

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Lockerby Composite School's weekly news on Viking academics, events, extra-curriculars, and more!



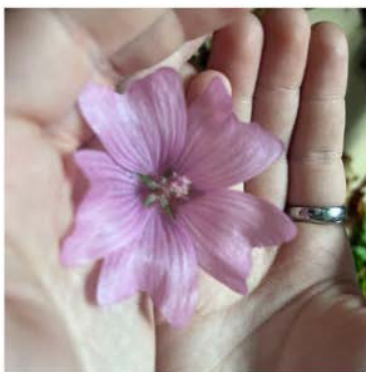
## SPIRIT WEEK!

This week was Student Council's Spirit Week! We kicked-off the week with Plaid to Toe, then a Lockerby favourite...Twin Day! Wednesday was Country vs Country Club Day and on Thursday, we had an epic day celebrating our Grade 9s out on our Soccer Field. The Student Council hosted all kinds of low organized games as a way for our newest Vikings to get to know one another. Thank you to our amazing volunteers for making this an amazing experience for all. We ended our week with Bucket Hats and Sunglasses. We also want to thank Magical Paws Pet Therapy for visiting our school this week at lunch. Therapy dogs can help reduce stress and increase positivity and socialization. We are excited about the future events at Lockerby!



## GRADE 10 ART

Inspired by Scottish Eco-Artist Andy Goldsworthy, Grade 10 Art students were outside this week to gather natural materials to make Harvest Festival artworks! Designed to celebrate the Fall and all the gifts we receive from nature, this festival provides a perfect opportunity to celebrate the beauty that surrounds us on a daily basis. We can't wait to show you our nature art in the coming weeks!



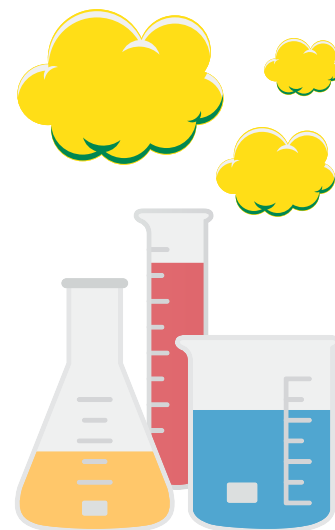
## DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

Our D&D Club will be starting next week. On Wednesday at lunch, we will have a meeting to allow us to get organized. The club then meets every Thursday after school. Interested students should attend Wednesday's meeting or inform Mr. Campeau of their interests. Students should also join the D&D Google Classroom with code oelkiof. Most students that participate in the club have started with no experience with the game. All students are welcome. Come have fun!



## GRADE 12 CHEMISTRY

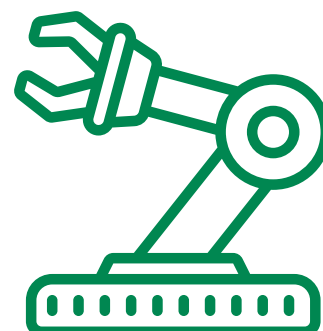
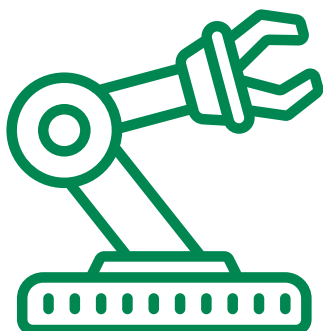
This week, students in Grade 12 STEP Chemistry were using a calorimetry technique to measure the heat released or absorbed during the dissolution of an unknown salt. They then calculated the energy per gram to identify the salt!



## ROBOTICS CLUB

Lockerby's Robotics Club is up and running! New students are always welcome! Meetings are on Mondays and Thursdays after school in the STEAM Room. No experience required and fun is guaranteed. This year's competition is called Over Under and involves trying to score soccer-like goals with triangular shaped tri-balls. You can view an introductory video to the game by clicking [here](#).

Students are hoping to repeat as the Vex Robotics champions at the RDSB Skills Competition and top their 9th place finish from last year at the provincial level! We are also hoping to compete in a Vex Robotics Competition and qualify for the provincial competition in Niagara Falls. Students with any questions should see Mr. Campeau in room 101.



## LOCKERBY CANCER DRIVE 2023

### A message from your Kids Caring for Kids Cancer Drive Committee:

Hey Vikings! Fall is in the air and it's time to start thinking about this year's Kids Caring For Kids Cancer Drive. This year will be the 28th year that Lockerby students have been canvassing our community to raise money for pediatric cancer care in Northern Ontario. In 28 years, we have raised over a million dollars! That is no small feat!

So grab your friends, make a team, and get ready to make a difference in the lives of kids living with cancer here in the North. Our Motivational Assembly is on Friday, October 5th, 2023, where you can sign-up with a teacher team, get pumped about having fun with your friends, and get ready to give back to your community. Look for our in-school fundraisers (like the ever-popular ice bucket challenge) that begin the week of October 10th.

Grade 9s, this event is new for all of you, but we are happy to show you the ropes. You won't believe the energy of this night until you experience it for yourself. It's the heart of our Lockerby Community!



## LOCKERBY FALL FAIR

In order to promote environmental sustainability, and in preparation for Rainbow District School Board's inaugural Harvest Celebration, Lockerby Composite School will be hosting a Fall Fair. Individual classes and school groups have been invited to take part in activities and to develop exhibitions for display. Some of our Visual Art, Biology, Geography, and Computer Science classes have already begun putting together their Fall-themed creations! Stay tuned for more information about our Fall Fair and our October 3rd, 2023 Fall Fair showcase!

## PA DAY

The next Professional Activity Day for staff will be held on Friday, September 29th, 2023. There is no school for students on PA Days. To learn about our focus for professional learning, please click [HERE](#).

PA Day information will be shared on the Rainbow District School Board website throughout the school year.



# THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

**Golf**  
 Congratulations to Lea L., Kate R., Bay J., Maeva S., Ryder C., James B., Dax R., Joe F., and Anderson T., who participated in the SDSSAA Golf City Championships on Thursday. Ryder C. finished 3rd overall while Lea L. took home gold and broke the SDSSAA girls record! The boys team earned a 3rd finish, qualifying them for the regional NOSSA Championships on Thursday, September 28th, 2023 at Lively Golf and Country Club. Way to go Vikings!



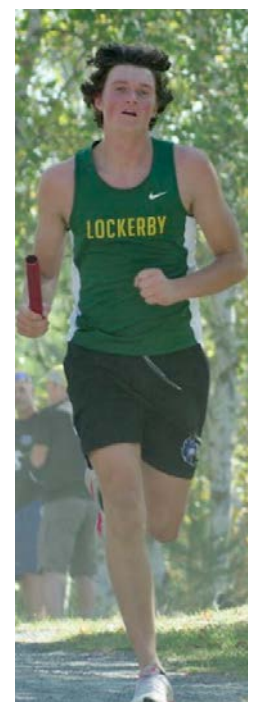
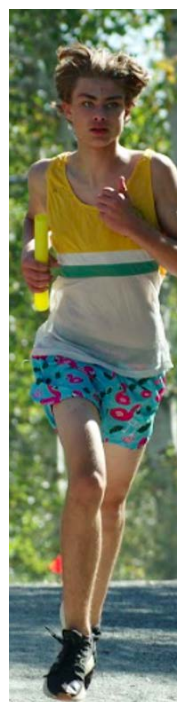
**Flag Football**  
 Our Junior and Senior Flag Football teams were in action this week against Bishop Carter Secondary School and Lo-Ellen Park. Although our Viking athletes weren't able to squeek out a victory, they're looking forward to next week's games!



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## Cross Country Running

Our Cross Country team competed 'relay style' at Kivi Park this past Wednesday with excellent results! Specifically the co-ed team of Liam B, Lauren B., and Isaac L. captured 1st place by over 4 minutes, while our girls team consisting of Bay J., Alissa D., and Misaki D. also brought home the victory! With over 35 members of the team in attendance this week, the coaches are pleased with the turn out! This Wednesday the team will compete at Walden Cross Country for the third preliminary race of the season. Athletes are reminded that they have to attend two preliminary races in order to be eligible for SDSSAA City Championships on Wednesday, October 18th, 2023.



# THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

## Baseball

our Vikings Boys Baseball team started their season with a great game against St. Charles College.



## Volleyball

Our Viking Junior and Senior Volleyball teams played Horizon Secondary School this week. Both teams won their games going 3-0 and 3-1 respectively. What a great way to start the season - keep it up, Vikings!



# LCS #FATBEARWEEK2023

## A message from Lockerby Composite School's Environmental Council:

Fat Bear Week 2023 is upon us and all of your favourite bears are back and bigger than ever! As the bears at Katmai Conservancy get sized-up for their winter hibernation, Period 1 classes will have the opportunity to select which bear they think is the fattest! The Period 1 class with the most points will have their name placed on an honorary plaque, marking them as Lockerby's 2023 Fat Bear Week Champion! Take your picture as a fat bear in the Main Foyer and tag @lockerby\_environmental\_council on Instagram next week!



## STUDENT SERVICES

### Enrichment

#### SHAD Canada

SHAD gives Grade 10 and 11 students a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to grow their mindset, collaborate in a university classroom with youth across the country (and internationally), and build community change maker capabilities using #STEAM4Good to make an impact. Spend the month of July exploring the world of STEAM and entrepreneurship through exciting lectures, experiential workshops, team-building activities, and a design project that inspires students to tackle real-world problems. Learn more and register at <https://www.shad.ca/shadoncampus/>

### Volunteer Opportunities

#### Dynamic Earth - Pumpkinferno

Volunteer for Halloween at Dynamic Earth. Pumpkinferno is back and is looking for volunteers to help. Join Dynamic Earth for the month of October for frightfully exciting activities, treats, and definitely a few tricks. Apply early at [careers@sciencenorth.ca](mailto:careers@sciencenorth.ca).

### Post-Secondary

#### Google Classroom for Graduating Class

The Google Classroom for the Class of 2024 is now active. Grade 12s are encouraged to join this classroom to learn more about scholarships, special events, and transitioning to post-secondary. Join Code: o6umiyb



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#### College Information Program (CIP) - Tuesday, September 26, 2023

Cambrian's College will be hosting this year's Information Program (CIP) taking place at their Student Life Centre between 6:00pm and 8pm on Tuesday, September 26th, 2023. At the event, you'll get the opportunity to:

- Speak to representatives from Ontario colleges
- Learn about college programs
- Meet college representatives
- Enter to win door prizes
- Enjoy free snacks

Register for your chance to win a \$50 Amazon gift card at - <https://shorturl.at/efpxA>

#### Post Secondary Presentations - Week of September 25th, 2023

Guelph University - Monday, September 25th at 1:00pm  
 Ottawa University - Tuesday, September 26th at 1:00pm  
 Canadore College - Tuesday, September 26th at 8:30am  
 Cambrian College - Wednesday, September 27th at 10:00am  
 Trent University - Thursday, September 28th at 12:20pm





LOCKERBY COMPOSITE SCHOOL  
WE'RE HERE TO HELP!

# after-school tutoring club

Students Helping Students

**BEGINS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2023**

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Every Wednesday  
2:30 pm to 3:30 pm  
Room 102  
Just Drop In!



## Begins September 25th in Room 223

National Day for  
Truth and Reconciliation

– ORANGE SHIRT DAY –

**Thursday, September 28, 2023**

to show support for  
residential school survivors



## WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK...

Dan Watson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School next week.

Monday, September 25th

- Breakfast Club begins
- Guelph University Visit

Tuesday, September 26th

- Ottawa University Visit
- Canadore College Visit

Wednesday, September 27th

- Cambrian College Visit

Thursday, September 28th

- Trent University Visit
- **TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION DAY RECOGNITION**

Friday, September 29th

- **PA DAY** (see previous pages for more information)



## Monday - Friday in Room 223

## LET'S CONNECT



<https://lockerby.rainbowschools.ca>



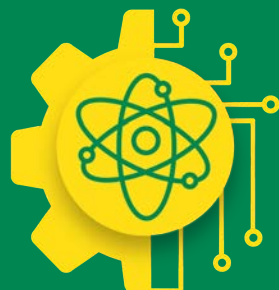
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