

THE VIKING VOICE

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Lockerby Composite School's weekly newsletter for Viking academics, athletics, extra-curriculars, and events!



RAINBOW SCHOOLS SCIENCE FAIR

A big congratulations goes out to our Grade 10 STEP Science students who presented their projects at the Rainbow Schools Science Fair on Tuesday! There were so many excellent projects on display and we are pleased to announce that 16 projects will be moving on to the Sudbury Regional Science Fair the first week of April. Congratulations to our young scientists and good luck in April!





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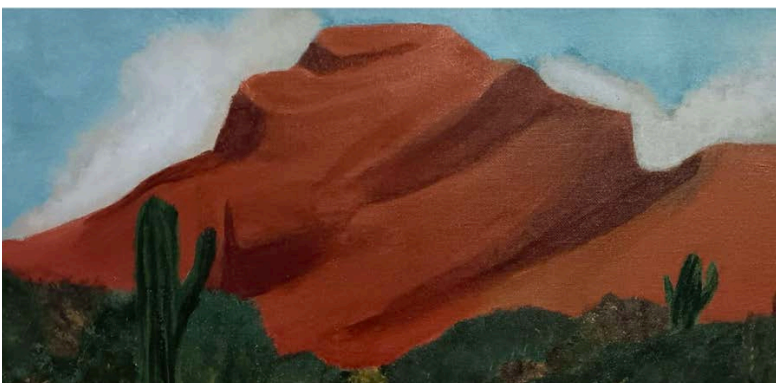
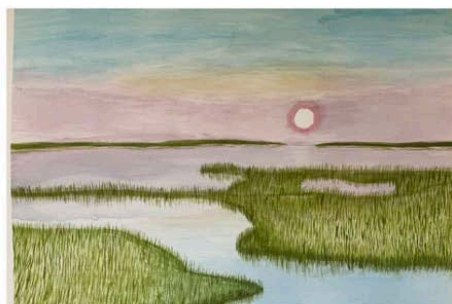


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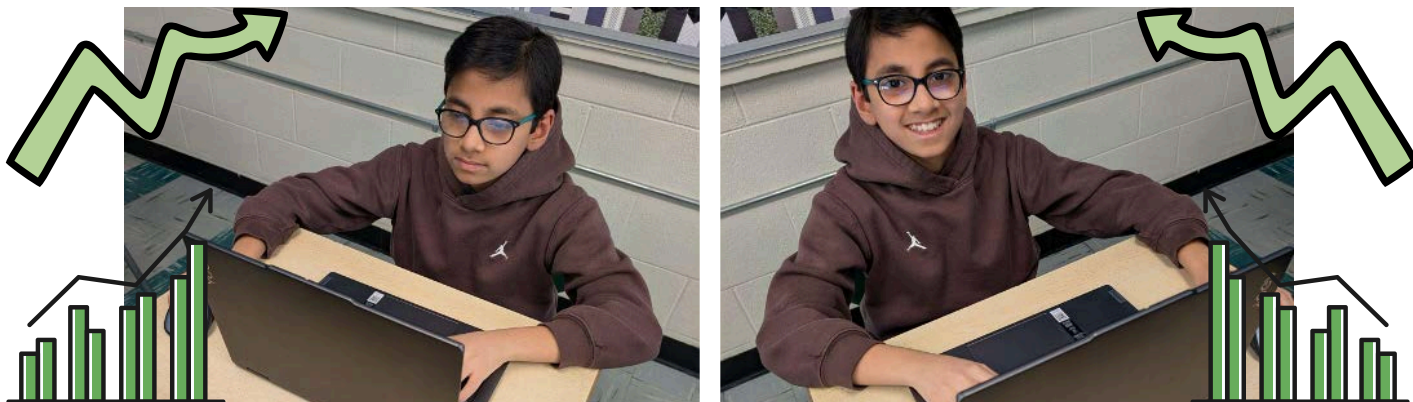
EMERGENCE SECONDARY SCHOOL EXHIBITION

This year marks the 56th annual presentation of this longstanding community exhibition that celebrates student art from around the city. This year, x10 Lockerby Artists were chosen to exhibit their work at the Art Gallery of Sudbury's Elgin Street location. The exhibition will be open to the public beginning Saturday, April 4th, 2026 with a closing reception on Thursday, April 23rd, 2026 from 5:00 pm-7:00 pm (awards and remarks at 5:30 pm). Please join us in celebrating young artists from around the city!



CAMBRIAN COLLEGE STOCK MARKET CHALLENGE

Hats-off to Grade 11 Business student Ganesh, who achieved a 1st place win in Week 1 of the Cambrian College Regional Stock Market Challenge! Ganesh accumulated an impressive +5.9% return on investment, earning him a prize pack from Cambrian College! Currently, Ganesh and the rest of the Senior Business classes (along with close to 350 students from various high schools in the region) are participating in the challenge, where students are working in a virtual stock market environment.



PIZZA PIZZAZZ

This week in the Culinary Arts Room, our budding chefs were making pizzas!



MARCH BREAK (2026)

A message from Mr. Lafraniere and Mr. Smith to all students, parents/guardians, staff, and community members:

We would like to wish everyone a restful, safe, and happy March Break to all of our Viking family members!



SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

A Message from Lockerby's School Council:

Lockerby School Council will be hosting a Porketta BINGO fundraising event to raise funds for Viking students at the Idylwyld Golf and Country Club. The event is open to parents/guardians, alumni, and any other community member (over the age of 19).



SAVE THE DATE

Porketta BINGO!

Saturday, May 2nd
7:00pm to 10:00pm
Idylwyld Golf and Country Club
400 Walford Road



Ticket Purchase on School Cash Online



EUROPE BOUND!

After some weather glitches and some cancelled flights, our European Adventurers have made their way to Toronto and will be on their way to Greece and then Italy on Friday night! Bon voyage!



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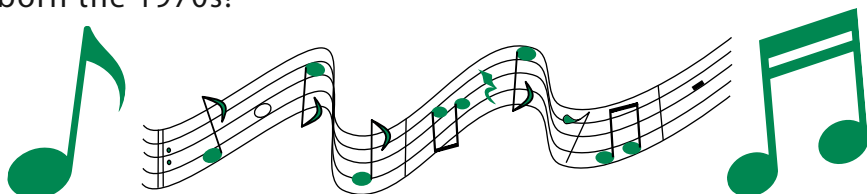
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LOCKERBY'S MASKED DJ IS BACK!

Lockerby's Masked DJ is back! Who's music is being played across the school each morning? Are you able to identify the Masked DJ from the clues given on Vikings Morning News? Well...last week's masked DJ was Ms. Kozman! This week's Masked DJ song began with Pinball King by Terra Lightfoot and this week's Masked DJ was born the 1970s!



Ms. Kozman



QUASH AT LOCKERBY

QUASH is a new, evidence-based vaping-cessation and smoking-cessation program for youth, based on a behaviour change model. The Lung Health Foundation is the developer of this program and several Rainbow Schools are piloting this program, including Lockerby Composite School!



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LUNG HEALTH FOUNDATION

This group will be taking place on Wednesdays, from April 8th to May 20th, at lunch in Room 100. It is a 7-week program is being facilitated by our school social worker, Ms. Rogerson along with Mr. Gieselman. Mr. Gieselman will be speaking to homerooms later this month about the program. During the 7 weeks, students will create their own goals, develop a personalized quit plan, learn ways to cope with cravings/relapse, and provide encouragement and mutual support to one another in their journey.

Any student who is interested in stopping their nicotine use can join our QUASH group. Participation in this program is voluntary. Students interested in joining can speak with Ms. Rogerson (in person or by email) or Mr. Gieselman to sign-up, or show up at our first session on April 8th, 2026 at lunch in Room 100.



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Volleyball

What an incredible season! Congratulations to the Senior Girls Volleyball team who competed at the OFSAA Provincial Championship and finished 5th out of 20 of the best teams in the province! The team played amazingly! Mr. Beausoleil would like to thank all members for their hard work and dedication. A special thanks goes out to Maili J. and Lilah S. who are graduating this year. The team, once again, made Lockerby very proud!



Badminton

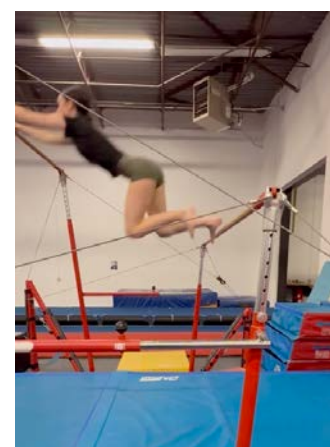
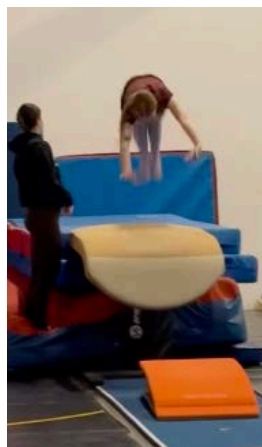
The Badminton season is upon us! Practices continue after the March Break!



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Gymnastics

T-minus 2-weeks away from the SDSSAA City Gymnastic Championships! Our Vikings continue to train hard!



Soccer indoor practices starting soon!



SPECIAL DELIVERY

Stay Tuned





LOCKERBY ATHLETICS

our Vikings put the 'student' in student-athlete



STUDENT SERVICES

Post Secondary

Post-Secondary Applications

Marks were sent to Ontario colleges and universities on Friday, February 13th, 2026. Students are asked to check their OCAS and OUAC accounts to ensure that all of their courses and marks have been transferred. Students should also be checking their individual post-secondary portals (i.e., Cambrian College and/or Laurentian University). If there are any concerns, students should see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry.

Laurentian University Open House

Laurentian University will be hosting its spring Open House on Saturday, March 16th, 2026. Visitors are invited to register early at laurentian.ca/openhouse. Prizes will be drawn from the pool of early registrants, so anyone planning to attend is encouraged to enter their information early for the draws. People can also simply drop in. The full day of activities gets underway at 9:30 am and will conclude around 3:00 pm.

Cambrian College's Open House

Cambrian College will be hosting its Spring Open House on Saturday, April 11th, 2026, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Students will have a chance to meet faculty, staff, and students. They will also have a chance to attend a number of information sessions, including Financial Aid, Career Options, and Student Support Services. To learn more, please visit the school's website at - <https://cambriancollege.ca/events/spring-open-house>

Prom - Thursday, June 11th, 2026

This year's Prom will be occurring on Thursday, June 11th, 2026, beginning at 7:00pm. More details will follow in the coming months.

Convocation - Monday, June 15th, 2026

Lockerby Composite School's annual Convocation will take place on Monday, June 15th, 2026. The event will take place in Cambrian College's Gymnasium beginning at 6:00pm.

Volunteer Opportunities

McEwen School of Architecture's Nuit Blanche

The McEwen School of Architecture will be hosting their annual Nuit Blanche event, taking place on Saturday, March 21st, 2026 from 6:00pm to 12:00am. The school is looking for volunteers for the event. Volunteers will help with setting up installations, assisting visitors during the event, and helping ensure everything runs smoothly throughout the evening. Interested students are asked to complete the Google Form, which is found in the Student Services Google Classroom.

Sudbury ROCKS - Sunday, May 24th, 2026

Race, Run or Walk for Diabetes. Volunteer with the biggest race in our city - Sudbury Rocks. Register today to earn up to 10 hours toward your community service; visit <https://shorturl.at/aEH24> to register.

2026 Cystic Fibrosis Walk at Bell Park - Sunday, May 31st, 2026

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is looking for volunteers for their annual Step Toward Finding A Cure event. Volunteers can assist with the planning, organization, and on walk day. Please contact Jeanine Piche, Walk Coordinator at sudburykinettes@gmail.com or 705-923-3924 for more information.



STUDENT SERVICES

Planning for September 2026

Academic Year Course Selection (Grades 9 - 11)

Course selections for the 2026 - 2027 academic year has been completed for the majority of our current students. Students and their families are reminded to review post-secondary prerequisites using the College Information Website (<http://www.ontariocolleges.ca/home>) and the University Information Website (www.ouac.ca). Detailed Information about all pathways (college, university, and the world of work) can also be found at www.myBlueprint.ca. Once students have completed their selection, they will receive a hard copy of their choices to review with their parents/guardians. Parents/guardians are asked to please review and sign their student's Course Selection Sign-Off Document. We require the signed document to finalize the students' courses for the 2026 - 2027 academic year. If there are any changes you would like to make, please indicate them in pen within the document.

Online Learning - Opt-Out - SchoolCash Online

Families should have received an Online Learning Graduation Requirement Opt-Out letter with their students' course selection sheets. The Opt-Out Form must be completed via the SchoolCash Online Opt-Out Form (found on page 47). Opting-out does not affect a student's ability to graduate, nor does it impact a student's future pathway.

Scholarships

Baker Tilly Secondary School Accounting Scholarship

Baker Tilly is now taking applications for their annual accounting scholarship. Several Lockerby alumni have successfully won this scholarship in the past. The criteria for the scholarship includes: earned an overall average of B+ or higher in Grade 11/12, enrolling/applying to a University/College Commerce/Accounting Program, and demonstrating leadership both inside and outside the classroom. Additional information can be found on the Class of 2026 Google Classroom. Applications are due by Thursday, April 30th, 2026.

CFUW Helping Hand Bursary

The CFUW-Sudbury awards this scholarship (valued at \$1,000) to a female secondary school student in the City of Greater Sudbury for one year. The successful applicant will be entering a post-secondary institution in the Fall/Winter of the 2026 - 2027 academic year. Applications are due by Wednesday, April 1st, 2026.

EQAO - PROVINCIAL WEBINARS

EQAO Literacy Session for Families: Focus on Writing - Wednesday, March 25th, 2026

During this live webinar parents and guardians will learn about how EQAO assesses students' writing skills at key stages of their education. Participants will hear how these prompts and questions help assess the skills students are learning in class. [CLICK HERE](#) to register. Please use this link to register:

EQAO Literacy Session for Families: Focus on Reading - Tuesday, March 31st, 2026

During this live webinar parents and guardians will learn about how EQAO assesses students' reading skills at key stages of their education. Participants will hear how these reading passages and questions help assess the skills students are learning in class. [CLICK HERE](#) to register.

EQAO Math Night for Parents and Guardians - Wednesday, April 1st, 2026

During this live webinar EQAO staff will discuss math questions that Ontario students encounter when they participate in Ontario's large-scale assessments. During the webinar, EQAO staff will show how these math questions help assess the skills students are learning in their math classes. [CLICK HERE](#) to register.





**All-Grades
Dance**

7  **'S**
**SPRING
FLING**

Friday, March 27th

\$10 on School Cash Online

LCS Auditorium

Doors open from

6:30pm-7:30pm

Ends at 10pm

****Part of the
proceeds go
towards Prom****

LCS Auditorium

**Snacks and
drinks provided**





**INTERESTED IN
PURCHASING
VIKEWEAR?**



**SCAN
THE QR CODE**

WEEKLY CALENDAR-AT-A GLANCE

Ms. Rogerson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School after the March Break.

Monday, March 23rd

- **WELCOME BACK**

Tuesday, March 24th

Wednesday, March 25th

- Pizza Day

Thursday, March 26th

- **SPECIAL EVENT - 12:00PM IN LOCKERBY GYMNASIUM**

Friday, March 27th

- Spring Fling Dance at 7:00pm in Auditorium



Monday - Friday in Room 223



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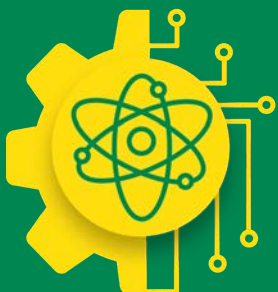
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