex Nguyen, and Josh Womack. Then the upperclassmen were announced. For the juniors, the nominees were Dylan Bourque, Jonah Hessels, Nitsa Skenderis, Robert Winning, Joanna Grimes, and Yosmin Badie—and for the senior class, the nominees were: Dan Shorts, Hunter Hegmann, Josh Ballard, Kevin Connor, Paige Sekaerak, Melanie Tran, Nikki Dahlen, and Kelly Hamscom.

The final coronation results? The 2010 Homecoming King and Queen were Tyler Holston and Sasha Trope.