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**Re:** Cranford High School proudly announces 7 final nominations in the 2013-14 Montclair State University Theatre Night Awards.

**Photos Attached:** 1. The Cast 2. Dylan Randazzo as Banjo 3. Deirdre Koczur as Maggie Cutler

Each year high schools in New Jersey have the opportunity of submitting their school plays for consideration in the <u>Montclair High School Theatre</u> <u>Awards program</u>. Cranford submitted their fall production of the comedy *The Man Who Came To Dinner* and has received 7 nominations in this year's awards program.

Cranford High School nominations include **Deirdre Koczur** for *Outstanding Performance by an Actress in a Leading Role in a Comedy*, **Dylan Randazzo** for *Outstanding Performance by a Supporting Actor in a Comedy*, **Michelle Massa** for *Outstanding Achievement in Stage Direction*. In Technical and Design Categories Cranford has been recognized for *Outstanding Achievement in Costume Design and Outstanding Achievement in Scenic Design*. Cranford has also been recognized with nominations in the overall production categories of **Outstanding Production of a Comedy and Outstanding Overall Production of a High School Play.** Students will attend the awards evening on May 12 to hear the outcomes of their nominations.