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Toronto teacher recognized as Patrol Supervisor of the Year

Toronto, ON – CAA South Central Ontario (CAA SCO) is pleased to honour elementary school teacher Edward McLennon with the [School Safety Patrol Supervisor of the Year Award](#).

The purpose of the award is to recognize a Patrol Supervisor that demonstrates leadership qualities, safety skills, dedication, morale building and a desire to advance the educational and safety benefits of patrollers.

Four years ago, Mr. McLennon started up the CAA School Safety Patrol program at Chief Dan George Public School. Currently, over 50 students at the school participate in the program.

The [CAA School Safety Patrol program](#) is a joint partnership between CAA, the police, school boards, teachers, parents and more than 20,000 dedicated student volunteers who give their time to ensure their peers remain safe at road crossings and on school buses in southern Ontario.

“Mr. McLennon is a role model and strong advocate of the School Safety Patrol program. He encourages his students to demonstrate commitment, passion and pride in everything they do,” said Darryl Forde, Principal, Chief Dan George Public School. “Mr. McLennon is a well-liked and respected teacher who leads by example.”

When he is not supervising or meeting with the school safety patrollers, Mr. McLennon chairs the Caring and Safe School Committee, Graduation Committee, as well as coaches the basketball, volleyball and track & field teams.

“It takes a dedicated and motivated individual to be a Patrol Supervisor. Mr. McLennon has a strong sense of community and teamwork. He has done a tremendous job of setting an example of leadership and safety for Chief Dan George Public Schools’ safety patrollers,” said Leslie Rocha, Community Relations Specialist, CAA SCO.

Over 800 schools in Ontario participate in the [School Safety Patrol](#) program and CAA SCO partners with over 55 police services to deliver a top notch program.

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