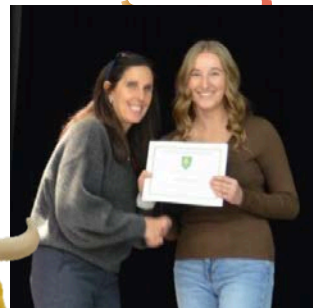
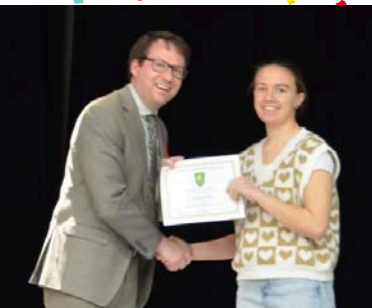


# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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



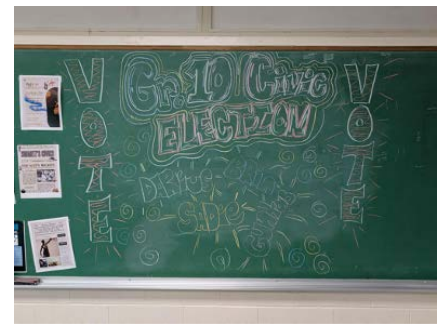
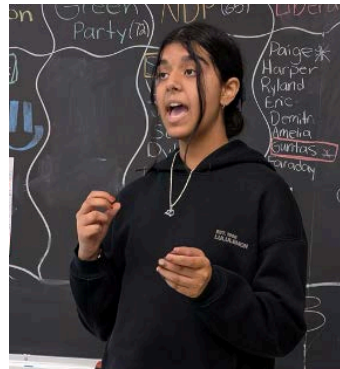
## VIKING SCHOLAR CEREMONY

On Thursday, Lockerby Composite School hosted our annual Viking Scholar Day event in our Auditorium. The celebration recognized our honour-roll students and subject award winners from the previous school year! We are proud of our Viking academic accomplishments! Well done and kudos to our recipients! The ceremony can be rewatched on our Youtube channel (from our recordings) and a copy of the programme can be found on our website.



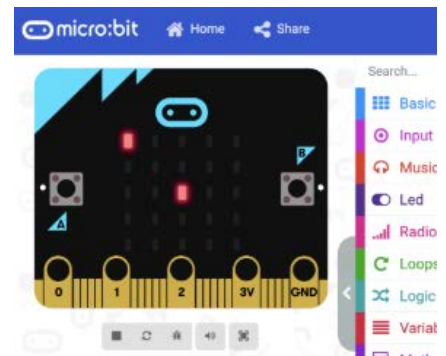
# CIVICS CLASS HOLDS EXCITING MOCK ELECTION

Mr. Swartz’s Grade 10 Civics students recently dove into the world of Canadian politics through an exciting class election! After learning about the many different political parties in Canada, completing numerous political surveys, and finishing a research project, students chose parties, elected their own party leaders, and prepared for a class-wide election for Prime Minister! Candidates campaigned enthusiastically, giving speeches, creating election posters, and engaging with their classmates to earn votes. In the end, Sadie G. of the New Democratic Party emerged as the class Prime Minister, demonstrating strong leadership and connecting with her constituents!



# STEP INTEGRATION

This week, as part of STEP Integration, our Grade 9 students spent some time learning to code with the aid of micro:bits!



**Pizza Day  
Every  
Wednesday**



Rainbow Schools

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## ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY

Over the past week, students in Ms. Augenstein's Grade 12 Kinesiology class applied their understanding of the skeletal system. They used their knowledge of anatomical terminology to create and present models of human joints!



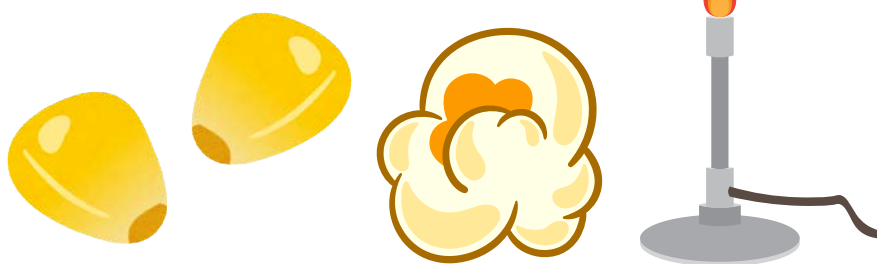
## GRADE 11 BIOLOGY

Mrs. Czerniak's Grade 11 Biology class wrapped-up their Kingdom Plantae unit this week, and it was quite a walk with the plants! Many laboratories explored chromatography and photosynthesis, while nature walks documented the four different groups of plants. Next up, Kingdom Animalia!



## BUNSEN BURNERS

This week, students in Grade 9 Science were able to develop their Bunsen Burner skills! By using a deflagration spoon, our young Viking Scientists were able to pop some popcorn kernels in their bunsen burner flames!



## ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL NEWS

Your Environmental Council wants to thank the Viking Community for their participation in World Paper Free Day this past Thursday! The Council is also very excited to have secured some tree stumps (thank you Ms. Gilchrist) for an Outdoor Learning Space that will be developed in the Spring! Stay tuned for updates!



## TREATIES RECOGNITION WEEK

Lockerby Composite School honoured the significance of Treaties in Ontario this past week. On Friday, Lockerby Composite School also hosted a special activity and presentation organized by Ms. Hazel Fox-Recollet. As Treaty Partners, we learnt together as students and as a school community and honoured Peace and Harmony in Remembrance of Indigenous Veterans with Ms. Christie Corbiere, Mr. Greg Brown, and Mr. Shannon Gonawabi.



## INDIGENOUS VETTRANS DAY

In honour of Indigenous Veterans Day on November 8, Ms. Savage's Grade 11 English students researched the stories of Indigenous Veterans, learning about their service, contributions, and the challenges they faced during and after their time in the military.



# TAKE OUR KIDS TO WORK DAY

Take Our Kids to Work Day took place on Wednesday, November 5th, 2025. This annual event provided an opportunity for students to step into their future for a day and get a glimpse into the working world. The day involved students in Grade 9 spending the day in the workplace of a parent, relative, friend or volunteer host, where they experienced and learnt about the world of work.



# STUDENT COUNCIL'S CLUBS FAIR

On Tuesday, our Student Council hosted a Clubs Fair in the Norse Nook at lunch. The Fair was a way for our student body to interact with club members and learn a little about the clubs we offer here at Lockerby Composite School! Our clubs are looking to welcome new members in the coming weeks!



## REPORT CARD DISTRIBUTION

### Attention Students and Parents/Guardians:

Midterm Report Cards are being distributed in homerooms on Friday, November 21st, 2025. Student without homerooms can come to the Main Office to pick-up their report cards at some point thereafter over the next several mornings.



## SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Lockerby Composite School's School Council will hold their second meeting of the year on November 10th, 2025. Stay tuned for future School Council updates and visit our website for Meeting Agendas and Minutes.



## LOCKERBY REMEMBERS

On November 11th, our entire school will mark Remembrance Day with readings, the playing of 'The Last Post,' 'Reveille,' and 'O Canada' before 11:00am. Our school community's Remembrance Day display will soon be up to commemorate all those who lost their lives and who served. Poppies will also be available for students at the school, with annual donations being accepted.



## PA DAY

The next Professional Activity Day for staff will be held on Friday, November 28th, 2025. 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...

### Basketball

On Monday, November 3rd, the Senior Girls Basketball team-wrapped up their season with a hard-fought game against Notre Dame College. Although the team came up short, they played with incredible determination. The team brought energy, teamwork, and smiles to the court all season long!

On Wednesday evening, it was dark, the weather outside was cool, and it was raining lightly..but...who cares?! Your Junior Girls Basketball team was heating-up the gymnasium and the lights were bright! They weren't too bright for Kylan who scored 17 points including a clutch free throws with 0.4 seconds remaining to put the game into overtime! It was looking bleak until Masha took a charge that changed the momentum of the game and allowed the team to pull out a 45 - 44 win! Masha also contributed 9 points and the team got 13 points from Helena and strong rebounding from Rayen to carry them to victory. Ella, Clara, Kaley, Eva, Fia, and Dakshatha all contributed to a strong resilient defensive effort. Onto the SDSSAA City Championship Finals!



### Volleyball

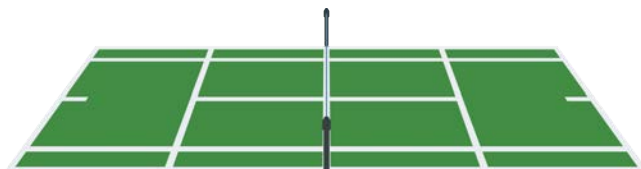
Congratulations goes out to the Senior Boys Volleyball team! This past Wednesday, they defeated Confederation Secondary School 3 sets to 0. Scores of the game were 25 - 14, 25 - 16 and 25 - 20. Stars of the game were Dax, Masa, and Ian. Come cheer on the team this coming Monday at MacDonald Cartier at 6:30pm in the SDSSAA City Championship Finals!



# THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

## Tennis

Our Mixed Doubles team, made-up of the dynamic sibling duo of Kiersten and Logan, outlasted several extremely tough regional opponents to earn an extremely strong 2<sup>nd</sup> place finish and an OFSAA Provincial Championship berth! We are sending good luck to them as they compete this weekend!



## Cross Country Running

On Saturday, a select group of Vikings runners competed alongside close to 2,000 other high school runners at the OFSAA Provincial Cross Country Running Championship. Finishing inside the top-half of their very competitive field of competitors were Logan, Misaki, Isaac, Ewan, and Gord. All of the Lockerby runners who competed at OFSAA are commended for rising to the occasion!



## Hockey

Our Girls Hockey team took to the ice this past week. Although they lost 5 - 2 against Bishop Carter Secondary School, the team played extremely well!





# LOCKERBY ATHLETICS

our Vikings put the 'student' in student-athlete



## STUDENT SERVICES

### Post Secondary

#### Cambrian College - Fall Open House - November 8th, 2025

Talk to staff and program experts, explore career options, tour the campus and residence buildings, enter to win prizes...and ultimately see if Cambrian is where you want to make your dream career a reality! Learn more by visiting the college's website - <https://cambriancollege.ca/events/fall-open-house>

### Volunteer Opportunities

#### Santa Claus Parade

The Santa Claus Parade on Saturday, November 22nd, 2025 is looking for volunteers to dress up in costumes during the parade and hand out candy canes throughout the parade route. Students would be required to assist from 5:30pm - 7:30pm. For more information, email Louise Tarini at [louisetarini@hotmail.com](mailto:louisetarini@hotmail.com)

#### Festival of Lights

Volunteers are needed for the Sudbury Manitoulin Children's Foundation Festival of Lights (from November 2025 to January 2026). Students can volunteer for one or more nights at one of Sudbury's most popular Christmas events. Volunteers will greet visitors and accept donations from the (heated) parking booth at Science North from 6:00pm - 8:30pm or 8:30pm - 10:00pm. Register online at [www.smcf.com/donate/volunteer](http://www.smcf.com/donate/volunteer)

#### Winter Clothing Drive

The Winter Clothing Drive, powered by Cooper Equipment Rentals, is looking for volunteers for its annual clothing drive pop-up. Students can volunteer throughout the city at the area Canadian Tire stores. Students will be supervised by a Cooper Equipment staff member, provided with lunch and 5 hours of community service hours. Visit the Student Services Google Classroom for additional details. Locations: Canadian Tire. Sudbury North, Sudbury South, Hanmer, Chelmsford on Saturday, October 18th, Saturday, November 1st, 15th & 22nd between 10:00am and 3:00pm.

#### Eastlink Community Television

Volunteer with Eastlink Community TV for various productions, including NOJHL Sudbury Cubs games and the OHL Sudbury Wolves. These positions require volunteers to be over the age of 16, as they will be operating cameras and learning the basics of TV production. They offer training sessions, providing an excellent experience for students who want to learn the fundamentals of TV production. They also offer co-op opportunities. For more information, contact Amanda at [Amanda.Zurkowski@corp.eastlink.ca](mailto:Amanda.Zurkowski@corp.eastlink.ca)

### Enrichment

#### Go ENG Girl

Women in Science and Engineering (WISE Sudbury), in association with Laurentian University's School of Engineering, will be hosting a free on-campus event for youth in Grades 7 to 10. Students will have an opportunity to interact with female engineers and complete hands-on activities. The one-day event takes place from 10:00am - 3:00pm. Students can register at <https://shorturl.at/oztvj> and the event takes place on Saturday, November 8th, 2025.

### Career Fair

#### Grade 10s at Lockerby Composite School

Lockerby Composite School is proud to be hosting a Career Fair for all Grade 10 students in the Fjord Fieldhouse on Monday! It's bound to be a great event!



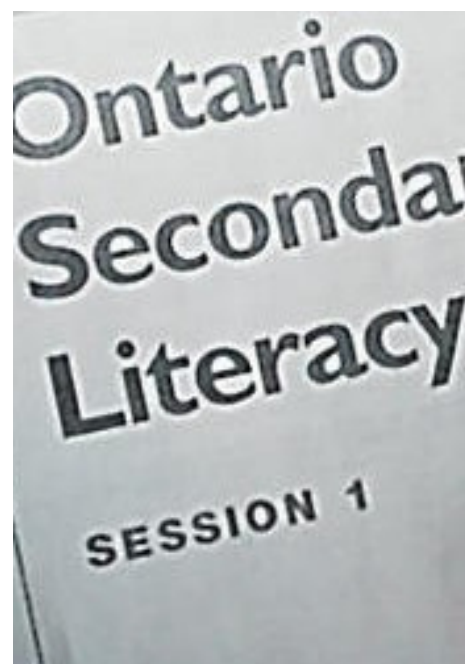
## LITERACY TEST (OSSLT)

This past week, Literacy Test students began the 'onboarding' process. 'Onboarding' is where students are able to practice logging into the testing site. Students also then have the chance to try all of the test-taking features and tools.

Additionally, each student has been invited to try the online practice version of the test to help prepare. Students have also been invited to try other practice activities to build confidence. All information can be found in the Student Services Classroom (Code: zyxxysi).

Students will begin writing the test beginning Monday, November 17th, 2025 and writing session will continue to Thursday, November 28th, 2025.

If you have any questions, please reach out Ms. Baggs at [baggs@rainbowschoolde.ca](mailto:baggs@rainbowschoolde.ca).



**Education Quality and  
Accountability Office**



EQAO assessments are taken by all Ontario students in Grades 3, 6 and 9.

During the webinar, EQAO staff will discuss math questions that students encounter during the assessment.

Parents/guardians will see how these math questions help assess the skills students are developing in math. Staff will also share valuable insights from the past three years of assessment results to help parents/guardians support their children's math learning.

## EQAO Math Night for Parents and Guardians

Wednesday, November 19, 2025 | 6 pm

**Register for the upcoming webinar at:**  
[tinyurl.com/eqaomathnight](https://tinyurl.com/eqaomathnight)





EQAO offers a number of videos about  
EQAO data and student learning.

Access the videos at: [eqao.com/videos](https://eqao.com/videos)



## SUMMER 2027

The August 2027 tour to South Korea & Japan was officially launched this past Monday. There are currently only 9 spots remaining! This unforgettable 11-day journey will take students from the ultramodern streets of Seoul (where technology meets tradition) to the ancient temples of Kyoto, the neon-lit energy of Tokyo, and more. If you missed our parent/guardian meeting, please feel free to reach out to Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry at [beaudrg@rainbowschools.ca](mailto:beaudrg@rainbowschools.ca).

 <p><b>DESTINATION</b> <b>JAPAN &amp; SOUTH KOREA</b></p>	<p><b>YSB</b> ✈️ <b>HND</b></p> <p><b>TRIP LEADERS</b> MEGHAN BAGGS &amp; GISELE BEAUDRY</p> <p><b>9 SPOTS REMAIN</b> FAMILY MEETINGS AVAILABLE EMAIL - MRS. BEAUDRY BEAUDRG@RAINBOWSCHOOLS.CA</p>	<p>LEARN MORE BY VISITING US IN STUDENT SERVICES</p> <p><b>EF - TRAVEL</b></p> 	<p><b>PACK YOUR BAGS</b></p> <p><b>WE ARE GOING TO JAPAN &amp; SOUTH KOREA AUGUST 2027</b></p>  <p>ONCE 9 SPOTS ARE FULL TRAVELLERS WILL RECEIVE \$100.00 OFF THEIR TOUR</p> 
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**\* Frostbite Formal \***

**\* Junior Dance \***

**Grades 9 and 10**

**\$10 on School Cash Online**

**\* November 27th \***

**\* LCS Auditorium \***

**Doors open from 6:30-7:30pm**

**Ends at 10pm**

**\* Snacks and Drinks are provided \***



# Next Stop: GRADE 9



Finding Your Way from Grade 8 to Grade 9

Save the  
Date!

**Wednesday, November 12, 2025  
7 pm to 8:30 pm**

Parents/guardians and students in Grades 7 and 8 are invited to an interactive information session designed to help students make key decisions in moving from elementary to secondary. All students are welcome to participate along with their parents/guardians, regardless of which elementary school they currently attend.

This free information session will focus on the changes and choices students face as they enter high school. A number of topics will be explored, including how to read timetables, how to choose courses and programs, how to ease into a new school environment, what resources are available, skills students need to be successful and helpful tips.

EP - English Program | FI - French Immersion

Cambrian College Student Centre, 1400 Barrydowne Road  
(Free parking on site in Lot # 15 next to the Student Life Centre)

To learn more, call your area Rainbow secondary school or visit [rainbowschools.ca](http://rainbowschools.ca)

Chelmsford Valley District  
Composite School (EP)  
3594 Highway 144, Chelmsford  
705.675.0225

Confederation  
Secondary School (EP & FI)  
1918 Main Street West, Val Caron  
705.671.5948

Espanola  
High School (EP)  
147 Spruce Avenue, Espanola  
705.869.1590

Lasalle  
Secondary School (EP & FI)  
1545 Kennedy Street, Sudbury  
705.566.2280

Lively District  
Secondary School (EP)  
Innovative Integrated Technology Program  
265 Fifth Avenue, Lively  
705.692.3671

Lockerby  
Composite School (EP & FI)  
Science Technology Education Program  
1391 Ramsey View Court, Sudbury  
705.522.1750

Lo-Ellen Park  
Secondary School (EP & FI)  
International Baccalaureate Program  
275 Loach's Road, Sudbury  
705.522.2320

Manitoulin  
Secondary School (EP & FI)  
107 Bay Street, M'Chigeeng  
705.368.7000

Sudbury  
Secondary School (EP & FI)  
Arts Education Program  
154 College Street, Sudbury  
705.674.7551

*Lockerby School Council Presents*

# WINGO BINGO



**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2025**  
**7PM-10PM**  
**Idylwyld Golf & Country Club**  
400 Walford Road, Sudbury

**Tickets are \$25** (for two cards) in advance and \$30 at the door  
Additional Cards can be purchased at the event

Also: Door Prize, 50/50 and Raffle Prizes

**Tickets available through [schoolcashionline.ca](http://schoolcashionline.ca)**

Must be 19+ years of age

All Proceeds support Lockerby Students in school clubs, athletics and school Events

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

Ms. Rogerson, 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, November 10th • **LOCKERBY'S CAREER FAIR**

Tuesday, November 11th • **REMEMBRANCE DAY**

Wednesday, November 12th • Pizza Day

Thursday, November 13th

Friday, November 14th



## Monday - Friday in Room 223



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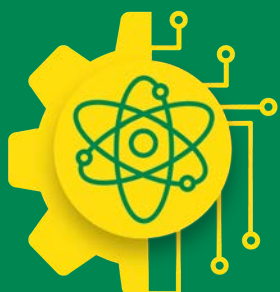
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