

LCS News Update | November 26 - 30, 2018

GRADE 10 WOODSHOP!

By: Vanessa C.

For the past couple of weeks, Mr. Smith's grade 10 technological studies class has been working hard in the woodshop making unique shelves. The class explored and learnt many different skills and techniques over time in the shop. For example, they learnt how to make a crosscut on the mitre saw, how to make a rip cut on the table saw, and how to plane and joint the planks of wood until they are smooth and to the desired thickness. The effortful work surely paid-off to create wonderful shelves that can be used in many different settings in a home or elsewhere.







HONOURING OUR SCIENCE FAIR WINNER

On Thursday, the Sudbury Regional Science Fair Committee celebrated the great accomplishments of students who participated in the 2018 Canada-Wide Science Fair, to help launch the Sudbury Regional Science Fair's 50th anniversary.

Lockerby Composite's own, Nethra W., was honoured at the event and spoke to aspiring young scientists about her journey as a researcher. Nethra won a silver excellence award at this year's fair with her project titled: A Novel Application to Increase Wellness Using Cognitive Behavioural Therapy.

Congratulations Nethra!





LOCKERBY'S CULTURAL EXCHANGE TRIP TO CHINA

This past Sunday, Lockerby Composite staff and students flew to China as part of a student exchange. Last spring, our students opened their homes to visiting Chinese students and this is when the cultural exchange began. This past week our students have been staying in the homes of Ningbo students where they are experiencing the Chinese culture first hand. They have also been learning about the history of Ningbo and trying many delicious new foods. The students also participated in tai chi, embroidery, and painting classes, an even made dumplings for lunch. In next week's newsletter we will share more about this amazing experience.

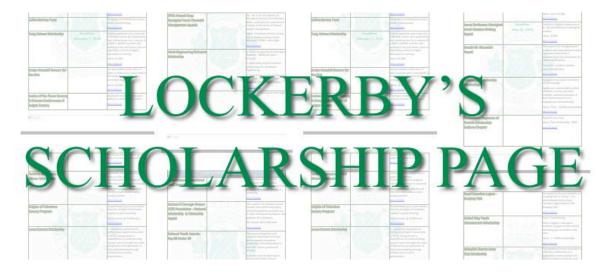




SCHOLARSHIPS

Hey grade 12's . . . have you been checking our scholarships page lately? We've updated it to include not only current scholarship opportunities but upcoming scholarships for the whole year as well. In fact, we have also been adding brand new ones for 2018 and 2019 (with more coming soon). Get the password to access this page from a staff member in guidance (if you don't already know it) and visit the website below. Good luck with your applications!

https://lockerby.rainbowschools.ca/student-services/financial-aid/current-scholarships/



CONGRATULATIONS MS. CADDEL!

Lockerby staff member, Ms. Caddel, has been appointed to the Canadian Museum of History's Local Teacher Advisory Group. The mandate of the group is to assist the learning team by reviewing and guiding the team's decisions and choices during the development of on-site programming. Ms. Caddel has been teaching History, Social Sciences and English at Lockerby since 2003. She is very excited to be a part of this new initiative in education.

On behlaf of staff and students at Lockerby, congratulations!



THIS WEEK IN VIKINGS ATHLETICS . . .

The nordic ski team continues to practice daily after school. Race dates have been added to the Google Classroom and athletes are encouraged to save those dates. This week, jackets will be here to try on (\$80 by Friday). If there are any new or interested skiers at Lockerby Composite, please see Mr. Abols or Ms. Stanyon for information.



MOONSTONE SKIING/SNOWBOARDING . . .

Lockerby Composite School's Physical Education Department is planning a one-day field trip to Mt. St. Louis / Moonstone Ski Resort on Tuesday, December 18th. We will depart from Lockerby at 6:30am and we will return that evening (close to 8:00pm). The cost of the trip is \$80. Please see member of the Physical Education Department for permission forms.





OPEN HOUSE Thursday, December 6th, 2018

7:00 PM

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The School of Science and Technology

INTERESTED IN THE MCEWEN SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE?

Interested in the McEwen School of Architecture? For our Open House on December 6th, Lockerby Composite School will welcome back former Lockerby students Jenna Nielsen and Tess Greene! They will be here to tell you all about their first semester in the architecture program at Laurentian University. There will also be lots of Lockerby's own architectural work on display in and around Room 154.



McEWEN SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

LOCKERBY COMPOSITE ALUMNI

Visit Lockerby Composite's Alumni Page to find old friends and see what they're up to. Did you know that Fred - class of '86 - is an engineer in Brisbane Australia? Neither did we until this week when he added his name to the list . . .



https://lockerby.rainbowschools.ca/student-services/alumni/

SEMI-FORMAL 2018

On Thursday evening, senior students danced the night away at Lockerby Composite's annual Semi-Formal. With this year's theme being a 'masquerade dance,' a great time was had by all!





OPEN HOUSE: SHORT PERIOD DAY

Our Open House for incoming grade 8 students will be held on **Thursday**, **December 6**th, **2018** from 7:00pm - 9:00pm. The class schedule for students on Thursday is as follows:

Lockerby Composite School

Short Period Day (Day 2) December 6, 2018

Announcements: 8:20 am

Period 1: 8:25 am – 9:30 am

Period 2: 9:35 am – 10:40 am

Period 3: 10:45 am – 11:50 am

Period 4: 11:55 am – 1:00 pm

LUNCH: 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

OPEN HOUSE



STUDENT SERVICES

Post-Secondary Applications (College and University)

A number of students have completed their post-secondary applications with Guidance this week. Parents and guardians are encouraged to review the applications with their students this weekend. If your student has any questions/concerns please have them see a Guidance counsellor. Students are reminded that they must pay the fees for their post-secondary applications (the application will not be processed until payment is received).

Deadline for University Registration: January 16th, 2019

Deadline for College Regsitration: February 1st, 2019

Review Applications Carefully

Parents and guardians are encouraged to review their student's applications to ensure accuracy. Please review with your student the following details:

Admission Requirements

This detail can be found within the university application portal. Each program will have specific requirements. Information regarding college admission requirements can be found with each institutions view book or on the college website.

Campus Location

Select campus location carefully. Institutions often have several campuses for example - University of Toronto has three campuses - St. George, Mississauga, Scarborough.

Supplementary Material

Several programs require supplementary materials from students. Students may be asked to prepare an essay, complete a profile, or even assessments at the institution. Students are reminded to review specific details for each of their programs. They should contact the institution's admission office if they have any questions or concerns.

Review Start-Date

Post-secondary institutions have **three distinct start dates** - September 2019, January 2020, and May 2020. Ensure your student has selected the appropriate start-date.



STUDENT SERVICES

Convocation Ceremony 2019

Our convocation will be occurring at Cambrian College on Monday, June 3rd, 2019.

Graduation Gowns

Students are reminded to reserve their graduation gowns this week. The first order will be completed prior to leaving for the Christmas Break. Students are encouraged to reserve their graduation gowns during the first order, as the \$40 fee will increase to \$45 after the Christmas Break. Students can reserve their gowns in Guidance.

Parent Information Session - Laurentian University

Liaison Services is hosting a Parent Information night on Wednesday, December 5th from 6:00pm - 8:00pm. This event will cover:

- how to be an effective support person for your young adult;
- how to support a positive transition from high-school to postsecondary studies;
- application processes and timelines;
- fees and financial aid options; student support services, and more!



Laurentian University's Liaison Services is hosting POST-SEC 101 – A postsecondary information night for parents and guardians.

This information session will cover:

- How to be an effective support person for your young adult
- How to support a positive transition from high-school to postsecondary studies
- Application processes and timelines
- · Fees and financial aid options
- Student support services, and more!

We invite you to join us

Wednesday, December 5, 2018 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Arts Building, Room A-226 Laurentian University



WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK . . .

Dan Watson, our Social Worker is in the school next week.

Marry Carruthers, our Aboriginal Support worker is in the school next Wednesday.

Monday, December 3rd

Tuesday, December 4th

Wednesday, December 5th

Thursday, December 6th

- OPEN HOUSE (starting at 7:00pm)
- Short Period Day

Friday, December 7th

Let's Connect

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