

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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















STEP INTEGRATION DAY

On Tuesday, Cambrian College hosted Vikings students for an April STEP Integration Day. A huge thank you goes out to Cambrian College Staff and students, as they presented workshops related to Mechatronics, Coding, Electrical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, and Autonomous Vehicle Innovation! The experience offered valuable insight into the diverse career pathways available in the skilled trades and STEM fields!

TRACK AND FIELD DAY

Some of the Healthy Active Living classes participated in Track and Field afternoon this past Wednesday. Students spent the afternoon at the Laurentian University and were hosted by Faculty of Education students. Viking athletes had the choice to run, jump, or throw while learning proper techniques. The day culminated with a 4 x 100 relay competition!



GOOD LUCK - MOCK TRIAL

Good luck to our Mock Trial competitors, who are looking to defend their championship on Monday! Lockerby Composite School took top honours last year at the competition!





GOOD LUCK - SKILLS ONTARIO

A dozen Vikings will be travelling to southern Ontario to compete at the Ontario Skills Competition next week! From architecture competitions, to coding competitions, to TV and Video Production competitions, our Vikings will be representing the Sudbury team very well! Good luck!



MUSIC CONCERTS

Music Department would like to congratulate all the music students that participated in this year's Honour Band. They played to a packed Auditorium this past Sunday and wowed the crowd with the incredible skill they put on display! Thank you to Tobin, Katie, Keifer, Lilly, Esohe, Abby and In addition, our Valhalla Guitar Emily! Ensemble played at the Joan Mantle Music Trust concert this past Saturday! ensemble put on a masterful performance and the audience was impressed at the level of achievement this group has attained given that they've only been together for 3 months!





EDUCATION WEEK 2025

Next week is Education Week! Each year during the first week of May, Lockerby Composite School celebrates student achievement and the importance of education! The week is a chance to highlight the positive impact of education and to acknowledge the contributions of educators and support staff. Educator Appreciation Day will be recognized on Tuesday, May 6th!



DELF - FRENCH IMMERSION

Once again this year, our French Immersion students will participate in the DELF test (Diplôme d'études en langue française). Vikings will receive an official French government diploma once they complete the test successfully. It is recognized worldwide and can be used to validate French language proficiency. It consists of a series of independent assessments based on a scale of language proficiency in reading writing, listening and speaking. Good luck to all Vikings who will be participating!



GO GREEN GLOBE AWARD WINNERS!

Congratulations to our Environmental Council who has been named the recipients of this year's Rainbow District School Board Go Green Globe Award! The Go Green Globe Award is given out annually to a Rainbow School who promotes environmental awareness and sustainability. This year, our Vikings were able to submit a platinum certification to Eco Schools Canada! The presentation of the award will be on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at 6:30pm at Sudbury Secondary School.

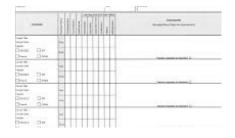




REPORT CARD DISTRIBUTION

Attention Students and Parents/Guardians:

Midterm Report Cards were distributed in homerooms on Monday, April 28th, 2025. Student without homerooms can visit the Main Office to pick-up their report cards.



SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Lockerby Composite School's School Council held their regular meeting this past Monday. School Council is happy to announce that they have raised over \$7,500 this year in support of a variety of student initatives around the school! School Council invites the Viking Community to visit their webpage on the Lockerby Composite School website for updates, Meeting Agendas and Meeting Minutes!





Monday, May 5th

Every year on May 5th we remember and honour the lives of Indigenous women, girls, and two spirit people around the world

Please wear red on Monday, May 5th in remembrance and awareness to protect and honour MMIWG2S+



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Soccer

What a busy week for soccer at Lockerby! Firstly, congratulations goes out to Junior Boys Soccer teams players on their great tournament last week. Team Green missed-out on the playoff round by 1 point while Team Yellow took home 3rd place honours! The team then won an impressive SDSSAA City season opener earlier this past week! Despite going down early against the St. Charles College Cardinals, the team but rallied back with some beautiful goals! and took the win! Additionally, congratulations to our Girls Soccer team for their valiant effort against a tough St. Benedict's Secondary School team this past week (as they began their SDSSAA City League play). Moreover, the Senior Boys Soccer team played an action packed opening game this week as well against Notre Dame College, but unfortuately, our Vikings came up a bit short! Come cheer on the team at their next game this Friday at 6:30pm at James Jerome against Lo-Ellen Park.







<u>Baseball</u>

Baseball season is up and running! Tryouts and practices have begun and all interested players are asked to see Mr. Bryson if they'd like to be a part of the team!



Volleyball

Congratulations to both our Senior Co-Ed Volleyball teams for their great work at Thursday's tournament. Our Lockerby 'B' team went to three sets in the finals against Champlain Secondary School, but were just short of coming away with the win!



Track and Field

The Black Flies Track and Field Meet is on Friday of this week, and our Viking athletes will be bringing their best efforts to this Preliminary Event! Good luck to everyone and stay tuned to next week's newsletter for final results!





STUDENT SERVICES

Post-Secondary

Midterm Mark Transmission to Colleges and Universities

The Rainbow District School Board sent marks to colleges (OCAS) and universities (OUAC) on Wednesday, April 23rd, 2025. Graduating students should review the transmission carefully to ensure the details are accurate. Special attention should be taken with regards to course codes and midterm marks. If there are any errors or questions please email Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry.

University Applications - Important Dates

As of Thursday, May 29th, 2025 every student who has applied to a university program will have received a response from an Ontario university. A response will be either i), an offer, ii) a refusal, or iii) a deferral pending the receipt of specific additional information. By Monday, June 2nd 2025, Ontario universities require a response to an offer and most likely a financial commitment (e.g., registration deposit, residence deposit, etc.). Note that all other admissions-related elements including scholarships, student assistance or financial incentives, and residence are part of the offer of admission.

Students must also log into their OUAC accounts to accept their offers; this is a multi-step process. Students will receive a confirmation number once all of the steps in the process are completed. A video tutorial for online responses is available on the OUAC website. This video demonstrates the steps required to respond to a university offer of admission. (https://www.ouac.on.ca/ugrad-tutorials/#respond). When you successfully complete the submission process, you will immediately receive a confirmation number online. You will also receive the confirmation number by email along with a summary of your responses to offers of admission and/or changes to your application information. Important: if you do not immediately receive a confirmation number, your response was not saved. You then must log back into your online application and re-submit your response.

<u> Aboriginal Secondary School Awards - June 5th, 2025</u>

On Thursday, June 5th, 2025, The United Way Centraide North East Ontario, in partnership with N'Swakamok Native Friendship Center, is hosting the Annual Aboriginal Secondary School Awards for Grade 11 and 12 students. The event will begin at 5:00pm and will welcome hundreds of high school students, parents/guardians, teachers and community members to celebrate the achievements of Aboriginal youth in our communities. Students who self-identify as Indigenous and are currently in Grades 11 or 12 and who would like to attend the event are asked to see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry for more information.

<u> Prom - Thursday, June 12th, 2025</u>

This year's Prom will be occurring on Thursday, June 12th, 2025 beginning at 7:00pm. Student Council will be selling tickets for the event in the next few weeks.

Convocation - Monday, June 16th, 2025

Lockerby Composite School's Annual Convocation will take place on Monday, June 16th, 2025. The event will take place in Cambrian College's Gymnasium beginning at 6:00pm.

Co-operative Education

For those students who are interested in co-operative education this summer, they must join the Rainbow Schools Summer COOP Google Classroom as well as complete the interest form. Students can see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry if they have any questions. Additionally, Health Sciences North will be offering placement opportunities this summer through Volunteer Services' Co-operative Education Program. The onboarding process can be quite lengthy, therefore, students must apply at least 6 weeks prior to the start of their placement. The deadline to apply for summer COOP will be on May 16th 2025. Additional information can be found on the Summer COOP Google Classroom.

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Volunteer Opportunities

Sudbury ROCKS - Sunday, May 25th, 2025

Race, Run or Walk for Diabetes! Volunteer with the biggest race in our city - Sudbury Rocks. Register today to earn up to 10 hours towards your community service hours; visit https://www.sudburyrocksmarathon.com/volunteers.html to register. For questions please reach out to sudburymarathon@hotmail.com.

WISE - Women in Science and Engineering Sudbury - Saturday, May 31st, 2025

WISE Sudbury will be hosting our annual SETT Olympics at College Boreal on the 31st of May! This event aims to inspire young girls and non-binary people in SETT (Science, Engineering, Technology, and Trades) through hands-on activities and mentorship. To help make this event a success, WISE is looking for enthusiastic volunteers to support in the following roles: Activity Host, Team Lead, Ice Breaker Coordinator, Volunteer Coordinator, Registration Coordinator, Communication Coordinator, and Day of Volunteer. As well as gaining valuable experience and increasing your network, volunteering will also allow you to be part of a meaningful event that empowers students in SETT. Please email info@wisesudbury.com to express an interest.

Enrichment

CampMed - July 7th - 11th, 2025

This in-person summer camp is for high school students across Northern Ontario. Offering interactive health science-focused workshops, preference is given to students currently in Grade 10 or 11. Due to the high volume of applications each year, registration for CampMed includes an application process. Once registration closes CampMed will let successful applicants know that they have been selected to attend in-person CampMed. Please use the following link to find registration information, workshop details, and the registration form - https://www.nosm.ca/our-community/youth-engagement/campmed/

McEwen School of Architecture's Summer Camp - July 2025

Curious about a career in architecture? Want to learn more about how the world around you gets designed and built? Interested in a unique pre-university academic experience in Northern Ontario? Archi·North, in association with Laurentian's McEwen School of Architecture, is an opportunity to expand your horizons at Canada's newest school of architecture. With instruction from faculty and recent graduates. English- or Frenchlanguage sessions, Archi-North is proud to offer a one-of-a-kind introductory experience in architecture, design, drafting and drawing to high school students entering Grades 11 and September 2025. To learn more, visit the McEwen's https://mcewenarchitecture.ca/programs/archinorth/.

Accelerated Apprenticeship Program For Graduates

The Accelerated Apprenticeship Program is a 20-week intensive training initiative aimed at preparing recent high school graduates and individuals entering the skilled trades. Designed to bridge the gap between education and employment, this program provides students with the foundational knowledge, hands-on experience, and certifications necessary for successful careers in construction and other related trades. By combining inclass training with real-world work placement, the program equips participants with the essential skills to succeed in the construction industry. Students will earn their Level 1 Carpentry as well as several other certifications and have a signed 8-week paid placement. Students can learn more about this program by talking to a Guidance Counsellor or on the Class of 2025 Google Classroom.



FACES OF LOCKERBY

A message from your Student Council:

Hello Vikings! As in newsletters past, we are always excited to post and share photos of Lockerby students and staff, and sharing their stories, experiences, and insights!

FACES OF LOCKERBY

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WHAT GRADE ARE YOU IN?

I am in Grade 11.

WHAT ARE YOUR FAVOURITE SUBJECTS?

My favourite subjects are music with Mr. Jensen, and Foods and Culture with Mr. Meikleham.



WHAT ARE YOUR HOBBIES?

I love to crochet, knit, cook (even though I always burn myself), and binge-watch cartoons.

WHAT EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES ARE YOU A PART OF?

I'm a member of Concert Band, Wind Ensemble, and a volunteer at Amberwoods (HSN).





DO YOU HAVE ANY PETS?

I have two cats, Hunter, who is 3 years old, and Marsha, who is 6 years old.



Pizza Day Every Wednesday

Rainbow Schools

Sign up today!

An easy way for parents to pay: School Cash Online



NEXT WEEK'S CALENDAR AT A GLANCE...

Mr. Watson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School next week and Ms. Fox-Recollet, our school Indigenous Support Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School on Wednesday and Thursday.

Monday, May 5th

- Red Dress Day (wear red)
- AP Biology Examinations
- DELF Examination
- Music Monday Concert at 7:00pm

Tuesday, May 6th

World Educators Day

DELF Examination

Wednesday, May 7th

AP Computer Science Examination

Thursday, May 8th

DELF Examination

Friday, May 9th

- DELF Examination
- Free to Be Me Conference



Monday - Friday in Room 223









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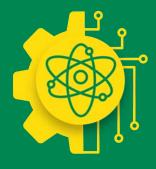
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